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Mass schedule

St. Lawrence Saturday Vigil 5:30, 7:30pm (Spanish) Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am, 12:30, 5:30pm (Youth Mass) Monday-Friday 8:30am Saturday 9:00am

Sacred Heart

Saturday Vigil 4:00pm Sunday 10:30am

St. Lawrence Cemetery Plots and cremation niches are available for purchase. Cemetery office 845-279-2021 x201 call to schedule an appointment.

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mass intentions

Saturday, June 30th 9:00AM 4:00PM *Sacred Heart* 5:30PM 7:30PM

Sunday, July 1st 8:00AM 9:30AM 10:30AM *Sacred Heart* 11:00AM 12:30PM 5:30PM

Monday, July 2nd 8:30AM

Tuesday, July 3rd 8:30AM

Wednesday, July 4th 8:30AM

Thursday, July 5th 8:30AM

Friday, July 6th 8:30AM

Saturday, July 7th

9:00AM 4:00PM Sacred Heart 5:30PM 7:30PM

Sunday, July 8th

8:00AM 9:30AM 10:30AM *Sacred Heart* 11:00AM 12:30PM 5:30PM Francis & Ruth Taylor Catherine Sutton Burchell Family Father's Day Novena—Spanish

Robert Ainsley Blair Rocco "Rocky" Rosita Amelia & Anthony Paradise McCluskey & Ebert Family Eileen McBride Wanda Laskowski

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Robert Cocuzzo

Michelle Mulroy

Carol Ann Serman

Sacred Heart of Jesus Society

St. Lawrence O'Toole Society Carol O'Connor & Craig Miller Ernesto Garcia Father's Day Novena—Spanish

Vernon Welsh Richie Deleo Jean Mattiace Rick Patterson Myles Tombline Wanda Laskowski

power of prayer

Join the parish in praying for the following daily prayer intentions

June 30—For all those recently married

- July 1—For those struggling with addictions
- July 2—For all the students on summer vacation
- July 3— For the safety of families traveling
- July 4— For our country as we celebrate our independence
- July 5— For those who struggle with mental illness
- July 6— For all families preparing to baptize their children

dedications

Sacred Heart

The **Sanctuary Candle** is dedicated for: **Julie Danile** At the request of Frank & Felicia LaBanca

The **Altar flowers** are dedicated for: **Margaret Fitzpatrick** At the request of Meg & Scottie Cairney

St. Lawrence O'Toole

The **Tabernacle** candle is dedicated **Carol Ann Serman** At the request of Kimberly Henry

The candle before **Our Lady** is dedicated **Carol Ann Serman** At the request of Victoria Piazza

The Paschal Candle is dedicated for: Mary Ortiz At the request of Lillian Markowitz

pray for

Please remember our brothers and sisters in the Lord who have asked for prayers:

Mary McQueeney ° Terry Dress ° Natalie Williams ° Susan Klemm ° Raymond Flynn ° Elizabeth Daly ° Frank Monteleone ° Lorraine Kucmierowski ° Julie Gargiulo ° Helen Bosco ° Joseph Turturro ° William Jayne ° James Galluzzo ° Timmy Francisco ° Filomena DiLallo ° Louis Joseph Rodriguez ° Danny Lyons ° Justin & Rosa Lyons ° Diane McSpedon ° Terry Berry ° Jane Schroeder ° Tony Salerno III ° Elizabeth Tesoriero ° Katie Westin ° Anne McManus ° Anthony DelDuca ° John Moran ° Angela Millman ° Gerard Kubik ° Jacob Siegel ° Antonio Napoli ° Louis Riolo, Jr ° Patrick Barrett ° Diana Westin ° Kristen Hetzer ° Patricia & Harold Willis ° Andrea Olenius ° John Neubauer ° Robert P. Meszaros ° Janet Nolan ° Sofia LaRocca ° Marian Mulhern

Names will remain on the Prayer List for 90 days and then will be transferred to the prayer list in the Adoration Chapel

To add names to or remove names from the Prayer List, please email: SLOT.SH.Office@gmail.com



Our vision Create a parish of missionary disciples whose personal relationship with Jesus Christ inspires others into a life-changing relationship with Him.

while we're at it

July 1, 2018

Dear Friends,

It is a sad, but still a very beautiful experience to experience how good families love and care for those who are dying. Often their own lives and priorities are put on hold, sometimes for a long period of time and at great personal sacrifice, while they make sure their loved ones have everything they need and feel the warmth of companionship and compassion even while their life slips away.

Among the most important things we do for the sick and dying is to make sure they have the opportunity to receive the last sacraments and get everything right with God. Just this week I was able to administer the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick to two people who died later the same day. There is nothing more beautiful and nothing more loving than to make sure that people are prepared for eternal life. So don't hesitate to call for a priest when someone is seriously ill. They will thank you for all eternity when you are reunited in heaven.

It's also a good idea to make provision for our funeral and our burial, by leaving instructions for our loved ones about our desires. That takes the guessing out of it for family members and helps to minimize any chance for disagreements.

You can also obtain a burial plot from our cemetery for you and your loved ones rather than leave it to family members to organize after your death. Call Eileen Stokes at our Cemetery Office and she will help you through the process of getting your own burial plot. Don't wait too long – it will give you peace of mind to have your affairs arranged in advance.

God bless,

Fr. Richard

P.S. A special word of thanks to all the golf team at Sacred Heart who organized the very successful annual Golf Outing fundraiser, led by Don Parfitt and Meg Cairney. Once again it was a huge success! Thank you for all your love and support of the parish.

P.P.S. And thanks to all the volunteers and ministry leaders who came to the St. Lawrence "Thank you" night this past Friday. The whole parish is grateful to you for your service and leadership.

mass celebrants

Saturday, July 7th 4:00PM Sacred Heart 5:30PM 7:30PM

Sunday, July 8th

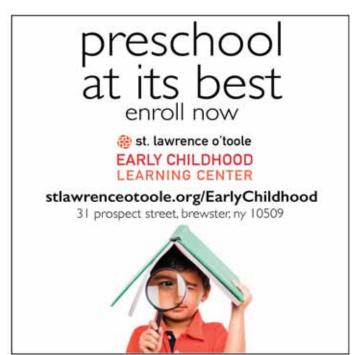
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confessions st. lawrence 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm

July 2	Fr. Gill
July 9	Fr. Amobi
July 16	Fr. Raphael
July 23	Fr. Berg
July 30	Fr. Raphael



o'toole seniors

The O'Toole Seniors will meet Monday, July 9th, in the Parish Dining Hall. Guest Speaker Eddie Aimonte will discuss the many home services offered by SageHome Care. The company recently opened an office in Brewster at 998 Route 22. Refreshments and BINGO to follow.

thank you!

Last week our parishes hosted missionaries from the Maryknoll Fathers (St. Lawrence) and the Passionist Fathers (Sacred Heart). The second collection was dedicated to their dedicated mission work to bring Jesus Christ to all peoples. Thank you for your generosity.

deacon john baffa

He would like to thank everyone who attended his retirement reception last week and all who sent their prayers and best wishes as he prepares to leave our parish after 19 years of service as a deacon and move to North Carolina with his wife Pat. They will be in our prayers and we are ever grateful for their service to our parishes.

help wanted

Religious Education Special Education Teacher Needed

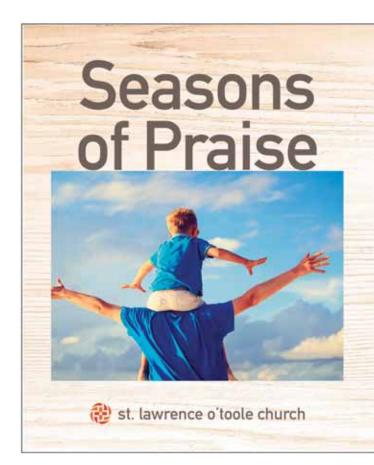
If you are a special education teacher and are available to volunteer to help in our Religious Education Program for the coming year, please email us at: slotreled@comcast.net or call our office at: 279-6098. Thank you.



St. Lawrence O'Toole Cemetery 20 Turk Hill Road, Brewster

Plan ahead and have peace of soul when you or your loved ones go home to the Lord. Single and double burial plots available.

> Contact the Cemetery Office at 279-2021 x201



July 9th The Holy Spirit as Sanctifier

Fr. Peter Towsley, Pastor Sacred Heart Church, Danbury, CT

Join us for an evening of praise and worship with local guest priests.

Music led by Sheila Valastro and the Praise and Worship Band of St. Lawrence



This is a week-long "play and pray" Summer camp for teens entering grades 7-12.

> July 22-28 at Mount Saint Mary College Newburgh, NY

August 12-18 at Camp Lakota, Wurtsboro, NY

FEE: \$450 Sign up at campveritas.org **

**Then let us know you signed up for a weekend so we can organize a group leader at the camp for St. Lawrence's kids at stlawrenceotoole.org/veritas



Support for those in need

Stephen Ministers are trained to provide one-toone care to people experiencing difficulties. Including grief, divorce, job loss, chronic or terminal illness, relocation, or separation due to military deployment.

To Find Help or to Give Help stlawrenceotoole.org/Stephen_Minister



Help. Hope. Healing



independence day prayer

Lord, we stand today as our forefathers have stood before you in times gone by, celebrating our history and reveling in all the great things that our country has achieved. On this day we rejoice in the favor You have graciously given us. We thank you for the blessings of liberty, for this generation and for the generations to come. We thank you for our independence, peace and for all those who have bravely given their lives in the defense of freedom and justice. We thank you that your gracious and provident hand has given us so much.

Yet as a nation and people we have not always chosen the right way. We ask you to forgive us for these times. On this day we commit ourselves to wholeheartedly honoring and serving you. With everything that we are, we lay our lives before you. Make us a generous people, a holy nation, a people set aside to love you forever, for the sake of the land of the brave and free, and the peoples and nations of this world. Today, we do not presume your grace for our country. Our land is in need of you, our people are in need of you, our industry and business is in need of you. May we look only to you this Independence Day, dependent on you.

Please come now by your glorious Holy Spirit, breathe new life into the sinews of this nation. May justice flow like rivers, and righteousness like a never failing stream, until the whole of our country is covered with your glory, as the waters cover the sea.

We ask all this in the wonderful name of Jesus, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit. one God, now and for all eternity. Amen.

(a modern prayer for the United States of America from www.lords-prayer-words.com)



a really happy meal

So whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God. Avoid giving offense, whether to Jews or Greeks or the church of God, just as I try to please everyone in every way, not seeking my own benefit but that of the many, that they may be saved. —1 Corinthians 10:31-33

Being everyday stewards means to be mindful of the gifts God has given us in all aspects of life and to act in ways that give glory to Him. This is easy when we look at the more profound actions in our lives, such as participating in a parish service project or raising money for the poor. But God is just as present to us in the ordinary and everyday aspects of our daily lives.

Paul wrote to the Corinthians, "Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God." Of course, Paul never visited a McDonald's! But even though it may seem like a stretch to the common man, by being mindful of where we are, whom we are with, and what we are doing, a McDonald's experience can give glory to God. I have a photo of my oldest child, decked out with his cowboy hat and sitting in a booster, having his first Happy Meal at McDonald's. That was over 15 years ago and on that day I probably wasn't thinking much about giving God the glory. However, I reflect on that event and realize how much it was a celebration of life and the good gifts God has given me. If I were to be there today, I would focus more and take in the surroundings, and really accept God into that moment. I would be mindful of each bite we both took and the expressions on his face. I would take note of the others around us and wonder if the joy we were experiencing at the time was noticeable and if that joy brought God into their lives a little on that day. After all, even though it is a clever marketing scheme that gave that meal its name, that meal really was happy.

Idea for response

During the next meal you eat try to be mindful to the entire experience, tasting every bite and being conscious of God providing nutrition for your day.

Take time to reflect

What are three strategies I can employ to live more in the present and be mindful of the needs of those around me?



a heartwarming rededication and weekend celebrating the most Sacred Heart

The 3rd Annual Sacred Heart Weekend commenced June 8th with a Mass, celebrated by Fr. Adolphus Muoghalu. After offering a special blessing for the parish he told the congregation we were celebrating the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. Fr. Adolphus reminded everyone of the promises of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and noted the ninth promise, "I will bless every place where a picture of my Heart is displayed and honored."



Following the well attended Mass, the Evangelization Committee provided light refreshments in the church hall.

On Saturday, the festivities continued with the parish picnic. Each of the parish ministries, Catholic Daughters, Evangelization Committee, Holy Name of Society, and Knights of Columbus worked together to create an amazing event. People mingled and gathered at Sacred Heart with a BBQ for all. Our DJ cranked the toons all afternoon and many talented parishioners shared their artistic skills to entertain the young and old. There were animal balloon making, face painting, and even temporary tattoos. Fr. Rich stopped by to chat and enjoy a few refreshments. It was a success from food, family, fun and fellowship.

The Sacred Heart of Jesus statue was restored from the storm and rededicated after the 4pm Mass on Saturday, June 9th. Fr. Richard and Deacon Greg led the congregation to the grotto. After, parishioners were invited to offer their personal prayers and to place a red rose at Jesus' feet.





ministries

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	Weekend Associate
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Gregory Miller	Deacon
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Maureen Herbstritt	Business Manager
Lynda Holler	Director of Discipleship
	Coord. of Religious Education
Kim Santerre	Coord. of the Family Program
Irene Westin	Adult Sacramental Administrator
Eileen Stokes	Cemetery Administrator
Meg Cairney	Coord. Religious Ed. Sacred Heart
Barbara Blank	Principal, Early Childhood Center
James Tiffany	St. Lawrence Parish Trustee
Paul Lavelle	St. Lawrence Parish Trustee
Lou Milano	Sacred Heart Parish Trustee
John Neubauer	Sacred Heart Parish Trustee

sacraments

BAPTISM: Baptisms are scheduled for the first Sunday of the month at 2:00PM at St. Lawrence. Spanish Baptisms are scheduled for the fourth Sunday of the month at 2:00PM. Contact Irene Westin at 845-279-2021.

MARRIAGE: Call the Parish Office to arrange an appointment. Plans should be made a minimum of six months in advance.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please call the Parish Office anytime someone is seriously ill at home or in the hospital.

CONFESSION:

Mondays......4:00 - 7:00 PM—St. Lawrence Saturdays......3:30 - 4:00 PM—Sacred Heart

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Monday - Friday......24 hours daily at **St. Lawrence** Holy Hour of Praise&Worship2nd Monday,7:00 - 8:30PM *Contact Angela at 914-482-0325 to register for regular hours.*

DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY:

Monday - Saturday	8:00 AM Rosary - St. Lawrence			
Monday & Tuesday	7:00 PM Rosary - St. Lawrence			
Saturday9:30 AM Miraculous Medal Novena- St. Lawrence				
Monday - Saturday	9:00 AM Rosary - Sacred Heart			
Tuesday	6:30 PM Rosary - Sacred Heart			

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