

*True greatness (holiness) is found in serving one another and by giving ourselves as did Jesus who suffered that we might be justified. He is our compassionate high priest in whom we have placed our hope.*

### **Announced Masses**

<i>Saturday</i>	<i>October 21st</i>	<i>8:00AM</i>	<i>Carole Gentile</i>
		<i>4:00PM</i>	<i>Alice Sammett</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>October 22nd</i>	<i>8:00 AM</i>	<i>Parish Community of St. Peter</i>
		<i>10:00 AM</i>	<i>Paul Feloney</i>
		<i>12:00 Noon</i>	<i>Robin Clinton</i>
		<i>5:00PM</i>	<i>Abbas &amp; Fari Najmabadi</i>
<i>Monday</i>	<i>October 23rd</i>	<i>8:00AM</i>	<i>Nora O'Connor</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>October 24th</i>	<i>8:00 AM</i>	<i>Mary &amp; James Hanlon</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>October 25th</i>	<i>8:00AM</i>	<i>Mass of Thanksgiving for Vocations</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>October 26th</i>	<i>8:00AM</i>	<i>John Gajewski, Sr.</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>October 27th</i>	<i>8:00 AM</i>	<i>Marie Boyt</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>October 28th</i>	<i>8:00 AM</i>	<i>Christine Bonacci</i>
		<i>4:00PM</i>	<i>Joseph Mingle</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>October 29th</i>	<i>8:00AM</i>	<i>Marie Cooney</i>
		<i>10:00 AM</i>	<i>Sr. Alice Husson, RSCJ</i>
		<i>12:00 Noon</i>	<i>Parish Community of St. Peter</i>
		<i>5:00PM</i>	<i>Andrew Tattershall</i>

*Your prayers are requested for all the deceased from our parish during the Month of the Holy Rosary.*

#### **From the Pastor ~**

- *What a fall treat it was to see! Over 650 parishioners celebrated the life of St. Peter Parish at our **Octoberfest Weekend**. A special thank you to all who volunteered or participated in our weekend festivities.*
- *Please take note of our new **Grand Piano** from Steinert & Sons of Boston. Come up to the altar after mass and take a look. Our music director, Doreen Gullede says that she is so happy to be part of this new music experience. More info about the St. Peter's Grand Piano to follow.*
- ***Parish Census** (number in attendance at Masses) as required by the Archdiocese will take place during the next two weekends.*
- *The **Grand Annual Collection** will take place on the weekend on October 28th and 29th. This is the only annual collection for the sole benefit of the parish. This year's goal is \$150,000.00. Please be as generous as possible.*
- *Children's **Halloween Monster Mash Party** on October 29th from 2 PM –4 PM. Children and parents welcome to arrive in costume. .*
- *Mark your calendar for Saturday, November 18th for our **Annual Christmas Bazaar**. Volunteers are still needed to help. The next planning meeting is **Tuesday, October 24th at 7:00 PM** in the Parish Center. This year's Chairperson is Karen Lounsbury, a parishioner and parent who is very capable and willing to take charge of this annual holiday event. For more info please call the office or email Karen Lounsbury at [khounsbury@yahoo.com](mailto:khounsbury@yahoo.com). The days to drop of donations are:Monday, October 30 thru November 4th in Parish Center from 8 AM-3 PM.*
- ***Religious Education**— Attention all First Communion parents! An informational meeting will take place this Sunday, October 22nd following the 10:00 AM Mass in the Parish Center for parents and students.*

#### **VISION AND WORK**

*Vision without work is a dream;  
Work without vision is drudgery;  
Vision with work is a dawn—  
new hope and a new day.*

—Anonymous



**The Offertory Collection** for the week of October 14th/15th was \$6,015.00. Thank you for your continued generosity.

The new **Community Service Club** of our Religious Education Program in conjunction with the Young Vincentians will be collecting used costumes for a shelter. If you would like to donate, there will be a drop off box in the school cafeteria.

**Group Weight Management Program**— Healthy Weight Program will begin on Thursday October 26th at 9:00AM in the Parish Center. If interested please call Karen Trainor at Advancement Office. All welcomed!

**CYO Basketball**— calling all boys and girls who are interested in playing CYO Basketball. Please report to the St. Peter Gym on the listed scheduled times which are:

Girls: Grades 5-8 will practice Wednesday nights 5:30-7:00 starting on 10-25-06;

Boys: Grades 5-6 on Friday nights from 5:30 to 7:00 starting 10-27-2006;

Boys: Grades 7-8 on Friday nights from 7:00-8:30 starting on 10-27-2006.

If you have any questions regarding the CYO Program please call Rick Morris at 781-643-5559.

**Catholic High School Placement Exam** on November 18th & December 9th. For more information call 617-876-1212.

**High School Open Houses:**

**Mount Saint Joseph** on October 24th from 6:30 PM-8:30 PM and November 5th from Noon-2:30 PM; **Arlington Catholic** on November 5th from 1:00PM to 3PM; **Pope John XXIII** on October 22 from 11AM to 2PM; **Matignon High School** on November 1st from 6:00PM to 8:00PM; **Malden Catholic** on October 22nd from 10:AM to 2:00PM.

**Sacred Heart Christmas Bazaar**— Sacred Heart Parish, East Cambridge will take place on November 4th from 1:00 PM to 7:00PM. Please join us.

**North Cambridge Catholic High School** is looking for volunteers to help with after school tutoring. For more information, call 617-876-6068 X49.

**St. Peter School News**



The students in Grades 2 thru 8 have been very busy this week taking the Terra Nova Standardized Test. This test is given annually. It is geared to measure where strengths and weaknesses may be in our curriculum.

**Annulment Information Evening**— offered by the Metropolitan Tribunal and the Office of Life and Family Ministries will take place on Wednesday, November 29th from 7PM to 9PM at Our Lady Help of Christians Parish, 573 Washington St., Newton. Please join us if you desire to learn more about what the Catholic Church teaches about annulments or if you are interested in beginning this process. If you have any questions please contact Joanne Curry at the Office of Life and Family Ministries or Rev. Mark Mahoney, J.C.L. at the Metropolitan Tribunal (617-746-5900).

**The National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima** at St. Anthony's Parish, 100 Cardinal Medeiros Ave, East Cambridge on October 23rd from 7:00 PM -12 Midnight and on October 24th from 6:00 AM-11:00 AM. All are welcome.

Can you name the Catholic Community so alive they had to build a 100,000 capacity stadium to share their faith in Jesus with other Catholics? Meet Marcio Silva on October 25th from 7 PM-9PM at St. Benedict Church, 21 Hathorne St., Somerville.

**Veterans' Mass and Remembrance**

An invitation to all parish members of the Archdiocese to attend the 6th Annual Veterans' Day Mass and Remembrance Ceremony on Saturday, November 11th at Boston College at 10:00AM sponsored by the B.C. Alumni Association and the University's Army R.O.T.C. The event will be held in Room 100 of Gasson Hall (the tower building at the Heights). A reception will immediately follow the ceremony. For further info, please call Dan Leahy at 617-552-3478