

The greatest among you must be your servant.

— Matthew 23:11

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Parish Information

St. Clare Church 4 St. Clare Way, Westerly, RI 02891

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STAFF

Rev. Kenneth J. Suibielski, Pastor Rev. Mr. Carl LaFleur, Deacon Rev. Mr. Stephen Cote, Deacon Mrs. Jennifer O'Connor, Parish Secretary Mr. Bruce Coon, Music Director Ms. Alice Duffy, Campus Manager Mrs. Ellie Cote, Marriage Coordinator

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Ms. Pamela Salimeno, Director

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday from 8 AM to 2 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass: 8 AM Saturday Vigil Mass: 5 PM Sunday Masses: 8 AM & 10 AM Holy Days: 8 AM & 6 PM Watch Hill Chapel's Sunday Masses will begin again next summer.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please register with the parish by contacting the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The schedule for the celebration of Baptism is arranged with the Pastor.

(Baptisms are not celebrated during Lent.)

Please call the Parish Office after the child is born.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 4 to 4:30 PM or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples planning to marry should contact the Marriage Coordinator at 401-348-8765 one year before the wedding.

MINISTRY TO THE HOMEBOUND

The Eucharist will be brought to the home of any person permanently or temporarily homebound. Please contact the Parish Rectory.

PARISH CHOIR

The choir, under the direction of Parish Organist & Music Director Bruce Coon, meets for rehearsal on Thursday nights at 6 PM in the choir loft.

Sunday, October 30, 2011



Class schedules are available on the calendar of the St. Clare web site, **stclarewesterly.com** .

Class Calendar for Grades 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5

Elementary School - Mondays from 6 PM to 7 PM

- October 31 No Class
- November 7 Class

Class Calendar for Grades 6, 7 & 8

Middle School, Confirmation 1 - Sundays at 11 AM

- October 30 Class
- November 6 Class

Class Calendar for Grade 9

Confirmation 2 - Sundays at 11 AM

- November 6 Class
- November 20 Class

Adult Day Center of Westerly presents



at

The Ocean House One Bluff Avenue, Watch Hill

Opening Reception

Friday, November 4, at 6 PM featuring a wine bar, cheese and fruit, light food stations. \$75 per ticket

Luncheon, Show Viewing and Boutique Sale

Saturday, November 5, from 12 PM to 2 PM \$75 per ticket

For ticket information, please call 401-596-1336, or purchase tickets at Bella Vita Salon, 26 High Street or at the Adult Day Center at 5 Union Street, both in downtown Westerly.

A generous percentage of the proceeds will benefit the Adult Day Center of Westerly's Capital Campaign.

Support Vocations & Catholic Military Chaplains Collection on October 30, 2011

Currently, 285 Catholic military chaplains provide pastoral care to over 1.5 million Catholics on ships, in combat, on bases and in 153 Veterans Administration hospitals. The second collection this weekend for the Archdiocese for the Military Services (AMS) will fund their Co-Sponsored Seminarian Program, which identifies vocations within the military and is now educating 30 men for the priesthood and subsequent military chaplaincy. The AMS has no parishes from which to draw financial support and relies solely on donations. See its website for more information at www.milarch.org/faq .



Don't Forget November 6, 2011



Day of Recollection

The Kingdom Within, Learning from the Master, Jesus, What Sanctity is all About with Sr. Eugenia Brady, SJC

Tuesday, November 1, from 10 AM to 3 PM

Enjoy the beauty and peace of Enders Island, share good food, good company and good words as you find the "quiet place" to appreciate the love God has for you and yours.

The cost, \$35 per person, includes a hot served lunch, confession, Mass, two conferences and time to explore the beauty of St. Edmund's Retreat.

Registrations can be made by calling 860-536-0565, ext.110.

Saint Clare Book Club

Established January, 2008

Book discussions are held on selected Mondays at noon in the Parish Center. Bring a bag lunch and enjoy conversation and coffee.

Members have selected the following books:

November 14 - Your choice

Select an autobiography or biography of your choice and share with the Book Club why you chose the book and any interesting or surprising facts you may have discovered.

> December 12 - <u>Bel Canto</u> by Ann Patchett

January 9 - *One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich* by Alexander Solzhenitsyn

Please join us for lively discussion.

Women's Bereavement Fellowship Breakfast

This event is held on the last Friday of every month at 9:30 AM at the Mermaid Café located at 19 Margin Street in Westerly.



Parishioners are invited to leave nonperishable food items in the vestibule on the weekend of November 5 and 6.

The food pantry is low on all items, especially canned soup, tuna, cereal, pasta, tomato sauce, peanut butter, powdered drinks, powdered or canned milk, fruit juices, rice, Jello, crackers, canned beans and vegetables, jelly, stewed tomatoes, canned fruits, canned spaghetti, soups, coffee, canned meats, dry beans, dry pasta. In addition, a cash donation would be appreciated so that additional foods may be purchased for disbursement. Please make all checks payable to

St. Vincent de Paul Society.

All donations are seriously needed and will be greatly appreciated.

Church Cleaning

The next monthly cleaning will be on Friday, November 4, 2011 following the 8 AM daily Mass.

St. Clare Stewardship Ministry Corner

The next **Stewardship Meeting** will take place on **Tuesday**, **November 22** at **6:30 PM** in the **lower rectory**. Stewardship meetings are held on a bi-monthly basis and all are welcome.



The **Prayer Ministry** is dedicated to those who request our prayers. To join this ministry or to send a prayer intention, please write in the Book of Intentions near the Baptistry or e-mail *mbrockmann@cox.net*.



The **Respect Life Ministry** helps the parish live the Gospel of Life by promoting and protecting the sanctity of all human life from conception to natural death. Before Mass on the **First Friday** of every month, the Rosary is offered before the Blessed Sacrament for an end to abortion. Please join us.



The Hospitality Ministry provides a relaxed and pleasant atmosphere for members of the St. Clare community and visitors, as well as new parishioners, to meet and interact with one another in a positive way. This ministry provides opportunities to promote parish fellowship and, when necessary, to assist the Pastor with special events. Meetings take place the first Thursday of every month at 8:30 AM in the Parish Center. All are welcome.



The Helping Hands Ministry reaches out to those who are needy, elderly, sick or in need of bereavement consolation. This ministry meets on the first Tuesday of every month at 4 PM in the Parish Center. Enter through the door in the rear parking area. Please feel free to come to these meetings; new faces are always welcome. The next meeting is on Tuesday, November 1 at 4 PM.

Substitute Teachers Needed!

Religious Education classes are now in session for grades 1 through 9. St. Clare has a vibrant, active religious education program and we are in need of substitute teachers in all grades. We would not need a large time commitment on your part, just an hour or two now and again on a Sunday morning or Monday evening. Please consider volunteering.

If you would like to help out, contact the parish office at 348-8765 or the Director of Religious Education, Pam Salimeno at 596-0579.

The Prout School Open House Sunday, November 6, 2011 1 PM to 4 PM

This is an afternoon for anyone interested in applying to The Prout School. Meet students, faculty, and coaches, tour the building and grounds, and learn about Prout's academic, athletic, extracurricular and International Baccalaureate programs.

We look forward to seeing you there!

For more information, please call The Prout School Admissions Office at 789.9262 x515.

The Prout School is a Catholic Co-educational College Preparatory High School

St. Clare Fall Craft Fair

The Fall Craft Fair that was held in the Parish Center last weekend, was a success due to the hard work of our parish secretary and chair, Jenn O'Connor, her husband, Kevin and their daughter, Samantha, the Hospitality Ministry, Neil Collins, Alice Duffy, and Dorothy Tadoldi.

Thank you to all the following vendors who made it possible and donated the items for our door prize table:

Kim Humbert, The Columbiettes, Judy Smith, Margaret Macari, Diana Smith, Joan Thorton, Terry Lang, Liz Anderson, Bob Smith, Madeline Williams-DePerry, Tina Wood, Gail Cardoso, Tanya Carr, Ellie Cote, Pat Charles, Elizabeth Santoro, Catherine Johanson, Stella Bednar, Carolyn Komorowski and Mary Lynck.

Congratulations to all the winners of our door prize table:

M. Cozzolino, Tom and Nancy Cummings, Barbara Teryese, Mary Auger, Marie Bublit, Maddie Davis, Violet Abad, Liz Maher, Ellie Cote, Kathy Ross, Dorinne Meyer, Debbie Psimer, Mrs. Ames, Lisa, Fran Pinson, Elaine Steidle, and Jenn O'Connor.

Lay Minister Assignments Daily Mass Schedules for October/November

| Date | Server | Lector | Euch. Ministers |
|---------|----------|---------------|------------------------|
| Mon. 31 | Auger | Trainor | Visgilio-Wright |
| Tues. 1 | Auger | Azzinaro | Visgilio-Wright |
| Wed. 2 | DeSantos | Swain | Azzinaro-Brockmann |
| Thurs 3 | DeSantos | Burns-Fusaro | Azzinaro-Brockmann |
| Fri. 4 | DeSantos | Davidson | Azzinaro-Brockmann |

Mass of All Saints Day

November 1 6 PM Mass

Lectors — Peg Nolan & TBD

Tabernacle — Eucharist – TBD

Cup- Ellie Cote Cup- TBD

Eucharist- TBD Baptistry —

Cup- Roseann Sisco

Servers -- TBD-CB & TBD-S2

Mass Schedule for the weekend of November 5 & 6

November 5 5 PM Mass Saturday,

Lectors — Mario Celico & Jennifer Brinton

Tabernacle — **Eucharist** – Fred Schwager

Cup- Jo Schwager

Cup- Margo Sisco Baptistry — Eucharist— George Schackner

Cup— Linda Schackner

Servers -- Philip Miguel-CB & Douglas Sockbeson-S2

Sunday, November 6 8
Lectors — Paul Meyer & Lauren Matarese 8 AM Mass

Tabernacle — **Eucharist** — Roseann Sisco

Cup- Joan Meyer

Cup- Lillian Evans

Baptistry — **Eucharist**— Alice Visgilio

Cup— Robert Sylvestre

Servers - Matthew O'Brien-CB & Zachary DiFazio-S2

November 6 10 AM Mass

Lectors — Jim Beale & Celeste Santilli

Tabernacle — Eucharist – Joe Abbott

Cup- Sandra Abbott

Cup- Marilyn Brockmann

Baptistry — **Eucharist**— Trish DeWolf

Cup- Betty Waters

Servers - Rachel Laudone-CB & Katelyn Laudone-S2

Communion to the Sick (after 10 AM Mass)

To Private Homes To Nursing Homes A–Terri Gervasini WHM-Frances Myszka B-Robert Nist Clipper-Alice Visgilio



Monday, October 31

Weekday

7:35 AM Rosarv

8:00 AM +Alex Forbes by DiMaio family

Tuesday, November 1

All Saints Day/Holy Day

7:35 AM

8:00 AM +Julia Page by Anna Pavelka & Charlotte Zinn

6:00 PM For the People of St. Clare

Wednesday, November 2

The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed All Souls Day

7:35 AM Rosary

For the People of St. Clare 8:00 AM

10:30 AM Mass at the Clipper

Thursday, November 3

Weekday/St. Martin de Porres, religious

7:35 AM Rosarv

8:00 AM Mass & Anointing of the Sick

+Bernadette Rondomanski

by Margaret Trainor

10:30 AM Mass at the Watch Hill Manor

Friday, November 4

St. Charles Borromeo, bishop

7:35 AM Rosary

8:00 AM +Alex Forbes by Bob & Marilyn Brockmann

Saturday, November 5

Vigil of the Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 PM +Thomas Ahern by family

Sunday, November 6

The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM +William Carl LaFleur by family

10:00 AM +George Kasunich

by Lisa Stevens & Adam Morton

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Wis 1:1-7; Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Wis 2:23 — 3:9; Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46;

1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Thursday: Wis 7:22b — 8:1; Lk 17:20-25

Friday: Wis 13:1-9; Lk 17:26-37 Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Lk 18:1-8

Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; Ps 128; Sunday:

1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30 [14-15, 19-21]

