

St. Elizabeth Rectory
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December Newsletter 2016

Weekend Lithuanian Lithuanian Apostolate

Mass Sundays 12:00 a.m.

St. Peter Lithuanian Parish, 75 Flaherty Way, So. Boston, MA
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MASS INTENTIONS / *Mišių intencijos - gruodis* / December 2016

Th 12/1 - 12:10 pm Anthony Gaputis Sr. & Anthony Gaputis Jr.

[L. Gaputis]

F 12/2 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) Stanley F. Patton [St. Peter Lithuanian Parish]

Sa 12/3 - 5:00 pm So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

Su 12/4 - 10 am So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

- 11 am Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai

M 12/5 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) Asta Aleksonis [šeima]

T 12/6 - 12:10 pm So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

W 12/7 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) Kleponis family [family]

Th 12/8 - 12:10 pm Aukštikalnis family deceased [family]

F 12/9 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) James Fagan & family

Sa 12/10 - 5:00 pm in memory of John & Anna Norinkavich,
Joseph & Adele Januskevich, John & Estelle Janus

Su 12/11 - 10am Francis Davis

- 11am Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai

M 12/12 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) Bronė & Antanas Monkevičiai [family]

T 12/13 - 12:10 pm John E. Yanovitch, Jean, Jack & Bob

W 12/14 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) Ursula & Frank Jocas [family]

Th 12/15 - 12:10 pm Delaney & Leonard families

F 12/16 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) Danutė & Stasys Venkus [šeima]

Sa 12/17 - 5:00 pm Nellie Young, Kathy Ferris, Edwin Martan

Su 12/18 - 10 am Anna Jocas

11am Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai

M 12/19 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) Sofija Stasaitis [šeima]

T 12/20 - 12:10 pm So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

W 12/21 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) Gaputis, Strockis, Markuns and Genevich families [L. Gaputis]

Th 12/22 - So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

F 12/23 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

Sa 12/24 - 4 pm Nellie Young, Kathy Ferris, Edwin Martan

5:30 pm Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai

Su 12/25 - 10 am So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

11 am Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai

M 12/26 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

T 12/27 - 12:10 pm Petras Ambraziejus [šeima]

W 12/28 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

Th 12/29 - 12:10 pm Joseph & Sophie Jocas [family]

F 12/30 - 12:10 pm (Chapel) So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

Sa 12/31 - 5 pm So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

Su 1/1 - 10 am So. Boston Seacoast Cath. Coll.

11 am Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Advento Susimąstymas

*šv. Sakramento Adoracija, Pamokslas,
Išpažintis, ir Palaiminimas*

šešt., gruodžio 3 d., 11:00 v.r. – 1 v.p.p.

ves kun. Aurelijus pranciškonas iš

Kennebunkporto

Po susimąstymo visi kviečiami papietauti su kun.

Aurelijum

**Sat., Dec. 3rd, 11:00 am Reflections for
Advent** in Lithuanian with Fr. Aurelijus,
Franciscan Father from Kennebunkport, ME.
Homily, Adoration, Benediction, Confessions
(bilingual)

Please join us for lunch afterwards.

12/15 – Simonos Minns muzikos mokinių rečitalis

7 val. šv. Petro parapijos salėje

Simona Minns – music studio student recital

7 pm; St. Peter church hall

Kalėdaičiai / Christmas wafers will be blessed the
first Sunday of Advent. They will be available, as
always, in the church.

Pašventintus Kalėdaičius galėsite įsigyti
bažnyčioje.



*Lithuanian Christmas Eve Supper- 14th year!!!
Dec. 24 after 5:30 p.m. Mass in Church hall*



***Kūčių vakarienė- 14-ti šventimo metai
gruodžio 24 d. po 5:30 val. šv. Mišių***

Bažnyčios salėje

Nuoširdžiai kviečiame visus!

Prašom atnešti šaltą patiekalą.

***Parapija parūpins gėrimus ir pagrindinį
patiekalą.***

***Please bring a cold meatless food item.
The parish will supply main dish & drinks.***

Msgs. Contons will offer Masses at the Regina Cleri chapel

prel. Kontautas atlaikys šv. Mišias Regina Cleri koplyčioje

Benediktas Povilavičius

[žmona]

Veronika & Juozapas Daleckai

[A. Povilavičienė]

Dear Parishioners and Extended Family Members,

Praised be Jesus Christ! Garbė Jėzui Kristui!

Once again, we enter into a new church year and Season of Advent. As we do, we shift from an emphasis on the Gospel of St. Luke, written for gentiles and all who felt excluded from their wider community for their belief in Jesus Christ, to the Gospel of St. Matthew, written for the Jewish community in order to prove to them that Jesus is the long-awaited Messiah.

This time of the year is supposed to be making room for and reflecting on the Prince of Peace. Very often, however, all of our own planning as well as our conversations with others sharing just how busy we are tend to take away from our effort, our determination to make this time before Christmas a true time of preparation by leading our lives more peacefully.

I cannot help but think that the stress most people experience this time of the year is due to anxiety over preparing for our encounters with others, whether it be through gift-giving, guests attending a Christmas gathering we are having, or house guests. While we seek to be accommodating hosts and hostesses and be attentive to the needs others have expressed to us, we have to remember that God does not ask us to lose our “sense of self”, our core identity in the midst of it all. If we believe that God the Father sent his only Son to redeem the world, we do well to ask ourselves “How is my preparation enhancing this belief in my own life and how will those experiencing the fruits of my preparation be reminded of this?”

Preparing for Christmas is meant to enhance our personal relationship with Jesus Christ through the act of sacrifice. For Jesus, this meant giving up all the “perks” of heaven for 33 years and nine months on order to come to earth and redeem us. Let us keep this in mind as we sacrifice for others in order to enhance our time with them, but not to the point of sacrificing our sense of self as we seek to deep our relationship with the New Born Savior.

Nuoširdžiai Jūsų Kristuje (Sincerely yours in Christ),

Fr. Steve

Lithuanian Apostolate Office Hours

If you wish to speak with the Lithuanian Apostolate, office hours are **Monday** and **Tuesday**, 11 – 3. You can leave a phone message by dialing the St. Peter Lithuanian parish number (617-268-0353) and select the Lithuanian Apostolate option. Or you can dial the Lithuanian Apostolate directly, 617-696-9961, and leave a message.

