



**ST. PETER LITHUANIAN PARISH, S. BOSTON, MA
NEWSLETTER MARCH 2013**

WEEKEND MASSES:

Sundays : 9:00 a.m. (English) & 10:30 a.m. (Lithuanian)

WEEKDAY MASSES in RECTORY CHAPEL M-Th 8 a.m., Sat. 9 a.m.

No Mass on Fridays except 3/15

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE available before Mass

MASS INTENTIONS / *Mišių intencijos - kovos/* March 2013

Sa 3/2 - 9 am Eleanor Kleponis [Anthony & Mary Zaremba]

Su 3/3 - 9 am Sasnauskas family [family]

10:30 am ***šv. Kazimiero šventė / St. Casimir Day***

Gyvieji ir mirusieji Vyčiai

M 3/4 - 8am Kazimieras & Dangerutis Aukštikalniai
[Rima Cibas ir Valerija Aukštikalnienė]

Tu 3/5 - 8 am Deceased members of the Kleponis family [family]

W 3/6 - 8am Rita Uzdawinis [Alice Olevitz]

Th 3/7 - 8 am Asta Aleksonytė [tėvai]

Sa 3/9 - 9 am Veronica Yuscavitch [Ann Kleponis]

Su 3/10 - 9 am Ursula Jocas [Anne Jocas]

10:30 am Bemice Vasys [šeima]

M 3/11 Janine Averka [Wanda Kieley]

Tu 3/12 - 8 am Jack Daniels, 16th anniv. [family]

W 3/13 - 8 am Adolfas Ščiulka [Dilbų šeima]

Th 3/14 - 8am Frank & Aldona Olis [Jarūna ir Gintas Banaičiai]

F 3/15 - 8 am Juozas Rentelis [šeima]

Sa 3/16 - 9 am Joseph Svelnis [SBLCA]

4 pm Jonas Palubeckas [Adelė Povilavičienė]

Su 3/17 - 9 am Adele Marcelonis, month's mind [family]

10:30 am ***Mišių nebus (žiūrėt šešt., kovo 16ta. 4 val.)***

M 3/18 - 8 am Ona Mučinskienė [Ilona Baranauskas]

Tu 3/19 - 8 am Joanna Malinauskas [SBLCA]

W 3/20 - 8 am Anna V. Norinkavich, 1 yr. [family]

Th 3/21 - 8 am Valeria P. Shertick, birthday [Mary Jo & Joe Shertick]

Sa 3/23 - 9 am Algimantas Skabeikis [Milda Brandmeris]

Su 3/24 - ***Verbų sekmadienis / Palm Sunday***

10 am ***šv. Petro parapijos Pensininkai / Retired parishioners***

M 3/25 - 8 am Gerimantas Griaudzė [Marytė Bizinkauskas]

Tu 3/26 - 8 am Jadvyga Barūnienė [Valentina ir Gintaras Čepai]

W 3/27 NO MASS

Th 3/28 ***Didysis Ketvirtadienis / Holy Thursday***

7 pm ***Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai***

F 3/29 ***Didysis Penktadienis / Good Friday***

3 pm ***Kryžiaus kelias / Stations of the Cross***

7 pm ***Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai***

Sa 3/30 ***Didysis Šeštadienis / Holy Saturday***

7 pm ***Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai***

Su 3/31 ***Vėlykos / Easter***

8 am ***Living & deceased parishioners***

10:00 am ***Gyvieji ir mirusieji parapijiečiai***

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

March 3 Building Maintenance

to maintain and preserve our beautiful church.

March 24 Utilities & Energy

to defray very large costs of utilities (e.g. almost \$20,000 alone for heating Church & Rectory).

Your substantial donation is greatly appreciated.

Prašome Jūsų didesnės aukos, padėti padengti bažnyčios ir klebonijos didžiules sąskaitas - pvz. beveik \$20,000 vien už šildymą.

March 29 Good Friday: Holy Land Shrines

Did. Penkt.: Sventos Žemės paminklams

March 31 Easter: Retired & invalid priests

Only collection on Easter Sunday

Vėlykos: Kunigam Pensininkam

Vienintėkė rinkliava per Vėlykas

Sunday Collections:

1/27: \$1122 2/3: \$1334

2/10: \$437 2/17: \$549

2/24: \$1425

Maintenance: \$653

Archdiocese Special Collection: \$516

Church in Latin America: \$465

Lithuanian Catholic Religious Aid: \$380

Annual Catholic Appeal 2013

Please be generous in your support of the charitable works of the archdiocese.

Your support is needed now

more than ever!

Goal: \$14,700

Msr. Contons will offer Masses at the Regina Cleri chapel

Prel. Kontautas atliks šv. Mišias Regina Cleri koplyčioje

Bronė ir Antanas Monkevičiai [family]

Anthony Gaputis Sr., & Anthony Gaputis Jr. [L. Gaputis]

Gaputis, Strockis, Markans and Genevich families [L. Gaputis]

Kęstutis Stasaitis [motina]

Antanas Januška [žmona]

Benediktas Povilavičius [žmona]

Povilas ir Elena Žičkai [šeima]

Danutė Venckutė [šeima]

Stanley F. Patton [St. Peter Lithuanian parish]

UPCOMING EVENTS

- * **Sun., March 3rd, 10:30 a.m.** St. Casimir Day
Mass followed by kavute (brunch) in the Church Hall served by Knights of Lithuania, Council 17
Everyone invited – no reservation needed!
- * **Sun., March 10th after 9 a.m. Mass**
Knights of Lithuania, C-17 Meeting in Church hall.
- * **Sun., March 10th**, please visit the annual Boston Lithuanian Scouts St. Casimir Day Fair- Mūgė, at the South Boston Lithuanian Club. The Fair runs from noon to 4 pm
- * **Sat., March 16th 11 am** Confessions, Adoration and Exposition
- * **Sat., March 16th 2 pm** Prayerful sharing with "Gyvieji Akmenys", Church Hall
- * **Palm Sunday, March 24th**
Anointing during 10:00 am Mass. Senior Citizens appreciation dinner following Mass.



Stations of the Cross: **Sundays during Lent at 8:15 am**

Easter Schedule

March 23 Palm Sunday Vigil Mass at 4 pm,
St. Augustine Chapel (next to Casper's funeral home)
March 24 Palm Sunday Mass at 10:00 only
March 28 Holy Thursday Mass at 7:00 pm
March 29 Good Friday Stations of the Cross 3:00 pm
March 29 Good Friday Mass at 7 pm
March 30 Holy Saturday Mass at 7 pm
March 31 Easter 8:00 am English
10:00 am Lithuanian

If you would like to attend an **English celebration for Palm Sunday**, Fr. Zukas will be celebrating Palm Sunday Vigil Mass at 4 pm Mass on Saturday, **March 23rd** at **St. Augustine's Chapel**, located next to Casper's funeral home on Dorchester Ave.

Lenten Reconciliation Archdiocesan program
"The Light is on for You"

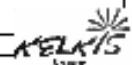
The goal is to bring about a renewal of the *sacrament of reconciliation* throughout the Archdiocese. Our parish will be participating. In order to achieve this, confessions will be heard at St. Peter's from **6:30 to 8:00 PM on Wednesday evenings during Lent (March 6, 13, 20)**
Išpažintys bus klausomos kiekvieną Gavėnių trečiadienį, šv. Petro bažnyčioje, nuo 6:30 v.v. iki 8 v.v. (kovo 6, 13, 20 dienomis)



WHY CATHOLIC?

WHY CATHOLIC?

Over the past few years Fr. Steve has been able to proudly tell his fellow priests that St. Peter's Parish has a high percentage of parishioners involved in the Arise program. The good numbers show that our parish is alive and committed to our faith. Now St. Peter's Parish is committed to participating in the continuation of Arise: "Why Catholic". The theme is "Belief" and will run for six weeks from Feb 13th through the week of March 17th. During the last week of "Why Catholic" we have invited *Gyvieji Akmenys* to visit our parish once again and meet with each group. Please consider signing up for this series of group meetings to be held at various homes as well as in the parish. If you have not been able to attend during the past years, this is a great time to join. All the "Why Catholic" group members and interested parishioners and their friends are invited to come together on Saturday afternoon March 16th for a meeting with *Gyvieji Akmenys* (2 pm) in the parish hall. Talk to your friends about participating in this new program. Based on the experience of previous groups, you will get to know your fellow parishioners better, learn about your faith, and find strength in the prayer and fellowship.



Per paskutinius kelis metus, kunigas Žukas galėjo drąsiai pasigirti kitiems kunigams kad mūsų parapijoje didelis procentas dalyvauna „Kelkis“ būreliuose. Sie nemaži skaičiai įrodo kad mūsų parapija gyvuoja ir pasiryžus išlaikyti savo tikėjimą. Šv. Petro parapija ir toliau dalyvauna „Kelkis“ prisijungdama prie programos „Kodėl katalikas.“ Tema šiai Gavėniai – tikėjimas. Ši programa tęsis 6 savaites pradėdant vasario 13-tą iki kovo 23-ios. Per paskutinę savaitę, esame pakvieta iš Lietuvos maldos ir giedojimo grupę, *Gyvieji Akmenys*. Jei dar neesate prisirašę prie „Kelkis“ grupės, raginame prisijungti. Visos „Kelkis“ grupės, parapijiečiai ir draugai esate kviečiami šeštadienio popietei susitikimui su „Gyvieji Akmenys“ grupe kovo 16 d. 2 v.p.p.

Dalyvavę „Kelkis“ grupėse sutinka kad tai proga geriau susipažinti su kitais parapijiečiais, savo tikėjimu, ir atrasti ramstį maldoje ir bendravime.

Dėmesio:

Sekm., kovo 17 d. (parado dėka) **NEBUS** mišių 10:30.

Lietuviškos mišios bus atnašautos **šešt., kovo 16 d.**
4 v.p.p.

ST. PETER LITHUANIAN CHURCH NEWSLETTER MARCH 2013 p. 3

Church location: 75 Flaherty Way, South Boston, Massachusetts

Rev. Stephen P. Zukas, Pastor

Mailing Address: 50 Orton Marotta Way, S. Boston, MA 02127-2006

Rectory telephone: 617-268-0353 Fax: 617-268-2585 E-mail: klebonas@me.com

<http://www.stpeterlithuanianparish.org>

Grand Lottery drawing

One Ticket: \$100.

Only 200 tickets will be sold

Sunday, March 24th 2013

1st prize \$7500 2nd prize \$1,500

3rd prize \$1,000

Tickets may be purchased:

1. **AFTER MASSES** from Parish Council Members
2. **BY MAIL:**
St. Peter Lithuanian Parish Grand Lottery
50 Orton-Marotta Way
S. Boston, MA 02127

[Please make check out to St. Peter Lithuanian Parish and specify where to send your ticket]

Didžiosios Loterijos traukimas

Vienas bilietas: \$100.

2013 m. sekmadienį kovo 24 d.

*1-ji premija \$7,500 *2-ji \$1,500 *3-ji \$1,000

Bilietus galima įsigyti:

1. po Mišių iš Parapijos Tarybos narių,
2. per paštą:

St. Peter Lithuanian Parish / Grand Lottery
50 Orton-Marotta Way, S. Boston, MA 02127

Prašom čekį rašyti: "St. Peter Lithuanian Parish"
ir nurodyti, kur siųsti Jūsų bilietą.

Iš viso TIK 200 bilietų bus parduodami.

Palm
Sunday

March 24th

10:00 am Mass with Anointing of the sick
during Mass

Senior Citizens Appreciation Dinner following
Mass in the parish hall.

Dėmesio:

Sekm., kovo 17 d. (parado dėka)
NEBUS mišių 10:30.

Lietuviškos mišios bus atnašautos
šešt., kovo 16 d. 4 v.p.p.

Kviečiame susikaupti, pasiruošti Šv. Vėlykoms!

GAVĖNIOS APMASTYMAI kovo. 16 d.
šeštadienį

Rekolekcijos *bažnyčioje, kun. Ričardas Doveika*
Praleiskite dieną su kun. Doveika!

* **11 val.** Adoracija, Išpažintis, Palaiminimas

12:30 – 2 val. Po susimastymo visi kviečiami **papietauti**
su kun. Ričardu

* **2 val.** Susitikimas su „Gyvieji Akmenys“

* **4 val.** šv. Mišios, atnašauja kun. Doveika

* kavutė po mišių (ruošia šv. Petro parapija)

Lenten Retreat Saturday, March 16th

Spend the day with Fr. Doveika!

Rev. Ričardas Doveika from Lithuania

* 11 am Adoration and Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament, confessions heard

12:30 – 2 pm **All** are invited for lunch with Fr. Doveika

* 2 pm Prayerful Sharing with „Gyvieji Akmenys“

* 4 pm Mass in Lithuanian, Fr. Doveika

* Refreshments served after Mass

Dėmesio:

Sekm., kovo 17 d. (parado dėka)
NEBUS mišių 10:30.

Lietuviškos mišios bus atnašautos
šešt., kovo 16 d. 4 v.p.p.

Knights of Lithuania, Council 17

St. Casimir Day Mass

Sunday, March 3rd, 10:30 a.m.

St. Peter Lithuanian Church

Light Lunch/ Kavutė following in Church Hall

Everyone is cordially invited!

Lietuvos Vyčių 17-ta kuopa kviečia į
Šv. Kazimiero šventės Mišias
kovo 3 d., sekm. 10.30 v.t.

Kavutė po Mišių - parapijos salėje
Visi nuoširdžiai kviečiami dalyvauti

Knights of Lithuania Council #1
St. Casimir Feast Day March 2nd
at St. Michael's Church in Avon, MA

- Mass at 4:00 pm
- After Mass, supper

Tickets: Adults \$12/person
Children (6 – 12) \$5/ child

Tickets may be purchased from Roni Bizinkauskas
(508-586-0650) or John Drusinskas (508-586-8599)



Bostono ir Žalgirio tuntų skautų

Kaziuko Mūgė

Sekm., Kovo 10, 12 v.p.p.

Lietuvių piliečių Klube
368 W. Broadway, S.Boston

Pietūs, tortai, žaidimai, rankdarbiai, laužas

Boston Lithuanian Scouts'

St. Casimir's Day Fair

Sunday, March 10th, noon

S. B. Lithuanian Citizens' Club
368 W. Broadway, S. Boston

Lithuanian food, tortes, games, handicrafts

Guidelines for Fasting & Abstinence During Lent Fasting and Abstinence are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Abstinence is to be observed on all Fridays in Lent.

- **Fasting:** The law of fasting requires a Catholic from the 18th birthday to the 59th year (completed on the 60th birthday) to reduce the amount of food eaten from normal. The Church defines this as one meal a day and two smaller meals which if added together would not exceed the main meal in quantity. Fasting is obligatory on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.
- **Abstinence:** All persons who have completed their 14th year are bound by the law of abstinence. During Lent abstinence from meat on Fridays is obligatory.
- **Those who are excused from fast and abstinence,** besides those outside the age limits, include the sick or those with some other medical reason, the frail and pregnant or nursing women.