Sunday, November 2nd: Twenty First Sunday After Pentecost
   Churching of Amelia Belle Marshall

**November 7th, 8th, 9th: St. Mary Annual Holiday Bazaar**

Sunday, November 9th: Twenty Second Sunday After Pentecost
Monday, November 10th: 7:00 P.M.-Bible Study in Church Hall
Thursday, November 13th: 8:30 P.M.-- Fellowship Bible Study (2 Armas Court, Cumberland)
Saturday, November 15th: 8:00 P.M.-- Haflî at Parish Center
Sunday, November 16th: Twenty Third Sunday After Pentecost
   Memorial Service for Alice Maurice (10 years)
Sunday, November 23rd: Twenty Fourth Sunday After Pentecost
   Special Parish Meeting at Parish Center following Liturgy

Sunday, November 24th: Twenty Fifth Sunday After Pentecost
Wednesday, November 26th: Thanksgiving
Sunday, November 30th: Twenty Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

**Note Date Change for the Month of December.**

Arabic Liturgy will be held on Saturday, December 13th at 5:00 P.M.
A Note Regarding Holy Communion:
Since we understand Communion to mean that we have all things in common, sharing an identical faith, only those who are members of the Orthodox Church and who have prepared themselves through prayer, fasting, and recent confession may participate in Holy Communion. We invite all, however, to partake of the blessed bread which is distributed at the dismissal. Confessions are heard by special appointment. The Eucharistic fast begins at midnight on Saturday and ends with the receiving of Holy Communion. Please see Fr. Elie if you have any questions or for inquiries on how to become a full member of the Church.

Prayer Requests and Bulletin News: All prayer requests and articles for the weekly bulletin must be submitted each week by noon Wednesday otherwise the requests and articles will be published the following week. Please use the envelopes provided when requesting prayers. Envelopes are available at the entrance of the Church, downstairs in the Church Hall, or in the Church Office.

View our website — http://stmarypawtucket.org
Coffee Hour Sponsorships

The Parish Council has decided to implement a new system to organize our coffee hours. There are two ways to handle this: when a couple, family, or an individual decides to sponsor the coffee hour, you may do it on your own which entails purchasing the pastry & juice, making the coffee, setting up the table, and cleaning up. The second option is to donate $75.00 to the church so that a Parish Council member will handle the coffee hour on your behalf.

If you would like to sponsor a coffee hour, please see Fr. Elie. Please make check to St. Mary Church for coffee sponsorship and earmark “Coffee Hour”.

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Sunday, November 2, 2014
Twent First Sunday After Pentecost
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Troparion of the Resurrection: Tone 4
Having learned the joyful message of the Resurrection from the angel the women disciples of the Lord cast from them their parental condemnation. And proudly broke the news to the Disciples, saying: Death hath been spoiled; Christ God is risen, granting the world Great Mercy.

Troparion of The Persian Martyrs: Tone 3
Blessed is the earth that drank your blood, O prizewinners of the Lord, and holy are the tabernacles that received your spirits; for in the stadium ye triumphed over the enemy, and ye proclaimed Christ with boldness. Beseech Him, we pray, since He is good, to save our souls.

Troparion of the Dormition: Tone 1
“In giving birth, Thou didst keep Thy virginity and in Thy repose, Thou didst not forsake the world, O Theotokos, for Thou art the mother of life, and Thou didst pass over into life; and through thy intercessions from death Thou dost redeem our souls.”

Kontakion for Ordinary Sundays: Tone 2
O protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, mediation unto the Creator most constant, O despise not the suppliant voices of those who have sinned; but be thou quick, O good one, to come unto our aid, who in faith cry unto thee: Hasten to intercession, and speed thou to make supplication, thou who dost ever protect, O Theotokos, them that honor thee.
O Lord, how magnified are Thy works. In wisdom hast Thou made them all. 
Bless the Lord, O my soul.

The Reading from the Epistle of St. Paul to the Galatians. (2:16-20)
Brethren, you know that a man is not justified by works of the Law but through faith in Jesus Christ. Even we have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ, and not by works of the Law, because by works of the Law shall no one be justified. But if, in our endeavor to be justified in Christ, we ourselves were found to be sinners, is Christ then an agent of sin? Certainly not! But if I build up again those things which I tore down, then I prove myself a transgressor. For I through the Law died to the Law, that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ Who lives in me; and the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, Who loved me and gave Himself for me.

The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke. (16:19-31)
The Lord said, ‘There was a rich man, who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, full of sores, who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man’s table; moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham’s bosom. The rich man also died and was buried; and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes, and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus in his bosom. And he called out, ‘Father Abraham, have mercy upon me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in anguish in this flame.’ But Abraham said, ‘Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.’ And he said, ‘Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father’s house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.’ But Abraham said, ‘They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.’ And he said, ‘No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.’ He said to him, ‘If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead.’”

**YES PROVIDENCE, RI - December 12-14, 2014**

**WHEN?**  
Friday, December 12 - Sunday December 14, 2014

**WHAT?**  
A wonderful opportunity to serve and love our most needy neighbors in Providence, RI.

**WHO?**  
Junior High, High School Students, and College Students

**WHERE?**  
St. Mary Antiochian Orthodox Church at 5pm on Friday, December 12th: 249 High St., Pawtucket, RI 02865. The service learning weekend will come to a close following Liturgy on December 14th.

**COST?**  
A registration gift of $150 a person will cover all trip expenses, make it possible for the YES Program to prepare and execute the trip, and enable our service team to meet the needs of those we serve. Scholarships are available! Please email Katrina for information.

The Teens are beginning the food drive to pass out the baskets to families in need this holiday season. The Sunday School children have been asked to bring a bag of canned goods and side dishes to help fill the baskets.

We are in need of money to purchase fresh turkeys and vegetables for all the baskets. These donations can be brought to church and given to Emile Sarkis or Stephanie Chowning Please bring donations by November 16th. Thank you for all your support!!!
Assessment Fee

The St. Mary Parish Council wishes to kindly remind the Faithful to send in their Archdiocese Assessment of $125 made out to St. Mary Church. Please help us to be able to meet our obligations to the Archdiocese.

Parish Meeting

There will be a Special Parish Meeting on Sunday, November 23rd following Liturgy during Coffee Hour at the Parish Center to vote on the recommendations of the Finance Committee concerning the Rectory sale proceeds.

St. Mary Liturgical Choir

The St. Mary Liturgical Choir welcomes new members to join its Ministry of Sacred Music. Anyone interested in joining the choir (whatever their level of musical experience) are asked to contact the choir directoress Dawn Boukari @ (401) 465-8909 or email her: daboukari@aol.com

Church News & Organization Activities

Visitations

Please contact Fr. Elie or Salwa Khoury with any names of parishioners that are in need of visitation either at home, in hospital or nursing homes.

CHURCH EMAIL ADDRESS CHANGE

Please use our new email address office@stmarypawtucket.org for all church correspondence.

A Votive Candle is Lit for Good Health and Blessing of:

Paula Hallal offered by her father, Fred Hallal
Alicia Maurice, offered by her parents Glenn & Donna Maurice
Our Sisters in Christ—wishing that our prayers bring you comfort and health, offered by the Ladies Society Parishioners and their Families who are ill—praying for your comfort and health, offered by St. Mary Parish Francine and Julie, offered by Louis Slemom
Amy Saulen, offered by Samy and Helen Morcos
Mark Hashway, offered by Steve & Patricia Kilsey

Prayers Are Being Offered for Good Health and Blessing Of:

Sgt. Thomas Schillawski, offered by Jim and Beth Schillawski
Peter Marcotte, offered by Edward and Lillian Betor
Violette Habib, offered by Emad Amirhom
Essam Amirhom, offered by Emad Amirhom
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Maria Santos, offered by Emad Amirhom
Nora Abdelahad, offered by Charles and Elaine Agaty
Elaine Wilbur, offered by Nora Abdelahad
Mark Hashway, offered by Elaine Wilbur
April Gentes Robert, offered by George & Sandra Matook
Nabil Khoury, offered by Salwa Khoury
Elaine Gauthier, offered by Nabil & Salwa Khoury
Glenn Maurice, offered by Nabil & Salwa Khoury
Bryan, Stephanie, Nicholas, Leila & Emily Chowning, offered by Elaine Gauthier
Granddaughter Amelia Belle, offered by Joe & Marlene Samra
Keith, Marlene and Madelyn Matshall, offered by Joe & Marlene Samra
Steven & Missy Kilsey, offered by Joe & Marlene Samra
Ed & Sue Ayoub, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub
Marc & Lisa A Parent, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub
Andrew & Doris Howard, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub
Marilyn Sullivan & Fannily, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub
Elaine Gauthier, offered by Elaine Swistak
Bryan & Stephanie Chowning, offered by Elaine Swistak
God Bless Amelia Belle Marshall, offered by Uncle Steve & Auntie Pat
Amelia Belle Marshall, offered by Auntie Melissa
God Bless Steven & Missy Kilsey, offered by Mom, Dad & Melissa
**PRAYERS ARE BEING OFFERED IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

Frances Slemon, offered by Louis Slemon  
Stephen Pimental, offered by Lori Pimental  
Atalla Amirhom, offered by Emad Amirhom  
Labiba Nicola Hanna, offered by Magdy Guirguis  
Charles Abdelahad, offered by Charles and Elaine Agaty  
Charles Abdelahad, offered by Nora Abdelahad  
Fred Hashway, offered by Elaine Wilbur  
Abraham George, offered by The George Family  
George Matook, offered by Nabil & Salwa Khoury  
Ronald Gauthier, offered by Nabil & Salwa Khoury  
Ronald Gauthier (2nd Anniversary), offered by Elaine Gauthier  
Christopher Gauthier, offered by Elaine Gauthier  
Normand Lamarre, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub  
Fred Howard, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub  
Sadie Shaleby, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub  
Alice Faysal, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub  
Edward & Adele Maloof, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub  
Paul Maloof, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub  
Nicole Arruda, offered by Ed & Sue Ayoub  
Ronald Gauthier, offered by Nancy Penta & Family  
Christopher Gauthier, offered by Nancy Penta & Family  
John Swistak, offered by Nancy Penta & Family  
Ron Gauthier, offered by Philip and Bette Ayoub  
Chris Gauthier, offered by Philip and Bette Ayoub  
Ron Gauthier, offered by Philip G. Ayoub  
Chris Gauthier, offered by Philip G. Ayoub  
Ronald Gauthier, offered by Elaine Swistak  
Christopher Gauthier, offered by Elaine Swistak  
John Swistak, offered by Elaine Swistak  
George Matook, offered by Marwan Al-Amir & Family

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**To our St. Mary Parish Family,**

We would like to thank everyone for the cards, calls, prayers, & sympathy during George’s illness and falling asleep in the Lord. We appreciate each and every one of you.

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**Love,**  
Connie, Deb, Murat & George

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**St. Mary Ladies Society News**

The Ladies annual Christmas party will be held on Wednesday, December 17th at the Stadium Theatre in Woonsocket, RI. Please join us for dinner & a show. You are sure to love Tony Cerbo’s take on the style of Michael Buble & Harry Conick Jr.—the food will be provided by Riverfalls Restaurant.

Tickets are $46 and need to be paid by November 15th. Please contact Nora Matook to purchase a ticket.

(401) 231-6411

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**Coffee Hour**

The Coffee Hour today is being offered by Ricky & Roula Jreige for the health of their Families. The coffee hour will be held in the Church Hall after Liturgy.

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**Bible Study**

Come join us for Bible study, held every Second Monday at 7pm in the Church Hall. Remember to bring your copy of The Orthodox Study Bible for referencing during the Bible Study session.

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All are welcome to share pictures of events at St. Mary for use on our website. Please email the pictures to pictures@stmarypawteuket.org
Churching

Sunday, November 2nd

Amelia Belle Marshall
daughter of Keith & Marlene Marshall
sister of Madelyn Marshall
of Cumberland RI

Fellowship Bible Study

The Fellowship group, focusing on ages 20-40, at St. Mary is starting up again it’s monthly bible study lead by Fr. Elie. The next bible study is scheduled for Thursday Nov 13th at 8:30 PM. Will be held at the Samra Home (2 Armas Court Cumberland, RI). I hope many of you can make it. Please bring an Orthodox Study bible for the evening. Please let Rebecca or Joe know if you can make it.

French classes are being offered for all levels and all ages. Please contact Sami Saloum at (401) 837-6203 or samisall@hotmail.com for more information.

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St. Mary Parish Center
Saturday- November 15th
$30 pp ~ 8:00pm
Cold Buffet & Cash Bar
Enthronement of His Eminence Metropolitan Joseph

It is with great pleasure that we announce that the events related to the Enthronement of His Eminence Metropolitan Joseph will take place during the weekend of December 5th through 7th, 2014 at St. Nicholas Cathedral in Brooklyn, New York.

The actual enthronement will take place in conjunction with Vespers on Saturday December 6th.

We will be greatly blessed by the presence of His Beatitude Patriarch John X who will preside during this weekend.

St. Mary Church will be renting 2 vans to travel to New York to attend the Enthronement of His Eminence Metropolitan Joseph. We will be leaving on December 6th and returning December 7th. If you are interested, please contact Ed Ayoub or Fr. Elie.

*The cost will be determined based on amount of parishioners attending event.

St. Mary Church School News

Attention All Parents: Please bring your children to the Liturgy before Church School. Church School starts every Sunday following communion (Approx. 11:15am).

- Sunday, November 9th - no class (Bazaar weekend)

**Thank you St. Mary Church School for the wonderful Fall Harvest Party.

**Reminder to families: Each child is asked to bring in donations for the Thanksgiving baskets. These items can be brought down to Sunday School. Items needed are stuffing, cranberry sauce, instant mashed potatoes, peas, corn, fruit cocktail, jello, and soup...etc.

St. Mary Bazaar 2014

The Bazaar Committee has started its preparations for the 2014 Bazaar to be held at the Parish Center November 7th, 8th, 9th. Your generous support and participation are needed to help ensure the success of this annual event for our church and community. Please contact the chair Salwa Khoury for information.

ANGEL RAFFLE

“Only 100 Tickets being sold!”

First Prize: $2,500
Second Prize: $1,500
Third Prize: $1,000

TICKETS STILL AVAILABLE!!!

Drawing will be held at the Bazaar on Friday, November 7th. Thank you for your amazing support!

Please see Sue Ayoub or Salwa Khoury to buy your ticket!

Penny Social

The Penny Social booth is looking for a few more donations. We would appreciate any gift baskets you choose to create – for girls or boys or grilling or gardeners or candle lovers, or Italian chefs, or….whatever! Use your imagination – BE CREATIVE!

Thank you very much,
Peggy Ganim