Sunday, June 17th: Third Sunday after Pentecost
   Outreach Committee ‘Soup Kitchen’ 12:00-12:30pm
   Father’s Day
Saturday, June 23rd: 2018 PLC Day 2 – at Saint John of Damascus in Dedham
Sunday, June 24th: Nativity of John the Baptist
Sunday, July 1st: Cosmas & Damian & 5th Sunday of Matthew
Wednesday, July 4th: Independence Day (church office closed)
Saturday, July 7th: 6:00 P.M.- Arabic Liturgy
Sunday, July 8th: Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
   Family Fun Day (following Liturgy) ~ Masonic Youth Center,
   116 Long Street, Warwick, RI
Tuesday, July 10th: 7:00P.M.– Parish Council Meeting
Saturday, July 14th: 6:15pm- PawSox vs Syracuse game at McCoy Stadium
Sunday, July 15th: Fathers of the 4th Ecumenical Council
   Outreach Committee ‘Soup Kitchen’ 12:00-12:30pm
Sunday, July 22nd: Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, July 29th: Ninth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, August 5th: Tenth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, August 12th: Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, August 19th: Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost with Bishop John presiding
   Feast Day (following Hierarchial Liturgy with Bishop JOHN) ~
   Music & Luncheon at the Parish Center
   Outreach Committee ‘Soup Kitchen’ 12:00-12:30pm
Sunday, August 26th: Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, September 2nd: Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Monday, September 3rd: Labor Day (church office closed)
Sunday, September 9th: Sunday before the Elevation of the Cross
   Start of Church School & Luncheon hosted by The Order of St. Ignatius
Tuesday, September 11th: 7:00P.M.– Parish Council Meeting
Sunday, September 16th: Sunday after the Elevation of the Cross
Sunday, September 23rd: Conception of John the Baptist
Sunday, September 30th: Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, October 7th: Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Monday, October 8th: Columbus Day (church office closed)
We welcome our Visitors & Guests: Please take a moment to fill out a Visitor Card. We invite you to join us for coffee hour at the Parish Center following Liturgy.

Receiving Communion: Only those Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves may approach the chalice for Holy Communion. Everyone is welcome to partake of the Holy Bread after the Liturgy.

Schedule of Services
- Sunday: Orthros (Matins) 9:00 a.m.
- Church School 11:15 a.m.
- Sunday: Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

Enter in Quietness, Rest in Prayer, Worship in Reverence, Depart in Peace to Serve

Father’s Day
Today, St. Mary Church offers prayers of gratitude and thanks to all the Fathers and Grandfathers of our Parish on the occasion of ‘Father’s Day’. May God bless them and guide and protect them along with our Mothers to be the foundation of The Family in Christ.

Coffee Hour
Coffee hour today is sponsored by Matt Kelley & Amani George in memory of their fathers Emile Awad & John Kelley. Coffee hour will be held at the Parish Center following Liturgy.

Thank you
Dear Friends & Family of St. Mary Parish,
I would like to take this time to thank everyone for all the phone calls, cards, visits, gifts & prayers during my recent illness. It is through the power of love & prayer that I am on the road to recovery.
May God bless you all.
~Steve Kilsey

On July 1st Jim and I are hosting a memorial service and luncheon in memory of my father, Charles L. Sakey. He would be celebrating his 100th birthday. My father was a Latin teacher at Boston Latin School for 37 years, and a Professor at Northeastern University (evenings) for just as many years. He loved children. We are asking for a voluntary donation of any baby to toddler needs. It may be a book, a jar of baby food, a bag of diapers, a t-shirt, a pair of booties, etc. These items will be donated to the New Bedford High School where there is a day care center for babies of unwed mothers. The children are between the ages of 3 months to 3 1/2 years old. We hope you will attend the luncheon.
~Jim and Beth Schillawski
On June 17 in the Holy Orthodox Church, we commemorate the Martyrs Isauros, Basil, Innocent, Hermias, Felix and Peregrinos of Athens; and the Martyrs Manuel, Sabel and Ishmael of Persia.

The holy Martyr Isauros, a deacon, and Basil and Innocent were from Athens. In the reign of Numerian (283-284), they came to Apollonia in Illyricum. There, encountering Felix, Peregrinos, and Hermias hidden in a cave, they strengthened them in their faith as they endured persecutions. Betrayed to Tripontius the Proconsul, all but Isauros and Innocent were beheaded. These last two Tripontius gave over to his son, Apollonius, who tortured them, and then had them beheaded. All six men then entered into our Lord’s Heavenly Kingdom.

Manuel, Sabel, and Ishmael, Persians by race and brethren according to the flesh, were sent by the Persian King Alamundar as ambassadors to Julian the Apostate to negotiate a peace treaty. While with him at a place near Chalcedon, they refused to join him in offering sacrifice to his idols. Scorning the immunity universally accorded to ambassadors, Julian had them slain in the year 362. This was a cause of the war with Persia in which Julian perished miserably the following year, much to the joy and ridicule of the entire world.

On this day, we also commemorate Venerable Joseph and Pior, disciples of Anthony the Great; and Martyr Nectan of Hartland. By the intercessions of Thy Saints, O God, have mercy upon us. Amen.

The Lord said, “The eye is the lamp of the body. So, if your eye is sound, your whole body will be full of light; but if your eye is evil, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness! No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon. Therefore, I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you shall eat or what you shall drink; nor about your body, what you shall put on. Is not the soul more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of heaven: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And which of you by being anxious can add one cubit to his stature? And why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin; yet I tell you, even Solomon himself in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will He not much more clothe you, O men of little faith? Therefore, do not be anxious, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’ For the Gentiles seek all these things; and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things shall be yours as well.”
APOLYTIKION OF THE RESURRECTION: Tone 2
When Thou didst submit Thysel thyself unto death, O Thou deathless and immortal One, then Thou didst destroy hell with Thy Godly power. And when Thou didst raise the dead from beneath the earth, all the powers of Heaven did cry aloud unto Thee: O Christ, Thou gaver of life, glory to Thee.

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 intercession 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.

PRAYERS ARE BEING OFFERED FOR GOOD HEALTH AND BLESSING OF:
Kevin Hashway
Mark Hashway
Offered by: Elaine Wilbur
Lisa & Marc Parent
Steve Kilsey
Offered by: Ed & Sue Ayoub
Steven & Patricia Kilsey
Adele Shwaery
Robert Shwaery
Alexander & Jack Silva
Offered by: Fred, Adele & Robert Shwaery
Philip & Bette Ayoub
Ed & Suzanne Ayoub
Offered by: Ray & Leila Trabulsi
Dr. Edward Hallal Jr.
Dr. Joseph & Marlene Samra
Offered by: Lorice Hallal
Newborn Julia Marie
Natalia
Renda & John Ferrari
Offered by: GG & GG1
Elaine Swistak
Offered by: Elaine Agaty
Patricia & Steven Kilsey
Offered by: Charles & Angela Abosamra
Ed & Sue Ayoub
Philip & Bette Ayoub
Offered by: Nabil & Salwa Khoury
Fr. Isaac & Kh. Dolly Crow
Madison Tucker
Taylor, Edgar & Logan Aroche
Offered by: Makram & Louise Megalli
Ray & Leila Trabulsi
Offered by: Philip & Bette Ayoub
Rajaa Audi
Offered by: Joe & Marlene Samra

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:
Fred Hashway Jr.
Offered by: Elaine Wilbur
Evelyn Ayoub
Offered by: Ed & Sue Ayoub
Evelyn Ayoub
Offered by Marc & Lisa Parent
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Evelyn Ayoub
Offered by: Nabil & Salwa Khoury
Joseph & Mary Samra
Mitchell & Nellie Hallal
Edward Hallal Sr.
Offered by: Lorice Hallal
Evelyn Ayoub
Offered by: Ed & Sue Ayoub
Mary Kilsey
Offered by: Audrey & Wayne Kilsey
Mary Kilsey
Offered by: George, Lois, Mary & Christopher Kilsey
Mary Kilsey
Offered by Deborah Kilsey & Victoria Azar

Special Prayers of Good Health & Blessing are being offered for Ed Ayoub in observance of his Birthday and are being offered by his wife Sue & daughter Lisa.