

**SCHEDULE:****Mass**

Sunday – 9:00 a.m.

Celebrant:

Rev. Fr. Kuriakose Vadana

**Communion Service**

Saturday – 4:30 p.m.

**Rosary**

Daily 6:30 p.m.

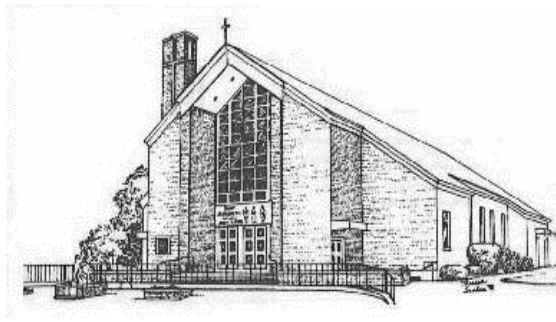
Religious Education:

Mary Beth Carmody

Jackie Lemmerhirt

Music Ministry

Jen Fohlin, Organist

**St. Jeremiah Parish**

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Email: [contact@stjeremiah.org](mailto:contact@stjeremiah.org)Website: [www.stjeremiah.org](http://www.stjeremiah.org)**Jeremiah 29:11**

**"For I know the plans  
I have for you,"  
declares the LORD,  
"plans to prosper you  
and not to harm you,  
plans to give you hope  
and a future."**

Our prayerful  
vigil has been in  
progress for  
**1550** days.

**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 2, 2009**

This Sunday our Mass is at 9am. Father Kuriakose Vadana is our celebrant. He is our vicar and priest in residence at Saint Jeremiah. Fr. Vadana is a priest for the mission of the Syro-Malabar eparchy in Boston.

We hold a communion service on Saturday evening at 4:30 p.m., followed by a pot luck supper. All are welcome! Our nightly Rosary is prayed at 6:30 p.m. Join us any evening. We continue to ask for the intercession of our Blessed Mother to sustain our parish community.

**Religious Education**

August is planning month for our Religious Education program. Stay tuned for updates with our start date. If you haven't registered your family, please do so in order to aid in our planning.

Registration forms for the 2009-2010 are available. Visit our website to get a form or stop into the vigil office or check the website if you have not received a form.

**Appeal**

There will be a Council of Parishes Meeting this Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. at St. James Church, Wellesley. Anyone from our parish is welcome to attend.

There is no news from our appeal at the Vatican. No action is expected until November 2009, at the earliest. Our canon appeal is pending with the full tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura at the Vatican. The Boston cases are not on an upcoming agenda. We will keep you advised if we receive notification of the hearings.

The Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court has denied hearing our appeal after the Appellate Court affirmed the dismissal of St. Jeremiah's civil lawsuit. Although disappointing, it was not unexpected. Our next steps are in planning.

While waiting for more developments, we continue to pray that Cardinal O'Malley fully re-establishes St. Jeremiah as a parish. While we wait, please continue to keep him, as well as our request, in your prayers.

**Parish Outreach**

Thank you for your continued generosity to A Place to Turn. Our friends are struggling to keep their shelves full in these tough economic times during these summer months. All food donations are appreciated. Current critical food needs are **canned beef stew, spaghetti's, peanut butter and jelly, juice, rice and crackers**. As always any other non-perishable items such as shampoo and toothpaste are gratefully accepted. At this time, we will not be accepting clothing.

## **Donations**

At present, we are asking everyone to make any contributions to the St. Jeremiah Survival Fund. The Survival Fund is used to pay the operating expenses for the parish. For example, paying the phone bills and other expenses come from this fund. The Survival Fund is **NOT** a tax-exempt fund. We also welcome donations of time, supplies, flowers for the church and food. Please stop by the church to see a list of current needs. Checks should be made payable to or "St. Jeremiah Survival Fund." Donations may be placed in the offertory collection or dropped off in the vigil office.

## **Vigil**

Our vigil is important to our community. During the summer, many families are away. Consider spending an hour or two at church. You can support our parish and our fellow parishioners who faithfully vigil in our church by giving your time by spending an hour or two during the week. Sign-up sheets for 2 weeks are available at the front of the church. Thank you to all who are making OUR vigil a wonderful community experience.

## **Volunteer Opportunities**

Training will be held for new altar servers. If any students who have made, at least, made their First Communion are interested, please contact us for dates and times.

We welcome volunteers as Altar Servers, Eucharist Ministers, Lectors and Religious Education teachers. Please contact the vigil office if you're interested in joining our ministries.

St. Jeremiah continues to minister the Eucharist to any homebound parishioner. If you, a friend or a neighbor would like to receive the Eucharist at home, please contact us at 508-405-1927. If any parishioner is in need of transportation to the Rosary or to Mass, please contact us at 508-405- 1927 to arrange for transportation.

## **Please remember in your Prayers**

**Serving in the Military:** Joshua Noble, Michael Faria, Jonathan Kalnicki, John Rocco, Remy Gassel, Billy Craig

**Special Intentions:** Baby Rosemary, Richard Acerra, Patricia Ahearn, Maureen Arias, Ricky Arias, Gerry Arndt, Patricia Aquino, Connie Babineau, Greg Badolato, Mary Baer, Stephen Baer, Alan Bambery, Susan Bamvakis, Brian Beck, Katelin Bennett, Joanna Berry, Misha Bianchi, Karen Bonfatti, Dick Bonvini, Doris Bowman, George Botelho, Kevin Bradley, Frannie Brady, Jack Brickley, Toni Burill, Isabelle Sofia Cagney, Andrew Cahill, Anna Caira, Lindsey Camuso, Mimi Carlevari, Katie Beth Carmody, Ann Carney, Pam Cavanaugh, Matt Cherry, Jean Coston, Matt Cherry, Liam Clinton, David Collamore, Kimberly Anne Cook, Jean Coston, James Creamer, Ann Crete, Keith DeAngelo, Jo-Anne Dacosta, Rose Danese, Arthur Davis, Fran Dangelo, Louise Desrosiers, Jane DeSimone, Bridie Devlin, Gregory Devlin, DeeDee Dexter, Denise Dolan, Christine Doucette, Dorothy Eklund, Maureen Farraher, Martin Finnerty, Ken Frisco, DJ Fusoni, Rita Gentillotti, Margaret Gerace, Ann Giansanti, Greg Gilbert, Robert Gottberg, Justin Graceffa, Shannon Grenham, Joanne Grey, Sara Grillo, Kim Guzzlissi, Taylor Haley, Charles Hanson, Elizabeth Joy Harms, Dan Harrington, Kathy Hart, Nicholas Haseotes, Pamela Horne, Conrad Imhof, Mary Imhof, Joanie, Eugene Johnson, Carlee Joncas, Irene Jones, Krista Kalajians, Jeannie Martin Kalinowski, Brian Kalnicki, Ryan Patrick Kelley, Nancy Kerney, Evelyn King, Ken Knapp Jr., Julia Knowles, David Langill, Stacia Langevin, Scott Leach, Randy LeBlanc, Lucy Limone, Richard Limone, David Lively, Betty Logue, Gracile Lord, Tom Lord, Rob Lupien, Kathy Mahan, Glenn Mallay, Alanna Mario, Kevin Marshall, Karen Martignetti, Dennis Marzakis, Mary, Marie, Jeannie Martin, Rita McCann, Dick McDonald, Peg McDonald, Nadine McGrath, Derek McLean, Fr. Tom Mele, Dorothy Melton, Ken Moore, Richard Morelli, Bonnie Morse, Lee Murphy, Caroline Napolitano, Joan Nelson, Bill Nelson, Jennifer Neslusan, Debbie O'Connell, Robert O'Donnell, Dianne Olszewski, Ann Marie Pasacane, Debbie Pena, Clara Petrosino, Ruth Piers, Ruby Premo, Carly Remick, Msgr. Roche, Eileen Russell, Sharlene Russo, Maria Rynn, Sarah, Geri Sargent, Tania Saunders, TJ Semonelli, Shiwei, Sam Shoenheit, Jerri Slamin, Betty Sleczkowski, RJ Southerland, Robin Spurgeon, Pete Sullivan, Dean Sutherland, Kerry Szyszk, Laura Tabol, Stan Tabol, Theresa Tarantino, Bob Testa, Jason Testa, Sylvia Timoney, Debbie Troy, Carrie Weaver, Joan Weaver, Elaine Webber, David Wells, Kathy White, Marion White, Jillian Yang, Doris Zontini.

**Deceased:** Charles Leach, Irene Martell, Kathy McGrail, Bill Mensalage