

St. Joseph Parish ~ Malden, MA

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WE are a Eucharistic Faith Community on an unending Journey of **LOVE, COMPASSION** and **EMPOWERMENT** as witnesses to Jesus in our world.

Rectory (781) 324-0402
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Masses

Saturday 4:00 P.M.
Sunday 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 A.M.
Weekdays 9:00 A.M.
Holy Days 4:00 P.M. (vigil)
9:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M.

Reconciliation

Saturday - 3:00 – 3:45 P.M. or
by appointment in the rectory

BAPTISMS - 1:00 P.M. on the 3rd Sunday of each month. An interview with both parents is required prior to any arrangements for Baptism. Call the rectory for appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY - Please call the rectory to make arrangements at least six months in advance.

ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL - Thursday evening at 7:00 PM. All new members welcome.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Doreen Anzalone 617-538-2829
Jaime Cochran (Teen Rep)
Gail Dorazio 339-224-0434
Kathy Harless 781-526-2117
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Buffy Walsh 781-424-5316

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Notice must be in rectory by Monday at 9:00 A.M. before publication.

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

Please introduce yourselves to one of the Priests after Mass or at the rectory. We want to know you and serve you, we welcome and invite you to become an active member of St. Joseph's Parish Community.

Friend us on Facebook at "Malden St Joseph" to stay up to date on Parish events and news."





Celebrating Confirmation

On Tuesday, April 26^t, Bishop Mark O'Connell conferred the Sacrament of Confirmation on the following members of our community:

Jamal Aurelus, Nicholas Bjork, Kian Frazier, Jose Gonzalez, Malaica Guillaume, Malica Guillaume, Dewayne Henry, Sarah Henry, Thora Henry, Jayden Jose, John Kurdzionak, Gabriella Lajoie, Kayla McAuliffe, John Mimy, Breana Nansamba, Elisabeth Rodriguez, Janine Soares, Julia Swanson, Emerson Tully, Preston Tully, Kristen Vu and Marissa Willard.

Congratulations to these young men and women who have faithfully and diligently prepared for their reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation. May the faith in which you have committed yourselves continue to grow and be the basis of peace and joy in your lives.

April Baptisms at St. Joseph Parish

Congratulations to the parents, godparents and loved ones of the infants baptized into the faith of the Christian community. The commitment to pass on our faith to these children is truly the greatest gift you will ever share with them. May the newly baptized children have a life full of Jesus as their own:

Isiah Rene Casimir, Ryan Destin, James Angelo Micheli, Serafina Rose Micheli and Sadie Tea Woodman

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

To support married couples during this time of social distancing, Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring virtual marriage experiences. Some are on weekends and there are seven sessions on weekdays from 7:00pm to 9:30pm. We also have some in-person experiences for those interested. Couples will explore their individual personality styles, improve listening and communication skills, understand God's plan for their marriage and learn how to keep their relationship a priority. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Joe & Ginny Vatable at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>. Rejoice! Jesus has risen. May you experience new life in your marriage.

ANNUAL PARISH BABY SHOWER

Court Maplewood C.D.A. will be sponsoring its annual parish-wide Baby Shower from Sunday, May 1st to Sunday, May 29th. All donations of NEW and unwrapped infant clothing to size 5 and baby items will be donated to "Know Your Options" in Revere. Your donations will help young mothers through the most difficult times in their lives. With medical and moral support for each of them and their babies, free of charge, young women finding themselves pregnant and alone, will learn the real meaning of Christian love.

"Know Your Options" has been the recipient of donations from members of the St. Joseph Parish community for over fifteen years. The leaders of the association have referred to St. Joseph Parish as a "God-send" because of our continued support.

Please leave all donations in the box in the church foyer. Please call Janet @ 781-312-5346 for any further needed information. THANK YOU for your generosity!

Filipino Apostolate Mass

The Filipino Apostolate Malden Chapter celebrates Mass in this Parish every second Sunday of the month at 1:00 PM.

On-line Giving

Our online giving program is now up and running. For those who have already started using the program or who will do so in the future, there are slips available at the doors of the church which may be placed in your regular church envelopes or, for those who do not use parish envelopes, be placed in another envelope or simply be dropped in the basket as is. If you are not using parish envelopes, I ask that you write your name and the amount of the online donation on the back of the slip. To sign up visit stjosephparishmalden.com. I thank you for your support and commitment to the parish.





Religious Education Registration

Registration for 2022-2023 will begin on April 1st and will close on June 30th, for all who wish to participate for the upcoming year.

Our program consists of grades 1st through 10th. All participants must register by June 30th.

Tuition for one child is \$100, for 2 children \$115 and for 3 or more \$125. The First Holy Communion fee is \$30 and the Confirmation fee is \$50. There is space available for anyone needing a payment plan. If a family registers a child/children and then moves out of the parish before the beginning of classes, a full refund will be made.

All families who now participate in the program will be able to print a registration form off the parish website starting April 1st. Families who have not had children in the program may call the Religious Education Office at 781-324-2444 or print and mail a new student registration form. For those who wish to communicate to the office by email, the address is:

stjosephs3@comcast.net.



2022 CATHOLIC APPEAL

Faith in Action, It All Starts With You

I am pleased to share that our parish has raised \$27,240.00 –toward our 2022 Catholic Appeal goal of \$31,846.00 (86% of our goal). We have reached 296% of our donor goal. The goal was 45 initial donors. Currently 131 individual donations/pledges have been received.

My heartfelt thanks go to all who have helped make our campaign a success so far. If you have not had the opportunity to support the Appeal yet, I invite you to prayerfully consider making a gift today to help us reach our goal. You may pick up an envelope in a pew or make an on-line donation at www.bostoncatholicappeal.org.

Participation from every household in the parish, where finances allow, is important; and every gift makes a meaningful difference in putting faith into action to support the parishes, schools and communities within the Archdiocese of Boston. THANK YOU!

Fr. Bill



SYNOD OF SYNODALITY

Over the next several years, the Church around the world will be participating in a process called the Synod of Synodality. Pope Francis will be meeting with Bishops from across the Globe in 2023 to discuss ways of improving the process by which the church on all levels is open to hearing the voices of people from all walks of life. That process will begin here in Boston now with asking as many people as possible to take a simple survey. The link to the survey can be found at <https://forms.office.com/r/aPadVsPFt9>.

There will be further events and important dates published in upcoming bulletins. Please participate! Thank You, Fr. Bill

Parish Support APRIL 23 & 24

OFFERTORY	\$4,158.71
CHECKS	\$2,334.00
ENVELOPES	71
LOOSE	\$
GRAND ANNUAL	\$ 225.00
MONTHLY	\$ 345.00
EASTER	\$ 195.00



St. John the Baptist Organ Society
Presents

Spring Delights

with guest organist, Terrie Harman, AAGO
playing our historic
Hook & Hastings Organ, Opus 937 (1879)

Sunday, May 8, 2022 at 2:00 PM
St. John the Baptist Church
Peabody, MA

A reception will follow the concert.
Free will offering appreciated.
Handicap accessible.

MAY 1, 2022

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, APRIL 30

4:00 P.M. Eleanor & Elmer McLeod

SUNDAY, MAY 1

7:30 A.M. For the People

**9:00 A.M. Alicia & Miguel Bonet
& Stephen Munafo**

10:30 A.M. Pat & Lena Martone

MONDAY, MAY 2

**9:00 A.M. Horace Cetoute Denis &
Rosette Rene Denis
(Living- For Health)**

TUESDAY, MAY 3

9:00 A.M. Laura Hickey

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4

**9:00 A.M. Jesula Denis-Fortune,
Lakeisha Maurose &
Domenick Maurose (Living)**

THURSDAY, MAY 5

9:00 A.M. Pedro Cabornay

FRIDAY, MAY 6

9:00 A.M. Janice Zambello

SATURDAY, MAY 7

9:00 A.M. Marilyn Bratton (32nd Anniversary)

4:00 P.M. The Ciuilla & D'Arco Families

SUNDAY, MAY 8

7:30 A.M. For the People

9:00 A.M. Mary & Cassie Clapp

10:30 A.M. Paul Troy

In your charity please remember in your prayers all of our ill and discouraged deceased relatives, friends and benefactors, especially Edward Bratton whose funeral was celebrated here this past week.

Readings for MAY 1, 2022

1st Readings—Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41

2nd Reading—Revelation 5:11-14

Gospel – John 21:1-19

Our bulletins are also loaded on line each week, on our parish website Stjosephparishmaiden.com or for current and back issues go to:
<https://www.parishesonline.com/find/st-joseph-church-02148>

MAY 1, 2022



In Support of Our Military Personnel

Please remember in your prayers our sisters and brothers in the military who are the ultimate safeguards of our freedom and way of life. Prayers have been requested for the following:

Col. Vincent Amerena, U.S. Army
PO1 Josh Beemer, U.S. Navy
SFC . Stephanie Blazo, U.S. Army
CPO Robert G. Bruce, U.S. Navy
1st Lt. Matthew J. Campbell, U.S. Army
SPC Joseph DiLeo, U.S. Army
PFC Nicolas Dileo. U.S. Army
PFC Thomas M. Donahue, U.S. Army
Airman Joshua Dube, U.S.A.F.
LCPL Travis Gagnon, U.S.M.C.
Pvt. Christina Maria Manley, U.S.M.C.
ME3 Nicholas Martorana, U.S.C.G.
Capt. Brian Molloy, U.S. Army
Patrick William Mullis, U.S.C.G.
Sgt. Galvin J. Murphy, U.S.M.C.
SSgt Benjamin Pierce, U.S.A.F.
HN3 Justin Pierce, U.S. Navy
Sgt.. Steven P. Wardynski, U.S. Army
Sgt. Vincent M. Wardynski, U.S. Army
Pvt. Joshua White, U.S. Army



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BY DONATING
TO OUR ST. VINCENT dePAUL BOXES**

BINGO

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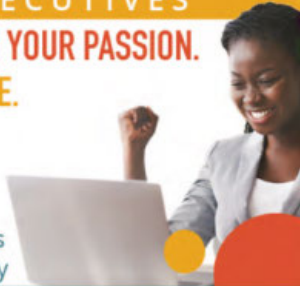
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