



2nd Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to her, "Woman,
how does your concern affect
me? My hour has not yet
come." - Jn 2:4

**The Collaborative of
St. Albert the Great & St. Francis Xavier**

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Mass Schedule

St. Albert the Great, 1140 Washington Street, Weymouth ~ Sunday 11:00 am

St. Francis Xavier, 234 Pleasant Street, Weymouth ~ Saturday 4:00 pm, Sunday 7:30 am & 9:30 am

Daily Masses

Monday 9:00 am St. Albert, Tuesday - Friday 9:00 am St. Francis, Saturday 8:15 am St. Albert

Reconciliation

8:45 am - 9:15 am Saturday - St. Albert the Great, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm, Saturday - St. Francis Xavier

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 15, 2022

8:15 am Timothy M. MacLean
4:00 pm Susan Doyle-Webb ~ 7th Anniversary & Elizabeth King

Sunday, January 16, 2022

7:30 am (SFX) People of St. Albert the Great & St. Francis Xavier
9:30 am (SFX) Cooper Matthew Richards 5th Anniversary
11:00 am (SAG) Joseph Bognanno ~25th Anniversary

Monday, January 17, 2022 (SAG)

9:00 am Barbara McGovern

Tuesday, January 18, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am Wally Currier

Wednesday, January 19, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am William Murphy ~ 19th Anniversary

Thursday, January 20, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am Claire Stanley

Friday, January 21, 2022(SFX)

9:00am Mary Baker

Saturday, January 22, 2022

8:15 am
4:00 pm Claire, Eleanor & Carl Molisse

Sunday, January 23, 2022

7:30 am (SFX) People of St. Albert the Great & St. Francis Xavier
9:30 am (SFX) Thomas E Tanner Sr. 1st Anniversary
11:00 am (SAG) Alexander Allen ~ Birthday Memorial

Please pray for: Nicholas Watts, Glenn M., George Moussa, John Tangherlini, Robbie G., KJL, Mary G., Jean Elizabeth Conley, John Patrick Conley, Margaret Torio, Ian T. Crowley, Morton Berlan, Tommy Letsche, Paulina, Nancy L., Gerry W., Kevin K., Ruth Thiessen, Kristen, Mary Duseau, Paul Duseau, Audie, Marilyn D., John Barchey, Diane Sinclair, Baby Ava, Annie Murphy, Richard Dubois, Beth & Zoe Bodine, Deborah Konding, Teresa Donnelly, Paul Meehan, Linda & Jim Gavin, Kevin M. Kelley, Beverly Giuffre, Elinor Healy, Robert Russo, Stephen Cheremka, David B., Sarah Johnson, David S., Margaret, Marie Ortiz, Maureen, Michael Nash, Jonathan W., Gill Dolan, Karen S., Dong Vu, Ruth S., Chuck D., Michael D., George W., Frank Younie, Erin LM, Nancy Pitts, Nancy, Jeanne R., Barbara S., Allison B., Steve, Liz, Ellie, Jill, Mandi Hilton, Christine Lomuscio, Deb M., David Townson, Michael Salvaggio, Marion, Conor, Carmella Parnero, Tom Spooner, Carl Moriarty, Paul, Helen Dignin, Jody O'Brien, Sandy C. Billy D. and Dan Halpenny, Teresa Beaudoin, Bob Brinkman, Ruthie Linehan



A Message Regarding Masks

A reminder that Cardinal Seán is mandating that throughout the archdiocese all people attending public Masses, including weddings and funerals, wear masks. The mandate has been extended through March 3rd. Your health and safety is of the utmost importance to us.



January is an exciting month at St. Francis Xavier School as we will be celebrating National Catholic Schools Week from January 30th - February 5th

It's a time when we recognize the importance of Catholic education to our church and to our world. There will be events and activities for students and families. During Catholic Schools Week, the school will also be holding its annual Day of Giving.

Once again, this year, this will be the only fundraising opportunity, and we will be asking parishioners to support the school's efforts. We will share further information later in the month.



The Sanctuary Candle was lovingly donated in memory of Brian Connolly.

The Collaborative Parish Center Office will be closed on Monday, January 17th in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.





God delights in you. How do you feel when you hear that? Delight usually comes with an exuberant flow of joy that seemingly arises from one's toes with the expression of great glee. Reflecting upon the deep measure of joy God has in us can be a source of joy for ourselves. Delight is infectious. A very young brother and sister were playing on the beach when the all too familiar ice cream truck made its daily rounds. The boy shook with excitement and delight as he took his sister's hand and exclaimed, "The ice cream man is here, isn't it great!" As they ran off toward the truck, one could hear the girl reply, "Yeah, I can't wait!" The experience of a child's delight in something so simple as ice cream, lifts our spirits from our burdens and transports us to the lighter, more innocent side of life.

Life is not meant to be a burden. Believe it or not, God actually wants us to be happy! In fact, the wedding feast at Cana shows us that God even puts His blessing on our happiness. It is okay to celebrate the wonder of ourselves and others. Life is good. It is always interesting to note that Jesus saves the good wine until last. You would think it would be the other way around. The superb quality of Jesus' wine points to the superior quality of life we find in Christ. It is not a life of burdens but a life of wonder and delight! In Christ, we are lifted from the superficial and mundane to a life of purpose, hope, and love.

God is with us through the long haul, through the challenges and sorrows as well as the successes and accomplishments. In spite of the fact that we often wander from the path, God's celebratory delight in us remains. As spouses are asked to remain faithful to each other through whatever life brings, God remains faithful too. This promise remains through this life and into the next. All we have to do is take the advice of Jesus' mother to heart when she says, "Listen to him." This wisdom saves us from foolishly giving in to the illusion that we can make better wine than Jesus.



To support married couples during this time of social distancing, Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring virtual marriage experiences. Some are on weekends and are seven sessions on weekdays from 7:00pm to 9:30pm. 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 Vatele at 800-710-9963 or visit them at www.wwmema.org

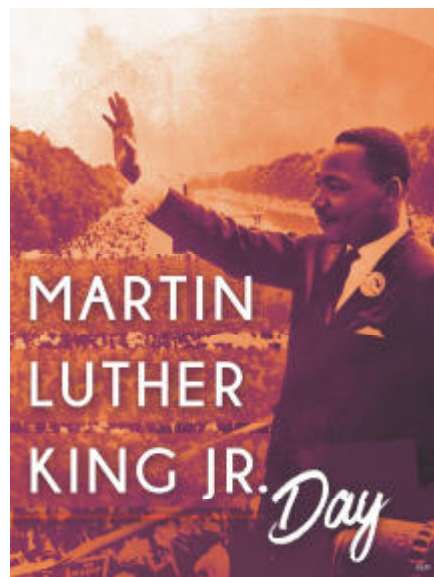
Allow God to strengthen, renew, rekindle and even transform your marriage sacrament.

Take time for your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience.

A reminder that school cancellation in Weymouth determines cancellation of our weekly Masses. In the case of inclement weather during the weekend, we will post an update to the Mass schedule on our website: sagsfx.org.



*"Darkness cannot drive out darkness,
only light can do that.
Hate cannot drive out hate,
only love can do that."*



It's that time of year again.



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