



2nd SUNDAY OF LENT

While he was still speaking, a cloud came and cast a shadow over them, and they became frightened when they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him." - Lk 9:34-35

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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, March 12, 2022

8:15 am (SAG) Anthony Kirby

4:00 pm (SFX) Patricia Keefe

Sunday, March 13, 2022

7:30 am (SFX) Marie Connolly ~14th Anniversary

9:30 am (SFX) Leo Daley ~1st Anniversary

11:00 am (SAG) Joseph John "JJ" Frisoli
5th Anniversary

Monday, March 14, 2022 (SAG)

9:00 am Kelli A Meade

Tuesday, March 15, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am Colette & John Cotter

Wednesday, March 16, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am Robert Chandler

Thursday, March 17, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am Eugene & Bianca Milani

Friday, March 18, 2022 (SFX)

9:00am Kenneth Botana

Saturday, March 19, 2022

8:15 am (SAG) Tommy Kussy

4:00 pm (SFX) John McGrath, Mary McGrath
& Mary McGrath Poor

Sunday, March 20, 2022

7:30 am (SFX) People of St. Albert the Great
& St. Francis Xavier

9:30 am (SFX) Dianne Marie Vaughn
10th Anniversary

11:00 am (SAG) Joseph Cellucci

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, Julie, 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, Jackie, Cliff Maloney, Russell, and Pam.



Holy Week Schedule

*St. Albert the Great and St. Francis Xavier – Weymouth
The Triduum-2022*

Holy Thursday ~ April 14, 2022– 7:00 p.m. - At the parish church of St. Francis Xavier, the Catholic community of Saint Albert the Great and Saint Francis Xavier will gather around one table to celebrate the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday ~ April 15, 2022

St. Francis Xavier - 3:00 p.m. ~ Stations of the Cross

St. Albert the Great - 7:00 p.m.

*Solemn Proclamation of The Lord's Passion,
Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion*

Holy Saturday ~ April 16, 2022

St. Francis Xavier– 7:30 p.m.

The Solemn Vigil of Easter

Easter Sunday ~ April 17, 2022

St. Francis Xavier

*Easter Mass at 7:30 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.**

St. Albert the Great

Easter Sunday April 17, 2022

Easter Mass at 11 a.m.

** Note time change.*

The Collaborative Choir Is Back!

Come share your talent and love of singing by joining our Collaborative Choir. Rehearsals will be held on Saturdays at 2:00pm in St. Albert the Great Church beginning on Saturday March 5. The choir will be singing at the 11:00am Sunday Mass at St. Albert the Great, as well as on holidays. For more information, please contact Beth at 508-364-7125 or bstaff1@gmail.com.

March 13, 2022 - Second Sunday of Lent - Gospel Meditation



There is so much wisdom in the first commandment. The daily demands of life, current political ideologies and dynamics, social expectations, corporate philosophies, and even technology can easily become lesser gods. We can find ourselves beholden to and held captive by these secular constructs and systems. Even for those who profess a faith in the one true God, these lesser, attractive but false gods are a temptation. Being overly preoccupied and even obsessed with the state of our present lives, we lose sight of our real destiny and purpose.

Jesus showed his disciples a glimpse of this destiny when he was transfigured before their eyes. In fact, Peter was so caught up in the brilliance, awe, and sacredness of these fleeting moments that he wanted to extend them as long as possible. Wonderful things happen when we leave our illusions and discover something that is true. This is why creating some sacred space in our lives for reflection, prayer, renewal, refreshment, centering ourselves, and disconnecting from the noise is so important. It shows us how false and shallow our lives can be and what is really of importance. Do you create some kind of sacred space in your life? Lent is a perfect time to do so.

St. Irenaeus, one of the early fathers and martyrs of the Catholic Church, said that, "he who was the Son of God became the Son of Man that man ... might become the son of God." We mistakenly believe that life is all about us. It's not. Ours is a journey of transformation in which we become more and more one with the mind of Christ and Christ himself. St. Augustine saw this same transformation occurring when the Eucharist is received. In receiving the Eucharist, we become what we eat, the Body of Christ. Honestly acknowledging false gods that we cling to can open the door for God to show us the wholeness and holiness to which we are called. Take time to discover the sacred. When we do, we will want to stay there for a while. Then, when we return to our personal affairs, we will see more clearly.

Fr. Bill's & Mainspring Ministry



The Collaborative of St. Albert the Great & St. Francis Xavier will be starting a bagged lunch ministry for Fr. Bill's & Mainspring. The first date to assemble lunches is Sunday, March 13th. Donations will be accepted in

the kitchen in McShea Auditorium at St. Francis Xavier between 10:30am and 12:30pm on the 13th.

Items that are needed are granola bars, individual chip bags, packaged cookies, 8-oz. bottles of water, cold cuts and cheese.

Any questions can be directed to Stephanie Dwyer at 781-413-4787 or email Feffie@comcast.net. Thank you in advance for your support of this ministry.

Stations of the Cross

Please join us for the Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings throughout the season of Lent. St. Albert the Great Church 7:30pm, and St. Francis Xavier Church Fridays at 4:00pm.

We invite you to 'walk' with us as we make our spiritual pilgrimage through the stages of the Passion of Christ.



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Knights of Columbus Food Drive

A Food Drive for the Weymouth Food Pantry will be held Saturday, April 2nd in the Parking Lot of the Immaculate Conception Church, Broad Street side. This is sponsored by K of C Councils 5027 and 739 of Weymouth. We hope you'll support our neighbors during Lent.





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