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St. Ann's Church

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PASTORAL STAFF

Administrator	Fr. Neil Wack, C.S.C.
Deacons	Deacon Joseph McGinley
Parish Office Manager	
Faith Formation Coordinator	
Music Director	

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 PM Sunday - 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 AM and 5:00 PM (Memorial Day to Labor Day, Sunday - 8:00, 10:00 AM and 5:00 PM) Weekdays - Mon - Fri 7:30 AM; Sat 8:00 AM Holy Day Masses - 7:30 AM, 12:15 PM, and 7:00 PM

First Friday Adoration 8:00 AM to 9:00 PM, closing with Benediction; First Saturday Rosary 8:30 AM Daily Rosary 8:00 AM; Divine Mercy Chaplet Friday 3:00 PM

CONFESSIONS: Saturday - 3:00 to 3:45. Also available other times by appointment. **BAPTISMS:** First three Sundays of the month at 12:30 by appointment. **MARRIAGE:** Arranged at least six months in advance at the Rectory. **SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:** Please notify us if anyone is ill in the hospital or at home and if anyone is unable to get to church because of illness, handicap or age.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

St. Vincent De Paul Society	<i>President, Bev Vargas</i> 508-884-6538
Altar Servers' Schedule	Parish Secretary
Lectors & Lay Ministers of the Eucharist Schedule	Parish Secretary
St. Ann Prayer Group	
St. Ann's Sociable Seniors	President, Marianne Miller 508-823-1765
Knights of Columbus	Grand Knight, Chris Buckley918-406-6199
Lectors & Lay Ministers of the Eucharist Schedule St. Ann Prayer Group St. Ann's Sociable Seniors	Parish Secretary 508-823-9833 President, Marianne Miller 508-823-1765

NEW PARISHIONERS are cordially invited to register as members of our parish family. Please see a priest after Mass.

DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN COPY - Monday at noon (copy should be written or typewritten). ST. ANN'S WEBSITE: www.stannsraynham.org EMAIL: office@stannsraynham.org

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Kindly remember in your prayers those who have died, especially Evelyn Correia, Rene "Chip" Houle, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.



For the month of May the Sanctuary candle burns in memory of

Sean & Maureen McGlynn



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

On Saturday, May 13th, 19 of our second graders received their First Communion:

Nathan Bellas, Summer Bordieri, Emilee Carney, Fiona Cantrell, Thomas Cunio, Alexander Gavalas, Kai Khnaizir, Kallie Khnaizir, Ryan Konopacki, Julia LeClerc, Sophia McLaren, Emma Moynihan, Kevin Pacheco, Jack Pleva, Hadley Scimonelli, Alexander Serode, Mackenzie Spring, Kayee VanSchalkwyk and Sebastian Zavier.

We congratulate them and their families, and we continue to pray for the students who will receive their First Holy Communion this weekend.

PARISH NECROLOGY

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A parish necrology is a listing of the anniversaries \checkmark of those parish members who have gone before us – so we ask that you keep these folks in your prayers, particularly on the anniversary of their death.

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May 21	James McKeon	1978
	Michael J. Connors	1983
May 22	Alfred F. Sposini	1996
	James F. Powers	2001
	Mary Medeiros	2005
	Richard D. Gavin	2016
May 23	Dorothy I. Champagne	1994
	Richard R. Burt	2021
May 25	John Paul Bennett	1979
-	Floyd J. Kelly	1982
	Maurice Lagace	1982
	Audrey A. Burt	2012
	Christopher Hayward	2015
May 26	M. Elizabeth Brennan	1984
	Lea Fernandes	2012
May 27	Robert Neas	1972
	Kenneth F. Robison, Sr.	2005
	Albert Lounsbury	2006
	Theresa A. Carucci	2009
	Alice McCarthy	2012
	Christina Bonanno	2014
	Sandra G. Thetonia	2022

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please remember in your prayers, all who are facing illness at this time: Denise Cabral-Bumpus, Stephen Carroll, Karen Cavanagh, Kevin Ellis, Shirley Ellis, Karen Howard, Paul Kane, Pat Keefe, Margery Maher, James McGann, Thomas O'Sullivan, Regan Piotti, Helen Smith, Thomas M. Timko, and those whose names are listed in the book of prayers for the sick.

"BABY SHOWER" FOR BIRTHRIGHT

The St. Ann's Knights of Columbus is conducting a baby shower during **the month of May** to assist Birthright of Greater Taunton. Please bring any donations with you to Mass during May and leave them in the boxes that will be at each entrance to the Church.

Items needed include: New baby clothes (0-18 months), blankets, sheets. plastic baby bottles, diapers, baby wipes, baby powder, new and updated maternity clothing, and gift cards to local grocery stores. A financial donation may be made to "Birthright of Greater Taunton".

Thank you for your generosity!



2023 CATHOLIC APPEAL "Do This in Memory of Me"

The 82nd Catholic Appeal continues. Please join with your fellow parishioners in helping those in need in our communities, and show love through your generosity. The agencies and apostolates supported by the Appeal provide encouragement to those who are deepening their faith journeys, and those who endeavor for a better tomorrow. The Appeal sustains life-affirming services such as marriage preparation and enrichment, citizenship preparation, bereavement support, and community action for better housing. Make your secure gift or pledge online today at www.GiveFRDiocese.org.

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SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

Please note, beginning next weekend, Memorial Day Weekend (May 27-28), we will start our summer Mass schedule. Our weekend Masses will be offered at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, and then Sunday morning at 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m., and at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday afternoon. Our summer Mass schedule will continue through Labor Day weekend.

MASS INTENTIONS

St. Ann's offers weekday Mass intentions, Monday through Friday at 7:30 a.m., or Saturday at 8:00 a.m. The suggested donation is \$10. Sunday intentions are available for all the Mass times. The suggested donation is \$20. If you would like to have the Sanctuary Candle burn for a month in memory of a loved one, the suggested donation is \$50. For more information or to schedule a Mass intention, please call the parish office at (508) 823-9833.

ST. ANN'S VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to all our parishioners at St. Ann's who volunteer in any and all of our organizations and sponsored events. As most of you know, to volunteer you must complete the Diocese of Fall River required Online Safe Environment training (every 6 years) and complete a CORI background check (yearly). If you are unsure if you have met these requirements, or you know you need to fulfill these steps, please contact the parish office at (508) 823-9833. Even if you do not work directly with children and youth, this training will help raise awareness in the safety and well-being of the young people in our lives.

WELCOME HOME COLLEGIANS

We want to extend a warm welcome home to our collegians that have completed their studies for the year. We look forward to their presence among us. To those who graduated, we extend our heartiest congratulations, and wish them the best for the future.

LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, AND ALTAR SERVERS

Consult your calendars and let us know when you are not available for the months of July & August. Please email us at office@stannsraynham.org, or drop a note in the mail or collection basket <u>by Monday,</u> June 12th so the new schedules may be drafted.

LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

All Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers <u>MUST</u> be CORI compliant in order to serve at St. Ann's. If you have not completed this process, you will not be added to the new schedule. Please call the parish office at (508) 823-9833 if you need any additional information.



GARDEN LOVERS

We need your help! Please consider volunteering 1-2 hours a month during the summer to help keep the church flower beds looking their best. If you are interested in helping, please email Carol Czarn at jccz32@outlook.com or call (774) 991-0701, or email Joanne Reynolds at callalily9@comcast.net or call (508) 880-8955. Thank you!!!

EMMAUS RETREAT

The next Emmaus Retreat will take place on June 23rd to June 25th at La Salette Retreat House, 947 Park St. in Attleboro. Emmaus is a retreat for men and women (ages 20+) who seek to grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ, regardless of their present level of faith or practice. We want to invite you to join us on our next Emmaus weekend. You will be welcomed by a loving community, spend time in personal and communal prayer, and celebrate the sacraments. For more information or to apply online, email us at emmausretreats@gmail.com or visit our website: www.emmausretreats.com.

37th LAKESIDE FAMILY FESTIVAL Friday, May 26th to Monday, May 29th

St. John Neumann Church, Camp Cathedral, Rt. 18 -157 Middleboro Rd., E. Freetown. <u>Free Admission</u>. Huge Barn Sale, Midway Rides, Classic Car Show (Sunday), Live Entertainment, Food, Games, Raffles. Go to <u>http://sjnfreetown.org/lakeside-family-festival</u> for more information.



