

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

The Partnership Schools of Sacred Heart & St. Francis Xavier

Headmaster ~ Robert Murphy • Vice-Principal ~ Shannon Mazza

Sacred Heart School ~ PreK3 - Grade 4 & St. Francis Xavier School ~ Grades 5 - 8

SH: 75 Commercial Street • 781-335-6010 • www.sacredheartschoolweymouth.org

SFX: 234 Pleasant Street • 781-335-6868 • www.sfxschoolwey.org

Family Faith Formation ~ email sfxfamilyfaith@gmail.com ~ phone 781-331-6264



Saturday, January 29, 2022

8:15 am Katherine Mary Danehy
4:00 pm Katharine Gagnon ~ Anniversary

Sunday, January 30, 2022

7:30 am (SFX) Matthew Steuterman
19th Anniversary
9:30 am (SFX) People of St. Albert the Great
& St. Francis Xavier
11:00 am (SAG) Francis & Margaret Desmond,
Jennifer Desmond & Helen Bulger

Monday, January 31, 2022 (SAG)

9:00 am William J Keenan ~ 50th Anniversary

Tuesday, February 1, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am Helen McDonagh ~ Healing

Wednesday, February 2, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am Patrick Mulroy

Thursday, February 3, 2022 (SFX)

9:00 am Theodore Gardiner

Friday, February 4, 2022(SFX)

9:00am Ronald Beaudry ~ 9th Anniversary

Saturday, February 5, 2022

8:15 am (SAG) Jane Whittaker
4:00 pm (SAG) Kathleen Cicchese-Anniversary

Sunday, February 6, 2022

7:30 am (SFX) People of St. Albert the Great
& St. Francis Xavier
9:30 am (SFX) People of St. Albert the Great
& St. Francis Xavier
11:00 am (SAG) Mary MacKinnon
10th Anniversary

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, Jackie, Cliff Maloney

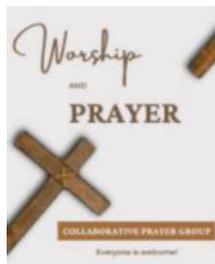


**St. Francis Xavier School
Day of Giving**

**Tuesday, February 1– Wednesday, February 2
Noon until Noon**

As part of National Catholic Schools Week, the school will also be holding its annual Day of Giving. This is an especially important fundraising initiative for St. Francis Xavier School because, due to the restrictions on gatherings, this is the only major fundraiser planned. We hope that you will consider donating, and will ask other family members and close friends to donate!

This year, the school will be raising funds for technology to enhance student learning. Once again, this will be the only major fundraising opportunity, and we will be asking parishioners to support the school's efforts. Please watch for an email reminder on Tuesday.



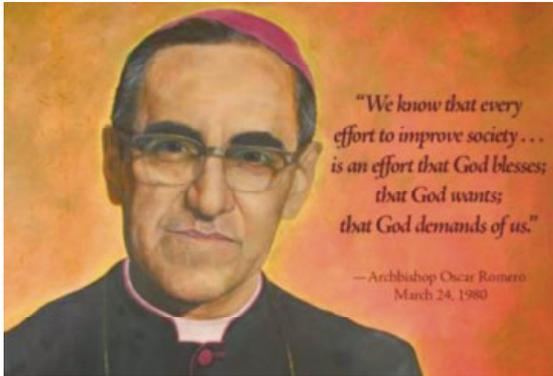
A Collaborative Prayer Group meets on Thursdays following the 9:00 am Mass at St. Francis Xavier Church in the Fr. Sullivan Room. All are welcome!

Please contact Bob at 617-331-0327 for more information



January 30, 2022 ~ 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ Gospel Meditation

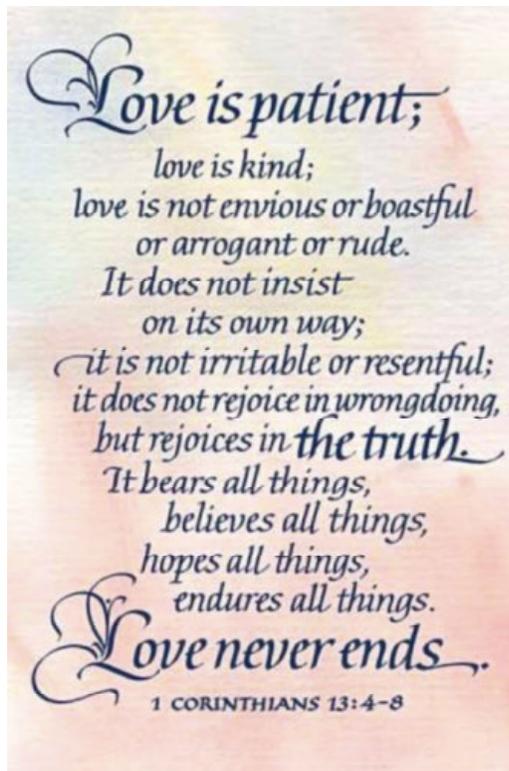
St. Oscar Romero (1917-1980) was a “Salvadoran Roman Catholic archbishop who was a vocal critic of the violent activities of government armed forces, right-wing groups, and leftist guerrillas involved in El Salvador’s civil conflict (Encyclopedia Britannica).” As a voice of the voiceless, he was an outspoken champion of the poor who were the ones most affected by the civil unrest and violence. His advocacy provoked several attempts on his life. Nonetheless, St. Oscar Romero was convinced that before all else his faith in the resurrected Christ and the values of the Gospel trumped any earthly concern or worry. He walked with complete confidence and trust. On March 24, 1980, St. Oscar Romero was assassinated while celebrating Mass. Such is often the fate of those who challenge the socio-political agendas of the day.



We may look at the example of witness of St. Oscar Romero as something extraordinary. In one sense it is. Through the power of God, an ordinary human being did extraordinary things. But, in and of himself, St. Oscar Romero was simply a humble, loving servant of God. Oscar knew not only the power of love but the risk that comes when loving unconditionally. The beauty of God’s message was able to shine in and through him because he was able to step out of the way and be a vessel. One can assume that for St. Oscar Romero, one’s earthly life has no merit when faith, integrity, conviction, zeal and love are jettisoned. Fear and apprehension had no grip on this man who not only saw but spoke the truth.



There will be Eucharistic Adoration on Friday, February 4th following the 9:00am Mass at St. Francis Xavier Church.



Worcester Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference

April 2, 2022 - In-Person Conference at Assumption University

The Annual Worcester Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference - Men (of all ages, including teens and college students) are invited to this important in-person conference, scheduled for Assumption University on Saturday, April 2, 2022. Visit the conference website at www.firstmensconf.org for information and to purchase tickets online and elsewhere. Come and hear dynamic talks from outstanding Catholic leaders: Kevin O'Brien, Tim Francis, Dan Egan, Father Anthony Hamaty and Dr. Pat Castle. For further information please email Angelo Guadagno at angelo0527@gmail.com or call Elaine Ford at 774-253-2996. Adult tickets are \$45 until March 21, 2022; afterwards \$60. Student tickets are always \$30.

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