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20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith!
Let it be done for you as you wish." And the woman's
daughter was healed from that hour. - Mt 15:28

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WELCOME ~ August 20, 2023

Saturday 4PM ~ Holy Name

Sunday 7:30AM & 10AM ~ Holy Name

Sunday 9:00AM ~ St. Francis

Sunday 11:30AM ~ St. Lawrence

Reconciliation ~ 3:15PM Saturday ~ Holy Name

Monday - Thursday 8AM ~ Holy Name

MASS
SCHEDULE

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FINANCIAL REPORT

Collection 8/12 & 8/13 \$3,714
 capital improvement \$ 916
 missions \$ 544
*second collection next week:
 maintenance*

Thank You!

CRAFT FAIR OCTOBER 14 & 15

MASS COUNTS

Sat. 8/12 HNSHJ 4:00PM 175
 Sun. 8/13 HNSHJ 7:30AM 120
 Sun. 8/13 SF 9:00AM 45
 Sun. 8/13 HNSHJ 10:00AM 145
 Sun. 8/13 SL 11:30AM 105
TOTAL 590

All members of the clergy, Directors of Religious Education and teachers in our schools are Mandated Reporters in Massachusetts and required by law to report any suspected child abuse. Many children will not tell anyone they are being abused. Because the Diocese believes in our moral obligation to protect children, we extend the safe environment training to all who minister, work or volunteer. Watch for signs of abuse and, if you are concerned about a child, share those concerns with a mandated reporter at your parish or school. Let us all be a voice for children who may not be able to speak for themselves.



**MASS INTENTIONS
 HOLY NAME OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

Saturday, August 19	4:00PM	<i>Gabriel Massa - 3 year anniversary Kathleen & William Buckley - wedding anniv. remb. Raymond Kelly - month's mind</i>
Sunday, August 20	7:30AM	<i>John DeBarros - 23 year anniversary</i>
Sunday, August 20	10:00AM	<i>Houle family Manuel Magan Eileen Oliveira - 3 year anniversary</i>
Monday August 21	8:00AM	<i>Robert Forgue</i>
Tuesday August 22	8:00AM	<i>Lucille Tetreault - birthday remembrance John S. Pinto - anniversary remembrance</i>
Wednesday, August 23	8:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Thursday, August 24	8:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Saturday, August 26	4:00PM	<i>Robert Tetreault - birthday remembrance Jose & Alice Ferro Jose Ferro, Jr. Robert C. Sylvia - 5 year anniversary</i>
Sunday, August 27	7:30AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, August 27	10:00AM	<i>Renate Maria Perry Mark Curry</i>

HOLY NAME S H J	LECTOR	EUCARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sat. 8/19 4:00PM	Jeannette Masse	Sue LeBouef Scott Collette Kathy McKenna	Aaron Elderkin Angelina Lugo
Sun. 8/20 7:30AM	Barbara Brunette	Ted Machado Donna Michaud	Madison Fiano Sydney Boswell
Sun 8/20 10:00AM	Michael McCormack	Ann Pryzstarz Cheryl McCormack	Jonathan Gonsalves Zachary Pryzstarz
Sat. 8/26 4:00PM	Donald Buckley	Heidi Kuliga Mariette Rose Kathy McKenna	Aaron Elderkin Angelina Lugo
Sun. 8/27 7:30AM	Stephanie Fiano	Josette Cormier Jessica Gomes	Madison Fiano Sydney Boswell
Sun 8/7 10:00AM	Jeannine Sasseville	Eva Marie Fernandes Gloria Pamplona	Jonathan Gonsalves Zachary Pryzstarz

David Keighley, Katherine Sullivan, Corrine Lebeau, Joey Kowal, Mary-Lyn Riding, Peter McCoy, Vivian Moniz, Joann Pieknik, Gabriella Rivas, Maria Ferreira, Augusta Fernandes, Maureen Stewart, Nativa Hoyle, Peter Debarros, Kathy Amaral, Cliff Soucy, Joel Rivera, Tom Soucy, Joyce Baptista, The Sena Family, Maria Raposo, Terry Ouellette, The McCain Family, Carla DeMello & Paula Perreira, Henry T. Murphy Jr., Micele Michaud

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Kara McEachern Music Director
Diana Henry Organist

FINANCIAL REPORT

Collection 8/12 & 8/13 \$466
capital improvement \$100
missions \$ 44
*second collection next week:
maintenance*

Thank You!

Adult Grief Support Group

Facilitated by
John Rider, Chaplain/Bereavement Coordinator
Community Nurse Home Care 508-992-6278
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Summer Drop In	Sessions	Fall Drop In
41 State Rd. Dartmouth	41 State Rd. Dartmouth	41 State Rd., Dartmouth
August 18 1-2:30 PM	<u>Thursdays</u> 6-7:30PM	<u>Wednesdays</u> 6-7:30PM
August 23 6-7:30 PM	September 14, 21, 28	September 27
August 25 1-2:30 PM	October 5,12	October 25
		November 22



MASS INTENTIONS SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Saturday, August 19	4:30PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, August 20	9:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Saturday, August 26	4:30PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, August 27	9:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sun. 8/20 9:00AM	Edith Ventura	Jim Ventura	Molly McEachern
Sun. 8/27 9:00AM	Claire DaSilva	Linda Chase	Molly McEachern

"...IN THIS WORLD I CANNOT SEE
THE MOST HIGH SON OF GOD WITH
MY OWN EYES, EXCEPT FOR HIS
MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD."
ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI



Do you feel God calling you to do something more for Him?

One way to help in His Vineyard would be to volunteer as an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist at Sacred Heart Home in New Bedford or Our Lady's Haven in Fairhaven. We currently need assistance at both homes. (*This commitment would take less than one hour of time.*) If you feel called to help in this important ministry, please contact Pauline C. Gates, OCDS, Director of Pastoral Care, Sacred Heart Home, 359 Summer St., New Bedford. 508-996-6751 x 124
Thank you for prayerfully considering this ministry.

Preparation for Adult Confirmation

The diocesan preparation program for adults (18+) seeking to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation is intended to provide instruction in the faith, as well as spiritual support to compliment the parish in the formation of candidates who are completing their initiation in the Catholic Church. **Prior to registration, candidates must begin this process by meeting with the pastor to gather documents.** This program consists of seven sessions total, with both virtual and in-person sessions. Attendance at all sessions is mandatory. Participants are asked to share their screens during virtual sessions.

Fall Schedule 2023

Online Sessions: Thursday Evenings 6:30pm to 8:00pm

In-person Sessions: Saturdays 10am to 2pm St Julie Billiard Church Hall, 494 Slocum Rd, N. Dartmouth

Program dates: Saturday September 30, Thursday October 5, Thursday October 12, Thursday October 26
Saturday November 4, Thursday November 9, Saturday November 18

Sacrament of Confirmation Thursday November 30, 2023 Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption, 327 2nd St, Fall River
Mandatory rehearsal with Confirmation sponsors at 6pm followed by Mass at 7pm

Registration Fee: \$75 (our parish will pay half)

Payable to the Diocese of Fall River, 423 Highland Avenue, Fall River, MA 02720 Memo: Adult Confirmation

IN ORDER TO BE A SPONSOR

for Baptism or Confirmation you must receive the Sacrament of Confirmation

ST. LAWRENCE MARTYR

Jackie Shidell Bookkeeper

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Fran Gorman Music Director

FINANCIAL REPORT

1st Collection 8/12 & 8/13 \$1,586

capital improvement \$ 485

missions \$ 310

second collection next week: Thank You!
maintenance

**CRAFT
FAIR**



MASS INTENTIONS SAINT LAWRENCE MARTYR

Saturday, August 19	4:00PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, August 20	11:30AM	<i>William Butler</i>
Saturday, August 26	1:30 wedding 4:00PM	<i>Victor Flores & Gabrielly Dornelles</i> <i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, August 27	11:30AM	<i>Dr. John J. Fielding - birthday remembrance</i> <i>Janice Machnowski</i> <i>Jane Parkin</i>

ST. LAWRENCE MARTYR	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sun. 8/20 11:30AM	Ryleigh Mello	Carol Larkin Pat Norton	Juliana Melo Christopher Beeler
Sun. 8/27 11:30AM	Tricia Grime	Eileen Frasier Anne Touhey	Jane Byrnes Daniella Mendoza Elizabeth Frasier

Come help us make our fair the best it can be by joining us with your help at the fair. There are many jobs that need to be filled no matter how big or small we have a job for you to help us succeed.

There are two ways you can join our team. Number 1: Come to our next general meeting at the parish center on September 5th at 6:30 or Number 2: email your name and email address to darylsylvia@gmail.com and ask to join our team. Remember we have three churches and the fair helps all the churches and parishes.

We need all the help we can get and we thank you in advance for your help.

This year, in addition to the 25 inside vendor booths we will offer 12 tented/outside booths in the parking lot immediately behind the center.

Food Pantry

Thank you for all you do for our families in need. Parents are really struggling to feed their families. Also, thank you for all the boxes of children's cereals you donate. We still cannot purchase large quantities at reasonable prices. Every box you donate is given out at the next Pantry. Monetary donations may be placed in an envelope marked "FOOD PANTRY" and placed in the collection box or mailed to either rectory.

I am still looking for more volunteers for different tasks at the Food Pantry.

For more information contact Kathy Boucher at [508 991-1042](tel:5089911042)

Food Pantry housed in the basement of St. Lawrence Rectory, 110 Summer. St.

will be open Friday, August 25 from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

If you can't feed a hundred people, then just feed one.~ St. Teresa of Calcutta

IN YOUR PRAYERS

Albert Barselou who passed away July 30 and whose funeral was celebrated at Holy Name on August 16

Ramona Bettencourt who passed away August 5 and whose funeral was celebrated at Holy Name on August 14

Kendra Monteiro who passed away August 8 and whose funeral was celebrated at St. Lawrence on August 12

We extend our sympathy and prayers to their families. May they share the promise of Eternal Life.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen





Thank you to all who have already registered for Religious Education!

If anyone is interested in sharing their faith with the children of the parish by helping out with Religious Ed this year, please reach out to me!

The registration form is on the website www.whalingcitycatholics.org. When you go to the website click the **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TAB** and complete the form online. Please complete the registration form and email to Caol@whalingcitycatholics.org. **If you do not have access, please contact me to mail you a form.** Please complete the registration form no later than **August 31**. Your family must be registered members of either St. Lawrence, Holy Name of the Sacred Heart or St. Francis of Assisi. As in the past few years, First Communion and Confirmation 2 will be weekly, in person classes. The other classes will continue to have the Gospel Weekly packets but we are also planning to begin incorporating a few in person sessions throughout the year. This is so everyone can get to know each other better and relationships can be nurtured and grown. We are working on the schedule and will be ready to share in the next few weeks. Please reach out to me with any questions you may have!

Registration fee remains the same for all levels and is as follows: **1 child - \$30.00, 2 children - \$50.00, 3+ children - \$60.00**

Payments are to be paid online through PAYPAL on <https://whalingcitycatholics.org>, or by check.

Payments are made to the parish you belong to.

Have a wonderful week, *Eileen Frasier* Eileen@whalingcitycatholics.org



Each World Youth Day is a once in a lifetime experience. The people, places, journeys, events and all around meaning of each World Youth Day is so different. Some moments test you; some help you grow and some tire you out to almost your breaking point but that's when you remember Who you're doing this for. Throughout my time in Portugal, I reflected a lot on what it means to serve others. I have been helping people my entire life and owe it all to everything I learned about serving others at HFHN. I thought a lot about how much I serve others and how doing so helps me instill my faith and helps me strive to do better. I also reflected on serving myself and not forgetting that I need to help myself if I want to help others as Jesus did. Thank you everyone for your continued prayers throughout and leading up to WYD. Please know I also prayed for you too. *Jill Fernandes*



WOULD YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

- August 20 Rev. Philip Davignon
- August 21 Bishop Edgar da Cunha, SDV
- August 22 Rev. Paul Bernier
- August 23 Rev. William Blottman
- August 24 Rev. Marcel Bouchard
- August 25 Rev. James Buckley
- August 26 Rev. Martin Buote



Eternal Father, we lift up to you these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them, into likeness and holiness of your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to you. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

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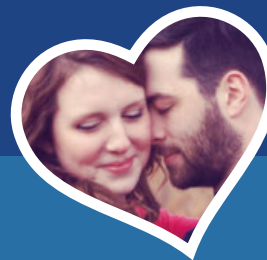
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