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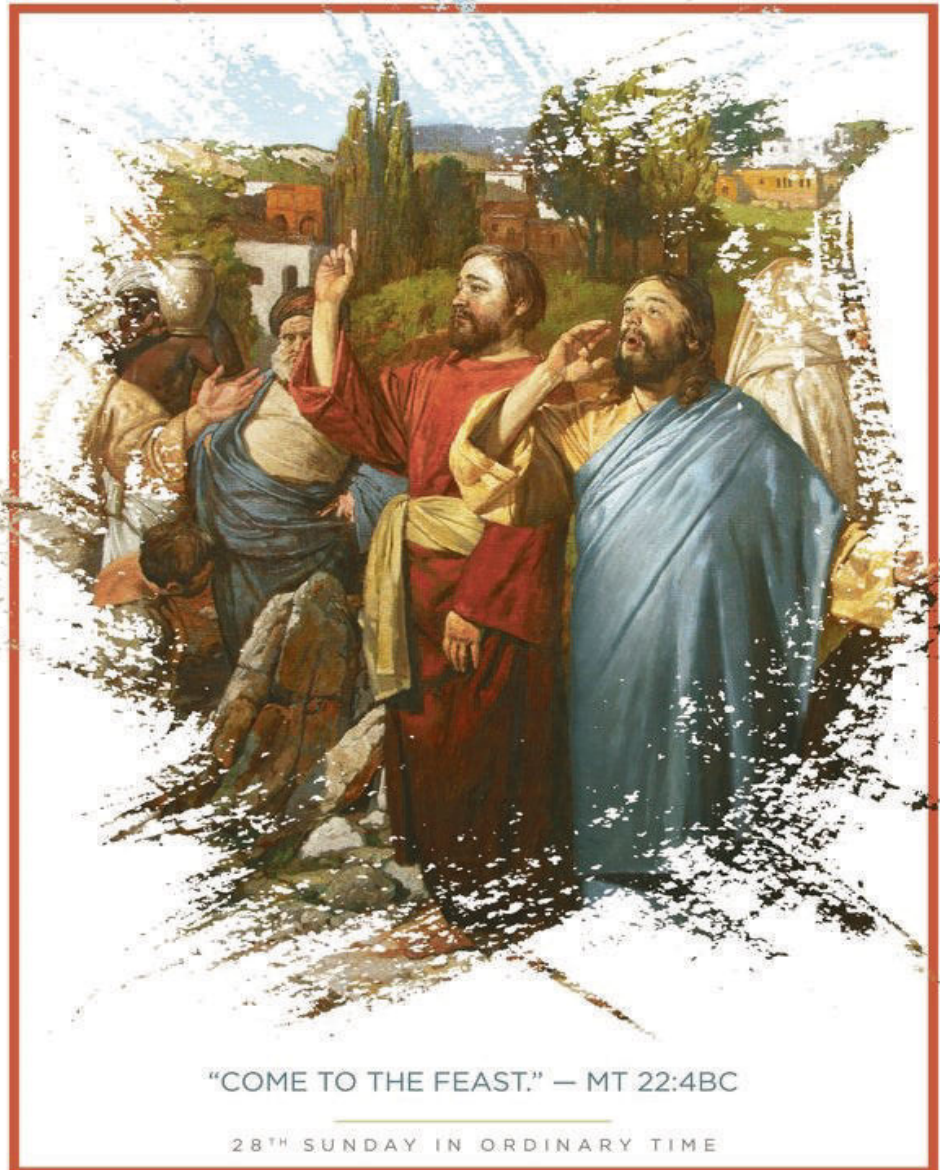
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WELCOME ~ October 15, 2023

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

1st collection 10/7 & 10/8 \$3,500
 maintenance \$1,442

second collection next week:

World Missions

Thank You!



MASS COUNTS

Sat. 10/7	HNSHJ	4:00PM	180
Sun. 10/8	HNSHJ	7:30AM	130
Sun. 10/8	SF	9:00AM	50
Sun. 10/8	HNSHJ	10:00AM	160
Sun. 10/8	SL	11:30AM	135
TOTAL			655

*This month at Holy Name
 The Sanctuary Candle burns
 in loving memory of
 Arthur Ducharme
 &*

James R. Collins, birthday remembrance

WARD 3 NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

Our October meeting will be held a week later due to the Church Fair.

October 18th will be our next meeting, 6:30 p.m., Holy Name of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish Center.

Guest Speaker pending.

Plenty of parking in a well lit area.

Looking forward in seeing everyone and don't forget to spread the word.

George Ferreira - Coordinator



MASS INTENTIONS HOLY NAME OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Saturday, October 14	4:00PM	<i>William Buckley - birthday remembrance Wilfred J. Croteau Violette M. Croteau Joseph Ewaszko</i>
Sunday, October 15	7:30AM	<i>Marie Alves - birthday remembrance</i>
Sunday, October 15	10:00AM	<i>Pamela Beaudoin - 7 year anniversary Irene Medeiros Lucille Violette - birthday remembrance</i>
Monday, October 16	8:00AM	<i>Robert Tetreault</i>
Tuesday, October 17	8:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Wednesday, October 18	8:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Thursday, October 19	8:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Saturday, October 21	4:00PM	<i>Lynne Lacasse - months mind Maria & Arturo Frizado Arsene Duval, Jr. - months mind</i>
Sunday, October 22	7:30AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, October 22	10:00AM	<i>Lucille Benoit - wedding anniv. remembrance Manuel Cardoza - anniversary deceased members of the Robert & Helen Swain family</i>

HOLY NAME S H J	LECTOR	EUCARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sat. 10/14 4:00PM	Donald Buckley	Lou Robillard Marianne Rose Kathy McKenna	Aaron Elderkin Angelina Lugo
Sun. 10/15 7:30AM	Jack Markey	Anne Kelley Donna Michaud	Madison Fiano Sydney Boswell
Sun. 10/15 10:00AM	Leo Choquette	Denis Onofrey Gloria Pamplona	Jonathan Gonsalves Zachary Pryzstarz Emelia DaCunha
Sat. 10/21 4:00PM	Heidi Kuliga	Lou Robillard Marianne Rose Kathy McKenna	Aaron Elderkin Angelina Lugo
Sun. 10/22 7:30AM	Barbara Brunette	Josette Cormier Jessica Gomes	Madison Fiano Sydney Boswell
Sun. 10/22 10:00AM	Simon Rivet	Michael McCormack Cheryl McCormack	Jonathan Gonsalves Zachary Pryzstarz Emelia DaCunha

**May the plea for peace rise up and touch the hearts of everyone
 so that they may lay down their weapons and let themselves be
 led by the desire for peace.**

- Pope Francis

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Kara McEachern Music Director
Diana Henry Organist



FINANCIAL REPORT

1st collection 10/7 & 10/8 \$801
 maintenance \$198

second collection next week:

World Missions

Thank You!



MASS INTENTIONS SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Saturday, October 14	4:30PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, October 15	9:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Saturday, October 21	4:30PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, October 22	9:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sun. 10/15 9:00AM	Edith Ventura	Jim Ventura	Molly McEachern
Sun. 10/22 9:00AM	Claire DaSilva	Linda Chase	Molly McEachern

In the re-formatting of St. Francis' Income and Expense Summary for the bulletin, the cash totals in the spreadsheet for St. Francis was reverted back to zero. This was not caught until after printing. It was simply a formatting issue that occurred and the corrected amounts are as follows:

Cash at June 30th in FY22: \$219,657

Cash at June 2023 in FY23: \$186,073

Our 3rd annual

"greeting cards for inmates"

is being held through December 31st

Boxes are placed in the Church for unused greeting cards

Adult Grief Support Group

Facilitated by

John Rider, Chaplain/Bereavement Coordinator

Fall Drop In

October 25, November 22 6-7:30 PM

41 State Road, Dartmouth

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Everyday Stewardship

Art Buchwald, the longtime humorist for the Washington Post who died in 2007 is credited with saying, "The best things in life aren't things." As Christians, we know this statement to be true. Certainly the best things in our lives are not those items that money can buy or things we can create in the material world. Faith, hope, and love are more precious than anything we can see with our eyes. Yet, as humans we often find ourselves longing for the very things that we claim are not nearly as valuable. We lose sight of what is real and true.

Paul wrote in the fourth chapter of his Letter to the Philippians that he has experienced both living with abundance and then with very little. Regardless of what we have in terms of worldly goods, Paul reminds us that God provides for all our needs. God may not provide for our wants, but he does give us what we need.

The flesh seeks what it wants, but the spirit seeks what it needs. In a stewardship way of life, we must always remind ourselves that true wealth never comes from material possessions and money. True wealth comes from the love we share, the faith we develop, and the hope we bring to others. The best things in life aren't free, though. They require work, commitment, and fortitude. We need to cultivate these things daily. If we are serious about living life in this way, we will find that when our days on this earth are through, we really had it all.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

ST. LAWRENCE MARTYR

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Fran Gorman Music Director

FINANCIAL REPORT

1st collection 10/7 & 10/8 \$1,480
 maintenance \$550

second collection next week: *Thank You!*
 World Missions



MASS INTENTIONS
SAINT LAWRENCE MARTYR

Saturday, October 14	4:00PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, October 15	11:30AM	<i>Linda Quirk Charles Murray Mary Ann Breault - month's mind</i>
Saturday, October 21	4:00PM	<i>Mary & Henry Medeiros</i>
Sunday, October 22	11:30AM	<i>Stephen Hebert - 2 year anniversary</i>

ST. LAWRENCE MARTYR	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sun. 10/15 11:30AM	Ryleigh Mello	Carol Larkin Pat Norton	Juliana Melo Christopher Beeler Daniel Frasier
Sun. 10/22 11:30AM	Rosie Byrnes	Eileen Frasier Anne Touhey	Jane Byrnes Daniella Mendoza Elizabeth Frasier Mouro Martins Teixeira

This month at Saint Lawrence
 The Sanctuary Candle burns in loving
 memory of **Murray Anthony Gonzalez**
 The Sacred Heart Candle in loving memory
 of **The Lavoie & Butler families**
 The St. Anthony Candle in loving
 memory of **George B. Lavoie**



Two Peoples, One Land

Two peoples, one land,
 Three faiths, one root,
 One earth, one mother,
 One sky, one beginning, one future, one destiny,
 One broken heart, One God.
 We pray to You: Grant us a vision of unity.
 May we see the many in the one
 and the one in the many.
 May you, Life of All the Worlds,
 Source of All Amazing Differences
 help us to see clearly.
 Guide us gently and firmly toward each other,
 toward peace.
 - Rabbi Sheila Weinberg

Food Pantry

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 WITHOUT YOUR HELP WE WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO FEED ALL
 THE FAMILIES WHO COME TO US EVERY MONTH. WE ARE SO
 GRATEFUL FOR ALL YOU DO!

WE ARE NOW PREPARING FOR THANKSGIVING. IF YOU COULD
 PURCHASE ONE OF THESE ITEMS IT WOULD BE A GREAT
 HELP. **WE NEED LARGE JARS OF TURKEY GRAVY, STOVE
 TOP STUFFING AND CRANBERRY SAUCE. ALSO, WE
 WILL NEED GIFT CARDS IN THE AMOUNTS OF \$10, \$20
 OR \$25.** AT THIS TIME WE DO NOT KNOW HOW MANY TUR-
 KEYS WE WILL GET, THAT 'S WHERE THE GIFT CARDS COME
 IN. PLEASE PRAY THAT WE FIND DONORS TO PURCHASE
 TURKEYS FOR US.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER AT THE PANTRY PLEASE
 CALL KATHY BOUCHER FOR DETAILS 508 991-1042.
 WE ARE ALWAYS IN NEED OF CHILDREN'S CEREALS.
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 WITH CHILDREN. THANK YOU!

FOOD PANTRY OPEN
FRIDAY OCT. 27TH
8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
110 SUMMER ST.

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



We are excited to see all the Gr 2, Gr 4, Confirmation 1, and Confirmation 2 kids in person next Sunday, October 22, 2023 at 8:30 am at Holy Name Center!

Have a wonderful and blessed week, ~ Eileen Frasier



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

WOULD YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

- October 15 Rev. Brian Harrington
- October 16 Rev. Thomas Rita
- October 17 Rev. George Harrison
- October 18 Rev. Edward Healey
- October 19 Rev. Ryan Healy
- October 20 Rev. Gerard Hebert
- October 21 Rev. Leonard Hindsley



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

October is Mental Health Awareness month. In recognition of the impact that mental health challenges can have on individuals, their families and caregivers, Bishop Edgar da Cunha will offer a special Mass on Sunday, October 29th, 2023 at 10:30AM at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption on Second Street in Fall River. This Mass will be offered for those who have lost a loved one to suicide, drug and alcohol use, or mental illness. In addition, it will be offered for those who are currently experiencing mental health challenges.

All are welcome! A **Book of Remembrance** will be offered during the Mass for those who have died. If you would like to submit a name or names of loved ones, please email FR-Reception@ccfrdioc.org with the subject line **Name for Remembrance Book**.

You may also call Catholic Charities Diocese of Fall River 508-674-4681 x 1101

Knights of Columbus - Care Packages for Veterans: The Bishop Stang Fourth Degree Knights in Swansea

(Fr. Mike is their Chaplain) are putting together care packages for Veterans in Transition Homes. Items being collected are:

- baby wipes, foot powder, lip balm, shampoo, shaving cream, bar soap, plastic soap cases,
- toothbrushes and toothpaste, nail clippers,

instant coffee, tea bags, granola bars, ramen noodles, hard candy, drink mixes, pop tarts, beef jerky.

Containers are in all of our churches. Thank you for your assistance.

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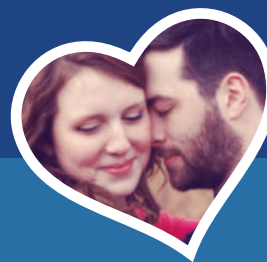
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