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and St. Lawrence Martyr

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## 24<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He summoned the crowd with his disciples and said to them,  
"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take  
up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his  
life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and that  
of the gospel will save it." - Mk 8:34-35

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## WELCOME ~ September 15, 2024

### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4PM ~ Holy Name

Sunday 7:30AM & 10AM ~ Holy Name

Sunday 9:00AM ~ St. Francis

Sunday 11:30AM ~ St. Lawrence

Monday - Thursday 8AM ~ Holy Name

Reconciliation ~ 3:15PM Saturday ~ Holy Name

## HOLY NAME OF THE SACRED HEART

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**Dennis Onofrey** Sexton, SVDP President

### FINANCIAL REPORT HOLY NAME

1st collection 8/31 & 9/1 \$3,513  
 religious educations \$ 754

online giving 1<sup>st</sup> collection \$ 145

1st collection 9/7 & 9/8 \$2,778  
 capital improvement \$1,224

online giving 1<sup>st</sup> collection \$605  
 online giving maintenance \$127

*Thank You!*

second collection next week:  
 maintenance



Saturday, September 14	4:00PM	<i>Albert A. Dubreuil - 11 year anniversary</i> <i>Luisa DeMello</i>
Sunday, September 15	7:30AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, September 15	10:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Monday, September 16	8:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Tuesday, September 17	8:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Wednesday, September 18	8:00AM	<i>Helena Pompeu</i>
Thursday, September 19	8:00AM	<i>Rosa Pompeu</i>
Saturday, September 21	4:00PM	<i>Luis Pereira</i> <i>Betty Gifford</i> <i>Lynne Lacasse - 1 year anniversary and</i> <i>birthday remembrance</i> <i>Antero Gonsalves - month's mind</i>
Sunday, September 22	7:30AM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, September 22	10:00AM	<i>Edgar Moorhouse - 12 year anniversary</i> <i>Christine Jupin</i>



### MASS COUNTS

Sat 8/31	HNSHJ	4:00PM	200
Sun 9/1	HNSHJ	7:30AM	115
Sun 9/1	SF	9:00AM	40
Sun. 9/1	HNSHJ	10:00AM	200
Sun 9/1	SL	11:30AM	135
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>690</b>

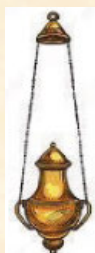
Sat 9/7	HNSHJ	4:00PM	160
Sun 9/8	HNSHJ	7:30AM	115
Sun 9/8	SF	9:00AM	50
Sun. 9/8	HNSHJ	10:00AM	160
Sun 9/8	SL	11:30AM	120
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>605</b>

HOLY NAME S H J	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sat. 9/14 4:00PM	Greg Centeio	Jeanine Sasseville Mariette Rose Kathi McKenna	
Sun. 9/15 7:30AM	Jack Markey	Donna Michaud Carol Oliver	
Sun. 9/15 10:00AM	Dennis Onofrey	Gloria Pamplona Eva Marie Fernandes	Jonathan Gonsalves Emelia DaCunha
Sat. 9/21 4:00PM	Patrick Hunt	Sue LeBouef Cathy Novo Kathi McKenna	Aaron Elderkin Angelina Lugo
Sun. 9/22 7:30AM	Stephanie Fiano	Josette Cormier Jessica Gomes	
Sun. 9/22 10:00AM	Jeanine Sasseville	Ann Pryzstarz Sari Almeida	Jonathan Gonsalves

*The Sanctuary Candle burns  
 in loving memory of*

*Olivia & Aristides Lima  
 anniversary remembrance*

*Adolph & Pearl Thosz  
 anniversary remembrance*



Please join together to welcome new members to our  
 Whaling City Catholic Community

**Erin Bizarro & Kevin Nunes**



CARE Southcoast is seeking volunteers for its no-kill, nonprofit animal shelter at 197 Middle Rd., Acushnet. Shifts available: morning and afternoon. Please call Lyndi at (508) 971-4262 for more information.



## ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

**Kara McEachern** Music Director  
**Diana Henry** Organist



### FINANCIAL REPORT ST FRANCIS

1st collection 8/31 & 9/1 \$621  
 religious education \$ 61

online giving 1<sup>st</sup> collection \$ 5

1st collection 9/7 & 9/8 \$443  
 capital improvement \$138

online giving 1<sup>st</sup> collection \$ 95  
 online giving religious ed. \$ 73

second collection next week: *Thank You!*  
 maintenance

Saturday, September 14	4:30PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, September 15	9:00AM	<i>deceased members of the Arruda family</i>
Saturday, September 21	4:30PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, September 22	9:00AM	<i>for our parish family</i>

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sun. 9/15 9:00AM	Edith Ventura	Mary Neves	Molly McEachern
Sun. 9/22 9:00AM	Claire Silva	Jim Ventura	Molly McEachern

Our **Craft Fair** is planned for October 19 & 20. This is our largest fundraiser for the year. Keeping this in mind and that the profits are shared equally it is important that everyone do their part in helping to make the fair a success in whatever way you can. Donations, cooking, selling raffles, placing signs, working at the fair attending with friends and relatives or whatever you can do is appreciated. If you need more information, you can email me at [darylsylvia@gmail.com](mailto:darylsylvia@gmail.com) or call 508-496-9900.

**To all our parishioners** Another year has flown by and we are getting ready for our **Harvest Craft Fair**. Your generosity has always been overwhelming in the donations you have provided for the **Harvest Raffle** and the **Silent Auction tables**. Again we are seeking "new" items that you would like to donate. If you are interested in donating an item, please feel free to call or text me (Sue) at 508-965-6246. A big Thank You on behalf of the Whaling City Collaborative from Sue Le Boeuf and Marsha Gushue, *co-chairs*.

Together We Can Make A Difference

Plans are underway for the annual **Whaling City Catholic Community Craft Fair**. Please consider donating **scratch tickets & gift cards** for raffle tree prizes. If you are unable to obtain gift cards, cash is greatly appreciated and we will purchase these, or we can even include cash in the lottery trees. Please place all (*clearly marked*) donations in the collection basket or give to a volunteer after Mass.

**Join The Adventure**

**Welcoming Boys and Girls Ages 5-20**

**Come visit us!**  
 September 21, 2024  
 Masonic Lodge  
 Corner of Union and County Street  
 New Bedford  
 10:00am - 2:00pm

For more information contact  
[scouting24nb@gmail.com](mailto:scouting24nb@gmail.com)

**\$25 discount until September 21st**  
[WWW.NCBSA.ORG/JOIN](http://WWW.NCBSA.ORG/JOIN)

Scouting America  
 Narragansett Council

Scouting America, formerly known as Boy Scouts of America, is having a recruitment event at the Masonic Lodge at the corner of Union & County Street in New Bedford from 10AM to 2PM, Saturday September 21<sup>st</sup>.

Families with BOTH boys & girls (reason for the name change) from age 5 to 20 years old are invited to learn more about Scouting and sign up with a local unit based in New Bedford. Cub Scout Pack 24 and Scout Troops 24 Boys & Girls meet at the Holy Name Parish Hall. Hope to see you there!

## ST. LAWRENCE MARTYR

**Jackie Shidell** Bookkeeper  
[Jackie@whalingcitycatholics.org](mailto:Jackie@whalingcitycatholics.org)

**Fran Gorman** Music Director



### FINANCIAL REPORT ST LAWRENCE

1st collection 8/31 & 9/1 \$2,483

religious education \$ 589

online giving 1<sup>st</sup> collection \$ 25

online giving maintenance \$ 20

1st collection 9/7 & 9/8 \$4,008

capital improvement \$1,037

online giving 1<sup>st</sup> collection \$ 90

online giving religious ed. \$ 30

*Thank You!*

second collection next week:  
 maintenance



Saturday, September 14	4:00PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, September 15	11:30AM	<i>Christine Jupin &amp; family Mary Donnelly</i>
Saturday, September 21	4:00PM	<i>for our parish family</i>
Sunday, September 22	11:30AM	<i>Henry, Mary &amp; Stephen Medeiros</i>

ST. LAWRENCE MARTYR	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	ALTAR SERVER
Sun. 9/15 11:30AM	Leo Choquette	Wayne Gaboriault Linda Gaboriault	Mauro Teixeira Maura Teixeira Elizabeth Frasier
Sun. 9/22 11:30AM	Rosie Byrnes	Denise McCoy Devin Byrnes	Jane Byrnes Daniella Mendoza Mauro Teixeira Maura Teixeira



*The St Anthony Candle burns  
 in loving memory of*

***George & Jeannette Lavoie***

Please join us for our September Taize Service

*"Food for the Journey"*

Celebrating Eucharist & the Mystical Body of Christ

Sunday, September 29, 2024 - 7pm

St John Neumann Church, 157 Middleboro Av., E. Freetown



**Adult Grief Support Group** Facilitated by John Rider, Chaplain/Bereavement Coordinator

Daytime Group - Tuesdays September 10, 17, 24 & October 1, 8 1-2:30 PM 62 Center Street, Fairhaven

Evening Group - Thursdays September 12, 19, 26 & October 3, 10 6-7:30PM 41 State Road, Dartmouth

**pre-registration is required** Community Nurse Home Care 508-992-6278 [rsvp@communitynurse.com](mailto:rsvp@communitynurse.com)

## Food Pantry News

**WE NEED HELP!**

PLEASE, the prep & painting of the main room in the Food Pantry will begin on Saturday, Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>.

Please call Kathy Boucher at 508 991-1042 for information & to sign up to help. PLEASE!

We continue to need children's cereals. Thank you for ALL you do to help our Food Pantry feed those in need.

The Food Pantry will be open on

**Friday, September 27<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.**

located in the basement of the rectory 110 Summer St., park in St Lawrence Church parking lot.

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

## Faith Formation Corner

How are we already in mid-September? Wow, is time flying this year. Thank you to all our families who have registered for Faith Formation. I especially want to thank the Faith Formation Teachers who have so graciously donated their time and energy, I appreciate the sacrifice they are making. They are truly sharing their light with the kids.

God Bless, *Eileen Frasier*



**Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. Catechetical Sunday is an opportunity for all to rededicate themselves to this mission as a community of faith.**

FR. MIKE and the WHALING CITY CATHOLIC COMMUNITY invites

THOSE GIRLS AND BOYS From Grade 3-12 who have received their First Communion

**To become ALTAR SERVERS. YOU are invited to join this especially important ministry!**

This is a great way for you to begin a life of service to your church, parish community, and God Himself! If you are interested, please email...Cecilia Felix at [cfelixnb@gmail.com](mailto:cfelixnb@gmail.com), and she will get your name and contact info to the person who will be training the altar servers!

*"The primary role of the altar server is to assist the priest in the Eucharistic celebration, so that the congregation can be more attentive to the word of God, making their time more meaningful and deeply felt."*

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



### WOULD YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

September 15 All Priests of the Diocese  
September 16 Rev. David Costa  
September 17 Rev. Thomas Costa  
September 18 Rev. Philip Davignon  
September 19 All LaSalette Priests  
September 20 Rev. Arnold Medeiros  
September 21 Rev. David Deston



*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*

### IN YOUR PRAYERS

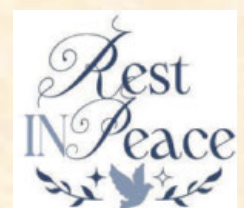
Gerald Messier who passed away August 27 and whose funeral was celebrated at Holy Name on September 4

Peter Furtado who passed away August 28 and whose funeral was celebrated at St. Lawrence on September 3

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





  
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