

**ST. FLORENCE PARISH**

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*Happy* **NEW YEAR**

*You crown the year with Your goodness,  
And Your paths drip with abundance.*

PSALM 65:11

**PASTORAL TEAM**

**Administrator:** Rev. Thomas J. Reilly  
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**Operations:** Joseph DiMauro

**Music Director:** Phyllis Bunnell

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

**9:00 AM-12:00 PM Monday—Thursday**

**Adoration:** 9:30 AM -2:00 PM  
Monday-Thursday

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Weekend:** 4:30 PM Saturday  
8:00 AM & 11:00 AM Sunday

**Weekday:** 9:00 AM Monday-Thursday

**The Holy Rosary:** 8:25 AM Monday-Thursday

**Baptisms:** 2nd Sunday/Month 12:30 PM

**Marriage:** Contact Pastor 6 months prior

**Scripture Study:** 10:00–11:00 AM Thursday

**Our Church is Open for Prayer:**

**Monday-Thursday** 8:00 AM—5:00 PM

**Friday** 9:30 AM—5:00 PM

**Saturday** 9:30 AM—6:00 PM

**Sunday** 7:30 AM—6:00 PM

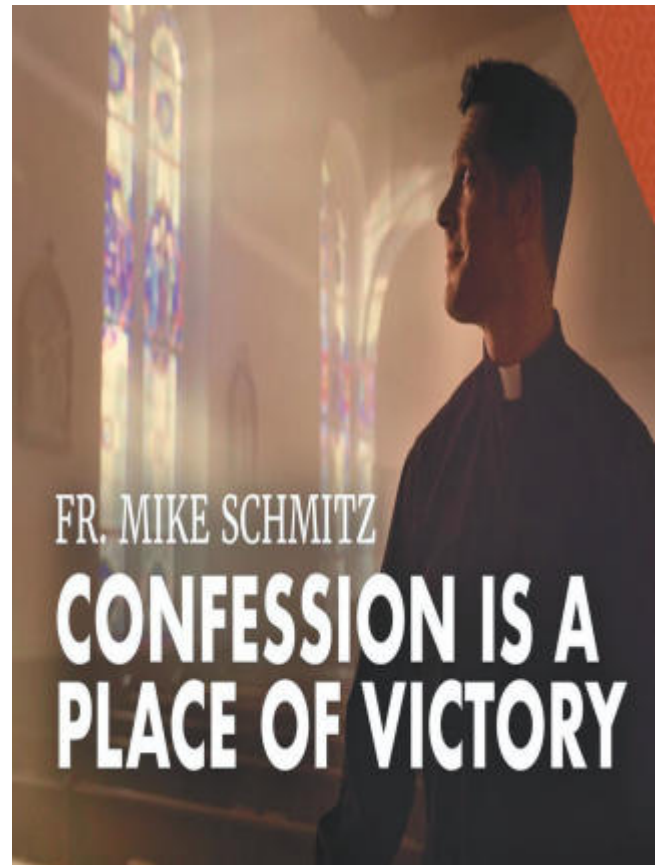
*On Tuesdays the church will close at 3:45 PM while Religious Education Classes are in session.*

# Your Sacrificial Offering



Offertory— December 19, 2021: \$2,945.00  
Parish Capital Campaign (to date) \$35,480.00

Saturday 4:30 pm	January 1st <b>Louis Bunnell</b> 12th Anniversary Mass
Sunday 8:00 am	January 2nd <b>Mass for the People of Saint Florence</b>
11:00 am	<b>Robert Ford</b> Memorial Mass
Monday 9:00 am	January 3rd <b>Charles Ammer</b>
Tuesday 9:00 am	January 4th <b>Mass for the People of Saint Florence</b>
Wednesday 9:00 am	January 5th <b>James Quinn</b> <b>3rd Anniversary</b>
Thursday 9:00 am	January 6th <b>Marie and Family</b>



Confessions are heard on **Saturdays** from **3:15 PM** to **4:00 PM** and by appointment.



In the light of spiking numbers of new COVID cases and the likely increase in those numbers in the upcoming holiday season, Cardinal Seán is mandating that throughout the Archdiocese all people attending public Masses, including weddings and funerals, wear masks. This mandate takes effect the weekend of December 18 & 19, 2021, and expires on January 17, 2022. Mass celebrants, deacons, readers, servers, choir members, and instrumentalists, should all wear masks except when they are speaking. Children under the age of five are not required to wear masks. Children under the age of two should not wear masks. In addition, all churches must continue to provide a designated area in which social distancing is respected for those who want to use it.

# Grand Annual



We have launched our **Grand Annual Campaign at St. Florence**; an effort that our church has done successfully in prior years. This year the money will predominately be used to address our current financial deficit. Any additional funds will be used for making our church completely handicapped accessible and for any unexpected heating repair costs. The money we receive through this important effort is essential to meeting our financial needs. As such, we are asking people, through prayer, to discern what you can give. **Our goal is \$60,000.** We understand and recognize not everyone has the same ability to give. Our hope is those who can, will support our campaign with a donation of \$200—\$300. Please use the green Grand Annual Campaign envelopes located at the church entrances. Thank you.



St. Florence Parish will now celebrate Eucharistic Adoration

Monday through Thursday from 9:30 AM—2:00 PM.

We are looking to expand Adoration times. If you would like to volunteer to spend time with Jesus, contact Diana at (781) 244-9070

## Come to our Healing Center to experience Jesus healing power.

Mark 10: 46-52

And they came to Jericho. And as he was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great crowd, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside.<sup>47</sup> And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!"<sup>48</sup> And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!"<sup>49</sup> And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart. Get up; he is calling you."<sup>50</sup> And throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus.<sup>51</sup> And Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" And the blind man said to him, "Rabbi, let me recover my sight."<sup>52</sup> And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he recovered his sight and followed him on the way.





## Christmas Pageant 2021

The children of St. Florence performed a beautiful pageant

which helped us to capture the spirit of the season! We extend our deepest gratitude to all those who made this event possible, especially Joe DiMauro for putting our stable together, and all of the volunteers who contributed time and talent on the day of the show. We were blessed to have a live Baby Jesus to complete The Holy Family.

**Grades 6—Confirmation** will meet on the following dates (Sundays from 6:00 PM-8:00 PM). **Teaching Masses will take place at 6:00 PM—ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**Grades 3–5 Family Workshops** will take place on the following dates:

- 1/22/22      5:30 PM—7:00 PM
- 2/5/22      5:30 PM—7:00 PM
- 3/5/22      5:30 PM—7:00 PM
- 4/2/22      5:30 PM—7:00 PM
- 5/8/22      11:00 AM May Procession & Crowning Mass

- 1/9/22      6:00 PM
- 1/23/22     6:00 PM
- 2/6/22      6:00 PM
- 2/13/22     6:00 PM
- 3/6/22      6:00 PM
- 4/3/22      6:00 PM
- 5/15/22     6:00 PM



Please plan to join us! The first hour is devoted to a lesson and activity; during the final half hour we enjoy pizza and fellowship. Those who have not yet picked up a textbook for their child should contact the Religious Education Office at [stflorencewakefield@gmail.com](mailto:stflorencewakefield@gmail.com) to arrange to meet staff to discuss the homeschooling portion of the year.

### Other Important Dates:

**Confirmation Sponsor Night** Sunday, January 9th 6:00 PM-8:00 PM in the Church

**Grade 3-5 Family Workshop** Saturday, January 22nd 5:30 PM—7:00 PM in the Hall



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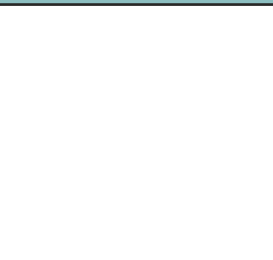
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