

Proudly serving the people of Newton for a combined 240 years!

## PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Daniel C. O'Connell Pastoral Associate: Sr. Jeanette Gaudet, m.f.i.c. Family Faith Formation: Brian Sousa Business Manager: Jay Porter Office Manager: Pam Burke Adult Formation Consultant : Regina O'Connor Director of Music: Mary Nolan

#### MASS SCHEDULES

Sat. Vigil: 4:00 pm Sunday: 8:00 am 10:00 am

Monday-Wednesday 8:00am Prayer Service & Novena: Mondays at 12 Noon (Zoom )

#### **BAPTISM**

The baptism of infants is generally celebrated on the third Sunday of each month. Parents should contact the parish office to make arrangements. Adults seeking baptism or desiring to become members of the Catholic Church should contact the office for information.

#### SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples desiring marriage in the Church should contact the parish office for details at least six months prior to the anticipated date of their wedding.

#### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** Due to Covid, Confessions are available by

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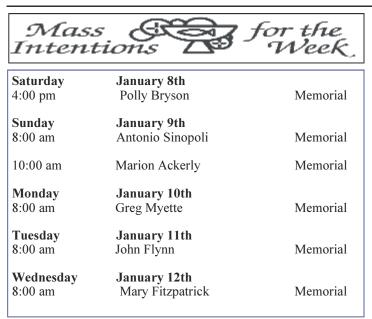
#### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please notify the parish office if you or a family member is hospitalized or homebound and desires to receive the Eucharist and/or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. 1523 Washington Street, West Newton, MA 02465 The Baptism of the Lord January 9, 2022 www.ccsbparish.org email: info@ccsbparish.org 617-244-0608



Corpus Christi-St. Bernard Parish is a faith community centered in the Eucharistic celebration. Each day we give witness to our baptismal promises and commit ourselves to learn, love, and live the Gospel message of Jesus Christ.

# JANUARY 9, 2022





The parish Scripture Study Group will meet this Sunday, January 9, to conclude its study of Genesis: Part One. The parish Scripture Study Group meet via Zoom from 4:30 to 6 pm .We will be discussing the material in Lesson Five of the workbook, which covers Genesis Chapters 21 to 25:18. Newcomers are welcome. Anyone with questions or wanting more information may contact Betty Bruhmuller (<u>bruhmuller@rcn.com</u>) or Bob Larner (<u>bjlarner@gmail.com</u>





## Confirmation I & II Our second Pillar gathering will be on Jan. 9th This is for all Confirmation candidates and

their parents/guardians. We'll have light refreshments and a guest speaker. Topic: Sacraments.

11:15 am, in the gym

## THANK YOU Note FROM BRISTOL LODGE

Thank you for your ongoing support to our needy folksthey all continue to be extremely appreciative of your ongoing very kind generosity. This kind of help assist most to keep their limited funds so they can pay their housing/apartment cost. Many thanks from all of us at Bristol Lodge.

Annette Poirier Program Director Bristol Lodge Soup Kitchen/Single Men's & Women's Shelters



JUST A THOUGHT ... FROM FR. DAN

This week we are invited to look at the Baptism of Jesus, yet we are invited to look at our own in an authentic way. We have all been baptized priests, prophets, and kings. That call alone would remind us that we all have a call to serve. His Baptism represented His bringing to light the power of His mission. Recalling our Baptism allows us an opportunity to shine with his grace whenever we empower ours!

## Lector afternoon of Reflection Sunday, January 9th at 1pm

## In the Beginning Was the Word

In Isaiah 55 we read:

"For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven,

And do not return there without watering the earth

And making it produce and sprout,

And providing seed to the sower and bread to the eater;

So will my Word be which goes out of my mouth;

It will not return to me empty,

Without accomplishing what I desire."

This is the task of the lector to prayerfully proclaim the Word. With this in mind, **Fr Dan invites new and returning lectors to an afternoon of reflection this Sunday, January 9<sup>th,</sup> from 1 to 2 pm in the upper Church.** This moment of prayer will emphasize both spiritual and practical preparation and invite both experienced and beginning lectors to develop their understanding of the ministry of proclaiming the Word of God and review some skills needed to do it well. We will prayerfully look at the many aspects of the lector's work, ministry, and vocation. It will allow us to reflect on the mystery of God who speaks to and through us in the power of His Word.



## The Baptism of the Lord



The knitting ministry will meet January 9 at 2:30 pm in Fr Moore Hall. Everyone is welcome regardless of knitting or crocheting level



The Adult Choir is looking for new members, high school age and above. We need members in all sections but we especially need sopranos and basses. We also welcome instrumentalists (flute, guitar, strings etc) to support the choir and the congregation. The choir rehearses in the chapel

after the 10am Mass. If you are looking for a fun, interesting and rewarding ministry, we invite you to join us. For more information contact Mary Nolan, director of music, before or after Mass or by email (marynolan5@aol.com).



#### DAILY MASS

9:30am LIVE, 12:30pm, 7pm and 11:30pm

Sunday, January 9 Father Thomas Macdonald, Brighton

> **Monday, January 10** Father Joseph Boafo, Quincy

**Tuesday, January 11** Father James DiPerri, Waltham

Wednesday, January 12 Father Anthony Michalik, C.Ss.R., Dorchester

> **Thursday, January 13** Father Daniel Zinger, Stoughton

Friday, January 14 Father Bobby LeBlanc, Brookline

Saturday, January 15 Father Matthew Conley, Scituate

PARISH SUPPORT NOVEMBER ON LINE \$ 3,467.00 THANK YOU!!



Mary "Maisie" MacLellan

#### BRISTOL LODGE FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS -

During the cold winter months the need is even greater Non perishables can be dropped off in the bin located in the entrance to Fr. Moore Hall. We are grateful for you and for all you give to help feed the needy.



## JANUARY 9, 2022

HEARING DEVICES: if anyone would like to use a hearing device during Mass, please ask one of the ushers on your way in and they will get you one.





If Newton Public Schools are closed or have a delayed opening, there will be NO weekday morning Mass. This will ensure the safety of all parishioners. Please check your TV or radio listings. Thank-vou!

# New Mask Mandate in Effect December 18th -January 17th

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.



https://zoom.us/j/91247458857?

pwd=dytXcmlhbEFPb3R1UXZqUStWQjFuUT09 Meeting ID: 912 4745 8857 Passcode: 1523617

### PARISH SUPPORT

JANUARY 2, 2021 : \$ 3,317.00 THANK YOU!!

## ON LINE COLLECTION OCTOBER, 2021 : \$ 4,814.00 THANK YOU!!



# CHRISTMAS FLOWERS REMEMBRANCE



Molly McLean Rick McLean Mary Jane Treichel Steve & Ellen McCabe Timothy & Lousie Healy Rev. John Connelly Annette LeCompte Elinor Dare George Healy Leo L. Palmer Kathleen E. Palmer Leo C. Palmer Vincent & Lucy Cornaro Alfonso & Santa Montillo Francis J. Montillo Natale Caruso Agazio Montillo Salvatore Montillo Francesco Montillo John & Josephine Russo Mancuso Family Moran Family **Dillon Family** Sampson Family Ambrose & Antoinette Rondina Robert E. Ormond Joseph X. & Ruth E. Ormond Tom, Phyllis & Tommy Broderick Bill and Agnes McEvoy Nick & Lucy Saccardo Morgano Family

Caira Family Alicandro Family Tedeschi Family Marascia Family D'Alleva Family Katherine V. O'Rielly David Purcell Welch Family Purcell Family **Richard Bruhmuller** Bruhmuller Family **DeWolfe Family** John & Catherine Vosnak Pasqualina Mercuri Cerra Family Robert Cerra Bill and Peggy Dowling Flanagan Family David A. DiCarlo Elvira & Felix Taranto Gaetano & Angelina Taranto Samuel J. Gelso, Sr. Elena & Giovanni Arpino Anthony Taranto Paul, Pat, Michael Flynn Joseph Caruso Joseph Family White Family Janette and David Brodie Loretta & Joseph McVey

Vecchione Family Flagg Family Nolan Family Sonny & Nancy Wyman Larry Dore Sr. John Gagnon Henry Trachy **Ruth Trachy** Sullivan Family Lynn and Mario Baldi Sr. Nicky and Mario Baldi Jr. Kantrowitz Family **Tonti Family Reidy Family** Ditella Family Antonio Vitone Nicolena & Frank Ieraci Maria& Antonio Ieraci John and Julia Kerressev Mark O'Brien Pedro A. & Saturia Morales Esther Urioste James Tsao Patricia Brandt Ann & William Pilla Clara Gasparini Polly Bryson Dan Coakley Robert "Robin" McNamara **Polinsky Family** 



