

Corpus Christi St. Bernard Parish

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1523 Washington Street, West Newton, MA 02465

18th Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 31, 2022

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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

Confession is available on Saturdays from 3:00 - 3:30 pm in St. Bernard's Chapel or by appointment

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.



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.

Mass Intentions  for the Week

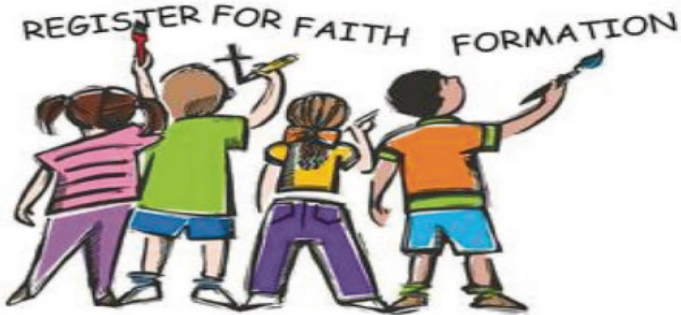
Saturday 4:00pm	July 30th Rita Kelly	Memorial
Sunday 8:00 am	July 31st Rita Kelly	Memorial
10:00 am	Mary E. Brady	Memorial
Monday 8:00 am	August 1st Military Personnel and their Families	
Tuesday 8:00 am	August 2nd John Lynch	
Wednesday 8:00 am	August 3rd Linda Micklay	Memorial



JUST A THOUGHT ... FROM FR. DAN

We've all heard it said, "You can't take it with you." We are reminded of that this week when, once again, we hear the quote, "Vanity of vanities all things are vanity." Old Qoheleth says this upon realizing that all in this world is passing, and we need to invest in something that will last. Jesus has the answer when he warns us not to be possessed by our possessions. When we share, as opposed to amassing, we find ourselves grateful for what we have and discover a willingness to share it with others!

PARISH SUPPORT
JULY 24TH \$ 2,832.
THANK YOU!!



Form & more info available at:

<https://www.ccsbparish.org/faith-formation>

Register By: 8/31/2022

BRISTOL LODGE FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS -

The **donation bin** for non perishable items for Bristol Lodge will be **is on the porch at Allen Place.**

Thank you all for the continued support of this ministry as the unfortunately the need continues to be GREAT



Ad Multos Annos, Pam

This week, we will bid farewell to our Parish Office Manager, Pam Burke, who has served Corpus Christi-St Bernard Parish for the past four years. She is the one who has faithfully greeted and assisted parishioners when they call the parish or stop by the Parish Office. She has been the voice for those looking for information and the one booking Masses and offering Mass cards. Even during the Pandemic, she worked outreach to all who called.

Pam has decided to retire as of August 5th. She wants to spend time traveling, working in the garden, and spending more time with her husband. We thank her for all she has done and won't forget all the ways she has served our Parish Community!



Emmaus Ministry Retreat for Grieving Parents (10/15)

Sat., October 15, 2022 from 9:30AM – 6:30PM | Pastoral Center, Braintree

The Family Life team invites all parents who have lost a child of any age, by any cause, and no matter how long ago to attend the Emmaus Retreat for Grieving Parents. The retreat includes prayer, breakout sessions, an Emmaus Walk, Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, Reconciliation, and time for reflection. Meals are included. For more information, email [Emily Elliott@rcab.org](mailto:Emily_Elliott@rcab.org) or visit emfgp.org. To register, bit.ly/EmmausRetreat.

Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass

All couples celebrating their 10th, 25th, or 50th wedding anniversaries are invited to join Cardinal Seán O'Malley, O.F.M. Cap. On **Sunday, November 6 at 2:00 PM** at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Boston. The Mass includes a vow renewal and special blessing by the Cardinal. Couples can register at <https://www.evangelizeboston.com/event/annual-wedding-anniversary-mass/>. For more information, please email Emily_Elliott@rcab.org.



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

Sunday, July 31
Father Richard Fitzgerald, Brighton

Monday, August 1
Father Ron Barker, Wakefield

Tuesday, August 2
Father Anthony Michalik C.Ss.R., Boston

Wednesday, August 3
Father Robert Connors, Braintree

Thursday, August 4
Father Eric Cadin, Office of Vocations

Friday, August 5
Monsignor Liam Bergin, South Boston

Saturday, August 6
Father Timothy Kearney, Watertown



July 31 ~ Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“...rest, eat, drink, be merry!” Sounds appealing, doesn’t it? However, Paul gently cautions us, as he cautioned the Colossians in the second reading to “Seek what is above... Put to death, then, the parts of you that are earthly.” In other words don’t be deceived by subtle message that are counter to the gospel! In fact, our task is to sanctify the world around us by being the image of God we are made to be. Difficult? Sure, but not impossible – remember, with God all things are possible. This week make a concerted effort to seek the things that are of God.



You Can Help Your Marriage – Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. This program has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the upcoming New England program beginning with a weekend on August 12-14, 2022, visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 800-470-2230 or email us at 3023r@helpourmarriage.org.

Stress in Your Marriage? – Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This program has helped 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the upcoming New England program beginning with a weekend on **August 12-14, 2022** visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 800-470-2230 or email us at 3023r@helpourmarriage.org.

SAVE THIS DATE:

Saturday, October 22, 2022, 10am – 12:30pm

The 14th Annual Archdiocesan Convocation A Virtual Gathering which will focus on The Global Refugee Crisis: What can YOU do to heal the pain and build a better future? This Program will include practical ways to get involved featuring: “Global Solutions to Help Refugees” More details will follow on the Social Justice Ministry website:

<https://www.bostoncatholic.org/health-and-social-services/social-justice-ministry>



Are you looking for something social?

You are welcome to join us this Sunday for a virtual small group meeting. These meetings are designed for parishioners to come together (virtually) and share faith together.

Sunday at 12:15 pm:

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://zoom.us/j/91247458857?](https://zoom.us/j/91247458857?pwd=dytXcmlhbEFPb3R1UXZqUStWQjFuUT09)

[pwd=dytXcmlhbEFPb3R1UXZqUStWQjFuUT09](https://zoom.us/j/91247458857?pwd=dytXcmlhbEFPb3R1UXZqUStWQjFuUT09)

Meeting ID: 912 4745 8857

Passcode: 1523617



Transformed in Love - marriage preparation is the sole marriage preparation program for the Archdiocese.

<https://www.bostoncatholic.org/familylife/engagedcouples> for

"We're Engaged, Now What?"



Celebrating the Joy of Love: Family & Faith Gathering

Saturday, July 30 from 10:00 AM -12:00 PM @ Pastoral Center, Braintree

The Family Life team invites you to join us for a NFP Week gathering. Together, we will celebrate being "Called to the Joy of Love" with Mass, led by Fr. Michael Della Penna. Afterward, we will gather to enjoy food and fellowship with others who teach, practice, or are interested in learning more about NFP. We encourage all who practice or are interested in learning more about Natural Family Planning to come. Bring the whole family! RSVP here - bit.ly/NFPWeekGathering

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.





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