

Medfield
Norfolk
Catholic
Collaborative
St. Edward & St. Jude

Second Sunday of Ordinary Time
January 16, 2022

MASS SCHEDULE

All Masses indoors with the Social Distancing Section available.

Monday - Friday

St. Edward: 9am

Saturday

St. Edward: 4pm

St. Jude: 5pm

Sunday

St. Jude:

8am **

10:30am Family Mass

St. Edward:

9am ** Family Mass

12pm

5:30pm

**televised and live-streamed

Per the Archdiocese:

Masks required at all indoor Masses, effective 12/18/2021.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

St. Jude (side parking lot):

Monday - Friday

10:15-10:45am

Sunday

8:45 - 9:15am

CONFESSIONS

St. Edward (in the chapel):

Mondays, 7:00 - 8:00pm

St. Jude (in room left of altar):

Saturdays, 4:00 - 4:30 pm

Want to receive our Thursday email?

Contact:

stedadmin@ejcatholic.org or

stjudeadmin@ejcatholic.org

to be put on the list.

www.ejcatholic.org

SAID



When the wine ran short, the
mother of Jesus said to him,
"They have no wine."

JOHN 2:3

MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners and Extended Family Members,

Praised be Jesus Christ!

We have now, as a worldwide church community, left the church's shortest season, Christmas, and entered into its longest season, Ordinary Time. I personally think Ordinary Time gets a "bad rap." If we are not careful, it can be thought of as "filler" between seasons we are more familiar with, or as filling up the time between celebrations. I will admit, it can even be tempting for me to feel this way when I read the readings for a given Sunday during Ordinary Time.

A fact of life is that we live the majority of in ordinary moments. Yes, there are peaks and valleys we experience, much like the fact that we do not celebrate Christmas or Easter without participating in the seasons of Advent or Lent first. Advent and Lent allow us the opportunity to experience a valley or two to both prepare us to celebrate Christmas and Easter, as well as help us make these celebrations more meaningful. Our lives are not designed to go from peak to valley to peak, but rather transition from one to the other with the help of ordinary moments in between.

You and I both may be tempted to ask, "Well then, how DO we celebrate the ordinary? What do we point to as the cause, the focus of our celebration? The readings in ordinary time still allow us to get to know Jesus better, just not as dramatically as the other season enable us to do. This, however, can bring us to a greater appreciation of the human side of Jesus, if we allow it to. I heard it once said that if the days-in-the-life of Jesus were all added up between the four gospels written by the evangelists, the total number of days would come to a total of 73. Three years of public ministry and all that is written about is 73 days' worth?! REALLY?!

To appreciate this, we do well to step back and imagine ourselves in the time of Jesus as he went going between the towns and the cities. What did Jesus talk with his Apostles about as he constantly journeyed by foot? When Jesus healed so many people that an exact number could not be determined, how much time did he spend with each individual to get to know them and actually ask them what they desired before he healed them?

As we imagine the ordinary life of Jesus during Ordinary Time, perhaps we can come to a greater appreciation of our own ordinary time and how it is to be lived meaningfully rather than just waiting for the next celebration.

Gratefully yours during this Ordinary Time,
Fr. Steve

From this Week in Church Signs: "Pobody is Nerfect. See You Inside."

St. Edward Offertory

Mass attendance 1/8 & 1/9/2022
Mail in:

\$ 2,035
\$ 2,685

St. Jude Offertory

Mass attendance 1/8 & 1/9/2022
Mail in:

\$ 1,843
\$ 1,890

Over the coming months, Catholics from around the world will be participating in the Synod on Synodality.

What does that mean?

Here in Boston it means that we will be gathering, as parishes and as a diocese to pray together and to invite the Holy Spirit to help us to listen deeply to one another, and we will talk together about how best to do that.

So, for instance, a parish council may get together and ask "How can we as a parish council do a better job of letting the voices of all our parishioners be heard, even those who are not a part of an inner circle or who might be marginalized for whatever reason?" The archdiocese and the church around the world will be engaging in the same sort of conversation. We pray that the Lord will open our hearts to Him and to all of our people.





Sat. Jan. 15	4pm	Mary Langley
Sun. Jan. 16	9am	George Scanlon
	10:30	Matthew Carmody
	5:30pm	Dan Lamoureux
Mon. Jan. 17	9am	Nora Irwin, living intention
Tue. Jan. 18	9am	Claire Wilson, living intention
Wed. Jan. 19	9am	People of the Collaborative
Sun. Jan. 23	8am	Barbara Grace
	9am	Christopher Schwarz

**2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 16, 2022**

SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading:

As a young man marries a virgin,
your Builder shall marry you;
and as a bridegroom rejoices in his bride
so shall your God rejoice in you. (Is 62:5)

Psalm:

Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations. (Ps 96)

Second Reading:

But one and the same Spirit produces all of these,
distributing them individually to each person as he wishes.
(1 Cor 12:11)

Gospel:

Jesus did this as the beginning of his signs at Cana in
Galilee
and so revealed his glory,
and his disciples began to believe in him. (Jn 2:11)

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QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading:

The prophet Isaiah used marriage imagery (bridge and groom) to describe the Lord's love for his people, Israel. What do you see as some implications of this marriage imagery?

Second Reading:

Paul taught the Corinthians that the individual gifts of the Holy Spirit are meant to benefit and unify the community of faith. How do you use your spiritual gifts within your faith community?

Gospel:

Jesus turning water into wine at the wedding feast in Cana was one of the first public "signs" he performed revealing his divinity. It also showed Jesus' compassion, sparing the family shame at running short of wine. How do you imagine the family reacted to Jesus' intervention and rescue?

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**New time for outdoor Communion distribution
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8:45am - 9:15am

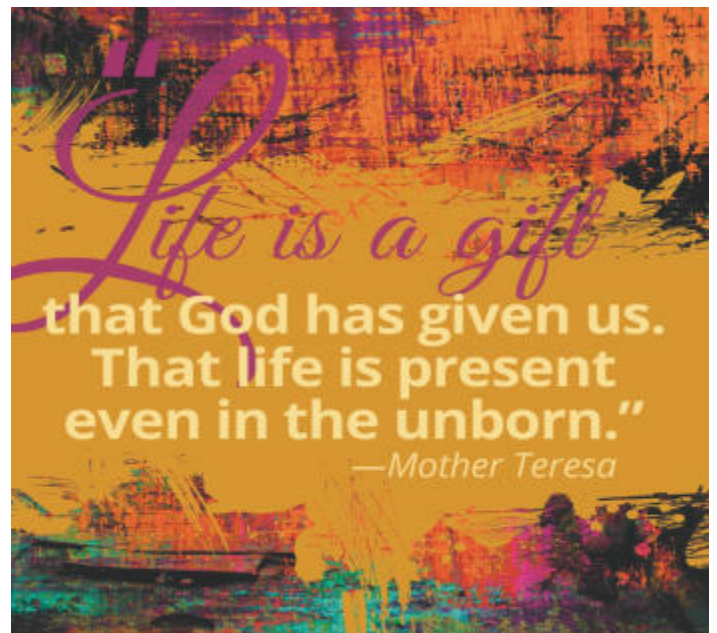
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- Parish phishing is on the increase. Be cautious of these types of communications:
 - ◆ Are you available to do something for me, I am at a meeting?
 - ◆ Your password needs to be changed.
 - ◆ Attachments, including invoices, delivery notices, Amazon, Apple, etc. Especially if unexpected or apparently sent in error. Do not open attachments but delete the email.
 - ◆ Links: like attachments, hackers use links as the means to install malware or to steal data (username and passwords). Do not click on a link unless it is from a known origin, and you are expecting it.
- Please be cautious of any requests for gift cards.
- Be cautious of any emails that request very quick action.
- Always call and confirm any emails that pertain to a financial transaction, e.g., new banking information, account changes, new direct deposit instructions, etc.

Next week's second collection supports the Church in Latin America (CLA).

The CLA provides support for pastoral projects in financially poorer dioceses in Latin America and the Caribbean. CLA funds catechetical and lay leadership programs, youth ministry, evangelization programs, and formation programs for religious, priests, and deacons. CLA is making it possible for the Catholic faithful in the Western hemisphere to help each other.

Please visit www.usccb.org/catholic-giving/opportunities-for-giving/latin-america/index.cfm for more information.





Spiritual Retreats for Grieving Parents

Join Us!

A Catholic Ministry serving the spiritual needs of parents whose children of any age have died by any cause, no matter how long ago

Loosing a child under any circumstances is horrendous. Focusing on the spirituality of the grieving process can help tremendously.

Just as He comforted his grieving disciples on the road to Emmaus, Jesus comforts us and we comfort each other in this very special Catholic ministry.

With other Emmaus Parent Companions and Spiritual Leaders, find spiritual nourishment in a warm and loving place—to think, talk, feel and pray. Find compassion, rest and peace... at least for a time.

Space is limited! When maximum number is reached, registration will close. For more information or to register, see www.emfgp.org today!



Learn more at www.emfgp.org
or call (800) 919-9332

All are welcome

EMMAUS MINISTRY FOR GRIEVING PARENTS SPIRITUAL RETREATS

Coming Soon!



ONE-DAY IN-PERSON RETREAT

Feb. 2, 2022, 9:00am-3:00pm
St. John the Evangelist Parish,
Waltham, MA

FIVE-HOUR VIRTUAL RETREAT

Feb. 16, 2022, 10:00am-3:00pm
Offered by the Archdiocese of New
York and Boston and the
Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston

SEVEN SORROWS OF MARY

3-WEEK IN-PERSON SEMINAR
March 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5,
12, 19, 26, 2022
St. John the Evangelist Parish,
Waltham, MA

ONE-DAY IN-PERSON RETREAT

March 22, 2022, 9:00am-3:00pm
St. Mary's, Morganstown, WV

ONE-DAY IN-PERSON RETREAT

April 2, 2022, 9:00am-3:00pm
Our Lady of Lourdes, Carver, MA

ONE-DAY IN-PERSON RETREAT

May 14, 2022, 9:00am-3:00pm
Our Lady of the Assumption,
Rahol, WI

SPACE IS LIMITED.
PLEASE REGISTER TODAY!

New retreats are often added.
Please keep checking
www.emfgp.org

BOOK CLUB



The Screwtape Letters by CS Lewis

Many of us associate CS Lewis with the Books of Narnia but did you know he was a prolific writer for adults as well including Mere Christianity. Screwtape Letters is a short book of 31 letters from a senior devil to his young nephew, a devil newbie. Through these letters, Lewis helps us recognize the subtle techniques, shadowy whispers and twists of the enemy and how to recognize him at work.

The eight week zoom meetings start Tuesday, February 8 at 7 pm.

The book is free on public domain, the library or can be purchased at any bookstore. Entertaining, perfect for Lent and as relevant today as when it was written during WW II.

Come for one or all sessions.

Contact Joanne Sano at emsano@verizon.net or Jude Crossen at interese@aol.com to register.

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Join us for this exciting new 7-session series on THURSDAY evenings.

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- Discerning our ultimate purpose in life

THURSDAY Evenings
January 13, January 20, January 27, February 3,
February 10, March 3, March 10

In person at St. Jude, 86 Main St. Norfolk, or via ZOOM (if in person optional pizza at 6:30 followed by program from 7:00 - 8:45, if via Zoom program 7:00 - 8:45).

Optional Retreat: Saturday, 9-11:00 AM (TBD)

For more information on this course or to register call or text John O'Connell at 774 222

If you would like to check out the program, please visit: www.ChristLife.org

Inactive Catholics who wish to take another look at the Catholic Church, are invited to join the **Virtual Landings Program**. Landings, a Reconciliation ministry of the Paulist Fathers, accompanies the returnees through their faith journey with compassionate listening.

We welcome those who are wounded, searching, and wondering. If you or someone you know are interested in the 6-week program, contact Pat Watson at Landingsdc@gmail.com by January 25.

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COMING ATTRACTIONS

HEY OPERA FANS!

Please reserve Saturday, January 29, 2022 to see "RIGOLETTO with Father Steve broadcast live from the Metropolitan Opera House in New York at Patriot Place.

Tickets are \$27. Please make check out to St. Edward Church with **Opera** on the memo line and drop off at your parish office by Monday, January 24th.



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Have you ever thought about becoming Catholic? Would you like to know more about God and the Church? Or, are you already baptized but still lack the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation?

If so, RCIA is for you! RCIA is a process of learning about and experiencing the Catholic faith with others in a friendly, small-group setting. It can lead to full membership in the Church through the Sacraments, but is also an open-ended process of asking questions and exploring.

Come, discover what you've been missing!

If you are interested or know someone who might be, please contact Fr. Gregory directly or call our parish offices.

Please keep in your prayers

Daniel Kane (Army),
Michael A. Kiessler (Army),
Michael O'Farrell (Navy),
Eric J. Doucette (Coast Guard),
Matthew Murby (Coast Guard),
Lucas D. LeBleu (Air Force),
Scott H. Grealish (Marine Corps),
John Sharkey (Army),
Jake Munger (Marine Corps),
Timothy Irwin (Marine Corps),
Alex Burrell (Navy),
John Donald Tamulionis (Army),
Peter Barrette, (Navy),
Mark FitzPatrick, (Army),
Scott Woodward, (Army)

who are courageously serving our country.

Also, please Remember in your prayers
Everyone Deployed.

Prayers for Our Service Men and Women

We would like to offer our prayers for the service men and women in our community. If there is someone in our church community or someone you would like to honor who is serving our country, please email

Louise Caussade, stjudeadmin@ejcatholic.org or
Eileen Trinity, stedadmin@ejcatholic.org



Need Marriage Help? – Retrouvaille (retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of couples struggling in their marriage.

For information on upcoming weekends in 2022 please visit www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call us at 508-271-7155.

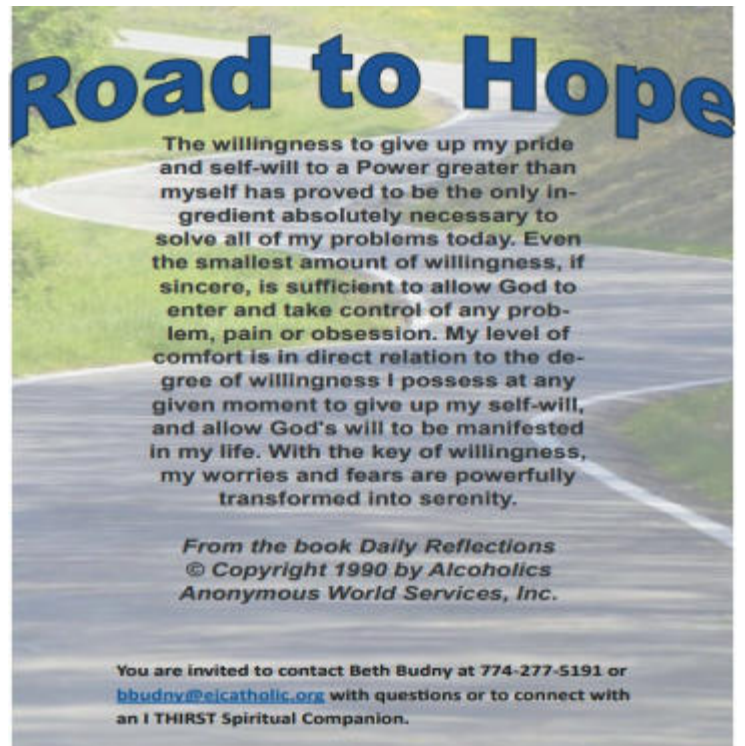
Our upcoming weekends for 2022:

FEBRUARY 25-27, 2022

MAY 6-8, 2022

AUGUST 12-14, 2022

NOVEMBER 11-13, 2022



One Family Knitters Prayer Shawls

Prayer shawls are available from One Family Knitters for anyone who is experiencing illness or death in the family. The shawls are blessed and accompanied by a prayer card.



If you wish to receive a prayer shawl for you or a loved one, please contact

Nancy @ 508-359-7251, Ann @ 315-481-5013
or email OFKnitters@gmail.com

Changes to Live Streaming at St Jude's Parish

Please note, as part of the changes that have taken place to automate/simplify the live-stream to NCTV, the "Live" transmission to YouTube will no longer be taking place. Rather, our viewers can view the stream "Live" at the Norfolk Cable web site, at:

<https://norfolkcable.com/watch/publicchannel/>

The following are the **Medfield Food Cupboard's** current needs :

Flour Sugar Oil Boost Ensure 100% Juice

Thank you for all your efforts. We try to be specific so that people know what we really need, but as always, **any donations are greatly appreciated. Thank you for your generosity!**

Prayer for Racial Healing*

God of Justice, God of Mercy, God of Wisdom

Triune God, in your Love you create all people in your image, without exception.

Through your goodness,

† Open our eyes to see the dignity, beauty, and worth of every human being.

† Open our minds to understand that all your children are brothers and sisters in the same human family.

† Open our hearts to repent of racist attitudes, behaviors, and speech which demean others.

† Open our ears to hear the cries of those wounded by racial discrimination, and their passionate appeals for change.

Strengthen our resolve

† to make amends for past injustices and

† to right the wrongs of history.

Fill us with courage that

† we might seek to heal wounds,

† we might build bridges,

† we might forgive, and,

† we might accept forgiveness,

and that

† we might establish peace and equality for all in our communities.

We ask all this in Jesus' name.

Amen.

*Adapted from Catholic Charities USA [Prayer for Racial Healing](#)

Gilly's House is a 501c3 nonprofit 12 step recovery men's sober home located in Wrentham, MA. We are so blessed to be able to continue to do God's work with the support of the community.

Most needed items at this time:

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Q-tips

shaving cream

Scotch Brite sponges

Chinet large paper plates

Gift cards to BJ's, Shaws, Market Basket, Big Y, Stop & Shop, Roche Bros, Lowes, Home Depot, Amazon, Walmart,

CVS, Walgreens, Dollar Tree, Christmas Tree Shop

There are drop off boxes in the front and back of St. Jude Church and at St Edward in the narthex.

Or to make a monetary donation please visit

www.gillyshouse.com, click on DONATE tab or mail to: Gilly's House, P. O. Box 110, 1022 West Street, Wrentham, MA 02093

ATTN: Maureen Cappuccino

All donations are tax deductible #82-1696539 Please call Maureen at 508 384 2251 or email

maureen@gillyshouse.com with any questions.



The Norfolk Food Pantry

Let's not forget those who are less fortunate during these cold winter months. The Food Pantry is accepting individually wrapped, after school snacks, as well as, any toiletries (soap, toothpaste and brushes, tissues, etc.)

The Norfolk Food Pantry is thankful for our generous contributions and support which benefits all the members of our community.

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Medfield or waiting for you at Mass. Please email cafejusto@ejcatholic.org with questions.

Dignity Matters

This non-profit organization collects personal products and underwear for women and girls who are homeless or living in very low income situations, in order to help them stay healthy, regain self-confidence, and live with basic dignity. Donations of pads (all types, including Depends), tampons, new underwear and new/gently used bras may be left in the blue bin in the lobby.



Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the
Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive
You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this
moment receive You
sacramentally, come at least
spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were
already there and unite
myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be
separated from You.

Amen.



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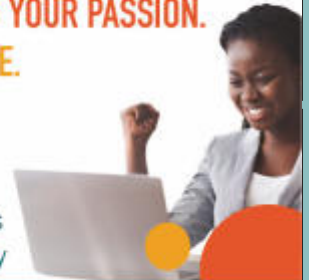
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