Saint Denis Parish

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Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am

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Monday–Wednesday
9:00 am

RECONCILIATION
Saturday 3:30 – 4:00 pm
or by appointment
Meet in church

OFFICE HOURS
Closed due to COVID-19
Office 24/7 available
on website:
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St Denis Cemetery
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https://saintdenisashburnham.org/cemetery

Next Week: August 22nd, 2021| 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time | Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b, Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32, Jn 6:60-69

Mass Intentions

Sat	8/14	4:30 pm	
Sun	8/15	8:00 am	For the Parishioners of St Denis
		10:00 am	
Mon	8/16	9:00 am	
Tues	8/17	9:00 am	
Wed	8/18	9:00 am	
Sat	8/21	4:30 pm	For the Parishioners of St Denis
Sun	8/22	8:00 am	Diana Bellabarba
			By Harry & Peggy Bellabarba
		10:00 am	Mary Catherine Coswell
			By Family

The **Knights of Columbus** are conducting food drives at **Vincents Market in Westminster** and **Village Market in Ashburnham**, Saturday Aug 14 from 9 - 1. This is to directly support the food pantries in both Westminster and Ashburnham. Due to COVID, there has been a higher than expected demand and the need to replenish stock. Come pickup some basic groceries to donate, helping both the poor and the local businesses.

Walk-a-Thon to raise money for Parish Scholarships

The Knights of Columbus are planning a walk-a-thon to raise money for Parish Scholarships. The walk-a-thon will be at the end of October in Westminster starting and ending at St Edward's. Volunteers are needed. If interested, contact Paul at affordableproperties.paul@gmail.com. We also need sponsors to donate water, prizes and sponsor advertised T-Shirts. We will also need gift baskets to raffle off. We appreciate any help as we try to get this kick started and making this an annual event to help our young adults.

Coffee House This Sunday

Coffee after all Sunday Masses. Come visit us and share coffee with friends! We are asking for volunteers to help keep this going. Call Gene at 978-872-8075

The Diocesan Dispatch

A weekly bulletin to keep parishes informed of news and events.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

"And Mary said, "My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior." (Luke 1: 46) After Jesus, we look to Mary as our model of stewardship. Her entire life was lived in obedience to God's will. Just as the moon reflects the light of the sun, Mary reflects the light of Christ. Like Mary, we too are called to reflect Christ to the world. We do this by living grateful and generous lives. We do this by putting other's needs before our wants.

Online Giving

Online Giving Instructions

Online giving is easier than you think. All you need is a computer or phone and a credit card or even direct bank transfer. You can do a one-time payment or set up weekly or monthly payments. If you are not sure, try a one-time payment to check it out. Our site is fully secured and private.

1) Go to: www.stdenisashburnham.com
2) Choose "Online Giving" from the top bar.
3) Click "Offertory"
4) "Chose A Fund" (i.e. Sunday Mass Offertory)
5) "Sub Funds" may also be available.
6) Add amount and check the checkbox to make it a recurring payment.
7) Follow the prompts to edit payment data
8) Click "Submit"

Online Giving+ NOW AVAILABLE

Online giving will instruct you on how to enter payment and set up an account if you choose to. By setting up an account, you can change your giving at any time, check how much you have given, provide a steady income for your church even when you are away on vacation or worse a pandemic strikes that disrupt all business. No bounced check fees, and if you give a small amount every week you do not even notice it. A credit card can also be used which provides protection from fraud.

Events | Notices | Calendar | Offertory Update

Fund Drive for Parish Parking Lot Repair

There are several methods to donate. Just drop an envelope marked "Parish Parking Project" in the basket in church or a one time donation under "Online Giving" on our website, or a recurring donation on the website to spread it out a bit.

Current Donations: $4,477.00
Goal we must reach: $6,900.00

Thank you all who have donated to this cause. The town is almost half finished with its sidewalk project. Once done, we begin!

Word of Life

For those who are gravely ill or dying: May our Blessed Mother ease their pain and fears, and by her glorious Assumption, console them with the hope of eternal life;

We pray to the Lord:

Mass & Online Resources

- **Sunday Mass at St Denis** *https://www.stdenisashbunham.com/parish-video*
- **Comcast: TV Channel 056 and 238**
- **DirectTV: TV Channel 370**
- **Dish: TV Channel 261**

EWTN Daily and Sunday Mass at radio stations 1230AM; 970AM; 101.1 FM; courtesy of Emmanuel Radio.

Sunday Mass Diocese:
https://vimeo.com/150110122
Daily Mass Diocese:
https://vimeo.com/120382588
Daily Readings from USCCB
www.usccb.org

For Our Sick . . .

Davis Jaison	Jermaine Chatman	Ellen Duffy
Daniel Xavier	Crystal Renee Brown	Ora Ciras
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Rajender sharma	Sabrina Guyton	Maria do Rosario
Gary Martines	Ivy Townsend	Joseph Ruth III
Gail Blanche	Eddie White	Bruce Parent
Simone Blanche	Eugene Jon	
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Fabien	Baptiste Lafferrerie	
Lucy Langelier	Al Minalga	
Wayne Sanborn	Darvis Rankins	
Irene Parent	Stephen B	
Rebbecca Harris	Elaine Ritchie	
Steve Dame	Steve Dame	

August

Sat	8/14	12:00 pm	Knights of the Word Meeting
		3:30 pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation *(will resume in church confessional)*
		4:30 pm	Saturday Mass
Sun	8/15	8:00 am	Sunday Mass
		10:00 am	Sunday Mass
Mon	8/16	9:00 am	Daily Mass
Tue	8/17	9:00 am	Daily Mass
Wed	8/18	9:00 am	Daily Mass
		9:30 am	Ladies Spiritual Enrichment Group *(In Home call 978-827-4892)*
Thur	8/19	7:00 pm	Kerygma Bible Study (Live)
		Zoom Meeting ID: 933 6160 6580 Passcode: BibleStudy	
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		4:30 pm	Saturday Mass
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		10:00 am	Sunday Mass

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Register Today! Starting Soon!

Registration is available on our website: https://saintdenisashburnham.org/registration you may call to get a paper version of the registration at 978-827-4892 and ask for Kim. Cost is $50/child and payment arrangements can be made if needed.

Parish Weekly Financials

Since 8/8/21		
Regular Envelopes	**$**	**1650.00**
Parish Needs	**$**	**125.00**
Parking Project	**$**	**20.00**
Mass Intentions	**$**	**0.00**
Other/Gift	**$**	**22.00**
Total	**$**	**1,817.00**
Online Giving:		
Sunday Offertory	**$**	**445.00**
Parish Needs	**$**	**20.00**
The Word among Us	**$**	**5.00**
Parking Project	**$**	**190.00**
Rel Education	**$**	**200.00**
Formed	**$**	**30.00**
Online Giving Total	**$**	**890.00**
Parish Total	**$**	**2,707.00**
Cemetery Donation:		
Cemetery Online	**$**	**50.00**
Cemetery Env.	**$**	**50.00**
Total	**$**	**100.00**
Diocese Funds:		
Central & East.	**$**	**135.00**

Thank you for your generous support of the parish. Your weekly financial support enables Saint Denis to provide for the community.

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