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NOVEMBER 7, 2021 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL

St. Anthony - 4:00pm

St. Elizabeth Seton - 4:00pm

St. Patrick - 7:00pm Brazilian Mass

SUNDAY

St. Anthony - 7:30am, 8:45am, 11:00am

St. Elizabeth Seton - 8:30am, 10:00am

St. Patrick - 9:00am, 5:00pm

All Masses at St. Anthony Church are live-streamed

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Weekday Masses

St. Anthony: Mon. thru Fri. 8am St. Anthony: Mon. 6-7pm Live-stream available

St. Elizabeth Seton: Tue., Wed. &Thú. at 9am

St. Patrick: Sat. 8am

Confessions

Sat 3-3:45pm

St. Elizabeth Seton: Thu 9:30am

Sat 3-3:45pm

St. Patrick: First Saturdays after 8am Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Anthony: Monday 6-7pm concluding with Benediction (ex. holidays)

St. Patrick: First Fridays at 12 noon concluding with Benediction at 3pm

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St. Anthony

Saturday, Nov 6

4:00pm: James Vincent O'Connor

Sunday, Nov 7

7:30am: Sandra Marks 8:45am: Cecile Lino 11:00am: Parishioners

Mon, Nov 8, 8:00am: Terrence Peter

Tue, Nov 9, 8:00am: Cecil Costa and Family Wed, Nov 10, 8:00am: John and Agnes Byrne Thu, Nov 11, 8:00am: Veterans -Living & Deceased

Fri, Nov 12, 8:00am: Thomas Fallon

Saturday, Nov 13

4:00pm: Blanche & George Gonsalves

Sunday, Nov 14

7:30am: Parishioners

8:45am: For The Souls Who Passed Away in October 11:00am: Al and Joseph Bishop, Priscilla Bishop Ellis

St. Patrick

Sunday, Nov 7

9:00am: Susan Kavanagh

5:00pm: Judy & Terry Ransbury

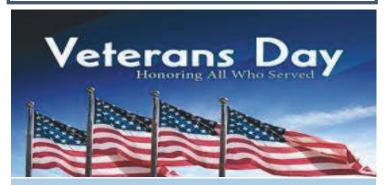
Saturday, Nov 13

8:00am: Michael Twomey

Sunday, Nov 14

9:00am: For the Souls Who Passes Away in October

5:00pm: Mary Alice Foley



As we honor and thank all veterans this Thursday, all parish offices will be closed. Please join us for Mass at 8am at St. Anthony and 9am at St. Elizabeth Seton.

St. Elizabeth Seton

Saturday, Nov 6

4:00pm: Ron Lefleur

Sunday, Nov 7

8:30am: Burns & Colegary Families

10:00am: Mary Fromme

Tues, Nov 9, 9:00am: Angelina Correia Wed, Nov 10, 9:00am: Alice Yenulevich

Thu, Nov 11, 9:00am: For our Veterans, living and de

ceased and 1st Lt Thomas Redgate

Saturday, Nov 13

4:00pm: Dorathea G Mulkern

Sunday, Nov 14

8:30am: Nancy Carney

10:00am:For The Souls Who Passed Away in October



THE ADULT FAITH FORMATION COMMITTEE invites you to enter more deeply into the Advent season with "Rejoice! Finding Your Place in the Advent Story." It consists of a daily journal and a weekly meeting designed to deepen your appreciation of the places, people and events of the very first Advent, so you can encounter the Lord in your own life and heart this December. Experience an Advent more peaceful and meaningful than ever before.

We will be holding the program on the four Sundays of Advent (Nov 28; Dec 5, 12 and 19) from 3:15-4:45pm downstairs at St. Patrick. Bring your bible. Journals are \$10. Register with Carol Bouchard by Monday, Nov 21 at 575-649-4328 or zazoo.b@gmail.com.



MEETING THIS WEEKEND: GRADES 1,2,3 & Confirma-

tion

MEETING NEXT WEEKEND: GRADES 4,5 & 6

Class calendars and workbooks can be found online at www.Falmouthcatholic.org.

Any questions or for further information, please contact Jonathan Galo at 508 548 3515 or jgalo@falmouthcatholic.org (or Julia Goldschmidt at jgoldschmidt@falmouthcatholic.org.

ADULTS INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is the Church's process of welcoming people into the Catholic Church. The process focuses on spiritual and educational formation.

If you or someone you know are interested in becoming Catholic or if you are interested in helping with RCIA, please contact Tom Palanza Jr:

tpalanzajr@falmouthcatholic.org.

CONSIDER A CATHOLIC EDUCATION FOR YOUR CHILDREN



St. John Paul II School in Hyannis has openings in the Preparatory Grades 5-8 and in the High School 9-12.

Join us for a Virtual Preview Night of the SJP2 School on Thursday, November 18 at 7:00pm. Can't make it? Ask for a personal tour or become a "Lion for A Day" Contact Admissions at 508 862-6336 for more information.



Bishop Stang High School in Dartmouth has been offering a Catholic Education for families in the Southeastern MA area for over 60 years!

Learn more about what sets Bishop Stang apart on their website: www.bishopstang.org or call their admissions office at 508-996-5602 x435 or x424 to chat or schedule a visit.

NATIONAL VOCATIONS WEEK 2021

Vocation is at the center of the Catholic understanding of a person's relationship with God. Catholics believe that people do not randomly come into life with no purpose or direction. Rather, each individual person is called by God to enjoy a loving relationship with Him. Knowing each person's unique gifts and talents, God further calls us to live in particular lifestyles that best make use of our talents for service to the world and that best lead us to our own happiness. Discerning your vocation is an important step towards a happy life.

The week of November 7-13 is dedicated to praying in support of all those who are discerning God's call, especially youth who are deciding between following a single, married, religious, or ordained life. Resources for discernment can be found on the Diocese' Vocations website: **www.fallrivervocations.org**.

Please pray in particular for our Diocese' Seminarians: Transitional Deacons William O'Donnell, Gregory Quenneville, Matthew Laird, Laurent Valliere and Seminarians John Garabedian, Brian Connors, Christopher Hughes, Thiago Menezes, Bryan Bangs, Lucas daCosta, and Shayne Dias. Posters with their pictures are located at the entrances of each church. Please also pray for even more men to answer God's call to priesthood!

Parish Support

We thank you, parishioners and guests alike, for your support of our parish community. Please note, now that we are a unified parish, all checks should be made out to "St. Joseph Parish." The banks will soon not allow us to deposit checks in the parish account made out to the individual churches (St. Anthony, St. Elizabeth Seton, St. Patrick.) God bless you for your generosity.

St. Joseph, Guardian of the Holy Family Parish Oct 30/31

1st Collection—Parish Operations: \$11,210.00

2nd Collection: *Energy*: \$4,679.00

Online Month of October: \$22,601.00

St. Thomas Renovation to Date: \$74,532.00

Next Week Second Collection: Maintenance



Pastoral Letter from Bishop da Cunha

"God is calling us to move forward and not stand still. My hope in this pastoral letter is to offer you a vision for how we can do this and how you can join us in moving forward into the future as a Diocese."

Bishop da Cunha's Pastoral Letter is posted on our website!

NOTICE TO ALL PARISH ORGANIZATIONS AND GROUPS

When scheduling events held at a parish facility, please contact our main office to check availability of spaces. We want to avoid double-booking and make sure your group can have a successful event!

When requesting a bulletin announcement, please email bulletin@falmouthcatholic.org at least 2 weeks before you'd like the announcement to appear in the bulletin. Requests should include the dates you'd like the announcement to run, information about the event, and contact information for the event organizer. Thank you for your cooperation!

ST. JOSEPH PARISH NEWS

ST JOSEPH HOLY SOULS PRAYER GROUP

The St Joseph Parish Holy Souls Prayer Group will pray the Rosary for our beloved dead on **November 8th at 8:30 am** in the St Anthony Church Cemetery. Please join us in prayer at the flag pole. All are welcome.

ST JOSEPH COUPLES CLUB

Our last meeting of the year will be held Sunday, **November 7th at 7pm** in St. Anthony Church basement. We will be discussing our annual Christmas basket sale, Christmas party and future activities. As always, refreshments will be provided. Hope to see you there. New members are always welcome or just come to see what we're all about!

ROSARY MAKING

Want to enjoy a morning of rosary-making fun? Come on down to the sacristy at St. Elizabeth Seton on **Wednesday, November 10 from 9:45-11:15am**. We will supply everything—just bring yourself! Some rosaries we make stay local; others go around the world, including to Mother Teresa's nuns. Questions? Contact Carol Bouchard at 575-649-4328 or zazoo.b@gmail.com.

THANK YOU

The Knights of Columbus Falmouth Council 813 would like to thank St. Joseph Parish for your generosity. Parishioners donated \$1334 from the 3 churches for God's special needs children. Thanks!

ST. JOSEPH MEN'S CLUB RAFFLE

Week 16: Henry Leeds

BOY SCOUT WREATH SALES

Boy Scouts Troop 42 will be selling Christmas wreaths and fresh greenery to raise funds for their activities. Scouts will have a table set up in the parking lot to sell and distribute before and after Masses on the following dates:

St. Anthony

4pm Mass:

Saturday, Nov 13 (orders), Nov 20, Nov 27 and Dec 4 8:45am Mass:

Sunday, Nov 14 (orders), Nov 21 and Nov 28

St. Elizabeth Seton

8:30am Mass:

Sunday, Nov 14 (orders), Nov 21 and Nov 28

St. Patrick

9:00am Mass:

Sunday, Nov 14 (orders), Nov 21 and Nov 28

Please support our scouts!

ST. JOSEPH MEN'S CLUB

On October 1st, the Men's Club welcomed their newly elected President, Joe Amaral of St. Elizabeth Seton Church and Vice President, Mat Baldasaro, from St Anthony's Church. The election of these new Men's Club officers from different churches signals a significant step in the convergence of churches in our parish. During their two-year terms, both Joe and Mat have indicated that they will be focused on gaining new Men's Club members from all three churches in our parish. Here's wishing them both the best of luck! For more information on the Men's Club and its mission, contact Membership Chairman, Steve Withrow at: trinity138@comcast.net.

BECOME PART OF THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

All children and teens (grades pre-K—12) interested in participating in the 2021 Christmas pageant at St. Elizabeth Seton Church on Christmas eve, Dec. 24th at 3:30 pm and singing at the 4:00pm Christmas Eve Mass should contact Caitlin Foos at caitlinrenee09@gmail.com or 508 274-2721 with questions or to sign up. A children's instrument ensemble including handbells will also be offered. The children will wear masks to assure a safe environment for all. We will have TWO MANDATORY PRACTICES on Saturday, Dec 18 from 1:00-2:30pm and on Thursday, Dec 23 from 2:00-3:00pm. Costumes will be handed out at that time. No experience necessary! Please consider being a special part of the Christmas Eve celebration and sign up by Nov 28th!

DIAPER COLLECTION

St Joseph Parish will be collecting diapers for the Falmouth Service Center on **Nov 6&7 and Nov 13&14**. The Service Center is requesting size 3,4,5 and 6 diapers. There will be containers at the doors of our three churches. We are grateful for your help

ST. ANTHONY NEWS FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

Boxed Potatoes, Rice Products, **Holiday Needs:** TUR-KEYS,(PLEASE place in large freezer downstairs) Pie Crust mix, Turkey Gravy, Canned Yams and Creamed Corn. Thank you for your support.

WINTER GLOVE COLLECTION

St. Anthony's SVdP will be collecting new gloves, mittens, hats and scarves to warm our neighbors in need. All adult and children sizes needed. Baskets will be at the entrances to St. Anthony Church until Nov 14th.

SVDP THRIFT SHOP

New Shop hours are Wed-Sat 10-3, Thurs 10-6. Donations accepted 10-1 Wed-Sat.

AROUND THE AREA

AFGHANI FAMILIES HELP NEEDED

Communities in SE Mass are coming together to help resettle some of our Afghan brothers and sisters recently evacuated by US forces. A team of volunteers called the SE Mass People Open to Welcoming Immigrants and Refugees (POWIR) Team has committed to receiving two families, one to settle in the Upper Cape and one in Plymouth. The team is in urgent need of: Accommodation with 2-3 bedrooms, Financial Support. Donations can be sent to Corpus Christi Parish, 324 Quaker Meeting House Rd, Sandwich, MA 02537. Write POWIR in memo line.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

A special Mass will be celebrated for couples observing significant wedding anniversaries (Including first year) during 2022. The celebration will take place on Sunday, February 13, 2022 at St. Mary Cathedral in Fall River. If you would like an invitation, please let Fr Steve know as soon as possible.

PRAYER LIST

Please remember in your prayers:

Salim Ali, Richard Afonso, Eileen Bancroft, Elizabeth C. Bates, Lynn Beaudin, Richie Botsch, Dorothy Joan Breckenridge, Cindy Campbell, Justin Campbell, Mary Ann Carcieri, William Carney, Gerry Castleberry, Bridget Ann Cauliffeld, Karli Marie Chadwick, Craig Clarkson, Alex Cvitan, Rosemary Daveta, Joseph Dolaher, Norman Drouin, Ann Duran, Nancy Fave. Aggie Geggatt, Richard Geggatt, Theresa Goodnow, Theresa Goodspeed, Trinity LaBeet Green, Michael Hannigan, Grace Haslett, Mabel Corey Higgs, Michael Huxley, Dianne Jardin, Julie Jardin, Maryanne Keevins, Clare Kelleher, John Kelly, Mary LaBeet, McElhinney, Ken McIntyre, Tim MacIsaac, Rosemary Merana, Joann Michaels, Gloria Mitchell, Robert Mitchell, The Mueller Family, Kurt Mueller Sr, Mona Neighbors, Helen Pino, Thomas William Quinn, Kathy Rodriguez, James Sawyer, John Schlichte, Joseph Schlichte, Claire Silvia, Betsy Simonis, James Souza, Ellen Sullivan-Stevens, Terrance Sullivan, Manuel Sylvester Jr, The Waite Family, Elizabeth Ward, Richard Williams Sr, and Terra Willis.

NOVEMBER PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Parishioners are encouraged to write names of deceased loved ones in a Book of Remembrance located in our three churches. You may also call or email our main office to have names included in the book, or visit our website to submit names online. Names will be accepted through November.

Parishioners are also encouraged to pray for all the dead during November. St. Gertrude prayer cards are located near each Book of Remembrance, the Holy Souls Prayer Group welcomes people to join them, and other prayer resources will be available in the churches. *Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord!*



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