

Confirmation

May 21, 2023



St. Mary's Parish Foxborough, MA

#### **Mass Times**

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm

Sunday: 7:00am 9:00am 11:00am

Monday - Saturday: 9:00am

#### Sacrament of Baptism

Second Sunday of the month at 12:30pm. Please call the Rectory to register your child.

Baptism Preparation Classes are held the 1st Sunday of each month @12:30pm.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturdays 2:45pm-3:45pm or by appointment or by request after Mass.

#### Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples planning to be married at Saint Mary's should make an appointment to meet with the priest in person, at least one year prior to the wedding date and prior to booking a venue/vendor.

#### Sacrament of the Sick

Please call the Rectory for an appointment.

**Eucharistic Adoration** 

**Fatima Prayer Cells** 

Fridays - 9:30am-noon

Tuesdays following 9:00am Mass Thursdays - 3:30pm-4:30pm

#### **Holy Souls Prayer Group**

Fridays - 3:00pm-4:00pm

#### **Holy Rosary Prayer Group**

Mondays-Saturdays - 8:25am

#### St. Mary's Prayer Line

If you have a prayer request or are interested in joining our Prayer Line please email Laurie at Ibubencik@stmarysfoxboro.org or call the Rectory.

#### **Catholic Daughters**

Meetings are the third Sunday of each month after the 11am Mass.

#### **Knights of Columbus**

Meetings are the first Friday of each month @7pm with a Rosary at 6:30pm.

#### **Low Gluten Hosts**

Please speak to one of the ushers or the celebrant before Mass if you would like to receive a low gluten host

<u>Change of Address</u>: Make sure to stay connected! Send any changes to your address or telephone number to the Rectory or email lbubencik@stmarysfoxboro.org.

To have the bulletin emailed directly to you, please visit

http://www.pilotbulletins.net/sign-up/to register for this service.

#### St. Mary's Mission Statement

Saint Mary's Church is a Roman Catholic community of faith established in 1859 in Foxborough, Massachusetts within the Archdiocese of Boston. We are a parish committed to worshipping together, to publicly living, teaching and sharing our faith, and to working at becoming a community with a shared responsibility for meeting the challenge of being a Roman Catholic in a modern world.

#### **PARISH STAFF**

Rev. Kevin Hickey, Pastor

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Rev. Bertrand Proulx, Parochial Vicar

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#### PARISH OFFICE

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#### Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:30-3:00pm

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#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

508-543-4577

Hours: Monday – Thursday 9:30-3:00pm

Email: ndavin @stmarysfoxboro.org

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Foxboro, MA 02035

Rectory Mailing Address: 83 Central Street,

Foxboro, MA 02035

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## COFFEE AND DONUTS

Caffeine, Sugar and Chat

Please join us downstairs every Sunday for coffee and donuts after the 9am Mass.



4:00	<b>†SATURDAY, May 27</b> Members of St. Mary's Parish	
7:00 9:00 11:00	†SUNDAY, May 28 Joseph and Angela Bagley Bob and Maureen Hardister Clarence Lenney	Memorial
9:00	<b>†MONDAY, May 29</b> Ben DiMascio	Birthday Rem.
9:00	†TUESDAY, May 30 Irene Mary Shea	
9:00	†WEDNESDAY, May 31 Josephine Smith	
9:00 4:00	<b>†SATURDAY, June 3</b> Fr. Brian Smith Holy Souls in Purgatory	
	†SUNDAY, June 4	

Please remember in your prayers the ill and infirmed of the parish and all our beloved deceased, including our Mass Intentions Guild.

Members of St. Mary's Parish

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#### **Sanctuary Candle**

The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week in memory of Rose and Tom Dalton, Katlyne Dalton-Shepard and Thoms Patrick Sullivan.

If you would like to remember your beloved deceased by lighting the Sanctuary Candle in their memory, please call the Rectory. A \$30 good will offering is suggested.

Weekly Offertory: \$8,080

OFFERTORY

# St. Mary's Guild

The St. Mary's Women's Guild Scholarship Committee is once again offering two scholarships. Applications are available on the table at the entrance to St. Mary's Church or may be picked up at the Rectory during regular business hours. Applications can also be downloaded from the St. Mary's website. Application Deadline is June 18.

## Please remember in your prayers the following men and women serving in our military:

William Albano, Louise Balduf, Graham P. Johnston, Daniel Sheehan, Shane McAuley. Also Sean Davey, Corporal Eric Thomas, Cpt. Joseph A. Colantoni, Sgt. James R. Jarvis III, US Army 1st Lt. Brian Johns & Master Sgt. Chris Butler. Also Staff Sgts. Andrew & Arielle Grato, Sgt. Eric Seiden, Army Airborne. Also Frank Fleming, Matthew Goode, USAF Major David Gonsalez, USMC Ryan Davis, Lt. Colonel Kevin Michael Ryan, Major Lindsey Ryan, Army MSG James Crowley, William Lopatka, Pvt. 1st Class Elizabeth V. McCarthy-Tang.

Also Corp. Senghak Tang. PFC Hyder Alsatlawi, USCG Matt Bonneau, US Army Faryn Little, USAF Daniel W. Luring, Chief Warrant Officer 2 Jesse Boyd, Sgt. Nicole L. Jenkins, Capt. Bill Lord, Lt. FC Sarah Lord, Lt. Comm. Anthony LaCourse and GM2 Paul J. Bergman. Also USMC Eric Kelly, USAF Lt. Colonel Mark Barrera, Spec. Ryan Fallows, US Army Private Mitchell Connolly, Sgt. Jeffrey Kielpinsk.

And Steven Tyler Morse, Justin Rose, TSGT-USAF Steven Freitas, Naval Reservist Senator Michael Rush, Air Force Pilot 1st Lt.. Kevin Winslow, US Spec. Thomas C. Boyle, Jr., SSGT Dane Pare, USMC D Pvt. Daniel J. Flynn, US Army Sgt. Ryan H. Mckay, USMC Lance Corporal Timothy Shallow, Jr., USAF Major Erol S. Kelter, USAF Major Sarah E. Kelter, USMC Sgt. Derek Boti, USMC Corporal Tyler Geary, K.C. Zerfoss, USMC Lance Corporal Andrew Santos, Catherine Balduf, Patrick J. Mitchell, TSGT Kevin O'Hara, USAF, USMC Pvt. George Eliopoulus, USN Casey D. Carbone, Private 1st Class John O'Neil, 75th Ranger Regimen, Sgt. Peter Cannizzaro, Ryan McGrath USAF, US Army National Guard, Airman 1st Class Matthew Timmons, CPO Jacob Patriarca, US Navy, Capt. William Buckley III US Army, E5 Staff Sergeant Brandon Miller, Senior Airman, MGy Peter O'Brien USMC, US Marine PFC Anthony Votano, USN LT Joseph Gallagher, US Navy E4 Aidan Paul Duffy, Army Capt. Rachel Miller, E4 SPC Brian C. Booth, Navy Recruit Erin E. Rehill, James Rehill, Jr., US Army, James Leahy, USMC, Brian Czolada, US Army, USMC Sgt. Jonathan L. Storrs, US Army Trevor Little, USMC Raymond Fuller, USN Patrick DeMichele, Airman Gregory Stafford Eimers

If you have a family member, friend or loved one serving in the military please call the Rectory 508-543-7726.

## SECOND COLLECTION

#### this week (May 28) supports

the formation and training of **seminarians** in the Archdiocese of Boston for future service as priests. We are blessed that many are responding to the call to serve as priests. Please be generous and support these seminarians on their journey toward their ordination to the priesthood. For more information, please visit www.VocationsBoston.org.



The **Knight of Columbus** is once again adding to their Memorial Brick Garden.

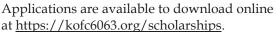
Each year, parishioners have the opportunity to purchase a brick for a loved one. The garden is

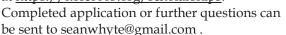
located in front of the parking lot on Carpenter Street. Forms are located at the back of the church. Deadline to order a brick is June 30.

**Scholarship** Attention students! Knights of Columbus Council 6063 is awarding 3 scholarships. Submit your applications for consideration by June 1.

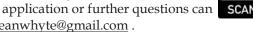


- 1) Paul J Reynolds Memorial Scholar-
- ship. For graduating high school seniors currently residing in Foxboro or Sharon.
- 2) James Stark Memorial Nursing Scholarship. For students in nursing school or about to attend nursing school in the upcoming school year.
- 3) 6063 Scholarship. For students attending college with a father or grandfather being a member of 6063.















#### Congratulations to our very own Paul Beck!

Paul was awarded the Legacy Award at the Marilyn Rodman Awards. This award is for someone with a strong community spirit, a passion for the arts, has a strong focus on equity and access for all, is a creative problem solver and has a forward thinking vision. Paul is our AV guru at St. Mary's and we agree, he is fantastic!! Thank you, Paul!





Cardinal Séan ordains 5 new priests.





## **Pentecost**

entecost marks the occasion of God sending the Holy Spirit upon Jesus' disciples after his Resurrection. The book of Acts describes how the disciples were gathered together in one place on the day of Pentecost. The Jewish feast of Pentecost (Shavuot or the Feast of Weeks) was a day that commemorated the giving of the law to Moses, a day soon to be marked as well by the giving of the Holy Spirit. The day of Pentecost was a turning point for the disciples:

Before Pentecost, the disciples were unsure of what they were to do next and spent most of their time in hiding. After Pentecost and [receiving] the gifts of the Holy Spirit, they understood their mission to spread the Good News of Jesus, and they had the courage to come out of hiding and speak openly about who Jesus was and what he had accomplished by his dying and rising.1

On Pentecost, the Holy Spirit gave the disciples the strength to fulfill their commission to spread the Good News of Jesus. The Church marks this day through a special liturgical celebration:



The Solemnity of Pentecost, on the fiftieth day of Easter, concludes the Easter season. In recent years, the Church has restored the extended vigil for this solemnity. Similar to Easter, the vigil of Pentecost includes four readings from the Old Testament, each with a proper

Psalm and prayer, along with the Epistle and Gospel. At the conclusion of the Mass during the Day, the Paschal Candle is extinguished and moved to its permanent location near the baptismal font.<sup>2</sup>

The Solemnity of Pentecost, which crowns and fulfills the Easter season, is a good time to pray for a deeper indwelling of the Holy Spirit.

#### Notes

- 1 Fact of Faith by Fr. Larry Rice, featured in This Week in Ministry, no. 26.
- 2 Essential Guide to Seasons and Saints, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, 2013, 35.



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#### **Abundant Hope Pregnancy Resource Center**

**Did you know...** Abundant Hope Pregnancy Center gives families free diapers, wipes, formula and other baby goods on a monthly basis until age 2. All that is needed to qualify is a WIC card, a parent ID and a birth certificate for the child. Last month we helped 70 families thanks to your donations! Need some help? Contact us at 508-455-0425. **Serving the community since 2011 - from pregnancy testing to potty training!** 

#### WORCESTER CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

All women are invited to this exciting Conference, "Male & Female He Created Them", to be held at St. Joseph School in Webster, MA on Saturday, October 7th. Hear dynamic talks from outstanding Catholic leaders, Dr. Deborah Savage, Dr. Christopher Klofft, Fr. Derek Mobilio, Fr. Colin Blatchford, and Patricia Sandoval. Diocesan and religious priests will hear confessions and there will be many interesting exhibitors. Bishop McManus will celebrate Mass. For more information and to register, visit our website at <a href="https://www.wcwconference.com">www.wcwconference.com</a> or call Corinn Dahm at 508-277-3969. Seating is limited, register today!

#### 17th Annual Father Bullock Run Walk Shuffle

Please join us for the 17th Annual Father Bullock Run Walk Shuffle in Sharon on Sunday, 6/11, at 5:45pm, for a 5k run or a 2-mile walk. There will also be a fun (and free!) 1k kids' run before the race. Proceeds go towards the Alan Conway Memorial Scholarship, the Sharon Pluralism Network, and Facing History & Ourselves. Registration can be done online: <a href="https://www.sharon5krun.com">www.sharon5krun.com</a> or on the day of the race.

We also need volunteers! If you're interested in helping out on the day of the race, please email damsfd@comcast.net.



#### Pilgrimage to Rome, Florence, and Assisi October 1st – 11th, 2023

Have you ever had a desire to see St. Peter's Basilica, the Sistine Chapel, or the Vatican Museum? Join Fr. Joe Raeke of Plymouth on a 10-day beautiful journey of faith. It is an escorted pilgrimage with flight, meals, and lodging included. We have Mass every day in the most extraordinary Churches ever built.

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\$500 deposit per person by June 15th

### Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass October 29, 3:00-4:30pm

Cardinal Seán O'Malley, OFM Cap. invites all couples celebrating their 10th, 25th, 50th or other milestone wedding anniversaries to attend the Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass on Sunday, October 29th at 3:00 PM at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross in Boston. A special vow renewal and blessing will be offered by the Cardinal with an opportunity for photos after the Mass. Please select one ticket per couple.

https://www.evangelizeboston.com/event/annualwedding-anniversary-mass-2/



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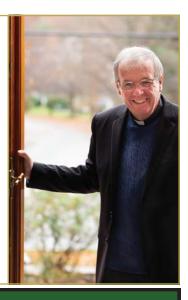
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