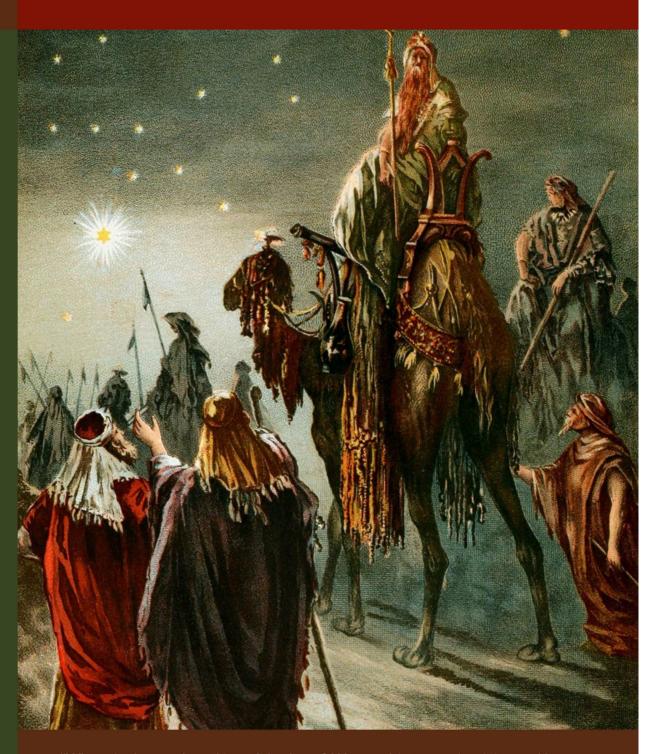
### **Christ By The Sea Catholic Collaborative**

St. Anthony of Padua, Cohasset St. Mary of the Assumption, Hull



"Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." Matthew 2:2



### Still Deciding Your New Year's Resolution?

Consider volunteering! Volunteering benefits not only the community that is being served, but the person serving the community as well. Here are four reasons why volunteering makes the perfect New Year's Resolution:

### 1. Volunteering can improve your physical and mental health.

As a volunteer, you're on the move—whether you're greeting parishioners at Church or serving coffee after Mass—volunteering helps you stay active. Not only that, but volunteering can also reduce stress and increase happiness—volunteers often develop a sense of meaning and appreciation when in service to others.

### 2. Volunteering can provide a sense of purpose and teach you valuable skills.

Giving your time and effort to cause that you find meaningful can create a sense of purpose within you. The work you provide as a volunteer can also increase life satisfaction as well as self-esteem!

### 3. Volunteering can nurture new and existing relationships.

Volunteering gives you an opportunity to interact with people from all walks of life! It is a great way to make new friends and strengthen existing relationships, all while participating in shared activities.

### 4. You can make a difference.

When you volunteer, any kind act, big or small, can make a difference.

### Consider how your volunteering can impact our collaborative's mission by:

Enhancing liturgy, sacraments, music, and pastoral care Expanding youth and adult faith formation offerings Growing evangelization efforts and fostering more vocations Securing and beautifying facilities and grounds Increasing community outreach and ministry efforts Strengthening parish staff



Call or stop by the collaborative office at any time to find out more about volunteer opportunities at your Parish!





**HULL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** 

## BLOOD DRIVE

2:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

St Mary of the Assumption Parish Hall 204 Samoset Avenue in Hull, MA

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### **DEACON'S BENCH**

Whoever finds God, finds everything. Whoever loses God, loses everything.



ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE

### JOIN THE CONVERSATION ON SYNODALITY

The Pastoral Council for our parishes invites you to their January meeting which will provide an opportunity to learn about synodality and join the conversation.

### **Leaders of the Session**

### Fr. Paul Soper

participated in the priest session of the Synod & is in residence with Fr. Scott & Fr. Hung at the St. Anthony Parish rectory.

### Fr. Bob Connors

is the Episcopal Vicar for the South Region of the Archdiocese of Boston & who also participated in the Synod.



### MONDAY

JANUARY 13TH, 2025



### **START AT**

7:15 P.M. IN ST. ANN CHURCH HALL, HULL

# Come early,

Come early, at 6:00 p.m. for a Eucharistic holy hour, during which the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available, and stay for the meeting.

### **MAIN TOPIC**

The three-year Synod on Synodality (2021-2024) concluded recently, but the learning, conversation, and implementation continue.

Holy Hour
For Itale

Join US

January 20

Deacon Mike Judge will join other Deacons throughout the Archdiocese of Boston in leading Holy Hours for Life this January. Our local Holy Hour for Life will take place at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, January 20, in St. Anthony of Padua Church in Cohasset. Join us for this time of prayer, reparation, and healing.

Winter Coat Drive

Sponsored by Middle School & High School Faith Formation & Youth Ministry Buckets will be at the entrances of both Churches and the Collaborative Pastor Center **for all of January.** 

Coats & Socks will be distributed by the high school young people on Saturday, **February 1st** in Boston









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For More Info

### 2025 Jubilee: The Holy Year OCTOBER 8 - 16TH, 2025 (9 DAYS)

Pope Francis has announced that 2025 will be a Jubilee Year, something which happens every 25 years. The theme for Jubilee 2025 is "Pilgrims of Hope," and it will be a year of hope for a world suffering the impacts of war, the ongoing effects of COVID-19 pandemic, and the climate crisis. "Jubilee" is the name given to a particular year. A time to re-establish a proper relationship with God, with one another, and with all of Creation.

Come join us on a pilgrimage to Rome and discover why Italy is a bastion of Catholicism as you visit Rome's Seven Pilgrim Churches and the Catacombs. Attend the weekly Papal audience and receive the blessing given by the Pope. Spend time at the Basilica of St. Francis in Assisi, the beloved saint's hometown. Discover Michelangelo's Last Judgment mural and explore St. Peter's Basilica. See the world's most inspirational sites and relics in Rome and Assisi amid the Roman Catholic Church's Year of Jubilee.





January 5, 2025 Epiphany of the Lord Is 60:1-6 | Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 | Mt 2:1-12

Written by THE FAITHFUL DISCIPLE

### GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

Deeply fatigued from their perilous journey, the three wise men must have been filled with doubt and hope in equal measure, wondering if the star would truly lead them to the promised King. "Is this really worth it?" they may have questioned. "Will we ever meet this child?" And then, in a single gaze, Christ broke into the world of humanity. In this perfect encounter with the Son of God, the wise men "prostrated themselves" and "opened their treasures" before him – in all his glory and all his innocence. We, on our earthly pilgrimage, may relate to feeling exhausted, full of both hope and heartache, as we wait and wonder where we will meet Jesus. Today, remember, he is here, among us. Waiting for our presence, waiting for our heart. Like today's Scripture from Isaiah, the Magi must have experienced their hearts throbbing and overflowing with wonder and awe at the sight of their long-awaited King.

#### GO EVANGELIZE

### PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

"Your light has come!" What thrilling words these must have been, proclaimed to a world that had been shrouded in darkness, eagerly - desperately - waiting for their God to save them. And not only has their light come; with it came a promise that this light would guide all nations. Yet this invitation to light, to freedom, also comes with a great responsibility. This light that came into the world isn't just for us to follow; it is also for us to reflect to others. In today's world, this may not involve leading flocks of sheep or strumming a 10-stringed lyre, but it does call us to live as radiant witnesses of Christ's love, always singing his praise! Perhaps this means living joyfully despite our suffering. Maybe it looks like practicing generosity, when we feel like we have little left to give or remaining hopeful in a bleak situation. We are called to praise at all times, but it takes different forms in the different seasons of our life. Whatever season we find ourselves in, let us, like the Magi, seek the King, trusting in his promise and following his light.

#### REFLECT

Consider areas in your life where the Child Jesus is waiting to break in. Where does he long to heal you, comfort you, and bring you peace? Like the wise men, we are on a pilgrimage filled with hope - and at times, fear and restlessness. On this great feast, let us offer Jesus our treasure - our hearts - and, in return, he will give us the greatest gift of all: himself.

### St. Anthony's

### St. Mary's

Pray With Us									
Day	Time	Intentions	Day	Time	Intentions				
Sat, Dec 28	5:30 PM	Eleanor A. Daley	Sat, Dec 28	4:00 PM	Charles Hanley				
Sun, Dec 29	8:30 AM	James Sheehy	Sun, Dec 29	7:00 AM	Maria Bongarzone (4th Anniv)				
	11:30 AM	Bartholomew P. Winn (20th Anniv)		10:00 AM	Vincenzo Barbuto (Month's Mind)				
	5:00 PM	Prayers for the People of the Parishes							
Mon, Dec 30	7:00 AM		Mon, Dec 30						
Tues, Dec 31			Tues, Dec 31	9:00 AM	Bobby Cochlin, (3rd Anniv)				
Wed, Jan 1	8:30 AM	Holy Family	Wed, Jan 1	10:00 AM	Holy Family				
Thurs, Jan 2			Thurs, Jan 2	9:00 AM	Elizabeth Buckman (4th Anniv)				
Fri, Jan 3	7:00 AM		Fri, Jan 3						
Sat, Jan 4	5:30 PM	Janice Rosano (18th Anniv)	Sat, Jan 4	4:00 PM	Mary Margaret Burke (Month's Mind)				
Sun, Jan 5	8:30 AM	For the People of the Parishes	Sun, Jan 5	7:00 AM	Deceased members of the Herbert Fleck Family				
	11:30 AM	Donald J. O'Neill (8th Anniv)		10:00 AM	Deceased Members of the Fazio Family, Frank & Mary Fazio & Charles & Viola Fazio				
	5:00 PM	Antonio Gulla							

Mass Schedule								
Day	Time	Day	Time					
Saturday	5:30 PM	Saturday	4:00 PM					
Sunday	8:30 AM, 11:30 AM, 5:00 PM	Sunday	7:00 AM, & 10:00 AM					
Weekdays (Monday, Wednesday, & Friday)	7:00 AM	Weekdays (Tuesday & Thursday)	9:00 AM					
Weekday U.S. Holidays	8:00 AM							

Adoration & Reconciliation								
Day	Time	Day	Time					
1st, 3rd, & 5th Monday of the Month (No confession or adoration on holidays)		2nd & 4th Monday of the Month (No confession or adoration on holidays)	6:00 PM					



### St. Anthony of Padua Church

2 Summer Street Cohasset, MA 02025 Faith Formation: 781-383-0630

#### Music

Kathleen Keyes, Music Director of St. Anthony of Padua, Cohasset

Daniel Farretta Music Director of St. Mary of the Assumption, Hull

### **Connect With Us**

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Website: Christbythesea.net General email: info@christbythesea.net

### **Get to Know Us**

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### St. Ann Church

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Jim Flanagan, Coord. of Youth Min. & Faith Formation Gr 6 & up

Adrienne MacCarthy, Coord. of Family Faith Formation Grades 1-5

Marianne Baker, Asst. Coord. of Family Faith Formation Grades 1-5 CORI & PGC Coord.