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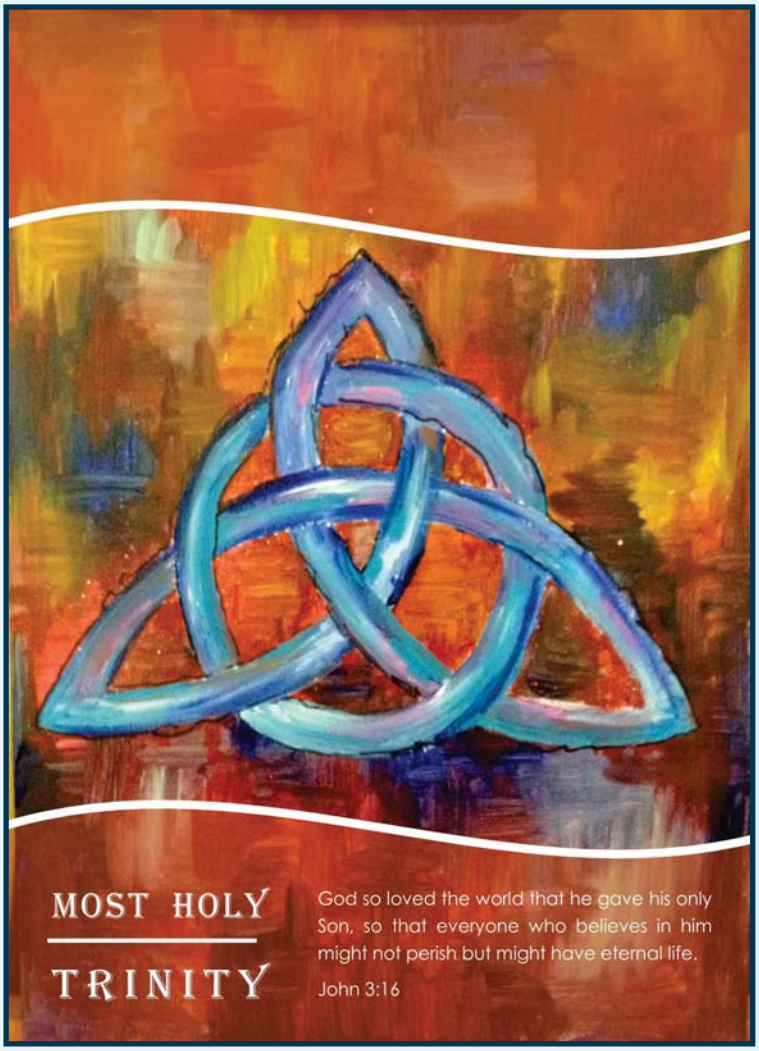

PARISH SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses: Saturday: 4 p.m.
Sunday: 7 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Weekday Masses:
Monday-Friday: 6:45 a.m.; Saturday: 7 a.m.

Traditional Latin Mass: Monday: 7 p.m.

Holiday Masses: 9 a.m.
(8 a.m. on Memorial Day and Veterans Day)

Rosary: Daily at 6:20 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration: In the chapel on Thursdays 7:15 a.m. - 5 p.m., Mondays 6-6:50 p.m. and First Friday/Saturday 6 p.m. - 6:45 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays from 3-4 p.m. and Mondays 6-6:50 p.m. in the chapel or by appointment by contacting one of the priests.

Sacrament of Baptism: 1 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. Please call 781-769-5354 ext. 273 for more details.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Engaged couples must contact one of the parish priests at least 8 months prior to making other wedding plans.

Sacrament of the Sick: Please contact one of our parish priests.

Saint Catherine of Siena Parish, 781-762-6080
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Fr. Maxwell Chukwudiebere, Parochial Vicar x118
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Our Mission: St. Catherine of Siena Parish is a Roman Catholic community established in Norwood, MA in 1890. Responding to our baptismal call to holiness, we seek to live the teachings of Christ in the Roman Catholic tradition through worship, education, service and evangelization.

All are welcome in Christ! "…*To those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints with all who are invoking the name of our Lord Jesus Christ in every place… Grace and peace to you from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ. I give thanks to God continuously for you because of the grace of God that has been given to you in Christ Jesus. By that grace, in all things, you have become wealthy in him… He too will strengthen you, even until the end, without guilt…*" Introduction of First Letter of Saint Paul to Corinthians

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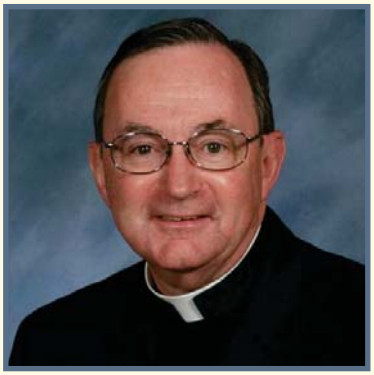

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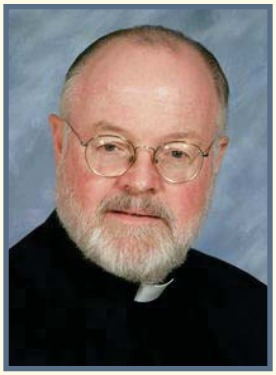

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Congratulations to
Fr. Anthony Medairos
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Msgr. Paul Garrity
Pastor, Saint Catherine's 2011-2015
and the Class of 1973
on celebrating their
50th Anniversary of
Priestly Ordination this May!

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PARISH SUPPORT

May 28, 2023: $8,438
Seminarians: $3,432

Thank you to everyone who supports our parish. There are a number of options when it comes to stewardship:

1. Online Giving -- For those who are able, online giving is a great way to regularly support our parish whether you are able to attend Mass or not. Just visit our website at: www.stcatherinenorwood.org and click on Online Giving or scan the code shown here to get started. We have seen a significant increase in the number of families selecting online giving, and we are grateful for the stability this provides our parish finances.
2. Parish Envelopes — If you are not enrolled in online giving and you regularly contribute to offertory at Mass, we encourage you to receive envelopes so we can credit you with your donations. Contact the parish office, and we can assist you.
3. If online giving is not an option for you, and you are not able to attend Mass, you can mail your donation or drop it off at the rectory using the mail slot in the front door. For security reasons, we ask you to not leave envelopes in the external mailbox. Thank you!

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 3
7 a.m. In reparation for the offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary
4 p.m. Fran Doherty
Sunday, June 4
7 a.m. Pro Populo
9 a.m. Joan Hourihan Gleason (6th Anniversary)
11 a.m. Rosalia Petrillo and Franco Petrillo
Monday, June 5
6:45 a.m. Elaine T. Gardner
Tuesday, June 6
6:45 a.m. Grace Lyons (15th Anniversary)
Wednesday, June 7
6:45 a.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thursday, June 8
6:45 a.m. Margaret "Peggy" Ivester
Friday, June 9
6:45 a.m. John W. Greene, Jr.
Saturday, June 10
7 a.m. Paul Boback (For healing)
4 p.m. Dorothy McCoy

Mass Intentions are booked up to three months in advance. We are now accepting intention requests through September 2023. Please call 781-762-6080 or email parish@stcatherinenorwood.org.

Please remember our beloved deceased, especially Mary B. Morse and Anne P. Kelliher, whose funerals were celebrated this week.

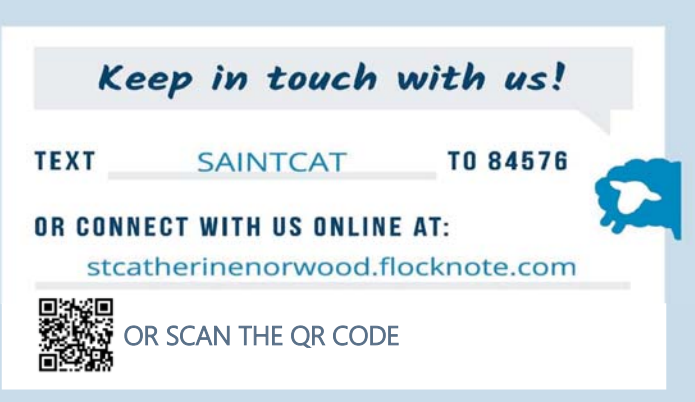
Week of June 4th

The Altar Bread and Wine are offered in memory of Daniel Farren.

The Sanctuary Candles are lit in memory of Daniel Farren.

Wedding Banns

Bann 3: *Brian Coffey and Lisa Bartucca*



CHRIST-LOCK: IDENTITY THEFT NO MORE!

A Parish Mission Directed by Fr. Bill Garrott, O.P.

Sunday, June 11th
Monday, June 12th
Tuesday, June 13th
7:00 PM

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Fr. Garrott will lead the Rosary beginning at 6:30 PM and hear confessions after the program each evening.

Parishioners who are homebound and in need of a ride to attend the parish mission are asked to call or email Doris to arrange for a ride. The deadline for calls is Thursday, June 8th. Call 781-769-5354 Ext. 273 or email dhallee@stcatherinenorwood.org.

Fr. Bill Garrott will celebrate a morning Mass at 9:00 AM on Monday, June 12th and Tuesday, June 13th. The usual daily Mass at 6:45 a.m. will also be held each of these days.

The Traditional Latin Mass will not be held on Monday, June 12th due to the parish mission.

Reception of Holy Communion

For the reception of Holy Communion, please make your way directly through the benches to the center aisle. Proceed to the altar rail and either kneel or stand at the rail, filling in all spaces. Once full, a second line should be standing behind ready to fill in as the first group returns to the pews. Please consume the Sacred Host before leaving the altar rail. The ushers will help guide as needed.

If you are unable to come forward, please remain in your bench and a priest or deacon will come to you.

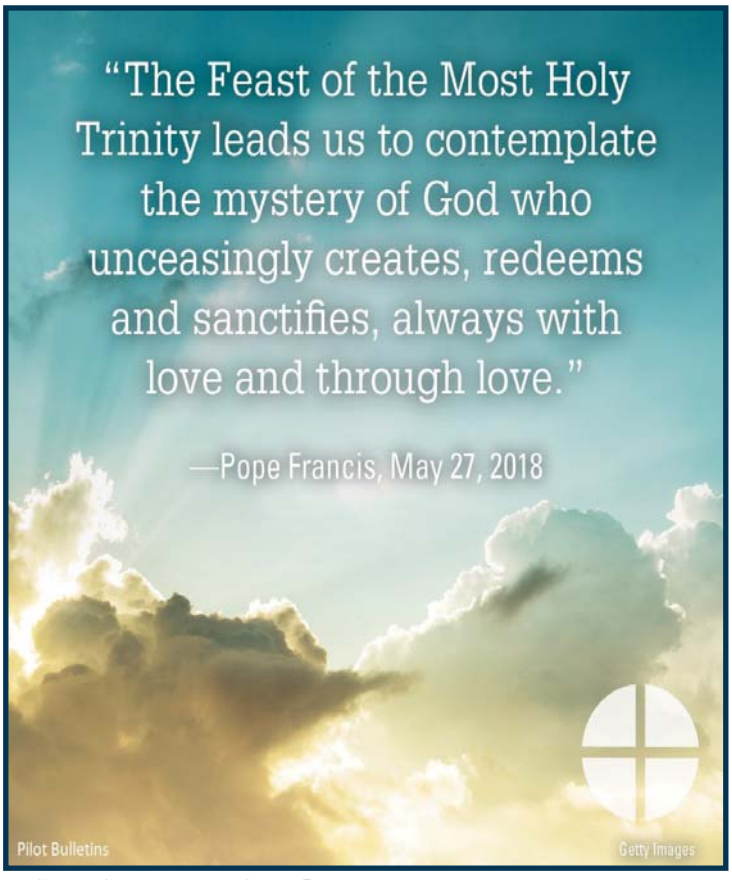
Coffee and Donuts

Join us in the gym after the 9 a.m. Mass for coffee, donuts and fellowship.
All are welcome!

Holy Baptism

Please join us in welcoming those baptized into the Catholic faith at Saint Catherine's during the month of May:

Fae Lily Corcoran
Lily Grace Daugherty
Sarah Rose Kreisberg
Myles Clayton Preto
Elijah David Schultheis
Gabriel Moses Schultheis



AFFIRMING LIFE ACTIVITIES — JUNE

June 10
Second Saturday, 9 am, Helpers of God's Precious Infants Devotions, (15 decades of the Rosary) at Planned Parenthood, 1055 Commonwealth Ave., Boston

June 17
3rd Saturday Pro-life mass at Fatima Shrine, 10:30 am, 155 Washington St., Brighton.

June 23
Third novena mass for the dignity of the unborn, honoring the months that Jesus was in the womb of the Virgin Mary at 12:10 pm. St. Mary of the Assumption, 420 High St., Dedham.

June 24
National Celebrate Life Day at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C. commemorating the one-year anniversary of the fall of *Roe v. Wade*. Details here: nationalcelebratelifeday.com

Confidential Help for Crisis Pregnancies:

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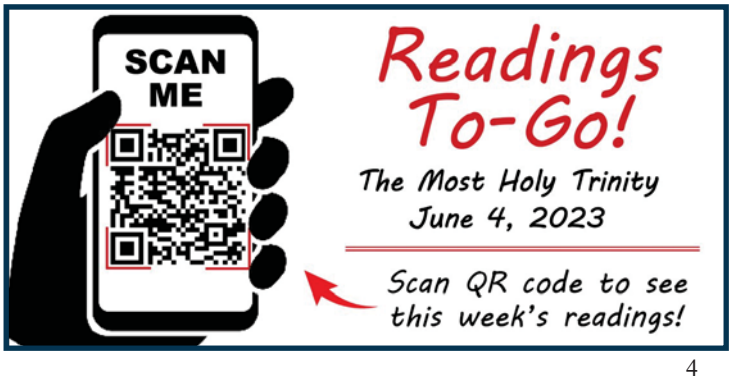

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MOST HOLY TRINITY

The mystery of the Holy Trinity is the central mystery of the Christian faith and life. God reveals himself as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The doctrine of the Trinity includes three truths of faith.

First, the Trinity is One. We do not speak of three gods but of one God. Each of the Persons is fully God. They are a unity of Persons in one divine nature.

Second, the Divine Persons are distinct from each other. Father, Son, and Spirit are not three appearances or modes of God, but three identifiable persons, each fully God in a way distinct from the others.

Third, the Divine Persons are in relation to each other. The distinction of each is understood only in reference to the others. The Father cannot be the Father without the Son, nor can the Son be the Son without the Father. The Holy Spirit is related to the Father and the Son who both send him forth.

All Christians are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. The Trinity illumines all the other mysteries of faith.

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In Word & Deed

Trinity Sunday

Anyone who spends time with little kids knows that you never know when they will say the funniest things. Their observations on life range from the totally insightful to the completely innocent to the absolutely comical. One four-year-old's comment touched on all three. Riding quietly in the car during his family's vacation, he suddenly commented, "You know Santa Claus? I don't know how he does it, but I really do like his work."

Many theologians and spiritual thinkers wrestle with the problem of evil, free will, the Incarnation and most of all, the Trinity. Using examples, stories and complex theories, they attempt to explain the mystery of God. Nothing really comes close. Infinite power, wisdom and love cannot be contained nor defined by the limits and constraints of the human mind. But the soul, the spark of the Divine within us, sees and understands. The soul recognizes the work of God and calls us to the mission that is written in our hearts by the waters of Baptism.

People spend a lot of time trying to figure God out. But God is not known nor understood by reason alone. God is known through acts of faith, hope and love. He is found in the poor and oppressed. He is seen in the eyes of those we love. He reveals Himself in quiet moments of reflection and prayer. We may not be able to explain the Father who creates, the Son who redeems and the Spirit who sanctifies. But we do enjoy their work.

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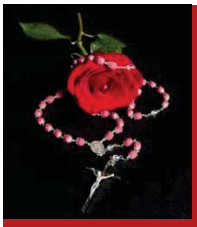

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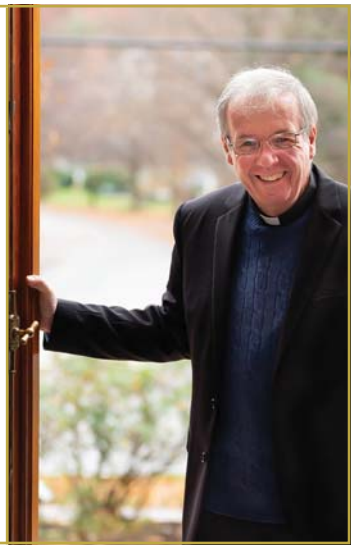

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