



Mass Intentions of the Week

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, August 12th
5:00PM Our Parish Family

Sunday, August 13th
7:00AM Audrey Delia Fritzke
8:30AM Sally & Michael Clarke
8:45AM Veronica Folger
10:00AM Marci-Lynn Casey
11:30AM William Haddon

Monday, August 14th
7:30AM Dr. John E. Craighead

HOLY DAY MASS
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
5:15PM Our Parish Family

Tuesday, August 15th Holy Day MASS
7:30AM Virginia Moynihan

Wednesday, August 16th
7:30AM Norine Casey Powell

Thursday, August 17th
7:30AM Kathy Ann Klesius White

Friday, August 18th
7:30AM Rita Mestin

Saturday, August 19th
5:00PM Fr. T. Frank Kennedy, 1st Anniversary

Sunday, August 20th
7:00AM Our Parish Family
8:30AM Zachary Lopian
8:45AM Tony Donato
10:00AM Edmund M. Reggie
11:30PM Sean Souza & Peter Irving Sylvia

Baptism Parents Meeting

Next Baptism Preparation Class will be **Sunday, August 27, at 1:00 pm in the Parish Center.** Please contact the parish office for details. Baptisms take place the first Sunday of the month usually at 12:30 pm from October to June, and at 1 pm July to September.



K of C Upcoming Event

Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities. The Knights of Columbus will be collecting donations after all Masses this weekend, August 12 & 13 in support of this statewide effort. Please enjoy a Tootsie Ross as a token of appreciation.

Jesuits Return to Help

This weekend we will welcome Fathers James Bretzke, S.J. (BC), Michael Hahn, O.S.B. (student at BC) and Father Victor Lambert, S.J. (BC - newly ordained, from Chile).

Special Guest: Bishop Edgar M. da Cunha

The Bishop of Fall River (our diocese) will be here **This weekend, August 12 and 13.** He will celebrate the **5pm Mass Saturday** and on Sunday the **8:45am Mass at the 'Sconset Chapel.** We are happy to welcome him as our shepherd and guest.

Prayer Request

Book provided in the Lobby for you to write your intentions for anyone to be remembered in prayer. Let us continue to hold each other up in prayer. **Please pray for all who serve our country and are in harm's way. SICK:** Pray for: Michael Ferreira, Kimberly Feinsod, Irene Garnett, Gladys Soverino, Kathleen A. Meehan, Julie Grimaldi, Bernard Walsh, Joan Wilson Godeau, Peter Dugan, Kori Olsen, Dennis J. Dias, Ashley Andrade, Barbara Murphy, Fr. Tom Clements, Claire Schroeder, Davy Walker, Pamela Marchant, Dino Almodobar, Sandy Duarte, Elsie Dudley, Therese Woodward, Troy Towne, Lola Jagolta, Marie Blasi, Lee Rand Burne, Roy Barrett, Marge Mock, Charles Howard, Ceil Dragon, Barbara Carvalho, John Grangrade, Phyllis Slattery, Tom Murphy, Xavier Andrade, Shannon Reeves, Kathy Sherman, Patricia & Charlie Andrade, Barbara Mintz, Richard Ross, Stephen McCluskey, Kerry O'Keefe, Ron Bocage, Santiagueta Hernandez, Paul Gonnella, Walter Folger, Nancy Pittman, Ernest Oliver, Sr., Larry Lattanzi, Kevin Dugan, Linda LaConti, Jane Podurgiel, Donna Perone, Stephen Rickard, Jean Duarte. For visits by Fr. Bouchard please call the office

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Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33
Monday: Dt 10:12-22; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16, 16:1-2; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28
 Day: Rv 11:19a, 12:1-6a, 10ab; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12; Mt 18:15-20
Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Mt 18:21—19:1
Friday: Jos 24:1-13; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday: Jos 24:14-29; Mt 19:13-15

Stewardship

A Way of Life

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Elijah recognized the voice of God not in the strong and heavy wind, not in the earthquake, and not in the fire, but in a tiny whispering sound. May we find enough quiet in our clamorous world to hear His voice and discern what He is calling us to do and be.

8-5 & 6: Stewardship: \$17,143.00
 8-5 & 6: Peter's Pence \$25,177.00
 Upcoming Second collections:
 8-12 & 13: Diocesan Assessment

8-15: Assumption of Mary

THIS WEEK AT MASS

Monday, August 14: St. Maximilian Kolbe, priest, martyr (+1941). He died at Auschwitz by lethal injection. He was born near Lodz, Poland and became a Coventual Franciscan (OFM, Conv.). He founded the Militia of Mary Immaculate and was missioned to Japan. He offered his life in exchange for the father of a family.

Tuesday, August 15: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The *Natale* or Dormitio ("Falling asleep") of Mary came to be celebrated as early as the fifth century in the East and in Rome. She is the patroness of France, Paraguay, Jamaica, South Africa, and New Caledonia. ***This is a holy day of obligation in the USA.*** See elsewhere in this bulletin for more information and for the Mass schedule.

For more information on saints of the day click on www.americancatholic.org, the daily features, saint of the day. There is a link on our website.

Please Note:

Exterior Restoration of Our Church

This work includes sanding, priming and painting all the trim, porches and doors; replacing the white wooden "roofs" over the three main entrances; stripping and repainting the foundation and repairing the chimney. The painting is almost complete. Other work will be done in the fall. Cost will be around \$85,000. *We are very grateful for a grant of \$55,000 from the NANTUCKET COMMUNITY PRESERVATION COMMITTEE.*

Donations totalling \$25,000. have been made toward the remainder of the cost. Any donations that would help "close the gap" would be gratefully appreciated. We are thankful for the generosity of those who have made this restoration work possible.

St. Mary's Church Quilt Raffle

Through the generosity of Julie Fitzgerald you have a chance to win our red, white and blue Stars and Stripes Quilt in our **Second Chance ~ Quilt Raffle.** Tickets available at the Rectory in the back of the Church, or outside the Church on sale days. Raffle is from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

Tickets are \$5.00 each or 6 for \$25,00



August 15th

The Solemnity of the Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary

This is a holy day of obligation this year, since it falls on a Tuesday. Mary under this title is the patron of our diocese and of our Cathedral in Fall River. And of course, Mary is the patron of our parish under the title of Our Lady of the Isle.

Holy Day Masses:

Vigil: Monday, August 14 at 5:15 pm

Tuesday, August 15 at 7:30 am.

The collection on that day, as on all holy days of obligation will be used for the charitable works of our St. Vincent de Paul Conference.

Charitable Works of the St. Vincent de Paul Conference

The good works of our parish conference are made possible by poor box donations, and those made in the collection on holy days of obligation. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Summer Mass Schedule

Now to September 3, 2017

Saturday: Mass at 5 pm

Sunday Masses:

at 7, 8:30, 10 and 11:30 am

**and 6:30 pm in Spanish
in church**

and

8:45 am at the 'Sconset Union Chapel

**We welcome the Jesuits back to help with
this schedule of Masses.**