

PARISH OF ST. MARY

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MASS SCHEDULE †

WEEKDAYS

Monday - Friday 7:30 am

WEEKENDS

Winter

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 & 11:00 am
Spanish Mass Sunday 6:00 pm

Summer

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 10:00 am & 11:30 am
Siasconet Union Chapel 8:45 am
Spanish Mass 6:00 pm

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Office: 6 Orange St.

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Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - Noon &
1:00 - 3:00 pm



Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday, 4:00 pm or by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism: Please call the Parish Office for information on Baptisms, and to register for Parents' Preparation Class before the birth of your child.

Sacrament of Marriage: Couples are asked to consult with the priest or deacon **at least 8 months in advance**. There must be a connection to the Parish, and the couple must be practicing Catholics. Bee Gonnella, wedding coordinator (Cell: 508-221-1883)

Ministry to the Sick: Please inform us of any sick relatives that they might be placed on our schedule for receiving Eucharist.

Christian Initiation (RCIA): The process by which we welcome new adult members into our faith community. Please call the Parish Office.

St. Vincent De Paul: Outreach to the needy, call the Parish Office for info.

Knights of Columbus: Meetings the second Wednesday of each month at 6PM (not July & August), at Fr. Griffin Hall, 15 Cherry Street. Contact Erik at 508-221-8705.



Saturday, May 27	
5:00 PM	Our Parish Family
Sunday, May 28	
8:00 AM	Katherine & John Lodge
11:00 AM	David Feindel
6:00 PM	Spanish Mass
Monday, May 29	
7:30 AM	Dr. & Mrs. Gordon Gallagher
Tuesday, May 30	
7:30 AM	Christian Darby
Wednesday, May 31	
7:30 AM	Kevin Dugan
Thursday, June 1	
7:30 AM	Rob Horyn
Friday, June 2	
7:30 AM	David Strauss
Saturday, June 3	
5:00 PM	Kris Creamer
Sunday, June 4	
8:00 AM	Our Parish Family
11:00 AM	
6:00 PM	Spanish Mass

Book of Prayer provided in the Lobby of the church for you to write your intentions for anyone to be remembered in prayer.

Please Note: Names will stay in the bulletin for 2 months, unless you call to have them re-moved. They are only listed if permission is given. Please pray for all who serve our country and are in harm's way.

SICK: Pray for: Pamela Marchant, Marge Mock, Charles Howard, Xavier Andrade, Shirley Souza, Fernando Gutierrez, Felix Soares, Brad Giles, Perry Roderick, Bella Ikova, Dick Phelan, Theresa Andersen, Ritch S. Leone, Shannon Haynes, Paul R. Driscoll, Jr., Jonathan Perez, Steve Thompson, Tom McSparron, Jeannette Lipka, Nancie Taylor Daley, Daley McCallum, Claudio Clavijo, Ellen Conway, Doyle Marchant, Barbara Boehm, Lily Kraljevec, Linda Sullivan, Patricia Cennamo, Patty Snyder, Jimmy Harrington, Bloxy Baker, Frank Malero, Dick Mack, Louise Hubbard, Cicely Ilg, Harry Cooper, Jacqueline Killen Weyand, Mark Albright, Jane Carty, Patricia Casey, Frank Balester, Billy Medeiros, Fred Stencil, Mirche Stojchevski, Tom Cahill and Laura Patiño

Pentecost Sunday

Sunday: Day: Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Lk 1:39-56

Thursday: Sir 42:15-25; Mk 10:46-52

Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13; Mk 11:11-26

Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20; Mk 11:27-33

Fr. John Away

On the road again -- I will be away (again!) from May 28 to June 9. Thank you for your patience! I have no travel plans this summer -- lucky you!

Fr. John



In the second reading today, St. Paul reminds the Corinthians, "there are different gifts, but the same Spirit, *there are different ministries, but the same Lord.*" How am I using my gifts for the common good?

May 18: The Ascension of the Lord
Charitable Works of St. Vincent de Paul Society

May 21: Weekly Parish Collection

May 28: Weekly Parish Collection
Second Collection: Parish Buildings Improvement

June 4: Weekly Parish Collection
Second Collection: Ecclesiastical Students

St. Mary's is so grateful for our thoughtful and generous parishioners who support our faith community with their time, talent and treasure. We thank you for your continued spiritual and financial commitment to our Parish!

Rosary

The rosary will be prayed every morning, Monday through Friday, at 7:10am before morning Mass.



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL
DIOCESE OF FALL RIVER

"Do This in Memory of Me" The 82nd Catholic Appeal continues. Please join with your fellow parishioners in helping those in need in our communities, and show love through your generosity. The agencies and apostolates supported by the Appeal provide encouragement to those who are deepening their faith journeys, and those who endeavor for a better tomorrow. The Appeal sustains life-affirming services such as marriage preparation and enrichment, citizenship preparation, bereavement support, and community action for better housing.

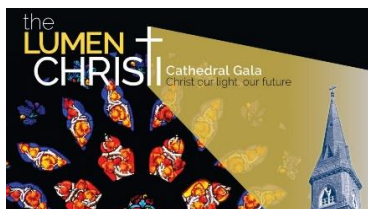
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"This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters. If anyone has material possessions and sees a brother or sister in need but has no pity on them, how can the love of God be in that person? Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth."

-1 John 3:16-18



The restoration of St. Mary's Cathedral in Fall River is underway, and the second annual *Lumen Christi* Cathedral Gala set for next month aims

to raise funding to continue with the repair of this iconic 167-year-old structure.

The *Lumen Christi* Cathedral Gala will take place at 6 p.m., Wednesday, June 7, at White's of Westport, and its proceeds will help to finance the cost of critical repairs to the church in several areas including the Cathedral's masonry, roof, bell tower, and stained-glass windows. Thanks to the funds raised through the inaugural *Lumen Christi* Cathedral Gala held last year, work on the Cathedral has begun. A complete building scan of the Cathedral and Rectory existing conditions is being used to document and specify the restoration work and most immediate needs. The first of the 18 stained-glass windows lining the nave is currently being restored at New England Glass.

Lumen Christi, meaning 'Light of Christ,' captures the role that the Cathedral plays in the Diocese of Fall River. The Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption serves as the spiritual center of the Diocese, where its bishop has his chair, in Greek, *cathedra*, and where the Catholic community of Southeastern Massachusetts and Cape Cod and the Islands gathers with its bishop to celebrate significant diocesan liturgies and events.

The event also helps to shine a light on the many repairs needed at the Cathedral. St. Mary's was built over the years 1852-1855 with its steeple, which rises 195 feet into the Fall River skyline, completed three years later. Originally a parish church, it was designated a cathedral church upon the establishment of the Diocese of Fall River in 1904. A video of Dr. Richard Grace, historian and professor emeritus of history from Providence College, explains many significant elements of the Cathedral as well as areas in need of restoration. www.vimeo.com/cfsema/cathedraltour

To purchase a ticket for the *Lumen Christi* Cathedral Gala or for information on sponsorship opportunities, please visit: www.catholicfoundationsema.org/cathedral-gala



Dear Friends,

Happy Birthday! This weekend we celebrate the Birthday of The Church -- Pentecost.

One of the things we do, without realizing it, is that we think of this birthday in the way one might think of the opening of a new

school or a new business. While there may be some similarities, in reality these are very different.

Pentecost is not the birth of an institution of buildings or governance. Rather, it is the birth of the living Body of Christ here on earth -- His Church. We are His Body, therefore, in a very real way, this is our Birthday.

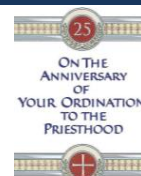
And while the Church was born 2000 years ago in the upper room in Jerusalem, it is still being born every day. It is born in the heart of every believer. It is born in every Sacrament. It is born each time we gather for prayer or serve in the name of Christ. The birth of the church is not a purely historical event; it is an ongoing reality. The Holy Spirit continues to breathe life into us, upon us and through us. Let us continue to strive each day to live as the Church, the living Body of Jesus on earth.

God bless you all!

Fr. John

From the Office of Safe Environment

Substance abuse is a growing problem that can start as early as grade school. Warning signs can be sudden changes in behavior or moods, significant changes in eating or sleeping habits, and increased secrecy and hostility. If you believe that your child may be involved with drugs or alcohol, contact the school's social worker and/or your child's physician. Early detection and treatment are crucial to long-term physical and emotional health.



25th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination Rev. John M. Murray

On June 13, 1998, Deacon John M. Murray was ordained a priest by Bishop Sean Patrick O'Malley of the Fall River Diocese. In observance of his 25th anniversary, we will celebrate with Fr. John on Sunday, June 11th after the 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM Masses.

All are welcome to participate. Stay tuned for more details

Our Summer Mass Schedule begins June 24- 25th

Saturday: Mass at 5:00 pm

**Sunday Masses: at 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 am
6:00 pm in Spanish**

8:45 am at the 'Sconset Union Chapel

We will once again have two Jesuits from Boston College to assist us each weekend.

We thank them and we praise God for their ministry.

Until then, our regular schedule continues: Saturday at 5PM and Sunday at 8 and 11AM
Spanish Mass at 6:00PM.

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Saturday 10:00am to 12:30pm

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Tuesday & Thursday
10:00am to 11:30am @ The Shop, 17 India Street
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Sábado 10:00am a 12:30pm

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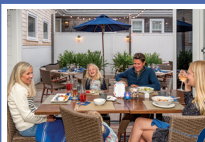
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