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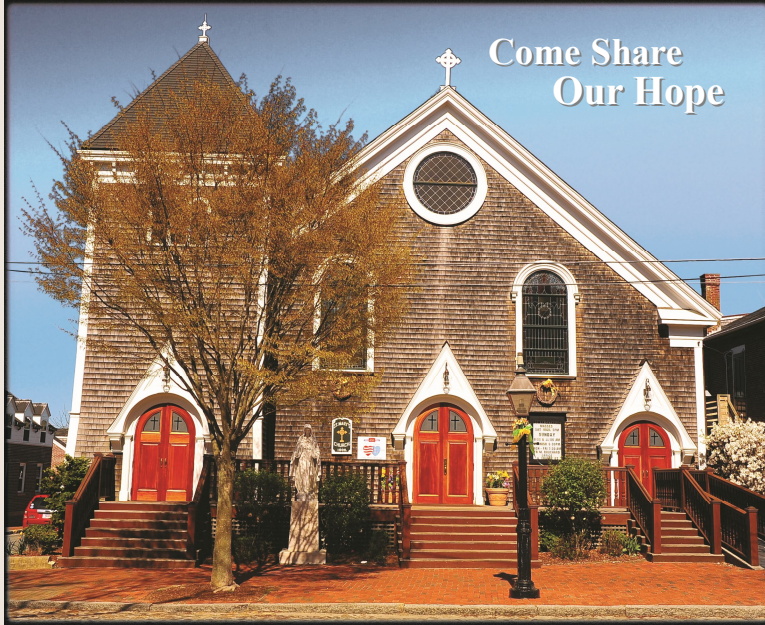


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MASS SCHEDULE †

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.

Mailing Address:

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Office 508-228-0100
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Web Site: www.stmarysnantucket.org

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.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, September 9

5:00 PM

Jamie Topham

Sunday, September 10

8:00 AM

Our Parish Family

11:00 AM

Ann Holmes

6:00 PM

Spanish Mass

Monday, September 11

7:30 AM

In remembrance of 9/11/2001

Tuesday, September 12

7:30 AM

Deacon Charles Boucher

Wednesday, September 13

7:30 AM

Bette Cody

Thursday, September 14

7:30 AM

Alfred Souza

Friday, September 15

7:30 AM

Jean Freed

Saturday, September 16

5:00 PM

Our Parish Family

Sunday, September 17

8:00 AM

Edward & Lorraine Creamer

11:00 AM

Beverly Knapp

6:00 PM

Spanish Mass



Sacrament of Baptism

Junior Sebastian Rivera Dominguez

received the Sacrament of Baptism at St. Mary's. We ask for your prayers for this newest member of our parish family and for his parents and godparents

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TO START SEPTEMBER 17th

It's that time of year again. Our Religious Education program for all grades will start on Sunday September 17th.

Classes for grades 1-7 will be held at The New School, 15 Nobadeer Farm Road from 9-10:30. Classes for grades 8 and 9 will be held at Father Griffin Hall, 15 Cherry Street from 6-7:30.

All first graders and new students MUST register. If your child was not baptized here at St. Mary's, please bring a copy of their Baptism certificate when you register. This can be done on September 17th. Materials and schedules will be given out the first day of class.

PLEASE NOTE!!! A MANDATORY MEETING FOR ALL PARENTS WILL BE HELD DURING CLASS TIME ON SEPTEMBER 17th!!!!!! ATTENDANCE IS A MUST.

If you have any questions please call Judy DeBaggis at 508-317-0155.

The Rosary

The rosary will be prayed every morning, Monday through Friday, at 7:10 am before morning 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 Malaro, Louise Hubbard, Cicely Ilg, Harry Cooper, Jacqueline Killen Weyand, Mark Albright, Jane Carty, Frank Balester, Billy Medeiros, Fred Stencil, Tom Cahill, Laura Patiño, Ray Senecal, and Julie Malone

The Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Times

Sunday: Ez 33:7-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

Monday: Col 1:24—2:3; Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: Col 2:6-15; Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday: Col 3:1-11; Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: Nm 21:4b-9; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17; Lk 6:43-49



Am I my brother's keeper? All three readings today suggest that for the Christian steward the answer is "Yes!."

September 3: \$14,424.00
Second Collection: \$5,688.00
Diocesan Assessment
(Both of the above totals include our Online Giving donations.)

September 10: Weekly Parish Collection
Second Collection: Religious Education

September 17: Weekly Parish Collection
Second Collection: FACE Foundation to Advance Catholic Education

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!



Foundation to Advance Catholic Education-Second Collection

A second collection to fund needs-based scholarships for children in our Catholic schools will be taken over the weekend

of September 16 and 17, 2023.

In 1991 the St. Mary's Education Fund was founded to give students with financial need access to Catholic Education in the Diocese of Fall River. Today, FACE carries on this history of making Catholic education a reality for all families who desire one for their children. Please see the flyer in the vestibule or go to the FACE website: www.FACE-dfr.org as well as Facebook

LABOR DAY COOKOUT



Thank You!!

Thank you to everyone who helped to make our Labor Day Cookout a wonderful and successful and fun event. A huge thank you goes out to our Knights of Columbus for their organization and cooking and grilling finesse. Another huge thank you goes

out to our amazing pupusa makers extraordinaire.

And a special thank you to all of the local businesses that donated to this event.

And to all of our attendees we thank you as well. See you at our next Parish Cookout!



THE SUMMER SCHEDULE OF MASSES HAS ENDED

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE RESUMES:

Saturday: Vigil Mass at 5:00PM

Sunday: Masses at 8:00AM and 11:00AM

Spanish Mass at 6:00PM



Here's a great way to keep in touch, and up to date, on all the good

things that happen here at St. Mary's.

Please follow this link:

[St. Mary - Our Lady of The Isle // Flocknote](#) and add your email address. Or call the parish office and we can add it for you. It will help us keep in touch and alert you of any news which needs to be shared.

Remembering 9/11/2001

This is the date of the worst terrorist attack on the United States of America and one of the deadliest days ever on American soil. The 22nd anniversary of this tragedy occurs next Monday. The Mass next Monday will be in honor and remembrance of all those who lost their lives and those who answered the call to service on September 11, 2001. Let us pray and work for peace and justice.



Dear Friends,

Friday, September 8th, was the Feast of The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. She is the Patroness of our Parish and, more importantly, the Mother of God. Her role in our lives and in the life of the Church could never

be exaggerated.

St Maximilian Kolbe once said "Never worry about loving the Blessed Virgin too much. You can never love her more than Jesus did" (or does!).

So here's the question, do we honor the Blessed Virgin Mary enough in our own lives? Is the Rosary a regular practice? Every morning, before Mass, a group of folks faithfully prays the Rosary together. If early in the morning isn't good for us, or praying it with others is not our preference, how about praying it on our own?

Praying the Rosary takes about 15 minutes; probably the length of most ordinary car rides while doing errands. It's a prayer that can even be broken up into parts throughout the day. The point is, pray it! I can assure you that you will never regret praying the Rosary. I don't think anyone has ever said, once they've prayed it, "I wish I hadn't done that". There are many things we may say that about, but I can almost guarantee the Rosary isn't one of them.

God bless you!

Fr. John

LITTLE LAMBS LEADER NEEDED

We are looking for a parent leader for our preschool playgroup, Little Lambs. The group meets biweekly and is intended as a co-op, hopefully bringing the talents of all of the parents/caregivers together for a fun gathering in the Parish Center. Anyone interested please contact the parish office at 508-228-0100

Looking for New Altar Servers

New server training dates will be coming up soon. Please watch the bulletin for these dates. Children of any age or grade can join, as long as they have received their First Communion. Interested parents are welcome to train with their children and serve with them, if they would like. Become a part of our altar serving team and serve once a month, twice a month, every week; whatever works best for you and your schedule. Please contact us at the Rectory at 508-228-0100 or email us at: stmarys@stmarysnantucket.org to sign up.

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Tuesday & Thursday **Thursday Evening**
1:00pm to 3:30pm | 5:30pm to 8:00pm
Saturday 10:00am to 12:30pm

DONATING HOURS

Tuesday & Thursday
10:00am to 11:30am @ The Shop, 17 India Street
Tuesday in 'Sconset
8:00am to 9:00am @ The parking lot
across from the Casino
Saturday
8:30am to 10:00am @ Our storage pods in
the parking lot adjacent to Gouin Village, off
Vesper Lane (look for signs to direct you)

HORARIO DE COMPRAS

Lunes, Miércoles y Viernes
10:00am a 12:30pm, 1:00pm a 3:30pm
Martes y Jueves **Jueves por la tarde**
1:00pm a 3:30pm | 5:30pm a 8:00pm
Sábado 10:00am a 12:30pm

DONANDO HORAS

Martes y Jueves
10:00am a 11:30am @ En la tienda, calle India 17
Martes in 'Sconset
8:00am a 9:00am @ En el estacionamiento frente al Casino
Sábado
8:30am a 10:00am @ En nuestras unidades de
almacenamiento en el estacionamiento
adyacente a Gouin Village, en Vesper Lane
(busque las señales que lo indiquen)

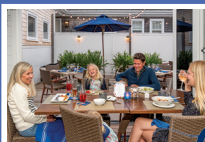
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