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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

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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: Please refer to our parish website for guidelines. www.stmarysnatnucket.org

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.

Email: kofc2612@gmail.com



Fifth Sunday of Lent

Saturday, April 5

5:00 PM

Our Parish Family

Sunday, April 6

8:00 AM

Theresa Burke

11:00 AM

Joan E. Clarke

6:00 PM

Spanish Mass

Monday, April 7

7:30 AM

Tom Walsh

5:30 PM

Tuesday, April 8

7:30 AM

No intention

Wednesday, April 9

7:30 AM

Beth Lochtefeld

Thursday, April 10

7:30 AM

Bill Goetz

Friday, April 11

7:30 AM

Frances Petkoff

Saturday, April 12

5:00 PM

Ramos, Correia & Barrows Families

Sunday, April 13

8:00 AM

Phil Hubbard

11:00 AM

Our Parish Family

6:00 PM

Spanish Mass



In today's second reading, St. Paul says, "For His sake I have forfeited everything; I have accounted all else rubbish so that Christ may be my wealth." Does my stewardship suggest that I could say the same?

March 30:

\$7,004.00

Second Collection:

\$2,493.00

Catholic Relief Services

The above totals include our Online Giving Donations.

April 6:

Weekly Parish Collection

Second Collection:

Operation Rice Bowl

April 13:

Weekly Parish Collection

April 18:

Good Friday ~ Holy Land

For the churches of Eastern and Central Europe and the Holy Land

April 20:

Easter Collection

Second Collection:

Collection for Retired & Infirm Priests



Fish Fry after Stations of the Cross ~ April 11

You are invited to join the Knights for a Fish Fry after the Stations of the Cross on Friday, April 11. This light meal is hosted by the Knights for St. Mary's so there is no charge for the food, but they will happily accept donations. Thank you.

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, 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, Daley McCallum, Claudio Clavijo, Ellen Conway, Doyle Marchant, Barbara Boehm, Lily Kraljevec, Linda Sullivan, Patricia Cennamo, Patty Snyder, Frank Malaro, Louise Hubbard, Cicely Ilg, Harry Cooper, Jacqueline Killen Weyand, Mark Albright, Jane Carty, Frank Balester, Laura Patiño, Ray Senecal, Julie Malone, Patsy Cody Lyons, Joy McGrath, Rosemarie Simone, Richard Brannigan II, Bec Balock, Elizabeth Mock, Jenny Boley, Kathy Seraphim, Icylin Lewis, Linda Boles, Kate McGrath, Ashley McLeod, Sally & Ed Hudzik, Jacqueline Santacroce, Owen Santacroce, Barbara Pekenia, JoAnn Hilbig, Rowena Rickard, Richard Carven, Gail Krauthoff and Marjorie Malone, John Lochtefeld, Robert Durette, Patricia Powers and Janet Duane

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Sunday: Is 43:16-21; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11

Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62; Jn 8:12-20

Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Gn 17:3-9; Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56

Celebrating Sacraments with Our Youth



Confirmation: Will be celebrated on Friday, May 9, 2025 at 6:00 pm.



First Communion: Will be celebrated on Saturday, May 10, 2025 at 11:00 am.

Let's pray for our students preparing for these sacraments, and for their families.



Sacrament of Baptism

Beatrice Delmar Wynn

will receive the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend. We ask for your prayers for this newest member of our parish family and her parents and godparents.



Carlo Acutis

On Sunday, April 27, 2025, Pope Francis will canonize Carlo Acutis, the Catholic Church's first millennial saint, during the Jubilee of Teenagers in Rome.

Carlo Acutis, a Catholic Italian teenager died in 2006.

Acutis, a gamer and computer programmer who loved soccer

and the Eucharist, has been the subject of interest around the world. Pope Francis referred to Carlo as a model of holiness in a digital age. Carlo's life should teach today's young people how to properly use and enjoy technology, including the internet and social media.

"To always be close to Jesus, that's my life plan"

Carlo Acutis was born May 3, 1991, in London though his family moved to Milan shortly after. From a young age, Carlo seemed to have a special love for God, even though his parents weren't especially devout.

He had a gift for empathy and was known for defending kids at school who got picked on, especially disabled kids. Carlo loved soccer and video games. He tried to stay disciplined and only played games for an hour a week even though he really wanted to play much more. He also bought computer programming books and taught himself computer coding and animation. He had a great devotion to Mary and loved to pray the rosary. He went to Mass and confession as often as he could.

He loved the Eucharist and was fascinated by Eucharistic miracles. He asked his parents to take him on pilgrimages — to the places of the saints, and to the sites of Eucharistic miracles. Using his research, he began creating what would eventually become a website to catalog and share the information with others. Carlo was concerned by people growing distant to the Church and the sacraments and desperately wanted to bring them back. On the site, he told people that "the more often we receive the Eucharist, the more we will become like Jesus, so that on this earth we will have a foretaste of heaven."

At age 15, Carlo was diagnosed with an untreatable leukemia. He offered up his suffering for others coping with illness and said, "I offer all the suffering I will have to suffer for the Lord, for the Pope, and the Church." Carlo died from his illness on Oct. 12, 2006. At his request he was buried in Assisi because of his love for St. Francis. His cause for canonization began in 2013 and he was designated "Venerable" in 2018. A healing miracle has been attributed to his intercession and he will be designated "Blessed" October 10.

Chrism Mass

As we approach the sacred celebration of the Chrism Mass, I warmly invite each member of our Diocese to participate in this important Liturgy, which will take place at 4:00 PM on Tuesday, April 15, 2025, at St. Mary's Cathedral. The Chrism Mass is a time of profound unity and renewal for our diocesan family. During this Liturgy, we come together to pray for our priests, who will renew their sacred ordination promises, and to bless the holy oils that will be used in the Sacraments throughout the year. I greatly look forward to celebrating this Sacred Liturgy with you and witnessing the outpouring of grace that will surely flow from our united prayer and worship. May the Holy Spirit guide us and bless our efforts to serve Christ faithfully with wisdom, fortitude, and love.

Yours in Christ,

Most Rev. Edgar M. da Cunha, S.D.V.

Please see the Bishop's full letter on the bulletin board at the back of the church or on our website.



Dear Friends,

This Lenten Journey has certainly seemed rather fast. It's hard to believe that next Sunday is Palm Sunday! Lent has been preparing us for the holiest week of the year for Christians. Are we ready?

One of the ways to get ready is Confession. So with that in mind I will be offering additional times of Confession over the next couple of weeks.

The additional times will be listed below and on our website. Please do not wait until the last minute. Be assured of my prayers for you as we continue our Lenten Journey.

God bless you all!

Fr. John

Confession times:

Monday April 7 and 14 - 4pm to 5pm

Tuesday April 8 - 5pm to 6pm

Wednesday April 9 - 4pm to 5pm

Saturday April 12 - 11am to 12pm and 3pm to 4:45pm

Wednesday April 16 5pm to 6pm



Palm Sunday, April 13

8:00 am and 11:00 am Mass

6:00 pm Spanish Mass

Palms will be distributed at all Masses

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

Holy Thursday, April 17

7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper (bilingual), with Washing of the Feet, Procession to the Parish Center for Eucharistic Adoration until 12:00 am (enter from Cambridge Street)

Good Friday, April 18

3:30 pm Stations of the Cross at St. Mary's Cemetery
7:00 pm Passion of the Lord (bilingual) – Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion

Easter Vigil, April 19

7:30 pm The high point of the Church's Liturgical Year (bilingual)

Easter Sunday, April 20

8:00 am and 11:00 am Mass

6:00 pm Spanish Mass

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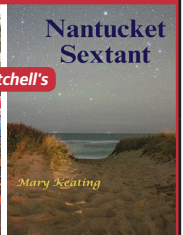
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