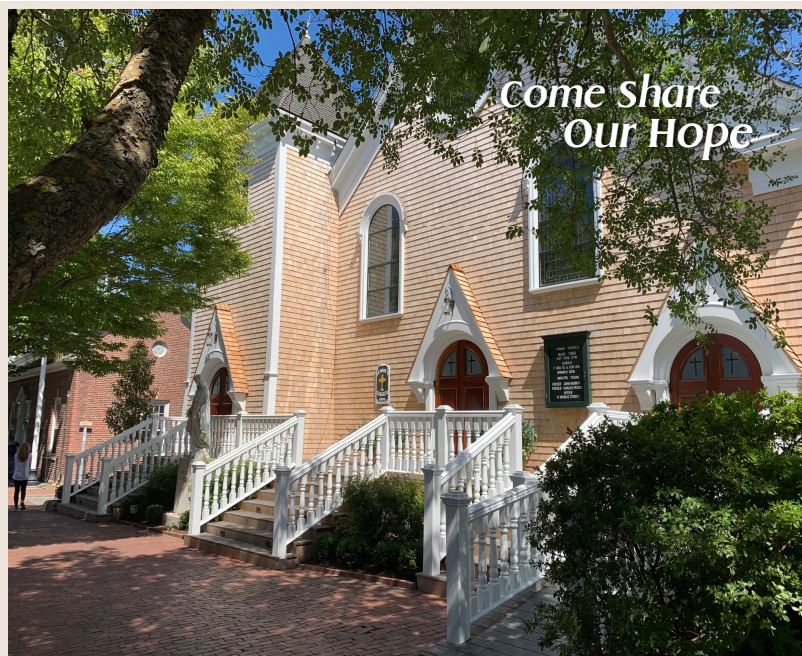


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MASS SCHEDULE †

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

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1:00 - 3:00 pm

Friday.....9:00 am - Noon



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.stmarysnantucket.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

Mass Intentions for the Week

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, August 9

5:00 PM

Scott Harmon

Sunday, August 10

7:00 AM

Our Parish Family

8:30 AM

Robert A. Durette

8:45 AM

Frank Moran

10:00 AM

Florence & Anthony Trapasso

11:30 AM

Peter I., Peter E., and Eileen Sylvia

6:00 PM

Spanish Mass

Monday, August 11

7:30 AM

Elizabeth Buckman

Tuesday, August 12

7:30 AM

Mary Finnerty

Wednesday, August 13

7:30 AM

George Rezendes

Thursday, August 14

7:30 AM

Robert Petrowski

5:30 PM

John & Katherine Lodge

7:30 PM

Spanish Mass

Friday, August 15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30 AM

Frank & Rose Marie Twist

5:30 PM

Carol Marks

Saturday, August 16

5:00 PM

Sally Hudzik

Sunday, August 17

7:00 AM

Dennis & Ida Dias

8:30 AM

Bill & Kerry O'Keefe

8:45 AM

Our Parish Family

10:00 AM

Kevin Graner

11:30 AM

Jean Malley

6:00 PM

Spanish Mass

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday: Wis 18:6-9; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12;

Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Monday: Dt 10:12-22; Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Dt 31:1-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12; Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29; Mt 19:13-15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary ~ August 15

The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary commemorates the taking into heaven of Mary, soul and body, at the end of her life on earth, a truth of faith that was proclaimed a dogma by Pope Pius VII on November 1, 1950. The feast, among the oldest and most solemn dedicated to Mary, has a long history; it was celebrated by Christians as early as the seventh century. This is also the Patronal Feast Day of the Diocese of Fall River.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation.

The Mass schedule is as follows:

Vigil Mass: Thursday, August 14 at 5:30 pm and Spanish

Mass at 8:00 pm

Friday, August 15: 7:30 am and 5:30 pm Mass

Please Note: Names will stay in the bulletin for 2 months, unless you call to have them re-moved. They are only listed if ermission 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, Jacqueline Killen Weyand, Mark Albright, Jane Carty, Ray Senecal, Julie Malone, Patsy Cody Lyons, Joy McGrath, Rosemarie Simmone, Bec Balock, Elizabeth Mock, Jenny Boley, Kathy Seraphim, Icylin Lewis, Linda Boles, Kate McGrath, Ashley McLeod, Ed Hudzik, Barbara Pekenia, Rowena Rickard, Richard Carven, Gail Krauthoff, Marjorie Malone, Patricia Powers, Clay Cassidy, Beth Tornovish, Caren Oberg, Rhys Vollans, Ovidio Patino and Suzanne Dockerty



Today's Gospel urges us to give generously and thus build up treasure in heaven. For "wherever your treasure lies, there your heart will be."

August 3:

\$24,143.00

The above total includes our Online Giving donations.

August 10:

Weekly Parish Collection

Second Collection:

Diocesan Assessment Collection

August 15:

Assumption of Mary

Charitable Works of St. Vincent de Paul Society

August 17:

Weekly Parish Collection

Second Collection:

Black & Indian Missions/Home Missions

August 24:

Weekly Parish Collection

Jesuits Return to Help

With our expanded schedule of Masses for the summer, we are happy to have the Jesuits from Boston College back for their valuable ministry. August 2/3, we welcome Fr. Andrea Vicini S.J. and we extend our welcome to Fr. Charlie Gallagher, S.J. Thank you to Fr. Andrea and to Fr. Charlie.

Gifts from Bethlehem ~ August 9 & 10

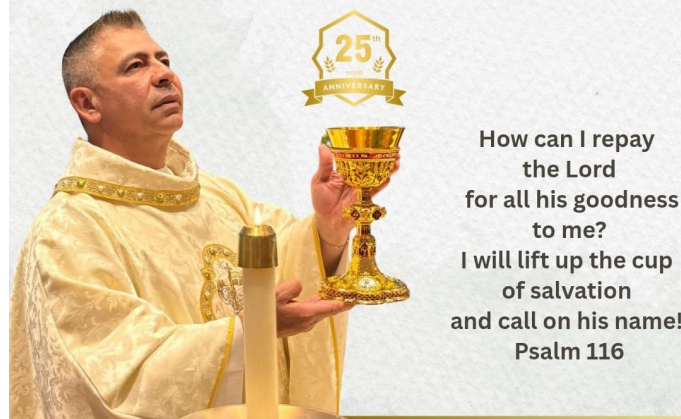
A Traditional Art and Livelihood for Holy Land Christians will be at St. Mary's this weekend. The handicrafts trade evolved as a cultural tradition of Christians in the Holy Land for many centuries. This indigenous form of art has since become an industry of great importance to the local people of the Holy Land who rely on it for their livelihood. The olive wood carving market is the major source of income in the Bethlehem area. Gifts from Bethlehem will be selling their beautiful olive wood carvings after all of the Masses during this weekend. Please consider stopping by the Parish Center and checking out their beautiful and unique works. Thank you for your vital support of this Christian tradition.

**Mass and Reception to Celebrate
25 Years as a Priest for Fr. Carlos**

Sunday, August 17

Mass at 3:00 pm, St. Mary Our Lady of the Isle
Nantucket

Reception at 5:00 pm, VFW



Please join us for a Mass at 3:00 pm at St. Mary's as we celebrate Fr. Carlos being a priest for 25 years! There will be a reception at 5:00 pm at the VFW so that we can all share food, good will and joy with Fr. Carlos. Congratulations Fr. Carlos. We are truly grateful that you have been a part of St. Mary's for twenty years. Thank you!



**This Weekend, August 17th & 18th - Campaign for
Special People with Intellectual or Physical Disabilities**

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting donations after all Masses this weekend, August 9th and 10th, in support of this statewide effort. Please enjoy a Tootsie Roll as a token of appreciation!

**Summer Mass Schedule
Continues through August 31**

Saturday: Mass at 5 pm

Sunday Masses:

**at 7:00(quiet Mass-No music), 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 am
and 6:00 pm in Spanish**

**in church
and**

8:45 am at the 'Sconset Union Chapel

From the Office of Safe Environment

Want to keep your child extra safe? Create a code word for you and your child to be used in a variety of ways. It can be a signal that your child needs to talk to you immediately; it can be the password a trusted adult needs to pick up your child in an emergency, or it can be a code to signal to you that the child is in danger. Practice handling these situations just as you would have family fire drills. Safety is too important to leave to chance!

Dear Friends,

This weekend our Diocese is taking part in "Invocation Weekend". This is a way for each of us, priests and faithful, to assist in the work of praying for and encouraging vocations to consecrated life and priesthood. There is good news to share.



This Fall, we welcome five new seminarians for our Diocese, bringing the number of those preparing for priesthood to 8! This is a great increase. This past Monday I had the opportunity to meet a few of them, and each one of them was engaging, friendly, young and eager to begin their formal discernment and formation for priesthood. This is a great joy for our Diocese.

In the pews this weekend are cards with information, including "QR" codes, so you can sign up to receive information about vocations in our Diocese and to be given opportunities to pray for the young men preparing for priesthood. Who knows? One of these new seminarians could be the pastor here in 30 years when I am ready to retire!

Each one of us should be supporting, encouraging and inviting young people to consider serving Christ and His Church. So please take part in this. Whether you are visiting us for a short period of time, or are part of our parish year round or somewhere in between, we can all take part. Isn't it great to have a Church here where many Masses are offered each weekend? I certainly think so! We should all want this to continue!

Please pray for our seminarians and the priests of the Diocese of Fall River.

God bless you all!

Fr. John

Diocese of Fall River: Vocations Update

We are excited to announce some wonderful news! Bishop da Cunha has accepted five new seminarians for the next semester:

- Sean Kilty from Corpus Christi in East Sandwich
- Noah Pollard from St. Francis Xavier in Acushnet
- David Ferrucci from St. Joan of Arc, Orleans
- Nicholas Huegel from Corpus Christi, East Sandwich
- John Turner from St. Joseph Guardian of the Holy Family, Falmouth

With the new intake, we hope to have nine seminarians total for the 2025-2026 academic year. Our overall goal is to attain and maintain 25 seminarians for the Diocese of Fall River.

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