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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 1:00 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 1:00 pm

PARISH INFORMATION

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Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday 9:00 am - Noon &
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.

Faith Formation: First Eucharistic: two-year program, starting in First Grade

Confirmation: two-year program, starting in Eighth Grade

Grades 3 to 7: specific program for each grade

CGDRE@stmarysnantucket.org

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 (OCIA): 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



Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Saturday, November 22

5:00 PM

Our Parish Family

Sunday, November 23

8:00 AM

Frank & Kathleen Psaradelis

11:00 AM

Joan Velsmid

1:00 PM

Spanish Mass

Monday, November 24

7:30 AM

Michael Fedor

Tuesday, November 25

7:30 AM

Teresa King

6:00 PM

Bilingual Thanksgiving Mass

Wednesday, November 26

7:30 AM

Lindsey Arensmeier

Thursday, November 27

7:30 AM

NO MASS

Friday, November 28

7:30 AM

NO MASS

Saturday, November 29

5:00 PM

Our Parish Family

Sunday, November 30

8:00 AM

Carol Marks

11:00 AM

Veronica Dragon

1:00 PM

Spanish 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 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, Daley McCallum, Claudio Clavijo, Ellen Conway, Doyle Marchant, Barbara Boehm, Lily Kraljevec, Linda Sullivan, Patricia Cennamo, Patty Snyder, Frank Malara, Louise Hubbard, 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 Tornovich, Caren Oberg, Rhys Volans, Frank Balester, Ovidio Patino, Suzanne Dockerty, Seth Meyer, Barbara Wodynski, Ophelia Palka, Myrna Bocage, Ron Bocage, Kathleen Cassidy, Lili Baker and Janet Coffin

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28; Lk 21:20-28 or, for Thanksgiving Day, any readings from the Mass "In Thanksgiving to God"

Friday: Dn 7:2-14; Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27; Lk 21:34-36



Religious Education Dates for December

PLEASE NOTE:

THE FAMILY NIGHT SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER 5TH WILL BE RESCHEDULED

12/07- Sacramental grades/ Grados sacramentales Grade 2- **9:00 AM** Grade 9 - **10:00 AM**



Palliative & Supportive Care of Nantucket PASCON ANNUAL TREE OF REMEMBRANCE SERVICE
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23 AT 4:00PM
JARED COFFIN HOUSE GARDEN
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ceremony in remembrance of those we are missing this Holiday Season. The community is welcome to bring or make ornaments honoring their loved ones to place on the tree. Scallop shells and markers will be available throughout the season to add at any time.



Today we celebrate Christ the King and are reminded that all was created through Him and for Him. Does my stewardship of the blessings entrusted to me give evidence that Christ is Lord of my life?

November 9: \$10,121.00
Second Collection: \$2,147.00
Diocesan Assessment Collection

November 16: \$7,250.00
Second Collection: \$4,048.00
Christmas Flower Collection

All of the above totals include our Online Giving Donations

November 23: Weekly Parish Collection
Second Collection: Campaign for Human Development

November 30: Weekly Parish Collection



Sacrament of Marriage

Please remember this couple in your prayers as they celebrated this special sacrament this weekend.

November 22, 2025

Robert E. Kelly

And

Mary Katherine Vietze



Second Collection December 6 & 7

Retirement Fund for Religious

Help Care for Elders

Many senior religious worked for years for little to no pay, leaving a large gap in retirement savings. At the same time, fewer religious are able to serve in compensated ministry.

Across the United States, hundreds of religious communities lack financial resources sufficient to meet the retirement and health-care needs of aging members.

Please give to those who have given a lifetime.

This Week at Mass

Monday, November 24: St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc, priest, martyr, and his Companions, martyrs. During the 17th. to 19th. centuries in Vietnam, some 130,000 Christians suffered cruel martyrdom, many by decapitation or strangulation; today 117, most of them killed during the reigns of Emperors Minh-Mang (1820-1840) and Tu-Duc (1847-1883), are remembered. They include 11 Spanish Dominicans, ten members of the Society of Foreign Missions of Paris, and 96 Vietnamese (37 priests, including Andrew Dũng-Lạc and 59 laypersons, including one seminarian and ten Dominican Tertiaries. All were canonized on June 19, 1988 by Pope St. John Paul II.

Thursday, November 27: Thanksgiving Day is observed today in our country. There will be no parish Mass, but we will celebrate at the Eucharist on Tuesday, November 25 at 6 pm.

CHURCH COOKOUT



St. Mary's Advent Cookout- Save the Date

St. Mary's Advent Kickoff Cookout Stroll Weekend ~Save the Date
Saturday, December 7. The Knights will once again be grilling to raise money for St. Mary's. We thank them profusely. Join us for delicious food and great company and help a worthy cause at the same time. The menu is always diverse

and worth a walk to Cambridge Street! We will have the street blocked off and tables set up. So plan to join your St. Mary's Community between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm for some Christmas good cheer.

St. Mary's Chic Bling Jewelry will once again be available. Be sure to check out what Emilia and Diana have to offer this go round.

Volunteers We are looking for St. Mary's volunteers to help during the day in many different capacities, from 7:00 am until 3:00 pm. If you are available to help at any time during these hours, please get in touch by calling the parish office at 508-228-0100 or emailing stmarys@stmarysnantucket.org Thank you.



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Happy
THANKSGIVING

The Parish Office will close at noon on Wednesday, November 26th, and will be closed on both Thursday the 27th and Friday the 28th of November. We will reopen on Monday December 1st at 9:00am



Dear Friends,

Here we are, the final weekend of the Liturgical year. This final weekend is always the Solemnity of Jesus Christ, King of The Universe. Next weekend we begin again with the First Sunday of Advent.

We live in a world which is obsessed with power. Power over nations, power over states, cities and local communities. There are power struggles in families, in our places of work, in our schools and certainly in our churches. Power has been something humans have wanted since the beginning of time. We see the quest for power with the first sin of Adam and Eve. We see the destructive nature of the quest for power in the murder of Abel by his brother Cain. Power can corrupt and as we know from the old saying "absolute power corrupts absolutely".

This weekend, as we celebrate the rule of Christ The King, we see a different kind of power exercised. We see the Power of God most significantly in Jesus Christ, who "came not to be served, but to serve" (Mark10:45). What does this tell us about true power? Real power, real authority exercises itself as sacrifice, and putting oneself aside and placing the other before us. This is what God has done with us in His Son, Jesus. It is what we must do with and for one another.

As always, we can easily point the finger and blame politicians and leaders for not doing a better job and setting a better example for us. But friends, let's be honest — these people do not really have a lot to do with our daily lives. They do not have dominance over us, unless we give it to them. It is our privilege and responsibility to set the tone; to be a people who seek Jesus, "the power of God and the wisdom of God" (1 Corinthians 24:25). We seek to serve His Kingship. Happy Feast! Let us celebrate by serving Him and one another.
God bless you all!

Fr. John

Immaculate Conception Of The Blessed Virgin Mary Holy Day Of Obligation

Monday, December 8, 2025

Mass times: 7:30 am and 5:30 pm Spanish Mass at 7:00 pm

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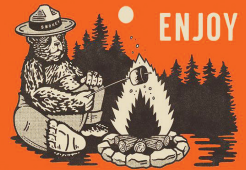
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