



Mass Intentions of the Week

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 4, 2016

Saturday, September 3rd	Judge John Frawley
5:00PM	
Sunday, September 4th	
7:00AM	Our Parish Family
8:30AM	Edward & James Miller
8:45AM	Palma & Cornelius Johnson
10:00AM	Anthony Scagga
11:30AM	Kelly Goode
Monday, September 5th	
7:30AM	Kelly Goode
Tuesday, September 6th	
7:30AM	Timothy Cercario
Wednesday, September 7th	
7:30AM	Skippy & Margaret Correia
Thursday, September 8th	
7:30AM	Eric, Brendon & Kyle Darby
Friday, September 9th	
7:30AM	Valerie Jackimczyk
Saturday, September 10th	
5:00PM	Patrick & Elizabeth Madison
Sunday, September 11th	
8:00AM	Our Parish Family
11:00AM	Patricia Lee Rubino

REMINDER: Bulletin announcements must be in writing and in the office by Monday at Noon.

Happy Labor Day

A happy and safe holiday weekend. The office will be closed Monday in observance of Labor Day.

Baptism Parents Meeting

The next Baptism Preparation Class will be **Sunday, September 25 at 12:30 pm** in the Parish Center (lower church). **Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.** Baptisms take place the first Sunday of the month usually at 12:30pm in September to June.

Religious Education

Religious Education will begin on Sunday, September 18th at 9:30 a.m. If you have not registered your child OR your contact information has changed, please email Kenny Hilbig for a registration form. He can be reached at DRE@stmarysnantucket.org or at (508)901-3311. There are still a few spots open for teachers as well. Please let Kenny know if you would like to serve in this capacity. Co-teachers and assistants are also needed.



SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

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

September 9th

Matthew Conley Healy and Gabrielle Theresa Ceruzzi

Summer Mass Schedule ends this weekend

We return to the "fall-winter-spring" schedule:

Saturday: Mass at 5 pm

Sunday Masses: at 8 and 11 am
and 6:30 pm in Spanish in church
beginning September 10 and 11.

Canonization of Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Rome: Sunday, September 4, 2016

Please take one of the memorial cards marking this event from the pews. It's a reminder of her holiness and an opportunity to pray for her intercession.

Prayer Request

Book provided in the Lobby for you to write your intentions for anyone to be remembered in prayer. Let us continue to hold each other up in prayer. **Please pray for all who serve our country and are in harm's way. SICK:** Pray for: Michael Ferreira, Kimberly Feinsod, Irene Garnett, Gladys Soverino, Kathleen A. Meehan, Julie Grimaldi, Bernard Walsh, Roger Godeau, Joan Wilson Godeau, Peter Dugan, Bill Iller, Kori Olsen, Dennis J. Dias, Ashley Andrade, Barbara Murphy, Anne Woodley, Fr. Tom Clements, Claire Schroeder, Davy Walker, Bonnie Woodley, Gladys Zodda, Pamela Marchant, Dino Almadobar, Sandy Duarte, Elsie Dudley, Therese Woodward, Troy Towne, Lola Jagolta, Marie Blasi, Lee Rand Burne, Roy Barrett, Marge Mock, Charles Howard, Ceil Dragon, Barbara Carvalho, John Grangrade, Phyllis Slattery, Tom Murphy, Xavier Andrade, Shannon Reeves, Kathy Sherman, Patricia & Charlie Andrade, Barbara Mintz, Richard Ross, Betty Cody, Jemima Moore, Stephen McCluskey. For visits by Fr. Bouchard please call the office.

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Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33

Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8; Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: 1 Cor 6:1-11; Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31; Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 **Friday:** 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Lk 6:39-42

Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22; Lk 6:43-49

Stewardship A Way of Life

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Jesus tells the crowd that only those who renounce all of their possessions can be His disciples. Is He truly asking us to give up *everything*? Perhaps instead He is trying to help us see that everything we think we own is really a gift from God. Good stewards know that and strive to use those gifts accountably.

8-28 First collection \$15,299.00

Up coming second collections:

9-4 Diocesan Assessment Collection

9-11 Religious Education

THIS WEEK AT MASS

Monday, September 5: Mother Teresa will have been canonized the day before, and this date is her date of death and her feast day, so we will celebrate her memorial. We will also note the celebration of Labor Day in our country. **Thursday, September 8:** The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This fifth century feast marks the anniversary of the dedication of a basilica in Jerusalem built, according to tradition, on the location of the home of St. Anne, the mother of Mary. Note that this feast occurs 9 months after the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception.

Friday, September 9: St. Peter Claver, priest (+1654). Jesuit who served in the Colombian mission in Cartagena. For 38 years he was devoted to caring for African slaves. He baptized over 300,000 and called himself "the slave of the slaves forever." For more information on saints of the day click on www.americancatholic.org, the daily features, saint of the day. There is a link on our website.

Father T. Frank Kennedy, S.J. – RIP

This week the memorial book in the vestibule will be sent to Father Kennedy's family.

Jesuits From BC Back To Help

This weekend Father Charles Gallagher, S.J. and Father Andrea Vicini, S.J. will be with us. This is the last weekend we will enjoy the assistance of the Jesuits. We warmly welcome these priests and appreciate their ministry among us.



ALTAR SERVERS

Now that we have celebrated the First Communion of our children we have a whole new group eligible to become altar servers. Children must have received their First Communion in order to be trained as altar servers. Soon we will begin a new class. Parents of children interested in becoming servers should contact our office and leave name, phone number and email address. This ministry is open to any child in any grade after First Communion.

'Sconset Chapel Notes

Thank you to all who assisted in the celebration of Mass at the 'Sconset Chapel this summer: Sacristans, lectors, servers, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, ushers, collectors and the music ministry. We are so pleased to be able to share this beautiful worship space with our Protestant brothers and sisters.

Parish Pastoral Council

Time to reconstitute our Parish Pastoral Council. Father Bouchard would welcome any information about the Council as it existed in the past, especially from anyone who might have been a member.



Nantucket Food Pantry Chef's Choice Dinner

Hosted by the Nantucket Yacht Club, sit down, multi-course dinner offered by Chef Chris Freeman, formerly of Oran Mor.

September 28, 2016, 6 to 9 pm

\$90 per ticket; contact Anne Marie at the Food Pantry at 508-228-7438 or ACKfoodpantry@gmail.com.

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 15th anniversary of this tragedy occurs next Sunday, and during the month of prayer for peace. Let us pray and work for peace and justice.

CLOW: Children's Liturgy of the Word

This liturgical experience of the Word of God for our children during Mass will resume September 11 at the 11 am Mass. This wonderful program provides a liturgical experience of the Word of God for our children.. We are always in need off more leaders and assistants. This is a great way for parents to get involved in the religious formation of their children. If you can help, please contact Leslie Bresette at 508.228.9728 or Leslie.bresette@gmail.com

Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Western Europe

October 18 to 31, 2017 Father Bouchard will be spiritual director for a pilgrimage to many of the shrines of European saints, including Fatima, Santiago, Avila, Loyola, Lourdes and Paris. Watch for more details and information as available. In the meantime, please let Father Bouchard know if you are interested. (See poster in the vestibule.)

Month of Prayer for Peace

Please see insert and join together in prayer.

QUILT RAFFLE TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE.

Most parishioners will get them in the mail! \$5.00 each or 6 for \$25.00. If you would like more tickets. Please contact Laurie Paterson, 508-228-4921. Thank you