



Mass Intentions of the Week
Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, October 21st	
5:00PM	Our Parish Family
Sunday, October 22nd	
8:00AM	Tom & Mary Clarke
11:00AM	Bonnie Woodley
Monday, October 23rd	
7:30AM	Joseph Cody
Tuesday, October 24th	
7:30AM	Dr. Henry H. Cowell
Wednesday, October 25th	
7:30AM	David Masters
Thursday, October 26th	
7:30AM	No Intention
Friday, October 27th	
7:30AM	Raith Family
Saturday, October 28th	
5:00PM	Michael O'Sullivan
Sunday, October 29th	
8:00AM	Beth Lochtefeld
11:00AM	Our Parish Family

Baptism Parents Meeting

Baptism Preparation Class for the month of **October will be by appointment only.** Please contact the office for information. Baptisms take place the first Sunday of the month usually at 12:30 pm from October to June, and at 1 pm July to September.

Altar Server Training

New server training dates have been established: Mondays, October 30 and November 6 and 13 in church from 3:30 to 4:30 pm. 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. Please contact us NOW at 508-228-0100 or stmarys@stmarysnantucket.org to sign up.

Religious Education News

Classes on 10-29

No Religious Education 10-22

NNS-at 9:00AM to 10:30AM. **Grades 1-7**
FGH=at 6:00PM to 7:30PM, **Grades 8 & 9.**

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Altar Flowers

This weekend are in loving memory of Geraldine Nichols.

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, Joan Wilson Godeau, Peter Dugan, Kori Olsen, Dennis J. Dias, Ashley Andrade, Barbara Murphy, Fr. Tom Clements, Claire Schroeder, Davy Walker, Pamela Marchant, Dino Almodobar, 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, Stephen McCluskey, Kerry O'Keefe, Ron Bocage, Santiaguita Hernandez, Paul Gonnella, Nancy Pittman, Ernest Oliver, Sr., Kevin Dugan, Linda LaConti, Jane Podurgiel, Donna Perone, Stephen Rickard, Jean Duarte, Ray McMahon, Tish Meehan, Sylvia Lewis, Shirley Souza Molly Elverson & Fernando Gutierrez. For visits by Fr. Bouchard please call the office.

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Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21

Monday: Rom 4:20-25; Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18; Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23; Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Rom 7:18-25a; Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16

Stewardship

A Way of Life

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Each year at tax time, we conscientiously give "to Caesar what belongs to Caesar." Does my stewardship indicate that I am as faithful about giving "to God what belongs to God"?

10-7 & 8	Stewardship	\$8,192.00
10-7 & 8	Diocesan Assessment	\$3,639.00
10-14 & 15:	Hurricane Relief in Puerto Rico	\$
Up Coming Second Collections		
10- 21 & 22:	World Mission Sunday	

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE HAS RESUMED:

Sunday Mass schedule: Saturday at 5PM;

Sunday Masses at 8AM and 11AM

Spanish Mass continues at 6:30PM.

THIS WEEK AT MASS

Monday, October 23: St. John of Capistrano, priest (+1456). He was a reformer of the Franciscans and Poor Clares; he preached devotion to the Holy Name of Jesus, and sought an end to the Western Schism. He animated resistance against the Turks at the battle of Belgrade (1456). He is patron of military chaplains.

Tuesday, October 24: St. Anthony Mary Claret, bishop (+1870). From Catalonia, he became a vigorous reforming bishop of Santiago, Cuba and founded the Missionary Sons of the Immaculate Heart of Mary (Claretians). Remaining Masses this week will be seasonal weekday Masses.

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 Bouchard To Be Away Spiritual Director for Pilgrimage to Shrines of Western Europe

Father left October 17 and will return on November 1. At each shrine, especially at the celebration of Mass he will bring the needs and intentions of all our parishioners and friends to the Lord. After Portugal pilgrims will travel to Spain. At Santiago they will visit St. James Cathedral and they will walk part of the pilgrim's route called the "el camino."

Father Paul Canuel, former pastor, will "cover" the first week.

Father Michael Hahn, O.S.B., student at BC, who has helped here during the summer, will help the second week.

Father Victor Lambert, S.J., newly ordained, from Chile, student at BC, will celebrate the Spanish Mass Sunday, October 29.

We welcome them and thank them for their ministry among us.



Peter Skotnicki, Organist/Music Director

Peter Skotnicki, who has been our Organist/Music Director for the last 14 years will be leaving for an extended vacation. A leave of absence from November 6, 2017 to May 15, 2018 will offer him the opportunity to visit family members in Europe. We wish Peter well and thank him for his ministry. We will wish him a proper farewell his last weekend, November 4 and 5.

Diane Lehman To Join Music Ministry

Diane Lehman has accepted the invitation to become our parish Musician/Director of Music. Diane is well known to us, having filled in at times at the church and having been musician at the 'Sconset Chapel for our summer Masses and weddings for years. She will direct music for parish Sunday Masses and also play for weddings and funerals. We thank Diane for accepting the invitation and welcome her to the liturgical ministry of our parish. Her first Masses will be the weekend of November 11 and 12. We will initiate her ministry with us with a special blessing at Masses that weekend.

October is Respect Life Month

Be not afraid! (2017 theme) We don't need to have everything figured out. We can simply follow the guidance of our Blessed Mother, the first disciple: "Do whatever he tells you." (John 2:5) See www.usccb.org/prolife for more.

October: Month of the Holy Rosary

During the month of October the Rosary will be recited each day, Monday through Friday before the 7:30 am morning Mass. The Rosary will begin at 7:10 am. Come and pray for peace in our troubled world.

NOVEMBER: ALL SOULS

November is traditionally known as the Month of All Souls. It begins with the feast of All Saints on November 1, and the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls) on November 2. All during the month at Mass we will remember our loved ones who have gone before us. "All Souls" envelopes have been placed at the church entrance, and will be in your "budget envelope" packet for November and December. Just list the names of those you would like to have remembered at Masses during the month of November. Names will be inscribed in a *Book of Remembrance*, which will be placed near the baptismal font in our church. Be sure to include your own name on the front of the envelope. Donations are not necessary, but would be gratefully appreciated.

All Saints Day – November 1, 2017

Holy Day of Obligation

Masses: Wednesday at 7:30 am and 5:15 pm.

Liturgical Ministers: Please sign up to help in the vestibule.



Save the Date

Knights of Columbus Ham and Bean Supper November 18, 5:30 to 7:30 pm

The Knights will serve a delicious meal featuring bake ham and beans, brown bread, salad, beverage and dessert at **St. Mary Parish Center, the lower church at 3 Federal Street.**

Tickets: \$10 for adults, \$5 for children – to benefit the scholarship fund. Tickets will be available After Masses November 4 and 5, 11 and 12, and at the door. Bring your family, friends, and neighbors.