

Lent



Second Sunday of Lent Mass Intentions of the Week

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| Saturday, March 16th | |
| 5:00 PM | Our Parish Family |
| Sunday, March 17th | |
| 8:00 AM | Quinn McCusker |
| 11:00 AM | Jean Duarte |
| Monday, March 18th | |
| 7:30 AM | For the intentions of Jose Partida |
| 10:45 AM | Our Island Home |
| Tuesday, March 19th | |
| 7:30 AM | Lee Rand Burne |
| Wednesday, March 20th | |
| 7:30 AM | For the intentions of Patricia Lyons & Family |
| Thursday, March 21st | |
| 7:30 AM | no intentions |
| Friday, March 22nd | |
| 7:30 AM | Judge Edmund M. Reggie |
| Saturday, March 23rd | |
| 5:00 PM | Jean Duarte |
| Sunday, March 24th | |
| 8:00 AM | Frank & Maura Gannon |
| 11:00 AM | Our Parish Family |



There **IS** Religious Education this week. Next class is Sunday, March 24, 2019.

Grades 1-7 meet at NNS at 9:00 to 10:30AM
Grades 8 & 9 meet at FGH at 6:00 to 7:30PM

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Nantucket Food Pantry

Volunteer at the Food Pantry helping neighbors in need: Tuesdays or Thursdays, 2:00 to 4:00 and 4:00 to 6:00; set-up groceries, packing orders, home deliveries. If you can help, please contact Lama at 508-228-7438.

Please note, that there will be Easter Flower envelopes in the back of the church if needed.

Please pray for all who serve our country and are in harm's way. SICK: Pray for: Michael Ferreira,

Kimberly Feinsod, Gladys Soverino, 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, Lola Jagolta, 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, Stephen McCluskey, Kerry O'Keefe, Ron Bocage, Santiagueta Hernandez, Paul Gonnella, Nancy Pittman, Kevin Dugan, Linda LaConti, Donna Perone, Stephen Rickard, Sylvia Lewis, Shirley Souza, Molly Elverson, Sarah Partdrige, Fernando Gutierrez, Felix Soares, Jerry & Brad Giles, Thelma Perry Roderick, Steve Poulin, Vallorie Oliver, Bella Ikova, Pat Raith, Mary McCullough, Deb Armstrong, Kieran Murphy, Reggie Bradford, Dick Phelan, Dan Mack, Theresa Andersen, Lori Fox, Kayden Sellick, Eileen McGrath, Sara Brooks, Mark Albright, Ritch S. Leone, and Brent Parks. For visits by a priest please call the office.

Second Sunday of Lent

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1; Lk 9:28b-36

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32



Peter, James, and John wanted to build a "booth" for Jesus and just stay on the mountain where His transfiguration took place. But the Son of God, the Chosen One, knew that He must instead keep moving toward His crucifixion. We, too, must rise from worship and do what we can to hasten the coming of the kingdom.

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| Mar. 9 & 10: Stewardship | \$ 2,735.00 |
| Catholic University | \$1,259.00 |
| Ash Wednesday | \$2,501.00 |

Upcoming Second Collection:

Mar. 23 & 24: Easter Flowers

Mar. 30 & 31: Catholic Relief Services

Guarding Against the Spread of the Flu

We have implemented the following changes temporarily to guard against spreading germs:

1. We will eliminate the greeting of those around us before Mass.
2. We suggest refraining from holding hands during the Lord's Prayer.
3. We encourage something other than shaking hands at the Sign of the Peace.
4. Communion of the Precious Blood from the chalice will be suspended. **We will need only the first three Extraordinary Ministers of Communion on the schedule.**
5. We suggest that communicants receive the host in their hands.
6. We suggest that you refrain from hand-shaking and embracing when leaving church after.

Fr. John's Presentation

How's My Spiritual Health? Lent is a good time for a Spiritual Check-Up. Join Fr. John for a follow up presentation as he reflects on the essential ingredients of a healthy Spiritual Life. This presentation will be held at St. Mary's Church on Tuesday, March 19th at 6:00p.m. Why not COME and fill your prescription for Spiritual Fitness this Lent!

CELEBRATING SACRAMENTS WITH OUR YOUTH



First Communion: Will be celebrated at parish Masses (English and Spanish) on Saturday and Sunday, May 4 and 5, 2019: 1 pm Saturday in Spanish and 5 pm Saturday in English, and 11 am Sunday in English.



Confirmation: Will be celebrated on Ascension Thursday, May 30, 2019 at 4 pm. Bishop Edgar da Cunha will be here to celebrate the Confirmation Mass.

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



WEEKDAY MASS

Monday through Friday,
Mass will be at 7:30am

ROSARY

Among other devotions this year, there will be a daily Rosary- to be prayed before daily Mass and beginning at 7:00 am.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Weekly during Lent on Mondays at 5:15pm, beginning March 11th, followed by lite bite meal in the Parish Center.
Spanish Stations of the Cross weekly during Lent on Fridays at 7:00pm

RECONCILIATION

There will be a **Lenten Penance Service** on Monday, April 8th, beginning at 5:45 pm after the Stations of the Cross.

REMINDER

Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat.

Encounter Annet and her family

Through the CRS Rice Bowl collection materials, we encounter 16 year old Annet and her three siblings in Uganda. She became guardian to her siblings when her parents died when she was just 16. They were forced out of S. Sudan to Uganda as refugees. CRS has stepped in and helped provide housing and land to farm. We were made in God's likeness therefore, that means that every human being has special value and purpose. How can we care for each other so we can be the people God calls us to be? Visit www.crsricebowl.org for more info.