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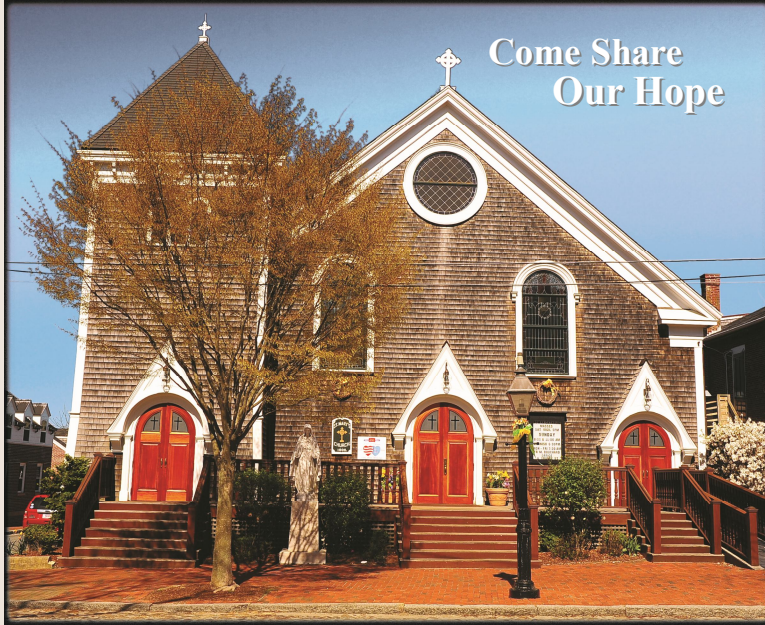


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MASS SCHEDULE †

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 7:30 am, 9:30 am & 11:30 am

NO Siasconet Union Chapel Mass

Spanish Mass 6:00 pm

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Office: 6 Orange St.

Mailing Address:

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Web Site: www.stmarysnantucket.org

Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - Noon &
1:00 - 3:00 pm



Sacrament of Reconciliation: 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: Couples are asked to consult with the priest or deacon **at least 7 months in advance**. There must be a connection to the Parish, and the couple must be practicing Catholics. Bee Gonnella, wedding coordinator (Cell: 508-221-1883)

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.

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Preschool to Grade 5. Celebrated during the 11:00 am Mass (*September through June*). Please contact Leslie Bresette at leslie.bresette@gmail.com.

St. Vincent De Paul: Outreach to the needy, call the Parish Office for info.

Knights of Columbus: Meetings first Wednesday of each month at 6PM (not July & August), at Fr. Griffin Hall, 15 Cherry Street. Contact Dave at 508-228-4887.



Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions of the Week

Saturday, September 19

5:00 PM

Our Parish Family

Sunday, September 20

8:00 AM

Kerry O'Keefe

11:00 AM

Anthony Riccio

6:00 PM

Spanish Mass

Monday, September 21

7:30 AM

Thomas G. Greig III

Tuesday, September 22

7:30 AM

Stephen Marks

Wednesday, September 23

7:30 AM

no intention

Thursday, September 24

7:30 AM

Christine Whitney

Friday, September 25

7:30 AM

Margaret "Peg" Bibbins

Saturday, September 26

5:00 PM

Our Parish Family

Sunday, September 27

8:00 AM

Lenny Mathey

11:00 AM

Jack Woodley, Sr.

6:00 PM

Spanish Mass

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

Kimberly Feinsod, Gladys Soverino, Joan Wilson Godeau, Peter Dugan, Ashley Andrade, Barbara Murphy, Pamela Marchant, Dino Almodobar, Marge Mock, Charles Howard, Ceil Dragon, Barbara Carvalho, John Grangrade, Tom Murphy, Xavier Andrade, Shannon Reeves, Kathy Sherman, Patricia & Charlie Andrade, Barbara Mintz, Stephen McCluskey, Fr. Tom Clements, Ron Bocage, Paul Gonnella, Nancy Pittman, Kevin Dugan, Linda LaConti, Donna Perone, Stephen Rickard, Sylvia Lewis, Shirley Souza, Molly Elverson, Sarah Partridge, Fernando Gutierrez, Felix Soares, Jerry & Brad Giles, Thelma Perry Roderick, Steve Poulin, Bella Ikova, Pat Raith, Mary McCullough, Kieran Murphy, Dick Phelan, Theresa Andersen, Lori Fox, Eileen McGrath, Sara Brooks, Mark Albright, Ritch S. Leone, Taylor Denay Jemison, Shannon Haynes, Alice Norkett, Paul R. Driscoll, Jr., Patricia Dargie, Bob Siebold, John Daley, Linda Boyle, Dick Bubbs, Emily Perry, Jonathan Perez, Mercia Weyand, Steve Thompson, Gladys Gebo, Tom McSparron, Jeannette Lipka, Nancie Taylor Daley, Daley McCallum, Robert Butler, and Claudio Clavijo.



In today's Gospel, the vineyard owner says, "I am free to do as I please with my money, am I not?" We are likewise free. Is a generous return to the Lord in thanksgiving for His many blessings among the choices we have made?

September 13: \$6,123.00

Second Collection:

Religious Education \$1,263.00

September 20: Weekly Parish Collection
Second Collection: **Special Collection for the Bishops Emergency Disaster Fund in response to the devastation caused by Hurricane Laura and the California wildfires.**

September 27: Weekly Parish Collection
Second Collection: Cardinal Medeiros
Residence for retired priests of our Diocese.

You can mail your envelopes to our Parish Office at P.O. Box 1168, Nantucket, MA 02554 or contribute through On Line Giving on our website. Thank you.

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE RESUMES:

Our Weekend Mass schedule:

Saturday at 5PM

Sunday Masses at 8AM and 11AM

Spanish Mass at 6:00 PM

Weekday Mass (Mon. thru Fri.) at 7:30 AM

LETTER FROM FR. JOHN --- SEPTEMBER 2020

Please see our website www.stmarysnantucket.org for Post Summer Reflections from Fr. John.

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday: Is 55:6-9; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

Monday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13

Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Prv 30:5-9; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Eccl 11:9—12:8; Lk 9:43b-45

Religious Education

It's that time again! Our Religious Education program for all grades will start on October 4th. This year's program has been designed with the safety of our catechists and students as our top priority.

Classes for grades 1 and 3-7 will be receiving paper copies of each week's lessons. The catechist for each grade will be in contact with his or her class via email. Details to follow on when to pick up the lessons.

Classes for grades 2, 8 and 9 will be held virtually with the student's grade level catechist. The catechist will be in contact with his or her class via email with instructions.

All first graders and any new students entering the program must register. Registration can be done by emailing Judy DeBaggis at DRE@stmarysnantucket.org or by calling her at 508-317-0155.

Class schedules will be sent to registered students in the coming weeks.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping your child have a positive experience with this new format of religious education.

Live Streaming in "realtime" of our Church

At any time during daylight hours "visit" our church on your computer or mobile device. Visit during Mass times to pray with the celebration of the Eucharist.

How to Access Live Streaming

Go to our website at www.stmarysnantucket.org. Scroll down and on the left hand side under Bulletin & Inserts, you will see "Streaming" in a blue rectangular box. Just click on that. A black screen will appear with an arrow in a white circle in the center. Click on that arrow and you will see the inside of the church. You are now Live Streaming and you can see and hear the daily and weekend Masses.

State of the Diocese Of Fall River Report

Bishop da Cunha and the Diocese of Fall River recently released a *State of the Diocese of Fall River Report, 2014-2019*. The intent of the publication is to provide parishioners, benefactors, volunteers and employees with a better understanding of how their support enables the mission of the Catholic Church in Southeastern Massachusetts, Cape Cod, and the Islands. We hope you find it helpful and informative. The full report is available on the diocesan website: <https://www.fallriverdiocese.org>



I would like to thank everyone who donated to this year's Diocesan Catholic Appeal. St. Mary's Parish surpassed last year's gifts and pledges by over \$26,000.

The Diocese of Fall River raised more than \$3.5 million in gifts and pledges for the Appeal which sustains its longstanding mission of serving those in greatest need throughout our Diocese. In this year like no other, the demand for the many agencies, ministries, and programs funded by the Appeal has never been higher.

St. Mary's Catholic Appeal 2020

Amount Pledged	\$80,682.00
Donor Count	101
2019 Final	\$54,225.00
Increase	\$26,457.00

2020 Census: Be Counted

The 2020 Census, the once-a-decade population count of everyone who lives in the U.S., is currently underway. The survey can be easily done by mail, phone, or for the first time ever online, and it only takes a few minutes to complete. Census data helps direct federal funds to local communities for education, roads, and other public services. It is also used for planning hospitals, nursing homes, community centers, churches, schools, and police and fire rescue. A complete and accurate count is needed to help our cities and towns, and families thrive. Respond or learn more at www.census.gov or by calling 844-330-2020. By federal law, personal information is kept confidential. Census takers with photographic ID badges will follow up in person with homes that do not respond. The deadline to take part in the Census is September 30, 2020.



To sign up for **Online Giving**, go to our parish website: www.stmarysnantucket.org and scroll down to the Online Giving rectangle below "Bulletin and Inserts" on the right side of the page. Click on the rectangle and you will see a green box to create a new account. Once you click on that green box you can follow the 5 easy steps to sign up. If you have any questions, please email us at: stmarys@stmarysnantucket.org and we will help you. Thank you for your continued support!

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