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St. Ann's Church

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PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor	<i>Fr. John Murray</i>
Deacons	<i>Deacon Joseph McGinley</i>
.....	<i>Deacon Paul Spearin</i>
Faith Formation Coordinator	<i>Jenn Murphy</i>
Music Director	<i>Paul Bowen</i>
Retired Deacon	<i>Deacon John Welch</i>

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 PM
 Sunday - 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 AM and 5:00 PM
 (Memorial Day to Labor Day, Sunday - 8:00, 10:00 AM and 5:00 PM)
 Weekdays - Mon - Fri 7:00 AM; Sat 8:00 AM
 Holy Days - 7:00 AM and 7:00 PM
 Vigil Mass - 5:30 PM

First Friday Adoration 7:30 AM to 9:00 PM, closing with Benediction;
 First Saturday Rosary 8:30 AM
 Daily Rosary 7:30 AM; Divine Mercy Chaplet Friday 3:00 PM

CONFESSIONS: Saturday - 3:00 to 3:45. Also available other times by appointment.
BAPTISMS: First three Sundays of the month at 12:30 by appointment.
MARRIAGE: Arranged at least six months in advance at the Rectory.
SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Please notify us if anyone is ill in the hospital or at home and if anyone is unable to get to church because of illness, handicap or age.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

St. Vincent De Paul Society	<i>President, Bev Vargas</i>	508-884-6538
Altar Servers' Schedule	<i>Parish Secretary</i>	508-823-9833
Lectors & Lay Ministers of the Eucharist Schedule	<i>Parish Secretary</i>	508-823-9833
St. Ann Prayer Group	<i>Alexandrine Fillion</i>	508-697-2423
St. Ann's Sociable Seniors	<i>President, Marianne Miller</i>	508-823-1765
Knights of Columbus	<i>Grand Knight, Ron Pagels</i>	508-697-2707

NEW PARISHIONERS are cordially invited to register as members of our parish family.
 Please see a priest after Mass.

DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN COPY - Monday at noon (copy should be written or typewritten).
ST. ANN'S WEBSITE: www.stannsraynham.org **EMAIL:** office@stannsraynham.org

April 12, 2020

EASTER SUNDAY

Mass Intentions

- 7:00 a.m. Monday 04/13 Virginia Krul
- 7:00 a.m. Tuesday 04/14 Dominick Innocenzi
- 7:00 a.m. Wednesday 04/15 Joseph DeFreitas
- 7:00 a.m. Thursday 04/16 Edward T. Laughlin
- 7:00 a.m. Friday 04/17 Frank P. McCoy & deceased members of the McCoy family
- 8:00 a.m. Saturday 04/18 Deceased members of the Pacheco family



Kindly remember in your prayers those who have died, especially all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Dear Friends,


Happy and Blessed Easter! When Lent began on February 26th who would have thought that so much would have changed? Not a single one of us intended to give up as much as we have over these past few weeks! Yet here we are; we've arrived at Easter -- which is truly the final and eternal destination of every disciple of Jesus Christ.

No Matter the circumstances in which we find ourselves, Easter reminds us that nothing is permanent until we arrive in Heaven. Easter is what gets us there.


Throughout history Christians have celebrated Easter in many dire situations. Some of these were in times of wars, plagues, or intense and deadly persecutions. No matter the circumstances our mothers and fathers in faith were able to celebrate Easter; and so must we!

We are certainly Experiencing an Easter like no other. Yet we are still able to celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ. Christ is risen! He is truly risen! Whatever the situation and no matter how challenging it may be, we truly are an "Easter people and Alleluia is our song!" (St. John Paul II) I pray for each of you and your families. To quote St. Paul in his letter to the Romans, "For I long to see you, that I may share with you some spiritual gift so that you may be strengthened, that is, that you and I may be mutually encouraged by one another's faith, yours and mine." Please know I do look forward to, and long for the day, when we can be together again in our Church worshipping Jesus Christ and sharing the Eucharist, the Bread of Life.

A Blessed Easter to you all!
Fr. John


 **THANK YOU ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

We want to thank the members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society who delivered 35 baskets of food to folks in need for Easter. We want to thank the Vincentians for this wonderful project.

PARISH NECROLOGY 

A parish necrology is a listing of the anniversaries of those parish members who have gone before us – so we ask that you keep these folks in your prayers, particularly on the anniversary of their death.

Apr 12	John Filip	1970
	Anne M. Laughlin	2000
	Lucille Ann Peters	2018
Apr 13	Joseph Gaspar	1981
	Mary Jane Doran	1995
	Agnes Sorrentino	1998
	Gertrude R. Olson	1998
Apr 14	James Thomas Ferreira	2000
	Dennis J. Taylor	2002
	Maximillian J. Bella	2003
	Evelyn Rapoza	2017
Apr 15	Henry P. Hodges	1989
	Mary F. Anderson	2010
Apr 16	Edward J. Murby	1981
	George R. O'Brien	1996
	Ann M. Barnes	1998
	Elizabeth A. Donaldson	2001
	Louise DeLeo	2007
	Wayne M. Cheatham	2009
Apr 17	Bernard H. Murphy	1976
	Raymond Bellemore	1984
	Rita J. O'Brien	1998
	Ruth A. McRae	1998
	Gianna-Rae Coughlin	2006
Apr 18	Nancy Arruda	2016

 **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Please remember in your prayers, all who are facing illness at this time: *Ted Arend, Rev. Bob Brusco, Paula Burgoyne, Alan Cekanavich, Madeline Coelho, Donald W. Comis, Michael Delaney, Mark Doherty, Mildred Ceurvels Drury, Holly Duarte, Michael Fraga, Paula Frost, Stephen Kirkland, Fred Lincoln, Chase Miceli, Kim MacDonald, Patricia Parkinson, Patrick Quigley, Sandra Rosa, Doreen Schroth, Frank Simpson, Ed Smith, Helen Smith, Josie Spearin, Ray St. Germaine, Jennifer K. Strachan*, and those whose names are listed in the book of prayers for the sick.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We extend prayerful congratulations to:



Maeve Catherine Coucci

daughter of Jake & Sarah Coucci

Jack Henry Lima

son of Derek & Molly Lima

Daniel Jacob Marcotte

son of Brenton & Rebecca Marcotte

Noelle Marie Robison

daughter of Jeffrey & Christina Robison

Giuliana Elizabeth Saltalamacchia

daughter of Gianfranco & Katie Saltalamacchia

Benjamin Gavin Scuderi

son of Antonino & Joanne Scuderi

Emilia Grace Shirkey

daughter of Christopher & Heather Shirkey

who were baptized and welcomed into our faith community during the months of February & March.

ST. ANN'S SUNDAY MASS ON OUR WEBSITE

www.stannsrainham.org

Additionally, with the Mass suspended, Fr. John has recorded Sunday's Mass for your viewing. On our website home page look for the title "**St. Ann's Mass on the Internet**", or on your browser type: <https://stannsrainham.org/st-anns-mass-on-the-internet/>

ONLINE GIVING

Many have been so thoughtful and concerned during these days about how we can continue to support our Parish. Many thanks to all who have mailed in or dropped off their contributions. **We also have a new method - online giving.** To sign up for that simply go to stannsrainham.weshareonline.org. There you will be able to set up weekly, monthly or a onetime contribution. It is very simple to use and very secure.

"FLOCKNOTE"

If you wish to receive regular updates regarding St. Ann's Parish and what is happening with Mass schedules, etc... **please text StAnnRaynham to 84576.** You can also sign up using this link: <https://flocknote.com/StAnnRaynham>.



PARISH PRAYER LIST

Every other week the names of those for whom we are praying will be listed in the bulletin, with the permission of the person who is sick or their family. Please forward your prayer requests to Roberta Santos (jachan499@comcast.net). When making the request please leave your name and phone number. Should you wish to keep the name private, that will be honored.



EUCHARIST MINISTERS, LECTORS, and ALTAR SERVERS

The new schedules for April, May, and June have been completed and mailed to everyone. Please read your schedules carefully as the month of June will begin our new Summer Sunday Mass schedule of 8:00a.m., 10:00a.m. & 5:00p.m. (no 9:30 or 11:00a.m. Masses for the months of June, July, and August). Thank you for all your help!

OUR LENTEN MISSION BOOK DRIVE

Due to the current restrictions connected to the COVID-19 pandemic, we are asking all those who have purchased books for School on Wheels of Massachusetts to hold onto them until these restrictions are lifted. We have postponed our two April book sorts and will look forward to rescheduling these when it is safe to do so.

TACT

The **Taunton Area Community Table** Meal Center is located at 378 Bay Street, Taunton. TacT is a community based meal center dedicated to providing free delicious, healthy meals to individuals and families in a warm, friendly and safe atmosphere. All are welcome. No questions asked. **The TacT Meal Center is currently open Monday - Thursday for "grab and go" meals from 11:15-12:30.**

We are also accepting donations of single serving breakfast cereals, single packets of instant oatmeal in different flavors, breakfast bars, yogurt, fresh fruit or any other breakfast items you enjoy in individual servings would be helpful. You can drop off at the meal center Monday thru Thursday between 9am - 12:30pm. In abundance of caution, we will have a bin outside the staff entrance side door where you can leave them without having any unnecessary contact. Thank you all for your continued support of TacT and the people we serve. For more information visit our website at www.tactmealcenter.org, call 508-386-3807, or visit our Facebook page.

DIOCESAN TELEVISION MASS

The Fall River Diocese sponsors a televised Mass each Sunday at 11 a.m. on WLNE-TV, ABC Channel 6, New Bedford-Providence. The Mass is re-aired at 12:30 p.m. on Comcast cable channel 95 in Fall River. On the air since September 1963, the Television Mass serves members of the faithful who are unable to attend Mass at a parish church because of illness or infirmity.

Mass Online: <http://www.fallriverdiocese.org/tv-mass/>



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