

January 10, 2021

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Mass Intentions

7:30 a.m. Monday 01/11 Barbara Costa
7:30 a.m. Tuesday 01/12 Jane Mulvihill
7:30 a.m. Wednesday 01/13 Patrick J. Cady
7:30 a.m. Thursday 01/14 John D Noblin, III
7:30 a.m. Friday 01/15 Eleanor S. Warren
8:00 a.m. Saturday 01/16 Edward and Barbara Laughlin

Kindly remember in your prayers those who have died, especially, Arthur F. LaTulippe, Jr., David McElroy, Kenneth R. McKay, Catherine Poirier, Helen Sullivan, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

FR. JOHN ON RETREAT

I will be on retreat from Sunday evening (1/10) until Saturday morning (1/16). Each year a priest is required to make a retreat. I will admit to you this is a requirement I am happy to keep! Many folks wonder what a priest does on retreat. For the week I will be spending time in quiet prayer and reflection. There will be daily Mass and I will be meeting with a retreat director once a day. But for the most part I will be in silence, which is a welcome gift. While a retreat is not a vacation it certainly is more restful than one. Please keep me in your prayers this week as I will certainly keep you in mine.

CHRISTMAS SEASON ENDS

With the celebration of the Baptism of the Lord on Sunday, the Christmas Season will come to an end.


ADOPT A POINSETTIA!!

The poinsettias that have decorated the Church during the Christmas Season will be available for adoption. They will be placed in the Church basement on Monday, January 18th. Please give them a good home!!


REGISTER FOR MASS

For the immediate future we will have signups for the weekend Masses to assure we do not go over the allocated number of parishioners allowed in Church. Please sign up for Mass on our website at www.stannsraynham.org, on our Facebook page, our Flocknote message, or call our office (508)-823-9833. **Registration for Mass will remain open online until 1 hour prior to all scheduled Mass times.**

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

 Please remember in your prayers, all who are facing illness at this time: *Ted Arend, Kevin Balzerini, Paula Burgoyne, Alan Cekanavich, Madeline Coelho, Donald W. Comis, Mildred Ceurvvels Drury, Holly Duarte, Michael Fraga, Paula Frost, John Jasper, Stephen Kirkland, Fred Lincoln, Nalida Luzza, Kim MacDonald, Patricia Parkinson, Helaine Pelletier, Patrick Quigley, Sandra Rosa, Doreen Schroth, Frank Simpson, Helen Smith, Josie Spearin, Ray St. Germaine, Jennifer K. Strachan*, and those whose names are listed in the book of prayers for the sick.

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. 

Jan 10	Alice Rohl	1970
	Alice W. Morin	1996
	Zulmira Silva	2000
	Raffaele Cantafio	2003
	Jose L. Duarte	2012
Jan 11	Wilfred C. Bourget	1996
	Dominic V. Rague	2004
	Margaret A Camara	2006
	Margaret O'Connell	2009
	Kimberly Ann Maynard	2010
	Suzanne O'Leary	2020
Jan 12	Rebecca S. Friewald	2001
	Paul MacKinnon	2003
	John Francis Burke	2010
	John Hardy	2013
	Florence Brazil	2017
	Mary G. (Brown) Powers	2018
Jan 13	Roland E. Boucher	1977
	Loretta C. McCormack	1997
	Catherine R. Harrison	1999
	Helen P. Gannon	2001
	Raymond Minardi	2013
Jan 14	Julia Bartel	1980
	Mary Rita Cutner	1980
	Mary T. Wentworth	1989
	Michelle L. Hebert	2000
	Michaela Silva	2003
	Sean P. Barry	2019
Jan 15	Charles E. Curry	1968
	Joseph Sullivan	1976
	Matthew Grzywacz	1998
	Joyce Kennon	2004
	Evelyn Witherell	2011
	Helen Sullivan	2013
	Kevin Hylander	2016
	Blanche A. "Bunny" Southam	2017
	Darren M. Lindquist	2018
Jan 16	Alviano Fornasaro	2006



FAITH FORMATION NEWS

This has been a difficult year for the youth in our parish and we miss our students and volunteers greatly. However, with COVID numbers predicted to increase, we will be continuing to send home prerecorded lessons and assignments through our online learning portals for the next couple of months.

Students receiving First Communion and Confirmation this spring will be notified by email of a required live-virtual class during the new year. First Communion will have two sessions to select from on February 7th and Confirmation will have two sessions to select from on January 24th – registration will be required as the access to each session will be limited.



LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, AND ALTAR SERVERS

For the month of February we again only need Lectors for the weekend Masses. Lectors, please submit the dates you are unavailable by Sunday, January 17th, so the February schedule can be made. Thank you all for your help!

HEALING MASS

There will be a Healing Mass at St. Andrew the Apostle on Thursday, January 14th. The Holy Rosary begins at 6:00pm and will include the Sacrament of Confession. Holy Mass will begin at 6:30pm. It will include praying individually in front of the monstrance and conclude with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome.

DIOCESAN TELEVISION MASS

The Fall River Diocese sponsors a televised Mass each Sunday at 11:00am on WLNE-TV, ABC Channel 6, New Bedford-Providence. The Mass is re-aired at 12:30pm 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/>

BEST WISHES COLLEGE STUDENTS!

We were happy to see so many of our college students home for the holidays. We hope they enjoyed their “respite” from their studies, and as they head back to school, or will be continuing remotely, we extend our prayerful best wishes for the new semester.



SNOW CANCELLATION REMINDER

Please check our Flocknote message or website page, www.stannsraynham.org, to see if there is Mass during inclement weather. **Mass will be live streamed later in the day for your convenience.**

STREAMED MASSES

Mass is live streamed on our website, Facebook & youtube pages, 7:30 a.m. daily Mass and all scheduled weekend Masses.

www.stannsraynham.org

<http://stannsraynham.org/facebook-page/>

<https://www.youtube.com/StAnnsParishRaynham>

“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 on this link: <https://flocknote.com/StAnnRaynham>.

ST. ANN’S 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 stannsraynham.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.

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.

BAPTISMS

Anyone who would like to make arrangements for a baptism is asked to see Fr. John, Deacon Joe, or Deacon Paul after Mass. Baptisms are held the first three Sundays of each month.

WHAT ARE REQUIREMENTS TO BE A GODPARENT OR SPONSOR?

You must be a confirmed Catholic, at least 16 years old, registered in a parish and practicing your faith by weekly participation at Mass. If you are married, your marriage must be recognized as valid by the Church. **Please see Fr. John after Mass to have a sponsor form signed.**

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

A word of welcome to our new parishioners! Please introduce yourselves to Fr. John, Deacon Joe, and Deacon Paul so that we can better serve you. We hope that you will become involved with our parish, and we look forward to your presence and participation each week.