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# St. Ann's Church

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**PASTORAL STAFF**

**Pastor** ..... *Fr. John Murray*  
**Deacon**..... *Deacon Joseph McGinley*  
**Faith Formation Coordinator**..... *Jenn Murphy*  
**Music Director** ..... *Paul Bowen*  
**Retired Deacon**..... *Deacon John Welch*

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 PM  
 Sunday - 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 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** ..... *President, Bev Vargas* ..... 508-884-6538  
**Altar Servers' Schedule**..... *Parish Secretary* ..... 508-823-9833  
**Lectors & Lay Ministers of the Eucharist Schedule** *Parish Secretary* ..... 508-823-9833  
**St. Ann Prayer Group** ..... *Alexandrine Fillion* ..... 508-697-2423  
**St. Ann's Sociable Seniors**..... *President, Debbie McClory* . ..... 508-822-9166  
**Knights of Columbus**..... *Grand Knight, Brian McClory* ..... 508-822-9166

**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](http://www.stannsraynham.org) **EMAIL:** [office@stannsraynham.org](mailto:office@stannsraynham.org)

**February 24, 2019**

**Mass Intentions**

7:00 a.m.	Monday	02/25	Jose Furtado
7:00 a.m.	Tuesday	02/26	Edward T. Laughlin
7:00 a.m.	Wednesday	02/27	Nancy Pagels
7:00 a.m.	Thursday	02/28	Gil Santos
7:00 a.m.	Friday	03/01	Jacqueline Campbell
8:00 a.m.	Saturday	03/02	Timothy Clark

Kindly remember in your prayers those who have died, especially Frank L. Tosti, Jr., Richard Breen, Albert Ribeiro, Irene Wilcox, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**FAITH FORMATION CLASSES**

**Faith Formation classes will resume this Sunday, Feb. 24th.** We hope everyone enjoyed the break!

**FALL RIVER DIOCESE**

**2019 WOMEN & MEN'S CONFERENCE**

It's not too early to make your plans to attend the annual Lenten Women and Men's Conference sponsored by the Fall River Diocese, set for Saturday, March 9, at Stonehill College in Easton. The Conference will feature talks by three dynamic speakers and an opportunity to interact with them through a group panel discussion. On the program are CatholicTV Network President Bishop Robert Reed of Boston; Scripture scholar and author Dr. Mary Healey of Sacred Heart Seminary in Detroit; and Deacon Pedro Guevara-Mann, a writer, producer and radio/TV host from Salt + Light Media of Canada. In addition, the Conference includes prayer, music, time for reflection, vendors, lunch, and more. It concludes with Mass celebrated by Bishop Edgar M. da Cunha, S.D.V. Join Catholics from throughout the Diocese for this day of spiritual renewal and enrichment. For details, pick up a registration form at the parish or visit [www.fallriverdiocese.org](http://www.fallriverdiocese.org).

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S  
BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM**

Walking with Purpose was founded by Lisa Brenninkmeyer. Walking with Purpose offers spiritual, scripture based studies that are fresh and relevant to today's women. There is no experience needed to attend these studies. Our goal is to have these ongoing studies offered here at St. Ann's beginning Wednesday, March 13 from 7:00-8:15pm and continuing every second and fourth Wednesday of the month. If you are interested in attending a catholic bible study to deepen your faith and experience peace in your heart, we would love for you to join this spiritual opportunity. Please email your interest to Rhonda and Lorraine at [stannwalkingwithpurpose@gmail.com](mailto:stannwalkingwithpurpose@gmail.com). The cost is \$20.00 for materials. Thank you and God bless.

**ST. ANN'S Website:** [www.stannsraynham.org](http://www.stannsraynham.org)  
**Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/stannsraynham](http://www.facebook.com/stannsraynham)

**SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**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.

Feb 24	Mary E. Sanborn	1985
	Ethel E. Burgess	1988
	Kellie Ann Tallman	1990
	Richard James Quagan	1999
Feb 25	Annette Bousquin	1972
	Stephen R. Perchard	2002
Feb 26	Theresa Grasso	2008
Feb 27	Maurice A. Gamache	1969
	John Walford	1991
	Florence E. O'Brien	1997
	Nancy P. Pagels	2016
Feb 28	Timothy J. Clark	1996
	Michael V. Sullivan	2011
	Pauline Baran	2012
Mar 1	Francisco Pino	1983
	Muriel P. Marchand	2000
	Helen Elliott	2016
Mar 2	Sharon Ann Perez	1993
	Mary Kathleen Walsh	1996
	Alice Y. Marotte	2003
	Russell Hocking	2010
	Inga M. Ferrara	2017

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Please remember in your prayers, all who are facing illness at this time: Ted Arend, Rev. Bob Brusio, Paula Burgoyne, Madeline Coelho, Donald W. Comis, Mildred Ceurvels Drury, Holly Duarte, Stephen Kirkland, Fred Lincoln, Chase Miceli, Kim MacDonald, Sandra Rosa, Xavier Ross, Doreen Schroth, Ed Smith, Helen Smith, Josie Spearin, Jennifer K. Strachan, and those whose names are listed in the book of prayers for the sick.

**LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS,  
and ALTAR SERVERS**

Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, and Altar Servers are asked to consult your schedules and let us know when you will **NOT** be available during the months of April, May, and June. Please send us a note via email at [office@stannsraynham.org](mailto:office@stannsraynham.org), the mail or the basket with the dates by Sunday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, so the new schedules may be drafted.

## **FAITH FORMATION NEWS: GRADE 9 RETREAT!**

Grade 9 students will be attending their Confirmation Retreat on Saturday, March 2nd and on Saturday, March 9th from 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM. The retreats will be held at our Parish Center and end with the 4:00 Mass. Please keep the Candidates in your prayers.

### **HOP TO IT!**

The Office of Faith Formation is planning an Easter Egg Hunt for Saturday, April 13th from 11-1:00 PM. We are planning on an afternoon of hunts, crafts, face painting and a variety of furry friends to visit. If you are interested in helping with this event please contact Jenn Murphy at 508-824-9021 or email [religioused@stannsrainham.org](mailto:religioused@stannsrainham.org).

### **29<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL**

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ROAD RACE**

The 29th Annual St. Ann's Knights of Columbus Council 10289 Charity 5 Mile Road Race and 2.5 Mile Family Fun Run/Walk will be held on Saturday, April 13th, at 8:30 a.m. Back by popular demand is the 2.5 mile Fun Run/Walk. This shorter distance is suitable for both runners that might not want to try the longer distance as well as those that like a nice long walk for a great cause. The race starts and finishes at the Raynham American Legion on Mill Street. Runners and walkers of all ages are welcome to join in the fun. Free race t-shirt for all runners registered by 3/15. Full pancake breakfast after race! This race is the main fundraising vehicle for the St. Ann's Knights Council. All proceeds are used to support local families and charities in need as well as to fund scholarships for college bound Raynham students. Volunteers interested in helping with the race and those interested in sponsorship opportunities can contact Race Director, John Donahue by email at [john.donahue64@gmail.com](mailto:john.donahue64@gmail.com) or call 508-822-6015. For runners information and to register for the event go to:

<https://runsignup.com/Race/MA/Raynham/RaynhamKnightsOfColumbusCharity5MilerandFamilyFunRun5k>.

### **GRIEF SUPPORT**

St. Thomas Aquinas and St. Basil Chapel in Bridgewater are pleased to announce the next series of Bereavement meetings to begin on Wednesday, March 6th at 6:30 pm. They are expected to run for approx. 9 weeks. All who are grieving the loss of a loved one are invited to join this Bereavement Support Group. Meetings will be held at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish Center, 103 Center St., Bridgewater. To register, please contact Carol at (508)697-2281 or Ginniy at (508)697-7649. Advance registration ensures we have sufficient materials for attendees.

## **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY**

With the Easter season approaching, our food pantry is in need of some restocking. We can use some canned sliced pineapple, canned baked beans, canned kernel corn, canned peas, mustard, Easter candy (jelly beans, peeps, etc.), as well as \$10 food vouchers to Market Basket or a local supermarket. St. Vincent de Paul thanks you for your continued generosity and support!

### **COFFEE AND DONUTS**

Coffee and donuts are available after the 8 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Masses. We would like to thank Mary Ellen & Ted Sargent, Bernadette Dacey, and Mary Riley for assisting this weekend. We are grateful to Bev Morgan for overseeing this activity, and Tim Holick, George Pike, and Mark Maimaron our "bakers." We are always looking for helpers and it's a nice way to make friends and meet new people. Please call Bev Morgan at 508-823-9183 if interested.

### **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](mailto: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 or Deacon Joe after Mass. Baptisms are held the first three Sundays of the 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 or Deacon Joe 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.

### **MASS SCHEDULE NATIONWIDE**

[www.Masstimes.org](http://www.Masstimes.org)

## FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

A wonderful tradition here at St. Ann's is the First Friday Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament. This Friday, March 1st, following the 7am Mass, the Eucharist is available on the altar so we can spend time with our Lord in prayer. First Friday Adoration will now conclude at 9:00 p.m. Thank you to all those who coordinate the schedule and many thanks to those who spend time in prayer with our Lord. Please take advantage of the opportunity for prayer. Volunteers NEEDED! Please call John Maher at (508) 880-7280.

## LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY

Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers who would be able to assist in Ash Wednesday services are asked to sign up on the sheet in the vesting area this weekend.

## "PATHS TO PRAYER FOR LENT"

St. Mary's Parish Center,  
1 Power Street  
Norton, Ma 02766

Please join us on Tuesday, March 12th from 9:45-11:45am or Thursday, March 14th from 7-9pm for a special Lenten program entitled "Paths to Prayer for Lent". The program is being presented by Sr. Mary Sweeney, SC. Sister Mary comes to us with a wealth of experience in the area of college Campus Ministry, the spirituality of St. Ignatius of Loyola, spiritual direction, and has authored several publications. We are very excited to have Sr. Mary with us to share her spiritual insights at this prayerful time of year. To register for this event, please contact the Parish Office at 508-285-4462 or [secretary@StMarysNorton.com](mailto:secretary@StMarysNorton.com). While there is no charge for this event, free will offerings will be accepted.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We extend prayerful congratulations to:

**William Michael Cronin**

son of Michael and Laura Cronin

**Mia Marina DaSilva**

daughter of Byron and Catia DaSilva

**Mila Rose Faidell**

daughter of Michael and Mary Faidell

**Harper Jo Oliari**

daughter of Paul and Amanda Oliari who was baptized and welcomed into our faith community during the month of February.

## SCHEDULES ON OUR WEBSITE

Go to: [www.stannsravnham.org](http://www.stannsravnham.org)

For Server Schedules click on: Lectors/ Eucharistic Ministers/Altar Servers Schedules.

For Faith Formation Calendar: click on Faith Formation News.

## T.A.C.T.

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 open Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for lunch from 10a.m. to 1 p.m. The "Family Café" is open Thursday evenings from 4:30 - 7:00 p.m. Breakfast is served on the third and last Saturdays of each month from 9:00-11:00 a.m. For more information, visit our website at [www.tactmealcenter.org](http://www.tactmealcenter.org), visit our Facebook page, or call 508-386-3807.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Car Donations

Do you have a used car, truck, or boat? It doesn't matter if it's running or not. Please consider donating it to the SVDP Car Donation Program. Proceeds from your donation will directly benefit SVDP of Raynham helping to serve those in need. You'll receive the maximum allowed tax deduction, in accordance with IRS guidelines. It's simple to do. Call 1-800-322-8284 and schedule a pickup within 1-2 business days or go to the website [www.svdpusacars.com](http://www.svdpusacars.com) for instructions.

## HOSPICE VOLUNTEER TRAINING WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Hospice Services of Massachusetts is in strong need of volunteers to provide supportive care to hospice patients and their caregivers who are facing a life-limiting illness. Volunteers are invited to participate in a comprehensive training program, after which they will be assigned to care for hospice patients in their area. Volunteers will also be offered on-going training, support and educational programs for specialized volunteer roles. MAKE A DIFFERENCE! For more information please contact Kate Mahoney, Volunteer Coordinator, at 508-291-0049.

## TAUNTON CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

**Coyle and Cassidy High School and Middle School** enrolls students grades 6-12! Follow us on Facebook and at [www.coylecassidy.com](http://www.coylecassidy.com).

**Our Lady of Lourdes School** in Taunton, MA enrolls students grades Pre-K-5. Follow us on Facebook or at [www.ololtaunton.com](http://www.ololtaunton.com).

## SNOW CANCELLATION REMINDER

Cancellation of Faith Formation classes due to snow will be posted on WCVB channel 5, WBZ channel 4, and on our website at [www.stannsravnham.org](http://www.stannsravnham.org). **If school is cancelled or delayed, Daily Mass will also be cancelled.**