

Our Lady of Fatima Church



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PARISH STAFF

Rev. John A. Raposo, *Pastor*

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SUNDAY & WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday at 8:00 AM

The Rosary is prayed in common after each daily Mass.

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM

PENANCE

Saturday: 3:15 to 3:45 PM

Marriage: Arrangements should be made with the Church at least eight months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

Initiation of Adults: Non-Catholic Adults who wish to join the Catholic Church may inquire about the formation and education process which lead to Baptism or Full Communion. Please call the Parish Office for details.

Home-Bound: Individuals confined to their home may receive the Holy Eucharist on a regular basis at home. Contact the Parish Office to arrange an initial visit by a priest and pastoral care.

Infant Baptism: Parents should call the Parish Office to arrange an interview and schedule the Baptism.

St. Vincent De Paul Society: For assistance contact us at OLOFSVdPS@aol.com or call Ron Cabral at (508) 717-2688.

Welcome to New Parishioners

It is a joy for us to welcome new members to our parish! If you worship with us regularly here, but are not registered, please use this form to request registration information. Drop it in the basket or mail it to us. We look forward to your participation in our faith community. Name _____ Phone _____

Address: _____

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - MAY 27, 2018



Saturday	May	26,	4:00 PM	JoAnn Santos by Family
Sunday	May	27,	8:00 AM	Lydia Matos & Manuel Neves by Family
			10:00 AM	Normand Pepin by Family
Monday	May	28,	8:00 AM	Virginio & Etelvina Arruda & Sons by Family
Tuesday	May	29,	8:00 AM	David Berche by Mr. & Mrs. Louis LeBlanc
Wednesday	May	30,	8:00 AM	Maggie, Marcelino, Emilia & Joseph Pacheco by Family
Friday	June	1,	8:00 AM	For the intentions of the Blessed Mother
Saturday	June	2,	4:00 PM	Antone Santos by Family
Sunday	June	3,	8:00 AM	Steven & Antonio DaPonte, Artur Freitas, Maria Melo, Cecilia Pereira by Family
			10:00 AM	Virginio, Etelvina, Eduardo & Gilberto Arruda by Family



Sanctuary Lamp: Special intention
 Our Lady of Fatima: Special intention for Alfonse, Jeannette & Roland Roy

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT:

Last weekend collection: \$2,542.25 Thank you!
 Expenses last week: \$1,750.00 (\$400.00 parish assessment, \$300.00 property insurance, \$1,050.00 salaries)



TUESDAY EVENING PRAYER GROUP ROSARY AND CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

All are welcomed to join us for Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. There is so much to pray for. Please email any prayer requests to Lucy at olofnb@comcast.net.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST & SEPTEMBER WILL OPEN ON JUNE 6 TH:

Mass intentions can be scheduled during office hours on Wednesdays 9-3 and Fridays 9-12. The Sanctuary Lamp for Our Lady of Fatima Lamp, is also available.



OUR MILITARY that God may watch over our loved ones, protect them and bring them home safely.
THE SICK who have asked for our

prayers. May they be strengthened by God in health, mind, body and spirit and be comforted by our prayer.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

**Let us not love with words or tongue, but with
 Action and in Truth.**



LET GO AND LOVE!

Jesus' Last Supper discourses are surely some of the most poignant passages in John's gospel. You can almost hear the urgency in Jesus' voice as he exhorts his disciples to carry on and always love one another. Just **love one another**. Three simple words, yet how difficult they are to live at times! Or at least we make them that way. We prefer to hold on to our anger, resentment, or that small slight from this morning. We are entitled to feel the way we do—right? Yet, how much easier it is to simply let the negative feeling go. It's as easy as opening your hand. Today, when you find yourself holding on to anger, visualize opening your hand. Let it go. Love one another.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES: To date we have \$16,415.00

We encourage you to mail in your pledge or place it in the collection basket at any Mass and to support the Appeal as generously as you can. If at all possible, we'd like you to consider pledging throughout the year. If you haven't received a contribution card in the mail, you can pick one up at the back of the Church. Programs supported by the Appeal help people in all phases of life – from children, to youth, to parents, to the elderly. Numerous agencies, programs, and ministries provide food and shelter, educate children and adults, and meet the physical, emotional, and spiritual needs of thousands. Your support of the Catholic Charities Appeal helps us to meet these responsibilities.

SPRING RAFFLE!

Garden Wheelbarrow Raffle was won

by : Marcia & Larry Medeiros

Congratulations to our winner!



*Thank you for supporting our parish
Fundraiser!*

INSTALLATION OF EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST AND LECTORS.

On the weekend of June 3rd, I will joyfully install Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist and Lectors at all the Masses. All ministers are asked to attend any Mass on that weekend for this important ceremony. I am happy to announce two new Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist: Mark Pereira and Marianne DeSouza. Please keep them in your prayers.

LECTORS: We need additional men and women to serve our Parish as Lectors at the 4 P.M. Mass. All that is needed is a basic reading skill and your willingness to proclaim the Scripture at Mass. You must have received the Sacrament of Confirmation to be considered for this ministry. If you are interested in serving your Parish in this vital ministry, please contact Fr. Raposo as soon as possible.

CATHEDRAL CAMP:

Applications for Cathedral Camp have been received, Two Week Sessions will be the maximum time allotted for each child. Limited applications are available for the children of our Parish, Saint Vincent de Paul Society of our Parish will sponsor a child who qualifies after an interview and whose parents are unable to afford the full tuition fee. For those families who can afford the full tuition fee of \$225 per child per session will need to call the camp (508-763-8874) for a private application. Any questions or request for an application through SVdPS at OLOF contact Ron R. Cabral at 508-717-2688 or E-mail at OLOFSVdPS@aol.com. Age is between 5 to 14.

THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI will be celebrated on June 3rd at Our Lady's Chapel, New Bedford with a procession of the Blessed Sacrament. It will start at 2:00 pm. The Blessed Sacrament will be processed to three church stations: Our Lady of Purgatory, St. Lawrence Church, and the Missionaries of Charity Convent. All priests, solidarities, religious organizations, youth groups etc. are invited. For more information, please call Friars at (508) 996-8274.

A BIG THANK YOU TO THE

LADIES GUILD



for their awesome gift of \$5,000.00 to our parish. Thanks to all its members for their labor of love this year. The parish is blessed by these great women. May God bless you!

The Venerable Patrick Peyton: On the Rosary Path to Sainthood – A Prayer Celebration for Families on June 10th will consist of **Eucharistic Procession, Rosary Prayer, and the Holy Mass**. All our guests will receive a new Venerable Patrick Peyton Rosary. Refreshments follow the Mass and every family will be given a Family Rosary Prayer Kit to take home. The Father Peyton Center – 518 Washington St., N. Easton, MA 02356. 508-238-4095. **Doors open at Noon.**



**Fatima: Hope for
the World
Pray the Rosary**

34th LAKESIDE FAMILY



AT ST. JOHN NEUMANN PARISH: Saturday and Sunday from noon to 11 p.m. and Monday May 28th from noon to 5 p.m. Come to the Festival. Enjoy Food, Games, Huge Barn Sale, Classic Car show, Live Entertainment, Midway Rides, Raffles and more! **FREE ADMISSION !!**