



# Holy Name Parish

## PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Jay T. Maddock  
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Daniel M. Nunes  
School Principal: Dr. Patricia M. Wardell  
Director of Faith Formation & Youth Ministry:  
Mr. Patrick McNabb  
Director of Music: Mr. Erik Thompson

## SUNDAY MASSES

Vigil Mass - 4:00 pm Saturday;  
Sundays: 8:30, 10:30, and 5:00 pm

## WEEKDAY MASSES

7:00 AM (Monday - Friday)  
8:00 AM Saturday and Holidays

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard on Saturday at 3:15 pm,  
or by calling Fr. Jay for an appointment.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday - Fridays 7:30 am to 9:00 pm

## WEEKLY HOLY HOUR

Monday at 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
No Holy Hour on Holidays  
Rosary, Miraculous Medal Novena,  
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

## CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

Wednesday at 3:00 pm

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

By appointment. Parents must contact  
the Pastor for an appointment.

## SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Those parishioners wishing to be married here at Holy Name must contact the Pastor AT LEAST EIGHT MONTHS before the date of the wedding. No arrangements should be made for a reception until you make arrangements with the Church.

## VISITATION AND ANOINTING OF THE SICK

We are pleased to anoint and/or bring Holy Communion to any parishioner who cannot participate at Mass for any legitimate reason. Please contact us.

## Holy Name Parish Mission Statement

Holy Name Parish is a Eucharistic Family of Faith, united with Catholic people throughout the world. Nourished by Word and Sacrament, we strive to help each member grow in their Faith. We seek to imitate Christ by assisting others in their spiritual and material needs, as we journey toward achieving our ultimate goal of eternal life.

## Holy Name Parish Office:

709 Hanover Street, Fall River, MA 02720-3798

Telephone: 508-679-6732  
Fax: 508-675-4755  
Website: www.holynamefr.com  
Office/Secretary e-mail: office@holynamefr.com  
Pastor's e-mail: frjay@holynamefr.com  
Music Ministry e-mail: music@holynamefr.com

## Holy Name Parish Office of Faith Formation and Youth Ministry

850 Pearce Street, Fall River, MA 02720-5534

Telephone Number: 508-678-7532  
Faith Formation e-mail: faithformation@holynamefr.com  
Youth Ministry e-mail: youthministry@holynamefr.com

## Holy Name Parish School

850 Pearce Street, Fall River, MA 02720-5534

Telephone Number: 508-674-9131  
Fax Number: 508-679-0571  
Website: www.hnsfr.org

## Welcome to New Parishioners

If you are new to our Parish, we offer you a warm welcome. We hope you will favor our Parish with your prayers, your presence, and your stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure. We would be happy to have you be a registered member(s) of our parish.

It's easy to do. Call Fr. Jay at 508-679-6732 to set up a time to meet and be registered.



"A good tree does not bear rotten fruit, nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit. A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good, but an evil person out of a store of evil produces evil; for from the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks." - Lk 6:43, 45



MARCH 2 & 3, 2019

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday	03/02	4:00 p.m.	Stanley Nowak
Sunday	03/03	8:30 a.m.	Ida Santos
		10:30 a.m.	Matthew F. Burke
		5:00 p.m.	Gilbert & Leah Oliveira
Monday	03/04	7:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
Tuesday	03/05	7:00 a.m.	Estelle Frazier
Wednesday	03/06	7:00 a.m.	Jean Quinn
		4:00 p.m.	Rev. Adrien Bernier, 30th Anniversary
		7:00 p.m.	William P. Thran
Thursday	03/07	7:00 a.m.	Gilda & Joao Andre
		5:15 p.m.	Lucille Dextraze
Friday	03/08	7:00 a.m.	Angela & Mando Perez
		5:15 p.m.	John Medeiros
Saturday	03/09	8:00 a.m.	Leo & Bill Chippendale
		4:00 p.m.	Helen Plichta, 2nd Anniversary
Sunday	03/10	8:30 a.m.	Kevin J. Burns, 3rd Anniversary
		10:30 a.m.	Peter Habid, 6th Anniversary
		5:00 p.m.	Matthew F. Burke

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING**  
**February 23 & 24, 2019**

**Budget:** ..... \$6,070.35  
**Monthly Debt to Date:** ..... \$1,701.00

**THOUGHT FOR TODAY:** Each tree is known by its fruit. What are the gifts and talents the Lord has given me? How is he asking me to use them?

**ASH WEDNESDAY** is this Wed., March 6. Mass will be celebrated at **7:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.** Ashes will be distributed at all three Liturgies. The collection taken up on Ash Wednesday is for the Work of Evangelization, or spreading the Gospel message, especially to people who haven't had the chance to **hear the Good News of Jesus.**

**OPERATION RICE BOWL** is an opportunity to eat a smaller meal one night per week (or more if you want) and put the savings into the "Rice Bowl". This savings can be turned in at the end of Lent (Palm Sunday) during the second collection that weekend. The money will be given to help feed those in need. Rice Bowls will be available on Ash Wednesday.

**SAVE THE DATES OF APRIL 8 - 11,** for our **ANNUAL FALL RIVER AREA LENTEN MISSION**, led this year by Father Jose Eduardo Medeiros, MPS. The theme of this year's Mission is **"LIVING THE GOSPEL AS A PERMANENT WAY OF LIFE - A LENTEN JOURNEY OF COMMITMENT, TRUST AND RENEWAL."** The Mission will take place each evening at 7:00 p.m., preceded by Confessions at 6:00 p.m. (Several priests will be available each night.) This Mission will also be given each day at 12:05 p.m. during Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral (see the entire schedule in the bulletin insert this week). We encourage you to **clear your calendar to make it possible for you to attend as many nights as you can to help you grow in your Faith. INVITE FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS. SPREAD THE WORD.** It is a way to fulfill your mission to bring the Good News of Jesus to others.

**ADDITIONAL MASSES DURING LENT:** Through the generosity of Fr. Daniel, during Lent we will have the celebration of Mass from Tuesday - Friday at 5:15 p.m. **The added Mass will not be celebrated during the week of April 8 - 12, due to the Area Lenten Mission.** This starts this coming Thursday, March 7.

**CAN YOU HELP OUT WITH THE EVENING MASS?** We are looking for people to volunteer as Servers and/or Lectors for the evening Masses (5:15 p.m.) during Lent. There is a sign-up sheet in the Sacristy. Thanks for your service.

**PLAN TO RECEIVE THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION DURING LENT.** The Sacrament is available here every Saturday at 3:15 p.m., on Thursday nights during Lent (except during the Mission) from after the 5:15 p.m. Mass until 7:00 p.m., or by calling the Parish Office for an appointment with Fr. Jay or Fr. Daniel. The Sacrament will also be available **all four days of the Lenten Mission** and several times during Holy Week. (See the bulletin insert for the full schedule.)

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** will be prayed each Friday night during Lent at 6:00 p.m. following the 5:15 Mass on March 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5 & 12.. **The Stations will also be prayed on Good Friday, April 19 at 3:00 p.m.** We encourage everyone to take part in this spiritually enriching prayer of the Church.

**FASTING AND ABSTAINING FROM MEAT DURING LENT:** A reminder of the Regulations of our Catholic Faith during the Lenten Season. All adults (18 or older) are bound to the **Law of Fasting** until the start of their 60th year. **FASTING DAYS** are those on which we should limit ourselves to **one meatless meal** and two smaller meals without meat. **Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of Fasting.** Those 14 and older are obliged to observe the **Law of Abstinence from Meat on Ash Wednesday and ALL THE FRIDAYS OF LENT.**

## THE EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**DAILY PARTICIPATION AT MASS** is a most beautiful practice anytime, but particularly in Lent. Mass here at **Holy Name** is at 7 a.m., Mon. - Friday, 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, and 5:15 p.m. from Tuesday - Friday. Masses celebrated in the area, other than in the morning, are : **Espirito Santo** (English) Mon., Tues., & Fri. at 12:10 p.m.; **St. Thomas More**, Wed. at 6 p.m., **St. Dominic's**, Fri. at 6:30 p.m., **St. John of God**, Tues. - Fri. at 6:00 p.m.; **St. Mary's Cathedral**, Mon. - Fri. at 12:05 p.m.; **St. Louis de France**, Mon. - Thurs. at 12:10 p.m., **St. Bernard Parish**, Mon. at 6:30 p.m.

**OUR HOLY NAME ADULT FAITH FORMATION SERIES DURING LENT.** Mr. Patrick McNabb, our Director of Faith Formation and Fr. Daniel Nunes, our Parochial Vicar, will host the series **UNLOCKING THE MYSTERY OF THE BIBLE.** This program will help you uncover the story woven throughout Scripture so that you can get the "big picture" of the Bible and come to a greater understanding of it. The Bible is the story about the Father's unfailing love for all of us. The sessions will take place **IN THE PARISH CENTER ON WEDNESDAYS, MARCH 13, MARCH 20, MARCH 27 AND APRIL 3, STARTING EACH NIGHT AT 6:30 P.M. INVITE FAMILY, INVITE FRIENDS. WHAT A GREAT GIFT FOR LENT.**

**DON'T GIVE UP CHOCOLATE FOR LENT!** Lent comes every year. It's meant to be a time when we invite God to help us become the best version of ourselves. But for many of us, Lent isn't a transformative experience. It's just a time when we give up chocolate or something else we enjoy, then back to it at Easter. This year you can **change that with BEST LENT EVER!!** You'll receive daily e-mails with short inspirational videos, practical tips for your everyday life, and real-life stories to encourage you in your journey. All you have to do is sign up at [DynamicCatholic.com/BestLent](http://DynamicCatholic.com/BestLent) . **THIS IS A FREE PROGRAM.**

**JOIN THE FRIENDS OF "MISSIONS FOR HUMANITY" (MFH)** for its Annual **Benefit Dinner and Auction** on March 16 at 6:00 p.m. at White's of Westport. Through this fundraising event MFH raises the money necessary to support the many MFH projects (building wells, toilets and dental & medical clinics) and to bring medical and dental care, as well as educational supplies to those in great need in Tanzania and Honduras. This effort has been led for many years by our own Kathy Crosson and numerous Holy Name parishioners have gone on the Mission Trips and many more have supported this Mission. Tickets are **\$40.00** and may be purchased by **contacting Kathy Crosson at [kcrosson1@comcast.net](mailto:kcrosson1@comcast.net)** . **THANKS.**

**THE NEXT MEETING FOR "THAT MAN IS YOU"** is next **SATURDAY, MARCH 9.** All men interested will meet at the Parish Center at school at **6:00 a.m. for a great breakfast and our meeting.** **COME AND JOIN US. INVITE A FRIEND TO COME WITH YOU.**



**OUR LADY OF GRACE ADORATION CHAPEL** is open Monday through Friday, following the 7:00 a.m. Mass until 9:00 p.m.

**IN SUPPORT OF LIFE:** "Heavenly Father, thank you for the precious gift of life. Give us love for all people, especially the most vulnerable, and help us bear witness to the truth that every life is worth living." From the "Every Life is worth Living" prayer, [www.usccb.org/worth-living](http://www.usccb.org/worth-living) .

**THE HOLY NAME VOCATION PRAYER CROSS** is being taken home this week by Janice Rebello and next week by Gabriela Baptista. A reminder the Cross and Prayer Book should be picked up in the Sacristy and **returned there the following weekend.**

### PARISH PRAYER LINE

**If you have any prayer petitions** please call Debbie @ 508-678-8006, Marge @ 508-678-6480, or Nancy @ 508-567-6556.

### PRAYERS FOR THE SOULS

We pray for the souls of **Rita C. LeBlanc, Claire A. Cantin,** and **Grace L. Medeiros** whose Funeral Masses were celebrated here this past week. May they rest in peace. We extend our sincere prayers and sympathy to their families. May they be strengthened by the Lord.

### PRAYERS

We remember the sick and recuperating of our parish, especially: Lenora Baker, Frankie Pimental, Maureen Ahern, Sheila Oliveira, Carol Power, Elaine Perreault, Mae Gouveia, Paula Costa, Helen Mello, Jo-Ann Carr, Claire Flores, Rosemary Reagan, Nicholas Suneson, Maria Victoria Montaya, Kevin Kelley, Frances Bernard, Robert Lariviere, Edward Cabral, Sarah Hague, Margaret Ryan, Evelyn Lavoie, Alfred Audet, Normand Lariviere, Tina Rachel, Cheyanne Moniz, Claudette Woss, Rachel Thibault, Fred McDonald, Kate Dube, Louise Brouillard and Denise Castro.

**IF YOU HAVE A FAMILY MEMBER AND/OR FRIEND** who can no longer get to Mass each week **BUT WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION AT HOME,** please call our Parish Office and let us know. **We have new Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion who are able to bring Communion to those who can't regularly get to Mass.**

**LAST CHANCE: THIS SATURDAY, MARCH 9** is the 2019 **FALL RIVER DIOCESE WOMEN & MEN'S CONFERENCE.** It will take place at Stonehill College. The **MARCH 6 REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS THIS WEDNESDAY.** This One-Day Lenten program includes Dynamic Speakers, Prayer, Music, the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the celebration of Mass. Get details and register online at [www.fallriverdiocese.org](http://www.fallriverdiocese.org) or **pick up a flyer here in Church.**

**MARCH 3, 2019**

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**HOLY NAME SCHOOL NEWS**

**HOLY NAME SCHOOL** is now registering students in most grades for the next school year. All are invited to come and see the wonderful things happening at **HNS**. **Families** interested in finding out more about our wonderful school and/or registering their child(ren) for the **next school year in any grade (Pre-K - 8) are welcome to call the school and come for a visit**. For more information about our Parish School call 508-674-9131 or go to [www.hns.org](http://www.hns.org) . **PLEASE REMEMBER FINANCIAL AID IS AVAILABLE.**

**SAVE THE DATE** for our **Spring Gala on Saturday, April 6** at White's of Westport. A fun evening, while supporting Holy Name School.

**HOLY NAME YOUTH GROUP**

Our Youth Group will enter Lent through Service this **Friday, March 8** at **Gifts to Give** in Acushnet. We can bring up to thirty-seven students from Grades 6 - 12. A permission form is required for all those attending. Please contact the Faith Formation Office at 508-678-7532 or e-mail [faithformation@holynamefr.com](mailto:faithformation@holynamefr.com) if you are interested in learning more.

**HOLY NAME FAITH FORMATION**

**ALL STUDENTS WHO ARE IN GRADES 1 & 2 and 8 & 9** who wish to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist and/or Confirmation **THIS YEAR OR NEXT** must **sign into Mass each Sunday (or Sat. afternoon)**, whether there is class or not (this includes all vacation times as well). If you attend Mass at another Catholic Church on a particular weekend, you must ask the priest who celebrates that Mass to sign a bulletin for you and bring it to Patrick McNabb at the Faith Formation Office at school. **THIS APPLIES TO ALL STUDENTS IN THESE GRADES REGARDLESS OF WHERE THEY ATTEND SCHOOL.**

**WE HAVE SOME WONDERFUL NEW LENTEN CD'S available** at the front entrance of Church. Check them out. We ask a **\$3.00 donation for each CD in order to be able to purchase more of them in the future**. **SPREAD THE FAITH** by sharing your older CD's with people who have not yet heard them. Let us know if you would like a CD on a particular topic.

**THE U.S. CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS** created the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*, revised in 2018. The *Charter* directs the creation of Safe Environment programs for children, as well as healing for victims/survivors of sexual abuse. If you would like more information about the *Charter*, please visit [www.fallriverdiocese.org](http://www.fallriverdiocese.org) or the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops website at <http://usccb.org/issues-and-action/child-and-youth-protection/charter.cfm> or call Deacon Joe Regali at 508-675-1311.