



# 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.



While he was still speaking, a cloud came and cast a shadow over them, and they became frightened when they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him." - Lk 9:34-35



MARCH 16 & 17, 2019

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY TO ONE AND ALL!!

Saturday	03/16	4:00 p.m.	Thomas L. Stanton
Sunday	03/17	8:30 a.m.	Barbara Hayden, 1st Anniversary
		10:30 a.m.	Frank S. Plichta, 11th Anniversary
		5:00 p.m.	Antone S. Paz & Family
Monday	03/18	7:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
Tuesday	03/19	7:00 a.m.	Angela & Mando Perez
		5:15 p.m.	William G. Whalen, 25th Anniversary
Wednesday	03/20	7:00 a.m.	Florence Rocha
		5:15 p.m.	The Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thursday	03/21	7:00 a.m.	Ann M. Manijak
		5:15 p.m.	Nicolau Mota
Friday	03/22	7:00 a.m.	Carol Roberts
		5:15 p.m.	Marion & Virginio Borges, and Stephanie Oliveira Mello
Saturday	03/23	8:00 a.m.	Noreen Chippendale Owen & Christine Chippendale Coady
		4:00 p.m.	Vergine Moniz
Sunday	03/24	8:30 a.m.	Emery & Mary Gomes
		10:30 a.m.	Maureen C. Pereira
		5:00 p.m.	William Mello

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

March 9 & 10, 2019

Budget: .....	\$6,207.47
Monthly Debt to Date: .....	\$1,151.00
Ash Wednesday .....	\$2,127.98

**THOUGHT FOR TODAY:** "This is my beloved Son, hear Him." Take some time to hear the beloved Son speaking to you. What does He say?

**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.**

**A NOTE FROM FR. JAY:** Out of courtesy, we ask you to **please not park in front of the parish garage on Madison Street. THANKS.**

AS WE HAVE ENTERED INTO THE HOLY SEASON OF LENT, we hopefully desire to be free from sin and able to celebrate this great season by the worthy reception of Holy Communion. Remember as Catholics **WE HAVE THE PRIVILEGE AND RESPONSIBILITY TO PARTICIPATE IN MASS EVERY SUNDAY (or Sat. afternoon at the Vigil Mass).** This is because Jesus told us: "DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME." It is a serious sin to miss Mass on Sunday or a Holyday of Obligation for reasons other than sickness. If you have missed Mass **you should receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) BEFORE receiving Holy Communion.** Please see our schedule for Confessions or call Fr. Jay or Fr. Daniel for an appointment.

**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.**

**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.

**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.) The dates and locations are: **Mon., April 8** at St. Joseph's Church, 1335 No. Main Street; **Tues., April 9** at St. Louis de France Church, 56 Buffington St., Swansea; **Wed., April 10** at St. Bernard Church, 32 So. Main Street, Assonet; and **Thurs., April 11** at St. Anthony of the Desert Church, 300 No. Eastern Avenue. This Mission will also be given each day at 12:05 p.m. during Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral. 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.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** will be prayed each Friday night during Lent at 6:00 p.m. following the 5:15 Mass on March 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.

## THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

**THE HOLY NAME YOUTH CHOIR** will rehearse on **Saturday, March 23 at 12:00 Noon** in the Choir Loft. This is to prepare to sing for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday. Any young person who would like to sing with the choir, is asked to contact Erik at [music@holynamfr.com](mailto:music@holynamfr.com) or at 508-361-4288.

**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 and will take place **IN THE PARISH CENTER THIS WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, AND ON MARCH 27 AND APRIL 3, STARTING EACH NIGHT AT 6:30 P.M. INVITE FAMILY, INVITE FRIENDS. WHAT A GREAT GIFT FOR LENT.**

**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.**

**DO YOU FAST???** Give me proof of it by your works.  
If you see a poor person, take pity on him or her.  
If you see a friend being honored, do not envy the person.  
Do not let only your mouth fast, but also the eye, the ear and the feet and the hands and all the members of our bodies.  
Let the hands fast, by being free of avarice.  
Let the feet fast, by ceasing to run after sin.  
Let the eyes fast, by disciplining them not to glare at that which is sinful.  
Let the ears fast, by not listening to evil talk and gossip.  
Let the mouth fast from foul words and unjust criticism.  
For what good is it if we abstain from birds and fishes, but bite and devour our brothers and sisters?

From St. John Chrysostom

**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. Sign up at [DynamicCatholic.com/BestLent](http://DynamicCatholic.com/BestLent). **THIS IS A FREE PROGRAM.**



**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:** “Fatherhood has its origins in God, and so we pray to you, Father Almighty, for those men who have adopted a child. Give them a mind receptive to your guidance, a patient voice, and a loving heart.” From the “Novena to St. Joseph: For Those on the Path of Adoption.” [www.usccb.org/adoption-novena](http://www.usccb.org/adoption-novena)

**THE HOLY NAME VOCATION PRAYER CROSS** is being taken home this week by Barbara Gerraughty and next week by Donna Costa. 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

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 Broullard, Diana Briedegam, 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.**

**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.

**WE HAVE 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 in the future. Spread the Faith** by sharing your older CD’s with people who have not heard them. Let us know if you would like a CD on a particular topic.

**MARCH 17, 2019**

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**HOLY NAME SCHOOL NEWS**

*Holy Name School is very proud, pleased, and honored to announce that Brendan Resende won first place in the Diocesan Pro Life Essay Contest for Grades 6-8. Our good news does not stop there, for, Veronica Medeiros won second place in the Diocesan Pro Life Essay Contest. Both of these exceptional students will be honored at the Pro Life Mass on Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>. Bishop da Cunha will present each with their award. Copies of their award winning essays will be published in The Anchor. **Congratulations Brendan and Veronica.***

Holy Name School's U8 Futsal team (ages 8 and under) won their divisional title. **Congratulations to the 2019 U8 Futsal Team.**

**SAVE THE DATE** for our **Spring Gala** on **Saturday, April 6** from 6:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. at White's of Westport. A fun evening, while supporting Holy Name School. Please see the Flyers in church for more information.

**The Fourth Annual Holy Name School Fund Appeal is Now Underway** All registered parishioners should have received a letter in the mail regarding the 2019 Holy Name School Annual Fund. (Please let us know if you did not receive a letter.) The purpose of this Appeal is to support the operation of our Parish School and advance the mission of "Academic Excellence Rooted in Catholic Values." Our school is an integral part of our Parish family, so we turn to you, our parishioners, along with our school families, alumni, benefactors and friends for financial support. With your assistance, we can reach our 2019 goals, which include an additional Chromebook Cart (with 28 Chromebooks) and increased Faculty/Staff Professional Development. Our multi-year goals include new windows, new curtains, and renovation of our multipurpose space ("Chapel"/ Auditorium/Gymnasium). Please remember *every gift counts in making a meaningful difference*, and *100% of your donation goes directly to the school*. If you can help in any way, it will be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Wardell or Father Jay. With *our* mission in mind, we thank you for your consideration.

**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.**