



# Holy Name Parish

## PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Jay T. Maddock  
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Daniel M. Nunes  
School Principal: Mr. David J. Flanagan  
Director of Faith Formation & Youth Ministry:  
Ms. Dorothy Mahoney-Pacheco  
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](http://www.holynamefr.com)  
Office/Secretary e-mail: [office@holynamefr.com](mailto:office@holynamefr.com)  
Pastor's e-mail: [frjay@holynamefr.com](mailto:frjay@holynamefr.com)  
Music Ministry e-mail: [music@holynamefr.com](mailto: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](mailto:faithformation@holynamefr.com)  
Youth Ministry e-mail: [youthministry@holynamefr.com](mailto: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](http://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 with him and be registered.



They set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of bread. - Lk 24:33-35



APRIL 25 & 26, 2020  
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Saturday	04/25	Arsene St. Pierre
Sunday	04/26	Manuel Soares Matthew F. Burke Stanley W. Nowak
Monday	04/27	People of the Parish
Tuesday	04/28	All Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday	04/29	Gilbert & Otilia Cabral, & Manuel & Mary Vieira
Thursday	04/30	Todd E. Majkut & Edward Ryan
Friday	05/01	William Mello
Saturday	05/02	Jose Arruda Ferreira & Almorinda Barbosa Mary Barreira
Sunday	05/03	Christopher Lake, 7th Anniversary Ann B. Feitelberg, 10th Anniversary Anibel & Clotilde Arruda

Though Public Celebration of Mass has been suspended, Fr. Jay and Fr. Daniel will continue to celebrate Mass Privately for your Intentions. The Daily Mass Intentions will continue to be offered.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING  
APRIL 4 & 5, 2020

Budget: ..... \$3,030.00  
Monthly Debt to Date: ..... \$552.00  
Online Giving..... \$769.40

SACRIFICIAL GIVING  
APRIL 11 & 12, 2020

Budget: ..... \$5,204.00  
Monthly Debt to Date: ..... \$1,067.00  
Online Giving..... \$3,457.80

A NOTE FROM FR. JAY

Dear Parishioners: It's been well over a month since we've been able to gather together to Praise and Thank God at the celebration of the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist (Mass). If you are experiencing Hunger for the Sacred Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus, look upon that as being a gift from God. Perhaps (hopefully) it will lead you to a Greater Love of the Eucharist and a more determined mind, heart, soul, and body to use the grace and strength of that beautiful sacrament for your own spiritual good as well as that of others. In the meantime I encourage you to say the Spiritual Communion Prayer each day. You can find it at our Parish Website, [www.holynamfr.com](http://www.holynamfr.com). Please be assured that Fr. Daniel and I are doing well and we're celebrating Mass each day and keeping you all in our prayers. There seems to be a **true hunger** that many have for the Sacred Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus in Holy Communion. Hopefully this hunger will make us all the more eager to receive Our Lord more reverently and with even greater love once we are able to be reunited around His Altar.

In the meantime Fr. Daniel and I continue to celebrate Sunday Mass which is available starting at 4 p.m. each Saturday on the following sites: Holy Name Parish Website, [www.holynamfr.com](http://www.holynamfr.com); Holy Name School Website, [www.hnsfr.org](http://www.hnsfr.org); Holy Name School Facebook, [Facebook@HolyNameSchoolFallRiver](https://www.facebook.com/HolyNameSchoolFallRiver), Holy Name Church Faith Formation Facebook, [www.facebook.com/HolyNameChurchFaithFormation](https://www.facebook.com/HolyNameChurchFaithFormation) or [Holy Name Parish Fall River youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com/HolyNameParishFallRiver). Fr. Daniel and I are also celebrating Mass as we ordinarily would during the week, praying for the particular intentions that are listed in the bulletin for each Mass.

I hope this opportunity to watch the Sunday (Saturday Vigil) Mass each week will help you through these difficult and challenging days. I encourage you to think often of the simple, beautiful words of Our Lord: **"Do Not Be Afraid: I am with you"**. Indeed He is with us through all of this. Thanks to all of you who continue to send in your Church Donations. In this time when so many are suffering, the generosity of so many (no matter the amount) is uplifting and a source of Hope. Please note you may also now donate through our **ONLINE GIVING**. Simply go to our Parish Website [www.holynamfr.com](http://www.holynamfr.com) and click the box that says "Online Giving Now Available" and see the choices you can make.

We continue to be **so proud of our Holy Name School**: Students, Parents, Staff Members, Faculty and Administration for the extraordinary job they are doing with remote (or online) learning. For it to be effective it has to be (and has been) a **TEAM EFFORT**. I want to extend my gratitude and praise to all involved who are putting forth their best effort to carry out the Mission of Holy Name School in these trying times.

If you need to speak with Fr. Daniel, myself, Diane at the Office, or anyone else on our Parish Staff, please call us at 508-679-6732. We will do our best to provide any help that is necessary. In the meantime, let us pray for one another. God Bless you all.

## THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

### THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

They recognized him in the breaking of the bread. How do I recognize Jesus? What is the Lord asking of me? Is it to enter into the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony, the Sacrament of Holy Orders (as Priest or Deacon), the dedicated Single Life or the Consecrated Religious Life (as a Sister or Brother)? This is a blessed time when many may have the chance to reflect on the calling they are receiving from God.



**MAY (which begins this coming Friday) IS THE MONTH OF OUR BLESSED MOTHER, MARY.** In these difficult days there is no doubt that Mary is praying for us, interceding for us, watching over us as a loving Mother. Hopefully everyone is using this opportunity to pray each day to her. In particular, praying the Rosary is very powerful and peaceful. We have many intentions today to bring to Our Blessed Mother knowing she will present them to Our Lord. **Thanks to all who ordinarily pray the Rosary, especially those who do so after our morning Mass, Mon. - Sat.** Our Blessed Mother will bring peace and hope to us through our prayers to her.

### FAITH FORMATION

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS** the young girls and boys of our Parish who were scheduled to receive their First Holy Communion this coming Saturday, May 2. Since the "stay at home" order will still be in effect that day, we have postponed First Communion to a yet unknown date. Once, please God, the restriction is lifted, we will work together to find the first opportunity for our children to receive our Lord Jesus in Holy Communion.

### SACRED HEART/HOLY NAME FOOD PANTRY

**THE SACRED HEART/HOLY NAME FOOD PANTRY**, located at the former St. Bernadette's Church, **IS OPEN EACH MONDAY FROM 3 - 5 P.M.** Proper Social Distancing is present at this sight. If you know of anyone who is in need of food please refer them to the Food Pantry. Anyone interested in **donating to the Food Pantry** may do so by making out a check to Sacred Heart/Holy Name Food Pantry and mailing it to Holy Name Church, 709 Hanover Street, Fall River, MA 02720.

### OPERATION RICE BOWL

**THOSE WHO TOOK PART IN OPERATION RICE BOWL** during Lent are **ASKED TO KEEP WHATEVER MONEY YOU SAVED** being part of the program. Once we are able to reunite in Church for Mass, we will designate a weekend for everyone to bring in their contributions. The money will be given to help feed those in need. **THANKS.**



### OUR LADY OF GRACE ADORATION CHAPEL

**Our Chapel will remain open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** Monday through Friday. We ask that **no more than 5 people** be in the chapel at any time. Thank you.

### IN SUPPORT OF LIFE

"From your first moments of existence, you had all the DNA that would determine your sex, facial features, physique, and the color of your skin, hair, and eyes. At 24 days, your heart began beating. By 8 weeks, all your organs were present, and your unique fingerprints were forming. Ultrasounds show that by 18 weeks, you could swim, somersault, suck your thumb, and even cover your ears if you heard loud music." From the U.S. Bishops "Another Look at Abortion"

### PARISH PRAYER LINE

**PARISH PRAYER LINE** is a very important ministry in our Parish. It is an opportunity for parishioners to leave names or intentions that need special prayers from members of our parish. We are **looking for more parishioners who would be willing to commit to taking extra time to pray for these intentions.** It can simply be part of your daily routine of prayer, but will have a great impact on those in need of God's grace in their lives. If interested in more information and/or volunteering, please call Donna Masterson at 508-676-0412. **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: 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, Sarah Hague, Margaret Ryan, Evelyn Lavoie, Alfred Audet, Normand Lariviere, Tina Rachel, Cheyanne Moniz, Claudette Woss, Rachel Thibault, Kate Dube, Louise Broullard, Denise Castro, Philip & Mary Streeter, John Cormier, Steve Lopes, Marge Lavoie, Austin, Raymond Fontaine, Sr. Eileen Davey, Seferino Lecchi, Agnes P. Raposa, Kathy Fleming, and Michael Rego.

### *Easter Flowers - In Memoriam*

*Mr. & Mrs. Harold A. Briggs & Family, Mr. & Mrs. Howard C. Copper & Family, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Souza & Families, and Jeanne Anne Tetrault & Family.*



***APRIL 26, 2020***

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**HOLY NAME SCHOOL**

**Dear Holy Name Parish family:**

**I wanted to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your continued generous support of our school during this very difficult time. Your contributions and prayers are so needed and so appreciated! We have undertaken in the past month or so a huge new challenge of continuing the education of our students in a remote and online manner. It is through the fantastic efforts of all teachers, the support of parents and families, and the hard work of our students that our school year is continuing to proceed with its curriculum. I cannot express enough the gratitude that I have for all of these efforts. It is truly a testament to the great community we have here at Holy Name School. With the announcement yesterday that school will be closed for the remainder of the year, we are now planning for the closing part of our school year. Together we will provide a substantive and creative learning opportunity for all of our students.**

**Thank you again for all of your support. Stay safe and God Bless.**

**David J. Flanagan  
Principal  
Holy Name School**

**THE FIFTH ANNUAL HOLY NAME SCHOOL FUND**

**THE HOLY NAME SCHOOL FUND APPEAL is now underway.** All registered parishioners should have received a letter from Fr. Jay asking for support of the Holy Name School Fund. We are blessed to have a Parish School, and Holy Name School is blessed to have our Parish as its partner. Once again, we humbly ask our parishioners, school parents, alumni, benefactors and friends for financial support to continue our mission of **“Academic Excellence Rooted in Catholic Values.”** Our goals this year are to replace whiteboards in several classrooms; supplement our curriculum; purchase outdoor equipment; and continue to update our safety and technology. The reverse side of the letter includes our “Wish List 2020” with specific items and costs. Please remember that No Gift Is Too Small! Our high price items will need support from many people. Any help you can offer will be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Jay or our Principal, Mr. Flanagan.

**REMEMBERING DR. WARDELL**

Let's continue to honor and thank Dr. Wardell by working hard to make sure each family who wants a Catholic School Education for their child(ren) will be able to provide that for them. Thus, I invite any family who wishes to provide a Catholic School Education for their child(ren) and is struggling to find ways to pay for it, to call me at the parish office. God bless Dr. Wardell, our Parish and our School.