

# 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  
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 with him and be registered.



MAY 2 & 3, 2020  
 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
 GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

Saturday	05/02	Mary Barreira
Sunday	05/03	Christopher Lake, 7th Anniversary
		Ann B. Feitelberg, 10th Anniversary
		Anibel & Clotilde Arruda
Monday	05/04	Veronica M. Bouchard, 1st Anniversary
Tuesday	05/05	Anna McCarthy
Wednesday	05/06	People of the Parish
Thursday	05/07	Gilda & Joao Andre
Friday	05/08	Patricia Goff
Saturday	05/09	Genevieve Nowak
		Mr. & Mrs. Joseph and Dorothy Mlynek
Sunday	05/10	Albert Tremblay
		Matthew F. Burke
		Lorraine Correira

**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.**

*Dear Parishioners:* I hope and pray this note finds you well and coping with our current situation as best as possible. I know it's a cliché but I encourage all of us to try to take this one day at a time. It is here that we, please God, rely on the gifts of Faith and Hope to be our guide and strength. Today we celebrate **GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY**. It is our Lord, the Good Shepherd, who will show us the way, give us the strength to deal in a positive way, with challenges that come our way. Remember that Christ, the Good Shepherd, knows and loves **each and everyone of us**. He loves each and every one of us and will never abandon us.

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.holynamEFR.com](http://www.holynamEFR.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.

**PLEASE KNOW WE HAVE SOME MASS INTENTIONS AVAILABLE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY AND BEYOND.** If you wish to have a Mass celebrated for family member(s) and or friend(s), please call Diane at the Office (508-679-6732), from 9 - 3, Monday through Friday. She will be happy to set up a date and time for the 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.holynamEFR.com](http://www.holynamEFR.com) and click the box that says “Online Giving Now Available” and see the choices you can make.

This week I am thinking of and praying for, in a special way, the **young girls and boys of our parish who were scheduled to receive their First Holy Communion this Saturday**. Obviously this has been postponed but I want the girls and boys, and their families, to know that we will try to re-schedule that beautiful day as soon as possible. We are also praying for the young women and men of our parish who are scheduled to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on May 22. If that has to be postponed (we don't know yet for sure), we will try to re-schedule that as soon as possible.

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.

We are grateful to the men and women of our parish who assist at the **Sacred Heart/Holy Name Food Pantry** each Monday at the former St. Bernadette Parish.

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.**

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING**  
**APRIL 18 & 19, 2020**

**Budget:..... \$4,187.00**  
**Monthly Debt to Date:..... \$1,222.00**  
**Online Giving..... \$1,219.85**

**HOLY NAME PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**FOR MARCH 2020**

**Ordinary Income: \$32,186.73    Last Month: \$37,049.16**  
**Ordinary Expenses: \$43,197.85    Last Month: \$46,015.00**

## THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Traditionally on Good Shepherd Sunday we celebrate the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Today please pray for an increase in Vocations to the Consecrated Religious Life (as a Sister or Brother), to the Sacrament of Holy Orders (as a Priest or Deacon), to the Dedicated Single Life or the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony.



WELCOME to a new member of the Church.

*Kaelynn Darlene Sousa* received the Sacrament of Baptism here last weekend. Congratulations to her parents, Godparents and family.



**MAY 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.

### 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.



### FAITH FORMATION

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS** the young girls and boys of our Parish who were scheduled to receive their First Holy Communion 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.



### 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

"Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's creation, made in His own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect." From Pope Francis' "Day for Life Greeting."

### 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.

**ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISH? WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A REGISTERED MEMBER?** It's very easy. Call Fr. Jay at the Parish Office (508-679-6732) and set up an appointment to speak with him for a few minutes sometime during the week. If he is not available when you call, leave a message with your phone number and he will get back to you. Welcome to all our new parishioners

*MAY 3, 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.