



Holy Family Church

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23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Which of you wishing to construct a tower does not first sit down and calculate the cost to see if there is enough for its completion?
... In the same way, anyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple." - Lk 14:28, 33

September 4, 2022

HOLY FAMILY

MASS INTENTIONS

Friday, September 2
8:15 am Annette & Josephine O'Donnell – Mem
Saturday, September 3
5:00 pm Phillip Blanchard – Memorial
Sunday, September 4
7:30 am Our Parishioners
9:00 am Heidi Eva Marie MacLaren – Anniv
10:30 am Melissa Beth Casale – Memorial
Tuesday, September 6
8:15 am Vincent Guy Maffucci – Memorial
Thursday, September 8
8:15 am Marianne Russell – Birthday Memorial
Saturday, September 10
5:00 pm Kathleen Kazanowski – Memorial
Sunday, September 11
7:30 am Our Parishioners
9:00 am Daniel Buonagurio, Sr. – Memorial
10:30 am Marie Theroux – Memorial

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am
View 9:00 am Mass live at
www.holyfamilyduxbury.org

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday – Saturday at 8:15 am in main church

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:00-4:45 pm
First Fridays 6:30-7:30 pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays 9 am ending with Evening Prayer/
Benediction at 5 pm in Our Lady's Chapel
Please enter rear door of church

*Altar Flowers given this weekend in loving memory of
Melissa Beth Casale from her family*

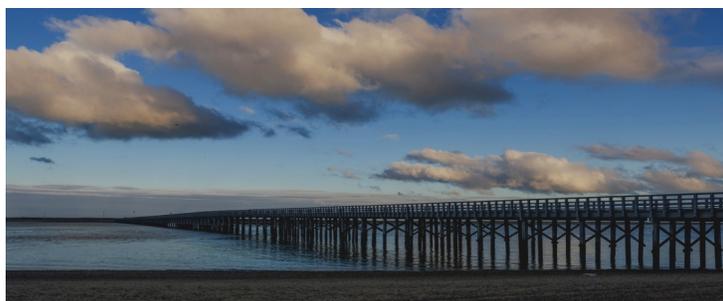
*Sanctuary Light given this month in loving memory of
Annette & Josephine O'Donnell from Ruthie Hearson*

PASTOR'S CORNER

Have you ever wanted an option to attend Mass here at Holy Family on Sunday evenings? We had a monthly 5:00 pm Sunday Mass last year and it was popular enough to consider offering it weekly. So, after consulting with Fr. Bill who is willing to preside at the Sunday 5:00 pm Mass on rotation with me every other week, and with the support of the Parish Pastoral Council, we decided to offer a weekly 5:00 pm Sunday Mass here at Holy Family Church beginning Sunday, September 18. We have arranged for several musicians to provide special "praise and worship" style music, and we'll offer a homily focused with families in mind. This added weekend Mass is in response to the need expressed by many parishioners for a time that makes Mass more accessible to active families. Please spread the word to folks you know who would appreciate having this convenient option to worship God, be nourished by both Word and Sacrament, and fulfill their Sunday Mass obligation.

Another special Sunday evening Mass will take place next Sunday, September 11 at 4:00 pm when we'll have our Annual Beach Mass on the bay side of Duxbury Beach. Following the Mass we'll have a cookout. Enjoy this opportunity to celebrate Holy Eucharist and partake in some food and fellowship afterwards in the midst of the beautiful natural setting we have right at our doorstep. Bring family and friends, along with your beach chairs or blanket... and pray we have good weather! In the event of rain, we'll have the Mass at 4:00 pm in the church.

God bless you!
Fr. Bob



BEACH MASS - next Sunday, Sept. 11 at 4 pm – all are welcome to our annual Beach Mass on the Bayside at Duxbury Beach! Cookout to follow.

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PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Parish Offertory Budget	\$11,635
Offertory collected on 8/7	\$10,991
Offertory collected on 8/14	\$12,349
Offertory collected on 8/21	\$11,797

Thank you! We are a generous people and our God is a generous God.

LEGACY SOCIETY - Please remember Holy Family Parish in your will. It is a wonderful way to help pass on the legacy of our faith to future generations of parishioners! When you do, please let us know so you can join the Legacy Society. Contact our Finance & Operations manager, Cheryl Provost for details.

THIS WEEKEND'S SECOND COLLECTION - will be for the Holy Family St. Vincent dePaul Society, which is the ministry of our parish that responds to requests for assistance with food, rent, utilities and other basic necessities. Thank you for your generosity! If you didn't have anything to give this weekend, you can drop it in next week's collection basket or give online. Use one of the specially marked envelopes at the doors of the church.



OFFERTORY GIVING - on a regular basis to our Sunday collection through Online Giving enables our parish to better manage current expenses and more importantly, to be able to prepare a realistic budget for the next year.

With a recurring donation, it guarantees a consistent donation to Holy Family without your having to think about it. Please use this QR code or visit: <https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Giving/hfdux>. If you prefer to use cash and happen to miss the collection basket, please use the receptacles at the doors of the church. Thank you!

JOIN THE PARISH CHOIR

CHOIRS TO STARTUP IN SEPTEMBER - Parents with children from Grade 3 on up are invited to sign up for your son/daughter to participate in the "Youth Choir." We will practice on Thursdays & sing at one or two Masses per month. Adults interested in singing at the 10:30 Mass each Sunday are invited to join. Previous choir/cantor experience is requested. Practices are held on Monday nights (with some holiday exceptions). For further information contact Mary Keefe (info on back page of bulletin).

ATTENTION ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH - the Women's Club is starting up again for the year. Opening Mass will be celebrated by Fr. Bill this Thursday, September 8 at 6:30 in the Chapel. Afterwards, we will convene in the Parish Center for refreshments and social hour. The Women's Club is open to any lady of the Parish. Our mission is to bring women together socially and spiritually. We usually meet the 2nd Thursday of the month. We are not collecting dues, so ladies are invited to come whenever the event interests them. Based on the activity of the month there might be a fee. Besides our Opening Mass we are planning an activity in November in Plymouth, our annual Christmas Party at Sun Tavern, a Valentines luncheon, a Lenten retreat night in March, Mystery Ride in May, with the closing celebration in June. We may also organize other events through the year... one of them that we are trying to plan in October is a Sunday Mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross with lunch to follow. If anyone knows of a low-cost bus company which we can use, please let me know. We usually advertise our activities in the parish bulletin and website, but we also send out emails. If you'd like to join our email list or have any questions or suggestions, please email me, Ann Marie, at aborsje@verizon.net. Thank you for your consideration. Hope you can join us!

DISCIPLES IN MISSION - Sunday, September 18, at 6 pm we will meet in the parish center for dinner and a chance to discuss with other parishioners and our Pastoral Plan writing committee. In February, we asked you how we could become a parish that lives out the following vision:

Holy Family strives to be a joyful, welcoming community of faith that encounters Jesus, and thinks with His mind and loves with His heart.

We have read each response we received online and on cards. If you have any additional input you wish to provide, please consider speaking to one of the committee members or send us an email at holyfamilydubury@gmail.com. Most importantly, join us on Sunday, Sept. 18 at 6 pm! Plan writing committee members are: Judy Haglof, Sarah Madigan, Ken McCarthy, Marybeth Macquarie, Drew Tenney, Jeanne Cregan, Deacon Don Larose and Fr. Bob Deehan.

HOLY FAMILY
YOUTH MINISTRY
KICK OFF -
A DARK NIGHT

Friday, September 16

6:30-8:30 pm

MANHUNT, GLOW IN
THE DARK FUN AND
MORE!

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY KICK OFF - A DARK NIGHT - All students in grades 6, 7 and 8 are invited to join us on Friday, September 16 from 6:30-8:30 pm as we kick off another exciting year of Anchored Youth Nights. This year we will meet on the **3rd Friday of every month**. All are welcome, so bring some friends and be ready for a great time!

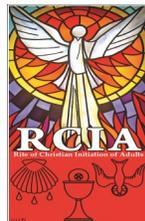
CHRISTIAN MEN IN DISCUSSION - promotes conversation about the Sunday readings on Saturday mornings. Due to the pandemic, the group has been meeting via Zoom. However, beginning next Saturday, Sept. 10, the meetings will be held in person in the Herrick Room in the Parish Center from 7-8 am. The group was started by Deacon Art Keefe and has been operating for several years. If you have any questions or are interested in participating in the group, please contact Deacon Don Larose at dlarose@holyfamilyduxbury.org.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Learn more about the Knights of Columbus and help support our Church and community. For more information about joining, contact: John Rutkowski: 781-934-2968 (jarski1kofc@gmail.com). More info can also be found at: kofc.org or talk with a Knight. Our Council #15210 meets on the third Wednesday of the month. Information is available at the exits.

CENTERING PRAYER GROUP - meets on Thursdays from 1 to 2 pm in the Herrick Conference Room in the parish center (lower church). A portion of the time will involve Centering Prayer, which is a practice of silent prayer that prepares participants to experience God's presence within us moving beyond conversation with Christ to communion with Him. There will also be time for Lectio Divina ("divine reading") that allows participants to listen to Scripture with the "ear of the heart" as if in conversation with Christ as He suggests the topics for discussion, which come from thoughts, images and insights. The group's purpose is to help sustain a commitment to this regular prayer practice and to accompany one another on this spiritual journey. Those interested in these traditional prayer practices are welcome to join this group and should contact Mary Jane Roche at mjroche05@gmail.com or Michelle Freeman at maf49@verizon.com. To learn more about Centering Prayer, visit www.contemplativeoutreach.org or visit YouTube and look for the introduction to Centering Prayer by Fr. Thomas Keating.

SUPPORT FOR THOSE EXPERIENCING ADDICTION AND/OR FOR THEIR LOVED ONES - is available here at Holy Family Parish through an *I Thirst* healing ministry trained counselor/parishioner. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Boston, this ministry offers confidential, caring and spiritual support to those experiencing addiction and/or to their loved ones who are suffering due to this affliction. *I Thirst* counselors receive extensive training and support as they engage in this ministry. For more information, contact Eileen Cerne at 781-424-8533 or Paul Kasimatis at 781-934-5890.



KNOW SOMEONE INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC? - or completing their initiation in the Catholic Church by receiving Holy Eucharist and Confirmation? Let them know about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.). We are available at any time to answer what questions you may have. Interested persons are welcome to contact, Ken McCarthy, Coordinator of our R.C.I.A. Process at 617-549-4620 / kenclnrm@prodigy.net or Jeanne Cregan, Director of Faith Formation at 781-934-5055, x114 / jcregan@holyfamilyduxbury.org. Please spread the word!

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

POWER POINT HELP NEEDED! - Volunteer needed ~2-3 hours twice per month to help input readings/songs for the slides each weekend of the month. If that is a skill of yours & you have some time available for this ministry, please contact Mary Keefe (info on back of bulletin).



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTRY TO THE HOMEBOUND - Eucharistic Ministers are needed to bring Holy Communion to the homebound.

Ordinarily, a visit with the same person occurs once a week at a mutually convenient time. If you are interested in this ministry, contact Mary Ann Salzillo at salzilloma@yahoo.com/508-367-3095.

ARE YOU AN EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER (EM) OF THE EUCHARIST? - On most days, upwards of seventy patients at the Beth Israel - Deaconess Hospital in Plymouth are Roman Catholic and they often look for the Peace of Christ to help them during their hospitalization. Unfortunately, there are not enough volunteer EMs to visit most Catholic patients to offer them a prayer and the Eucharist. Can you spend a few hours a month to administer Holy Communion, the Body of our Lord Jesus Christ, to our brothers and sisters who are suffering? Please contact Hospital Chaplain Bob Lyons at 508-830-2626.



DO YOU NEED PRAYERS? - A Prayer Ministry Phone Line is available here at Holy Family. Call the Phone Line at 781-934-5055 (x133). Leave your name (it can be only your first name) and the specific prayer request. The intention will be passed along to the members of this intercessory prayer ministry. If you wish someone to call you back to acknowledge your request, please leave your phone number as well.

HOPE & HEALING RETREAT - for women of any age who seek hope and strength to help them deal with the stress, anger, fatigue, and trauma of dealing with a loved one in active addition or recovery will take place NEXT Friday evening to Sunday noon (Sept. 9 - 11) at Craigville Retreat Center, Manor House, 208 Lake Elizabeth Dr., Centerville, MA. Cost is \$250/person (double occupancy). Some financial aid available. For more information or to register, please contact: Sister Maryadele Robinson at 339-440-0859 / maryadele_robinson@ccab.org.

ARCHDIOCESAN MASK MANDATE IS LIFTED - However, people who wish to continue wearing a mask are welcome to do so. The Archdiocese still requires a parish to provide a section of the church for **those who wish to wear masks and social distance**. And so, our parking lot section will remain available for that purpose. That is why we still enter the church through the front door to avoid filling that section with people who do not need to wear a mask and social distance. **Thank you for your cooperation!**



ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS - All couples celebrating their 10th, 25th, or 50th wedding anniversaries are invited to join Cardinal Seán O'Malley, O.F.M. Cap. on Sunday, November 6 at 2 pm at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Boston. The Mass includes a vow renewal and special blessing by the Cardinal. Couples can register at <https://www.evangelizeboston.com/event/annual-wedding-anniversary-mass/>. For more information, please email Emily_Elliott@rcab.org.

EMMAUS MINISTRY RETREAT FOR GRIEVING PARENTS - Sat., October 15 from 9:30 am to 6:30 pm at the Pastoral Center, Braintree. The Family Life team invites all parents who have lost a child of any age, by any cause, and no matter how long ago to attend the Emmaus Retreat for Grieving Parents. The retreat includes prayer, breakout sessions, an Emmaus Walk, Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, Reconciliation, and time for reflection. Meals are included. For more information, email Emily_Elliott@rcab.org or visit emfgp.org. To register, visit bit.ly/EmmausRetreat.

FALL 2022 PROJECT RACHEL POST-ABORTION HEALING RETREATS - "Project Rachel led me to a place of forgiveness and mercy. During the retreat, I realized the lasting impact of forgiveness. I knew God had forgiven me, and now I needed to forgive myself." - A Project Rachel retreat participant. The Project Rachel ministry of the Archdiocese of Boston extends a special invitation to women suffering from the pain of a past abortion to attend a "Come to the Waters of Healing" one-day retreat. Fall dates are Saturdays, Oct. 1, Oct. 29, and Nov. 19 from 9 am to 5 pm. Locations are confidential. Limited to ten participants per retreat. For more info, contact Project Rachel at 508-651-3100 or help@projectrachelboston.com.



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 Minister (Gr. 3-6) (p/t): Jackie Halpin Curran*
 Faith Formation Adm Asst (p/t): Mary Juliano Hayes*
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 Maintenance / Custodian (p/t): Beau Stebbins

*Asterisk indicates e-mail address is
 first initial of first name plus last
 name@holyfamilyduxbury.org

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Engaged couples should contact the Parish Office at
 least 6 months prior to the proposed date and before
 finalizing reception plans.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism: 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month 12:30 pm
 Contact the Parish Office to register.



FACING A LIFE CHALLENGE? - Our
 parish Stephen Ministry offers one-on-one
 confidential care and support. Contact
 Deacon Don Larose (781-635-5502) or
 Colleen Larose (339-832-2366) or email
stephenministry@holyfamilyduxbury.org.

HOLY FAMILY PRAYER LINE

781-934-5055 (ext. 133)

Leave your name and specific Prayer Request

ST. VINCENT dePAUL

Emergency financial assistance: 781-361-3595

PASTORAL VISITATION

When confined to home, please call the Parish Office
 to arrange for a visit and Holy Communion.

MY BROTHER'S KEEPER - If you would like to donate
 new or used furniture in excellent condition to MBK,
 please call Jim Sullivan at 781-936-8904. Donations
 should not be left without calling.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Drew Tenney 410-905-4654 Vice-Chairperson
 Fr. Bob Deehan Chairperson
 Jeff Anderson, George Burns, Matthew Clark, Jeanne
 Cregan (staff ex-officio), Andy DeCusati, Bob Galibois,
 Ashley Gallagher, Judy Haglof, Olivia Kyriakides
 (youth), Sarah Madigan, Shawn Potter, Priscilla
 Richardson, Joe Strauss (youth), Stephanie Williams.

Comments, suggestions or questions can be sent to the PPC

Vice-Chairperson at:

parishpastoralcouncil@holyfamilyduxbury.org

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Paul Casale Chairperson
 Fr. Bob Deehan ex-officio
 Cheryl Provost ex-officio
 Paul Brogna, Tom Kazanowski, Belinda MacLaren,
 David Madigan.

REGULAR MEETINGS

Knights of Columbus

Andy DeCusati, GK

(781) 582-8722

andyjd@verizon.net

3rd Wednesday at 7:00 pm

Christian Men in Discussion

Saturdays at 7:00 am-8:00 am (on Zoom)

Starting the Saturday after Labor Day (Sept. 10) will be meeting in person
 at the parish center (Herrick Room)

Contact Deacon Donald Larose

dlarose@holyfamilyduxbury.org

Daytime Bible Study

Thursday (Sept.-June) at 10:00 am-11:30 am

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Contact Ken McCarthy 617-549-4620

BULLETIN DEADLINE: MONDAY 10:00 AM

**COMING OR GOING? PARISH CENSUS
 REGISTRATION UPDATE** - Please complete the
 following to update our parish records... whether
 you've recently moved here, are about to move away,
 or are a young person setting out on your own.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

CIRCUMSTANCES: _____

(Please clip this out and drop in the collection basket
 or email our Parish at office@holyfamilyduxbury.org).