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**“GO OUT
AND WORK IN
THE VINEYARD.”**

— MATTHEW 21:28 —



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Welcome to Holy Family! We are so happy that you are here with us!

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 26

8:15 am Carmen & Angela DiMaggio - Memorial

Sunday, September 27

7:30 am Our Parishioners

9:00 am Martha MacMahon - Memorial

10:30 am John Congdon - Anniversary

5:00 pm Joseph W. Chamberlin &
John M. Chamberlin - Memorial

Friday, October 2

8:15 am Paul Lepley - Anniversary

Saturday, October 3

5:00 pm Albert Briand, Dorothy Briand,
Albert Briand, Jr. & Robert Briand - Mem

Sunday, October 4

7:30 am Our Parishioners

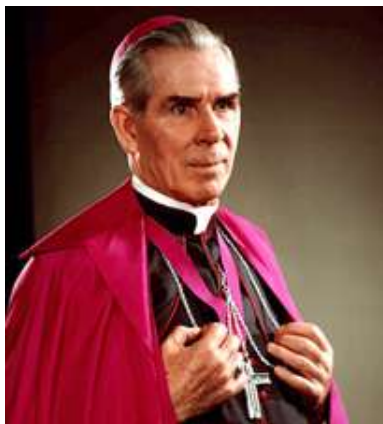
9:00 am Robert Pineau - Anniversary

10:30 am Jack Crowley - Anniversary

5:00 pm Robert Reilly - Memorial

Sanctuary Light given this month in memory of
Annette O'Donnell from Ruthie Hearson

Pastor's Corner



Last Thursday, September 24, Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen was beatified at The Dome at America's Center in St. Louis, Missouri. Beatification declares Archbishop Sheen "Blessed," and is the final step before becoming canonized a saint. Part of the process of becoming

"Blessed" entails a thorough investigation to credit the person's intercession with a medically unexplained miracle, which in his case was the recovery of an infant who had no vital signs for 61 minutes. Another miracle will be required for him to become a saint. Archbishop Sheen served as the National Director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith from 1950 to 1966, and led an extraordinary life as a theologian, teacher and 20th century media pioneer promoting the Catholic faith by reaching millions of people through his radio and television programs, such as Life Is Worth Living, for which he won an Emmy Award in 1952 as the "Most Outstanding Television Personality. Upon accepting the award, he joked, "I wish to thank my four writers, Matthew, Mark, Luke and John."

Prayer of Canonization

Heavenly Father, source of all holiness, You raise up within the Church in every age men and women who serve with heroic love and dedication. You have blessed Your Church through the life and ministry of Your faithful servant, ARCHBISHOP FULTON J. SHEEN. He has written and spoken well of Your Divine Son, Jesus Christ, and was a true instrument of the Holy Spirit in touching the hearts of countless people. If it be according to Your Will, for the glory of the Most Holy Trinity and for the salvation of souls, we ask You to move the Church to proclaim him a saint. We ask this prayer through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

(Imprimatur: +Most Reverend Daniel R. Jenky, C.S.C., Bishop of Peoria)

God bless you!

Fr. Bob

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASS

SAT: 5 PM

SUN: 7:30 AM • 9:00 AM 10:30 AM • 5:00 PM

The 9:00 am Mass offers **Children's Liturgy of the Word** and is **live-streamed**

www.holyfamilyduxbury.org (Scroll down on the homepage to find the live-stream)

DAILY MASS

Mon, Tues, Thur, Fri: 8:15 AM in main church

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

FRIDAYS: After 8:15 AM; Mass ending at 9 PM. Evening Prayer & Benediction: 5 PM

CONFESSIONS

First Fridays: 6:30 to 7:30 PM | **Saturday:** 4 to 4:45 PM | Accessible by rear door of church

CHAPEL

Open for private prayer daily: 9 AM to 4 PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday - 9 am to 4 pm.
Friday 9 am to 12 noon.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Parish Offertory Budget	\$15,961
Offertory collected on 9/20	\$ 7,178
Online giving 9/20	<u>6,020</u>
Total for 9/20	\$13,198
Clergy Trust	\$ 5,553



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

NEXT 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. Use one of the specially marked envelopes at the doors of the church. Thank you for your generosity!



FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

Classes start soon. Sign up today!

FIRST COMMUNION

For children in Grades 1 and 2. **First Step for First Communion:** Schedule your family meeting before registering.

Register By
SEPT. 30



BRIDGE

Family faith formation for returning families with children in **PreK-Grade 7**.

Register By
SEPT. 30



There is still time to register for all our Faith Formation programs. Scan the QR code to learn more and to register!

JOIN US

WATCH THE CHOSEN SEASON 6 EARLY!

TONIGHT Sunday, Sept. 27 | 6:15 PM



Join us **TONIGHT** at 6:15 PM in the Parish Center to watch the first episode of the new season before its public release. We hope to see you!

FIRST FRIDAY / EVENING CONFESSIONS

Friday, October 2 from 6:30 to 7:30 PM



Take time for prayer and the healing grace of Reconciliation. Confessions will be heard in the Reconciliation Room; please enter through the rear church door.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Next Saturday, October 3 | 11:30 AM



Bring your pets and join us on the lawn. All pets welcome to receive a blessing! We will also be announcing the winner of our Pet Photo Contest.

THE PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Tuesday, October 6 from 1-3 PM



Help create comforting prayer shawls for those facing illness or difficult times. New members are always welcome! For more information, contact Mary Jane Roche at 781-264-4943.

FALL FEST

Sunday, Oct. 25 | 11:30 AM to 3 PM



Save the date! All ages welcome! Food, fun and family activities on the lawn! All are welcome - bring your friends and family.

WAYS TO GIVE BACK THIS FALL

Box of Joy



Pick Up: Weekend of October 3–4
after all Masses
Return By: Wednesday, November 11

Pick up a Box of Joy in the Narthex and fill it with small toys, clothing, and school supplies for a child in need. Learn more at crosscatholic.org/box-of-joy.

Diaper Drive

Donations Collected:
Throughout October
Benefits: Friends of
the Unborn Home



In honor of Respect Life Month, the Respect Life Committee is collecting Pampers diapers in sizes 3, 4, and 5; baby wipes; gift cards, checks, or cash. Donation cribs are located at the church entrances.

High School Service Project

Our high school students are organizing a meal-packing project for guests of Fr. Bill's & MainSpring.



Food Donations

Drop-Off: October 10–16

Scan the QR code to view the requested items and sign up to contribute.



Meal Packing

Saturday, October 17 | 10:00 AM–12:00 PM
Open to High School Students in Grades 9–12

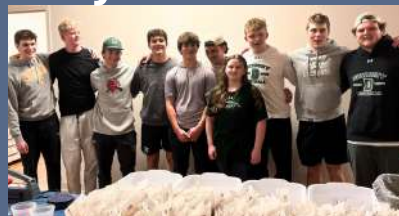
Students will meet in the Parish Center to assemble bagged lunches. Scan the QR code to register.



Duxbury Football Week of Service -- Are you in need of help?

October 5–8

The Duxbury High School football team is offering help to members of the community during its Week of Service. To request assistance, contact Coach Landolfi at mlandolfi@duxbury.k12.ma.us



Members of the Duxbury High School Football team helping at our End Hunger event.

ADULT/TEENS CHOIR - AN INVITATION



The Choir (10:30 Mass) is back! Adults/Teens are most welcome to join. Prior choir experience is recommended. Practice is weekly on Monday nights from 7-9 PM. Some changes because of holidays will occur throughout the year.

Give us a try! Contact Mary Keefe if you are interested 781-934-5055, xt116 | mkeefe@holyfamilyduxbury.org.

INTERESTED IN JOINING HOLY FAMILY FOR ASP 2027?

Holy Family's 2027 Appalachian Service Project trip is June 19–26, 2027!



Current freshmen through juniors are invited to join us for a meaningful week of service, community and faith. Adult chaperones are needed too!



Interested? Scan the QR code to complete our interest form.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY Mass

10th, 25th, 50th

**Sunday, October 25
3:00 PM
Cathedral of the Holy
Cross in Boston.**

Archbishop Henning invites couples to celebrate their marriage with a special Mass, renewal of commitment and blessing. Family and friends are welcome.

Register: bit.ly/WeddingAnniversaryMass2026
Questions: Email marriageprep@rcab.org

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

St. Bonaventure Parish invites you to a special prayer service next **Sunday, October 4, from 3:00–4:00 PM** at 801 State Road, Manomet. Fr. Paul Hurley will preside over Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction, the Five Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary, prayerful music, and time for silent prayer.

For more information, call 508-224-3636, ext. 120.

JOURNEY FROM GRIEF TO HEALING



You are invited to come for sharing and healing in a prayerful small group setting. Mary, Queen of Martyr's Parish Grief and Loss Support group begins on Tuesday evening, Sep. 29 through Dec. 1

from 6:30 PM to 8 PM at St. Kateri Church. The group will meet once per week for 9 sessions. The facilitators of the group are Meredith Scott and Betty Whittaker. Call Kathy Benton parish administrator to register: 508-746-0663 ext. 401.

PILGRIMAGE TO NATIONAL SHRINE OF DIVINE MERCY IN STOCKBRIDGE, MA

Join St. Mary's in Scituate on **Monday, October 5**, departing at 6:30 AM and returning between 7:00 and 8:00 PM. Transportation will be provided by deluxe motor coach. Cost is \$60 per person; please bring a lunch. To reserve a seat, call St. Mary's at 781-545-3335, ext. 3.

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES | SEPTEMBER 27

For more than 100 years, the Catholic Church has observed the World Day of Migrants and Refugees.

This year, Pope Leo XIV invites us to reflect on the experiences of children affected by migration and displacement—and our responsibility to care for them.

Read Pope Leo's message at bit.ly/WDayMigrantsRefugees.



CURSILLO & ULTREYA:

Those who have completed Cursillo - and anyone interested in learning more - are invited to the next Ultreya today **Sunday, September 27, at 5:00 PM** at **St. Kateri, 126 South Meadow Road, Plymouth**. The evening will include Mass, a witness talk, and a potluck buffet.

Cursillo is a life-changing experience centered on discovering the foundations of Christianity and their meaning in our daily lives.

Upcoming Cursillo Weekends in Easton

Men: October 22–25, January 28–31 and March 18–22

Women: November 19–22, February 18–21 and April 22–25

Parishioners will be available in the front narthex after all Masses **TODAY** to answer questions about Cursillo and Ultreya.

BUSY BAGS AVAILABLE FOR CHILDREN AT MASS

Busy Bags with quiet activities are available for children at Mass. Families are welcome to pick up a bag before Mass and return it to the basket in the narthex afterward so other children may enjoy it as well. We hope these bags help families worship together more comfortably at Holy Family.





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BULLETIN DEADLINE: Friday 10 AM *

*For the second Sunday thereafter.

Subject to change due to occasional early deadline date

REGULAR MEETINGS

Christian Men in Discussion

Saturdays at 7:30 am-8:30 am

Contact Deacon Donald Larose

dlarose@holyfamilyduxbury.org

Daytime Bible Study

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

The Respect Life Committee

Second Saturday of the month 8:30 am -

9:30 am Contact Colleen Larose at

clarose1960@outlook.com

The Prayer Shawl Ministry

First Tuesday of each month from 1 pm to 2

pm Contact Mary Jane Roche at 781-264-

4943

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

Contact Jeanne Cregan at

jcregan@holyfamilyduxbury.org

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Sunday of each month 12:30 pm. Contact the
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