

## MASS INTENTIONS

## THIS WEEK

Saturday	5:00	Peter Leheny
Sunday	8:00	Pat Twerago, James DiDomenico, Norie Leonard, Virginia Kaufmann Fr. Bob Kemmery, Parish Family
	9:30	Maureen McEnaney
	11:00	Curt Collyer
Monday	8:00	John Freeman
Tuesday	8:00	John & Janice Carey
Wed	8:00	John Dowman
Thursday	8:00	Communion Service
Friday	8:00	Dan Elandt

## NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday	5:00	Mary Berube-Fregeau
Sunday	8:00	Joseph Osmanski, Edward Stewart Margaret & Thomas Riley, Jr. & Sr. Fr. Bob Kemmery, Parish Family
	9:30	Frances P. Baker
	11:00	Fr. James Lynch

## PRAY FOR THE ILL OF THE PARISH

Flora Massa, Martin Coughlin, Loretta Stephens, Regina Zanis, Harry Marcoux, John Keane, Tris Windle, David Cousins, Lynne Scalia, Alex Podeszwa, Bernadette Harrod, Eileen Metterville, Thomas Stone, Nick Bartick, Pam Hedlund, Paul Conte, Len Hedlund, Greg Morongell, Nora Gould, Edan Pearl, Richard Smith, Anne Caruso, John M. Pollard, Alexandra Burke, Peter Cruckshank, Bill Hannon, Peter Gill, Ivy Davis, Maddy Hayes, Clare Stevenson, Joseph Nosari, Vincent Lencvewski, Jeffrey Wolfgang, Louise Francke, Joan Ouellette, Bev Sarazin, Regina Collyer, Tyler Benscoter, Agnes Wolfgang, Fr. Paul Smith, Marilyn Drewes, John L. Sullivan, Kameron Hardaker, Ray Castriotta, Julianne Sullivan, Robert Grudzina, Brenda Kowalski, Marge LaGrassa, Jim Lewis, Joyce Loechner, Frank Salomone, Paul Chamberlain, Pauline Laberge, Edith Vinci, Chad Larivee, Patrick McNulty, Dick Wentworth, Nuvia Downs, Karen Mary McNulty, Olivia Hart, Alex Haas, Patrick Devine, Ellen Marie Anderson, Carter Mock, Nancy Hurley, Gerry Csaposs, Peggy Carson, Ed Daly, James Roberts, Addie Priess, Tim McEnaney, Frank McCarthy, Ruth Kantorski, Andree Yager, Loretta Reiter, Paul Kascsak, Lolita Previd, Joe Conlan, Patty Camarra, Sue Waugh, James Manley, Eileen Johnsmeyer, Ray Newman

## PRAY FOR LOVED ONES IN THE MID-EAST

Brandy Nelson, Timothy Horigan, Scott Doucette, Michael Wilson, David Lucas, Sean Lucas, Peter Civita Shayne, Peter Cabral, Gregory DeLuca, Joshua Schmitt, Joseph Long, Brad Howard, Thomas Scudder, Jeffrey Stebbins, Phillip McDonough, David Wilcox, John Amick, David McDonald, Lt. Edward J. Maloney, Andrew Kelley, William James Miller, David Orloski, Stephen Tamaro, Michael L. Hamilton, Thomas Crawford, Aaron Charette, Matthew Blair, Nicholas McGahey, Edward Pruffer, Christian P. Goodman

## PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

## IN LOVING MEMORY

The tabernacle candle has been donated in loving memory of Steve Beegan.

## COLLECTION RESULTS—THANK YOU.

June 25 Regular	\$ 9,354.00
Latin America	\$ 3,608.00

## CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL



Thank you to all for your prayerful and fiscal support of the 2017 Catholic Charities Appeal. Because of your generosity, we have exceeded last year's total. As of June 26, \$74,431 had been donated by our parishioners.

## FIRST FRIDAY OBSERVANCE

First Friday on July 7 will be observed with anointing of the sick following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. After consultation with the Knights of Columbus and the Pastoral Council, Fr. John has decided to eliminate First Friday Adoration due to lack of attendance.

## 2018 MASS BOOK OPENS

The 2018 Mass Book will open for intention requests this Thursday, July 6. We would appreciate receiving your stipend of \$10 per Mass when your request is scheduled.

## WELCOME SUMMER VISITORS!

Welcome to all our summer visitors. If some of your little ones become restless, seating alternatives are available. We have a small "cry room" in the rear of the church. Also, you are welcome to sit in the area around our Baptismal font and the small chapel beyond it, both of which provide a bit of extra room for restless children and are equipped with speakers so adults can hear the Mass.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKES

The Knights of Columbus will hold a Pancake Breakfast **next weekend** following the 8:00 and 9:30 a.m. Masses. We'll be serving blueberry and plain pancakes, sausage, coffee and OJ — all for \$5/adult and kids under 12/\$2.50 each. Those under 7 eat free with a family limit of \$15. We look forward to serving you right after Masses next Sunday.

## KNIGHTS ANNUAL YARD SALE

The Knights of Columbus are soliciting items for their Saturday, August 26 Yard Sale. Please do **not** contribute electronics, upholstered or heavy furniture, bedding or clothing. To arrange for pick-up call Don Ouellette at 508-240-7672, or Bob Donahoe at 508-240-1201. Your donations are tax-deductible.

## **SOCIAL JUSTICE MEETING**

Join our Parish Justice Meeting in the Parish Center at 9:00 a.m. on July 13, to share ideas on prayer and action in response to Pope Francis' call to care for our common home and the poor in his Encyclical *Laudato Si* (Praise be to You, Lord). All are welcome.

**Thank you for your consideration of the following guidelines. Following them will bring some order and some guidance regarding what appears (or disappears) in our church:**

## **CHURCH BULLETIN BOARD GUIDELINES**

Just a reminder that any notices to be placed on our bulletin boards **MUST** be approved by Fr. John. In addition, please do **NOT** cover another group's notices, or remove another group's notices. Please do not put notices on windows. Similarly, any materials to be placed at the doors of the church must also be approved by Fr. John, and should not cover existing materials.

## **FLOWERS AND PLANTS GUIDELINES**

Please do not add flowers or plants to the sanctuary, or remove them from the sanctuary. This guideline includes other areas of the church as well. Fr. John works closely with the Floral Guild regarding the flowers and plants in the church, and there are usually both liturgical and practical reasons why things are the way they are. As we all know, too many cooks can spoil the broth!

## **PLEASE DON'T TREAD ON ME!!**

Please do not park on the grass lawns. These lawns have sprinkler heads in them which can be broken if cars are driven over them. There is additional parking available behind the Thrift Shop. Many thanks!

## **CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES**

The Office for Child Protection (OCP) of Catholic Social Services has a website with links to many resources for parents, grandparents, and caretakers. Please visit [www.cssdioc.org/ocp](http://www.cssdioc.org/ocp) or contact Debora Berg at 508-997-7337 for more information.

## **HOLY TRINITY PARISH MISSION**

Holy Trinity Parish invites all to their Parish Mission, conducted by Fr. Simeon Gallagher, OFM Cap.. from Monday through Thursday, July 17-20. Fr. Gallagher will speak at the 9:00 a.m. Masses and conduct a retreat service each evening at 7:00. His talks will focus on the principle that the core experience of all life is expressed in relationships — which defines the inner life of the Trinity itself. The end result of this Parish Mission is a spirituality that will enable all to recognize God in one another.

## **AROUND THE DIOCESE**

### ***Catholics Come Home Program***

Our Lady of the Cape Parish invites all Catholics who have been away from their faith to come back home to the Catholic Church. The program will take place in the Parish Center of Our Lady of the Cape at 468 Stony Brook Road, Brewster at 7 p.m. on Thursday evenings, July 6, 13, 20 and 27. For more information or to sign up, please contact Kathy Russo at [russokatleena@gmail.com](mailto:russokatleena@gmail.com), or 508-385-3252.

### ***Free Retreat for the College-Bound***

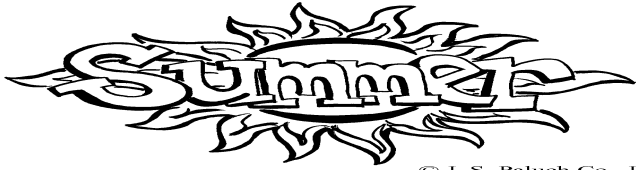
Fall River Catholic Campus Ministry is offering an overnight program, *Embark*, at Sacred Hearts Retreat Center in Wareham, on August 1-2. The retreat is designed to provide an opportunity for college-bound students to take time away for reflection and to listen to the experiences of a young adult team in preparation to transition from high school and home life to college. *Embark* is open to any first year resident or commuter student attending any university. Although there is no charge to attend, registration is limited, so respond today at <http://fallrivercampusministry.com>. Questions? Contact Deacon Frank Lucca at [flucca@umassd.edu](mailto:flucca@umassd.edu) or Fr. David Frederici at [Fr.David@fallrivercampusministry.com](mailto:Fr.David@fallrivercampusministry.com).

### ***Golf Fundraisers***

The Diocesan Health Facilities Tenth Annual Golf Classic will be held August 21 at LeBaron Hills Country Club, Lakeville, MA. All proceeds will benefit the over 900 individuals served in Diocesan skilled nursing and rehabilitation centers and community programs. For information call the Diocesan Health Facilities Office at 508-679-8154. Printable registration forms are available at [www.dhfo.org](http://www.dhfo.org).

### ***Cape Catholic Connection***

Check out the Cape Cod Deanery's new website for the Catholic Community on Cape Cod: [www.capecatholicconnection.org](http://www.capecatholicconnection.org). Here you will find a one-stop source of information for all aspects of our life of faith here on the Cape, from Mass times to hospital and social ministries, to an events calendar of happenings in our local parishes. Please be sure to let all your friends visiting for the summer know about it as well.



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## SUMMER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### **Summer Concert and Ice Cream Social This Week!**

All are welcome to the Outer Cape Chorale performance conducted by Allison Beavan in the church at 6:30 p.m. this Friday, July 7, followed by our annual Ice Cream Social in the Parish Center.

### **Summer Adult Ed Series**

Father Bob Powell returns with a summer series on *The Myth of Redemptive Violence: Buddhism, Judaism, Christianity, and Islam*, at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesdays, July 12, 19, and 26.

### **Summer Bible Camp Is a Month Away!**

The official summer season is upon us as we celebrate the 4th of July — and our Maker Fun Factory Bible Camp is a month away! This exciting week begins on Tuesday, August 1, and continues through Friday, August 4, from 9:00 a.m. to noon for children who are 5-10 years old. There are spaces available to learn why you are special in God's factory. To get the gears in motion, contact our Plant Supervisor at 508-255-1257 to register today.

### **Factory Workers Needed!**

Our summer bible camp is preparing to “manufacture” another exciting and fun week — but we can't do it without you. If you are over the age of 11 and wish to be part of the Maker Fun Factory experience as a Junior Plant Crew Leader, we can certainly use your help. Call our Plant Supervisor now at 508-255-1257 to complete an application.

### **Bible Camp Collection**

Next weekend is our annual Summer Bible Camp Advertisement & Appeal. We are grateful to our awesome junior crew leaders for representing the Maker Fun Factory Bible Camp and for assisting at the door collection after Mass to receive any donations to support the Bible Camp and the Kid-to-Kid outreach project which is an integral part of the camp curriculum. We appreciate any monetary contribution — but most importantly your support and your prayers.

## STAND STILL RIGHT WHERE YOU ARE

Author Joshua DuBois offers the following anecdote from “*The President’s Devotional*”:

“For more than fifty of his more than eighty years, Nurney Mason was a barber in the U.S. House of Representatives. Mason cut hair out of a tiny booth in the basement of the Rayburn Office Building—his little stall saw nearly as much history as the floor of the Capitol itself. And every day, he brought to his job not only his barbering skills, but kindness, optimism and encouragement. He would greet everyone—whether powerful Congressman or lowest-level staffer—with a solid handshake and a knowing smile. Mason stayed upbeat, day after day, the vibrations of his clippers surely jarring his wrists over the half century he worked.

When asked by one of his Congressional customers how he stayed so upbeat and happy all the time, Mason replied simply: *‘I just make it right here. I create joy where I stand.’*”

Nurney Mason possesses the heart and soul of the prophet that Jesus exalts in today’s Gospel. Such a ‘prophet’ responds to God’s call to “create joy where I stand,”—to reveal God’s compassion and peace *right here*, wherever he or she lives and works and plays. As followers of Jesus this requires a fundamental shift in perception—away from a self-focused, culture-driven mode of living—to a Christ-conscious, compassionate way of being present in this world.

Sometimes this means simply “*standing still right where we are*” and becoming aware—if only for a moment—of the joy of being alive. These moments have a tendency to help us navigate that fundamental turn towards being a bit more grateful, a little more kind and patient with one another, and gradually—like Mason—*creating joy where we stand*—whether in traffic, at the beach, in the supermarket, at our job, or anywhere our busy schedules dictate.

The simple practice of “*standing still right where we are*” and really being present to this moment and to its inherent grace—is a key to the radical way of living and loving to which we are called by Jesus. It is the foundation of the ‘Prophetic Faith’ of the gospel which asks us to use all of our abilities and resources to make the love of God a living reality in every life we touch