Catholic Community



Of New Bedford North

St. Joseph-St. Therese—St. Mary—Our Lady of Fatima

"PARTNERING IN MISSION"







COLLABORATIVE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES & MAILING ADDRESS

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Vision Statement

To renew the presence of Christ in our Community by being disciples and stewards of Jesus Christ.

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil:

4:00 p.m.—St. Mary's Sunday:

8:00 a.m.—St. Mary's

10:30 a.m. - St. Mary's

7:00 p.m. - St. Mary's

WEEKDAYS:

MASS SCHEDULE: 8AM

Monday - Friday @ St. Mary's;

This schedule will remain in effect throughout the Summer months

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:15-3:45 PM St. Mary's Sunday 6:15-6:45 PM St. Mary's

Prayer Group



Adoration & Benediction

Tuesdays at 7:00PM at Our Lady of Fatima Church.



The Churches are Handicap accessible

<u>Parish Financials</u>				
Sept. 5-6 & Sept, 12-13				
	<u>First</u>	Second	Holy Land	<u>Online</u>
<u>Fatima</u>	\$1722.00	\$235.00	-	-
	\$768.00	\$127.00	\$116.00	\$9.08
St. Mary	\$2531.00	\$503.00	-	\$724.02
	\$4541.00	\$757.00	\$115.00	\$651.65
St. J-St.T	\$1630.00	\$327.00	-	\$341.81
	\$2364.00	\$286.00	\$121.00	\$418.41

Faith Formation News:

Registration

The process has just begun and, like everything else this year, it is very different than in the past. Because plans were being finalized as the bulletins went to press please check your email, our Facebook page (facebook.com/CCNBN) and our website (www.ccnbn.org) for all the information you'll need to register your child. Those Catholic school children and youth in sacramental years (Grades 1, 2, 8 & 9) are reminded that we are now in a 2 YEAR PREPARATION program for Eucharist and Confirmation and will be required to attend both years. Please pass this information on to those who may not be on social media so they can be aware of our process. Thank you!

CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to the first group of teens from our Collaborative who received the Sacrament of Confirmation, Saturday, September 19 from Fr. Raposo.

Our Lady of Fatima:

Joshua Aguiar; Connor Arruda; Kahlen Bertaldo; Benjamin Calbo; Matthew Castro; Jacob Correiea; Kelstey Correia; Megan Correia; Matthew Murray; Connor Silva; Noah Tetreault; Graycie Vieira.

St. Mary's:

Gabriella Consoli; Aiden Flood; Benjamin Grant; Eric Jason; Ryan Jones; William Morris; Sarah Sileira; Riley Turner.

St. Joseph-St. Therese:

Sean Hurteau; Colin Peterson.

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. John A. Raposo

Msgr. John J. Oliveira, P.A.

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Barry Turley, Alex Breault

& Michelle Rioux SJST *Music Ministry*

Mr. Martin Flinn Groundskeeper
Mr. Al Dias Custodian (OLOF)
Mrs. Connie Avelar Custodian (St. J-St. T)
Mr. Mike White Custodian (St. Mary)



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRA-MENT

Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction

Every Tuesday, at 7:00PM

Our Lady of Fatima Church.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME — September 20, 2020



Saturday, September 19 4:00PM - People of the Collaborative

Sunday, September 20 8:00AM - Community Mass; M/M Manuel Resendes &

M/M Joao Cordeiro & Children

10:30AM - Hugh Murray 7:00PM - Pauline Gregoire



Sanctuary Lamp:

Our Lady of Fatima: Collaborative

DON'T FORGET!

Please return your **parish census** information form so that we have all your most current and updated information. In the children section, please list only dependent children who still living at home. For adult children who still live at home please list them under additional dependents/adults. These forms can be mailed, dropped off at the Central Office or deposited in the collection bins at church.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

The Office of Faith Formation will be offering online adult confirmation preparatory sessions for adults 18 and over who wish to receive the sacrament.

This course will run consecutively for 6 weeks, on Thursday Evenings from 6:30—8:00PM, October 15, 22, 29, November 5, 12 & 19,

Please contact the Central Office for a registration Form.

Please pray for the soul of **Reverend Manuel Peter Ferreira**, 90, who passed away on Sunday, September 6, 2020.

Father Ferreira was ordained as a diocesan priest by Bishop Connolly on April 02, 1960. He ministered in a number of parishes prior to retirement: St. Elizabeth's in Fall River; Our Lady of Mount Carmel, St. John the Baptist and immaculate Conception in New Bedford and St. Anthony, Taunton. He will lie in state, Tuesday, Sept.22, 2020 from 4 to 7PM in St. Peter the Apostle Church, 11 Prince St., Provincetown, MA. Bishop Edgar da Cunha will preside at the Funeral Mass on Wednesday, Sept. 23 at 10:30AM at St. Peter the Apostle.

FINANCIAL REPORT

You will find an annual report for all three parishes on our collaborative website: www.ccnbn.org. The Pandemic and the rising costs for everything is affecting all of our parishes. Each parish will shortly have to dip into savings to pay the bills for their parish and the Central Office. The operating accounts are not able to pay for expenses given the present state of affairs.

We continue to count on your support and generosity. No one knows what the future holds in store, but we do know that the Holy Spirit will guide us. We can also take consolation in the fact that we are blessed to know that we will never be in a situation that we are without Mass and the Sacraments. That is indeed a blessing.