



Catholic Community Of New Bedford North

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



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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:

Monday	8:00AM	St. Mary's
Tuesday	8:00AM	St. Mary's
Wednesday	8:00AM	St. Mary's
Thursday	8:00AM	St. Mary's
Friday	8:00AM	St. Mary's

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday	3:15— 3:45PM	— St. Mary
Sunday	6:15— 6:45PM	— St. Mary

Adoration & Holy Hour

Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

7PM Tuesdays at Our Lady of Fatima

Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available
Postponed until further notice.

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VISION STATEMENT

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



The Churches are Handicap accessible.

May 23, 2021

MASS INTENTIONS

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls in this week's Mass intention; for the souls in Purgatory; and for the deceased of our parish.

This Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday	May (22)	4:00PM	(SMNB)	Community Mass: Joseph R. & Madeline Cormier Wedding Ann. Rem., Emil Hirth & Family, Kathleen Grace, Carreau, Gonet & Marcotte Families, Carl Jakobek, Gerald Rock, Gertrude Tremblay
Sunday	May (23)	8:00AM	(SMNB)	People of the Collaborative
		10:30AM	(SMNB)	Hugh Murray (His wife, Hazel)
		7:00PM	(SMNB)	John Riquinha (Annette Landreville & Family)

Weekday Mass Intentions

Monday	May (24)	8:00AM	(SMNB)	Florence Texeira (Friends)
Tuesday	May (25)	8:00AM	(SMNB)	Meghan Sargent (MaTanté Annette & Family)
Wednesday	May (25)	8:00AM	(SMNB)	Cecilia M. Sousa (Sister-in-law Maria Alves)
Thursday	May (27)	8:00AM	(SMNB)	John G. Levesque (Daughter, Pauline)
Friday	May (28)	8:00AM	(SMNB)	Alda Alves, 90th Birthday Intention (Sister, Paz Wilkinson)

Next Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday	May (29)	4:00PM	(SMNB)	Roger Renaud, Birthday Rem., Jason Nightlinger, 6th Ann. & Jeffrey Nightlinger, Birthday Rem. (J. & L. DelVal)
Sunday	May (30)	8:00AM	(SMNB)	Community Mass: People of the Collaborative Mary Lucca, Manuel, Liduina & Vasco Resendes, M/M Jose Cordeiro & Children, Lucia da Costa, Antonio da Ponte, Steven da Ponte, Maria Melo, Artur Freitas, Cecilia Pereira, Karen Canastra, Antonio Aguiar & Maria Teresa; Claire Labbe
		10:30AM	(SMNB)	Isaura Medeiros & Cosme Medeiros (Connie Furtado)
		7:00PM	(SMNB)	James & Gertrude Mello (Daughter, Sharon Young)

PENTECOST SUNDAY

ST MARY'S

The Hosts for the month of May in memory of Mark & Bill Arabasz.



14-day Memorial Candles:

In Memory of Aurora & Joseph Bettencourt by their daughters, Jacqueline & Susan.

In Memory of Mark & Bill Arabasz.

St. Joseph—All Souls by Maria Wilkinson.

Icon Candle: In memory of

ST JOSEPH-ST THERESE



14-day Memorial Candles:

For all members of the Pimentel Family, Living and Deceased by Elisio & Rosa Pimentel.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA



14-day Memorial Candles:

In memory of

Icon Candle in memory of

It is important that you note which Mass you attend. Should anyone test positive for Covid-19 you may need to be notified.



Each parish in the collaborative can now accept donations online through the collaborative website at www.ccnbn.org please click on online giving and choose your parish. I realize many people are struggling financially during this crisis, however, I hope that many will find a way to support their parish with whatever they can afford at this time. God bless you and keep you safe.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Congratulations on the birth of your child! The church celebrates with you and is ready to prepare you if this is your **FIRST** child being baptized at our Parishes. A welcoming instruction for parents and god-parents is required. Please call the Administrative office to schedule the preparatory meeting and sacramental celebration.

INITIATION OF ADULTS: Adults expressing an interest in becoming Catholic are invited to search through our RCIA formation process. For more information, please call the Parish Office.

FAITH FORMATION: Grades 1-9. First Eucharist is a two year program, grades 1 and 2. Confirmation is a two year program, grades 8 & 9.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Congratulations on your engagement! Please speak to Fr. Raposo at least one year in advance of the intended date to allow adequate time for Parish and Diocesan Marriage preparation.

FOR OUR HOME-BOUND: Contact the Parish Office to receive Holy Communion at home if you are confined.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: May be received after any weekday Mass or by appointment.

May 16, 2021

CHURCH	FIRST	SECOND	ONLINE
OLF	\$873.00	\$166.00	\$———
SMNB	\$2676.00	\$575.00	\$874.27
SJST	\$1435.00	\$447.00	\$738.20

2nd Collection this weekend (05/22-23) is for Diocesan Tax Assessment.

2nd Collection next weekend (05/29-30) is for Education Fund.

Please note: Even though we are a collaborative we are separate entities. Therefore, when making your donation using a check, please make the check payable to the church you want to receive your donation and not to CCNBN. Thank You



Catholic Community of New Bedford North

Adoration & Holy Hour
Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
at Our Lady of Fatima on Tuesdays
Postponed until further notice.

Help wanted:

We are looking for volunteers to assist in live-streaming our Masses. It is a computer generated program. We will train the volunteer in the programs and necessary information to manipulate the cameras, etc.

Anyone who is interested (including high school communication students) please contact Joanne Mercier at 508-995-3593 or by email at faithformation@ccnbn.org



As we move forward this year with hope and prayers that the end of the pandemic might be drawing near, Bishop da Cunha is once again allowing Eucharistic Ministers to bring Holy Communion to the homebound. If you, or someone you know, are homebound and would like to receive Jesus in the Sacrament of Eucharist please contact David Beaulieu, Pastoral Associate by calling the CCNBN Office @ 508-995-3593 or by Email @ pastoralassociate@ccnbn.org Also, if any Eucharistic Minister would like to join in this very important ministry, you are asked to contact Dave at the above listed information



The image of the Sacred Heart depicts the Risen Lord who remains on mission today in a post-Covid world. This year the Feast of the Sacred Heart is on June 11. In preparation, the Sacred Hearts Fathers will conduct "The Mission of the Sacred Heart" at St. Mary's, North Fairhaven -- a triduum of presentations and a closing Liturgy -- June 8, 9 and 10 each night beginning at 7 pm and on June 11th, the Feast Day Mass at 7 p.m. Come, hear input and then stories from people who have had the Enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in their home. The Risen Lord wants to share your home life!



Year of St Joseph As part of the ongoing Year of St Joseph, there will be a Holy Hour on Tuesday, June 8 at 6pm at St Joseph Church in Fall River.

Additionally, individuals can honor a father, priest, or father-figure this June by submitting a nomination to the Diocesan Office of Faith Formation. Nominated individuals will be honored via the Office's communications and invited to the Holy Hour on June 8.

To learn more about both of these opportunities, visit: www.fallriverfaithformation.org/stjoseph



80th ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL
DIOCESE OF FALL RIVER

Time to Gather, Time to Heal, Time to Love. The 80th Catholic Appeal continues. Please *gather* with your fellow parishioners in bearing witness to those in need in our communities, and *heal* and *love* through your generosity. The agencies and apostolates supported by the Appeal provide encouragement to those who are deepening their faith journeys, and those who endeavor for a better tomorrow. The Appeal sustains life-affirming services such as marriage preparation and enrichment, citizenship preparation, and community action for better housing. Make your secure gift or pledge online today at www.givefrdiocese.org/2021.

Current donations received:

SM—\$10,505.00
SJST—\$2,605.00
OLOF—\$5,410.00

Below is the fundraising goal for each of our Collaborative parishes. Anything raised over these amounts will qualify us for the incentive reward.

SM—\$44,093.70
SJST—\$19,565.35
OLOF—\$28,280.00



FAITH FORMATION *News*



Congratulations and many blessings to the following children of our Collaborative who received their 1st Eucharist on Saturday morning, May 22nd from Fr. Raposo:

Chace Amaral
Riley Calheta
Isaiah Castro
Nicholas Eldridge
Haven Feitor
Julia Fleurent
Zoey Macedo
Aubrie Medeiros
Zachary Morrisette
Leandro Pires
Jocelyn Rego
Gavin Resendes
Emma Sousa
Abigail Suprenant
Abigail Victorino
Cameron Viveiros
Justus Viveiros

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St. Joseph/St. Therese
Our Lady of Fatima
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Our Lady of Fatima
St. Mary
St. Mary
St. Joseph/St. Therese
Our Lady of Fatima
St. Mary
St. Joseph/St. Therese

Still looking for catechists...

...and I know there are some folks who are hesitant to commit because of time or pandemic concerns. Please reach out to me at faithformation@ccnbn.org and I'll be happy to meet with you to explain our needs and how you can help with them. Most of all, please pray for those who are discerning this important ministry – maybe God is speaking to YOU!

Registration for 2021-22 is coming up!

Be ready for instructions on how to register for next year's Faith Formation in the June 6th bulletin or, if you have been on our mailing list, watch for a Flocknote from us on June 2nd!



“SERVICE IS THE PRICE WE PAY FOR BEARING THE NAME CHRISTIAN”

At this time, Bishop da Cunha has informed us that we may resume the Ministry of Altar Servers. Parishes are allowed to have one or two Altar Servers to assist at Mass. Information and sign-up sheets are available in the Priests' Vesting Sacristy.

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 23, 2021

SUN 5/23 Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/
Ps 10:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/Ex 19:3-8a,
16-20b/Dn 3:52, 52, 53, 55, 56 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 37:1-14/
Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29,
30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-
7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

MON 5/24 Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34

TUE 5/25 Sir 35:1-12/Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23 [23b]/Mk 10:28-31

WED 5/26 Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [Sir 36:1b]/
Mk 10:32-45

THR 5/27 Sir 42:15-25/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [6a]/Mk 10:46-52

FRI 5/28 Sir 44:1, 9-13/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Mk 11:11-26

SAT 5/29 Sir 51:12cd-20/Ps 19:8, 9, 19, 11 [9ab]/Mk 11:27-33

SUN 5/30 Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22 [12b]/Rom 8:14-
17/Mt 28:16-20



4th Watch
Join us on Pentecost,
Sunday, May 23rd
6:30–8:00PM,
at Transfiguration of
the Lord Parish in
North Attleborough for
an outdoor 4th Watch with Adoration,
Worship, and Confession. (Rain location
inside St Mary's Church, No. Attleboro, MA).
Open to the public.

Monthly Prayer Request for Priests

May 2021

Eternal Father, we lift up to you these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness and holiness of your son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to you. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

May 22	Rev. Robert Oliveira
May 23	Rev. Rowland Omueghbu, SDV
May 24	Rev. Msgr. Barry Wall
May 25	Rev. Rev. John Ozug
May 26	Rev. Thadeusz Packolczyk
May 27	Rev. Msgr. John Perry
May 28	Rev. Christopher Peschel
May 29	Rev. David Pignato

COLLABORATIVE STAFF

Rev. John A. Raposo	<i>Pastor</i>
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Mrs. Patricia Ferreira pferreira@ascs.dfrcs.org	<i>SM Music Director</i>
Patrick Gannon	<i>OLF Music Director</i>
Barry Turley, Alex Breault & Michelle Rioux	<i>SJST Music Ministry</i>
Mr. Alfred Dias	<i>Custodian OLF</i>
Mrs. Connie Avelar	<i>Custodian SJST</i>
Mr. Mike White	<i>Custodian SM</i>

**"SERVICE IS THE PRICE
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Do a good  deed today

Women's A.A.

Women's Closed Meeting

Alcoholics Anonymous:
St. Joseph-St. Therese on
Saturdays in the parish hall from
9:00-10:15AM

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READ THE GOSPEL AND COMPLETE A PUZZLE!

SHARING THE GOSPEL

One day one of your best friends may move away, and you won't see him every day. You can still stay close to your friend by taking on the phone, writing letters, or sending e-mail messages. Jesus knew he would be leaving. He would not see his friends every day. Jesus promised to send his Spirit to them. When they were confused, the Spirit would show them the truth. When they missed him, Jesus would send them messages by the Holy Spirit. Through the Spirit, Jesus could always stay close to his friends.

PRAYER

God, thank you for sending your Spirit so I can stay close to Jesus, too.

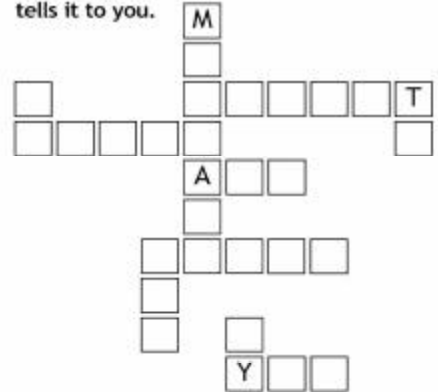
MISSION FOR THE WEEK

Before you sit down to read a Bible story, ask God to send his Spirit to help you. When you listen carefully to God's word, the Spirit can send you a special message from Jesus!

KIDS CORNER

Fit this Gospel message into the empty squares:

The Spirit takes my message and tells it to you.



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