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25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." Taking a child, he placed it in their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me." - Mk 9:35b-37a

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

September 22, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 21

5:00 pm Bill Armstrong – Anniversary

Sunday, September 22

7:30 am Our Parishioners

9:00 am Mary Barrett – Memorial

5:00 pm Eleanor Glynn – Birthday Memorial

Friday, September 27

8:15 am Margaret Delaney & Robert Delaney &

Nancy Delaney Turner – Memorial

Saturday, September 28

5:00 pm Howard & Kay Cupples and

John & Madelyn Crowley – Memorial

Sunday, September 29

7:30 am Our Parishioners

9:00 am William R. Fountain – Memorial

10:30 am Cam, John & Nancy Spence – Memorial

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

GIFTS OF BREAD & WINE - may be brought up by family members of the deceased for whom the Mass is being offered. Just notify one of the ushers at the front door of the church before Mass begins to arrange for two members of your family to do this.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am and 5:00 pm For those unable to attend Mass, view 9:00 am Mass live-streamed at <u>www.holyfamilyduxbury.org</u>

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

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

PASTOR'S CORNER

Have you ever heard of the Humanality Movement? In 2018, after finding himself constantly on social media, Andrew Laubacher decided to give up social media and go back to using a flip phone. Six years later, he helps lead a movement dedicated to encouraging others to break their own tech addictions. He was not happy with how all the platforms were just becoming so allconsuming, and he felt that God was calling him to change. As a result, he has experienced many "amazing things" in regards to his relationships, his mental health, and his spiritual health. It started when Luabacher met Hope and Justin Schneir, who had a similar mindset about tech and founded Humanality, a movement dedicated to "helping people discover freedom through an intentional relationship with technology." Laubacher is now executive director of Humanality and works alongside the Schneirs who have established the "Unplugged Scholarship" at Franciscan University of Steubenville, which awards students with funding for agreeing to give up their phones for a year.

Laubacher notes the great increase in anxiety and depression, loneliness, and widespread addiction to pornography happening in the United States, which has coincided with the launch of the iPhone and social Self-harm and suicide, especially media platforms. among teenage girls, have been correlated with the use Snapchat, Instagram, TikTok Facebook. "Humanality really is the solution," Laubacher explains. "We're a movement that's trying to cultivate more human interaction, and what we're calling 'human flourishing.'" Laubacher points out that many young people want to move toward a more unplugged lifestyle, but they are afraid to do it alone. This situation applies to many adults as well. Our Catholic tradition has promoted fasting as a very valuable spiritual practice, often associated with Lent. However, fasting can be applied to many other areas of life as well. It is a deliberate "giving up" of what might be considered a good thing in itself, but can turn into a bad, and sometimes sinful, habit that has become inordinate. Disciplining oneself is necessary. Not unlike the need for people addicted to alcohol to abstain completely from drinking, so too, with other addictions, abstinence from technology may be the only way to a more healthy and peaceful lifestyle. Portions of this piece have come from the article, The Humanality Movement: 'Creating new rituals to use technology 'with intention,' Catholic News Service, June 9, 2024 by Kate To learn more about the Humanality Movement, visit: https://www.humanality.org/.

> God bless you! Fr. Bob

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Parish Offertory Budget	\$15,385	
Offertory collected on 9/15	\$ 6,227	
Online giving 9/15	5,839	
Total for 9/15	\$12,066	
Clergy Trust 9/15	\$ 4,443	

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

WEEKLY PARISH OFFERTORY BUDGET - has increased by just over \$3,000. The budget figure we have been providing in the bulletin had not been changed in over a year. Still, operating costs have increased over time. Our Parish Finance Council and I have noted that \$15,385 more accurately reflects the average amount needed to fund the day-to-day expenses incurred for the operation of our parish. We hope that providing you with a more representative figure of the actual costs will prompt parishioners to review the amount they contribute weekly/monthly, especially if they have not increased their giving in quite some time. Over the past few years we have had to use some of the proceeds of our Grand Annual collection and savings to help pay for these operational expenses. However, the actual purpose of the Grand Annual collection is to fund larger extraordinary maintenance, upgrades, replacements and repair costs for the church, parish center, rectory, Thank you for your anticipated and grounds. generosity to help us reach this new budget figure. -Fr. Bob



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.



MAKE A RECURRING DONATION TO HOLY FAMILY - 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!



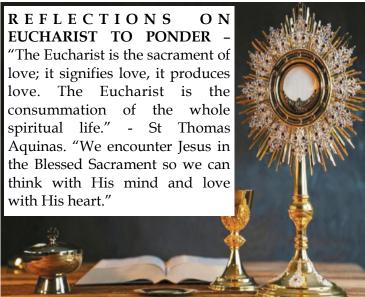
KNOW SOMEONE INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC - or who wants to complete their initiation in the Catholic Church by receiving Holy Eucharist/ Confirmation? Find out about our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

process. Interested persons are welcome to contact, Ken McCarthy, Coordinator of our R.C.I.A. Process at 617-549-4620 / kenclnrm@prodigy.net. Please spread the word to anyone you know who has expressed interest in the Catholic Church!

ADULTS, CHILDREN, TEENS take note!
Choirs have begun their fall schedule of
Masses. Still time to join. Adults are most

welcome to join the choir at the 10:30 Mass on Sun. Prior choir experience is most helpful. Practice is weekly on Mon. nights - 7-9. Some changes because of holidays will occur throughout the year. Children in grades 3 thru teens in middle & high school will sing one-two times per month at the 9 am on Sun. Practice will be on Thursdays from 3:30-4:30, beginning this Thurs., 9/12. Please cont. Mary Keefe if you are interested in participating. 781-934-5055xt116.







DAYTIME BIBLE STUDY - meets weekly each Thursday, from 10 to 11:30 am in the Herrick Room (they began BIBLE STUDY last Thurs., Sept. 19). This year they will be studying the Study on the Holy Spirit. Contact Katey Cullen at

kateycullen@msn.com with any questions.



PRAY THE ROSARY ("5th Weekend") - All are welcome to pray the Rosary next Sat., Sept. 28 at 4:40 pm in the chapel just before the 5:00 pm Mass. Free Rosary beads and directions to pray the Rosary can be found on the table outside the Chapel.



Next Sunday, September 29 11:30 am to 4:00 pm. All ages are welcome! Activities on our lawn!

LOWER PARKING LOT TO BE CLOSED NEXT SUNDAY - In preparation for the Fall Festival the lower parking lot off of Chestnut Street will be closed next Sunday, Sept. 29 beginning at 10 am. Please use the main parking lot for 10:30 Mass.



THE PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY -

is comprised of a group of knitters who make prayer shawls for the sick, elderly, and anyone else experiencing difficult life situations or struggles. Monetary donations for the purchase of

yarn are needed and always welcomed. consider helping out this special ministry with a financial contribution and/or joining our group of knitters on the first Tuesday of every month at 1 pm, here at Holy Family (next meeting will be on Oct. 1). For more information and details please call Mary Jane Roche at 781-264-4943.

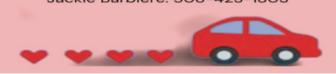


NEW ADULT FAITH FORMATION TURNING POINT Bible Study: 8 Encounters with Jesus in the Gospel of John - This isn't your typical Bible study. It's an experience that will introduce you to eight miraculous encounters with Jesus in the Gospel of John that will help you encounter Jesus in a new and personal way. The Turning Point is an eight session Bible study experience that's perfect for people who want to get to know Jesus in the Scriptures but don't know where to start. To sign up, scan the QR code or visit our website. The study will meet Tuesday evenings from 7-8:30 beginning on October 1st! Study will be facilitated by Linda Crowley. Any questions contact Jeanne Cregan.

Auto Angels

Seeking volunteers to drive and attend Sunday Mass with those in need! A small commitment to bring the joy of our church community to those who otherwise are unable to attend Mass.

> For more information contact Jackie Barbiere: 508-423-1803





Saturday, October 5 11 am on our Lawn!



NEED HELP GETTING to the DOCTOR? - "Driven to Aid" is a new Holy Family ministry that will drive you doctor's visit or

appointment as far away as Boston. Our growing list of drivers could always use more volunteers. If you need such a ride or could do the driving, please contact Deacon Art Keefe - 781-264-0473.

GOD'S MERCIFUL LOVE IN A WORLD IN NEED **OF HOPE** - next Sat., Sept. 28. Robert Stackpole, S.T.D. Director and Founder of the John Paul II Institute of Divine Mercy, noted author and lecturer is coming to St. Mary of the Nativity, Scituate. Starting at 10:15 am Program: God's Merciful Love in a World in Need of Hope Talk 1: Can I Really Make a Difference and Help Change the World? Talk 2: Two Catholics Who Dramatically Changed the World (without any plan of their own to do so). Coffee and cookies will be served. Free will offerings accepted. For info., please call 781-545-3335, ext. 4

PROJECT RACHEL POST-ABORTION HEALING RETREATS - Are you - or project rachel someone you know - seeking peace after Peace starts here an abortion? The Project Rachel ministry

of the Archdiocese of Boston extends a special invitation to women experiencing regret from a past abortion to attend a Come to the Waters of Healing oneday retreat (9 am - 5 pm). Fall dates are next Saturday, September 28 and Saturday, November 16. Locations are confidential. For more information on the retreats or other services, contact Project Rachel at 508-651-3100 or help@projectrachelboston.com.



JOURNEY FROM GRIEF TOHEALING - You are invited to come for sharing and healing in a prayerful small group setting at Mary, Queen of Martyr's

Parish, Plymouth. Grief and Loss Support group begins on Tuesday evenings, October 8 through December 10 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. Please call Kathy Benton parish administrator to register: 508-746-0663 ext. 401.

THE SPIRITUAL EXERCISES - The 19th Annotation Retreat of the Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius of Loyola, An Invitation to Meet Christ in Prayer, arranged by Fr. John Sassani & Mary Ann McLaughlin is being offered in a group setting for Catholic adults. The number of participants will be limited. These Spiritual Exercises extend over the course of 23 weeks and are loosely aligned with the liturgical year. The group will use the ZOOM Format to meet weekly, on line, from 10 am to 12 noon starting on Wed, Dec 4, 2024 through Wed, May 7, 2025. Mary Ann McLaughlin and Deacon Dan Burns will direct the Spiritual Exercises. For further info., call Mary Ann at 617-686-2287 or email: maryannmclaughlin2@aol.com.

THEOLOGY

THEOLOGY ON TAP - Thur., Oct. 3. Deacon Paul Key will speak promptly at 6:30 pm at New World Tavern, 56 Main Street, Plymouth. "Delivering the Love and

Hope of Jesus Christ." My Brother's Keeper is a vibrant, welcoming Christian ministry that delivers household furniture, healthy groceries, and Christmas gifts to local families in need. This charitable organization was founded in 1988 by a husband and wife from the basement of their home. Today, 5,000 volunteers and 18 employees work together from two modern facilities to make 18,600 deliveries each year. The title of Paul Key's talk comes directly from the mission statement of My Brother's Keeper. Paul will speak about his own experiences with My Brother's Keeper and the need for all Christians to bring the love and hope of Jesus to the world. Paul is a Permanent Deacon in the Archdiocese of Boston, serving at Sts. Mary & Joseph Collaborative in Plymouth/Kingston. In this role he oversees two Ministries that work directly with people experiencing homelessness, Matthew's Kitchen and Friends of Lazarus. He is also the Chief Development Officer at My Brother's Keeper.

ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS - All couples celebrating their 10th, 25th, or 50th wedding anniversaries or another special milestone are invited to a celebratory Mass on Sunday, Nov. 3 at 3:00 pm at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Boston. Couples will renew their marriage commitment and receive a special blessing. Family and friends are invited to attend. To register, visit bit.ly/CelebrateAnniversary. For more information, please email Emily Elliott at marriageprep@rcab.org or call 617-746-5756.

CURSILLO - is a short course in Christianity. It is an encounter with Christ in a small community of the Church, in order to deepen your own faith and strengthen your ability to be witnesses of Christ in the for world. The dates the weekends Women's Weekend: October 31 - November 3, 2024 Weekend: 2024 Men's Dec 5 8, Women's Weekend: Feb 27 - Mar 2, 2025 April 3 Men's Weekend: The weekends run from Thursday evening through Sunday afternoon and are held at the Notre Dame Spirituality Center in Ipswich, MA. For information and registration, please check the Boston Cursillo www.bostoncursillo.org or email at website: bostoncursillo@gmail.com.





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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.

SUPPORT FOR THOSE EXPERIENCING ADDICTION AND/OR FOR THEIR LOVED

ONES – 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. Local contacts are Eileen Cerne at 781-424-8533 or Paul Kasimatis at 781-934-5890.

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Emergency financial assistance: 781-361-3595

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Transportation to medical appointments Contact Deacon Art Keefe 781-264-0473

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.

HOLY FAMILY PRAYER LINE

781-934-5055 (ext. 133)

Leave your name and specific Prayer Request

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REGULAR MEETINGS

Christian Men in Discussion

Saturdays at 7:00 am-8:00 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 9 am -10 am Contact Jim Murphy at grndfrmurphy@gmail.com

The Prayer Shawl Ministry

First Tuesday of each month at 1 pm Contact Mary Jane Roche at 781-264-4943

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Contact Ken McCarthy 617-549-4620

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