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NOVEMBER 8, 2026

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

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 7
5:00 pm William Leonard - Memorial
Sunday, November 8
7:30 am All Holy Souls in Purgatory
9:00 am Our Parishioners
10:30 am Richard A. Frazier - Memorial
5:00 pm Jean Parenteau - Anniversary
Tuesday, November 10
8:15 am Rene Robert - Birthday Memorial
Friday, November 13
8:15 am Michael Henderson - Memorial
Sunday, November 15
7:30 am Our Parishioners
9:00 am Marjorie Kemmett - Anniv
10:30 am John T. Collins - Memorial
5:00 pm Ruth & Charles Cushing - Mem

The Church, Chapel and Parish Offices will be closed this Wednesday, November 11, to have the carpets and rugs professionally cleaned.

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

EUCHARISTIC 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.

Pastor's Corner

In this month of November, the Church remembers all of the faithful departed, commonly known as the month of All Souls. It is a month when we pray in a special way for all of those who have died, and particularly for those who have need for purification before being united to the Lord in heaven, traditionally known as purgatory. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (#1030) explains it this way, "All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven." The effects of the sin remain, and so, this brings about a cleansing of residual attitudes and attachments to sin.

Here in our church, we have a Book of Remembrance on a table in front of the altar for people to write the names of their deceased loved ones. The names of individuals whose funerals took place here at Holy Family this past year have already been written there. You are invited to add the names of your deceased loved ones in this book. As a parish community, we are encouraged to remember in prayer all of those listed in the Book of Remembrance – and all who have died. It is also a tradition in our Church that a specific intention can be reserved at a Mass, most often for a deceased loved one, which can be scheduled near the anniversary of their death. You will notice in our parish bulletin the names of the deceased from whom Masses will be offered in a special way during the upcoming week. You are welcome to request a Mass to be offered for a deceased loved one by contacting Kristen in the parish office at 781-934-5055. "Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen."

God bless you!
Fr. Bob



PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Parish Offertory Budget	$16,600
Offertory collected on 11/1	$ 9,715
Online giving 11/1	4,000
Total for 11/1	$13,715

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

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend's second collection will support Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos "NPH" which runs St. Damien Hospital in Haiti. Access to essential healthcare remains dangerously limited in Haiti. In response to this urgent need, NPH founder Father William Wasson and Father Rick Frechette, a priest and physician, founded St. Damien Pediatric Hospital in 1989. Today, St. Damien remains Haiti's only hospital fully dedicated to pediatric and maternal care, providing specialized medical treatment at no cost to patients. For many children and mothers, St. Damien is a lifeline when other options are out of reach.

Your generosity will help sustain this vital mission and ensure that vulnerable children and mothers can continue receiving the medical care they urgently need. NPH is incredibly grateful for Holy Family's longstanding and generous support. Your continued commitment to the mission of NPH has made a meaningful difference in the lives of vulnerable children and families. Thank you in advance for standing with NPH and helping ensure that children and mothers in Haiti can access the care they desperately need.

Alison Donahue, NPH regional manager, will be available after all the Masses this weekend and can be reached at adonahue@nphusa.org 617-206-4940 if you would like to learn more.

Please make checks payable to Holy Family Parish and mark NPH in the memo. To donate online, visit www.nphusa.org.

MOVIE NIGHT IN THE PARISH CENTER

Sunday, November 8 | 6:15 PM



Join us tonight in the Parish Center for a screening of **Triumph of the Heart**. This film tells the story of St. Maximilian Kolbe and nine fellow prisoners in Auschwitz, exploring how faith, courage, and sacrificial love brought hope amid unimaginable suffering.

BOX OF JOY

Drop Off Filled Boxes TODAY, Sunday, Nov. 8

Pay for Shipping

Boxes can be returned to the front or side narthex. You can also **scan the QR code or write a wite a check to Cross Catholic Outreach for $9 dollars to pay for shipping**

ADULT BIBLE STUDY: ENCOUNTERING THE GOD OF FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE

Starting this Tuesday, November 10 at 7 PM



Join parishioner Linda Crowley on Tuesday nights through December 8 at 7 PM in the parish center. Explore how God is revealed throughout salvation history and deepen your understanding of faith, hope and love, using a study by Fr. George Smiga.

Materials: $20. Scan the QR code to register. For more info., contact Jeanne Cregan jcregan@holyfamilyduxbury.org 781-934-5055 x 114.

Scan to Register

ASP 2027 TRIP - INFO SESSION

Monday, November 16 at 7 PM



For students, parents, and anyone interested in learning more about ASP. We'll talk about the trip, what to expect and the commitment involved.

The 2027 ASP trip is June 19–26, 2027!

Questions? Email asptrip@holyfamilyduxbury.org

NEW FOR FIRST GRADERS: FIRST COMMUNION PREP



Do you know someone with a first grader? Our new first grade Seek program runs three times a year meeting only four times in total. Our next session begins on January 5. This program is an important part of First Communion prep and is a requirement of our First Communion program.

The first step for all first grade families is to schedule a meeting with Jen: jcastricone@holyfamilyduxbury.org 781-934-5055 x113.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

On display in November



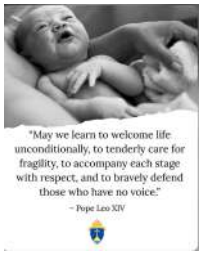
"May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace."

The book contains the names of those whose funerals were celebrated at Holy Family Parish over the past year.

You are invited to add the names of your deceased loved ones to the book. As a parish community, let us remember in prayer all those listed in the Book of Remembrance, and all who have died.

THE RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Next meeting: Saturday, November 14
8:30 AM | Herrick Room.



The Compassionate Care Coalition announced it collected over 99,900 certified voter signatures to challenge Massachusetts' recently enacted late-term abortion law and seek a 2028 referendum. Thank you to everyone who supported this effort.

Thank you for your generosity during our October Diaper Drive! Donations will benefit mothers and babies served by Bethesda House and Friends of the Unborn.

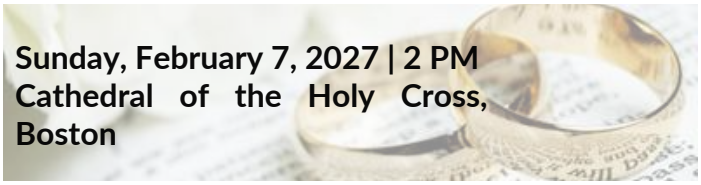
ALL ARE WELCOME MINISTRY



Sunday, November 15 at 11:30 AM
Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 130 Main St., Carver.

Everyone is invited! The Mary, Queen of Martyrs "All are Welcome" Ministry, it's members, families, and friends of the LGBTQ+ Community invite you to join them for upcoming events. All are welcome to join the Our Lady of Lourdes community for Mass with Fr. Joe Raeke. A luncheon reception will follow Mass. Join us for prayer, fellowship and fun!

CELEBRATE YOUR MARRIAGE IN THE CHURCH



Are you married outside the Catholic Church—perhaps in a civil ceremony or another faith tradition—and want to have your marriage recognized and blessed by the Church? You are not alone! Many couples find great joy and peace in celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage through a convalidation—the process by which your marriage becomes a sacramental union in the eyes of the Church. The Church teaches that all Catholics are called upon to receive the sacrament of marriage. You are invited to convalidate your marriage either here at Holy Family or at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross in Boston during World Marriage Week on Sunday, February 7, 2027 at 2 pm with Bishop Cristiano Barbosa. Couples from around the diocese will be a part of this special event together.

If you would like to learn more or begin the process, please contact our Pastoral Associate, Jeanne Cregan at 781-934-5055 x 114 or jcregan@holyfamilyduxbury.org.

Let us help you take this special step in your faith and marriage journey!

UPCOMING EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINES

Submissions for the **Sun., Nov. 22** bulletin are due tomorrow **Mon., Nov. 9** and the **Sun, Nov. 29** bulletin are due **Mon., Nov. 16.** Regular bulletin submissions are due the Friday of the previous week.



ADVENT/CHRISTMAS AT HOLY FAMILY

'Tis the season to mark your calendars! Join us for special celebrations and cherished traditions as we prepare our hearts for Christmas. Don't miss the joy, wonder, and community of this beautiful season.

ADVENT WREATH MAKING



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22
Following the 9:00 AM Mass
in the Parish Center

All are invited to join to make your own Advent wreath (one wreath per household). We'll provide the materials as well as some donuts and juice for the kids! Bring your family, enjoy some fellowship, and take home a reminder of hope, peace, joy and love this Advent season. Free will donations will be accepted offset the cost.

FAITH: A MOTHER'S STORY, A ONE-WOMAN ADVENT PLAY



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2026
6:30 PM | Main Church

Experience the first Christmas through the eyes of five women in a 75-minute dramatic presentation by theater artist and storyteller Olivia Woodford.

Through the voices of Anne, Elizabeth, Leah of the House of David, a shepherdess, and Anna the Temple seeress, this inspiring performance brings Scripture to life. Their stories reveal the hope, wonder, and courage surrounding the Nativity, inviting us to reflect more deeply on the mystery of Christ's birth.

ADVENT SMALL GROUPS

Join us for a three-week Advent Small Group experience beginning the week of Nov. 30, with different meeting dates and times available. We will be reflecting on the Isaiah readings we hear on the Sundays of Advent and the parish Advent devotional. This is a great opportunity to try out small groups or continue if you have participated in the past. This session will be aimed at deepening faith through scripture, prayer and dialogue.

Sign up at hfdux.click/advent-small-groups or scan QR code. Questions? Contact Mary Juliano Hayes at 781-934-5055 x 128 or mhayes@holyfamilyduxbury.org

JOIN THE CHRISTMAS YOUTH CHOIR

4:00 PM | CHRISTMAS EVE MASS

All are invited to sing! | Grades 3 thru 16!



Two mandatory practices: Thursdays, Dec. 10 and Dec. 17 at 3:30 PM.

Please sign up with Mary Keefe at mkeefe@holyfamilyduxbury.org.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13 | 2:00 PM



CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE



CHRISTMAS EVE
Thursday, Dec. 24
4 PM | 6 PM | 8 PM

CHRISTMAS DAY
Friday, Dec. 25
11 AM



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PARISH OFFICE HOURS – Monday through Thursday - 9 am to 4 pm. Friday 9 am to 12 noon.

FACING A LIFE CHALLENGE? – Our parish Stephen Ministry offers one-on-one confidential care and support. Contact Deacon Don Larose at 781-635-5502 or Colleen Larose at 339-832-2366.

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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

HOLY FAMILY PRAYER LINE
781-934-5055 (ext. 133)
Leave your name and specific Prayer Request

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.

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