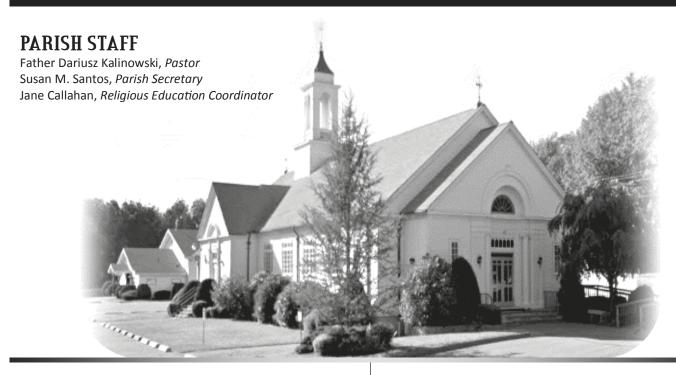
OUR LADY OF GRACE CHURCH

— Westport, Massachusetts=



PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:00 AM to 3:00PM

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LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

MASSES

SATURDAY VIGIL	5:00 PM
	8:30 & 10:00 AM
DAILY:	9:00 AM (Mon., Tues., Wed. & Fri.)
HOLY DAYS:	Feast Day: 9:00 AM & 6:00 PM
FIRST FRIDAYS:	3:00 PM Chaplet of Divine Mercy
6:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
FIRST SATURDAYS:	Mass at 9:00 AM

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Please introduce yourself to Fr. Dariusz after any Mass you attend. If you want to register with the parish, give us a call or stop by the office during office hours.

SACRAMENTS:

BAPTISM - Sundays (after 10:00 a.m. Mass) by appointment only.

RECONCILIATION - (Confession) Saturdays 4:00 to 4:45 p.m. or see Fr. Dariusz after weekday Mass.

FIRST EUCHARIST AND CONFIRMATION - Two-year preparation necessary.

MATRIMONY - First appointment with a priest must be at least six months prior to date of marriage.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK - Please notify us if you know someone who would like to receive the Sacrament, or someone who is unable to come to Mass, but would like to receive the Eucharist.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Adult Choir Prayer Line
Alanon & AA Pro-Life Programs

Bingo Religious Education Classes

Boy Scouts Senior Citizens

Council of Catholic Women St. Vincent dePaul Society

Cub Scouts

For information on these organizations, please call Rectory

Palm Sunday, April 14, 2019

"Do you want me to nail your king to the cross? -- John 19:15



THIS WEEKEND -- ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOCIETY

Annual Sweet Bread and Malasadas Sale

Saturday, April 13 after the 5 pm Mass (Sweet Bread <u>only</u>)
Palm Sunday, April 14 after both the 8:30 and 10:00 am masses
(Sweet Bread and Malasadas)
Thank You for your support.

The Catholic Community of Central Fall River will host the incorrupt Heart of St. Jean Vianney at St. Mary's Cathedral on Monday, April 22nd and Tuesday, April 23rd. The visit of this important relic will begin with a special Mass celebrated by Bishop da Cunha at 7:00 p.m.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Daily Mass at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

HOLY THURSDAY, April 18th – 7:00 p.m. – Mass of the Lords Supper 8:00 p.m. – Private Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (spend some quiet time with Jesus)

GOOD FRIDAY, April 19th -- 3:00 p.m. – Stations of the Cross

Novena to the Divine Mercy begins

7:00 p.m. – Celebration of the Lords Passion

HOLY SATURDAY, April 20th -- 12 Noon – Blessing of Easter Food & Novena
8:00 p.m. – Vigil of the Resurrection
EASTER SUNDAY, April 21st 9:30 and 10:00 a.m.

EASTER SUNDAY, April 21st -- 8:30 and 10:00 a.m.

Mass will be celebrated for all Deceased of our Parish "Why are you looking among the dead for the one who is alive?"

(after the 10 am Mass we will continue the Novena)

NOVENA TO THE DIVINE MERCY continues



- --Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, April 22-24 after the morning Mass
- -- Thursday, April 25 pray on your own
- -- Friday, April 26 after the morning Mass
- -- Saturday, April 27 4:45 pm (before the evening Mass)
- -- Sunday of the Divine Mercy (April 28) --- 3:00 p.m. in church
- -- Celebration of the Feast of the Divine Mercy before the Blessed Sacrament.

WEEKLY COLLECTION:

April 6/7

Regular Collection: \$3,683.00

April 19 (Good Friday)

collection for the preservation of the Holy Lands. Next Sunday, April 21st is the Easter collection that will benefit retired and infirm priests.

Thank You for your continue support and prayers for the success of our Parish.

The **Easter Floral Memorials** are due back this Sunday, April 14. If you did not return your envelope, please be sure to bring into the office by Tuesday, April 16th. Names will be placed on Our Blessed Mother's altar and names will be remembered throughout the Easter season.

Also, two Masses will be celebrated; first is Friday, April 26 at 9:00 a.m. and the second on First Saturday, May 4th at 5:00 p.m.

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil, April 13th – Palm Sunday 5:00 p.m. – *MYRON COSTA* By his wife, Joyce & Family

Sunday, April 14th – **PALM SUNDAY**8:30 a.m. – *ANTONIO BERNARDO*By his wife, Anna & Family
10:00 a.m. – *POOR SOULS IN PURGATORY*By the Moniz Family

Monday of Holy Week, April 15th
9:00 a.m. – *JOHN & ALICE deMENDONCA*By their son, Paul
Tuesday of Holy Week, April 16th
9:00 a.m. – *MANUEL OLIVEIRA*By his Wife & Son
Wednesday of Holy Week
9:00 a.m. – *SOULS IN PURGATORY*By Matilda Raposo

For Holy Week schedule please see the top of the first page.

Please keep in your prayers of the Sick, Shut-ins and Deceased of our Parish Family Especially, *RITA TREMBLAY* whose Funeral Mass was Celebrated this past week.



The Altar Breads which will be consecrated during the month of April Are in Memory of the *RAY MICHAUD* by his wife, Eunice & Family And the Sanctuary Lamp that burns at the tabernacle for the month of April Is in Thanksgiving for a favor received for *JESSIE PEREIRA*By his Wife & Family



Summerfest

The Festival Committee met last week to begin preparations for this year's annual **Summer Parish Festival**.

The festival will be held on Sunday, June 23rd from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. They are looking for donations of <u>food</u>, <u>pastry</u>, <u>gifts</u>, <u>or monetary donations</u>. For more information and any questions about how you can help out, please call the parish office at 508-674-6271.

The Council of Catholic Women will have their annual **YARD SALE AND Clothing Drive** the weekend of September 21 & 22, 2019 in the parish center. Saturday, September 21 will be from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Sunday will be 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. We will be accepting items in *August*. Please be sure your donations of clothing are in good clean condition.

At the Council of Catholic Women last meeting the following officers were elected:

President: Brenda Cullen Vice President: Doris Beaulieu Secretary: Diane Forti and Treasurer: Jane Callahan.

The officers will begin their turn September 2019 and running through to June of 2021.

Congratulations to the officers and may God bless you for your service and dedication to Our Lady of Grace Parish.

On Wednesday, April 24 at the LaSalette Retreat Center in Attleboro, you are invited to celebrate the life of St. Faustina Kowalksa, the humble Polish nun to whom the "Divine Mercy" devotion was entrusted Dedicated to Divine Mercy: A Day with St. Faustina will be presented by Joy Jennings from 9:15 am to 4:00 pm. Registrations at 8:30 am and lunch and Mass is ncluded in the program. Suggested donation is \$45.00 per person. To register call 508-222-8530. Come savor the graces, and learn how the Feast of Divine Mercy became a tradition to celebrate on the Sunday after Easter. We will examine St. Faustina as a young woman, the influences on her spiritual formation, and the extraordinary visions which gave rise to her fervor and determination to make this 'vibrant feast to the faithful' so well-known in our time.



This May, the Council of Catholic Women will hold their annual **Clothing Drive**. Please bring your items in a bag to the parish center foyer on the Friday, Saturday or

Sunday, May 17, 18 and 19 from **9:00 a.m. to 12 noon**. Please be sure your donations of clothing are in good clean condition. Hats, Mittens, scarves, ties, socks, purses, wallets, backpacks & pocket books will also be accepted.



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Race Date: Start Time: 8:00 am June 23, 2019

Location: Lincoln Park, NJ iust 30 minutes west of NYC

Race Distance:

• Swim.....500 Yards

Bike......10 Miles (2 loops)

Run.....3.11 Miles

Entry Fee, individual: \$85 thru 6/19

2-3 person Relays: \$105 thru 6/19

Race Day Registration: Individual \$100

Relay Team: \$120

Cash or Check only - Online Registration will close on 6/19 -

- Check out www.lincolnparktriathlon.com for course info and to register -

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