

#### COLLABORATIVE HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Celebrate Holy Week - a series of events that changed the course of human history. It was a week that changed the human family forever: Jesus' betrayal, crucifixion, burial and resurrection. For more than 2,000 years, the events of this singular week have brought new life, new hope and new purpose to anyone who seeks it. Join us during Holy Week to remember Christ's purpose, passion and power - and discover anew how they can impact your life today.

#### Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord March 28/29

Holy Family Parish Saturday, March 28: 4:00 p.m. Sunday, March 29: 7:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Star of the Sea Parish Saturday, March 28: 4:00 p.m. Sunday, March 29: 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

#### Holy Thursday of the Lord's Supper April 2

Holy Family Parish Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:00 p.m. Night Prayer: 10:00 p.m.

#### Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord April 3

Star of the Sea Parish Morning Prayer: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Family Parish Way of the Cross: 3:00 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion: 7:00 p.m.

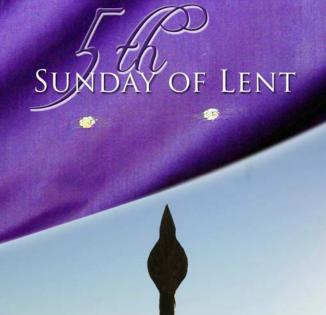
#### Holy Saturday April 4

Star of the Sea Parish Morning Prayer: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Family Parish The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night: 7:30 p.m.

#### Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord <u>April 5</u>

Holy Family Parish: 7:30 & 10:30 a.m. Star of the Sea Parish: 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.





elcome! We are glad you are here to join us in worship in the celebration of the Eucharist (Mass). At the Eucharist, the Church comes together to hear the Word of the Lord, to pray for the world's needs, to offer the sacrifice of the Cross in praise and thanks to God, to receive Christ Jesus in communion, and then to be sent forth in the Spirit as disciples of the Gospel. If you are not familiar with the Mass, the Order of the Mass can be found on pages 3-29 of the Breaking Bread hymnal. We call particular attention to the text of the Gloria on page 6 and the Nicene Creed on page 9. The scripture (Bible) readings for today's Mass can be found on page 90.



Holy Family & Star of the Sea Parishes

Daily Mass-9:00am Star of the Sea Parish Monday ~ Wednesday ~ Friday Holy Family Parish Tuesday ~ Thursday

#### **Prayer & Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Will be offered at both Parishes on Wednesday evening during Lent 6:00 p.m. Evening Prayer 6:30-8:00 p.m. Reconciliation

Stations of the Cross ~ Fridays During Lent Star of the Sea Parish 9:30am

#### Mass, Lenten Supper & Speaker

Holy Family Parish - Fridays during Lent 5:30 p.m. ~ Mass / 6:00 p.m. ~ Supper 6:45 p.m. ~ Speaker

#### FATHER SCOTT'S MARCH PRAYER INTENTIONS

Father Scott invites you to join in his prayer intentions for March 2015.

For all of our members preparing for the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, or Confirmation...For Tim Tuxbury, our adult candidate for Confirmation and Eucharist and reception into the full communion of the Catholic Church.

That members of our Pastoral Council and Finance Councils will benefit from their Evangelization Training (March 21)

That as we prepare for the Easter feast we may seek a change of heart, give ourselves to prayer, and persevere in good works.

For an end to oppression and human trafficking, especially of children and women.

#### COLLABORATIVE NEWS



#### **QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

What "falling" have you endured in order to "bear fruit" as a disciple?



#### FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Here it is again, the recurring theme in the readings this Lent: "I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts; I will be their God and they shall be my people." (Jer.31) Does it get any better than this? This unearned, gratis, uncondi-

tional love. But there is an invitation that Jesus articulates in today's Gospel: "Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me." How do you serve and follow Jesus? What difference does it make in your daily life that you are here at Mass today?:

#### **CLERGY HEALTH AND RETIREMENT TRUST**

At Easter, we honor and celebrate our priests. Our priests have dedicated their lives to serving the Catholic faithful here in the Archdiocese of Boston; now, it is our turn to fulfill to promises made to care for them in their time of need. Please give generously to the Easter collection, which will directly benefit the 628 active and senior diocesan priests whose health and well-being are cared for through the Clergy Health and retirement Trust. Thank you in advance for your support of this critical effort.

#### LENTEN FRIDAY - MARCH 27 HOLY FAMILY PARISH

5:30 p.m. - Mass

6:00 p.m. - Lenten Supper

Corn, or Fish Chowder, Salad & Cornbread or Stuffed Flounder, Salad & Bread

Suggested Almsgiving \$7.00 (or more). All proceeds benefit the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

#### 6:45 p.m. - Speaker

Father Ixon Chateau will speak on: *The Missionary Church* 

#### **COLLABORATIVE NEWS**



Thank you to all Holy Family and Thank Star of the Sea Farming Parts of the March 7 for your generosity to the March 7 Cancer Fundraiser. My life revolves around our parish and I hope yours as well. God Bless you all. Pat Ponticelli

#### HOLY FAMILY PARISH AND STAR OF THE SEA PARISH **DISCIPLE MAKER INDEX SURVEY - THANK YOU !!**



Thank you to all who participated in the Disciple Maker Index Survey. Your feedback will be a great gift to our parishes as we seek to set our priorities for the next few years and help you grow in your relationship with

Jesus. We will receive the results in May/June at which time, we will share what we have learned with the entire parish.

#### NEWS FROM THE PASTORAL COUNCIL **AND FINANCE COUNCILS**

Members of the Pastoral Council and Finance Councils participated in Evangelization Training on Saturday, March 21 at Saint Michael Parish in North Andover. The Pastoral Council will meet again on Sunday, March 22, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. in the first floor conference room of the Parish Center at Holy Family Parish. Pastoral Council meetings are open to members of either parish.

#### **SHARE THE GIFT OF LIFE** AMESBURY COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

#### • APRIL $9^{TH}$ • NOON - $6_{PM}$ • HOLY FAMILY PARISH HALL

Sponsored by the Amesbury Lions' Club in association with the American Red Cross. For an appointment to donate blood, please call 1-800-733-2767 (option - 2) or simply walk-in. And, please invite your friends and family to come wit you and give the

#### **SHADOWS**

gift of life as well!

#### A Musical Meditation of the Passion of Christ A Service of Tenebrae

"Shadows" will be presented by Sacred Heart and St. John the Baptist Music Ministries with Orchestral Ensemble on Palm Sunday, March 29 at 3:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church, 62 School St., Manchester By The Sea, MA.

#### **1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF THE MONTH EASTER JOY FOOD DRIVE** ♥ APRIL $4^{\text{TH}} \& 5^{\text{TH}} ♥$

HOLY FAMILY TO OUR NEIGHBORS' TABLE STAR OF THE SEA TO PETTENGILL HOUSE



On the first weekend in April, please bring a bag or two of groceries when vou come to Mass, and place at the main entrance to the Church. Cereal; juice boxes; vegetable, fruit, tuna, and chicken canned goods; as well as snacks for kids; and personal care

EASTER FOOD DRIVE

products for families are all needed. Praise God for His Son's resurrection by sharing your Easter joy with the needy.

He is risen and has told us, "Love thy neighbor."

#### Father Andre "Pat" Patenaude The Singing Priest from LaSalette

Father Pat returns to the Andover Country Club on Sunday, March 29, from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. "Make It Know" to one and all. Come and enjoy this



Palm Sunday concert. Tickets are \$20.00. Please call Fran at 978-851-2186 or Muriel at 978-625-5047 for tickets.



#### WORKSHOP ON VISITING THE SICK

Tuesday, April 7 to May 12, a workshop on Pastoral Care to the Sick and the Homebound will be offered at Saint Michaels, North Andover from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Timothy Duff, a certified chaplain, will teach the course.

The workshop will include a review of communication skills, the basics of pastoral visitation, key illness issues, spiritual needs and concerns, grief, loss and dying, and caregiving issues. Eucharistic ministers, pastoral visitors, parish nurses and others are encouraged to attend. Fee: \$40.00. Registration information is available in the Parish Office or call 617-746-5843. Pre-registration is required. Please register by April 1.

#### Star of the Sea Parish ~ 18 Beach Road, Salisbury, MA 01952

#### **Religious Education**

Sunday, <u>March 22 –</u> Fr. Morgan Hall Grades 1-4, 9:45-10:45 a.m. Grades 5-6, 5:00-6:00 p.m.

#### Next Class:

Sunday, March 29 – Fr. Morgan Hall Grades 1-4, 9:45-10:45 a.m. Final class for Grades 1, 3 and 4 Grades 5-6, 5:00-6:00 p.m. Final class

Sunday, April 5 - No Class - Easter

#### **CHRISTMAS IN JULY FAIR 2015** THE FAIR IS ON !!!

### bristmas 10 JULY Saturday, July 18 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Christmas in July Fair is a major fund raiser for Star of the Sea Parish. The success of the past fairs have raised enough money to do major needed repairs at both churches. This year we will have the Santa Raffle, Christmas Elf Theme Baskets Raffle, and vendors selling their crafts along with the outdoor activities like games for the children, face painting, food and much more! So, mark your calendars **Saturday**, **July 18** and plan for a

day of Friendship, Fun and Food with great prizes too!!

WE ARE ASKING FOR YOUR HELP in donating *Completed Theme Baskets* with new items only. Every week we will feature an idea for a theme basket. Completed baskets drop-off date will be announced at a later time.

This week feature : A Dinner Basket . A Dinner Basket might have gift cards to various restaurants or it could include all the ingredients for a nationality dinner; like an Italian meal with pasta, pasta sauce, pasta bowl with tongs, cloth napkins, and wine glasses. These are just ideas and does not mean you need to include all the ingredients. Should you have any questions about theme baskets, please call Helen at the parish office.



#### **OFFERTORY, MARCH 15, 2015**

Offertory - \$2,855.15 Envelopes - 99 Utilities - \$1,204.45

#### **Upcoming 2nd Collections**

March 22 - Easter Flowers March 29 - Monthly

#### **EASTER FLOWERS**

Envelopes are located in the back of the church for anyone who wishes to donate to the Easter Flower Collection





#### **STRONG START FOR 2015** CATHOLIC APPEAL

Thank you to all who have participated in Star of the Sea Parish 2015

Catholic Appeal campaign. Through the generosity of Catholics like you, the Catholic Appeal strengthens ministries that serve our Archdiocese and helps us to live our faith together. To make a pledge to the Catholic Appeal, please visit www.bostoncatholicappeal.org or pick up a pledge form at the back of the church. Thank you for your prayers and support.



Please remember **Billie Ferrick** whose  $\mathcal{P}_{Prace}$  funeral Mass was celebrated on March 13 and Donald P. MacEachern, Sr. whose funeral Mass was celebrated on March 18 and **Rav** 

**Grasso** whose funeral Mass will be on celebrated March 24. Star of the Sea Parish Community extends our sympathy to their families and friends. Please keep them and all our deceased parishioners in your prayers.

*Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:* 

William Fiumara Eileen Callahan Edward Thompson Bob Becotte

#### Holy Family Parish ~ 9 Sparhawk Street, Amesbury, MA 01913

#### **Religious Education**

#### Sunday, March 22, 2015

Grades K-4, 9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. - Parish Center *Grade K-1* Mass - 10:30

#### Monday, March 23, 2015

Grades 5 - 6, 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Parish Center Next Class:

Sunday, March 29, 2015

Grades K-4, 9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. - Parish Center

#### Monday, March 30, 2015

Grades 5 - 6, 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Parish Center



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#### HOLY WEEK PROGRAMMING LOCAL CABLE COMCAST CHANNEL 12

<u>Program</u>	<u>Air Date &amp; Time</u>
Palm Sunday	March 29 - 6:30 p.m.
Holy Thursday	April 2 - 2:30 p.m.
Way of the Cross	April 3 - 1:00 p.m.
Good Friday Service	April 3 - 7:00 p.m.
Easter Vigil	April 4 - 4:00 p.m.
Easter Sunday	April 5 - 7:00 a.m.

Please remember **Kyle C. Casey** whose funeral mass will be celebrated on March 23 and **John "Bill" Selig** whose funeral mass was celebrated on March 20. Holy Family Parish Community extends our sympathy to their families and friends. Please keep them and all our deceased parishioners in your prayers.

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:Ahron C.Marcy SchuyIsabel WohlScott GleedMargaret P.Pat PonticelliAdelia VerakisRaymond & Jeanne PoulinEric B.Loretta MacDonaldAddison ColbyDavid MorrowLaura BrinkMary Carter

#### OFFERTORY, MARCH 8, 2015

Offertory - \$7,262.25 Envelopes - 201 Loan Repayment - \$2,671.66

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#### THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY PARISH

Sunday, March 22 4:30 p.m. - WING - Parish Center, Room 5 Monday, March 23 9:30 a.m. - Arise Group - Parish Center, Room 12 Wednesday, March 25 7:00 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal - Upper Church 7:00 p.m. - Prayer Shawl Meeting - Parish Center Thursday, March 26 7:00 p.m. Charismatic Prayer Grav. Lower Ch

7:00 p.m.- Charismatic Prayer Grp.- Lower Ch. Friday, March 27

6:00 p.m. - Lenten Supper - Parish Hall 6:45 p.m. - Speaker - Parish Hall

#### WINGS (Women In God's Spirit

**Sunday, March 22:** Collin McBride is a worship musician who performs regularly with LIFT Ministries drawing teens closer to Christ. Collin is a former member of Holy Family Parish.

**Sunday, March 29:** Easter Basket assembly. Information TBA.

**Saturday, April 4**: Deliver Easter baskets to Hillside Rest Home, Information TBA

Sunday, April 5: Easter - No meeting.



Banns of Marriage III - Robert Slepoy & Tara Guay

#### Fifth Sunday of Lent

#### **Collaborative Staff**

	Reverend Scott A. Euvard		Pastor
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#### **Holy Family Parish Mass Intentions**

Saturday, March 21, 2015 4:00 p.m. - Margaret Quinn

Sunday March 22, 2015 7:30 a.m. - Ellen McKinnon & Ella Fink 10:30 a.m. - Joanna & Henry Makarewicz

> **Tuesday, March 24, 2015** 9:00 a.m. - Bridget Mahon

**Thursday, March 26, 2015** 9:00 a.m. - Arthur Wilson

**Friday, March 27, 2015** 5:30 p.m. - Rev. William MacKenzie

> **Saturday, March 28, 2015** 4:00 p.m. - Donald Noon

Sunday March 29, 2015 7:30 a.m. - Thomas Dedrick 10:30 a.m. - Peter C. Puopolo, Jr.



#### <u>Holy Family Parish, March 2015</u> Host & Wine

In Loving Memory of

Donald Noon By Pamela Noon & Family

**Sanctuary Candle** 

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**Collaborative Offices' Mailing Address:** 11Sparhawk Street Amesbury, MA 01913-3315

**Collaborative Office Hours:** Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Holy Family Parish Religious Education Office: Sunday: 8:00 - 10:15 a.m. Monday: 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

#### FOLLOW FR. SCOTT ON TWITTER

For those who use Twitter, Follow Fr. Scott (**@John410Catholic**) for news about our parishes, the New Evangelization, the Archdiocese of Boston, and Catholic life and spirituality.

#### **Star of the Sea Parish Mass Intentions**

Saturday, March 21, 2015 4:00 p.m. - Fred Maccarone

Sunday, March 22, 2015 9:00 a.m. - Mrs. Estelle Bradley 11:00 a.m. - Sgt. Jordan M. Shay

Monday, March 23, 2015 9:00 a.m. - Billie Ferrick

Wednesday, March 25, 2015 9:00 a.m. - Betty Mulkern

Friday, March 27, 2015 9:00 a.m. - Special Living Intention for Daniel

> Saturday, March 28, 2015 4:00 p.m. - Raymond P. Trainor

Sunday, March 29, 2015 9:00 a.m. - People of the Parish 11:00 a.m. - Keith Soldani

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#### Star of the Sea Parish, March 2015

**Host & Wine** In Thanksgiving to St. Rita By a Grateful Parishioner

Sanctuary Candle In Loving Memory of Susan & Jeremiah O'Leary By Gerri Rheaume





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