

Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 14th

4:30PM José Pacheco & Family (O); João & Delia Botelho;
248 Combat Engineers, Arthur Albino;
Sérgio & Virgínia Morais; Elisabete Peixinho;
Isabel Cabral, husband & daughter;
Maria Alice & António Gomes; Humberta Costa;
Mário & Humberto Gomes; Manuel & Maria Teixeira;
Rev. António Paiva & Luís Leite;
João & Maria Laudalina (Birth Remb) Barbosa

Sunday, March 15th - Third Sunday of Lent

8:00AM Manuel & Maria Moniz, Evaristo & Beatriz Oliveira,
Carlos Oliveira (O); Manuel D. Cabral;
António & Rosa Cabral & Family
9:30AM Catherine Rose Botelho (Birth Remb) (O);
Olga M. Paiva (5th Anniv); Beatrice Tavares;
11:45AM Maria Espirito Santo Medeiros (1st Anniv) (O) &
Hermano Medeiros; Afonso Pinto & Parents;
Sofia & Natália Leitão; Manuel dos Santos & Wife;
Manuel de Moura, Parents & Brother;
Manuel Flor & Frank Pichardo;
Living & deceased Members of Amigos de Rabo de Peixe

Monday, March 16th

6:00PM Maria Teresa & António Aguiar (Anniv);
Mark David Braga; Edmund Moniz; Adelino Campos

Tuesday, March 17th

12:05PM Eugénio Duarte; Natalie Hamel (Birth Remb)

6:00PM Rev. Joel Oliveira

Wednesday, March 18th

6:00PM Jose Carreiro & Wife; Manuel Jose Bettencourt;
João Garcia Serpa Faria & Family;
Ana & Manuel Faria & Family; Souls;
Jose E. Silva (Birth Remb); Genoveva Furtado & family
Francisco Maciel (Anniv) & Ana Maciel;
In honor of the Holy Ghost; Bemvinda Simoes (27th Anniv)

Thursday, March 19th

12:05PM Liberato Carreiro da Mota, In Honor of St. Joseph;
Jose Pacheco & Family; Mary & Manuel Taveira;
Eduardo Avila, Parents & brothers;
Manuel & Ana Goulart & Sons;
In honor of Padre Pio, for abandoned souls

Friday, March 20th

11:30AM Stations of the Cross (Eng)

12:05PM Carolina Santos

5:15PM Stations of the Cross (Port)

6:00PM Maria Perpetua Bettencourt; Joseph F. White;
Manuel & Hortencia Lima; Serafim Rego

Saturday, March 21st

4:30PM Adelino Campos (O); Elisabete Peixinho;
António Cabral & Family, José Paiva & Family;
In honor of St. Joseph; Maria F. Andrade (Birth Remb);
Sebastião & Maria da Conceição Costa;

Sunday, March 22nd - Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:00AM Manuel Simão Pereira & Ana de Deus Roias,
Manuel Francisco Roias Pereira & Souls (O);
Eduardo Cabral; Manuel & Virgínia Correia;
António Medeiros, José & Ana Pimentel,
In honor of St. Joseph; José Manuel Gouveia,
José Pacheco Gouveia
9:30AM Maria Zulmira Bettencourt (O); José & Maria Baptista;
Gilberto & Eduíno Costa;
Fernando Almeida & Rosemary Goncalves
11:45AM Maria da Gloria Bettencourt (O); Mark David Braga;
Gil & Suzann Raposo, Joseph Reis & parents;
Victorino G. Melo; Maria Carlos Vasconcellos;
Maria Madelena Faria; Manuel Pacheco;
Belmira & José Camara; Armando Leite;
Eugenia Brito & Ana Goncalves

Bulletin Ads



If you have a business and are interested in placing an ad on the back of the church bulletin please call the parish secretary at 434-1878 by March 18th. New ads will begin on April 1, 2020 thru March 31, 2021. We have spaces available. This would be a great way to advertise your business and support your parish.

2019 Budget Statements

To obtain a statement of your 2019 contributions please call the rectory between the hours of 10:00AM to 4:00pm Monday thru Thursday 434-1878. Thank you for your patience and generosity.



LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES 2020

All penance service are at 7:00PM

St. Anthony, West Warwick, Wednesday, Mar. 16th
Holy Name of Jesus, Prov., Monday, Mar. 23rd
St. Anthony, Pawtucket, Tuesday, Mar. 24th
St. Elizabeth, Bristol, Thursday, March 26th
Our Lady of Fatima, Cumb. Monday, March 30th
St. Thomas, Warren, Tuesday, March 31st
Immaculate Heart of Mary, Pawtucket,
Tuesday, March 31st

The Fraternity of St. Francis Xavier

JOE ANTONIO Food Closet

Report from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

We are pleased to report the following services provided for our needy parishioners and neighbors.

Without the generous support of you, our parishioners, none of these services could have been provided. We and those we help are most grateful to you.

Service	Amount
Food -	\$1,330.00
Utilities (Gas, Electric, water, Oil)	1,269.26
Rental Assistance	1,847.00
Catholic Charity Appeal	1,000.00
Community Outreach	<u>3,315.00</u>
Total Expenses	\$8,761.26

In addition 487 bags of food were given to 421 adults and 501 children. Thanksgiving baskets were given to 46 families and Christmas presents were given to 103 children.



**Blessed Sacrament Lamp
Intentions of
Antonio & Lucia Camara**

Faith Formation News:

Grades K – 5

All classes are in session Sunday, March 15th
10:30am to 11:30am

Grades 6-7-8

Classes meet on Monday, March 16th

Grade 9- Confirmation

Classes meet on Tuesday, March 17th
from 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Confirmation Notice:

Confirmation Rehearsal for candidates and Sponsors on Thursday, March 26th in Rego Auditorium and end at the church from 6:00pm to 7PM.

Confirmation date is scheduled for Wednesday, April 1, at 6:30 pm at Saint Francis Xavier Church.

First Holy Communion Notice:

First Holy Communion parent meeting:

Sunday, March 15th at 10:30.

First Reconciliation:

Saturday, March 21st at 11:00am to 12:00PM.

Part of our Faith formation program is that our students attend one of our weekend Masses. Sacramental years meaning grade 2 and 9 must sign in the student roster located at the front of the church.

Feel free to e-mail me anytime if you should have questions. sfxfaithformation4u@gmail.com.

Youth Group Meeting

Basketball/March Madness;

Confirmation students share about their suits to us

Thursday, March 26th

(Ages 11 – 16) Room 110 (in the school)

6:00pm – 7:30pm

Easter Flowers



If you would like to donate flowers, as a memorial for loved ones at Easter please use the "Flower Offering" envelope that was enclosed in your budgets. We will remember all those in our Mass intentions and special prayers. Thank you

Lent 2020

Fasting Abstinence

Church law requires abstinence from meat (For those 14 & older) on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and all the Fridays in Lent. In addition, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are fasting days: those between the ages of 18 & 59 should eat less, that is take in no solid food between meals and only one meal should be a full meal. Serious reason, for example: medical condition can excuse one from these rules.

Sacrament of Penance

During lent, parishioners may avail themselves of this Sacrament on:

Mondays at 5:30 (Portuguese & English)

Tuesday at 11:30 (English)

Saturdays between 3:00 – 3:45 both in English and Portuguese. You may also make an appointment by calling the rectory.



Stations of the Cross

English - Fridays 11:30am

Portuguese- Fridays at 5:15pm

English Lenten Mission

Monday, March 16th – Wednesday March 18th

The 6:00pm Mass will be in English on Monday - Wednesday with **Fr. Ryan Simas**, Pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Woonsocket, RI

Mothers That Pray For Their Children

*Restoring the family through the power of prayer will meet on **Thursday, March 19th***

at 7:30PM In the Our Lady of the Angels Room (Library of Church)

This group is conducted in Portuguese.

Legion of Mary Prayer Group

*Meet on **Mondays at 6:30** in the Our Lady of the Angels Room (Library of Church)*

This group is conducted in Portuguese.

Charismatic Prayer Group

*Meet on **Wednesdays at 7:00PM** in the Church*

This group is conducted in Portuguese.

Holy Rosary Sodality

*Meet on the **2nd Thursday of the Month at 6:00PM** in Our Lady of the Angels Room (Library of Church)*

This group is conducted in English