

Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 9th

4:30PM Manuel do Soito (O); José & Maria Trindade Cunha;
248 Combat Engineers, Arthur Albino; João Pina,
Laura & Sérgio Gomes; Rosemary Richardson;
Rev. Antônio Paiva & Celestino Camara;
Karen Rodrigues & Ernest Seas & family;
Edmund Mateus (Birth Remb)

Sunday, March 10th

8:00AM Mabilia Medeiros (23rd Anniv)(O); Jose Franklin
Brum, Intentions of Conceição Brum; Manuel &
Maria Moniz, Evaristo & Beatriz Oliveira, Carlos
Oliveira; Manuel Cabral & In Laws; Antônio & Olga
Sousa, José & Vitor Sousa; Gabriel Brasil

9:30AM Joaquim Gonsalves Ferreira & Manuel Vieira
Ferreira; Manuel & Mary Taveira; Antônio & Eduina
Escobar, Mário & Maria Alice Gomes;
Maryanne Andrade (Month's Mind)

11:30AM Eugenia de Brito, Ana Gonsalves, José Pedro Veiga;
Silvana Oliveira & Family; Francisca Balla; Manuel Flor;
Luís Dias & Manuel Antunes, João Lameiro;
José Luis Vicente; João Barreira da Costa, Antônio
Fernandes, Maria do Rego, Joaquim Rego Fernandes,
Alexandre Batista Rodrigues, Florinda Barros Barreira,
Maria Fernandes Fidalgo, Joaquina Lopes;
In Honor of Our Lady of Fatima, Our Lady of Guadalupe;
Deceased & Living Members of Amigos de Rabo de Peixe

Monday, March 11th

6:00PM Maria Alcinda Faria; Virgílio Cabral Branco (1st Anniv);
Intentions of Manuel Francisco Favela;
José & Ana Peixoto; Manuel Amaral Justa & Family

Tuesday, March 12th

12:05PM Nicholas Tavares (Anniv); Antônio Pinheiro;
Intentions of Henry & Diane Marques; Tommy Gomes

6:00PM Maria Dutra, Honorino Dutra & Mário Andrade

Wednesday, March 13th

6:00PM Felisbina & Arlindo Rego; Sérgio & Virginia Moraes;
Antônio Graça; Germana Pavão; Souls;
Eunice de Pina

Thursday, March 14th

12:05PM Jose Pacheco; Antonio Pinheiro

6:00PM Polly Venditti, Elise Lawless

Friday, March 15th

12:05PM Souls In Purgatory

6:00PM Ana & Manuel Faria & Family; In honor of St. Joseph
& Souls; Eduarda Costa & family; Júlia Souto

Saturday, March 16th

4:30PM Delia & João Carlos Botelho (O); Luís Correia & Family;
Sebastião & Maria da Luz Costa;
João & Maria Laudalina Barbosa (Birth Remb);
Maria Conceição Correia (Birth Remb) &
Peter Correia (Birth Remb)

Sunday, March 17th

8:00AM Francisco Maciel (Anniv) & Ana Maciel (O);
José Franklin Brum; Antônio Medeiros, José & Ana
Pimentel, In honor of St. Joseph

9:30AM Catherine Rose Botelho (Birth Remb) (O);
Maria Aurora & Phil Escobar

11:30AM Maria Teresa & Antônio Aguiar (Anniv) (O);
Manuel Bettencourt; José E. Silva (Birth Remb);
Sofia & Natalia Leitao; Manuel Pacheco;
Afonso Pinto & parents; Maria Natividade Cabral;
Maria Carlos Vasconcellos; Faustino & Urcelina Casador,
Manuel Soares Torres, Estrela Rodrigues Torres,
Manuel Rodrigues Torres, Jose Rodrigues Torres &
Eric Anthony Medeiros; Maria Luísa Lopes & Fasal Laca



**Blessed Sacrament Lamp
For All Children
to be Baptized**

Malassadas Sale

A note of gratitude

Thank you to all who contributed to the sale of malassadas last weekend. To those who donated the ingredients, who setup and helped in the making of the malassadas. Thank you for following the example of Christ, who came not to be served, but to serve. *The Malassada sale brought in \$4,563.00.*
THANK YOU!

CALLING ALL YOUTH!

**Saint Francis Xavier will be going to the annual
Steubenville East Summer Conference in Lowell, MA**

Friday, July 12 thru Sunday, July 14

*This is an awesome, faith-filled, and enjoyable
weekend for high school students (those entering
high school up to this year's high school graduates)*

INFORMATIONAL MEETING FOR

STUDENTS AND PARENTS

Thursday, March 14 at 6pm –

Rego Auditorium (school gym)

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 15th**. New ads will begin on April 1, 2019 thru March 31, 2020. We have spaces available. This would be a great way to advertise your business and support your parish.



TIME CHANGE

**Remember to change
clocks forward this**

**Saturday night March 9th
when you go to bed!**

Youth Group Meeting

Thursday, March 21st –

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

6:00pm – 7:30pm

Saint Francis Xavier Church

“Grill the Priest” Thank You!

Thank you to all who helped prepare and set-up for the Grill the Priests under the leadership of Ann & Ernie Bettencourt, Maryanne Branco and Teri & Al Dias! Thank you also to those who came out to support us. Your dedication to this parish is greatly appreciated; thank you for your generosity!

LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES 2019

All penance service are at 7:00PM

St. Francis Xavier, Tuesday, Mar. 12th

Our Lady of the Rosary, Prov., Thursday, Mar. 21st

St. Elizabeth, Bristol, Monday, March 25th

Immaculate Heart of Mary, Pawtucket,
Thursday, March 28th

Holy Name of Jesus, Prov., Monday, April 1st

Our Lady of Fátima, Cumb., Tuesday, April 2nd

St. Anthony, West Warwick, Wednesday, April 3rd

St. Anthony, Pawtucket, Monday, April 8th

St. Thomas, Warren, Tuesday, April 9th

Faith Formation News:

Kindergarten – Grade 5

10:30am – 11:30am

All classes are in session on Sunday, March 10th

Grades 6-7-8 Winter Session

6:00PM – 7:00PM

Classes on Monday, March 11th

Confirmation II

Classes on Tuesday, March 12th
from 6:00PM -7:00PM

Saturday, March 16th at 11:00AM

First Penance for the children preparing for their First Communion: Please keep these children in your prayers.



TV MASS

On Sunday, March 24th, the 11:30am Mass will be televised and shown again on the Portuguese Channel 80 or 96 at 7:00PM. We are asking for donations at this time. This allows many of the homebound members of the Portuguese parishes throughout South-Eastern New England to hear the Word of God and be nourished spiritually. Please know that your support is greatly appreciated.

Lenten Retreat in Portuguese

Come, pray, learn and adore Our Lord and grow in faith. **Saturday, March 23rd from**

8am to 3:30pm at Our Lady of Fatima Church in Cumberland, with Dionisio da Costa.

Breakfast and lunch will be served, accepting donations. To register please call 723-6719.



Legion of Mary Curia

The annual celebration of the Legion of Mary Curia will take place on Sunday, March 24th at 1:30pm at St. Francis Xavier Church. All are invited to this celebration.

Lent 2019

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 5:30PM*

Thursdays at 11:30 AM

Saturdays between 3:00pm – 3:45pm 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



Portuguese Lenten Mission

Monday, March 11th –Thursday March 14th
6:00 PM Mass with Fr. Luis Dutra.

Legion of Mary Retreat

Saturday, March 16th at 9am in the Our Lady of the Angels meeting room in the basement of the church with Fr. Luis Dutra.
All are invited to attend.

English Lenten Mission

Monday, March 18th – Wednesday March 20th
The 6:00pm Mass will be in English on Monday & Wednesday with Fr. Nick Fleming, Associate Pastor from St. John & Paul in Coventry. On Tuesday, March 19th there will be exposition of the Eucharist and his talk at 6:00PM. There will be only one Mass on Tuesday at 12:05PM.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:



Fridays from 12:30 – 6:00PM.

In order to continue we need to ensure that there are at least two people present during these hours.

Mothers That Pray For Their Children

*Restoring the family through the power of prayer
will meet on **Thursday, March 21st**
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*

Toppi Group & Dynamic Catholic

*The Toppi Group & Dynamic Catholic present Matthew
Kelly in his only RI appearance. Are you ready to
become the best version of yourself?*

“Living Every Day with Passion and Purpose”

Friday, June 21, 2019 at

Saints Rose & Clement Parish, Warwick RI

Tickets available at Toppi Group – Greenville or online

at <https://dynamiccatholic.com/passion-and-purpose-live-warwick-ri-june-21-2019>