

# Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 25, 2016

Keep the commandment without stain or reproach until the appearance of our Lord Jesus Christ. — 1 Timothy 6:14

Monday, September	26		
8:00 a.m.	Peter J. Bergeron		
Tuesday, September 27			
8:00 a.m.	Barbara Connors		
Wednesday, September 28			
8:00 a.m.	Gregory Forester		
Thursday, September 29			
8:00 a.m.	Janet C. De Angelis		
Friday, September 30			
8:00 a.m.	Frank T. Maulucci		
11:00 a.m.	Ann Shelly		
Saturday, October 1			
4:00 p.m.	Francis "Pete" Peters		
	(15th anniv.)		
Sunday, October 2			
7:00 a.m.	Daniel & Mary McLaughlin		
8:30 a.m.	Paul Richard Clifford		
10:00 a.m.	Rowland E. Manning		
11:30 a.m.	Kathleen Kenny Nixon		

### PARISH SUPPORT

September 17-18:	\$	8,589.00
On Line Giving:	\$	1,510.00
La Salette Seminarians/Elderly:	\$	5,608.00
Thank you for your continued generosity.		



**NEXT WEEK** the collection for **Peter's Pence**, which provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The

proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: Victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Join our Holy Father as a witness of charity to those who are suffering.

### FAITH ON FIRE

We are very enthused to begin the second year of our program of family catechesis, Faith on Fire, on October 2! Claire McManus, the Director of Faith Formation for the Diocese of Fall River, will be our special speaker. Claire will be giving parents a talk on "Building the Church Within Our Families," while older children will have a mini-retreat, and younger children will be engaged in lessons.

The theme for the upcoming program year will be The Creed. As you know, we pray the Nicene Creed at Mass, and it contains our core beliefs as Catholics. The Creed is a Trinitarian prayer, meaning that it has 3 sections: one each for Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The Creed states who God is for us, and what we believe about God. All of Scripture is summarized in the Creed. Please consider joining us on **October 2** for a special 5:00 PM Mass, with program to follow. If you have any questions, please contact Kathy Russo at russokathleena@gmail.com or (508)385-3252, x. 14.

**ONLINE GIVING:** We have launched our new program of Online Giving, and are off to a great start! If you haven't signed up yet, please consider doing so. Once you have signed up, you do not need to use your weekly offertory envelopes.



To sign up for Online Giving, go to our parish website: www.ourladyofthecape.org, look for the Online Giving symbol toward the bottom of the page, click there and fill in the requested information. If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at (508) 385-3252. Thank you for your continued support of our parish!

**GRANT THE DREAM:** We thank you for your generous response to the Grant the Dream request. Last week, we have begun the re-roofing of the Parish Center, first project on the list. So far, we have raised \$175,250 toward our goal of \$300,000.

We are getting estimates for a new heating system in the Parish Center and re-zoning of the building for better energy efficiency. The air conditioner in the Parish Center can no longer be serviced and needs to be replaced. The boiler at Immaculate Conception Chapel and the plowing truck also need to be replaced before the winter season. If you have not yet responded to the Grant the Dream request, please consider helping us. God bless your generous heart.

### THRIFT SHOP

- WEEKLY SPECIAL: 1/2 price on ladies' slacks.
- Please consider donating your clean, resalable fall/ winter clothing, shoes, linens, books, jewelry and household items.
- Location: Luke's Plaza, Brewster.
- **Hours:** Monday through Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.: Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Donations welcomed until 3:30 p.m. weekdays, and 2:30 p.m. Saturdays.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** classes and Confirmation classes have begun as of this Sunday, September 25. If you have not yet registered, please contact the Religious Education office on Monday, September 25 at (508) 385-2115.

**GREAT NEWS!** Teens will be participating in Loaves and Fishes the third weekend of every month. All teens are welcome. Meet in the Parish Center at 5:30 p.m. on Friday of that weekend. Bring a loaf of bread, lunch meat or peanut butter and jelly. Contact Priscilla at PHSilva888@comcast.net for more information.

ROSARY-MAKING MINISTRY: Join others on Tuesday, September 27, at 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Center. Please join us for prayer and friendship while learning how to make rosaries. New members are always welcome. For more information, please contact Linda Lee at (508) 385-5382 or lalee45@comcast.net

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY:** The motto of the Our Lady of the Cape Prayer Shawl Ministry is *"We Knit Hugs."* If you know a person who needs a consoling hug or a celebratory hug, we would be pleased to provide a handmade shawl or lap robe, blessed and gift-wrapped "to go." The next meeting will be **Wednesday**, **September 28**, from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. All are welcome. For further information, please call: Mary Regan at (508) 385-7983 or Marie Kurtz at (508) 255-0415.

**PRAYER GROUP** will meet this Wednesday, September 28, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. St. John Chrysostom has stated: "Prayer is a treasure undiminished, a mind never exhausted, a sky unobstructed by clouds, a haven unruffled by storm." Please join us on Wednesday. **OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH:** Please join with Catholics throughout the state on **Saturday**, **October 1**, at Ansell Park, Attleboro, for a special prayer service let by Bishop da Cunha. The service will run from 8:00 a.m. to 8:40 a.m. across from Four Women's Health Services Clinic, an abortion provider. Mass will follow at 9:00 a.m. in St. Vincent de Paul Church, Attleboro. Our Lady of the Cape's Respect Life Ministry will provide transportation. Please contact Barbara Bowers at (508) 385-7867.



#### FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS AND THE BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS will take place on Sunday,

**October 2,** at 1:00 p.m. in front of the Parish Center. Please be sure your pets

are properly restrained. Thank you! Circle this date, it has always been a great event!

### PARISH MINISTRY FAIR

A Ministry Fair will be held on **October 8-9** after all Masses in the lower level of the Church. The parish has many ministries and we would like you to become acquainted with them. Please take time to learn more about Our Lady of the Cape Ministries.

## HELP NEEDED

**Martha Ministry:** Members of this ministry assist bereaved families of our parish, their friends and guests after a funeral Mass, by serving a provided luncheon. Volunteers help set up, serve and clean up. This ministry is a great comfort to grieving families and friends. If you are willing to help with this ministry please call the Parish Office: <u>508-585-3252</u>.

## APPLICATIONS FOR OUR LADY OF THE CAPE LADIES' GUILD

**SCHOLARSHIPS** are available to parishioners at the Parish Office or by calling Michele Wolf, 508-896-3103.



Applicants should be in the process of completing their first year in a two-year college program or their second year in a four-year program. Interviews need to be scheduled before March 15, 2017.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY

**BAPTIZED:** On **Sunday, September 11**, Astoria Rae daughter of Adam & Crystal Smith; **Sunday, September 18**, Kristianna Faith, daughter of Neal & Tara Nevin. **Welcome to our parish family. Congratulations!** 

#### LA SALETTE LAITY INTERNATIONAL

**GATHERING**: The second International Encounter of La Salette Laity will take place at the La Salette Shrine in France. The gathering will be held for 10 days beginning Friday, September 30 and concluding Sunday, October 9, 2016 with 38 participants representing 11 La Salette Provinces from around the world. The theme of this International gathering is **La Salette Laity: for a reconciled world.** The North American Province will be represented by Fr. James Henault, M.S. and three laity delegates. One of the delegates is Joanie Sutherland from our parish. We ask that you keep them in your prayers as they come together as a La Salette Family to strengthen our ties and our unity for a reconciled world. May they be safe in their travels and nourished throughout this spiritual journey and Encounter.

#### **INTERFAITH BOOK GROUP**

A new interfaith book group will be meeting during October! Along with members of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Harwich, interested members will meet to discuss Pope Francis' encyclical *Laudato Si*, *On Care For Our Common Home*. This group will be co-led by Kathy Russo and Pastor Christian Holleck of St. Peter's.

The book group will meet on Monday mornings in October (October 3, 17, 24 and 31) from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. We will alternate meeting locations between Our Lady of the Cape and St. Peter's, with meetings on Oct. 3 and 24 being held at St. Peter's, and meetings on Oct. 17 and 31 held at Our Lady of the Cape.

To sign up, please contact Happy in the office at ext. 10 or <u>ourladyofthecapebrewster@gmail.com</u>. If you have any questions, please contact Kathy Russo at <u>russokathleena@gmail.com</u>, or call her at ext. 14.The book cost is \$13.00 and may be purchased in the parish office. Hope to see you there!

**HARVEST SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1-2:** The pantry could use some mac-n-cheese, snacks for the kids, pasta sides and salad dressing. Thank you for your continued support.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to all couples who are celebrating wedding anniversaries in October, November and December 2016. We would like to recognize you and honor you during our next quarterly liturgy for married couples on **Sunday, October 9**, at the 10:00 a.m. Mass here at Our Lady of the Cape. To accept, call Josh and Megan Wile at meaghanwile@yahoo.com or call (508) 385-4564 and give your names and the date of your anniversary. Visiting couples who may be present at this liturgy are welcome to participate.

# Our Lady of the Cape Parish

Brewster, Massachusetts

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#### Parish Phone Directory

Parish Office & Rectory:	385-3252	Becket Senchur:	896-2950
Parish Fax:	385-6864	Prayer Line:	896-3800
Parish Mass Schedule:	385-3252	-	896-9781
Religious Education:	385-2115	Thrift Shop:	896-5377
St. Vincent de Paul Hotline:	385-7582		

#### General Information

Daily Masses:

Monday thru Friday at 8:00 am Friday at 11 am

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#### Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays 3:15-3:45 or by appointment

Hearing Impaired Units are available at both churches in the sacristies.		
Baptisms:	Registration and preparation session required. Call the parish	
	office 3 months prior to baptism (child need not be born).	
Weddings:	By appointment. Call six months in advance.	
Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: Please notify the Parish Office immediately		
	If any one in the family is seriously ill.	
Communion for Homebound: Please keep us informed of our sick and others		
who may be incapacitated so that we might minister to those		
in need, at home, in the hospital or a nursing home.		
Adoration of the E	Blessed Sacrament: First Fridays Noon	
until 7:45am on First Saturday followed by 8am Mass		

Parish Office Hours: Monday – Friday	8:00 to 1:00 & 2:00 to 4:00		
Weekend Mass Schedule			
Our Lady of the Cape Church			
September-May	Memorial Day thru October		
Saturdays: 4:00 pm	Saturdays: 4:00 pm		
Sundays: 8:30, 10:00	Sundays: 7, 8:30, 10:00		
& 11:30 am	& 11:30 am		
Immaculate Conception Chapel			

	East	Brewster, MA
Memorial D	ay-June	July – Labor Day
Saturdays:	5:00 pm	Saturdays: 5:00 pm
Sundays:	9:30 am	Sundays: 8:00 & 9:30 am
The Cha	pel is closed after Labo	or Day until Memorial Day Weekend.

#### WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting or are here for the first time. Make our church a home away from your home. If you attend Our Lady of the Cape Parish regularly and consider this your parish, please take time to register at the Parish Office.

We need your help to keep our records current. If there are any births, deaths, marriages, moves, etc. in your family, please notify Happy in the Parish Office.

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