



Fifth Sunday of Lent April 7, 2019

I consider everything as a loss
because of the supreme good of knowing
Christ Jesus my Lord. — *Philippians 3:8*

Monday, April 8	
8:00 a.m.	Catherine Nolan
Tuesday, April 9	
8:00 a.m.	Terry Schade
Wednesday, April 10	
8:00 a.m.	Albert Zilligen
Thursday, April 11	
8:00 a.m.	John Silva
Friday, April 12	
8:00 a.m.	Gene Kennedy
11:00 a.m.	Patricia Ketchum
Saturday, April 13	
4:00 p.m.	Tom Bruno, Jr. (4th anniv.)
Sunday, April 14	
8:30 a.m.	Doug Lemoine
10:00 a.m.	Timothy Sean Delehaunty
11:30 a.m.	Jane Bellizzi Fischetti

THIS WEEK AROUND OUR PARISH April 8-14:

4/8	7:00 p.m.	<u>Parish Mission</u>	Church
4/9	11:45 a.m.	Ladies' Guild Meeting	P.C.
	7:00 p.m.	<u>Parish Mission</u>	Church
4/10	8:30 a.m.	Adoration	Church
	9:00 a.m.	Exercise	P.C.
	9:45-11:00 a.m.	Bible Study	P.C.
	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl	LL/Church
	2:00 p.m.	Prayer Group	P.C.
	7:00 p.m.	<u>Parish Mission</u>	Church
4/11	8:45-10:00 a.m.	Faith Sharing	P.C.
	5:00 p.m.	D.Y. Jazz Band/Dinner	P.C.
	6:00-7:30 p.m.	Come Walk With Me	LL/Church
4/12	10:00 a.m.	Free Hearing Testing	P.C.
	11:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.	Adoration	LL/Church
	5:00-7:00 p.m.	Stations/Soup	Church/P.C.
4/13	2:00 p.m.	Walking Together	P.C.

PARISH SUPPORT

Offertory:	\$ 6,427.00
Online Giving: (2/25-2/31/19)	\$ 1,471.00



2019 LENTEN PARISH MISSION

All are invited and welcome to attend our upcoming Parish Lenten Mission on **April 8, 9 and 10** at 7:00 p.m.! We will be hosting Fr. Pat, M.S., and Fr. Cyriac, M.S., two La Salette priests who are respected and admired members of our extended parish family. Fr. Pat will be enhancing our experience each evening with beautiful songs from a number of his recordings.

This year's mission will have as its theme, **'Called, Reconciled and Sent.'**

- On the first evening, we will focus upon what Scripture tells us about how God calls each of us, as well as Mary's call to us in the La Salette apparition to "Come near."
- The focus of the second evening will be upon being reconciled. We will hear what the Word of God tells us about reconciliation in addition to our need to be reconciled to the gift of Mary's tears at La Salette, and to our own tears.
- On the third evening, the discussion will emphasize that we are disciples who are being sent. The witness of Scripture as well as Mary's last words at La Salette to make this known to all my people will be presented and explored.

We look forward to a very dynamic and fruitful mission. Hope you can attend! Invite your family and friends to join us!

ADORATION FOR PARISH RENEWAL AND VOCATIONS: Join us as we gather to pray for the **renewal of our parish and for an increase in vocations on Wednesday, April 10.**

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed directly following the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

LENTEN STATIONS, SOUP & VIDEO EVENING will be held this **Friday, April 12** from 5:00 to 5:30 p.m. The Stations will be led by the Ladies' Guild Ministry. No RSVP is necessary. All are invited!

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION will be offered on all **Saturdays during Lent**, from 3:00-3:45 p.m. and **Monday, April 15**, 12:00-3:00 p.m.

SPECIAL HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SIGN-UP SHEETS FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Attention Eucharistic Ministers! There is a special sign-up to serve at our Holy Thursday and Easter Masses. We need your help. Please stop in at the Vestry to sign up to serve! Thank you.

THRIFT SHOP

Welcome Spring

- **Weekly Specials:** 50% off yellow tags items, \$1.00 each on green tags (clothing & linens only).
- **See our Pop-Up sales for surprise bargains!**
- **Location:** Luke's Plaza, Rte. 6A, Brewster.
- **Hours:** Monday-Friday, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

We welcome Spring/Summer donations Tuesday-Saturday from 10:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Kindly consider donating *gently* used clothing, books, jewelry, linens, toys, and household items. **We especially need yarn.** Sorry, no electrical or electronic items (nothing with a plug) and no large childcare items.

Thanks you for thinking of us!

THE LADIES' GUILD MEETING will be held on Tuesday, April 9th. There will be no mass. Please plan to arrive at 11:45 a.m. at the Parish Center in time for lunch which will be served at 12:00 noon. Following lunch and a business meeting a program will be presented by Stephen Spear and Janice Riley who run Hokum Rock Blueberry Farm in Dennis. Come listen to this fascinating program and enjoy the history of the farm and blueberry recipes from their book "Out in Blue Fields".

OUR LADY OF THE CAPE MEN'S CLUB will be hosting our annual Spring Dinner with the DY Jazz Band, featuring these incredible high school musicians on **Thursday, April 11** at 5:00 p.m. Cost is \$18 per person. Please make your check payable to **OLC Men's Club** and sent to: Jerry Niedermeier, 25 Campion Rd., Yarmouthport, MA 02675.

SAVE THE DATE! On **Sunday, April 28**, we will be holding a Baptismal Reunion for all families with children who were baptized in the last five years. Whether your children were baptized at Our Lady of the Cape or elsewhere, you are invited and welcome. We will begin with 8:30 a.m. Mass, and then all gather at the parish center for pancakes and an Easter Egg Hunt with our Religious Education students and their families. If you would like to attend and your children were baptized at another church, please contact us with your information so that we can send you an invitation. Contact Kathy Russo at adultfaithformation2@gmail.com or 508-385-3252, ext. 14. We hope to see you there!

EXERCISE CLASS FOR ADULTS, will be offered on **Wednesdays**, at 9:00 a.m., in the Parish Center. Bring a floor mat or beach towel. A small donation to the parish will be accepted.



WEEKLY SANCTUARY LAMP

SPONSOR: Jane Greene

In Memory of: Joseph Trombi

If you would like an opportunity to sponsor the Sanctuary Lamp near the Blessed Sacrament and the Image of the Divine Mercy, please contact the parish office, [508-385-3252, ext. 10](tel:508-385-3252). The donation for the Sanctuary Lamp is \$20 (this is for one week). Your name and the intention will be published in the parish bulletin requesting others to join your prayers.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED! On **Sunday, March 24**, Micah Leland Giangregorio-Emerald, son of Justin Lee Emerald and Wendy Marie Giangregorio was baptized. Welcome to our parish family!



41ST ANNUAL CANAL WALK FOR HAITI

will be held on **Good Friday, April 19**, along the service road of the Cape Cod Canal in Buzzards Bay, Mass. For 41 years participants from Cape Cod and Eastern Massachusetts have been walking 10 km along this scenic route to

raise funds and awareness of worthwhile humanitarian projects in Haiti sponsored by local organizations. The walk begins at the Buzzards Bay railroad bridge parking lot at **9:00 a.m.**, rain or shine, and proceeds 5 km along the Army Corps of Engineers service road (no vehicular traffic) to the Herring Run Visitors Center. Hot and cold drinks, sandwiches, and fruit are available free of charge for walkers. Port-a-Potties are open for the convenience of walkers. The walk then continues back along the same route to the original starting location.

Walkers are asked to secure pledges or donations from family and friends. **For Our Lady of the Cape walkers, make checks payable to: Our Lady of the Cape.** We invite anyone who wishes to participate in assisting our sisters and brothers in Haiti, to walk with us in solidarity with the Haitian people on **Good Friday, April 19**. Stations of the Cross pamphlets will be given to all walkers. Walkers are encouraged to read and meditate on each station in remembrance of the meaning of Good Friday.

Pledge sheets are located at the tables by the doors of the church or can be obtained by calling Tina, at the Parish Office (508) 385-3252 ext. 10. You may also contact Patrick and Vivian Tortora, walk coordinators at KareDrew@gmail.com or 508-896-5647.

THE BEST IS YET TO COME

(5th Sunday of Lent: Isaiah 43:16-21; Philippians 3:8-14; John 8:1-11)

St. Paul writes that he has accepted the loss of all things for the sake of Christ. What things? In the verses immediately before this passage, he states: "In righteousness based on the law I was blameless." He was a perfect pharisee, in the best sense of the word, one who loved God's Law and strove to observe it perfectly.

In his world that was a lot to lose, but compared to "the supreme good of knowing Christ," he now considered it "rubbish." And he concludes: "forgetting what lies behind but straining forward to what lies ahead, I continue my pursuit toward the goal, the prize of God's upward calling, in Christ Jesus."

Isaiah even goes so far as to tell us to forget God's former triumphs, because what lies ahead is greater still: "I am doing something new!"

Today's Gospel story is usually titled *The Woman Caught in Adultery*. In the spirit of today's readings, however, we ought to change that to *The Woman Saved by Jesus*. Saved from two things: from stoning and from sin. We must believe that at the same time as Jesus told her, "Go, and from now on do not sin any more," he made it possible for her to live a new life. Her future would be more important than her past.

That hope is the goal of conversion, which is the point of Lent. That was the Beautiful Lady's hope in coming to La Salette. Her people had been "caught" in their sins and were facing due punishment. Her Son was once again in the position of letting the penalty stand or offering salvation. His preference is clear, and the message for us is the same as to the woman: "From now on do not sin any more."

But is that really possible? Actually, it is. Sin means turning our back on God. Conversion means turning to him once again, seeking his grace and strength, rediscovering the joy of his love and putting that love into practice. Our Christian life will have its imperfections, but living in Christ will remind us that it is he who saves. We sow in tears, but by his power we will reap rejoicing.

La Salette calls us to that same conviction that the best is yet to come.

Fr. Rene Butler, M.S.

GOOD INFORMATION

Our judgments are only as good as our information.

—Anonymous

Our Lady of the Cape Parish Pastoral Team

Rev. Dr. William V. Kaliyadan, M.S., Pastor

Rev. John Dolan, M.S.

Rev. Raymond Vaillancourt, M.S.

Priscilla Silva, Director of Religious Education

Kathy Russo, Adult Faith Formation & Spirituality

Tina Labossiere, Administrative Assistant

Paula Laliberte, Bookkeeper

Kyle Davis, Music Ministry

Parish Phone Directory

Parish Office & Rectory:	385-3252		
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

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 Blessed Sacrament: First Fridays Noon- 7:00 p.m.

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 Columbus Day
Saturdays: 4:00 pm	Saturdays: 4:00 pm
Sundays: 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30 am	Sundays: 7, 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30 am

Immaculate Conception Chapel

East Brewster, MA

Memorial Day-June	July – Labor Day
Saturdays: 5:00 pm	Saturdays: 5:00 pm
Sundays: 9:30 am	Sundays: 8:00 & 9:30 am

The Chapel is closed after Labor 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.

Parish Mission Statement

Our Lady of the Cape Parish is a welcoming Catholic community served by the Missionaries of Our Lady of La Salette. Through our worship and ministries we invite, evangelize and serve all people, making Christ known by sharing His reconciling love.