



The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph December 29, 2019

Over all [other virtues] put on love,
that is, the bond of perfection. — Colossians 3:14

Monday, December 30

8:00 a.m. David A. Owocki (5th anniv.)

Tuesday, December 31 (New Year's Eve)

8:00 a.m. Isabelle J. Flynn (15th anniv.)

(Vigil) 4:00 p.m. Larry Furey (1st anniv.)

Wednesday, January 1 (Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God)

8:00 a.m. Alexander John Labash
(5th anniv.)

11:00 a.m. Jack Cahill

Thursday, January 2

8:00 a.m. Robert & Helen Babineau

Friday, January 3

8:00 a.m. Vincent Balint

11:00 a.m. Margaret Harnett Foody

Saturday, January 4

4:00 p.m. David Ensor

Sunday, January 5

8:30 a.m. Maryellen Reis Driscoll

10:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the
Reade Family

11:30 a.m. Brian Kissling

THIS WEEK AROUND OUR PARISH

Dec. 30, 2019-Jan. 5, 2020

1/2 8:45-10:00 a.m. Faith Sharing P.C.

1/3 10:00 a.m. Free Hearing Testing P.C.
11:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Adoration LL/church

FIRST FRIDAY, January 3: Adoration will begin after the 11:00 a.m. Mass in the La Salette Room in the lower level of the church and will conclude at 7:00 p.m.

Come spend one hour with our Eucharistic Lord.

THANK YOU for all the cards and goodies sent to the rectory during the Christmas Season. Your kindness is very much appreciated!

PARISH SUPPORT

Offertory: (12/15-16/19)	\$ 6,407.00
Christmas Flowers:	\$ 2,132.00
Online Giving: (12/9-12/15/19)	\$ 2,615.00

MASSES FOR NEW YEAR'S DAY, 2020

The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

Vigil Mass: Tuesday, December 31, 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday, January 1, 2019, 8:00 & 11:00 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS (during the Holidays)

- Tuesday, December 31, 8:00 a.m.-Noon
- Wednesday, January 1, Closed

THANK YOU to our various ministers, (Cantors, choir members, musicians, servers, lectors, Eucharistic ministers, ushers) and those who decorated our church. You made our Christmas liturgies truly special.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS: We thank all who contributed towards the decorations of our church at Christmas. Because of your generosity, the church is always beautiful for the Christmas Season.

OUR LADY OF THE CAPE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER gave much joy, companionship and holiday spirit to those attending. More than 225 dined with us and 275 plus meals were delivered to the homebound, and police and fire man who were on duty Christmas Day. Thank you to all the volunteers who shared their Christmas Day and those individuals whose generosity help make Christmas a joyous day for our dinner guests.

UNDECORATING PARISH CENTER: If you are available to **Saturday, January 11** at 9:00 a.m. please join other volunteers to un-decorate the parish center. Many hands make light work! Please contact Kathy DeMeyer, 508-776-6040 or kdemeyer@comcast.net.

A CHANGE IN SECOND COLLECTIONS:

After due consultation with the Pastoral Council and the Finance Council, we are making a slight change in the manner of taking Second Collections for the needs of the Universal Church. Beginning January 2020, you will have three ways to contribute to these collections which will be published a week before in the bulletin.

You can contribute: 1. By subscribing to the weekly envelopes (free) through the parish office; 2. By signing up On-Line Giving and direct pay (we will be happy to help you set it up); 3. By picking up Second Collection Envelopes (lavender color) from the entrances of the Church as you come into the Church.

Before each Mass there will be an announcement to advise you if there will be a separate Second Collection taken or if your contribution to the Second Collection should be placed in the First Collection (Similar to SVDP collection).

THRIFT SHOP**Farewell 2019! Hello 2020!!**

- **Weekly Specials:** 50% off blue tags or stickers; \$1.00 on orange tags or stickers; 50% off drinking glasses, books, baskets, framed/matted pictures and wall decorations.
- **Location:** Luke's Plaza, Rte. 6A, Brewster.
- **Hours: We are closed for Wednesday, January 1, New Year's Day!** Open this week on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Please Note: We welcome Autumn/Winter articles for collections Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday through Saturday from **10:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.** Kindly consider donating clean *gently* used clothing, books, jewelry, linens, toys, and household items. Sorry no electrical or electronic items (nothing with a plug) or large childcare items.

Volunteers (men, ladies and teens 16 or older) are always needed. If interested, call Barbara Konecnik at 508-896-8670. **May you and your families enjoy a Happy New Year!**

THRIFT SHOP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Can you spare 3 hours a week? Want to make new friends? Become a volunteer at OLOC Thrift Shop, ladies, gentlemen, teens (16 yrs. old or over) welcome. Shifts are 10-1 and 1-4 Mon – Fri, 10-1 and 1-3 on Sat. There is a training scheduled for Tuesday afternoon, contact Barbara Konecnik at 508-896-8670 to set up a time and date. All volunteers are trained to receive donations, sort items, price and display items and work in the front of the store and serve as a cashier. If you have any additional questions, please contact Thrift Manager Anne LeMaitre at 508-274-5839 or aflwldl@comcast.net.

ONLINE GIVING: 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. There are cards on the tables "I've Given Online" for those who give online. If you wish to, you can place one in the collection baskets each week. Thank you for your continued support of our Parish.

NEXT WEEKEND, January 4-5, there will be a collection for the *St. Vincent de Paul, Harvest Sunday*. Please place your gold envelope in the **first** collection basket. Envelopes will be provided at the end of each pew if you do not have one.

**WEEKLY SANCTUARY LAMP****SPONSOR:** Beverly Savage

In Memory of Francis "Frank" Savage

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](tel:508-385-3252), ext. 10.

UPCOMING BIBLE STUDY: A BIBLICAL WALK THROUGH THE MASS

As Catholics, we know that the Mass and the Eucharist are at the center of our faith. But do we know what all of the prayers, gestures and responses mean, or where they come from in Scripture? We will explore these questions in our upcoming program, *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass*. As we explore the biblical roots of the words and body language of the Mass, we will come to experience it in a deeper way.

We will meet monthly on Sunday mornings from 9:45 to 11:00 a.m. on **January 12, February 23, March 22, April 26 and May 24** in the parish center hall. Our program will consist of prayer, Scripture, a video lecture and small group discussion, and will be led by Kathy Russo. The cost of materials is \$20. Also, if you would like to participate but cannot attend the program, there is the option of doing so remotely. Contact Kathy at adultfaithformation2@gmail.com or (508) 385-3252, x 14 to sign up, or with any questions. All are invited and welcome!

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:

"Put on, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, heartfelt compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving one another." Work to live in your marriage as God desires by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are **March 13-15, 2020** in Duxbury, MA and **April 18-19, 2020** in Brewster, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://www.wwmema.org/>.

APPLICATIONS FOR OUR LADY OF THE CAPE'S LADIES' GUILD SCHOLARSHIPS

are available to parishioners at the parish office. 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. Application and required paperwork should be submitted so that **interviews can be scheduled before March 15, 2020.**

CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHINGS: Many thanks to all who participated in our eight-week social justice program on Catholic Social Teaching! We concluded our program with a very joyful project: we pitched in and cooked dinner for approximately 45 residents of Champ Homes in Hyannis. Champ Homes provides transitional housing for those who would be homeless otherwise. We brought dinner, toured their campus, met some of the residents, prayed with them and joined in their Bible Study. It was truly a blessed evening!

INTERCESSORY PRAYER GROUP FOR

EVANGLIZATION: At Our Lady of the Cape, we will be introducing a new program of evangelization in 2020 called 'Alpha, Catholic Context.' The purpose of Alpha is to lead people into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Alpha has had a positive influence in other Catholic parishes upon the spiritual lives of many. You can support us now in the important work of evangelization by committing to praying for it. If you attend daily Mass, would you be willing to stay afterward on Tuesdays, as you can and pray the Rosary together for evangelization? If not, would you commit to praying on your own as you are able? Leading people to Christ takes a lot of prayer and hard work. Let's pull together now and fertilize the soil so that our evangelization efforts are fruitful. When we raise our hearts and voices in prayer, we know that God listens.

Please contact Kathy Russo at (508) 385-3252, x 14 or adultfaithformation2@gmail.com to discuss.

Thank you for your support!

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED FOR

NURSING HOME MINISTRY: If you are a Eucharistic Minister, would you be willing to serve as a substitute on one of our nursing home teams? We will provide training, and then contact you periodically when extra help is needed to ask if you are available to serve. If you are interested, please contact Kathy Russo at adultfaithformation2@gmail.com, or (508) 385-3252, x. 14. Thanks for considering this beautiful ministry!

GREETER MINISTRY: It is not too late to join the Greeter Ministry. We would love to have you involved. Please contact Kathy Russo for more information or to sign up. 508-385-3252, X14 or adultfaithformation2@gmail.com.

AS WE COME CLOSE TO THE END OF THE YEAR, grateful for the blessings we have received, please consider making a donation toward the ***Grant the Dream Fund*** to help with the special projects of the parish. Your thoughtful consideration and generosity will be very much appreciated.

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.

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.

Parish Mission Statement

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.

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.