

# OUR LADY OF THE CAPE CATHOLIC CHURCH | BREWSTER, MA

AUGUST 30 2020 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

> What do THEY not see, who see HIM in all things?



# 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it." - Mt 16:24b-25

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass 02001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

# OUR PARISH

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### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 8 am - 1 pm & 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

### HEARING IMPAIRED UNITS

Available at both churches in the sacristies. Please ask an usher or priest.

# WELCOME! / COMP

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.

# ABOUT US

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.

# MASS SCHEDULE

JULY - OCTOBER 2020

# Our Lady of the Cape

Monday – Friday Saturday Sunday

8:00am 4:00pm 8:30am & 10am Immaculate Conception Chapel

Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 9:30am

Face masks are required to attend Mass, as well as maintaining social distance guidelines.

Collections will be taken by the ushers using long handled baskets.

Every Sunday from 1:30-2:00pm Holy Communion will be distributed in the main entrance of the church.

## SACRAMENTS

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

#### Baptisms

Registration and preparation session required. Call the parish office 3 months prior to baptism (child need not be born).

Weddings By appointment. Call 6 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.

Adoration is cancelled until further notice.

# PRAYER & WORSHIP

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### MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 31 Katherine & Joseph Sivco 8:00 am **Tuesday, September 1** Jennifer Anne Zupicich 8:00 am Wednesday, September 2 Paul Charron 8:00 am **Thursday, September 3** 8:00 am Linda & Ralph DiPillo

Friday, September 4 8:00 am Ann Travsky (8th Anniversary); Intentions of the parish family Saturday, September 5 4:00 pm Patrick Donoghue; William Simpson 5:00 pm (IC) James M. Sutherland

#### Sunday, September 6

8:30 am **Robert & Trudy Kurisko** & Patricia Kurisko; Ralph & Patricia & Debra Giangregorio 9:30 am (IC) Robert & Elizabeth O'Shea 10:00 am Donald Craft;

**Russell Gagnon** 

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Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5/Ps 119:97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102 [97]/Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14 [17]/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 14-15, 20-21 [12]/Lk 4:38-44

**Thursday:** 1 Cor 3:18-23/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [1]/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 27-28, 39-40 [39a]/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15/Ps 145:17-18, 19-20, 21 [18]/Lk 6:1-5



### LIGHT A VOTIVE CANDLE

Candles and prayer go hand in hand in the Catholic tradition.

Next time you are in Our Lady of the Cape Church, light a votive candle as a sacrificial offering, thanksgiving and making your desires and petitions known to God.

The votive candles can be found in the entrance of the right wing of the church.

#### **OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF** AUGUST 30, 2020

Sunday: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Thursday: St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

# **NEWS & EVENTS**

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### OUR LADY OF THE CAPE THRIFT SHOP:

The Thrift Shop is open. Hours are Tuesday & Thursday 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Saturday 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

New inventory available weekly!

#### SALE SEPT. 3 to SEPT. 10, 2020 50% off

all ladies' shoes as well as ladies', men's & children's shorts & bathing suits. Fall clothes will be accepted beginning Sept. 1, 2020. Winter clothes will be accepted beginning Oct. 1, 2020.

- All customers must wear a mask while waiting in line before entering the store. Masks WILL NOT be provided so bring your own.
- No children will be allowed into the Thrift Shop due to social distancing.
- Only 8 customers will be allowed in the store at one time to keep social distancing of 6 feet.
- Re-usable, paper and/or plastic bags will not be allowed.

**DONATIONS** – Donations are accepted **at the back door only**, Tuesday & Saturday 11:00a.m - 2:00p.m. A list of acceptable donations may be obtained at the thrift shop. Please do not leave donations outside the building front or back.

THIS WEEK AROUND THE PARISH ALL PARISH ACTIVITIES AND MINISTRY MEETINGS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE! STAY SAFE AND STAY HEALTHY!

#### **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

Parishioners must wear masks when entering and exiting the Church and Chapel and while attending Mass in addition to using hand sanitizer located in the entrances. Stay healthy and stay safe!



#### WEEKLY SANCTUARY LAMP

WEEKLY SANCTUARY LAMP SPONSOR:

Happy Whitman

In Memory of : Bruce Raymond

#### Three ways you can virtually celebrate Mass with us:



Livestreams of the Saturday 4:00pm Mass, Sunday 10:00am Mass and 8:00am weekday Masses can be viewed on our website and are archived shortly thereafter to watch anytime.

Website: www.ourladyofthecape.org

# HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING

#### NEXT WEEKEND, SEPTEMBER 5-6TH

There will be a collection for Harvest Sunday. Thank you for your continued generosity. The proceeds will be used to support the charitable works of St. Vincent de Paul.

#### IT'S EASY!

#### To sign up for Online Giving:

 Go to our parish website: <u>ourladyofthecape.org</u>, and scroll down until you see the Online giving logo.

**2.** Click on Online Giving logo then look for the Online Giving logo toward the bottom right side of the page, (green box that says, create new account) click on that green box.

3. Follow the 5 easy steps to sign up!

If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at (508) 385-3252, ext. 10. Thank you for your support!

### PARISH SUPPORT

We pray for a spirit of generosity in the hearts of us who have more than we need. Thank you.

	Offertory	\$8,590.00
PI	Together with Haiti	\$6,512.00
	Online Giving (8/17/20-8/23/20)	\$5,489.00
1	Comparison From Last Year:	

Offertory (8/31/19)	\$9 <i>,</i> 799.00
Together with Haiti (8/24/19-8/25/19)	\$19,851.00
Online Giving (8/19/19-8/25/19)	\$3,294.00



# NEWS & EVENTS

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## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY BAPTIZED!

On Saturday, August 22, 2020, Hannah Kathleen Shapiro, daughter of Andrew & Bridget Shapiro, was baptized. On Sunday, August 23, 2020, Emma Ann Rasmussen, daughter of Jeffrey & Christine Rasmussen & Mary Gail Abrutz, daughter of Joseph & Lauren

Abrutz were baptized. On Monday, August 24, 2020, Evelyn Rose Madaus, daughter of Joseph & Lucie Madaus was baptized. Welcome to our parish family!

ATTENTION NEW PARENTS! THE NEXT BAPTISM WORKSHOP will be held for first and second-time parents on Sunday,

September 6 at 11:15 a.m. Call the Parish Office (508) 385-3252, ext. 10 to register.

#### MEMORIAL BRICKS



#### Brick Order: Our Lady of Fatima Memorial Garden

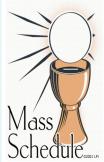
If you have been thinking about purchasing a personalized brick to be placed in the Our Lady of Fatima garden behind the church, now is the time. They make wonderful gifts for birthdays, anniversaries, graduation, in memory of a special person, etc. Orders will be taken during July-September. The bricks are \$100 each and order forms may be found on the Our Lady of the Cape parish website. Please drop off your completed order form with payment at the Parish Office during regular business hours, Monday - Friday, 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM.



#### 79th Annual Catholic Appeal DIOCESE OF FALL RIVER

Thank you to everyone who supported the Catholic Appeal during a year when our diocesan programs and services helping those in need are more important than ever. The final gifts and pledges are still being counted and a final total for our parish will be reported soon.





#### MASS FOR MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS

On the Labor Day weekend, Sunday, September 6 at 10:00AM Mass, we will be honoring all the medical professionals and all personnel working in nursing homes and hospitals. A special prayer and blessing will be offered at the Mass. Healthcare professionals and staff have the great privilege and responsibility of serving the sick especially during this Pandemic. During this

Labor Day weekend, let us thank them all and pray for their safety. If you know someone who has dedicated his/her life in caring for others, please invite them to this Mass or ask them to join in the live-streamed Mass on Sunday, September 6 at 10:00AM.

Join livestream Mass: <u>www.ourladyofthecape.org</u>



#### ANNUAL LADIES' GUILD SUMMER SWEEPSTAKES

A BIG THANKS to all those who helped with preparations for the mailing of more than 3,500 Summer Sweepstakes envelopes on August 19.

**PARISHIONERS:** Be on the lookout for your Sweepstakes tickets in the mail and please consider a donation to help Our Lady of the Cape Church cope with declining revenues due to COVID -19. We appreciate your generosity!



#### SEPTEMBER 28, 2020

**SOLD OUT EVENT!** Thank you to all players who have registered for the Fourth Annual Our Lady of the Cape Giving Back Golf Open to be held at Ocean Edge Golf Resort, Brewster, MA on September 28th. If you would like to be placed on a waiting list, please call the parish office at 508-385-3252 ext. 10.

#### TABLES FOR SALE!

We are cleaning out the parish hall and have folding banquet tables for sale at \$10 per table. If you would like to purchase a banquet table please contact the parish office, 508-385-3252, ext. 10, or email to ourladyofthecapebrewster@gmail.com

# **PRAYER & WORSHIP**



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#### GOSPEL MEDITATION August 30, 2020 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Secular pursuits only bring a temporary amount of satisfaction and fulfillment. As much as we may think that achieving worldly success, economic security, personal well-being, and self-fulfillment are worthy goals to obtain, they all are dependent on external variables and can lead to emptiness. We are trained to be very pragmatic and productive. Unless we are able to check off all of the boxes or comply with specific measurable requirements, our value and worth becomes questionable. Corporations, educational institutions, systems, structures, and secular ideology rarely consider deeper, more spiritual, and human contributions a person can and needs to make.

To the secular mind, the wisdom and ideals of the Gospel are making less and less sense. Consider for a moment this question: "What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?" While Jesus is asking this very challenging question to people who are considering his message, many in our world are in a quite different place. Whether we realize it, many folks are asking a much different question. Why would you not want to gain the whole world and secure your life? If you look at where a lot of folks are investing their time, energy, and resources, it becomes obvious where current priorities rest.

Modern day comforts and possibilities are backing us out of our relationship with God. The fire burning in every human heart is trying to find its satisfaction in the things that humans have created and not God. Being altruistic and offering compassion for those most in need becomes a political responsibility or responsible gesture. We realize that our hearts need to be centered on something and someone who calls us out of ourselves, but we struggle and battle with naming the source of that call. God places the desire to seek, find, and love Him in the core of every soul. We are not abandoned and left to fend for ourselves. But we can easily get confused. We know that when we extend ourselves to another self-sacrificially, we are doing what is just and right. We know

that we can work through suffering and loss and come out better and more whole on the other side.

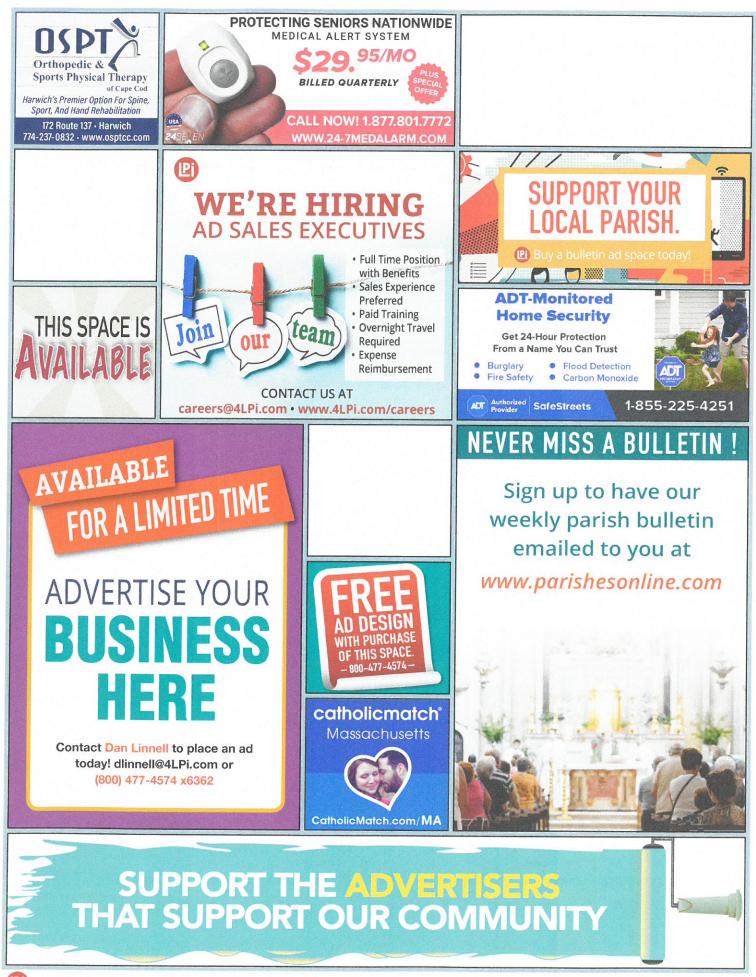
Our minds need to be renewed so that they can begin to understand that there is much more to who we are, and that faith plays a pivotal role in achieving our true and everlasting goals. It is when we see that it is only faith that can bring us to this heightened awareness of ourselves and God that it will begin to make sense. Then, we can put things in proper perspective and consider being a disciple.





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