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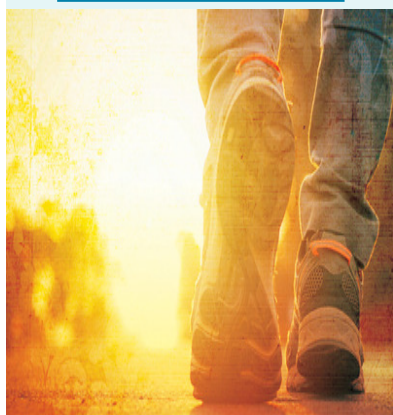
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32ND SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY

TIME



Your word is a lamp  
to my feet and a light  
to my path.

—Ps 119:105

32<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



“‘Lord, Lord, open the door for us!’ But he said in reply, ‘Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.’” - Mt 25:11-12

# OUR PARISH

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## PASTORAL TEAM

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508-385-2115

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508-896-5377

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508-385-7582

## ADDRESS

468 Stony Brook Road

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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!

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

### Our Lady of the Cape

Monday – Friday

8:00am

Saturday

4:00pm

Sunday

8:30am & 10am

### Immaculate Conception Chapel

Sunday 9:30am

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

Parishioners must wear masks when entering & exiting the Church & Chapel while attending Mass & use hand sanitizer located in the entrances. 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, November 9

8:00 am Terry Schade

### Tuesday, November 10

8:00 am Joseph Logan

### Wednesday, November 11

8:00 am Deceased Members of  
the Schade & Alger  
Families;  
Ann Steidel

### Thursday, November 12

8:00 am Patricia Barry

### Friday, November 13

8:00 am Grace Margaret Sweeny  
& Jack Sweeny (2nd &  
4th Birthday  
Celebrations);  
Intentions of the parish  
family

### Saturday, November 14

4:00 pm The Collins & Murphy  
Families;  
Tim Delehaunty (2nd  
Anniversary)

### Sunday, November 15

8:30 am Thomas Neil Graveline  
9:30 am (IC) Intentions of the Parish  
Family  
10:00 am Lucille Mary Owocki  
(7th Anniversary);  
Kenneth Matlock;  
Thomas & Alyce Hanley

## Readings of the Week ©LPI

**Sunday:** Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [2b]/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13

**Monday:** Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [5]/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

**Tuesday:** Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18 and 23, 27 and 29 [39a]/Lk 17:7-10

**Wednesday:** Ti 3:1-7/Ps 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5, 6 [1]/Lk 17:11-19

**Thursday:** Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10 [5a]/Lk 17:20-25

**Friday:** 2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18 [1b]/Lk 17:26-37

**Saturday:** 3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 18:1-8



## 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.*

## A PRAYER FOR VETERANS DAY

Lord God, You have sustained our nation in the past and continue to bless us. We recall how so many have given their lives for the cause of freedom. Men and women continue to sacrifice and serve in the armed forces. Today, we pause to reflect and honor those who gave or who continue to sacrifice so much in the defense of our freedom to be faithful.

## OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 8, 2020

**Sunday:** 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Monday:** The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

**Tuesday:** St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

**Wednesday:** St. Martin of Tours, Bishop; Veterans Day

**Thursday:** St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

**Friday:** St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin



## 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!

**WEEKLY SALE** - Pink tagged items \$1.00 each. Orange tagged items are 50% off. 50% off artwork, infant & children's clothing, pocketbooks, books, DVD's, CD's & games.

- 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.

**DONATIONS** – Donations are accepted at the back door only on Saturdays 11:00a.m. - 2:00p.m. Last donation day for 2020 is November 14, 2020. We will resume accepting donations beginning 2021. 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!



### WEEKLY SANCTUARY LAMP

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## Ways you can virtually celebrate Mass with us:

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Livestreams of the Saturday 4:00pm Mass, Sunday 8:30am and 10:00am Masses and 8:00am weekday Masses can be viewed on our website and are archived shortly thereafter to watch anytime.

Website: [www.ourladyofthecape.org](http://www.ourladyofthecape.org)

## HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING

### NEXT WEEKEND, NOVEMBER 14 – NOVEMBER 15

There will be a second collection for the Maintenance & Building Fund. Thank you for your support & generosity.



### IT'S EASY!

#### To sign up for Online Giving:

1. Go to our parish website: [ourladyofthecape.org](http://ourladyofthecape.org), 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.....	\$5,696.00
Harvest Sunday.....	\$1,432.00
All Saints/ All Souls.....	\$304.00
Online Giving (10/26/20—11/1/20).....	\$5,329.00

#### Comparison From Last Year:

Offertory (11/9/19).....	\$6,600.00
Online Giving (10/28/19—11/3/19).....	\$3,074.00



## RCIA

Our Lady of the Cape began our RCIA program this week, with five candidates beginning their journey to Christian Initiation in the Catholic Church. Our RCIA team of faith-filled and experienced facilitators are truly a blessing to our parish and the candidates. Please keep the group leaders, as well as the RCIA class of three women and two men, in your prayers as they continue to grow in their faith. For more information, contact Renee at [ourladycape@comcast.net](mailto:ourladycape@comcast.net) or at 508-385-2115.

## LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD — AGAIN

### *“Say No to ROE”*

The state legislature has extended the session until January 5, 2021. Please remind the members of the Joint Committee on Judiciary that you oppose the expansion of abortion in Massachusetts. Please call the Committee at 617-722-2396 and let them know you are opposed to H3320 & S1209—the ROE legislation. Every telephone call helps! Remember these bills would remove:

- The requirement that young girls obtain consent before an abortion
- The requirement that efforts be made to save a living baby who survives abortion
- The requirement that late term abortions be performed in hospitals
- And the bills would allow abortion on demand for all nine months of pregnancy



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

OLC welcomed our youngest Religious Education Students for a fun-filled in-person class about Saints. Saint Nicholas-style bishop hats were decorated to honor St. Nick, plus the children made bird feeders to honor St. Francis. First Communion students continued their lessons on reconciliation. We welcome the 4th and 5th graders in class this weekend, when they will be studying The Joyful Mystery of the Visitation. Other grades remain virtual this week, as we continue with our virtual lessons (which are available for your viewing on the OLC website).

**Blanket Drive** - The OLC Youth Group will be collecting new and clean, gently used blankets after masses on November 14 & 15 for the homeless population serviced by St. Joseph's House in Hyannis. Please bring blanket donations to the boxes in the main entrance of the church.



## SAVE THE DATE!

On November 20th, our parish music director Kyle Davis will once again be having the “Change of Seasons” holiday concert, benefitting the charitable works of the Saint Vincent de Paul Society as well as the Family Pantry of Cape Cod. Like last year, Kyle will be joined by local musicians such as Joan Kirchner on voice, Mairead Doherty on harp, and Dan Flonta on violin, along with many others.

Due to the pandemic, this year’s concert will be held exclusively online so everyone can stay safe, comfortable, and enjoy the show.

Please visit [www.changeofseasons.org](http://www.changeofseasons.org) for all the concert details. Looking forward to seeing everyone online!



**ATTENTION NEW PARENTS! THE NEXT BAPTISM WORKSHOP** will be held virtually for first and second-time parents on **Sunday, December 6,** at 11:15 a.m. Call the Parish Office (508) 385-3252, ext. 10 to register. The **next** baptism workshop will be **March 7, 2021. 2020.**



## *Pastoral Council*

## NOMINATIONS WELCOMED!

Our Lady of the Cape Pastoral Council is asking to nominate FIVE new members to replace the members whose term have come to an end. Person interested in serving this consultative body should be a registered Catholic parishioner, active participant in the Eucharistic life of the parish and have enthusiasm about the future direction of our parish and ability to listen and participate with openness and inspire others. You may nominate a qualified and willing person by calling the parish office by Monday, November 9th.



## MEMORIAL GIFT FOR THE FUTURE

Your generosity during your lifetime has enabled Our Lady of the Cape parish to serve the people of God in this community. Continue to be a part of the strength of this community by considering to make a bequest in your Will to Our Lady of the Cape. You need not redo your entire Will to make a provision for a charitable bequest. Pass on your wonderful Catholic heritage!



## GOSPEL MEDITATION

November 8, 2020

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

When doing student report cards, there was a comment the teacher could choose that read: inattentive and easily distracted. Could that comment describe your spiritual life? We can become so consumed with myriad distractions and preoccupations and lose our connection to what is really significant and important. We can become dull. This happens in our human relationships, too. We can easily take the love of others for granted, whether it be a parent, spouse, friend, or a child. We assume and presume that their love will always be there and do very little to cultivate, rejuvenate, and deepen it. Presumption can become a great sin.

We do the same thing with God and our spiritual lives. We presume that God will be merciful. Because we believe that in the end God is going to forgive us anyway, then why put a lot of effort into things now? What's the point? It's far easier to find a comfortable spot, curl up and take a nap! There is no immediate urgency to staying awake and attentive, so we think, and we simply fly by the seat of our pants. Assuming and presuming too much about our relationships, especially our relationship with God, can lead to neglect and abuse. It can even lead to a sense of entitlement, where we actually believe that something is due us without much effort on our part.

Folks who are distracted and preoccupied can find their relationships, especially the primary ones, drifting away. You can actually be married to someone for many years and wake up one morning realizing that you really do not know them or truly recognize them. We have to desire God in order to recognize God. We have to open our hearts, minds, and souls to His Presence so that we can be rejuvenated and refreshed. But we cannot do this if we are distracted or napping. We have to be awake and alert! As a young child eagerly watches for and anticipates that arrival of their parent home, so too we must watch for God's presence. If the anticipation of God's arrival does not excite us and rouse us, then we need to ask why. The wise person keeps vigilant watch, knowing that in the end they will not be disappointed.






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