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JANUARY  
24  
2021

THIRD  
SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY  
TIME



3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will  
make you fishers of men." - Mk 1:17

BOAT

They left their father Zebedee in  
the boat along with the hired men  
and followed him.

MARK 1:20

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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

*Face masks and sign-in are required to attend Mass.*

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 pm 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, January 25

8:00 am Edmund V. Caplicki, Jr.

### Tuesday, January 26

8:00 am Corinne Strianese

### Wednesday, January 27

8:00 am L. Donald Horne

### Thursday, January 28

8:00 am Leo Chase

### Friday, January 29

8:00 am Joe O'Neil;  
Intentions of the Parish  
Family

### Saturday, January 30

4:00 pm Barbara Hayes

### Sunday, January 31

8:30 am Neil Krikorian

10:00 am William H. Shanahan  
(12th Anniversary)

## Readings of the Week ©LPI

**Sunday:** Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [4a]/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20

**Monday:** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Mk 16:15-18

**Tuesday:** 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10 [3]/Mk 3:31-35

**Wednesday:** Heb 10:11-18/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 4:1-20

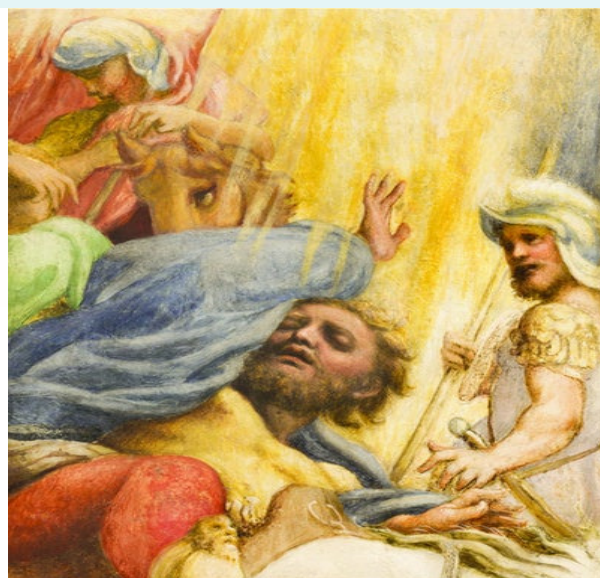
**Thursday:** Heb 10:19-25/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Mk 4:21-25

**Friday:** Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40 [39a]/Mk 4:26-34

**Saturday:** Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 [cf. 68]/Mk 4:35-41

## Pray for Vocations ©LPI

“Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men.” Are you being called to strengthen Christ’s Church through a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate or the consecrated life?



## THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE

### OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF

JANUARY 24, 2021

**Sunday:** 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Monday:** The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle

**Tuesday:** Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops

**Wednesday:** St. Angela Merici, Virgin

**Thursday:** St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church

**Saturday:** BVM

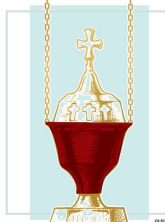
## OUR LADY OF THE CAPE THRIFT SHOP

The Thrift Shop hours are Tuesday & Thursday 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Friday 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 a.m. & Saturday 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**WEEKLY SALE** - 50% off blue colored tag items & pocketbooks; \$1.00 a bag orange tag items; Christmas clothing \$1,00 per item (look for designated rack).

- All customers must wear a cloth or surgical mask while waiting in line before entering the store and while in the store. Masks WILL NOT be provided so please bring your own.
- Children under 14 years old will not be allowed into the Thrift Shop due to social distancing.

**DONATIONS** – Donations are accepted on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the back door unless it is raining or snowing. PLEASE do not leave donations outside the building front or back. Donations of fall & winter clothes are currently being accepted. See website [www.ourladyofthecape.org](http://www.ourladyofthecape.org) click on Thrift Shop link for items not being accepted & other Thrift Shop information.



### WEEKLY SANCTUARY LAMP SPONSOR:

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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.

Our Lady of the Cape Catholic Church



### Ways you can virtually celebrate Mass with us:

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 [www.ourladyofthecape.org](http://www.ourladyofthecape.org) and are archived shortly thereafter to watch anytime.



### Mass on Local TV

In order to reach out to those in the nursing homes and home-bound parishioners who might be without internet connection, we are able to air Mass from Our Lady of the Cape on **LCTV Channel 99 on Thursdays at 11am and Sundays at 9:30am**. It will be a Mass celebrated from the previous weekend. Please share this good news! Thanks to our parishioner Lisa Goodrich.

### 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! Thank You!



**NEXT WEEKEND, JANUARY 30 - JANUARY 31**

There will not be a second collection.

## THIS WEEK AROUND THE PARISH

**ALL PARISH ACTIVITIES AND MINISTRY MEETINGS HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE!  
STAY SAFE AND STAY HEALTHY!**



## PARISH SUPPORT

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

Offertory .....	\$4,222.00
Catholic Communications.....	\$772.00
Online Giving (1/11/2021 – 1/17/2021).....	\$3,884.00

### Comparison From Last Year:

Offertory (1/20/2020).....	\$5,765.00
Online Giving (1/13/2020 —1/19/2020).....	\$1,9750.00



**ATTENTION NEW PARENTS! THE NEXT BAPTISM WORKSHOP** will be held for first and second-time parents on **Sunday, March 7** at 11:15 a.m. via a virtual Zoom meeting.

Call the Parish Office (508) 385-3252, ext. 10 to register.

## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER HAS GONE "VIRTUAL"!

To support married couples during this time of social distancing, Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring virtual marriage experiences. Some are on weekends and some span multiple weeks on a given weekday. Couples will explore their individual personality styles, improve listening and communication skills, understand God's plan for their marriage, and learn how to keep their relationship a priority. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call at or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>.

"This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." Bring your marriage to its fullest on the upcoming virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter experience on Feb 12-14, 2021 in East Hartford, CT and Feb 22-Mar 15, 2021 in VIRTUAL 3RE, NY

## A MOST SOLEMN ANNIVERSARY

Friday marked the 48th anniversary of the Supreme Court's decision to legalize abortion in the United States. More than 61 million young lives have been snuffed out in the years since, not to mention the many women--and men---who may still bear the burden of guilt for agreeing to terminate these pregnancies. The current Supreme Court will be ruling later this year on provisions in that landmark case, Roe v Wade. While it is unlikely that the justices will sweep the entire law aside, let us all pray that they will be open to arguments that the original ruling was too expansive in nature and should be amended so that abortions are severely restricted. And let us also fervently pray that soon---very soon---abortion will be unheard of in our nation.

—The Respect Life Ministry



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Together and apart, our religious education students and teachers will study "Living our Baptism" this week. "Having become a member of the Church, the person baptized belongs no longer to himself, but to Him who died and rose for us. From now on, he is called to be subject to others, to serve them in the communion of the Church..." (Catechism, 1269). How are you living your Baptism?



## Watch for upcoming plans involving Lenten Faith Formation at Our Lady of the Cape.

As Lent approaches, all of us at Our Lady of the Cape are busily planning pandemic friendly Lenten programs. Combining prayer and preparation, song and storytelling, faith and forgiveness, we will prepare ourselves for this holy season of Lent. Watch for details coming soon.



## FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM VIA ZOOM

*"Holy Women of the Old Testament: Their Stories and Ours"*

(Presenter: Christine Rubenstein)

This new online biblical program begins Tuesday, January 12 and is offered by the La Salette Retreat and Conference Center. Topics include, "Feet of Clay: Rebekah and Miriam", "Heartbroken Women: Hagar, Leah and Tamar", "Models of Trust: Ruth and Hannah; Strong and Valiant: Deborah, Abigail and Esther", "Bad Beginnings and Good Endings: Rahab and Bathsheba".

Zoom classes are scheduled for Tuesday evenings, beginning January 12 and ending February 23, from 7:00 pm - 8:15 pm. Each session is separate and apart from the others, so sign up for one or more than one, as your schedule and interests allow. There is a nominal per session fee.

For more information, view the trailer at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zdkpHq-Bugc&feature=youtu.be>.

To register for this Zoom presentation, contact <https://www.lasaletteretreatcenter.org/women-of-the-old-and-new-testament>.







## GOSPEL MEDITATION

January 24, 2021

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

It was a normal day by all accounts, but John just wasn't feeling himself. He was a little lightheaded and out of sorts. Later in the afternoon, he experienced a sharp pain in his chest and arm. Quick thinking and action brought John to the emergency department with a diagnosis of a significant heart attack. Surviving this ordeal, he found himself face to face with his cardiologist, having an honest conversation about things that needed to change. "I came close to death," John found himself thinking. Then came the remorse. He was a young man with a

loving wife and children who were very close to facing life without him. John found himself with intense sorrow for living an unchecked and self-indulgent life that almost brought him to his demise. He wanted to change.

We all have our wake-up calls. We have experiences and encounters that force us to really think twice about choices we have made and directions we have taken. Often, we find ourselves looking at those we have hurt square in the eye and wallowing in our foolishness. We regrettably realize that we have allowed our needs to lure us into making some cruel mistakes. We impulsively say things and flippantly do things that reveal our unredeemed and unhealed self. It is a self we stumble over and try to tame but can't quite seem to master and control. Help!

We spin our wheels, naively thinking that we will somehow, perhaps through persistence, get ourselves unstuck. But, we don't. We just get out of the car, feeling very helpless, and ignorantly look at the mess we got ourselves into. Did we ever think to ask someone for help? Or, taken the advice of One who is wiser and avoid this route altogether? "Come after me," are words that Jesus says to all of us. In order to heed his invitation, we must leave our ego-self behind and follow.

When we really see and understand the freedom, peace, justice, and love he offers, we find ourselves with such sorrow in our hearts for how foolish and silly we have been. All the misguided choices and sinful actions come full view and we see how risky our random impassioned behaviors really have been. Repentance is beautiful. When done with a sincere and contrite heart, it directs us to the glory that can be ours, ignites us with the challenge of living a life in service of others and reminds us that all is well.

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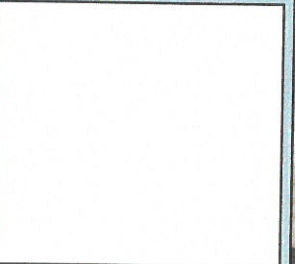
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