

St. André Bessette Parish
Star of the Sea Church  *St. Joseph Church*
Salisbury *Amesbury*

May 26, 2024



The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity



St. André Bessette Parish

Parish Office Address: 11 Sparhawk Street, Amesbury, MA 01913

Hours: 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM, Monday - Thursday **Closed:** Friday, Saturday, Sunday & Holidays

Phone: 978.388.0330 **Web:** www.StAndreB.org

Let Us Celebrate

Welcome! We are glad you are here to join us in worship in the celebration of the Eucharist (Mass). At the Eucharist, the Church comes together to hear the Word of the Lord, to pray for the world's needs, to offer the sacrifice of the Cross in praise and thanks to God, to receive Christ Jesus in communion, and then to be sent forth in the Spirit as disciples of the Gospel. If you are not familiar with the Mass, the Order of the Mass can be found on pages 3-29 of the Breaking Bread hymnal. We call particular attention to the text of the Gloria and the Nicene Creed located on the inside cover. The scripture (Bible) readings for today's Mass can be found on **page 169**

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday

4:00 p.m. - St. Joseph Church
6:00 p.m. - Star of the Sea Church (Beach Chapel)

Sunday

8:00 a.m. - Star of the Sea Church (Beach Chapel)
9:30 a.m. - St. Joseph Church

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday

9:00 a.m. - St. Joseph Church

Tuesday

9:00 a.m. - Star of the Sea Church (Beach Chapel)

Wednesday

9:00 a.m. - St. Joseph Church

SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS

Reconciliation - Wednesdays, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. - Parish Office, 11 Sparhawk St., Amesbury

Baptism: Call parish office for scheduling

Sacrament of the Sick: For home emergency or when entering the hospital, please call the office.

Marriage: Arrangements should be made by calling the parish office at least one (1) year in advance for marriage preparations and desired date.



St. Joseph Church
2 School St.
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Memorial Day thru Columbus Day
141 North End Blvd.
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**Holy Hour and a Half:
Eucharistic Adoration**

**Sunday, June 2
5:00 - 6:30 p.m.**

St. Joseph’s Church Lower Church



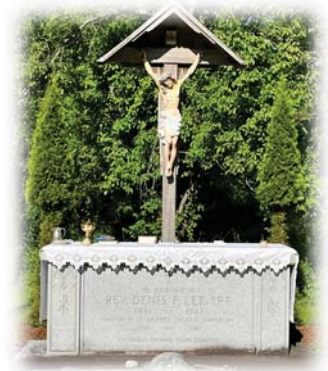
On Sunday, June 2, from 5:00 -6:30 p.m., we will observe a time of Adoration of the Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament in the lower church of St. Joseph’s Church, 2 School Street, Amesbury, Massachusetts.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be at 5:00 p.m., and Benediction will close this time of adoration at 6:30 p.m. All are most welcome to this time of prayer, contemplation, and adoration of Our Lord.

For more information contact the office at 978-388-0330 or Deacon Chuck at deaconchuckhall@gmail.com

**Memorial Day
Mass**

Memorial Day Mass will be celebrated in St. Joseph Cemetery, Amesbury, at Fr. Lee’s altar, on **Monday, May 27 at 9:00 a.m.**



Please join us as we pray for our deceased loved ones.

Participants are asked to bring a lawn chair to use during Mass.

Refreshments will be served immediately following the Mass. In case of rain, the Mass will be celebrated in St. Joseph Church.



Mission Appeal

A Bishop from Africa will be here next weekend speaking at

all the Masses on behalf of the Mission Appeal. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated.

NOTE: Regarding next week collection, June 1 & 2.

Kindly place your scheduled second collection (Utilities) with the first offertory collection . The second collection will be for the Mission Appeal. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

“How can I repay the Lord for all the good done to me? I will raise the cup of Salvation and call on the name of the Lord”. Psalm 116:12-13

My dear Friends at St. Andre’ Bessette Parish. I thank you with all my heart, thank you for all your prayers, thoughts, and generosity over the past 3 years.

Please know that I will continue to keep you and the Parish in my prayers.

I respectfully ask that you continue to pray for me in my role as transitional deacon, to Priesthood in May of 2025.

Shalom.....Deacon Brian





MILITARY FAMILY OUTREACH
Please remember in your prayers the men and women of our parishes who are serving our country.

- SSGT Ben Dignard, USAF, & wife Aurora
- 1LT Nicholas Fortuna, US Army National Guard
- SGT Keagan Gorman, USMC
- SPC Zachary Zbierajewski, US Army
- SSG Heath Coburn, US Army
- TSGT Meaghan Zieske, USAF
- CAPT William Austin, US Army
- SGT Jonathan Krafton, US Air National Guard
- CAPT Olyia Bashaw, USAF
- 1LT Mark C. Bashaw, US Army
- SPC Nicholas Everett, US Army
- GM Cody Russell Morin, US Navy
- 2LT Evan King USMC
- LCPL Ruairi Cleary Bentley, USMC
- SGT Anthony J. Tomkiewicz Jr., USMC
- AFC Lucas J. Tomkiewicz, USAF
- SGT Evan M. Munson, US Army
- SN Ryan Perkins, US Navy
- SGT Alec V. Salzer, US Army
- PV2 Matthew DiBona, US Army
- AN Spencer T. Butzen, US Navy
- CAPT Jake Gilbert, US Army

Heavenly Father, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen



Remember Our Veterans

Whether a veteran is physically in battle or just mentally, we mustn't forget the price that they've all paid. Some veterans have found salvation from their post-traumatic stress disorder however, others have not. When you utter prayers for veterans remember that a soldier's work is never done. Even though they may not be physically on the front lines their mind and soul may still be there. All in all, it's important to pray for protection for the men and women in uniform. It's important to not forget their sacrifice. We shouldn't categorize their prayers in representation of a holiday or celebration. Instead these prayers for our soldiers should be recited every day. Thank you for your service.

PRAYING FOR OUR FUTURE PRIESTS

Please include in your prayers, an Archdiocese of Boston seminarian by name every day and at every Mass.



Seminarian:

- Sunday, May 26 - Ulises Diaz
- Monday, May 27 - Mateus Martin
- Tuesday, May 28 - Gustavo Neitzke
- Wednesday, May 29 - Javier Padilla
- Thursday, May 30 - Diego Pena
- Friday, May 31 - Aaron Sanz
- Saturday, June 1 - Vincenzo Caruso

To our Parishioners who have family members serving our nation...We Thank You.



If your loved one has been **promoted** to a new rank or has been **discharged** from the military, please call the parish office at (978)388-0330, or email at HelenT@StAndreB.org so we can update their status. If you have a family member who entered the military and would like their name on our prayer list, please let the parish office know.



Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick in our Parish

May the Spirit of Christ renew the gift of life within them and bring healing to their minds, body and spirit.

- Pat Ponticelli, Edward Kelleher, Dotty Jean,
- John Leahy, Anthony Ronan, Bob Sousa, Paul Palen, Liam Ford, Paul Lajoie, Kathryn Connelly,
- Helen Fricano, Deacon Paul Specht, Patrick Sonier,
- Hannah M., James Blood, Nanette Daley, Carole Young, Brian Donahue, Liam Austin, Matthew Specht, Julio Folgar, Jennifer Campano, Glenn Fournier, Joan Ferraro, Mary B., Dan G., Marty G., Armand Hyatt, Sandra & Cliff Buttry, Paul Watson, Jeanine Fowler, Sue Taft, Paula Klein



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On the first weekend of the month, please bring a bag or two of groceries when you come to Mass, and place at the main entrances to one of our churches. Cereal; juice boxes; vegetable, fruit, tuna, and chicken canned goods; as well as snacks for kids; and personal care products for families are all needed.

“For I was hungry, and you gave Me something to eat...”

Matt. 25:35

Thank you, Peter Sudak from the Knights of Columbus Council 16437, for making the Drive thru Confession Cross



**St. André Bessette
Combined Weekly Offertory
Star of the Sea and St. Joseph Churches**

Saturday / Sunday May 11 - 12

Offertory

82 envelopes:	\$2,615.00
Loose:	\$2,288.00
Online Giving	<u>\$1,793.40</u>
Total:	\$6,696.40

Second Collection - Parish Projects

Envelopes & Loose:	\$1,222.00
Online Giving	<u>\$ 0.00</u>
Total:	\$1,222.00

Thank you for your ongoing support!

Upcoming 2nd Collections

- May 26 - Maintenance
- June 2 - Utilities
- June 9 - Parish Projects
- June 16 - Promoting the Gospel
- June 23 - Maintenance
- June 30 - Evangelization



Wayfaring: Living the Gospel in Everyday Life

First Fridays: June 7

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Location: Parish Conference Center

Facilitators: Beverley Fournier, MA, MTS, MDiv and Diana Giard, Coordinator of Faith Formation

Join us for a morning of prayer, quiet reflection, sharing, and song. There is no fee for this faith formation opportunity. All materials will be provided by the facilitators.

Please email, Diana at DianaG@StAndreB.org with any questions or concerns or call the parish office.



The office for our parishes will be closed on Monday, May 27, in observance of Memorial Day.

We will reopen at 9:00 am on Tuesday, May 28.

Office Staff

Reverend Ronald St. Pierre Pastor
Reverend Jack O'Brien Visiting Senior Priest
Reverend Mister Chuck Hall Deacon
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DianaG@StAndreB.org
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WEEKEND MASS INTENTIONS - 2024

Saturday, May 25

4:00 p.m. St. Joseph - Mary Benjamin & Arlene & Tony Wallaga

6:00 p.m. Star of the Sea - Jack Cameron

Sunday, May 26

8:00 a.m. Star of the Sea - People of Our Parish

9:30 a.m. St. Joseph - Mae Kelleher

WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS - 2024

Monday, May 27

9:00 a.m. St. Joseph Cemetery - All the Deceased

Tuesday, May 28

9:00 a.m. Star of the Sea - Celebrant Intention

Wednesday, May 29

9:00 a.m. St. Joseph - Joanne M. Woodman

Saturday, June 1

4:00 pm St. Joseph - Richard Howe

6:00 pm Star of the Sea - Mr. & Mrs. George R. Cushman Jr.

Sunday, June 2

8:00 am Star of the Sea - People of the Parish

9:30 am St. Joseph - Mae Kelleher

Monday, June 3

9:00 am St. Joseph -

Tuesday, June 4

9:00 am Star of the Sea -

Wednesday, June 5

9:00 am St. Joseph - Roland Becotte



St. Joseph Church, May 2024

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Star of the Sea Church, May 2024

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