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St. Joseph Church 118 High St, Medford

Daily Mass:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 8:30am

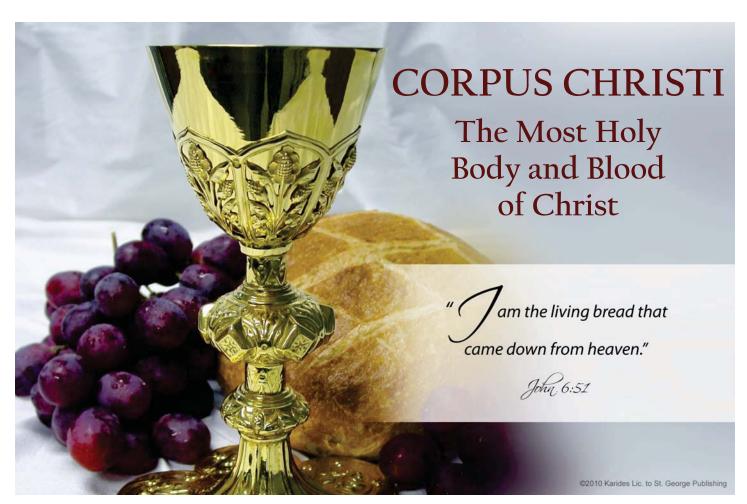
Weekend Masses: Saturday at 4pm & Sunday at 8am & 10am



St. Francis of Assisi Church 441 Fellsway West, Medford

Daily Mass: Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday at 8:30am

Weekend Masses: Saturday at 4pm & Sunday at 11:30am & 4pm



June 11, 2023 Mass Readings #925

St. Francis of Assisi Mass Intentions

St. Joseph Mass Intentions

Saturday 6/10/23		Saturday 6/10/23	
8:30 am	Fr. Edward Doughty	4:00 pm	Manuel Sousa
4:00 pm	Elizabeth Monaco	Sunday 6/11/23	
Sunday 6/11/23		8:00 am	Joseph & Amelia DePascale
11:30 am	Giovanni Puccio	10:00 am	Istvan Csejtey
4:00 pm	Vinny DiClemente	Monday 6/12/23	
Tuesday 6/13/23		8:30 am	Mary A. Rapatano
8:30 am	Sal LaGrassa	Wednesday 6/14/23	
Thursday 6/15/23		8:30 am	Souls in Purgatory
8:30 am	Carmen Ventola	Friday 6/16/23	
Saturday 6/17/23		8:30 am	Thomas Monahan
8:30 am	Justine & Cousin Sandra	Saturday 6/17/23	
4:00 pm	John P. Dugas	4:00 pm	Virginia, Sebastian & Peter Staffieri
Sunday 6/18/23			
11:30 am	Donald Fager & Domenic Micale	Sunday 6/18/23 8:00 am	Jerry C. DeCristofaro
4:00 pm	Antonio Teixeira	10:00 am	Dolores Perella

Adoration at St. Joseph Church - Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays 9am - 8pm (lower church) (Adoration will not be held on days Medford schools are closed due to weather.) If you are interested in volunteering for a time slot, please contact adoration24sj@comcast.net or 617-459-8735.

Sacrament of Baptism - Baptisms are held on the second Sunday of the month at St. Francis of Assisi Church and on the third Sunday of the month at St. Joseph Church. Instruction for first time parents and godparents is held at St. Francis of Assisi on the last Sunday of every month after the 11:30am Mass in the upper church (unless there is a schedule conflict). Please call the office to register.

Confessions - Saturdays after the 8:30am Mass at St. Francis of Assisi Church and Saturdays from 3pm-3:45pm at both St. Francis of Assisi and St. Joseph Churches.

Legion of Mary - Wednesdays, 6:30pm-8pm at the St. Joseph Lower Church Sacristy. Please email adoration 24si@comcast.net or call 781-391-1396 for more information.

St. Francis of Assisi Marion Movement of Priests Prayer Group - meets Mondays at 7pm at St. Francis of Assisi (upper church) for Adoration and to pray the Rosary.

Secular Franciscans - The Secular Franciscans meet every third Sunday from 1:30 - 3:30pm at St. Francis of Assisi's Upper Church. For information, please call Ginny Del Signore, OFS Minister at 617-605-1275.

Weekly Rosary - Wednesday nights at 7pm on Zoom. All are welcome! Go to: <u>www.zoom.us</u> - Click on join a meeting - Meeting ID: 824 8725 0708 Password: AABwf5

CORPUS CHRISTI

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. Our readings today give us "food for thought" to savor and ponder, especially these words from the gospel, "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life." And "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him [her]." It is important for us to stop long enough to think about the promise that Christ gives us in this blessed Sacrament. As we leave Mass today, let us strive to remain with and in Jesus, bringing Him with us to all who we meet and in all that we do.



June Wedding

Please keep in your prayers this couple who will celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage in June.

Salvatore Auditore & Christina Bonisolli

SCRIPTURE READINGS 2023

CORPUS CHRISTI Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/

June 11 1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58

MONDAY June 12 2 Cor 1:1-7/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 5:1-12

TUESDAY Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church 2 Cor 1:18-22/Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135/

June 13 Mt 5:13-16

WEDNESDAY June 14 2 Cor 3:4-11/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9/Mt 5:17-19

THURSDAY 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6/Ps 85:9ab+10, 11-12, 13-14/

June 15 Mt 5:20-26

FRIDAY Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Dt 7:6-11/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10/1 Jn 4:7-16/

Mt 11:25-30

SATURDAY
June 17

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
2 Cor 5:14-21/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/

Lk 2:41-51

11TH SUNDAY Ex 19:2-6a/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5/Rom 5:6-11/

June 18 Mt 9:36—10:8

Pilot Bulletins



Anna M. Burchfield Lorraine P. DeSimone

We remember in our prayers our deceased parishioners & loved ones.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



This week at St. Joseph Church ~ The Sanctuary Candle is lit in memory of:

Thomas Monahan



CORPUS CHRISTI

Eucharistic Procession

This Sunday, June 11th following the 11:30am Mass at St. Francis of Assisi Church

We invite you to join our Eucharist Procession & Adoration in honor of Corpus Christi.

A reception will follow at the St. Francis of Assisi Parish Center.



A very heartfelt thank you for your generous and continued financial support of our parish through your offertory contributions!

Mary, Queen of Peace Parish St. Joseph & St. Francis of Assisi Churches

June 4 Offertory including online giving: \$8,258

Weekly Budget Requirement: \$10,000

Monthly Maintenance: \$2,683

This week's second collection: Landscaping

Next week's second collection: Promoting the Gospel





A heartfelt **THANK YOU** to the **Legion of Mary** for their donation towards the purchase of a Travel Mass Kit for Fr. Paul & Fr. Peter to use when saying Mass at the Medford Nursing Homes.

New Parish Website & Facebook Page!

Website: www.MaryOOPMedford.org

Facebook: MaryQueenOfPeaceMedford

Visit our new Facebook page & website for the latest Parish News & Events!

Booking Mass Intentions

We are now booking Mass Intentions through September 2023. If you would like to book a Mass for a loved one, please call the parish office at 781-396-0423 x 103.

THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL PUTS



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WE HAVE REACHED OUR GOAL! Our parish has raised \$44,352 for the 2023 Catholic Appeal! Our heartfelt thanks to all who have helped make our campaign a success!

Of the total raised, there remains a balance of \$6,744 in unpaid pledges. Your prompt payment of your pledge will help our parish reach our goal in full. Please note that this campaign is an assessment to our parish. This means that, if we don't make our goal, the parish has to make up the shortfall from our limited funds. We also get to share in the success of exceeding the campaign goal. Last year, we earned a rebate of \$2,000 as we raised contributions in excess of the goal!

If you have not had a chance to do so and would like to make a gift to the Appeal, please pick up an envelope at church or scan the QR code above to make an on-line donation at www.bostoncatholicappeal.org.

Every gift makes a meaningful difference in putting faith into action to support the parishes, schools, and communities within our Archdiocese.

Thank you for responding in faith, hope, and charity by making a gift to the 2023 Catholic Appeal. We are stronger together and your generosity is greatly appreciated!

Young Adults Group

The Young Adults Group is back! Our group meets every third Tuesday of the month at 7pm at the St. Joseph rectory.

Our meetings are structured around scripture, with dedicated time to discuss the topic at hand and explore deeper themes. We are also pursuing opportunities for organized community service and outreach. While young adults typically range from 18-40, all are welcome to share in this journey with us.

If you are interested in joining the group, please attend one of our sessions or contact Father Peter at pshen44@yahoo.com or Stephanie at spw085@gmail.com.

Have you considered ONLINE GIVING?

We encourage our parishioners to enroll in the online giving program at our parish. It's a safe, convenient and cost effective way to make your donations!

To enroll, please visit our website www.MaryQOPMedford.org and click the DONATE tab. If you need assistance enrolling or would like more information, please call the parish office at 781-396-0423 x 103.

Reasons to sign up for Online Giving:

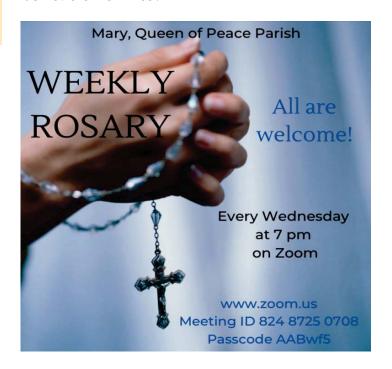
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St. Francis of Assisi Tree of Life "We Remember Them"



The St. Francis of Assisi **Tree of Life**, located by the church baptistery, is for memorials, or to honor the living and great moments in our lives. Packets explaining the process of purchasing a leaf are available at St. Francis of Assisi Church. For more information, please call the Parish Office at 781-396-0423 x 103.



Staff Contact List

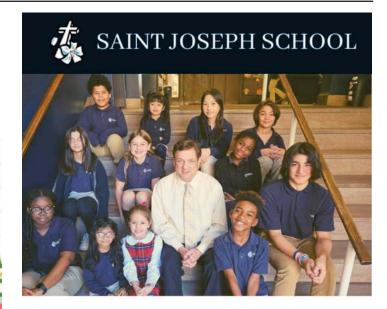
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Fr. Paul Sullivan	Pastor	121
Fr. Peter Shen	Parochial Vicar	108
Laura Powers	Finance & Operations	104
Doreen Breen	Faith Formation	118
Nancy Albanese	Faith Formation	105
Alisa O'Dowd	Office Manager	103
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St. Joseph School	781-396-3636 ext	0
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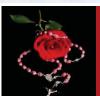


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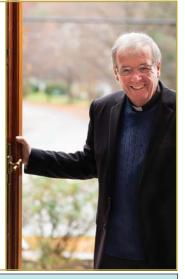




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