



"I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." Then he strictly ordered his

disciples to tell no one that he was the Christ. - Mt 16:19-20

Readings for the Week of August 24, 2008

Sunday: Is 22:19-23/Rom 11:33-36/Mt 16:13-20
Monday: 2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12/Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday: 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17/Mt 23:23-26
Wednesday: 2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18/Mt 23:27-32
Thursday: 1 Cor 1:1-9/Mt 24:42-51
Friday: 1 Cor 1:17-25/Mk 6:17-29
Saturday: 1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 25:14-30
Next Sunday: Jer 20:7-9/Rom 12:1-2/Mt 16:21-27

Stewardship: In today's reading, St. Paul reminds the Romans – and us – that all things come from God: "For from Him and through Him and for Him all things are." Good stewards understand that all is gift and share generously the gifts of time, talent, and treasure with which they've been blessed. See Romans 11:36

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

Adults: In my heart, who do I say that Jesus is?

Children: What stories do I know about St. Peter, and what can I learn from them?



Religious Education classes will be starting up soon. Already registered? Then we will see you on the first day. If you would like to register please contact our office by phone, 978-281-4820 or e-mail below for more information. We are very excited about our

program and its new time options. **In order to better serve our parish program we are looking for more catechists.** If you would like to learn more about becoming a Catechist for grades 1-10 please call Dawn at 978-281-4820 ext.119 or e-mail dalves@holyfamilypeann.org.



Food Pantry

The St. Vincent de Paul Society needs your help! We are looking for the following items for our food pantry: tomato sauce, baked beans, beef stew, soups, peanut butter, jelly, juice, tuna fish, instant potatoes & cereal.

End of Summer

Schedule

Next weekend (Aug. 30th & 31st) marks the final Masses of our summer schedule. See next weekends bulletin for the fall schedule.



"The Play is the Thing"

By: Fr. Gariboldi
Co-Pastor in Team Ministry

Many may wonder why their co-pastor participates in the dramatic production of THEATRE IN THE PINES. First of all I am indebted to Nan Webber, the director and founder of this theater group, for all she has taught me and continues to teach every time I participate in one of her productions.

One of my classmates, who had not heard me preach for sometime, inquired if I had done anything special to so improve my delivery and articulation. I responded that I had done a little acting. He encouraged me to continue. I shall do so when time allows and the director has an appropriate role.

More importantly I learned that there are no small roles. Each one contributes his/her talent for the good of the whole. Each one is there for the other. No one has any desire to outshine another player. If one is having a difficulty the entire cast is there with words of support and advice. I wish that I could help all the parishioners of Holy Family Parish to develop a similar spirit. We should all look for the good of the community rather than our own personal needs. We are all for CHRIST. Each one of us has a role to play in the spreading of the Gospel and in helping to bring about the reality of the Kingdom of God.

I have been speaking with those who have volunteered to be leaders in the ARISE program. I am encouraged by the response they have been receiving. September 14th is sign up Sunday. I encourage as many of you as possible to consider joining a small group. I truly believe that this process will bring about a dramatic change in our Parish of Holy Family.

"THE PLAY IS THE THING." Together we are for Christ and together we shall work for the Kingdom of God.

Thank you Nan Webber and co-members of THEATRE IN THE PINES for helping me understand the meaning of a community of support engaged in a common goal

THE ARISE CORNER



One of the gifts that ARISE small faith groups offer us is that they enable us to view the world and all in it with the eyes of Christ. This leads us to become more attuned to the needs, issues and problems of others. And since baptism calls us to reach out to others, to help improve the quality of life for all, small communities help us identify ways to respond to those needs. These communities support outreach.

Remember you can sign up for small groups at all the Masses on September 13-14. And please remember to keep ARISE in your prayers.

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



August 23rd – August 31st, 2008

- Saturday, August 23, 2008**
 4 p.m. (St. Ann).....**Arthur Marshall**
 From Family
 5:30 p.m. (St. Anthony).....**Bessie Tortorici**
 From Family
- Sunday August 24, 2008**
 7:30 a.m. (St. Joachim).....**Wayne McShay**
 From Cheryl O'Brien
 8 a.m. (St. Ann).....**Mildred Donaldson**
 From Family
 9 a.m. (St. Joachim).....**Pro Populo**
 10 a.m. (St. Ann).....**Louis Linquata**
 From Family
 11 a.m. (St. Anthony).....**Nicolo & Angela (Catalfo) Vitale**
 From Son Leo & Family
- Monday, August 25, 2008**
 9 a.m. (St. Joachim).....**John Gariboldi**
- Tuesday, August 26, 2008**
 9 a.m. (St. Joachim).....**Joanne Bertolino**
 From Mother
- Wednesday, August 27, 2008**
 9 a.m. (St. Joachim).....**Robert Brandt & Family and**
Arthur Balestraci
 From Jean
- Thursday, August 28, 2008**
 9 a.m. (St. Joachim)
- Friday, August 29, 2008**
 9 a.m. (St. Joachim).....**Robert Silva**
 From Mary Luke
- Saturday, August 30, 2008**
 4 p.m. (St. Ann).....**Deceased Members of Madonna**
del Rosario Society
 5:30 p.m. (St. Anthony).....**Sis Rose & Josephine Quinn**
 From Family
- Sunday August 31, 2008**
 7:30 a.m. (St. Joachim).....**Mary Flynn Densmore**
 From Family
 8 a.m. (St. Ann).....**John & Vincie Imbrunone**
and Jonathan Osborn & Son Mark
 From Joan Imbrunone
 9 a.m. (St. Joachim).....**Beatrice & Eddie O'Brien**
 From Cheryl & Jack
 10 a.m. (St. Ann).....**Margaret & Andrew Orlando**
 From Family
 11 a.m. (St. Anthony).....**Pro Populo**

Nursing Home Schedule
 Golden Living Center – Monday Aug. 25th – 3pm



Church Picnic

Save this Date

Sunday, September 7th

Holy Family Parish Picnic at Stage Fort Park
Beginning with Mass at 10am
Cookout with family activities to
follow. Bring your own chairs
and share the day with faith, family,
friends, food, and fun!



*Holy Family Parish gratefully
 acknowledges
 the following
 donations in memory of:*

- Antonio Brancafeone**
 Mr & Mrs Alphonso Millefoglie
- Nicolina Ciaramitaro**
 Palma Biondo
 Mr & Mrs Jerome Ciaramitaro Sr
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 Geri Lovasco
 Angie & Onofrio Maggiore
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 Cathy Misuraca-Wallius
 Mr & Mrs Sebastian Parisi
 Mr & Mrs Herbert White
- Anna Scola**
 Mr & Mrs Jerome Ciaramitaro Sr

Host & Wine
*The Host & Wine for August
 was donated in loving memory of:*
Lawrence "Larry" Sabato
From Mom, Dad, and Brother Frank



*We rejoice in the celebration of new life and are happy to
 announce the following baptisms which recently took place in
 our parish:*

- Katarina Marie Cardone – Liam Michael Coughlin**
Peter Hopkins Garrett - Louis George Dello Iacono
Alexandra Susan Morgan - Ashlyn Jade Orlando
Lexis Mary Salah - James Michael Sanfilippo
& John Robert Sullivan

**Gerontology Classes Open
 At UMass Boston**

The University of Mass. Boston is accepting applications for its Manning Certificate Program in Gerontology, which prepares students to work with the elderly. The program is designed to give students the skills and resources needed to plan for an aging society, work in the aging network, and advocate for elders. Daytime classes are held Wednesdays beginning September 3rd for two semesters. There is also a Monday evening, as well as an online program available. Credits from the program can be applied towards a Bachelor's Degree in Gerontology. This program is approved for financial aid eligibility. For more information or an application call Mary St. Jean at 617-287-7330.



Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays
 7 – 9pm (St. Joachim Church)
 7:30pm – Chaplet of Divine Mercy
 8pm – Rosary

Thursdays
 9:30am – 12:30pm

To sign up or for more info,
 call Angela 978-283-5701.

RCIA

Are you a non-Catholic who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? Do you have questions about what Catholics believe and why Catholics do what they do? Then the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is for you. We will have an Inquiry class beginning in mid September and you are welcome to join us. This is a time of Inquiry and no commitments are expected. If you decide you are interested in being Catholic then you will move on to the next phase of the process when you are ready.

If you are interested or you have questions please call the office (978) 281-4820 ext. 0121.

Holy Family Prayer Group

The Holy Family Prayer Group meets **Thursdays at 7pm in St. Joachim Church, Rockport.** For all interested, the Rosary is said at 6:30pm. Questions? Call Louise 978-281-3645.

Women's Guild

The annual Guild Penny Sale will be held September 20th, 6:30pm in the parish hall. Helen Downey is the contact person, please call her at 978-283-7391 if you'd like to help out. Ladies looking for a fun night out once a month, like to be involved in events to help raise money for the Parish, like to meet new friends or see old friends, come to our next meeting. No obligation to join. Call Bea for information. New members are always welcome.

Christmas Fair

There will be a planning meeting for our Christmas Fair on Wed., Aug. 20th, 6:30pm in the parish hall. We invite new ideas & members of our parish to help us in this major fundraising event. Please contact Bea at 978-283-2691 with any questions or information. The Fair will be held on Nov. 22nd.

SVDP Clothes Closet

The Clothes Closet, located in the basement of St. Ann School, will be holding a week long "Special Sale" of merchandise for the entire family. We will be open special hours each day as follows: Mon. Aug. 25th, 9am-12pm, Tues. Aug. 26th, 1pm-4pm, Wed. Aug. 27th, 5pm-8pm, Thurs. Aug. 28th 1pm-4pm, Fri. Aug. 29th, 9am-12pm and Sat. Aug. 30th, 10am-1pm. Parking is available in the school yard.

The Clothes Closet is made possible through the volunteer efforts of the St. Vincent de Paul Society of Holy Family Parish and proceeds benefit local families in need on Cape Ann.



**We commend into God's care those
 who were buried from our Parish
 recently
 Nicolina Ciaramitaro
 & Lester Hilton**

🕒 Bulletin Deadline 🕒

Please have all items for submission to next week's bulletin in our office by noon on TUESDAY. Items submitted after that time will be considered for the following week.

Last Weekend's Collection

Mass	Attendance	Collection
4 pm	166	1,088.87
5:30 pm	179	583.43
7:30 am	85	726.25
8 am	232	1,893.00
9 am	244	1,689.60
10am	225	1,263.00
11 am	195	784.80
	1326	

Weekly Offertory:	\$8,028.95
August Weekly EFT Contributions:	\$602.93
Office Offertory:	\$574.00
Total Offertory:	\$9,205.88
August 2007 average collection:	\$10,211.80
Catholic Home Mission:	\$2,700.02

Thank you for your generosity!!

Parish Pay

We wish to thank those who have signed up for automated giving through ParishPay. This is an alternative means of support for our parish instead of through envelopes or the weekly collection. You don't have to remember to bring a check or cash each week. Instead, you authorize donations to be made via your checking, savings, or credit card account. There is no cost to participate. Additional information and sign up sheets can be found at each worship site. You can also call our office (978-281-4820) or visit our website (www.holyfamilycapeann.org).

Grand Annual Campaign

We want to thank all those who contributed thus far to the parish's Grand Annual campaign. As of Tuesday, August 19th, our total raised was \$25,207. This is 30% of our goal. Given that the campaign just began August 2nd and 3rd, we are very encouraged. While we still have a long way to go, this is a positive start. As you know, the money gathered through this campaign allows us to continue our many ministries and programs. These ministries define what the parish is and will be. Your help is critical as Holy Family moves forward. We hope everyone will consider a contribution and give what they can. Your generosity and support is most appreciated.

All Grand Annual contributions are tax deductible and stay within the Holy Family community. As always, please know that your generous support of time, treasure, or talent is essential to the life of Holy Family and **is most appreciated!**

Fiscal Year 08 Finance Report

Please note that the financial report for Holy Family Parish is now available. Copies can be found in the rear of each worship site and are also included in the Grand Annual packets. The report summarizes all parish financial activity from July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008.

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Holy Family Parish Registration

If you wish to register as a member of Holy Family Parish, please print the following information and deposit in the offertory.

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____
 Comments: _____

We look forward to hearing from you

**Please check all lists of names to insure that each name is on one line (ESPECIALLY MEMORIAL DONATIONS). Also, please be sure section breaks are correct and not cutting off any text and that pictures do not interfere with text/layout. Thank You!END OF BULLETIN
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