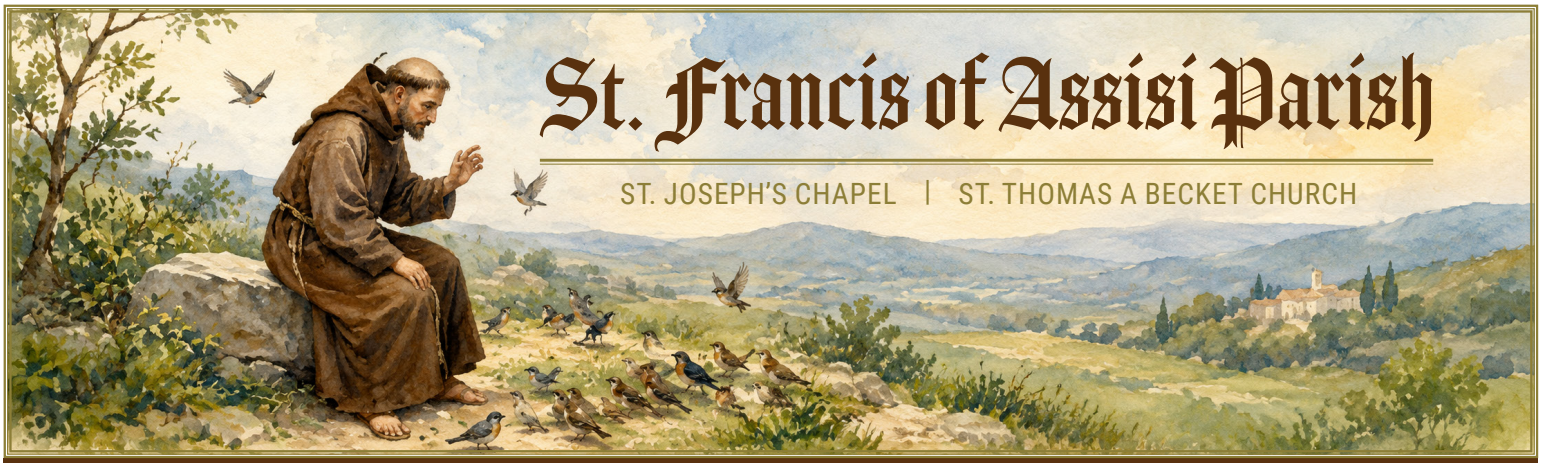


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Bulletin Submissions

Email Information to
bulletinsfb@gmail.com

Deadline: Tuesday to be included in the upcoming weekend edition

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	Sunday
St. Thomas A Becket 4:00 PM	St. Joseph's Chapel 8:00 AM St. Thomas A Becket 10:30 AM

Daily Mass
MON | TUES | WED

9:00 am Mass at St. Thomas A Becket Church

Daily Masses are cancelled when school is delayed or canceled due to inclement weather

Sacrament of Reconciliation
CONFESSION

3:00 pm Saturdays at St. Thomas A Becket Church
or by appointment

Eucharist Adoration

Tuesday after 9:00 am Mass

Rosary Group

Tuesday at 6:45 pm at St. Joseph's Hall

For more information, contact Liz Sansoucy by phone or text at (774) 364-2158

MASS INTENTIONS
Please contact Deacon Malcom if you would like to request a Mass Intention for a loved one.
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PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS
To add a request to our prayer chain, contact:
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Mass Intentions

Week of November 8, 2026

Nov 7	SATURDAY 4:00 PM	(+) **Jeff Baker & Julie Barnes** *Req By: The Family*
Nov 8	SUNDAY 8:00 AM	(+) **Jeff Baker** *Req By: Kowal Family*
	SUNDAY 10:30 AM	(+) **Joseph & Beatrice Jannette and deceased members of their family** *Req by: The Family*
Nov 9	MONDAY 9:00 AM	**Pastor's Intentions**
Nov 10	TUESDAY 9:00 AM	**Votive Offering**
Nov 11	WEDNESDAY 9:00 AM	**Pastor's Intentions**
Nov 14	SATURDAY 4:00 PM	(+) **Beatrice Dusza** (1st Anniversary) *Req by: D'Angelo & Lavalee Families*
Nov 15	SUNDAY 8:00 AM	**For Our Faith Formation Program**
	SUNDAY 10:30 AM	**Pastor's Intentions**

St. John's Marriage Mentors

3rd Annual Marriage Retreat

A Retreat for Married & Engaged Couples:

Changing the Dance

November 14, 2026 | 9AM to 6PM | Dinner Included

St. Benedict Abbey, 252 Still River Rd, Harvard, MA

The cost is $50 per couple for this one-day time as a couple to pray, listen, learn and grow in your marriage.
All married and engaged couples are warmly invited!
Registration at 8:30AM. Please RSVP by Friday November 6th to save your spot. For more information contact Adrianne Niall
617-905-6093 | agnaill@hotmail.com

Parish Weekly Collection

Week of: November 1, 2026

Envelopes	**$1,243.00**
Anonymous Cash	**$513.00**
Loose Checks	**$535.00**
On-Line Giving	**$310.50**
Total	**$2,601.50**
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS That Stay in the Parish	
Fuel	**$448.00**
Maintenance	**$90.00**
All Souls	**$300.00**
All Saints	**$328.00**
Hardcover Missals	**$370.00**
Capital Improvements	**$9.00**
Total	**$1,545.00**
Total Collection	**$4,146.50**



Tuesdays
After 9:00 am
Mass

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

The Candy Cane Fair'26

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, December 5th

9:00 AM - 2:00 PM at St. Joseph's Hall

GRAND RAFFLE 2026

Raffle ticket booklets will be available soon for just $2.00 per ticket! Prizes include:

1st Prize: $1,000 Cash

2nd Prize: 100 Gallons of Oil or Propane
(donated by R.J. McDonald)

3rd Prize: Wilson's Bus Casino Trip for Two

Many more prizes available!

FAIR TABLES & ATTRACTIONS

Be sure to stop by and check out what's featured at the fair this year:

Famous Bake Shoppe | Crafts & Quilts | Basket Raffles
Silent Auction | Free Kids' Crafts & Activities

"Joie de Vivre" of Joy of Living Quilt (60" x 60")
Hand appliqued and machine pieced by Beth Cunninham and custom quilted by Tracy Carbone.

Guild Members will be selling Quilt Raffle Tickets ($2)
before and after Masses.

WORCESTER COUNTY CASH FOR GOLD

They will be buying: **Silver Flatware**
Gold, Silver, Platinum Jewelry (new, old, or broken)
Natural Diamonds, Gold, Silver Coins & Bullion

For more detailed information and or to become involved contact:

Robin Cummings: 978-355-2279
rarob50@yahoo.com

Mary Ann Jordan: 978-355-4606
mjordan92557@gmail.com

LUNCH SERVED

Soups, Rolls
with choice fillngs,
chips, dessert
beverage
$8.00

FAITH FORMATION

REGISTRATION 2026 - 2027

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
(Ages 3, 4 & 5)
& Grades 1–6

Sunday Mornings
8:00 AM – 9:45 AM

Schedule:
8:00 AM Mass followed by
8:45 AM – 9:45 AM Class

Sunday, November 8
No classes due to the Veterans Day holiday week
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd & Grades 1–6: No classes

Sunday, November 15:
Classes resume

Grades 7, 8 & 9

Sunday Evenings
6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Sunday, November 8
Grades 7, 8 & 9: Class will be held

All classes meet at St. Joseph's Chapel.

Ladies! Please look through your Jewelry Box for items you would like to donate to:

The Costume Jewelry Table
for the Candy Cane Fair.
This is a Favorite!

We have baskets at both churches for your donations.

Thank you, in advance for your help!



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