

BULLETIN FOR JANUARY 29, 2012
CHURCH VIGIL LAMP BURNS IN MEMORY OF HENRY FORTIN (+BIRTH. REM.)
CENTER VIGIL LAMP BURNS FOR EDWARD CARPENTER & LORRAINE SOUZA
ST. DOMINIC'S CANDLE BURNS IN MEMORY OF MANUEL BARBOZA

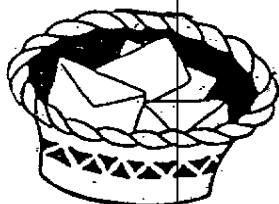


MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	Jan	28,	4:00PM	Memorial Mass: Normand Martin, Ophelia Moniz, Marion Mancuso, Manuel Barboza, Edward Carpenter, Lorraine Souza
Sunday,	Jan	29,	7:00 AM	Anthony Silva & Wife, Estelle
			9:00AM	Louis F. Silvia (Anniv.)
			11:00 AM	Henry Fortin (+ Birth. Rem.)
Monday,	Jan	30,	8:00AM	For All Parishioners & Benefactors
Tuesday,	Jan	31,	8:00AM	Manuel Ferreira Jr. & Parents
Wednesday,	Feb	1,	8:00AM	Michael T. Cleary
Thursday,	Feb	2,	8:00AM	Antonio F. Viveiros
Friday,	Feb	3,	8:00AM	Daniel Viveiros
Saturday,	Feb	4,	8:00AM	Manuel & Irene Botelho
Sunday,	Feb	5,	7:00 AM	Irma DeBrum & Son, Horacio
			9:00AM	George C. Silvia (Anniv.)
			11:00 AM	For All Parishioners & Benefactors

BUDGET REPORT:

Budget	\$2,564.00
Candles	81.00
Catholic Comm.	1,137.00



BUDGET BREAKDOWN:

184 Envelopes	\$2,210.00
Loose Donations	354.00
Total	\$2,564.00

FIRST FRIDAY & SATURDAY: Devotions will be held after the 8AM Masses on Friday, March 2nd & Saturday, March 3rd.

HOLY SPIRIT SOCIETY: The Society will hold their Monthly Meeting on Wed. Feb.1st at 6:30PM in the Parish Center. Prayer Service will follow in the Church.

2012 BUDGET ENVELOPES: A few envelope packets are left at the entrance to the Parish Center. If you have not picked yours up, please do so. For your convenience they are in alphabetical order.

2011 TAX REPORT: Please phone the rectory if you would like your donation totals for 2011.

VIGIL LAMPS FOR JAN. FEB. & MAR.: Masses no longer available. However, Vigil Lamps available if you would like to have your loved one's and friends remembered.

CCD SCHEDULE: Sunday, Feb. 5th Grades 1-4 9:30AM-12:30PM
 Saturday, Feb. 11th Grade 5 9:00AM-10:30AM



WINTER BREAK FEBRUARY 12TH THROUGH THE 26TH

CONFIRMATION: Next Class will be on Monday, Jan. 30th from 6-7:30PM.
 Confirmation will take place on Monday, March 12, 2012.

FAITHWAYS: Next Faithways class will be Feb. 4th from 9-12Noon. New schedule will be mailed out this week. In addition 10 hours of extra credit are needed each year.

FAMILY LITURGY: There will be a Special Family Liturgy this Sunday, Jan. 29th at 11AM. There are no CCD classes on this Sunday. Please note that special liturgies are part of our student's class time, so we encourage you and your family to attend this Mass. The Mass, sponsored by the St. Dominic's Youth Council, will be celebrated in the Parish Center. Coffee, juice & pastry will be served following the Liturgy!

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING: February 4th & 5th, the Youth Council will be collecting Soup and cash donations for the needy. Please see insert.

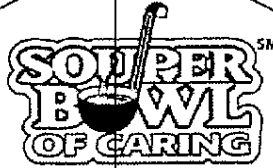
PRO LIFE NEWS: St. John Neumann Women's Guild & Pro Life Committee in E. Freetown, Ma. will hold a Day of Prayer for the Unborn on Monday, Jan. 23. The day will begin with Mass at 7:30AM and end with Benediction at 6PM. For more info. call Jackie at 508-763-2240.

HOLY NAME PARISH NEWS: Holy Name Church is offering a five part presentation on Catholicism, looking at the beauty & truth of the Catholic Faith using the art, architecture, literature, music & the treasures of the Catholic tradition. Each session includes a DVD presentation by Fr. Robert Barron. Sessions will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 25, Feb. 1, 8, & 15, Tuesday, Feb. 28, from 6:30-8PM in the Parish Center, all are welcome. Facilitator: Bud Miller. Call 508-679-6732 for further info.

LENTEN MISSIONS: The following Churches located in Fall River, will hold Lenten Mission Homily & Mass on the dates listed. Monday, March 14, 2012 - Good Shepherd Church, 7PM. Tuesday, March 15, 2012- Holy Trinity Church, 7PM. Wednesday, March 16, 2012- St. Michael Church, 7PM. Thursday, March 17th - St. Anthony of the Desert, 7PM

ST. DOMINIC WEB SITE: St. Dominic parish, is now on line. The site has parish information, on parish organizations & ministries, as well as a number of resources that will be of interest to parishioners. The site is www.stdominicparish.org. Send your ideas/additions you find valuable on the site by writing webmaster@stdominicparish.org.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: GOD HAS GIVEN US THE GIFT OF FREE WILL, USE THIS GIFT WISELY.



SO SIMPLE.

SO GOOD.

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Cans of soup or monetary donations welcome

February 4-5, 2012

MORE THAN 20 YEARS AGO, the Souper Bowl of Caring began with a simple prayer from a single youth group:

“Lord, as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us to be mindful of those without even a bowl of soup to eat.”

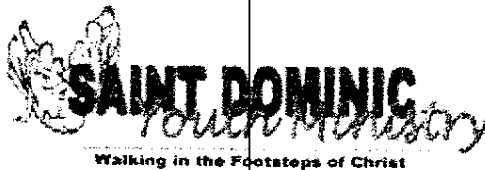
Since that day, more than \$81 million has been raised for local charities across the country through Souper Bowl of Caring. It has become a powerful movement that is transforming the time around Super Bowl weekend into the nation's largest celebration of giving and serving.

Through this mission, young people learn what it's like to make a positive difference in the world - as they collect food, raise money and volunteer to work in charities that provide shelter to the homeless, food to the hungry and compassion to those in need.

Be part of this movement that is sharing God's love with those in need. Please give generously on Super Bowl Sunday. Every dollar donated goes to

St Dominic's St Vincent dePaul Society

our 2012 Souper Bowl of Caring charity of choice.



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ST. DOMINIC'S PARISH
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!!!
CALENDAR CHANGE:

The special Saturday class listed on the calendar for students in Grades 1 & 2 has been changed!

All students in Grades 1, 2, 3 & 4 will take part in a special program entitled:

PandaMania
Where God is Wild about You!

Students will have class from

9:30am to 12:30pm
on SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH!

This will count as 3 class hours, so attendance is mandatory! If a student misses this program, they are missing 2 classes!

The students will take part in various activities with a "religious" & "fun" theme. We will have a pizza lunch, so if there are any dietary problems, you may wish to pack a lunch for your child. The students will make a snack during one of their activities & other treats will be served throughout the day.

The students really enjoyed a similar program held last year and we hope they'll enjoy this new program as well!

If there are any questions or concerns, please contact the rectory at 508-675-7206.

AREA NEWS OF INTEREST

A DAY WITH MARY: Our Lady's Chapel 600 Pleasant St. New Bedford will host A Day with Mary on Saturday, Feb. 4th from 8:30AM-4:45PM. Please bring a bag lunch.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: Southcoast VNA Hospice is looking for volunteers to provide emotional support to patients and their families. The volunteer must participate in a free 2 day training session. The next session will be Friday, Feb. 3rd & Saturday, Feb. 4th from 8AM-4:30PM at the Fairhaven office, located at 200 Mill Rd. Call Lindsey at 508-973-3219.

MEN & WOMEN'S RETREATS: Sacred Heart Retreat Center, Wareham, MA & Office of Faith Formation, will hold a Men's Retreat entitled "Walking on Water" Feb. 10-12, the Women's Retreat will be Feb. 17-19,. Guided by Fr. Stan Kolasa,SS.CC. & Deacon Bruce Bonneau. Cost is \$150. If interested call 508-295-0100. Or visit www.fallriverfaithformation.org.

BISHOP CONNOLLY HIGH SCHOOL: Placement Exam for High School & 8th Grade will be held on Saturday, February 4, 2012 8AM. For more info. call Anthony Ciampanelli, Director of Admissions at 508-676-1071 ext. 333.

OPEN HOUSE: St. Michael School, 209 Essex St. Fall River, will be holding an Open House on Tuesday, February 7, 2012 at 9-11AM, 2-5PM & 6-8PM. The school offers a full Academic Program, the latest technology: Smart boards + Wireless, Art, Music, Physical Education, NEASC Accreditation, Before & After School Care, Hot Lunch Program, Extracurricular & Sports Programs, Family Atmosphere. Please drop by and take a tour, if you cannot make the Open House please phone and make an appointment at 508-678-0266.

SCHOLARSHIPS: The Diocese of Fall River is once again, through the St. Mary's Education Fund, making need-based scholarships available for the 2012-2013 school year. Students presently enrolled, or who are registered for the 2012-2013 school year in one of the 21 Diocesan elementary or middle schools, are eligible to apply. Any parent interested in having their child attend one of the elementary or middle schools in the Diocese of Fall River should contact the principal of the school in which they have interest. Once accepted & registered they may apply for this "need-based" scholarship aid. Applications may be obtained at any of the schools.