



Saint Mary Parish

**211 North Main St.
Randolph, MA 02368**

Established 1850
Randolph, Massachusetts

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil 4:00pm

Sunday 8:00, 10:00, 11:30am

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday 12:10pm

Saturday 9:00am

Holy Day Masses As announced

*Accommodations for the Handicapped
Website: stmaryrandolph.org*

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish Office for information.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:00pm – 3:45pm in the Chapel, or by request.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Preparation should be made with a priest at least six months in advance.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If you would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick prior to hospital admission or for any other reason, please contact one of the priests or call the Pastoral Center.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Saturday following 9:00am Mass until 11:00am.

HAITIAN CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Guerisons, Graces, Benedictions!!!

Venez nous joindre chaque jeudi soir a 7:00pm a la priere charismatique pour chanter et louer Dieu!

Healing, Blessings!!!

Come to join us every Thursday night at 7:00pm at the charismatic prayer in French and in Creole to

PASTOR

Rev. Ronald D. Coyne

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Garrett J. Barry

SENIOR PRIEST IN RESIDENCE

Rev. Vincent R. Maffei

SENIOR DEACON

Deacon James H. Eames

RE DIRECTOR/PASTORAL ASSOCIATE

Mrs. Patricia J. O'Connor

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ASSISTANT

Mrs. Julie Pantazelos

COORDINATOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY

Mrs. Robyn Rinehart

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Mrs. Judith A. Concannon

CEMETERY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Mr. Robert S. O'Connor

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES

Mrs. Felicia Kopelman-Hayes

BUSINESS MANAGER

Mr. Joseph Sheehan

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Pastoral Center, 22 Seton Way

Tel: 781-963-4141 / Fax: 781-963-0884

Office hours: Mon-Fri 9:00am-4:00pm

Religious Education Center, 30 Seton Way

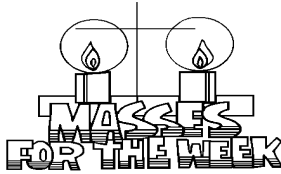
Tel: 781-961-5009/ Fax: 781-961-5055

Cemetery Office, 245 North Street

Tel: 781-961-9323 / Fax: 781-963-0884

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are a vibrant faith community committed to living out the gospel of Jesus Christ in the Roman Catholic tradition. As a Eucharistic people, we seek to deepen our personal union with Jesus Christ through the ministries of Word, Worship, Community, and Service. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we devote ourselves to the Catechetical Ministry of Youth and Young Adults and to ongoing Adult Faith Formation. We seek to continue the mission of the Church by extending hospitality and outreach to all the People of God.



**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
MEMORIAL MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

Saturday, February 4, 2012

4:00pm Margaret Spring

Sunday, February 5, 2012

8:00am Dorothy J. McGrory

10:00am John DaMotta

11:30pm Joseph E. Jones, Jr.
and Rita Betti

Monday, February 6, 2012

12:10pm Jean Bonneault

Saturday, February 11, 2012

4:00pm Susan DonovanPaulsen

Sunday, February 12, 2012

8:00am Jeffrey C. Gates and

Joseph Lepage

10:00am Maisy Cook

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

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Loose Money/Checks	\$2372.00
Envelopes	\$3920.00
TOTAL	\$6292.00

CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

Loose Money/Checks	\$ 860.00
Envelopes	\$ 965.00
TOTAL	\$1825.00

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL	\$ 194.00
Gift	\$ 60.00
TOTAL	\$ 254.00

SECOND COLLECTIONS—FEBRUARY

2/12/12	Monthly Energy Collection
2/22/12	Church in Africa & Church in Central & Eastern Europe

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
FOXWOOD'S TRIP**

The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a trip to Foxwoods on February 16, 2012. For information or reservations please call 781-963-9874. If you do not get an answer, please leave a callback number.

ANNUAL LIP SYNCH CONTEST

Each year we encourage our children and teenagers to display their talents on stage at our Lip Synch Contest. We average over 20 acts each show. It is entertaining and animated as we cheer on act after act of our young people acting out their favorite songs (Top 40, Musicals, Rock, Rap, Hip Hop).

They are judged on Originality, Appearance and Lip Synch. All students in any grade are welcome to perform. We will be distributing flyers with more information to our Rel. Ed classes but those in private or parochial schools are more than welcome. Applications are available at the Parish Center, 22 Seton Way. There will be 2 divisions (individual and group). Adults are more than welcome to participate and could have their own division. The event will take place on **Friday evening, March 2nd beginning at 6:30pm at the Religious Education Center, Seton Way**. Many will prefer to be in the audience. There will be a \$5 admission fee.

Prize money will be: 1st—\$100; 2nd—\$75; 3rd—\$50 and 4th—\$25 in each division.

We ask all those wishing to participate to choose their song and begin practicing. We will have a Lip Synch practice on **Monday, February 27th from 3:30pm to 8pm at St. Mary School Hall**. All this information and more will be on the Application Forms. Who will be our 2012 Idols? They are out there among us right now. They may be your friends or neighbors!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING

The members of our St. Vincent de Paul Conference will meet this Monday, February 6th at 7pm in the Parish Center. Under the leadership of Deacon Jim Eames we assist the most needy in our community. Our Council meets quarterly to reflect upon our direction and our finances.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The monthly meeting of St. Mary's Parish Pastoral Council will be held this Thursday, February 9th at 7pm at the Parish Center. We are overwhelmed by the willingness of the members of our Pastoral Council to meet and discuss the priorities within our parish and town. Our Council members are: Fr. Ron Coyne, Sheila Campbell, Fr. Vincent Maffei, Fr. Garrett Barry, Deacon James Eames, Madeline Brennan, Kevin Reilly, Jason Adams, Ryan Egan, Patricia Abbett, Catherine Caddigan, Tom & Jackie Dugan, Shirley Delvecchio, Vilma Gonzalez, Tricia Hennessey, Pascale Limage, Joyce Rodriguez, Cheryl Singleton, Bob Tripp and Jean Riguel-Ulysses

PASTOR'S NOTES

Friends,

At the rectory we get the Globe delivered each morning and the Patriot Ledger every afternoon. I remember when there were 2 editions of the Globe everyday and probably the Herald too. Times have changed and obviously the newspaper business has been forced to deal with those changes. Many people now get their news online and can easily keep up with world events on their cell phones. But we are talking about a ritual and it's not always easy to do away with rituals.

My father really loved reading the paper. As I remember we got the Herald weekdays and the Globe on Sundays. One of his greatest enjoyments on Sunday mornings (after Mass) was getting into his favorite chair in the living room and separating the various sections of the Sunday Globe and reading each section purposefully in order of preference. There was no way that this ritual would change. I knew he enjoyed it and that it was something he needed to do. I'm sure it was therapeutic for him. He worked nights at the Post Office and his weekends were sacred. I loved watching him enjoy this weekly ritual. As a result, he was a very knowledgeable man and knew why he believed what he believed and voted the way he voted.

As for me, after I walk my 4 miles each day I sit at the kitchen counter and browse through the Globe. There are certain columnists I admire. I find it difficult to keep up with all the unrest in the world which is usually highlighted on the first 5 pages. I love the editorial page and the metro section because they usually deal with issues closer to home. I'm also a great sports fan and although I don't watch much sports on T.V., I want to know how our local teams are doing in this order: professional high school and college. When the Patriot Ledger arrives in the afternoon I may or may not make the time to read it.

My ritual for Super Bowl Sunday (today-February5) is to watch the game in Canton with friends. Like many people I run a Super Bowl Pool and enjoy calling the winners and giving them the good news. I'm changing part of my ritual this year. I'm bringing 3 large calzones to the party. This year I'm getting them at Georgianna's in Braintree (Randolph line) - 1 steak and cheese; 2 buffalo chicken; 3 turkey with stuffing and cranberry sauce.

You gotta love this weather. Good luck to the Pat's!

Enjoy Life!
Fr. Coyne

VICARIATE MEETING

The priests of Randolph, Milton, Quincy and Braintree will be meeting together this Wednesday at 12:30pm. I'm sure we will be reflecting on our personal response to the proposed Pastoral Planning Initiative from the Archdiocese. Just because someone is a Pastor or Assistant Pastor doesn't mean we all think alike. This discussion promises to be very animated.

ASH WEDNESDAY

February 22nd is Ash Wednesday and because we want to do all we can to accommodate the needs of our parishioners we will have three Masses with the distribution of ashes. We normally have a 12:10 and 7pm Mass. This year we will also celebrate Mass at 7am. We hope to encourage as many people of all ages to come to St. Mary's as we begin the season of Lent together. Ashes will be distributed by our Priests, Deacon and Eucharistic Ministers. Throughout Lent we will move our daily Mass at 12:10pm from the Chapel to the Church. Saturday at 9am will also be celebrated in the Church. We hope many of our parishioners and neighbors can join us as often as possible.

VALENTINE WEEKEND—RENEWAL OF VOWS

Next weekend at the Masses on Saturday, February 11th and Sunday, February 12th we will invite all married couples to renew their marriage vows. We have done this over the past few years. Couples will be asked to stand at their seats and face each other for the renewal of vows. We realize this opportunity may be very natural for some yet uncomfortable for others so the choice to participate is personal. We also realize that the Sacrament of Marriage is sacred and we want to do all we can to recognize that sanctity and encourage our men and women who are attempting to live out the marriage vows faithfully. This short ceremony will take place following the homily

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

We wish to remember in our prayers those brave men and women who are presently serving our country overseas. *Jeremy Lucier, Kevin Ryan, Ryan Dornan, Paul Ellis, Kirsty Penticost, Jonathan Cascarano, Elias Bassila, William Williams, Christopher Jackson, Ryan O'Keefe, Keith David Littig, Timothy Walsh, Thomas Cheney, Kevin Heenan, John Heenan and Brad Waltermire.*

Please call the parish office if there is anyone who would like to add to this prayer list and also, please call the office and inform us of their safe return. Thank you.

ST. MARY 1000 CLUB

Have you joined St. Mary 1000 Club yet? The first Saturday of every month St. Mary 1000 Club drawing takes place in the Church Hall following the 4pm Mass. Just fill in the form below and mail it (along with \$5.00) or bring it to the Pastoral Center, 22 Seton Way, Randolph, MA 02368 and a number will be assigned to you. For only \$5.00 a month per number each member has the chance to win the following:

- 10 chances to win \$50
- 1 chance to win \$100
- 1 chance to win \$200
- 1 chance to win \$300
- 1 chance to win \$1000

This is a chance in which to financially help your parish.

I wish to join St. Mary 1000 Club.....

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELE. NO. _____

WELCOME

We are pleased to have you with us. If you are a new parishioner and haven't registered in the parish, please fill out the form below indicating husband, wife, son, daughter and drop it in the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Pastoral Center, 22 Seton Way, Randolph, MA 02368.

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Mailing Name: _____

Address: _____

Tel. No. _____

Date of Birth _____

Spouse: _____

_____ DOB _____

Please send Offertory Envelopes: yes _____ no _____

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS
SAFETY FOR GOD'S CHILDREN**

Our Religious Education Office would like to take this opportunity to remind our families that the *Safety for God's Children* program begins this week and continues for three classes for all students in grades K thru 8. These safety lessons include discussion of many safeties: bike safety, walking safety, home safety, and finish with education concerning appropriate and inappropriate touch. Letters and flyers have been sent to all families including more detailed information. A Parent session took place on Wednesday January 25th for all interested parents. As always if you have any questions regarding this program please do not hesitate to call the Religious Education Office at 781 961-5009.

WHY CATHOLIC?

This weekend during all the Masses, sign-ups will be held for *Why Catholic?* Sign-up sheets are available in each bench. Simply fill in your contact information along with the day and time most convenient to your schedule and leave the form in the bench! A Why Catholic leader will contact you in the next two weeks. Most groups meet at the Parish Pastoral Center located at 22 Seton Way. We are delighted to announce that Why Catholic faith sharing groups will be offered in Spanish, Vietnamese, Haitian Creole and English on **Sundays!** Faith sharing groups will be held in English Monday through Saturday. In addition, a Moms and Tots group is available for young Mother's who would like to participate with their children. The days and times available are as follows: Sundays at 1pm (English, Haitian/Creole or Spanish) and 7 pm (English or Vietnamese), Mondays at 7pm, Tuesdays at 3:45pm and 7 pm, Wednesdays at 10am and 7pm, Thursdays at 10 am (Moms and Tots) and 1pm and 7pm, Fridays at 7 pm and Saturdays at 10am. If you missed sign-ups during Mass please do not hesitate to call 781 961-5009 to register. Groups begin the week of Sunday, February 19th and continue for six weeks meeting once a week for 90 minutes. During these six weeks, you will explore how we nurture our relationship with God in prayer and how God communicates with us. You will also discover new forms of prayer, learn to overcome difficulties we experience in prayer, and take a deeper look at the Lord's Prayer.

**OPPORTUNITIES IN WHICH TO
MEMORIALIZE DECEASED
LOVED ONES**

If you wish to memorialize a deceased loved one, you can do so by calling the Pastoral Center and scheduling one of the following:

- Altar Flowers \$30 a week donation
- Missalettes \$30 a week donation
- Sanctuary Lamps \$10 a week donation
- Weekday Masses \$15 donation
- Weekend Masses \$25 donation