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The Santo Cristo Parish Community opens wide its doors to you. We hope that you feel at home and among family. Our wish is that you might feel your time among us prayerful, inspiring and uplifting.

If you have been away from the Church for a time, we rejoice that you have decided to be with us today. If you are a separated or divorced Catholic, please know that you belong here, that you are and always will be a member of the Church family. If you are divorced and remarried, and wish to annul your first marriage, please ask the Parish Priest to explain the procedure to you.

Feeling a part of Church family is very important, and if you are interested in joining this parish community, we would be honored to support you in making that decision.

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EUCCHARIST

Saturday 4:00PM (Portuguese)

Sunday 8:00AM (Portuguese)

9:30AM (English)

12:00PM (Portuguese)

Daily (In Chapel)

Mon, Tues, Wed & Fri 8:00AM

(No Mass on Thurs.)

Holy Day 8:00AM (Portuguese)

5:30PM (English)

Reconciliation (Confessions)

Saturday 3:00-3:45PM

or anytime by appointment

Baptisms

First Sunday of the Month (Portuguese). Second Sunday of the Month (English)

Parents should call the office at 508-676-1184. For information about the preparation & schedule.

Matrimony

We welcome the opportunity to help you prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage. Please contact the office at 508-676-1184 at least 6 months before the intended wedding date.

Sacraments of Initiation

All who are interested in learning more about the Faith of the Church, please call 508-676-1184 for information.

Healing For Our Sick

Please call 508-676-1184 when a family member or friend is ill. Our Eucharistic Ministers bring Communion to the homebound of our Parish.

We welcome new parishioners.

Please register at the office, or after Mass in the Sacristy.

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NESTA SEMANA
4 REFLEXÕES - PREPARAÇÃO PARA A FESTA DO ESPÍRITO SANTO
DA 3ª À 6ª FEIRA ÀS 7:30PM NA CAPELA

PRÓXIMO DOMINGO FESTA DO ESPÍRITO SANTO 2017

11AM: Saída do Cortejo / Coroação do Chaves Market Parking Lot para a Columbia St - para a Igreja.

12PM: Eucaristia Solene, seguida de Coroação e desfile pelas ruas: Columbia / Hunter / Hope / Grant e Columbia - para o Salão da Igreja -- onde serão servidas as tradicionalis sopas do Espírito Santo com Bazar e Arrematações até às 4:30PM.

4:30PM haverá "SORTES" para Domingas de 2018

MISSA NO CEMITÉRIO NOTRE DAME NESTA 2ª FEIRA

Nesta 2ªFeira será celebrada a Eucaristia às 10AM, pelo nosso bispo - no mausoléu do cemitério. Os interessados são bem vindos.

PREPARAÇÃO PARA BAPTÍSMOS DE JUNHO E JULHO

Para todos aqueles que já registaram o Baptismo da sua criança na Reitoria - haverá reunião para pais e padrinhos NESTE Domingo às 7PM no Salão do nosso Centro Paroquial. Pais e padrinhos devem participar nesta preparação para o Baptismo. **Sejam pontuais!**

MISSAS DOMINICAIS HORÁRIO DE VERÃO

A partir de 11 de Junho,
horário das Missas ao Domingo:

8AM Português

9:30AM Inglês

11AM Português

MORDOMIA: CONVITE

O Grupo Mordomia e os Mordomos, Carlos e Helena Botelho, convidam todas as Domingas 2017 a tomarem parte na Coroação do próximo Domingo com início às 11AM, no Chaves Market Parking Lot.

ANIVERSÁRIO DA PARÓQUIA

A 18 de Junho celebramos 125 anos de Paróquia. A celebração solene, bilingue, será às 10AM (única Eucaristia naquele Domingo), seguida de almoço "Family Style" servido pelo restaurante Sagres, no nosso Salão.

Ainda há bilhetes à venda à saída das missas. O preço por pessoa é de \$35 com vinhos e refrigerantes incluídos.

Haverá mais notícias nos próximos Domingos.

FLORES PARA AS FESTAS

Aceitamos ofertas para custear as flores das nossas Festas do Espírito Santo, Aniversário da Paróquia e Santo Cristo. Obrigado.

AS NOSSAS FESTAS: BAZAR

Precisamos de prémios para os Bazares das festas que se aproximam. Podem entregar na Sacristia ou na Reitoria.

RESTAURO DO EDIFÍCIO DA IGREJA

3ª e Última Fase Exterior

Custo
\$621,700

Total Recebido
\$92,184.89

Balanço
\$529,515.11

Semana Passada \$2,275.00

THIS WEEK
4 REFLECTIONS - PREPARATION FOR THE FEAST OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
FROM TUESDAY TO FRIDAY AT 7:30PM IN CHAPEL

NEXT SUNDAY
FEAST OF THE HOLY SPIRIT 2017

11AM: Procession begins from Chaves Market Parking Lot – to Columbia St to the Church.

12PM: Solemn Mass followed by Crowning and Procession. **ROUTE:** Columbia / Hunter / Hope / Grant / Columbia and back to Church Hall where traditional **Sopas** will be served. Entertainment with Bazaar until 4:30PM.

4:30PM drawing for next year's "Domingas"

MAY 29:
MEMORIAL DAY MASS

In remembrance of our beloved deceased, there will be a mass celebrated by our Bishop at the original Mausoleum Chapel of Notre Dame Cemetery in Fall River at 10AM. Please plan to join us in prayer for those whom we remember and love as a part of your memorial day observance.

PREPARATION FOR BAPTISMS IN
JUNE & JULY

A meeting for those who have already registered their children at the Rectory for Baptism will be held **THIS Sunday at 7PM in our Parish Center Hall.** It is important that all parents & godparents attend this meeting. **Please be on time!**

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Beginning June 11,
the Sunday Mass schedule is as follows:

SAM Portuguese
9:30AM English
11AM Portuguese

MORDOMIA: INVITATION

The Mordomia Grupo and its "Mordomos", Carlos & Helena Botelho, invite all the 2017 Domingas to take part in the celebration next Sunday, which will begin at 11AM, at Chaves Market Parking Lot.

PARISH ANNIVERSARY

On June 18 we are celebrating our 125 years as a parish. The solemn, bilingual celebration will be at 10AM (the only Eucharist celebrated on that Sunday), with lunch to follow in our hall served by Sagres Restaurant "Family Style".

We still have tickets available for purchase at the end of all masses. It is \$35 a person, wine and drinks included.

There will be more news in the upcoming Sundays.

FLOWERS FOR OUR FEASTS

Parishioners are invited to donate toward the cost of flowers for our Feast of the Holy Spirit, Anniversary of the Parish and Santo Christo Feast.

OUR FEASTS: BAZAAR

All who wish to donate gifts to the "Portuguese Bazaar" may do so after Masses in the Sacristy or Rectory.

RESTORATION OF THE CHURCH BUILDING

3rd & Last Exterior Phase

Cost
 \$621,700

Total Recieved
 \$92,184.89

Balance
 \$529,515.11

Last Week \$2,275.00

MISSAS ~ MASSÉS

SATURDAY, MAY 27

4PM António Rego, irmão, sogros e pais / Adelino Pavão / Aida Botelho / Maria Aguiar e esposo / Carlos e Inês Costa / António e Maria Aguiar / Francisco e Maria Luz / Eduardo Moniz e pais / Gilberto e Piedade Moraes / Liduinho Borges / Neli Reis / Evangelina Mendes e família / João Nunes Seda / Jacinto e Maria J Valentim / Viriato Soares / Eduarda da Piedade / Manuel e Maria Duarte / Dinis Viveiros e Intenções de Fátima Viveiros

SUNDAY, MAY 28

8AM Angelina Almeida / José Medeiros Cardoso / Maria Celia Sousa / Eduarda Silva / Albino Brum / Domingos Botelho / Renesto Ferreira Domingos / Maria da Gloria Tomas / Manuel e Maria do Rosario de Sousa Cruz / Manuel Lima, esposa e filho / José Lima / Tiberio Borges e família / Maria de Aguiar / Agostinho de Mello / Veronica Mello, pais e família / João Benjamin, filha, genro e pais / Margarida Benjamin e família, e Intenções de Maria Benjamin

9:30AM Lillian Rivest

12PM Espirito Santo Moreira / Olga Correia / Agostinho Medeiros e irmão João Medeiros / Fernando Carreiro / Maria Germana de Sousa / Isaura da Rosa / Gabriel da Silva / Amélia Cabral / Manuel da Silva / Maria dos Anjos de Sousa / João de Sousa e família

MONDAY, MAY 29

8AM António S Tavares / Inês Fernandes

TUESDAY, MAY 30

8AM Almas do Purgatório

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

8AM Por todos os Sacerdotes

**NO MASS
ON THURSDAY**

FRIDAY, JUNE 2

8AM Intenções de Aurelio Gouveia

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

4PM Silvério Almeida / Rita Araújo, pais, irmã e cunhado / Gilberto e Piedade Moraes / Neli Reis / António Pimentel, pais, irmãos e sogros / Fatima Oliveira e avós / João Medeiros, esposa Júlia / Virgínio Gouveia e família / John M Brum / Vitor Costa / Eduarda da Piedade e esposo / João C Pimentel, e Intenções de Susana Pimentel / Dinis Viveiros e Intenções de Fátima Viveiros

SUNDAY, JUNE 4

8AM Manuel Lima, esposa e filho / José Lima / José e Natália Melo / Agostinho M Melo e família / Veronica Melo / Luis e Gloria Germana e filhos / António e Rosa da Ponte e filho / Mario Castro / João e Juvina Carvalho / Luis Carvalho / Manuel e Helena Viveiros / Manuel e Francelina Pereira / / João Benjamin, filha, genro e pais / Margarida Benjamin e família, e Intenções de Maria Benjamin

9:30AM PARISH FAMILY

12PM Maria P Novo / Olga Correia / José Manuel Machado, Mercêdes e Evlina e pais / Nelson Medeiros, mãe e avós / António Santos, esposa e pais / António Cabeceiras, esposa e filho / João Dias Tavares e esposa / Arcenio Amaral e família / José Amaral, esposa e neto / José Martins, esposa e família / Pe. José Gomes e família / Robert Ferreira e família / Falecidos da Família Araújo / Intenções de Maria Ferreira

Lord God, During this month of June, we lift to you all leaders of nations. May they firmly commit themselves to ending the arms trade, which victimizes so many innocent people.

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