

SANTO CHRISTO PARISH

Mother Church of the Portuguese Parishes in the Fall River Diocese *Established in 1892*



WELCOME TO THE MOTHER CHURCH OF THE PORTUGUESE PARISHES IN THE DIOCESE OF FALL RIVER

The Santo Christo 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.

PARISH PRIEST

Rev. Gastão A. Oliveira

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Thomas M. Kocik

PARISH SECRETARY

Deborah Cândido-Pavão

FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR

Oswaldo Pacheco

OFFICE HOURS

Mon., Tue., Wed. & Thurs. 7:30AM - 2:30PM

TELEPHONES

Rectory	508-676-1184
Fax Number	508-676-9701
Faith Formation Office	508-675-3007

EUCCHARIST

Saturday	4:00PM (Portuguese)
Sunday	8:00AM (Portuguese)
	9:30AM (English)
	11:00AM (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

We welcome new parishioners.

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

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.

Rectory: 185 Canal Street • Fall River, Mass 02721-1405

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MISSÃO DE VIDA DA NOSSA PARÓQUIA

*A Família Paroquial do Santo Cristo
é uma comunidade bilingue e bicultural de fé.
Pelo poder do Espírito Santo
e sob a protecção da Mãe de Deus,
celebramos a nossa vida em Jesus Cristo,
o Filho de Deus.*

*A nossa Missão neste novo Milénio
é de nos comprometermos a evangelizar
com renovado zelo missionário.
Nós damos testemunho de Jesus Cristo
através do elo que nos une
a Santa Eucaristia
para formarmos um povo de Deus
que vive como sociedade mais justa e unificada.*

*Dedicamo-nos
a levar a Boa Nova da vida e da esperança
enquanto caminhamos
para a realidade do Reino de Deus.*

AGRADECIMENTO AOS ANUNCIANTES DO NOSSO BOLETIM PAROQUIAL

Gostariamos de agradecer publicamente a todos os comerciantes e empresários que anunciam connosco e tornam assim possível este Boletim Paroquial, que continuem a fazê-lo. Esperamos que os nossos paroquianos dêem preferência aos nossos anunciantes.

OBRIGADO!

APELO DAS CARIDADES CATÓLICAS 2017

\$26,039.00 foi o total do Apelo deste ano aqui na nossa comunidade paroquial. O nosso **MUITO OBRIGADO** para todos os paroquianos que contribuíram. Uma palavra de grande gratidão ao casal responsável deste ano, Mr. & Mrs. Manuel & Fátima Alves e a todo o grupo de trabalho: Mr. & Mrs. António & Irene Mendes, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph & Margaret Mello, e Mr. & Mrs. Nelson & Joana Mateus.

Bem Haja!

ANGARIAÇÃO DE FUNDOS PARA A NOSSA PARÓQUIA

**DOMINGO - 6 DE AGOSTO - 9-11AM
PEQUENO ALMOÇO**

Salão da Igreja

*Este pequeno almoço é iniciativa da
Irmandade do Rosario.*

*O lucro destina-se ao fundo do restauro da Igreja.
Para bilhetes - à saída das missas*

**Verifique se o seu telephone está desligado
durante a celebração da Missa. Obrigado.**

RESTAURO DO EDIFÍCIO DA IGREJA

3ª e Última Fase Exterior

<u>Custo</u>	<u>Total Recebido</u>
\$621,700	\$105,334.89

Balanço
\$516,365.11

Semana Passada \$3,950.00

OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*The parish family of Santo Christo
is a bilingual and bicultural community of faith.
Through the power of the Holy Spirit
and under the protection of the Mother of God,
we celebrate our life in Jesus Christ,
the Son of God.*

*Our Mission in this new Millennium
is to commit ourselves to evangelize
with a renewed missionary zeal.
We bear witness to Jesus Christ
through our common bond of the Holy Eucharist
in order to form a people of God
living as one society, more just and unified.*

*We dedicate ourselves
to bringing the Good News of life and hope
as we journey
to the reality of God's Kingdom.*

A WORD OF THANKS TO ALL ADVERTISERS OF OUR PARISH BULLETIN

We would like to publicly thank all business proprietors who advertise in our Church Bulletin and make its publication possible, and encourage them to continue. We ask all our parishioners to give preference to our bulletin announcers.

MANY THANKS!

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL 2017

\$26,039.00 was the final total of this year's Appeal here in our Parish Community. A heartfelt **THANK YOU** to all who contributed. Also, a word of tremendous gratitude to this year's Chairpersons, Mr. & Mrs. Manuel & Fatima Alves, and all the members of the CCA Team: Mr. & Mrs. António & Irene Mendes, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph & Margaret Mello, and Mr. & Mrs. Nelson & Joana Mateus, for their fine work!

Thanks!

FUNDRAISERS FOR OUR PARISH

SUNDAY - AUGUST 6 - 9-11AM

BREAKFAST

In the Church Hall

This breakfast will be initiated and organized by the Holy Rosary Sodality.

Profit is for the Restoration of the Church Fund

Tickets may be purchased at the end of masses.

**Please be sure that your cellphones are
turned off or put into silent mode
during the celebration of the Mass.
Thank You.**

RESTORATION OF THE CHURCH BUILDING

3rd & Last Exterior Phase

<u>Cost</u>	<u>Total Recieved</u>
\$621,700	\$105,334.89

Balance
\$516,365.11

Last Week \$3,950.00

MISSAS ~ MASSÉS

SATURDAY, JULY 8

4PM Silvério Almeida / João Luis Sousa / José Raposo / Neli Reis / José e Eliza Oliveira / António e Maria Carvalho / Nuno Reis e avós / Maria José / José e Gloria Pimentel e filhos / Dinis Viveiros e Intenções de Fátima Viveiros

SUNDAY, JULY 9

8AM Maria dos Anjos e José Tavares / João Dias / Maria de Aguiar / Agostinho deMello / Veronica Mello, pais e família / António e Berta Bolarinho / João Bolarinho / Mariano e Maria C Oliveira / Gualter Carvalho, pais, sogros e irmão / João Benjamin, filha, genro e pais / Margarida Benjamin e família, e Intenções de Maria Benjamin

9:30AM Nancy A Laurens / Michael Lourenço / Clarence Palatier

11AM Miguel Rodrigues / Alfred Sousa, esposa e filho / Maria de Jesus Barbosa e esposo / Manuel e Júlia Barros / Joaquim Martins / Rosa Portella / Manuel Martins / Olga Correia / António Santos, esposa e pais / António Cabeceiras, esposa e filho / Maria do Espirito Santo Silva, pais e irmãos / Vitor Costa / José Marcelino e esposa / Maria Borges

MONDAY, JULY 10

8AM Intenções de Aurelio Gouveia

TUESDAY, JULY 11

8AM José M Catarino / Acção de Graças ao Santissimo Sacramento

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

8AM Por todos os Sacerdotes

NO MASS ON THURSDAY

FRIDAY, JULY 14

8AM Almas do Purgatório

SATURDAY, JULY 15

4PM Fernanda Ferreira, filho e irmãos / Augusto Rocha, pais, sogros e cunhados / Norma Santos e pai / Diamantina Fernandes e família / Manuel e Etelvina Ferreira / Luis Medeiros, sogros e cunhados / Natalia Tavares / Luzia Furtado / José Raposo / Neli Reis / Maria Isabel DaSilva / Maria DaSilva / Luis José Dias / Constantina Botelho, esposo e filhos / José Botelho Raposo e esposa / Albano Medeiros / Dinis Viveiros e Intenções de Fátima Viveiros

SUNDAY, JULY 16

8AM João Benjamin, filha, genro e pais / Margarida Benjamin e família / José Jacinto Tavares / Intenções de Maria Tavares e de Maria Benjamin

9:30AM Manuel & Maria C Moniz & daughters

11AM António e Margarida DaLuz André / Olga Correia / António Santos, esposa e genro / Rosalina Botelho, esposo, filhos e genro



14th Sunday
in Ordinary Time

"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves.

For my yoke is easy, and my burden light." Mt 11:28-30

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