

# SANTO CHRISTO PARISH

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

*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.*

### **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.

**PARISH PRIEST**  
Rev. Gastão A. Oliveira

**PAROCHIAL VICAR**  
Rev. Thomas M. Kocik

**PARISH SECRETARY**  
Deborah Cândido-Pavão

**FAITH FORMATION DIRECTOR**  
Osvaldo Pacheco

We welcome all new parishioners. Please register at the office, or after Mass in the Sacristy.

### **EUCHARIST**

Saturday 4:00PM (Portuguese)  
Sunday 8:00AM (Portuguese)  
9:30AM (English)  
11:45AM (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

### **OFFICE HOURS**

Mon., Tue., Wed. & Thurs. 8AM - 2:30PM

### **TELEPHONES**

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

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**PRÓXIMO FIM DE SEMANA: DOMINGO DE RAMOS -- BENÇÃO DAS PALMAS**

As palmas serão abençoadas em cada celebração da Eucaristia do próximo fim de semana. Os ramos estarão à entrada da Igreja. As pessoas ao entrarem na Igreja pegarão no seu ramo -- mantendo-o na mão até à benção que será logo no início da Missa.

**ANGARIAÇÃO DE FUNDOS  
PARA A PARÓQUIA**

**VENDA DE PASTELARIA E BOLOS  
NESTE FIM DE SEMANA**

*Após todas as Missas  
promovido pela Irmandade do Rosário*

**PENSÕES DA NOSSA MORDOMIA  
na Sacristia**

**PREPARAÇÃO PARA A PÁSCOA  
SACRAMENTO DA RECONCILIAÇÃO**

**(CONFISSÕES) -- HORÁRIO  
NA NOSSA PARÓQUIA**  
*2ªfeira, 26 de Março – 11AM e 7PM*

**NA CIDADE**

*Nesta 3ªfeira - São Miguel - 7:00PM  
Nesta 4ªfeira - Santo António - 7:00PM  
Nesta 5ªfeira - Espírito Santo -- 7:00PM*

**PRESENÇA DA IGREJA NA TV  
PORTUGUESE CHANNEL**

**NESTA SEMANA**

*da 2ª à 4ªfeira às 9:30PM  
"Caminhos de Páscoa"*

**PRÓXIMA SEMANA:**

**4ªFEIRA - ÀS 10PM**

*Programa Católico Na TV - "Boa Nova da Vida"  
Portuguese Channel -- Canal 20  
"Juventude e Sínodo 2018"*

**5ªFEIRA SANTA**

*Missa da Ceia do Senhor 9:30PM*

**6ªFEIRA SANTA**

*Celebração da Paixão do Senhor 9:30PM*

**DOMINGO DE PASCOA – 1 ABRIL**

*Eucaristia Dominical 7PM*

**VIA SACRA**

*Esta 6ªfeira às 7:30AM na Capela.*

**ÚLTIMA CHAMADA - S VICENTE DE PAULO  
RECOLHA DE ALIMENTOS**

*A recolha de Alimentos do S. Vicente de Paulo para os  
mais carenciados termina neste Domingo. Obrigado!*

**CAMPANHA TIJELA DE ARROZ  
(RICE BOWL)**

*Termina no próximo fim de semana a Campanha  
Nacional "Tijela de Arroz" que se destina às crianças  
famintas do mundo. Pedimos aos paroquianos que  
depositem a entrada da Igreja.*



**NAS VOSSAS ORAÇÕES**

*Lembrai-vos dos nossos paroquianos  
nos hospitais e nas casas de terceira idade.  
Que o Senhor os cure e os conforte.*

**FLORES PARA A  
PÁSCOA**

*Aceitamos ofertas para custear as flores da Páscoa.  
Por favor, contactem um dos Sacerdotes depois da  
Missa, ou depositem na caixa do correio da Reitoria.*

**NEXT WEEKEND: PALM SUNDAY – BLESSING OF PALMS**

*Palms will be blessed at all Masses next weekend. Upon entering Church, please take a palm. The Blessing of Palms will take place at the beginning of each Mass.*

**FUNDRAISERS  
FOR OUR PARISH**

**THIS WEEKEND - CAKE SALE**

*After all masses*

*Sponsored by the parish Holy Rosary Sodality*

**PENSÕES FROM OUR MORDOMIA**

*in the Sacristy*

**PRESENCE OF THE CHURCH ON TV  
PORTUGUESE CHANNEL**

**THIS WEEK**

*Monday - Thursday at 9:30PM*

*"Easter Journey"*

**NEXT WEEK**

**WEDNESDAY - 10PM**

*Catholic TV Program - Portuguese Channel*

*"Good News For Life" (Boa Nova da Vida)*

**"Youth and Synod 2018"**

**HOLY THURSDAY**

*Mass of the Lord's Supper 9:30PM*

**GOOD FRIDAY**

*Passion of the Lord 9:30PM*

**EASTER SUNDAY – APRIL 1**

*Eucharistic Celebration 7PM*

**PREPARATION FOR EASTER  
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

**(CONFESSIONS) SCHEDULE  
IN OUR PARISH**

**Monday, March 26 – 11AM & 7PM**

**OTHER PARISHES**

*This Tuesday - St. Michael - 7:00PM*

*This Wednesday - St. Anthony - 7:00PM*

*This Thursday - Espirito Santo - 7:00PM*

**WAY OF THE CROSS**

*This Friday at 7:30AM in the Chapel.*

**FINAL WEEKEND FOR  
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD DRIVE**

*The St. Vincent de Paul food drive for the needy ends this Sunday. Thank you for your generosity and your support.*

**OPERATION "RICE BOWL"**

*Next weekend ~ Palm Sunday ~ marks the conclusion of "Operation Rice Bowl". Please deposit your "Rice Bowl" donation this weekend at the boxes found at the entrance of the Church.*



**IN YOUR PRAYERS**

*Please remember our parish sick-in-hospital and in nursing homes. May the Lord heal and comfort them.*

**EASTER FLOWERS**

*If you wish to donate toward the cost of Easter Flowers to decorate our Church, please speak to a priest after Mass, or deposit offering in the mail slot at the Rectory.*

# MISSAS ~ MASSÉS

## SATURDAY, MARCH 17

**4PM** Lúcia Correira / Maria Soares e Rosa Brendão / António Cipriano, esposa e filhos / Manuel Cipriano / Miguel Cordeiro e esposa / Manuel Cordeiro e esposa / António e Maria Carvalho, filho João e neta Jennifer / Norbina DaSilva / José e Gloria Pimentel e filhos / Dinis Viveiros e Intenções de Fátima Viveiros

## SUNDAY, MARCH 18

**8AM** Luis Franco e filhos / José e Ernestina DaCosta / João Benjamin, filha, genro e pais / Margarida Benjamin e família / Maria José Ferreira, esposo e pais / Irene Machdo e família / Pelos familiares, amigos e concedes e Intenções de Graças Meneses e de Maria Benjamin

**9:30AM** José Tomé / Fernando Martins / Manuel & Maria C Moniz & daughters

**11:45AM** Manuel Furtado / José Furtado / Maria Silva / Laudalino Furtado / Maria da Conceição Cabral / José Gildo Teixeira / Maria Melo / Irena Teixeira / Maria Texeira / José Furtado / Maria José Teixeira / Manuel Teixeira / José Teixeira / José Paul Silva / Evangelina Luis / Eduarda da Piedade e esposo / Jacinto e Ortencia Albergeria / António e Margarida DaLuz André / António Santos, esposa e genro / Agostinho Medeiros, esposa e filhos

## MONDAY, MARCH 19

**8AM** José Botelho Raposo e esposa /

## TUESDAY, MARCH 20

**8AM** Rosa e Almino Botelho e Intenções de Nuno Araújo

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

**8AM** Agostinho M Melo e família / Maria deAguiar e esposo / Veronica Melo, pais e família / Jeremias deMelo e família

**NO MASS ON THURSDAY**

## FRIDAY, MARCH 23

**8AM** Maria José Pimentel / Clodomiro S Botelho / José Botelho Raposo e esposa

## SATURDAY, MARCH 24

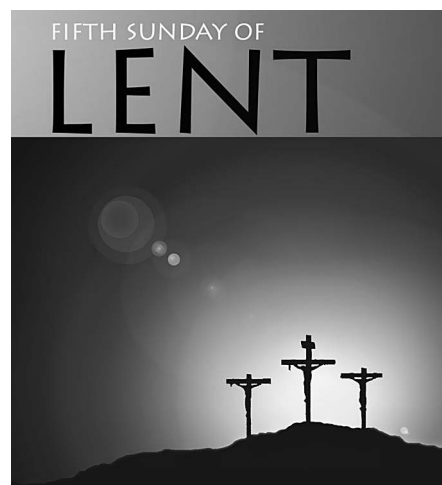
**4PM** José Pimentel, esposa e filhos / Susana Lopes, esposo e filho / António Miudo, pais e irmãos / Maria Fátima Oliveira e avós / Alice e Joseph Pavão / Albina Moniz / Norbina DaSilva / Libania Borges e filho / Jaime Borges / Regina e João Silva e neto / Maria C Bettencourt e família / António Joaquim & Inês Fernandes / Manuel Pimentel Costa / Dinis Viveiros e Intenções de Fátima Viveiros

## SUNDAY, MARCH 25

**8AM** António João Furtado, esposa e filha / João Benjamin, filha, genro e pais / Margarida Benjamin e família / Agostinho M Melo e família / Maria deAguiar e esposo / Veronica Melo, pais e família / Jeremias deMelo e família / João Dias / Pelos familiares, amigos e concedes e Intenções de Graças Meneses e de Maria Benjamin

**9:30AM** Deodato Pacheco e família

**11:45AM** Manuel e Júlia Barros / Joaquim Martins / Tiago e Francisco DaSilva e família / José daMota Medeiros, pais e sogros / José Manuel Costa / Fernando Carreiro / Rosalina Botelho, esposo, filhos e genro / 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



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