



**St. Bernard Church
275 Tower Hill Road
North Kingstown, R. I.**

A Stewardship Parish

**Easter Sunday
The Resurrection of the Lord
April 16, 2017**

Rev. John E. Unsworth, Pastor
Rev. Charles Maher, Weekend Assistant

Pastoral Assistant: Angelo Giacchi
Administrative Assistant: Michael Saunders
Elementary Faith Formation: Dawn Masterson
Rel. Ed. Office Manager: Deborah Fortin
Music Director: Alison Shea

Mass Schedules

Weekends:
Saturday Vigil ~ 5:00 PM

Sundays
7:00 AM 8:30 AM 10:30 AM



Weekdays:
8:00 AM Monday through Friday

**Parish Center: 275 Tower Hill Road
North Kingstown, RI 02852**

Phone #: 295-0387

E-mail: ParishCenter@SBCWickford.org

Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 AM ~ 4:00 PM

Please visit us on the web:
<http://www.SBCWickford.org>

Baptism: Please call Angelo at the Parish Center for information about scheduling and preparation.

Communion to the Sick: Please notify us of those sick and in need of Communion at home.

Marriage: Please call 10 months in advance.

Holy Orders: Tel: 401-831-8011
www.catholicpriest.com

Project Rachel: Post abortion counseling
Tel: 401-421-7833, ext. 118

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:00 PM ~ 4:30 PM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:
Following Tuesday's 8:00 AM Mass
until 11:30 AM

Family Faith Formation Program:
This family based program provides parishioners of all ages opportunities for learning, growing and living our Faith through common experiences, age-specific learning and interactive sharing and is designed for families with children in grades 1 through 7. Our Confirmation Program accepts students in grades 8 and 9, but any high school student is welcome. For information contact sbc.reled@verizon.net.

Two men in shining clothes said, Jesus is not here: He has been raised.

- Luke 24:6

What happened next is history. Jesus began appearing to his disciples. He was more radiant than they had ever seen Him.

Suddenly the power of Easter began to work miracles in their lives. They ceased being despairing men and women and became missionaries.

They preached, the power of Easter worked miracles in people's lives. They believed again after doubting. They hoped again after despairing. They loved again after hating.

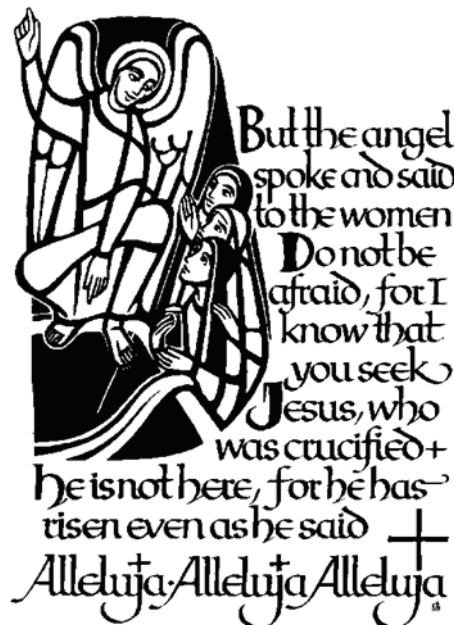
The power of Easter continues to work miracles in people's lives wherever it is preached and wherever people open their hearts to it.

Let us all pray that we can open our hearts more fully to the power of Easter - the power of the Risen Jesus at work in our world.



A Happy & Blessed Easter!

Fr. Jack



Mass Intentions

MONDAY, April 17:

8:00 AM – *James Cresta*
by Peter & Lianne Nikitas

TUESDAY, April 18:

8:00 AM – *The Deceased of the Parish*

WEDNESDAY, April 19

8:00 AM – *Fenwick Gardiner*
by his wife Arlene

THURSDAY, April 20:

7:00 PM – *The Deceased of the Parish*

FRIDAY, April 21:

7:00 PM - *The Deceased of the Parish*

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, April 22:

7:30 PM – *Margaret Morrissey, 7th Anniversary*
by her family

SUNDAY, April 23:

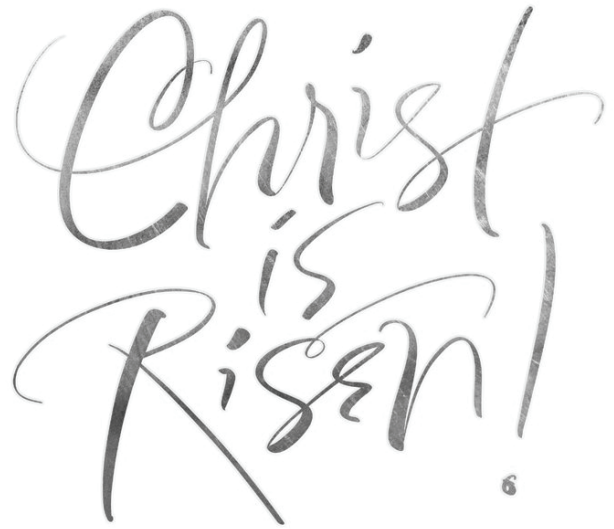
7:00 AM - *Daniel & Steven Smith*
by Maureen Motherway

8:30 AM - *Dorothy Squillante*
by the Squillante family

10:30 AM – *Albert Holt, 3rd Anniversary*
by his sister

Upcoming Meetings

Thu 4/20	Adult Choir Baptism Class	6:45 PM 7:00 PM
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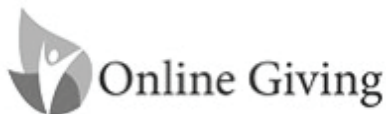


We welcome new parishioners

If you are new to the area and would like to register in the parish, please visit us at

www.SBCWickford.org

or call the parish office at 295-0387. There is a lot to get involved in here and we would love to have you join us.



We offer an online option that complements our offering envelope use. By signing up to give your weekly offertory and special collections online, you will help the parish more accurately forecast our finances and plan more strategically. Online Giving is a safe, secure and dependable means of income for the parish. Visit **SBCWickford.org**, click on “Support your Parish” and follow the link to OSV, Online Giving.

PARISH SUPPORT

	Apr 2, 2017	2016
Basket	\$8,291.00	\$9,324.00
On Line Giving	\$1,412.00	\$1,257.50
	Mar 26, 2017	2016
Basket	\$7,101.00	\$12,343.00
On Line Giving	\$1,312.00	\$2,420.50

Announcements



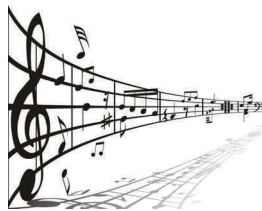
Sunday Community Dinners

The Sunday Community Dinners are held weekly at 1st Baptist Church of Wickford, 44 Main Street. Dinners are served at 12:30 p.m. (new start time) and are open to all, **FREE**. St. Bernard's will be providing the meal on May 21, June 25 and July 23. If you would like to help, please call Chris Kosak at 294-2885 or the Parish Center at 295-0387.



The N. K. Food Pantry

The Pantry needs juice boxes, granola/nutrition bars, tuna, jelly, mayonnaise, ketchup, relish, coffee, crackers, juice, cereal and hygiene products. Drop off your donations in the entry-way of Church.



Music Ministry Rehearsal Schedule

Children's Choir: Wednesdays at 5:30 pm.
Teen Choir: Wednesdays at 6:30 pm.
Adult Choir: Thursdays at 6:45 pm
If you would like more information on any of the choirs, see Alison after Mass or email Alison at alison.shea72@gmail.com



CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL
Supporting the work of the Church

"Faith and Good Works"

Supports 39 Diocesan Ministries and Programs that Serve Over 200,000 Rhode Islanders Annually

It is the goal of every Catholic Charity Appeal ministry to continue the redemptive work of Christ in our world.

What We Do:

1. We teach God's truth
2. We love our neighbor
3. We serve with grateful hearts

Why We Do It:

1. To promote peace and justice
2. To proclaim the dignity of each person
3. To share our values

How We Do It:

1. Through 39 ministries and programs
2. Through dedicated clergy, staff and volunteers
3. Through living what we believe

Case Statement for the Catholic Charity Appeal

The Catholic Charity Appeal is the main source of support for our diocesan agencies providing for the physical, educational, and spiritual needs of Rhode Islanders each year. It is our responsibility to ensure that these agencies and programs have the resources available to help our brothers and sisters in need.



2017 CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL

We continue the Annual Catholic Charity Fund Appeal in our Parish. Some of our parishioners have already responded to a personal appeal directly from Bishop Tobin, and soon we will make the general appeal to the entire Parish. With your help we are sure to reach our parish goal of \$85,000 this year

FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM
SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
SAVE THE DATES!

Weather related Class Cancellations!

Please log on to www.turnto10.com
or check the local TV/Radio Channels for updates

First Communion Rehearsal: Monday May 1st in the Church

6:00-6:45pm Group A (Saturday Morning Group)

7:00-7:45pm Group B (Saturday Afternoon Group)

First Communion Masses: Saturday, May 6th in the Church 11:00am- Group A 1:00pm-Group B

Grades-3, 4, 5

Last Children's Mass, Sunday May 7th 8:30 AM followed by end of year celebration in the Parish Center.

Confirmation Candidates

Reminder: Confirmation Candidates are required to sign in to record their attendance at weekly Mass in the book located in the gathering space. If you attend Mass at a different church, please return a signed bulletin to the Parish Center on a regular basis.

Special Religious Development

Come Share your faith in a small parish community with people with developmental and cognitive disabilities. Many are waiting for someone to help them grow and journey in faith. Training is provided by the Diocesan SPRED office. This ministry offers spiritual growth in the love of God for parishioners who answer "yes" to this call and people with disabilities who join a SPRED parish, small faith community. Please call Irma Rodriguez at 278-4578 if you would like more information about SPRED or if you know anyone with disabilities who will like to be a part of a community of faith. May God bless you abundantly.



Start Collecting your Stuff!

Join us for the 2nd Saint Bernard Church / The Haitian Project Yard Sale Fundraiser!

When: Saturday April 29, 2017 @ 9am-1pm
Where: Parish Center

Gently-used or new household items donated by parishioners will be collected and sold. Donations may be dropped off beginning on March 1. Collection containers will be placed in the gathering space at the entrance of the church. **Please contact Zach Overly with any questions. Phone: (401) 400-9038 Email: zoverly36@gmail.com**



Summer Bible Camp

(June 26 - June 30, 2017)

A weeklong, half day camp hosted at St. Bernard Church for Students entering grade K-5 in the fall of 2017. The theme is Maker Fun Factory - Created by God, Built for a purpose. There will be a variety of activities including, games, story time, crafts and snack time. Registration forms are available in the gathering space of the Church. Adult volunteers are needed as "Station Leaders" and High School Students are needed as "Crew Leaders". If you are interested please contact the Faith Formation Office at 295-0387 or sbc.reled@verizon.net as soon as possible.



Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children between the ages of 4 and 11 are welcome to join us each week for the Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 10:30 Mass. Children are dismissed to the Gathering Space for the readings and a "child friendly" homily. They return to their families at collection.