Catholic Parishes in Jamaica Plain & Roxbury

Parroquias Católicas en Jamaica Plain y Roxbury

St. Mary of the Angels
Santa María de los Ángeles
377 Walnut Avenue,
Roxbury, MA 02119

Our Lady of Lourdes
Nuestra Señora de Lourdes
14 Montebello Rd
Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

St. Thomas Aquinas
Santo Tomás de Aquino
97 South Street
Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

Fourth Sunday of Easter

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my sheep, and mine know me.

John 10:14

WELCOME

WELCOME TO OUR PARISHES IN COLLABORATION
BIENVENIDOS A NUESTRAS PARROQUIAS EN COLABORACION

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Mass Intentions for the Week

St. Thomas Aquinas

Sat. April 25	**12:00 pm**	**Paul Callahan Jr. (Well-being)**
Sun. April 26	10:00 am	Michelle Toorie, Lena Mc Donald
	12:30 pm	Por todos los Feligreses
Mon. April 27	12:00 pm	For all Parishioners
Tue. April 28	12:00 pm	Robert Polich (Well-being)
Thu. April 30	12:00 pm	Oscar L. Garcia
Fri. May 01	12:00 pm	For all Parishioners
Sat. May 02	**12:00 pm**	**For all Parishioners**

Our Lady of Lourdes

Sun. April 26	8:00 am	Por todos los Feligreses
	10:00 am	For all Parishioners
	12:30 am	Gisela & Pablo Astwood

St. Mary of the Angels

Sun. April 26	9:00 am	For all Parishioners
	11:15 am	Por todos los Feligreses

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION
ADORACION DEL SANTISIMO

Please come to adore the Blessed Sacrament at the following hours and places:

Tuesday/ Martes @ St Mary of the Angels from 7:00pm to 8:00pm

Thursday / Jueves @ St. Thomas Aquinas from 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Friday/Viernes de 7:30 a 8:30 en NS de Lourdes

Sunday Collection~Colecta Dominical

St. Thomas Aquinas
April 19th: $2,062.00

Our Lady of Lourdes
April 12th: $2,285.00
Building Maintenance: $1,195.00
April 19th: not counted yet.

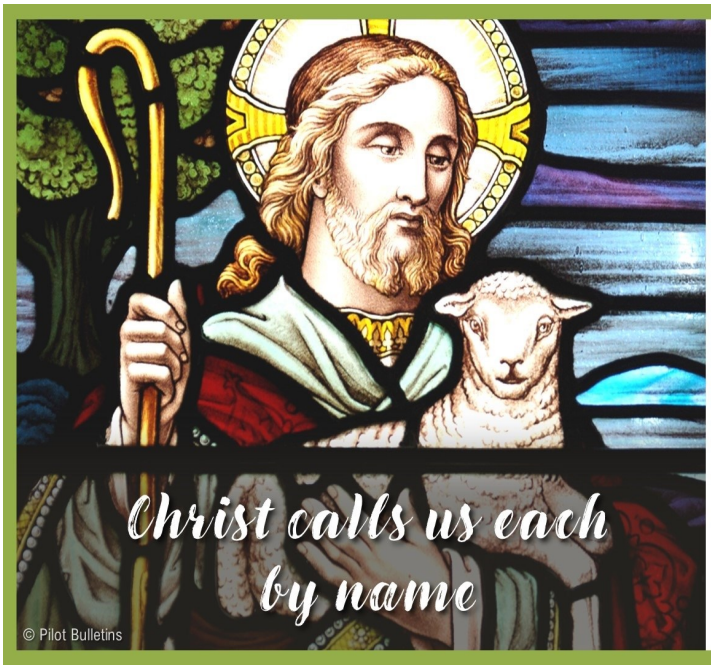
St. Mary of the Angels
Clergy Trust: not counted yet.
April 12th: not counted yet.
Building Maintenance: not counted yet.
April 19th: not counted yet.

THE DOORS OF ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH ARE OPEN DAILY FROM 9AM TO 9PM FOR PERSONAL PRAYER.

LAS PUERTAS DEL TEMPLO DE STO. TOMAS DE AQUINO ESTÁN ABIERTAS TODOS LOS DÍAS DE 9:00AM A 9:00PM PARA LA ORACIÓN PERSONAL.

If you wish like to make a donation to St. Thomas Aquinas Parish, please use this QR code.

BIENVENIDOS



Fourth Sunday of Easter—Year A

First Reading — Acts 2:14A, 36-41: Peter urged the people to repent, be baptized, and receive the Holy Spirit. That day about three thousand accepted the message and were baptized.

Responsorial Psalm — Psalm 23: The Lord is my shepherd, providing for all my needs, guiding me, and comforting me. His goodness and kindness will follow me always, and I will dwell in His house forever.

Second Reading — 1 Peter 2:20b-25: Christ suffered for us, setting an example. He bore our sins so we could live righteously. We were lost, but now we return to Him.

Gospel — John 10:1-10: Jesus explains that he is the gate for the sheep. The shepherd enters through the gate, and the sheep follow his voice. Jesus came to give life abundantly.

SACRAMENTS

Save the dates—Guarde la fecha

First communion—
Primeras Comuniones
May 31st at Our Lady of Lourdes
at
12:30 pm
June 7th at St. Mary of the Angels
at
11:15 am

Confirmations—Confirmaciones
May 31st at Saint Thomas Aquinas
at 5:00 pm

Please join us!!
Acompáñenos!!

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month

It takes all of us to keep our kids safe.

Keep Watch

Listen to Our Kids

Report Concerns

Background Screening | Protecting God's Children Training | Youth Safe Environment

If you have a child, love a child, work with a child, know a child, or are around a child, we want you to be part of our child abuse prevention efforts. Everyone who knows about prevention is one more person who is helping to keep all our kids safe.

Protecting God's Children sessions are provided multiple times most weeks throughout the Archdiocese of Boston. They are open to everyone. To find a session that works for you, talk to your parish or school staff, go to www.VIRTUSonline.org, or contact us.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BOSTON
OFFICE OF PASTORAL SUPPORT AND CHILD PROTECTION
(617) 746-5994
Child_Advocacy@rcab.org
www.BostonCatholic.org

Parishes of Jamaica Plain & Roxbury

Catholic Appeal BOSTON

Juntos somos uno

Together we are one
ARCHDIOCESE OF BOSTON | CATHOLIC APPEAL

	Goal	Gift / Pledge	To go	Percentage	Register
St. Mary of the Angels	$8,800	$10,070	($1,270)	114%	31
Our Lady of Lourdes	$13,040	$7,795	$5,245	60%	46
St. Thomas Aquinas	$32,000	$26,685	$5,315	83%	50

NEXT BAPTISMS IN ENGLISH - May 2026

For infants and children under 6

- **Class**: Saturday, May 16 @ 12:30 pm @ Saint Thomas Aquinas Church
- **Baptisms**: Saturday, May 23 @ Our Lady of Lourdes 1:00 pm
- **Baptisms**: Saturday, May 23 @ St. Thomas Aquinas 2:00 PM
- **Baptisms**: Sunday, May 31 @ St. Mary's of the Angels 10:00 am

If you are interested, please call the rectory to make an appointment with a priest (617-524-0240)

PROXIMOS BAUTISMOS EN ESPAÑOL

Para bebés y niños menores de 6 años

Mes de Mayo 2026

- Clase: **Sábado 2 de Mayo a la 1:00 pm** en la Iglesia de Santo Tomás de Aquino.
- Bautismos en Nuestra Señora de Lourdes: **Sábado 9 de Mayo @ 2:00 pm.**
- Bautismos en Santo Tomas de Aquino: **Sábado 16 de Mayo @ 2:00 pm.**
- Bautismos en Santa María de los Angeles: **Domingo 31 de Mayo @ 12:30 pm.**

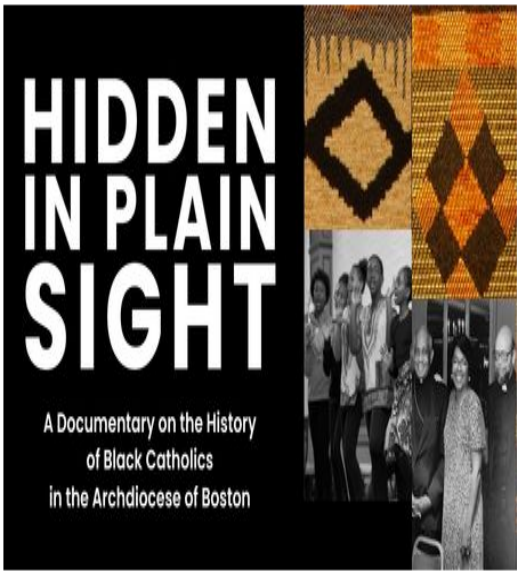
El primer paso es hacer una cita con un sacerdote llamando a la rectoría (617-524-0240)

Parroquias de Jamaica Plain y Roxbury

You are warmly invited to a screening of *Hidden in Plain Sight*, a short documentary exploring the rich and often overlooked history of Black Catholics in the Archdiocese of Boston.

When: Sunday, May 3, 2026
Time: 6:30-8 pm
Where: St. Ignatius of Loyola Parish, 30 Commonwealth Ave., Chestnut Hill

This brief film sheds light on the history of Black Catholics through powerful interviews with members of the Black Catholic community who share their insights and lived experiences.
In addition to the documentary, the evening will include a panel discussion along with a light supper. Please RSVP at www.evangelizeboston.com/events, scroll down to and click on *Hidden in Plain Sight*, to register or contact Lorna DesRoses at 617 746-5810, Black Catholic Communities, Multicultural Ministriies



12 HORAS de
Adoración al Santísimo el
Viernes
8 **de Mayo !**

En la Capilla de Nuestra Señora de Lourdes.
Comienza después de la Santa Misa de las 7:00 pm y termina a las 8:00 AM del Sábado.

LA ASOCIACIÓN MARIANA
"NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LAS AMÉRICAS"
DE LA ARQUIDIÓCESIS DE BOSTON TE INVITA A

LA GRAN PEREGRINACIÓN
HISPANA AL SANTUARIO DE
NUESTRA SEÑORA DE
FÁTIMA EN HOLLISTON, MA.

"VIRGEN MARÍA, REINA Y MISIONERA DE LA PAZ"

Sábado 2 de mayo, 2026
9:00 a.m - 4:00 p.m
101 SUMMER ST. HOLLISTON, MA. 01746

Celebrante de la Santa
Eucaristía Rev. Raphael Pinto

¡Te esperamos! trae tu almuerzo

Para más información comuníquese con Bertha Rodriguez 617-784-0015, Beatriz Soto 617-820-9065, Miguel Ruiz 716-598-0186 o al correo electrónico asocmarianaboston31@gmail.com

Sábado 2 de mayo de 2026

Evento totalmente gratuito y abierto al público en general

Lugar de encuentro: **Parroquia "Santo Tomás de Aquino"**
97 South St. Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

Salida del bus: **8:00 AM**

- Favor estar en "Santo Tomás de Aquino" (más tardar) a las 7:30 AM

Hora de estimada de regreso a Jamaica Plain: **4:00 PM**

- Salimos del Santuario a las 3:00 PM
- Donación p/persona (adultos y niños): **$30**
- Primeros puestos del autobús están reservados para los hermanos & hermanas que necesitan asistencia.
- Estacionamiento detrás del templo (entrada por Jamaica St.)
- Traer almuerzo, bebidas (agua, jugo, soda) o meriendas a su gusto
- El autobús cuenta con maletero. Pueden traer sillas plegables, cooler, utensilios de cocina, etc.

Para más información, por favor póngase en contacto con:
Niza Troncoso (617-435-6771), Rocio Castillo (857-234-0915),
Vilma Rosario (857-312-3154) o Yenni Hernandez (617-372-4782)

Weekday Masses in English
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
&
Friday @ 12:00 PM
at St. Thomas Aquinas Chapel

Misas en Español durante la semana
Jueves: 7pm en la Capilla de Sto. Tomás de Aquino
Viernes: 7pm en Nuestra Señora de Lourdes

Rev. Carlos Flor, Pastor
Rev. Andrea Povero, Vicar
Rev. Felipe Gonzalez, Vicar
Rev. Mr. Rafael Bautista, Permanent Deacon
Rectory: 97 South Street, Jamaica Plain, MA

Tel: 617-524-0240
For emergencies call the parish and dial option 1
Para emergencias, llame a la parroquia y marque el 1.

Fax: 617-524-1840
e-mail: stthosaq@comcast.net

Rose Gilles, Finance & Operations Manager
Amaryllis Nieto, Administrative Assistant

Website: **www.catholicjproxbury.com**

Parish Office Hours - *Horas de oficina*
Monday - Friday: 9:00am–5:00pm
at 97 South Street, Jamaica Plain, MA

Confessions - Confesiones
St. Thomas Aquinas's Chapel Saturday 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
St. Mary of the Angels: Tuesdays from 7 PM to 8 PM
St. Thomas Aquinas: Thursdays from 6 PM to 7PM
Our Lady of Lourdes: Fridays from 7:30PM to 8:30 PM

Religious Education - Educación Religiosa
Our Lady of Lourdes: Sunday 11:00 - 12:00 pm
St. Thomas Aquinas: Sunday 11:00 - 12:00 pm
St. Mary of the Angels: Sunday 10:15 - 11:15 am

Please call the Rectory for:
Llame la Rectoría para:

- Baptism - *Bautismo* • Marriage - *Bodas*
- Adult Religious Education - *RICA*
- Care of the Sick - *Visitas a los Enfermos*
- Confirmation - *Confirmación*

Saint Mary of the Angels is a multicultural and multilingual Catholic community of believers in Jesus Christ and His message. We strive to live our faith in joyful worship, providing spiritual nourishment, a welcoming and inclusive environment and sense of family in all our activities, and committing ourselves to promote justice in our neighborhood and the broader world.

La Parroquia Santa María de los Ángeles es una comunidad Católica multicultural y multilingüe de creyentes en Jesucristo y su mensaje. Nosotros procuramos vivir nuestra fe en alegre adoración, proveyendo alimento espiritual, un ambiente agradable e inclusivo y un sentido de familia en todas nuestras actividades, y comprometiéndonos a promover justicia en nuestra vecindad y el mundo más amplio.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH

Masses Schedule - Horario de las Misas
Saturday: 4:00pm English
Evening Mass for the NC Way (call the rectory for more information)
Sunday Masses • Misa los Domingos
10:00am English 12:30pm Español
Daily Mass • Misa diaria
12:00pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday (English)
7:00pm Jueves (Español)

OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH

Sunday Masses • Misa los Domingos
8:00am Español 10:00am English
12:30pm Español
Daily Mass • Misa diaria
7:00pm Viernes (Español)

ST. MARY OF THE ANGELS PARISH

Sunday Masses • Misa los Domingos
9:00am English 11:15am Español

Food Pantry-Despensa de Comida ***617-833-1898***

St. Mary of the Angels Mission Statement