

Partial List of African American & Other African Ethnic Liturgies in Massachusetts - Compilation based on phone communications, Facebook pages, text exchanges, church bulletins, parish and diocesan website consultations -

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Liste Partielle de Liturgies Américains Noirs et d'Autres Ethnicités Noires

Ste Katherine Drexell, Roxbury

175 Blue Hill Ave, Roxbury– African American & Nigerian

Phone: (617) 445-8915

African American Sunday Masses: 8:00AM & 10:00AM

Nigerian Community Mass – Sundays 1:00 PM

African American, Roxbury

St. Mary of the Angels

Roxbury/Jamaica Plain –

377 Walnut Ave, Roxbury, MA 02119

Phone: (617) 445-1524

Mass 9:00 A.M

African Americans, Haitians, and others

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, formerly St. Angela

1548 Blue Hill Avenue | Mattapan, MA 02126 | 617-298-0080

Saturday Vigil | 4:00 PM | ENGLISH | in the Chapel.

SUNDAY | 7:00 AM (multilingual) | 9:00 AM (FRENCH)

SUNDAY 11:00 AM (ENGLISH) | 1:00 PM (Haitian Creole/French).

WEEKDAYS | 9:00 AM Daily in Haitian/Creole & French in the Chapel

Wednesdays: 9 AM in ENGLISH | 5 PM in Haitian Creole/French.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Wednesday from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM in the chapel with confessions heard at 4 PM followed by Holy Mass in Haitian Creole/French.

Holy Day Masses | 9:00 AM | Others as announced

Luganda – Ugandan Community, Waltham

1:00 PM Sundays; 8:00PM Fridays

133 School Street.

Waltham, MA. 02451

Phone 781 891 1730

Ghana Catholic Society, Roslindale- Boston

1st Saturday of the Month, 5:30-8:30PM (have not gathered @Sacred Heart, Roslindale since COVID in 2020)

169 Cummins Hwy, Roslindale, MA 02131

Phone: (617) 325-3322

Kenya, Swahili Mass - Malden, Massachusetts

Swahili Mass –12:30 pm

First three Sundays of every month

Last Sunday of the month with 11:00 English mass

Immaculate Conception

600 Pleasant St. Malden

Phone: Tel 781-324-4941

English Cameroon, Salem

Ste Anne Parish

292 Jefferson Ave,

Salem, MA 01970

Phone: (978) 744-1930

Second (2nd) & Fourth (4th) Sundays 1:00 PM.

Mwinda Congolese Community, Salem, Massachusetts

French Congolese Rite Mass - Sundays 4:00 P.M

Ste Anne Parish, 292 Jefferson Ave, Salem, MA 01970 . Phone: (978) 744-1930

For Black Catholic Apostolate in Springfield, Massachusetts, please visit St. Michael Cathedral’s website and their Facebook page

<https://diospringfield.org/office-of-the-black-catholic-apostolate/>

Contact

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1st Sunday African Mass & Potluck Dinner in Amherst, Massachusetts - From the Springfield diocese website: “Celebrate **African culture every 1st Sunday of the month at St. Brigid’s Parish, 122 N Pleasant St., Amherst, MA 01002.** Everyone is welcome – All nationalities. **Mass at 4:30 PM,** followed by a potluck international dinner, dance, fellowship, and more. For more information, contact the Parish office at 413-256-6181 or saintbrigidsamherst@gmail.com.”

African Ministries in Worcester, Massachusetts Diocese - Compilation based on phone communications, email from ministry leader, text messages, Facebook, bulletins, and website consultations- Please call the particular parish, check websites for updates if planning to attend masses – Originally created June 2022 - Last update, November 2023

African Catholic Community

St. Andrew, the African Community Mission
<https://worcederdiocese.org/african-community-at-st-andrew>
Address: 5 Spaulding St · Worcester, MA 01610

Mass: Sundays 11:30

Languages: Swahili /English

African Ministry serving Africans in the US from about 10 Sub-Saharan African countries

Father Enoch Kyeremateng, Director/Chaplain

Office phone: 508-929-4329

Church Phones (508) 688 -73 43 - (508) 754-6057 –

Website: <https://africancatholiccommunity.org/apostolate.html>

Ghanaian Catholic ministry

Saint Joan of Arc Parish

570 Lincoln Street, Worcester MA

Sunday Mass - 2:00 PM

Languages: Twi/English

Fr. Eric Asante Spiritual Chaplain - 774- 420-4099

Contact Person: Mr. Nicholas Obeng - 508- 847-1656

St. Anthony of Padua

84 Salem Street, Fitchburg MA 01420 (Diocese of Worcester, MA)

Upendo African Catholic Ministry

Mass Every Sunday at 12:30 PM

Languages: Swahili /English

Contact Person: Mr. Peter Kirue (978) 413 1052

Sacred Heart - St. Catherine of Sweden Parish

Sunday African Mass 12:00 pm

596 Cambridge Street- Worcester, MA 01610

(508) 752- 1608

Mass in Swahili, Lowell, Massachusetts at:

12:30 PM every Sunday, except every fourth Sunday of the month, joint liturgy with English community at 11:00AM

Saint Michael Catholic Church, Lowell, MA

543 Bridge Street, Lowell MA 01850

Phone: (978) 459-0713

Email: Saintmichaels@Comcast.Net

English Community Liturgies:

Sunday: 7:00am, 9:00am & 11:00am

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