

PUBLIC EVENT/SPECIAL ALCOHOL LICENSE APPLICATION

City of Somerville, Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Application #: PEL26-000008

File #: 19-011316

Event Name: Good Friday-Stations of the Cross

Business Name: St Benedict Parish

Application Type: Public Event License

Location: 23 HATHORN ST

APPLICANT

Company Name: St Benedict Parish

Contact Name: Yessenia Lopez

Business Address:

25 Arlington St
Somerville, MA 02145

Home Address:

8 Wisconsin Ave
Somerville, MA 02145

Work Phone: (617) 625-0029

Home Phone: (617) 625-0029

Email: business@stbenedictps.org

of days: 1

Does this event occupy a public space or significantly affect nearby residents?: No

Describe the location in detail: Good Friday procession, dramatization of the Passion of the Lord through the neighborhood streets-the stations of the cross, will use the side walk as procession goes through From Cutter Street-exiting parish parking lot to Webster Street, to Franklin St, to Perkins Street, down Lincoln St., to Arlington St ending in front of the church

In the last 5 years, have you been found guilty, liable, or responsible, in any judicial or administrative proceeding, for any violation of the City Wage Theft Ordinance or any State or Federal laws or regulations regulating the payment of wages? [City Wage Theft Ordinance](#): No

Date: 04/03/2026

Event Setup Begins: 04:30 PM

Start Time: 05:00 PM

End Time: 06:30 PM

Event Cleanup Ends: 06:30 PM

Do You Have a Proposed Rain Date for Your Public Event?: No

Organization name; if none, your name: St Benedict Parish

Describe any social or cultural benefits of this event for Somerville residents : Religious event

Describe any financial benefits of this event for Somerville businesses or organizations: None

What is the budget for this event?: 0.00

Complete Mailing Address : 25 Arlington Street Somerville, MA 02145

Contact name for follow-up questions (Will be available to the public): Yessenia Lopez

Email: business@stbenedictps.org

Phone (Will be available to the public): 6176250029

Event Name : Good Friday-Stations of the Cross

Describe the Event: Dramatization of the Passion of the Lord-Stations of the Cross through neighborhood streets around the church

Describe any Entertainment at the Event (if none, type None): Religious

Describe any tents, inflatables, or other temporary structures to be used (if none, type None): None

Describe any accessibility features available to attendees/participants: Open to the public

Estimated maximum attendance at one time : 250

Estimated total number of people attending: 150

Estimated total number of Somerville residents attending : 100

Maximum number of attendees you will accommodate: 400

Attendee fees or suggested donations : 0.00

Will this event be open to the public?: Yes

Describe your outreach/publicity: Will be posted on our social media pages, parish bulletin and website

Will food be served?: No

Will a grill/open-flame device be used? : No

Will any streets be blocked? : No

Will any sidewalks be blocked? : No

Will any public parks be used? : No

Has this event occurred in the last two years? : Yes

If yes, prior dates : April 18, 2025 March 29, 2024

Police Detail : Yes

If yes, describe:: Yes, will reach out to Police Detail Dept for crowd control and safety

Parking for Attendees : No

Restrooms : Yes

If yes, please describe the restrooms being provided, and if you are providing portable toilets, state how they will be delivered and removed:: Restrooms in church will be available to anyone who needs them

Liability Insurance : No

Approval Conditions:

Reviewer: Charles Breen, Fire Prevention, Approved with Conditions

1. Obtain a permit from Fire Prevention

Reviewer: CS Mayor, Mayor's Office, Approved

Reviewer: Kevin Roche, Engineering, Approved

Reviewer: Eric Weisman, Public Works, Approved

Reviewer: Suzanne Rinfret, Traffic and Parking, Approved

Reviewer: Mackenzie Richardson, Police, Approved

Reviewer: Kimberly M. Wells, City Clerk, Approved