

ST. BERNARD'S CHURCH

OUR LADY OF PROVIDENCE PARISH

OCTOBER 14, 2018

Schedule of Masses | Horario de Misa

Lord's Day Masses | Misas del Día del Señor

Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Spanish) & 5:00 p.m.

Weekday Masses | Misas de la semana

Wednesday – Friday: 8:15 a.m.

Thursday: 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Holy Days | Días Sagrados

Feast: 8:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Holy Hour | Hora Sagrada

Thursday: 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Sacraments | Sacramentos

Reconciliation | Reconciliación

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.

Thursday: 6:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

or by appointment

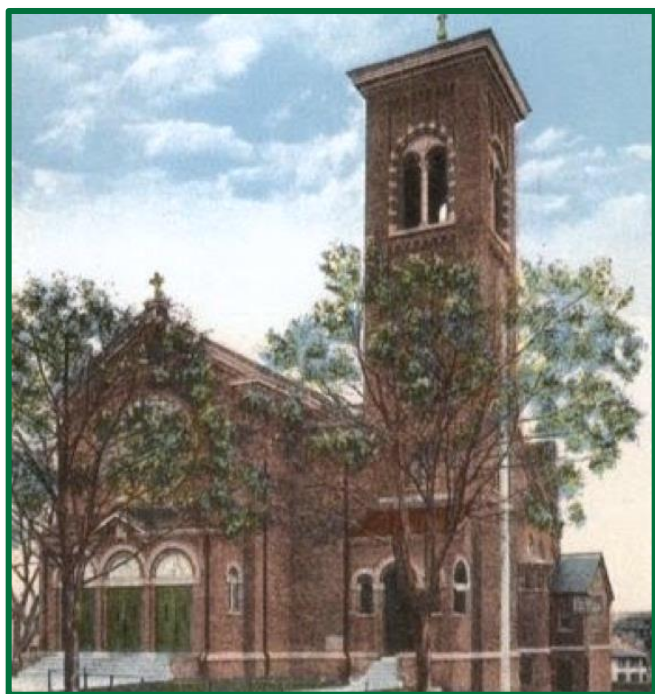
Baptism | Bautismo

Please call the office to schedule all baptisms.

Por favor comunicarse a la oficina para programar los bautismos.

Marriage | Matrimonio

Please call the office at least 9 months prior to the anticipated date. Por favor comunicarse a la oficina por lo menos 9 meses antes de la boda.



Church Dedicated November 6th, 1921

Bishop of Worcester

Most Reverend Robert J. McManus

Pastor

Rev. Jonathan J. Slavinkas

Pastor@olpworchester.org

Assisting Priest

Rev. William E. Reiser, S.J.

Deacon

Myles R. Hayes

Religious Education | Spanish Apostolate

Sister Susi Miranda, X.M.M.

religioused@olpworchester.org

spanishapostolate@olpworchester.org

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Sister Rena Mae Gagnon, P.F.M

Custodial

Alberto Rosario Ramirez

Finance Committee

Chairperson: Matt Geiger

Parish Secretary

Renee Jalbert

Parish Office Hours | Horas de Oficina

236 Lincoln Street, Worcester, MA 01605

Monday - Thursday | Lunes - Jueves

9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

508-755-3820 (Office) | 508-755-7196 (Fax)

parish@olpworchester.org | www.olpworchester.org

Food Pantry | Despensa de Alimentos

Harlow Street Entrance | 2nd Floor

2nd & 4th Monday of the Month | 2^o & 4^o Lunes del Mes

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Marie Anne Center

236 Lincoln Street, Worcester, MA 01605

Director: Sister Michèle Jacques, S.S.A.

marieannecenter@olpworchester.org

www.marieannecenter.org

508-736-6986

Mass Intentions | Intenciones Para Las Misas

October | Octubre 13 Saturday | Sabado
4:00 p.m. Those Suffering With Mental Illness

October | Octubre 14 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m.

October | Octubre 17 Wednesday | Miércoles

8:15 a.m. *NO MORNING MASS

October | Octubre 18 Thursday | Jueves

8:15 a.m. *NO MORNING MASS

7:00 p.m. Rev. Robert Spellman †

October | Octubre 19 Friday | Viernes

8:15 a.m. *NO MORNING MASS

October | Octubre 20 Saturday | Sabado

4:00 p.m.

October | Octubre 21 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m. Victor Mora † (1st Anniversary)

5:00 p.m. Jessica Desaulniers † (1st Anniversary)

If you wish to have a Mass said for either the living or deceased or for a particular intention, please call the office.

Si usted desea alguna misa por algún motivo especial o por el alma de algún ser querido, favor de llamar a la rectoría de la parroquia.

READINGS: 1010 | LECTURAS: 226

PRAYER BEFORE MASS

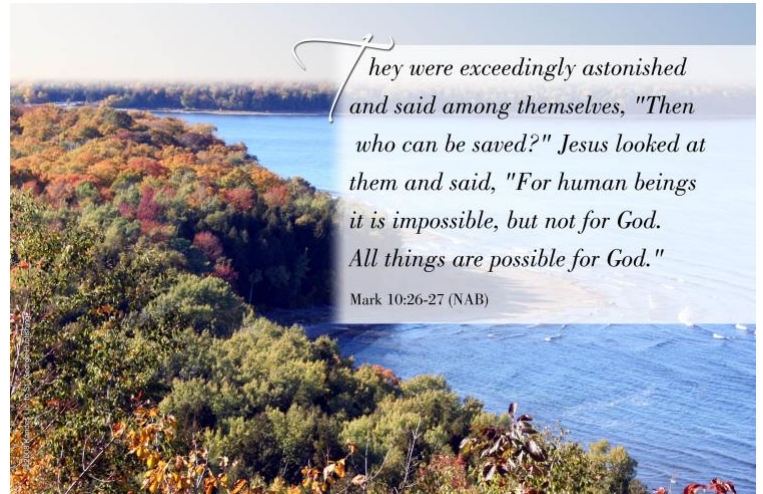
Come, Holy Spirit, quiet my heart and my head, as I gather with my family, friends and neighbors to celebrate Mass. Quiet the thoughts and distractions that will keep me from worship.

Open my mouth in prayer and song. Open my ears to hear God's word. Open my eyes to the mystery of the Eucharist.

Open my heart to receive Jesus with love. May I go forth strengthened to take the Mass into my life this week. In a special way, we pray for our twinning parish, St. Mary's in Uxbridge. Amen.

ORACIÓN ANTES DE LA MISA

Ven, Espíritu Santo, silencia mi corazón y mi cabeza, y así junto con mi familia, amigos y vecinos celebrar esta misa. Calma los pensamientos y las distracciones que me impiden vivir esta celebración. Abre mi boca a la oración y al canto. Abre mis oídos para escuchar la palabra de Dios. Abre mis ojos al misterio de la Eucaristía. Abre mi corazón para recibir a Jesús con amor. Permíteme salir fortalecido al celebrar esta misa para vivir mi vida esta semana. Oraciones especiales para nuestra parroquia de hermanamiento St. Marys en Uxbridge. Amen.



They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God."

Mark 10:26-27 (NAB)

HYMNS

Entrance Hymn: 618

Offertory Hymn: 729

Communion Hymn: 778

Recessional Hymn: 498



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers, and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

DOMINGO MUNDIAL DE LAS MISIONES

El Fin De Semana celebramos el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones. El Papa Francisco invita a toda la Iglesia a apoyar a las diócesis misioneras de África, Asia, las Islas del Pacífico y partes de Latinoamérica y Europa, donde sacerdotes, líderes religiosos y líderes laicos sirven a las comunidades más vulnerables del mundo. Por favor, sigan orando por las misiones del Papa, y sean generosos en la colecta de la semana entrante para la Sociedad para la Propagación de la Fe.

Coffee and... will be next Sunday
October 21st following the
10am Mass. All are welcome!



Please Note
There will be No Morning
Mass October 17th, October
18th or October 19th

“FULLY ALIVE AS MISSIONARY DISCIPLES”

"How hard it is for people who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God." In today's Gospel, we see the rich young man walk away with his head hanging low and for many of us, we understand (dare I say, recognize?) his sadness. Many of us, like the rich young man, live a life of faithful commitment to the commandments. We are prayerful and we follow the Golden Rule. However, if we were asked to leave our families and our possessions and dedicate our lives to our discipleship, many of us would respond with the same sadness. Our "things" matter to us way too much. Jesus doesn't want us to live in squalor, but he does want us to recognize when our relationship with God is broken by our unintentional idolatry. Being fully alive does not require a lot in terms of material goods. (See Matthew 6: 31-34) Perhaps it is time for you and I to start simplifying our lives. Do we have extra shoes, clothing, or coats that can be donated to those in need? Do we have extra dollars we can share with a neighbor who is running short? Can we take some free time this fall to help a friend rake leaves? Isn't it possible that giving away even some of our possessions would allow God to create conversion in our hearts?

“PLENAMENTE VIVOS COMO DISCÍPULOS MISIONEROS”

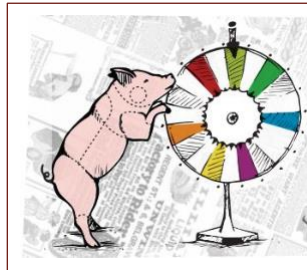
“Que difícil es para la gente que tiene riquezas entrar en el reino de Dios.” En el Evangelio de hoy, vemos como el rico joven se aleja con su cabeza gacha y muchos de nosotros entendemos (o más bien reconocemos) su tristeza. Muchos de nosotros, así como el rico joven, vivimos una vida fiel al compromiso y los mandamientos; oramos y seguimos la regla de oro. Aun así, si se nos pidiera dejar a nuestras familias y nuestras posesiones y dedicar nuestras vidas solo al discipulado, muchos de nosotros responderíamos con la misma tristeza. Nuestras “cosas”, nos importan muchísimo más. Jesús no quiere que vivamos en la miseria, pero, Él quiere que reconozcamos cuando nuestra relación con Dios esta quebrantada por nuestra idolatría un intencional. Estar plenamente vivos no requiere de mucho en términos de posesiones materiales. (véase Mateo 6,31-34)... talvez, sea tiempo para que ustedes y yo simplifiquemos nuestras vidas. ¿tenemos demasiados zapatos, ropa, o chaquetas que pueden ser donadas a aquellos con necesidad? ¿tenemos dólares extras que pudiéramos compartir con el prójimo quien no tiene? ¿podemos tomar algún tiempo extra este otoño para ayudar a algún amigo a juntar hojas? ¿acaso no será posible dar inclusive algunas de nuestras posesiones que puedan dejar a Dios convertir nuestros corazones?

Have You Considered Becoming a Catholic?

The Rite of Christian Initiation is for: 1. Persons in need of Baptism. 2. Persons baptized in another Christian tradition who desire to become Catholic. 3. Persons baptized Catholic in need of First Communion and Confirmation. If you have not yet received Sacraments of the Church, we invite you to partake in this opportunity to grow in the love of Christ. Please contact the office to sign up for our RCIA program. **Classes begin October 17th from 6:30-7:30pm.**

Considera Hacerse Católico?

El rito de iniciación Cristiana para adultos es el proceso establecido por nuestra Iglesia Católica, para que individuos adultos puedan recibir los sacramentos de iniciación Cristiana: Bautismo, Confirmación, y Eucaristía. Esto es para: Personas mayores de 7 años que necesitan ser bautizadas. 2. Personas bautizadas en otras Iglesias y que desean ser católicos. 3. Católicos bautizados que necesitan recibir la primera comunión y la Confirmación. Nota: si usted no ha recibido estos sacramentos y desea hacerlo no pierda esta oportunidad. **Comenzamos Viernes 17 de Octubre de 6:30 a 7:30pm.**



Save the Date for
2nd Annual Meat Raffle
Saturday, March 2nd
More Details to Follow...

UPCOMING DIOCESAN EVENTS

- *October 18th Celebrate Priesthood from 5:30pm-7:30pm. For more info: www.worcesterdiocese.org/celebrate-priesthood
- *October 20th Signing Ceremony of the Twinning Covenant at St. Paul's Cathedral at 10 a.m. See Sr. Rena Mae for more info.
- *October 21st Knights of Columbus Pro-Life Mass at St. Paul's Cathedral celebrated by Bishop McManus at 10:15am.
- *December 15th Ordination at 10 a.m. at St. Paul's Cathedral
- *June 22nd Ordination at 10 a.m. at St. Paul's Cathedral

SANDAL PROJECT 2018

For the 13th year, we have the opportunity to help buy shoes for needy children at Saint Anne School in Les Cayes, Haiti. Saint Anne School is our twinning partner in Les Cayes. It is also a ministry of the Sisters of Saint Anne who sponsor the Marie Anne Center. The Cost of a pair of sandals/shoes is \$15.00. Sr. Eva-Marie Lubin, SSA, principal, will see to the purchase of the shoes for those who need them. If you wish to participate please return the attached form with your money. Checks may be made payable to Our Lady of Providence Parish. Thank you for whatever you can share toward this worthwhile project, *The Social Justice & Peace Committee*

Sandal Project for Saint Anne School in Les Cayes, Haiti

Name: _____
Address: _____
Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

