

ST. BERNARD'S CHURCH

OUR LADY OF PROVIDENCE PARISH

OCTOBER 13, 2019

Bishop of Worcester

Most Reverend Robert J. McManus

Pastor

Rev. Jonathan J. Slavinkas
pastor@olpworchester.org

Assisting Priest

Rev. William E. Reiser, S.J.

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Religious Education | Spanish Apostolate

Sister Susi Miranda, X.M.M.
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Finance Committee

Chairperson: Matt Geiger

Parish Secretary

Renee Jalbert
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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.

1st Thursday of the Month: 9:00 a.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.

St. Bernard's Church

228 Lincoln Street, Worcester, MA 01605

Parish Office Hours | Horas de Oficina

236 Lincoln Street, Worcester, MA 01605

Tuesday - Thursday | Martes - 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.

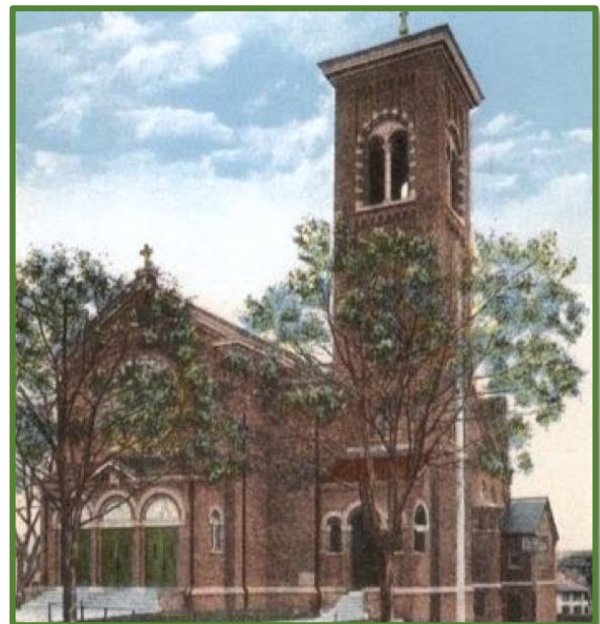
Marie Anne Center

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Church Dedicated November 6th 1921

Mass Intentions | Intenciones Para Las Misas

October | Octubre 12 Saturday | Sabado
4:00 p.m. Paula & Frank Ziarko 50th Wedding Anniversary

October | Octubre 13 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m. Patricia Belliveau †

11:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m.

October | Octubre 16 Wednesday | Miércoles

8:15 a.m. Those suffering with mental illness

October | Octubre 17 Thursday | Jueves

8:15 a.m. Those suffering with medical illness

7:00 p.m.

October | Octubre 18 Friday | Viernes

8:15 a.m. Those suffering from addiction

October | Octubre 19 Saturday | Sabado

4:00 p.m. Health & Healing of Alicja Rudnicka, M.D.

October | Octubre 20 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m. Joseph & Helen Hayes †

11:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m.

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.

Prayer Before Mass

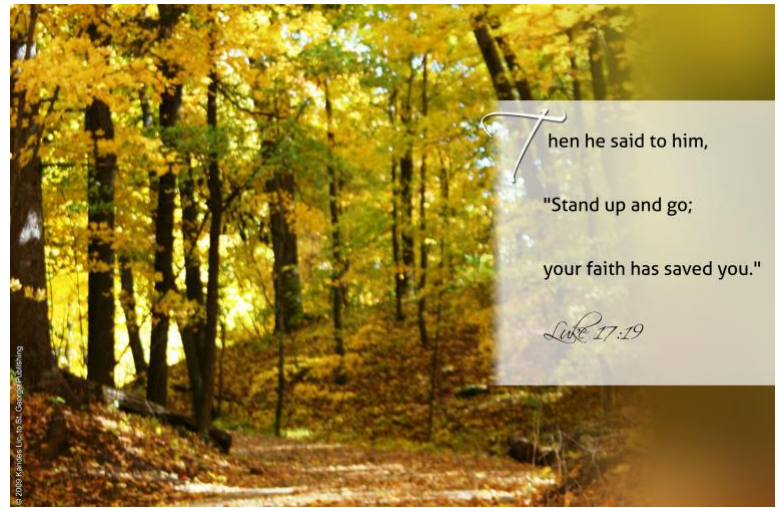
Come, Holy Spirit, quiet my heart and my head, as I gather with my family, friends and neighbors to celebrate Mass. Quiet the thoughts and distractions that will keep me from worship. Open my mouth in prayer and song. Open my ears to hear God's word. Open my eyes to the mystery of the Eucharist. Open 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.

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

San Miguel Arcángel, defiéndenos en la lucha; sé nuestro amparo contra la perversidad y las acechanzas del demonio. Que Dios manifieste sobre él su poder, es nuestra humilde súplica. Y tú, oh Príncipe de la milicia celestial, con la fuerza que Dios te ha conferido, arroja al infierno a Satanás y a los demás espíritus malignos que vagan por el mundo para la perdición de las almas. Amén.



Then he said to him,
"Stand up and go;
your faith has saved you."
Luke 17:19

READINGS 1011 | LECTURAS 230

HYMNS

Entrance Hymn: 618
Offertory Hymn: 729
Communion Hymn: 778
Recessional Hymn: 498



Weekly Collection | Colecta Semanal

Weekly	\$1,979.00
Holy Days	\$30.00
Fuel	\$341.00
Building Fund	\$123.00
Diocesan Collection	\$26.00
Gym Rental	\$650.00
Food Pantry	\$185.00
Sandal Project	\$60.00
Total	\$3,394.00

Weekly Expenses | Gastos Semanal

Salaries	\$910.00
Total	\$910.00

We are deeply grateful to all who financially support the work of our parish community. May God help us to be responsible stewards of the material and spiritual goods that have been given to our parish.

Agradecemos profundamente a todos los que apoyan financiando el trabajo de nuestra comunidad parroquial. Dios nos ayude a ser administradores responsables de los bienes materiales y espirituales que se han dado a nuestra parroquia.

Thank you to everyone who graciously donated to our food drive! We received over 85 bags and \$185.00 in donations!



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Instagram: St.bernards_olp
Website: www.olpworcester.org
Bulletins are added weekly

**THANK YOU FOR RETURNING YOUR MISSALS TO THE BOOKSHELVES FOLLOWING MASS
AGRADECEMOS DE DEVOLVER LOS LIBROS DE LA MISA A SU LUGAR AL TERMINAR**

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?” (Luke 17:18) Most of us live “easy” lives. We have food, shelter, and clothing. We go on vacation every year and own a car or two. Most of us take this all for granted. Did you ever notice that people with the least amount of possessions are usually the most grateful? Shouldn't this be the other way around? Take time every day and thank God for all He has given you.

28° domingo de Tiempo Ordinario

“¿Sólo este extranjero ha regresado para dar gracias a Dios?” (LUCAS 17:18) La mayoría de nosotros vivimos vidas "fáciles". Tenemos comida, casa y ropa. Nos vamos de vacaciones todos los años y somos dueños de uno o dos autos. La mayoría de nosotros damos todo esto por sentado. ¿Alguna vez notó que las personas que menos tienen suelen ser las más agradecidas? ¿No debería ser esto al revés? Tómese el tiempo todos los días y agradezca a Dios por todo lo que le ha dado.

My dear friends in Christ,

Pope Francis has set October 2019 as an Extraordinary Missionary Month (EMM) to foster greater awareness of our mission to all peoples and to animate the missionary transformation of Church life and pastoral activity. World Mission Sunday will be celebrated in our diocese on October 20. In his message for World Mission Sunday, the Holy Father noted that this year marks the 100th anniversary of the Apostolic Letter, *Maximum Illud* of Pope Benedict XV. The title, “that momentous and holy charge” refers to the mission set forth in the Gospel of Mark, “Go into the world and preach the Gospel to all creation.” (Mk 16:15)

One hundred years after that Apostolic Letter was issued, and nearly two thousand years since Jesus uttered that command, there is still much to be done. To do this work, as Pope Francis reminds us, “takes a constant and ongoing missionary conversion, going forth in mercy, and driven by love.”

I invite you to reflect on these words of the Holy Father in his message for World Mission Sunday: “This missionary mandate touches us personally: I am a mission, always; you are a mission, always; every baptized man and woman is a mission. People in love never stand still: they are drawn out of themselves; they are attracted and attract others in turn; they give themselves to others and build relationships that are life-giving.”

Your donations on the weekend of October 20 are critical. The Pontifical Mission Societies serve the Church's universality as a global network of support for the Pope in his missionary commitment by prayer, the soul of mission, and charitable offerings from Christians throughout the world. These donations assist the Pope in the evangelization efforts of particular Churches (the Pontifical Society for the Propagation of the Faith), in the formation of local clergy (the Pontifical Society of Saint Peter the Apostle), in raising missionary awareness in children (Pontifical Society of Missionary Childhood) and in encouraging the missionary dimension of Christian faith (Pontifical Missionary Union). In a world where so much divides us, World Mission Sunday rejoices in our unity as missionaries by our Baptism. And it provides an opportunity to support the life-giving presence of the Church among the poor and marginalized in more than 1,111 mission dioceses. Thank you for prayerfully reflecting on how you are mission, and support World Mission Sunday in your parish.

With every prayerful best wish, I remain

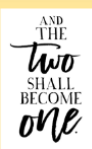
Sincerely yours in Christ, Most Reverend Robert J. McManus

St. Bernard's Annual Neighborhood Halloween Fest

Thursday, October 31st at 6pm



If you are interested in volunteering or donating bags of unopened candy please contact the office.



Congratulations and best wishes to **Karen Saroca & Brendon Bosy** who will celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage this weekend!

With great joy we welcome **Maddison Rose Rawson** who was baptized this past weekend



CLASSES BEGIN SOON

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 Edith & Alejandro Torres at 508-713-3307 to sign up!

The Parish Office will be closed
on Monday, October 14th



Why should we care for the environment?

This is the question that Salt and Light Television Network attempts to answer with the brilliant documentary series *Creation*. *Creation* seeks to answer the deeper questions about ecology and the environment within God's revelation as found in his creation and the teachings of the Catholic Church. Each 30 minute episode will be presented at North American Martyrs Church hall on 6 Friday evenings throughout the year beginning at 7 pm with discussion to follow. The first episode titled Sense of Wonder will be held on Oct.18 at 7pm. For more info call 508-798-0612 or visit www.saltandlight.org.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on the first Thursday of every Month from 8:30am-6:30pm. We are in need of volunteers! Please call the parish office if you are able to help 508-755-3820.

Nuestra Adoración mensual, que es el primer Jueves de cada mes de 8:30 a 6:30. Llamar a la oficina si deseas vigilar en Adoración. No dejemos de tener viva nuestra adoración a Cristo Eucaristía.

