

**Mass Intentions for the week**

**Saturday, March 21**

4:00PM † Louise Morin.... St. Vincent de Paul Society

† Gary Brazier (16 Ann) ...by Donna Brazier

**Sunday, March 22 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent**

9:00AM † Mary Twiss (10 Ann) ...by M.P. Rivard & family

11:00AM † Carmen L. Montañez Rodríguez por su hijo Roberto Lopez.

**Monday, March 23**

8:00AM†

**Tuesday, March 24**

8:00PM †

6:00PM †

**Wednesday, March 25**

8:00AM †

6:00PM †

**Thursday, March 26**

8:00AM †

**Friday, March 27**

6:00PM † Richard Horrigan...by Pat Krysiak

**Saturday, March 28**

4:00PM † Louise Morin...by Maureen

† Raymond Garieph.... Barbara, Denise & Charles

**Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent**

9:00AM† Robert Landry...by Mr. & Mrs. Alphonse Pagnotto

11:00AM†



The Blessed Sacrament lamp is lit for the memory

Carmen L. Montañez Rodriguez.

A candle to Our Blessed Mother is lit for the all soul of Purgatory.

A candle to St. Francis of Assisi is lit for the health of parishioners.



**In Loving Remembrance**

In your charity, please pray for all the souls of all the faithful departed. May they rest in peace. AMEN.

**Parish Support**

March 14-15

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Offertory: \$2,183.00

Maintenance: \$10

Fuel: \$50

Others: \$762.33

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Total: \$3,005.33

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Remember when you leave this earth, you can take with you nothing that you have received, only what you have given,"

St. Francis of Assisi



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

**CCD - POSTPONE**

**Sacramental Classes - POSTPONE**

Attention Although Masses have been canceled to the public, we will do our best to celebrate the Mass intentions that are set.

**Bingo Night**

**Saturday, Marzo 21<sup>st</sup> from 6-8 PM**

**St. Francis of Assisi Church Hall**

1 card \$3.00 or 2 card for \$5.00

**Fun for the whole family!**

**You have the chance to win (excluding cash)**

**Pizza, Empanada**

**Tickets w**

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**We od for sale**

**Con. a join us to have fun as a community!**



"Share Your Table with Love"

The needs for our St. Vincent de Paul food Pantry for the month **March**: tuna, canned meat (spam ham), beef stew, canned chicken, canned fruit, Mac & Cheese, Jelly, Cereal, boxed potatoes, salad dressing and Raman

soup.

Thank You for your donations.

"When I was hungry you gave food...."

**\*\*Food Pantry Hours: Friday 12:30 -2:00PM\*\***

**Divine Mercy Chaplet**



**Worcester Diocese Prepares to Comply with Governor’s March 15 Order**


Churches will suspend Public Masses beginning Tuesday **March 16, 2020, WORCESTER, MA**—In cooperation with Governor Baker’s announcements yesterday, the Diocese of Worcester has issued the following statement by Bishop Robert J. McManus, Bishop of Worcester:

“After carefully reviewing the sound advice of medical professionals and the recent order by Governor Baker to limit gathering to 25 participants, I have decided to suspend all public celebrations of Mass until further notice in the hope of slowing and, God willing, halting the spread of this disease. The obligation to take part in the Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation is there by lifted.

The Bishop also announced that, by tomorrow, the office for Divine Worship of the Diocese of Worcester will announce further details on how parishes will celebrate Funerals, Wedding, Baptisms, Confessions and other sacraments in order to help fight this pandemic while continuing to meet the Church’s obligation to care for the spiritual well-being of believers, especially at this time crisis.

In the meantime, the Bishop is encouraging all Catholics to continue to pray with the local Catholic community by virtual attendance at the Sunday Mass and Daily Mass Which is carried on Spectrum (Charter) Channel 193 each weekend morning at 9 am and Sundays at 6 PM, and also streaming on worcesterdiocese.org and on many parish websites. Additional prayer resources will be produced weekly and distributed via parishes by email and their websites to continue to pray for healing and hope during this pandemic. A diocesan-wide “Prayer in Time of Pandemic” in English and in Spanish is also being distributed to parishioners and on the diocesan website. Other language will be made available in the next few days.

**CANDLE FOR HOLY THURSDAY**

 On Holy Thursday Night (April 9<sup>th</sup>) we will celebrate the Last Supper Mass and right after Mass we will have the traditional candle procession with the Blessed Sacrament inside the church, and then a silent adoration of the Lord until 11:00 PM. Every year we ask people to offer a candle (\$10 each) for the intention(s) you would like a pray: a deceased loved one, for a wedding anniversary, for a friend... Envelope Marked “Donations for a Candle on Holy Thursday” are available at the entrance table of the church. Take one (per intention) and write your name, your intention, \$10 and place it in the collection basket.

# Sing & Praise



The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want



**Hymns:**

- Processional: #**
- Offertory: #**
- Communion: #**
- Processional: #**

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**EASTER MEMORIAL FLOWERS**

Donations and name are accepted for Easter Memorial Flowers. Please, submit printed name and donations, using your monthly envelopes or there will be extra envelope at the doors of our church. You could also use your own envelopes. Thanks

**Partners in Charity**

Last weekend was our parish Commitment Weekend for the 2020 Partner in Charity Appeal. Thank you to those who made a gift and special thank you for those who gave for the first time. Your gift will help us in reaching our parish goal. We need the support of all members of St. Francis of Assisi if we are to be successful in reaching our parish goal of \$20,000. If you have not yet completed your pledge, please prayerfully make your pledge and return it to the church office or in the collection basket. We are confident that, with God’s help and yours, we will rise to it! If you have not yet made a give or pledge, please fill out a commitment pledge envelope today in the pew today, visit [www.parnter-charity.net](http://www.parnter-charity.net). Thank you!



**Happening at St. Francis of Assisi**

Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> **Postponed until further notice**  
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 Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> **Postponed until further notice**  
 Thursday, March 27<sup>th</sup> **Postponed until further notice**  
 Friday, March 28<sup>th</sup> Food Pantry...church hall... 12:30PM - 2PM.  
 Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup> **Postponed until further notice**



**Lenten Mission**

**2020**

Fitchburg Parish - St. Joseph, St. Bernard @ St. Camillus and St. Francis of Assisi

**Penitential Service**  
 Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 7PM in English  
 Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 7PM in Spanish  
 Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 7PM in Spanish - St. Francis of Assisi - 7pm  
 Wednesday, April 8<sup>th</sup> - St. Bernard @ St. Camillus - 7PM in English.

**La Diócesis de Worcester preparada para cumplir con la orden del Gobernador del 15 de marzo.**

Las Parroquias en nuestra Diócesis de Worcester suspenderán las Misas a partir del martes 16 de marzo de 2020; en cooperación por anunciado por el Gobernador Baker. Por este motivo el Obispo Robert J. McManus emitió la siguiente declaración:

“Después de revisar cuidadosamente los consejos profesionales médicos y la reciente orden del Gobernador Baker de limitar la reunión a 10 personas o menos, he decidido suspender todas las celebraciones públicas de la misa hasta nuevo aviso con la esperanza de disminuir el riesgo de contagio. Dios mediante, para poder detener la propagación de esta enfermedad. La obligación de participar en la misa los domingos y los días Santa Misa y los Días de precepto queda suprimida, la obligación está ahí levantada.

El Obispo también anunció que, para la oficina de Liturgia (Culto Divino) de la Diócesis de Worcester anunciará más detalles sobre cómo las parroquias celebrarán funerales, bodas, bautizos, confesiones y otros sacramentos para ayudar a combatir esta pandemia mientras continuamos reuniéndonos con el La obligación de la iglesia de cuidar el bienestar espiritual de los creyentes, especialmente en este momento de crisis.

Mientras tanto, el Obispo está animado a los católicos a continuar orando en la comunidad católica local a través de la misa televisada ya sea diaria o dominical por el Canal 193. Semanalmente a las 9am y los domingos a las 6pm; y también a través de worcesterdiocese.org y, o a través de mucho de los webs parroquiales. Recursos adicionales de oración serán semanalmente distribuido a través de las parroquias por email y su sitio web para continuar orando por la sanación y la esperanza mientras duren esta pandemia. También se distribuye a los feligreses por el website diocesano una oración en inglés y en español titulada “Oración en tiempo de Pandemia.”



**Stations of the Cross... Friday during Lent.**

Every Friday during Lent, we will be reflecting the Passion of Christ (the Way of the Cross) at 6 PM. You are invited to pray...

**Clase de Liturgia**

La Clase de Liturgia el lunes 16 de marzo la...



**Easter Basket Raffle sponsored by the Ladies Guild.**

Tickets available after all the Masses the... Chances for each one of the... girl, and one for a boy are \$2... \$5 for (3) tickets. The winners will... after the 11:00 a.m. Spanish Mass on March... Easter crafts also available for sale. Thank you for your support!

**Partners in Charity**

Este fin de semana es un compromiso de fin de semana para la Campaña 2020 Partner in Charity. Este fin de semana, todos los miembros de San Francisco de Asís están llamados a apoyar el trabajo de nuestro Señor Jesús hecho posible a través de la apelación anual. Nuestra parroquia va es de \$ 20,000. Complete su sobre de compromiso, indicando su donación o compromiso hoy. Es importante para todos nosotros participar en nuestro orden para apoyar nuestra misión como diócesis. Sea lo más generoso posible si ya hizo una donación a la apelación de 2020, se lo agradecemos. Su donación nos ayudará a alcanzar nuestra meta parroquial. También puede hacer su donación en línea en [www.partner-charity.net](http://www.partner-charity.net) ¡Gracias!



**Misión Cuaresmal 2020**



**Parroquias de Fitchburg:** San José, San Antonio, San P...nardo @ San Camilo y San...sco.

**Servicio P**

Miércoles  
An+

**Miércoles 18 de marzo**  
Miércoles 1 de abril...glés.  
Bilingüe. pm

Miércoles...t. Camillus -7PM en inglés

**L**...pañol con **Enrique Méndez.**

**Te**...scual **Fundamento de**

**Con**

Cuan... de marzo hasta 31 de marzo.  
Donde: San Francisco de Asís – en el hall  
Hora: 7 PM

**Atención:** Aunque las misas han sido canceladas al público, haremos todo lo posible para celebrar las intenciones de misa que lla están fijadas.

**VELA PARA EL JUEVES SANTO**



El jueves por la noche (9 de n...s  
la Misa de la Primera C...a  
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con el Santí...ista,  
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...sario de bodas, un amigo  
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intencion, \$10 y colóquelo en la canasta de la colección.

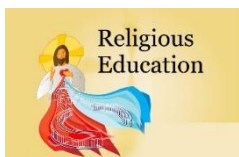


**FLORES MEMORIALES DE PASCUA**

Ya estamos recogiendo los nombre y donaciones para las Flores del Memorial de Pascua. Por favor, usando

sus sobres mensuales o habrá un sobre adicional en las puertas de nuestra iglesia. También puede usar sus propios sobres. Gracias

**NOTICIAS DE EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA**



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Sáb... y 20 de marzo



**NOCHE DE BINGO**

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Iglesia de  
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¡D...ia!

Tienes l...o tipo de premios  
activo)

premios y mucho más.  
en el domingo después de la misa

Re...ndos para jóvenes quienes van para  
la Conferencia Steubenville

Tendremos comida a la venta

**Lecturas Bíblicas de la Semana**

**Daily Scripture Readings**

**Lunes, 23 de marzo//Monday, March 23**

Isaias//Isaiah 65:17-21

Salmo//Psalm 30:2,4-6,11-12a 13b

San Juan//John 4:43-54

**Martes, 24 de marzo//Tuesday, March 24**

Ezequiel//Ezekiel 47:1-9,12

Salmo//Psalm 46:2-3,5-6,8-9

San Juan//John 5:1-16

**Miércoles, 25 de marzo// Wednesday, March 25**

Isaias//Isaiah 7:10-14,8:10

Salmo//Psalm 40:7-11

Hebreos//Hebrews 10:4-10

San Lucas//Luke 1:26-28

**Jueves, 25 de marzo // Thursday, March 25**

Exodo//Exodus 32:7-14

Salmo//Psalm 106:19-23

San Juan//John 9:31-47

**Viernes, 26 de marzo// Friday, March 26**

Sabiduria//Wisdom 2:1<sup>a</sup>,12-22

Salmo//Psalm 34:17-21,23

San Juan//John 7:1-2,10,25-30

**Sábado, 27 de marzo // Saturday, March 27**

Jeremias//Jeremiah 11:18-20

Salmo // Psalm 7:2-3,9b-12

San Juan//John 7:40-53

**Domingo, 28 de marzo// Sunday, March 28**

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

Ezequiel//Ezekiel 37: 12-14

Salmo//Psalm 130:1-8

Romanos//Romans 8:8-11

San Juan//John 11:1-45