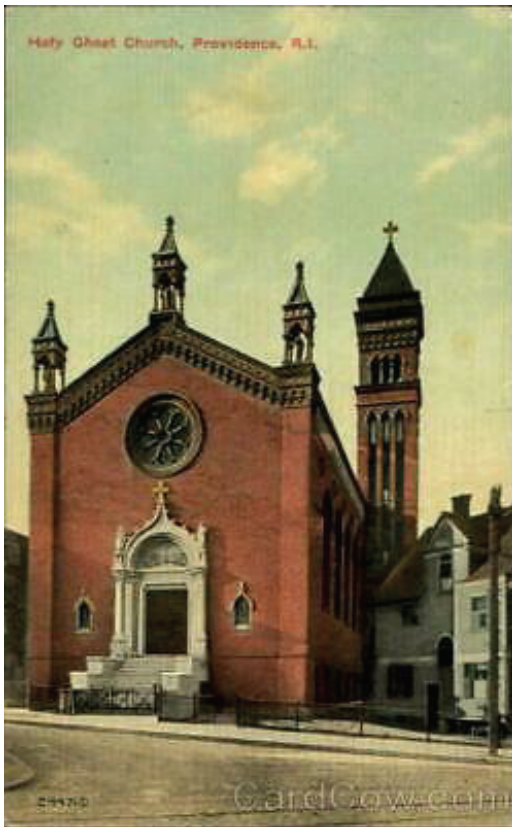


HOLY GHOST CHURCH

PROVIDENCE, RI

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY

SEPTEMBER 6, 2020



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Reminder About the Temporary Mass Schedule:

Vigil Masses on Saturday at 4:00 PM in English

Sunday Mass at 8:00 AM in English

Sunday at 10:00 AM in English with readings in Italian. This mass will be live-streamed on our Facebook page.

Sunday at 12:00 PM in Spanish

The temporary change was needed to allow for the orderly entrance and exit of parishioners and the disinfecting of the Church after each Mass.

Mass Schedule

Saturday September 5

Confessions 3:00 PM

4:00 PM - *Twenty-Third Sunday*

Rev. Peter Polo

Sunday September 6
Twenty-Third Sunday

8:00 AM

Community Mass
†Luisa Bianchi Ruggieri

10:00 AM

Members of the Society of Sant'Antonino
Bishop and Martyr, Living and Deceased
†Agostino Traficante

12:00 PM

Pro Populo

1:30 Baptisms

Monday September 7 - No Scheduled Mass

Tuesday September 8

7:00 AM

†Clorinda Broccoli
In honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Wednesday September 9

7:00 AM

†Lisa Ghenne

Adoration 5:00-7:00 PM
Confessions from 6:00 PM
until Benediction

Thursday September 10

7:00 AM

†Emilio and Maria Giuseppa Rivera

7:00 PM - Spanish

Parishioners and Benefactors

Friday September 11

7:00 AM

†Attilio Francese

Saturday September 12

Confessions 3:00 PM

4:00 PM - *Twenty-Fourth Sunday*

†Anita Colasanto
†Claire Ruzzo

Sunday September 13
Twenty-Fourth Sunday

8:00 AM

†Eleuterio and Anna Colantonio

10:00 AM

†Elvira Myers
†Ronald Gagne

12:00 PM

Pro Populo



The Saint Vincent de Paul Society at Holy Ghost Church is continuing to run a food pantry and other services for those in need. Please visit us or call the rectory at **(401) 421-3551**. **The food pantry is open each Saturday from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. It is located at the back of the rectory.**

All of last year we served 105 families. The total this year, as of July, is 190. We are also able to help families who are under quarantine because of COVID-19.

Each Year Bishop Tobin celebrates a Wedding



Anniversary Mass recognizing significant wedding anniversaries, such as 25, 40, 50, 60 years or more. The Mas will not be offered this year but he would still like to recognize the faithful. If you would like to receive a letter and signed certificate please send in your names and mailing address and number of years and we will submit them to his office.

*Unless the Lord builds the house,
those who build it labor in vain. Ps 127:1*

We have had our beautiful candelabra's refinished. Please join us for Adoration on Wednesdays from 5-7pm. It is also an opportunity for those who have not been to Mass and perhaps are not ready to come back to spend time with the Lord. Confessions are also heard from 6:00pm until Benediction.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR PUBLIC MASSES EFFECTIVE MAY 30, 2020

1. **Catholics will continue to be dispensed from Sunday Mass and Holy Day Masses, until further notice.**
2. **Access to the Mass will be limited.**
 - In order to be sure that we have enough space between parishioners only every third pew will be available. Families and those that live together may sit in the same pew, but in other cases there will only be two people in each pew. The Church will be full when each of the pews has either two unrelated people in it, or about 50 people are in the Church. Once the limit is reached anyone else who comes in will have to wait for the next Mass or will have to come back another day. We may implement a simple system to regulate Mass attendance at some time in the future.
3. **Hand hygiene and masks are key.**
 - Parishioners will be expected to sanitize their hands immediately upon entry to the church. Likewise, they must wear a mask at all times, with the exception of receiving Holy Communion.
4. **Singing will be limited.**
 - There will be no choirs at this time, and there will be limited singing among the congregation.
5. **Parishioners will receive Holy Communion in a safe manner.**
 - Instructions will be given by Fr. Francesco at each Mass in the following weeks. There will be no Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion at this time. Also, it is not necessary to receive Holy Communion at every Mass one attends, during this time or at any other time.
6. **The Church will be sanitized after every Mass and parish event.**
 - This will take time and that is why the Mass schedule for Sundays has to be changed for now.
7. **Budget envelopes will be submitted as you leave.**
 - Baskets will be present on both sides near the exit of the Church.
8. **Avoid personal contact with anyone.**
 - The sign of peace, which is always optional, will remain suspended. Even though it saddens me to say this, please do not congregate before or after Mass during this time.
9. **Those who are sick must stay home.**
 - Please be cautious, and when in doubt stay home.

INSTRUCCIONES PARA MISAS PÚBLICAS QUE COMIENZAN EL 30 DE MAYO DE 2020

1. Los católicos continuarán siendo dispensados de la misa dominical y misas de precepto, hasta nuevo aviso.
2. El acceso a la misa será limitado. Se han preparado lugares para un máximo de 50 personas. Por favor sea comprensivo si ya no hay acceso.
3. Por favor desinfecte sus manos al momento de entrar a la iglesia y use cubrebocas en todo momento, excepto al recibir la comunión.
4. El canto será limitado, por el momento no habrá coros.
5. Los feligreses recibirán la Sagrada Comunión de manera segura. Por favor siga las instrucciones del P. Francesco.
6. La Iglesia será desinfectada después de cada misa y evento parroquial.
7. Los sobres de la colecta podrán depositarlos en las canastas colocadas en las salidas de la iglesia.
8. Evitar el contacto personal con los demás. Lamentablemente no habrá reuniones antes o después de misa.
9. Por favor tomen suficientes precauciones. Los que están enfermos o con malestares deben quedarse en casa.



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D I O C E S E O F P R O V I D E N C E

Dear Friends in the Diocese of Providence:

In a compelling reflection about the COVID pandemic, Pope Francis spoke of how we are all affected by, and united in, responding to the crisis. Our Holy Father wrote: “We realize that we are all in the same boat, all of us fragile and disoriented . . . [But] we are invited to step out of ourselves for love of God and neighbor as an opportunity for sharing, service and intercessory prayer.”

Indeed, the crisis has occasioned many opportunities for “sharing and service,” and in the Diocese of Providence, one of the ways in which we have responded to that invitation is through the outstanding work of Catholic Charities. During this time, along with other initiatives, Catholic Charities has: provided food cards to thousands of households throughout the Diocese; enabled Emmanuel House shelter for the homeless to remain open; provided personal assistance to senior citizens at the St. Martin de Porres Center; and supplied diapers, formula, clothing and cribs to expectant and new moms.

This good work wouldn’t be possible, though, without the funding provided by the annual **Catholic Charity Appeal**. We are deeply grateful for the \$4.3 million already received from more than 14,000 donors, and if you have already given to this year’s appeal, thank you very much! But this ministry, too, has been severely affected by the pandemic restrictions, and we are far short of this year’s goal of \$7.3 million. For that reason, we are turning to you to plead for your assistance. We need you, and your financial support if the Church is to maintain its charitable mission at this unprecedented time of crisis.

Our annual in-pew weekend appeal for the Catholic Charity Appeal is scheduled for **September 12th – 13th**. If you haven’t yet donated, the in-pew appeal will give you a very convenient way to do so. There are other ways as well: you can return the enclosed pledge card, or make a secure gift online at www.givecentral.org/2020CCA.

Pope Francis has reminded us that whenever we navigate stormy seas, it’s important that we all “row together, each of us in need, comforting one another.” The Catholic Charity Appeal gives us a very tangible and effective way to “row together.” Thank you very much for your assistance, and God bless you!

Sincerely yours,

Thomas J. Tobin
Bishop of Providence



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DIOCESE OF PROVIDENCE

Queridos amigos en la Diócesis de Providence:

Reflexionando sobre la pandemia COVID, el Papa Francisco escribió sobre la unidad que compartimos al estar todos afectados y respondiendo a la crisis juntos. El Papa comentó, “Nos damos cuenta de que todos estamos en el mismo barco, frágiles y desorientados... (pero) se nos invita a dar un paso fuera de nuestro ser para darle amor a Dios y a nuestro prójimo; una oportunidad para compartir, servir y orar.”

De hecho, la crisis ha brindado oportunidades para servir y compartir, y en la Diócesis de Providence una de las maneras que hemos respondido es a través del gran esfuerzo de Caridades Católicas. Durante este tiempo hemos proporcionado tarjetas de comida para miles de familias en la diócesis, apoyado a Casa Emanuel para que permanezca abierta para aquellos sin hogar, aportado asistencia a personas de tercera edad a través del Centro San Martín de Porres, y ofrecido pañales, fórmula infantil, ropa y cunas para madres primerizas y mujeres embarazadas; entre otras iniciativas.

Este trabajo no sería posible sin el apoyo y las donaciones del Pedido Anual Católico. Estamos profundamente agradecidos con las más de 14,000 familias e individuos quienes han donado una suma de más de \$4.3 millones. Si usted ya sacrificó de su tesoro, ¡muchas gracias! Este ministerio, como muchos, ha sido afectado por las restricciones de la pandemia y nos falta aún más apoyo para alcanzar nuestra meta de \$7.3 millones. Por lo tanto, escribo esta carta para pedir por su ayuda. Necesitamos de su apoyo para que nuestra Iglesia mantenga su misión de caridad durante esta crisis.

Este año la colecta para el Pedido Católico Anual esta programada para el 12 y 13 de septiembre. Si aún no ha participado, este fin de semana le dará la oportunidad ideal para donar. También existen otras maneras para participar: puede llenar la tarjeta donativa incluida o donar en línea visitando la página www.givecentral.org/2020CCA.

El Papa Francisco nos recuerda, “al navegar por los mares tormentosos, es importante remar juntos, todos necesitamos de confortarnos mutuamente.” El Pedido Anual Católico nos ofrece una manera palpable y eficaz de “remar juntos.” ¡Agradezco mucho su asistencia y que Dios le bendiga!

Sinceramente suyo,

Thomas J. Tobin
Obispo de Providence



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