

ST. JOSEPH AND ST. PATRICK ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES
25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 23, 2018



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Mr. Dennis Auger, FFC – Sts. Joseph & Patrick
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Mr. John DeMelim, Custodian - St. Joseph
Mrs. Judith A. Murphy, Adm. Asst. - St. Joseph
Ms. Suzan Napolitano, Custodian - St. Patrick
Mr. Richard Phelan, Jr., Organist – Sts. Joseph & Patrick

MASS TIMES

FALL, WINTER, AND SPRING

Saturday, 4:00 pm	St. Patrick
Saturday, 5:30 pm	St. Joseph
Sunday, 8:00 am	St. Joseph
Sunday, 10:00 am	St. Patrick

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Jan 01	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
May 10	Ascension of Jesus
Aug 15	Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Nov 01	All Saints' Day
Dec 08	The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Dec 25	Christmas

See inside for specific days, times, and locations.

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION) BY APPT. OR

Saturday, 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm – St. Patrick

BAPTISM

Please call the Pastor at the respective rectory to start the process.

MARRIAGE

Please call the Pastor at least one year in advance.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call St. Joseph's rectory/office.

PASTOR'S PAGE



Dear Friends in Christ,

The Lord is never outdone in generosity. He continues to fill us with grace. He provides all that we need to live as His children on earth as well as to be with Him in eternity. Let us continue on our pilgrim journey with trust in His great love and mercy that comes only through His Son, Jesus Christ.

Thank you members of the Activities Committees of Saint Patrick and Saint Joseph who assisted with the mum sale last weekend. Your efforts are much appreciated.

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is for adults who are not yet baptized and interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church. RCIA is also for those who have not finished their initiation into the Catholic Church and would like to receive First Communion and/or Confirmation. And, RCIA is for those who have been baptized in another ecclesial community and would like to be received fully into the Catholic Church. If any of these situations apply to you and you would like more information, please contact me at Saint Joseph's rectory (401-568-2411) with any questions. Classes are scheduled to begin in October.

To all high school students: I invite you to a high school event called "Back from the Dead". We are hosting the Youth Ministry Program of Saint Philip (Greenville). They are providing an evening of faith and fellowship in honor of the Saints. Come and join us at Saint Joseph Church hall and Saint Patrick Cemetery for this event. The evening will begin at 7:30 pm at Saint Joseph and conclude by 9 pm. More information to come.

Let us keep each other in prayer. May the Saints, especially Mary, the Mother of God, intercede for us.

Sincerely in Christ,
Father Scott

5 FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS - Inspired by Our Lady of Fatima, 5 First Saturday Devotions (8-10 am) will be held at Saint Joseph & Saint Patrick beginning the First Saturday of June—to include Mass, Adoration, Confession, recitation of the Holy Rosary, meditation and Benediction. Remaining Devotion: Sat, Oct 6 @ Saint Patrick

Time/Talent/Treasure – Stewardship is not optional! “None of us lives as his own master and none of us dies as his own master,” says Saint Paul. “While we live we are responsible to the Lord, and when we die we die as his servants.”

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- MON Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Lc 8:16-18
- TUE Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21
- WED Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163; Lk 9:1-6
- THU Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17bc; Lk 9:7-9
- FRI Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b and 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22
- SAT Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12ab; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; Jn 1:47-51
- SUN Nm 11:25-29; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



Silver Rose - The Massachusetts Knights of Columbus will be transferring the **Silver Rose** to the Rhode Island Knights of Columbus on Sunday, **September 30, 2018** at 3:00 PM; St. Joseph's

Church, 183 Sayles Avenue, Pascoag, RI. Following the Silver Rose Prayer Service, Pascoag Council # 383 will be having their Harvest Dinner featuring their famous **Chicken Pot Pie** (cocktails @ 4:30 pm; dinner @ 5 pm). Tickets to the dinner are \$15.00 for adults; no charge for children 12 & under. For tickets call PSD Ron Parenteau or email rparenteau1@cox.net ASAP; also available after Masses.

NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Wednesday September 26th	Classes for <u>Grades 1 - 6 at 6 pm;</u> and <u>Grades 7 - 10 at 7 pm</u> at Saint Patrick Church Hall.
Wednesday October 3 rd	<u>Grades 1 – 8</u> with families; blessing of the animals; St. Patrick lawn; <u>6 pm</u> <u>Grades 9 and 10; class at 7 pm;</u> St. Patrick Church hall
Wednesday October 10 th and 17 th	<u>Classes for Grades 1-6 at 6 pm and 7-10 at 7 pm;</u> St. Patrick Church hall

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

FINANCIAL UPDATE



Parish Mission Statement:
 As a Christian Faith Community, we the People of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church of Pascoag, RI, acknowledge God's Blessings and strive to live out the Great Commandments to "love God with all our mind, heart, body,

and soul" and "to love our neighbor as ourselves". Through the sacraments and with the Holy Spirit as our guide, we seek to witness to and celebrate the Kingdom of God among us; through service, healing and reconciling love.

Mass Intentions

- Sep 22 In Memory of Marie Walker (Birthday
 Sat 5:30 Remembrance) & Roger P. Walker
 (19th Anniversary)
 by Linda, Paul & Bethany
- Sep 23 *25th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
 Sun 8:00 In Memory of Ruth Hoppe (69th Anniv.)
 by her Family
- Sep 24 In Memory of Jeremy Lavallee
 Mon 8:00 (Birthday Remembrance)
 by his Family
- 10:00 Mass at Overlook
 Nursing & Rehabilitation Center
- Sep 26 *Sts. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs*
 Mon 8:00 In Memory of Anna Mackow
 by Ewa Baryluk
- Sep 29 *Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael,
 Archangels*
- Sat 5:30 In Memory of Nicholas Ryan Silva
 (Birthday Remembrance)
 by his Family
- Sep 30 *26th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
 Sun 8:00 In Memory of Deceased Parishioners of
 St. Joseph Church



The **Sanctuary/Tabernacle Lamp** will burn this week in loving memory of **Jesuino Mello** (17th Anniversary & Birthday Remembrance) by his Wife & Family.

09/16/18

Regular Collection	\$2,285.00
Electronic Giving	\$191.26
Mail Ins.....	\$385.00
HVAC	\$30.00
Monthly	\$55.00
Fuel	\$30.00
Mass Stipends.....	\$200.00
Mum Sale.....	\$344.00
Candles	29.00
Religious Education Registration	\$591.33
Fall Appeal	<u>\$1022.13</u>
Total Operating Revenue	<u>\$5,162.72</u>
Priests' Retirement Fund	\$438.00
Parish Outreach.....	\$8.00

<u>UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS</u>	
Sept 23 (This Week)	Fuel Offering
October 7	Seminary Collection
October 14	Monthly Parish Collection
October 21	World Mission Sunday
October 28	Fuel Offering

Each week, our parish requires a **minimum Total Operating Revenue of \$3,850.00** to meet our budgeted expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask you to make up your missed budget envelopes. **Thank you for your generosity.**

Mini-Splits Update

Total Cost:.....	\$49,590.22
To-Date Donations**:	\$44,271.22
Balance Remaining:	\$5,319.00

****Donations to help defray the cost of the mini-splits are still being accepted. If you choose to make a donation, please specify on the envelope that your gift is for HVAC since those funds are "restricted" and therefore not subject to Diocesan assessment.**

St. Joseph Yard Sale—Our indoor/outdoor yard sale is scheduled for **THIS weekend**—rain or shine! (**Saturday, 8 am – 3 pm and Sunday, 9:30 am – 2 pm.**) We hope to see you there.

Thank you for supporting this parish fundraiser!



Mum Sale – Mums will be available for purchase (unlike past years, no pre-ordering or pre-paying) this weekend. They are "mid (season) mums"—hardy with long lasting blooms. \$8 each or 3 for \$20. They will also be available at St. Joseph's Yard Sale (9/22 and 9/23). **Thank you for supporting this annual fundraiser.**

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH



Parish Mission Statement: St. Patrick Parish is a Roman Catholic Faith Community guided by the Spirit of God, the scriptures and the traditions of the Church. Our mission is to share the Good News of Christ through the celebration of the liturgy, the sacraments, prayer and unconditional service to all humankind.

Mass Intentions

- Sep 22 In Memory of Edward Zifcak
Sat 4:00 (13th Anniversary)
by his Wife

- Sep 23 *25th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Sun 10:00 For Deceased Parishioners of
St. Patrick Parish

- Sep 25 For Deceased Parishioners of
Tue 8:00 St. Patrick Parish

- Sep 27 *St. Vincent de Paul, Priest*
Thu 8:00 In Memory of Deceased Members of
the Fanny Family
by Dennis & Elaine Auger

- Sep 29 *Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael,
Archangels*
Sat 4:00 For Deceased Parishioners of
St. Patrick Parish

- Sep 30 *26th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Sun 10:00 In Memory of John Oliveria
by Alda Oliveria & Family



The **Sanctuary/Tabernacle Lamp** will burn this week in memory of **Deceased Parishioners of St. Patrick Parish.**

FINANCIAL UPDATE

09/16/18

Regular Collection	\$1,716.00
Electronic Giving	\$148.34
Mail Ins.....	\$149.00
Mass Stipends.....	\$50.00
Building/Maintenance	\$65.00
Annual Fall Appeal.....	\$500.00
Assumption.....	\$5.00
Candles	\$238.75
Religious Education Registration.....	\$207.15
Mum Sale.....	\$360.00
Total Operating Revenue.....	\$3,439.24
Priests'/Retirement Fund.....	\$590.00
Food Pantry.....	\$385.00

<u>UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS</u>	
October 7	Seminary Collection
October 14	Bldg. & Maintenance
October 21	World Mission Sunday

Each week our Parish requires a **minimum Total Operating Revenue of \$2,820.00** to meet our budgeted expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask you to make up your missed budget envelopes. **Thank you for your generosity.**

Mini-Splits Update

Total Cost:.....	\$27,285.00
To-Date Donations**:	\$23,868.00
Balance Remaining:	\$3,417.00

Donations to help defray the cost of the mini-splits are still being accepted. **If you choose to make a donation, please specify on the envelope that your gift is for HVAC.



Christmas Bazaar

Save the Dates:
Thursday, November 29;
Friday, November 30;
Saturday, December 1

St. Patrick's Annual Christmas Bazaar - Donations of new items are needed for our Penny Social. Drop-off Location: St. Patrick's Rectory; Monday-Friday; 8 am – 12 noon. Please **DO NOT** leave items on the porch.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH



Legion of Mary – The Legion of Mary is a world-wide organization of the lay apostolate, in which Catholic men, women and youth sanctify themselves through prayer and apostolic work in union with Our Lady under the guidance of the Pastor. Our meetings are held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm in St. Joseph Church Hall. Come pray with us. We would be

happy to meet you. If we can answer any questions, please call Alice at 401-722-6388.

ST. PATRICK & ST. JOSEPH PARISHES

In-Pew Offertory Envelopes Registered parishioners are encouraged to use their budget envelopes. Separate offertory envelopes (for those who do not have budget envelopes and for visitors) for St. Joseph and St. Patrick parishes will be available in the pews of both churches (**green for St. Patrick's and white for St. Joseph's**). Use of these (in-pew) envelopes will ensure your weekly offerings and/or 1-time gifts are forwarded and credited to your home parish or the parish of your choice. If you wish to begin receiving offertory envelopes in the mail, please be sure to fill in your name, address and phone number, and we will add your name to our mailing list. Thank you for your cooperation. Please call either rectory (St. Joseph, 401-568-2411; St. Patrick, 401-568-5600) with questions.

AROUND THE DIOCESE & ELSEWHERE

Instruments of Peace – A night of praise and worship with Audrey Assad. Featuring songs from her new album, *Evergreen*. Tuesday, September 25, 7 pm. Tickets start at \$15. Box office 401-278-4588;

E-mail: mcvinney@dioceseofprovidence.org.

14th Annual Human Life Guild Day - This year's event will be held on Saturday, September 29, 9 am – 2:00 pm at the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul. Bishop Thomas J. Tobin will be the main celebrant and homilist for the 9 am Mass. Following Mass there will be a reception with the Bishop in the Cathedral Hall with presentations covering *Humanae Vitae - 50 Years Later*, *The Modern Debate – Understanding Transgenderism from a Catholic Perspective*, *Hope for the Future*, and *Being a Pro-Life Feminist*. All are invited to attend the Mass, but pre-registration is required for the conference that will follow, and the cost is \$25.00 per person. Call Carol Owens at 421-7833 x 218.

Men's Breakfast – St. John the Evangelist, Slatersville, RI, Saturday, September 29, 8:30 am – 12:00 pm (noon). Mass at 8:30 am, followed by Breakfast; Courageous Movie; sponsored by Knights of Columbus and Men of St. Joseph. No charge for breakfast. RSVP before September 22 by email to: MosjKofC.StJohns.ri@gmail.com or by calling Gene at 401-762-8580.

Narragansett Bay Chorus Annual Concert -

Narragansett Bay Chorus presents American A Cappella, featuring "The Interstate Rivals," in concert! "The Interstate Rivals," the 1987 Barbershop Harmony Society International Quartet Champions, are the special guests at this always energetic annual concert! Saturday, September 29th at 7:30pm in McVinney Auditorium, 43 Dave Gavitt Way, Providence. Tickets at www.mcvinneyauditorium.com or call the McVinney Box Office at 401-278-4588.

Diocese to Host Mass for Public Safety The Diocese of Providence will host a Mass for Public Safety to honor police, fire and first responders, on Sunday, September 30, at 10:00 a.m. in the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul in Providence. The Mass provides an opportunity for everyone to come together to give thanks to the men and women who risk their lives to protect us and to pray for their continued safety. Everyone is invited to attend.

St. Raphael Academy – Open House scheduled for Sunday, September 30, from 12 pm (noon) to 3 pm. Visit www.saintrays.org or call 401-723-8100 for more information.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul's 11th Annual Friends of the Poor Walk; Sunday, September 30. Registration opens at 10 am; Gazebo in Garden City Center; Walk kick-off at 11 am. Mass offered at St. Mark's, Cranston, 9:30 am. Register online or call 401-490-0822, ext. 113 for more information; music, food, family fun, clothing drive, food drive, toiletry drive.

Catholic Women's Conference – Saturday, October 6, 8 am – 2 pm; featuring Kelly Nieto and Danielle Bean. The day begins with Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop Tobin and will include inspiring dynamic and encouraging talks, live music, prayer, sway bags, morning coffee an' lunch. The Women's Conference will be held at the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul. For more information and to register, please visit www.discovercatholicfaith.org/womens-conference, or call the Diocesan Office of Faith Formation at 401-278-4646.

Emmaus Ministry for Grieving Parents - Saturday, October 6, 9:30 am – 7 pm; St. Theresa Parish, 265 Stafford Road, Tiverton, RI. A 1-day spiritual retreat for parents whose children of any age have died by any cause, regardless of how long ago. For more information, call Barbara, mother of Melissa, from St. Theresa's Parish at 401-200-1314 or Denise, mother of Nicholas, from St. John Vianney Parish at 401-480-3330. On-line registration at www.emfgp.org.

The Office of Life and Family will offer the **Our Lady of Sorrows Bereavement Support Program** at St. Thomas More Church, 53 Rockland St., Narragansett, on Wednesday evenings 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm, October 10, 2018 through December 12, 2018. This support group provides a peaceful place to share and learn about grief with the spiritual comfort of our Catholic faith. It is most appropriate for adults at least three months beyond their loss. There is no cost to attend! For registration/information, contact: Peter A Magnotta at 401-421-7833, ext. 217.