

The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 16, 2020



**“Then Jesus said to her in reply, ‘O woman, great is your faith!’”
Matthew 15:28**

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH & SAINT PATRICK CHURCH

BURRILLVILLE, RI

PASTOR'S PAGE



Dear Friends in Christ,

On August 15th we celebrated the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a great Marian Solemnity. On the EWTN website it states about the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary that "In the eighth century, St. John Damascene was known for giving sermons at the holy places in Jerusalem. At the Tomb of Mary, he expressed the belief of the Church on the meaning of the feast: "Although the body was duly buried, it did not remain in the state of death, neither was it dissolved by decay. . . . You were transferred to your heavenly home, O Lady, Queen and Mother of God in truth."

"The Assumption completes God's work in her since it was not fitting that the flesh that had given life to God himself should ever undergo corruption. The Assumption is God's crowning of His work as Mary ends her earthly life and enters eternity. The feast turns our eyes in that direction, where we will follow when our earthly life is over."

Let us turn to the Mother of God, who was taken up, body and soul, into Heaven. She continues to intercede for us before her Son. Let us give thanks to God for such a Heavenly Mother. Let us live in hope for the day of our resurrection.

The Faith Formation Program will take place in the Fall. The curriculum is home based and incorporates the whole family to study the concepts, Scripture passages, and leads the family in activities and discussion. Those who are in Sacramental years will have an additional formation. More information about the family based program will be shared over the next few weeks. Please contact Father Scott with any further questions or inquires.

This weekend is our Mission Cooperative Appeal for the Missionaries of the Holy Rosary. Thank you for your prayers, as well as your financial

contributions towards their mission, especially towards their goal of raising money to build a convent in Nigeria. We join other parishes during this time of Appeal to raise money for the sisters. All the money collected for the second collection will be sent to the Propagation of the Faith, who then sends it to the Missionary Sisters. If you want to make a direct donation to the sisters, please visit their website at www.mshr.org. Let us keep them in prayer.

Sincerely in Christ,
Father Scott

5 FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS Requested by Our Lady of Fatima, 5 First Saturday Devotions (8-10 am) are being held at Saint Joseph & Saint Patrick — to include Confession, Mass, Adoration, recitation of the Holy Rosary, meditation and Benediction. The remaining schedule for devotions is:

September 5th – St. Joseph
October 3rd – St. Patrick
November 7th – St. Joseph

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MON Ez 24:15-23; Deut 32:18-19, 20, 21; Mt 19:16-22
TUE Ez 28:1-10; Deut 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-3 6ab; Mt 19:23-30
WED Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Mt 20:1-16
THU Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14
FRI Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 22:34-40
SAT Ez 43:1-7ab; Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 23:1-12
SUN Is 22:19-23; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8; Rom 11:33-36; Mt 16:13-20

TIME/TALENT/TREASURE – The gift of myself-my patient endurance and fidelity to the will of God-is as important as the monetary gift I offer.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH



The **MISSION** of the parish communities of Saint Joseph and Saint Patrick is to "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel."

Our **VISION**: As a Catholic faith community, we invite all to experience the saving grace of Jesus Christ. We strive to grow and sustain by offering ministries that meet and nurture the Sacramental, spiritual, material and emotional needs of our greater community.

MASS INTENTIONS

Aug 15 Vigil Mass
Sat 4:00 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Intention of the Priest

Aug 16 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun 8:00 In Memory of John Marshall
 (2nd Anniversary)
 by his Mom & Family

Aug 17 In Memory of John Aliprandi
Mon 8:00

Aug 19 St. John Eudes, Priest
Wed 8:00 In Memory of Betsy Zifcak
 by her Husband & Family

Aug 22 Vigil Mass
Sat 4:00 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Intention of the Priest

Aug 23 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun 8:00 Special Intention in Thanksgiving
 for the Return of Good Health to
 Normand J. Salois, Jr.
 by his Wife & Family



SANCTUARY/TABERNACLE LAMP
 will burn this week in memory of Deceased
Parishioners of St. Joseph Church.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

	08/09/20
Regular Collection	\$1,501.00
Mail-Ins	\$935.00
Monthly Collection	\$341.00
Electronic Giving	\$346.83
Baptism Donation	\$250.00
Donation	\$145.00
Mass Stipends	\$280.00
Annual Collection	\$71.87
Total Operating	\$3,870.70
Peter's Pence	\$40.00
Mission Co-Op	\$7.00
Parish Outreach (Jacob's Gift)	\$10.00

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.

UPCOMING
SECOND/SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

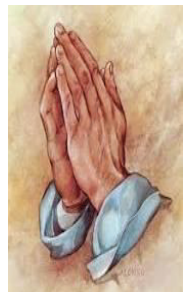
Aug 15/16	Mission Co-Op Appeal
-----------	----------------------



CONGRATULATIONS
AND WELCOME TO THE
NEWLY BAPTIZED:

Giavanna Maria Quider

PRAYER MINISTRY - Would you like to join the "prayer warriors"? Do you know someone who could use a special prayer? Or, would you like someone to pray for you? If so, please call Pauline at 401-568-5644.



ST. PATRICK CHURCH



The **MISSION** of the parish communities of Saint Joseph and Saint Patrick is to "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel."

Our **VISION**: As a Catholic faith community, we invite all to experience the saving grace of Jesus Christ. We strive to grow and sustain by offering ministries that meet and nurture the Sacramental, spiritual, material and

emotional needs of our greater community.

MASS INTENTIONS

Aug 16 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun 10:00 In Memory of
Raymond & Gladys Hoar
 by their Family

Aug 18 In Memory of Anne Regan
Tue 8:30

Aug 20 St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the
Thu 8:30 Church
In Memory of Stanley & Loretta
Misiaszek
 by their Family

Aug 23 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun 10:00 In Memory of Madeline Coutu
(36th Anniversary)
 by the Family

SANCTUARY/TABERNACLE
LAMP will burn this week in
 memory of **Deceased Parishioners**
 of **St. Patrick Church.**



Thank you to all the generous donors who support St. Patrick's Food Pantry, especially during the pandemic. Your donations help provide food and necessary household items to the less fortunate in our community.

Currently, between 35 and 60 families receive help through this important community program. We sincerely thank you for remembering the Food Pantry!

FINANCIAL UPDATE

	08/09/20
Regular Collection	\$1,051.00
Mail-Ins	\$1,885.00
Building & Maintenance	\$527.00
Electronic Giving	\$86.14
Ascension	\$5.00
Total Operating	\$3,554.14
Peter's Pence	\$89.62
Food Pantry	\$640.00
Mission Co-Op	\$62.00

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.

UPCOMING SECOND/SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Aug 15/16	Mission Co-Op Appeal
-----------	----------------------

CONGRATULATIONS to *Meaghan Blanchette*, who received the **Sacrament of Confirmation** on August 9, 2020, at St. Patrick Church.



St. Patrick's Cemetery – Pre-Arrangement

The numerous decisions that must be made following the death of a loved one can prove burdensome, especially in planning a funeral and burial in a short span of time. Please consider pre-arrangement to ease the burden in the midst of grief.

The following is a current price list of cemetery plots:

Single Grave	\$ 950.00
2 Burial Plots	1,700.00
3 Burial Plots	2,500.00
4 Burial Plots	3,300.00

For further information regarding the purchase of cemetery burial plots, please call the inter-parish office at 568-2411. Office hours are Monday through Thursday from 9:00 to 3:00.

Mission Cooperative Plan Appeal 2020

Our 2020 Mission Cooperative Plan is scheduled for this weekend: August 15th/16th. Due to many changes with travel, social distancing regulations and quarantine guidelines, the missionaries have cancelled their visit for 2020.

In light of these changes, the yearly appeal is a necessary way for the religious order to raise money for their many financial responsibilities. I encourage all of our families at Saint Joseph and Saint Patrick to prayerfully consider making a financial donation to the Mission Cooperative Plan this year. Saint Joseph and Saint Patrick have been assigned the Missionary Sisters of the Holy Rosary.

The Missionary Sisters of the Holy Rosary are alive with the joy of the Gospel bringing Christ's love and mercy to people in need – materially or spiritually in Africa, South America, Europe and the USA. They were founded in 1924.

The appeal will assist them in many areas of their work, such as, education and formation of their young sisters, taking care of refugees and their elderly. This appeal will also support them in raising funds to build a convent in Nigeria. Thank you for your prayers and support. Please visit their website: www.mshr.org

Due to changes in the number at social gatherings, the Family Picnic has been postponed until further notice.

3rd Annual Family Picnic *Sponsored by St. Patrick Church*

Watch the bulletin for a new date for the picnic, to be held on the lawn of St. Patrick Church, 45 Harrisville Main Street, Burrillville, RI for a family picnic.

Due to social distancing and other health regulations the following protocols are in effect:

- Games will be omitted
- Please bring your own chairs
- Masks are to be worn around food and walking around by those not in your household
- Social distancing applies
- Please do not attend if feeling sick
- Pre-ordering of lunch is required
- In case of heavy rain – event will be cancelled.

A future bulletin will include RSVP information so that you will inform us of:

- Family Name
- Number attending
- Food Options
Hamburger
Hot Dog
Vegetarian Burger
~Please provide info of any food allergies
- Drink Options
Water
Coke
Diet Coke
Sprite
Ginger Ale
- Individual wrapped desserts will be available



CONGRATULATIONS to the Children who Received the Sacrament of First Holy Communion on August 9, 2020, at St. Joseph Church:

Calen Bren, Olivia Beaulieu, Ava Bevilacqua, Anthony Calcione, Alexander Fanion, Lydia Farrar, Luke

Farrar, Kelsi Razee, Emmalyn Soullier, Landen Soullier, and Braddock Walker.

Bayberry Commons
 A SHORT TERM REHABILITATION & MEMORY UNIT
 181 Davis Drive
 Pascoag, RI 02859-3507
401-568-0600
 Fax: 401-568-3080

Quality • Price • Service

Dino's
 PARK 'N' SHOP
 1020 Putnam Pike
 Chepachet, RI
568-6590

Rosaries From Flowers
 "Handmade from the Flowers of your Loved One"

 841 MAIN STREET
 TEWKSBURY, MA 01876
 www.rosariesfromflowers.com
 (978) 851-9103
 Mention this ad and receive a free key-chain with your order

GENES
 Auto Body Works, Inc.
 Est. 1940
Rob Poisson
 289 Railroad St., Manville, RI
401.769.6821 • Lic. #169

Boucher Funeral Home
 272 Sayles Ave., Pascoag
401-568-5760
 www.boucherfh.com
 Traditional Funerals
 Cremation Services &
 Pre-Planning Funerals
Tod Gautreau

S&S Electric
 www.sandselectricri.com
 "Basically a bunch of guys looking to make a living, not a fortune!"
 ALL TYPES OF ELECTRICAL
 PHONE • DATA
 Lic./Ins. **401-568-8965**
 Scott Ware • scottselectric@gmail.com
 Come visit our on-site showroom!
 844 Putnam Pike
 Chepachet, RI 02814

CPI OIL
Terry Lane
 Glocester, RI 02814
(401) 568-8874



GARAGE DOOR SERVICE
DONALD TASCHEREAU
 P: 860.963.0217
 C: 401.533.0584
 donaldrtasch@charter.net
 RI Contr. Lic. 41108
 CT Contr. Lic. HIC. 0649520

Overlook
 nursing & rehabilitation center
 14 Rock Ave.
 P.O. Box 152
 Pascoag
 Rhode Island 02859
Tel: 401-568-2549

Kristen Moore Above the Rest
 The Stearns/McGee Team

RE/MAX Properties
 261 Main St., North Smithfield, RI 02896
401-413-6907

RI General Contracting
 DESIGN. CONSTRUCTION. MAINTENANCE.
 • New Home Construction • Light Excavation & Grading
 • Complete Additions • Multi-Platform Decks
 • Kitchen & Bath Remodels • Interior/Exterior Remodeling
 • Hardwood Repair & Installation • Custom Finish Work & Fabrication
 RIGC serves as a General Contractor/Construction Manager for residential & commercial renovations & new construction. Our dedication & commitment are unparalleled.
 Harrisville, RI 02830 401.371.2991 www.rihomeconstruction.com

catholicmatch*
 Rhode Island

 CatholicMatch.com/
 dateRI

Broker Associate, Licensed in RI, MA & CT | "Multi-Million Dollar Producer"

Love One Another
Mallory's Army Foundation
 United Together In The Fight Against Bullying...
 Don't Just Teach Kindness... BE KINDNESS!
 www.MallorysArmy.com
 (973) 440-8657
 info@mallorysarmy.org
 It's easy to join our mailing list! Just send your email address by text message:
 Text MALLORYSARMY to 22828 to get started.



CRYSTAL LAKE
 REHABILITATION & CARE CENTER
 www.crystallakerehab.com
 999 S Main Street, Pascoag, RI 02859
401-568-3091
 We Are Proud to Be

FIVE-STAR RATED FOR QUALITY MEASURES

Local, trusted, proven, effective, supportive, referrals, relationships, affordable, repetitious, versatile, lasting. This describes the power of...
Church Bulletin Advertising
 Placing an ad in the parish bulletin supports the parish while building your business - THAT'S A WIN WIN! Call 1.800.333.3166 TODAY!

What's My Name?
 The #WHATSMYNAME Movement asks everyone to simply ask drivers "What's my name?" before entering their vehicle to make sure it is the car they are supposed to enter.
#WHATSMYNAME
 In Remembrance of Samantha Josephson

BUILD YOUR COMMUNITY
 - Shop Local -
 - Shop Small -
PLEASE PATRONIZE THE ADVERTISERS WHO MAKE THIS BULLETIN POSSIBLE!



American Red Cross
 Make a Difference in Your Community
VOLUNTEER
 with the American Red Cross
 Join today at redcross.org/Volunteer