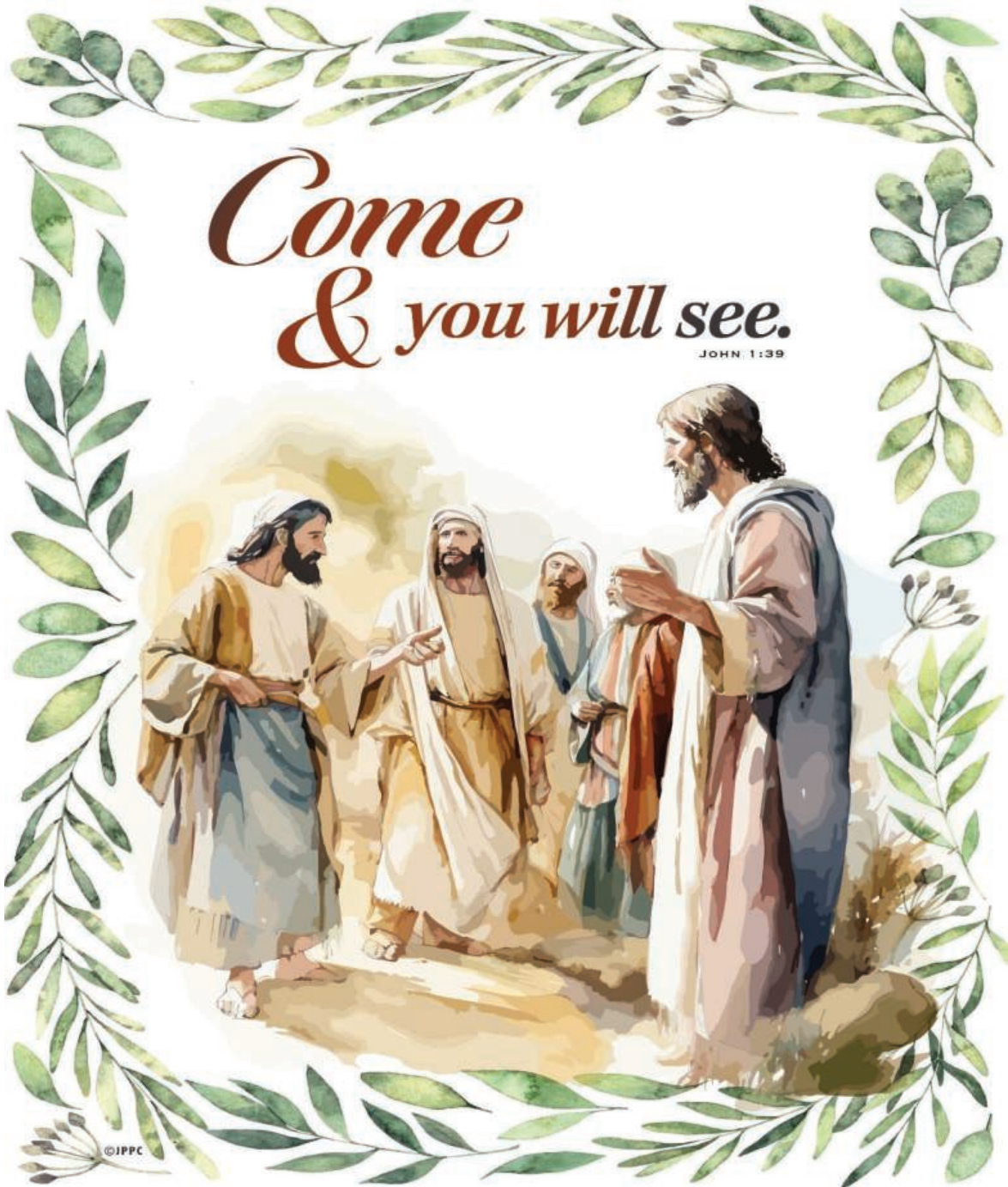


*The Vigil Mass of the  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)*

*January 13, 2024*

*Come  
& you will see.*

JOHN 1:39



***ST. JOSEPH ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH***



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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- MON 1 Sm 15:16-23 Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23, Mk 2:18-22
- TUE 1 Sm 16:1-13 Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28, Mk 2:23-28
- WED 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51 Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10, Mk 3:1-6
- THU 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7 Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13, Mk 3:7-12
- FRI 1 Sm 24:3-21 Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 & 11, Mk 3:13-19
- SAT 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27 Ps 80:2-3, 5-7, Mk 3:20-21
- SUN Jon 3:1-5, 10 Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 1 Cor 7:29-31, Mk 1:14-20



**PRAYER MINISTRY** - Call the Rectory or Pauline (401-568-5644) if you or someone you know would like the **PRAYER WARRIORS** to

pray for you; or are ill and would like a **PRAYER SHAWL**.

**TIME/TALENT/TREASURE**



Once again, we partnered with St. Patrick's Food Pantry to provide clothing, books, and toys for 110 local children. Imagine the children's joy and the parents' and/or guardians' gratitude! Thank you for your generosity, and God bless you!

**PRAYER FOR PEACE**

Mary, Queen of Peace, save us all, who have so much trust in you, from wars, hatred, and oppression. Make us all learn to live in peace, and educate ourselves for peace, do what is demanded by justice and respect the rights of every person so that peace may be firmly established. Amen.



*Pope Saint John Paul II (1920-2005)*

**UPCOMING 2024 EVENTS**

January 26	BINGO
February	Weekly 20-Week Club Drawings Begin
March 16	Free Lenten Meal
April 26	BINGO
May 18	Spring Dinner
June 22	20-Week Club Meal

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

*Thank you for continuing to support our parish fundraisers.*

**20-WEEK CLUB**

Tickets are available for St. Joseph's 20-Week Club. The first of 20 weekly drawings will take place during the week of February 4, 2024.

Ticket prices remain \$50.00, with 20 weekly drawings and prizes on the night of the banquet. What a great gift to give or to receive!



Most Rev. Richard G. Henning, Bishop of Providence, has officially kicked off the 19th annual **Keep the Heat on Campaign**. Keep the Heat On provides emergency home heating oil delivery and utility bill assistance for Rhode Islanders in need, who have exhausted other public and private assistance programs and still need help. Keep the Heat On has contributed more than \$4.1 Million in heating assistance to more than 17,200 Rhode Island households (families and individuals). Rhode Islanders in need can receive assistance through the website <https://HeatRI.com/> or by calling 401-421-7833. Donations to the fund are also accepted at HeatRI.com.





The **MISSION** of the parish community of Saint Joseph 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**

- Jan 13 **Vigil Mass of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 Sat 4:00 pm In Memory of George F. Hoppe (30<sup>th</sup> Ann.), John P. Hoppe, Sr. (2<sup>nd</sup> Ann.) & Robert G. Brunette, Sr. (18<sup>th</sup> Ann.)  
 by their Family &  
 In Memory of Joseph Daniel White (1<sup>st</sup> Ann.)  
 by his Family
- Jan 16 **Healing Mass for Carol Lewin**  
 Tue 7:45 am by her Friends
- Jan 17 **For the Relief & Release of the Holy Souls in Purgatory**  
 Wed 7:45 am
- Jan 20 **Vigil Mass of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 Sat 4:00 pm In Memory of Betsy & Mark Zifcak  
 by their Family



**SANCTUARY LAMP** – The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for Victims of Domestic Violence.

Please **PRAY** for the sick of our parish and their caregivers

**FINANCIAL UPDATE**

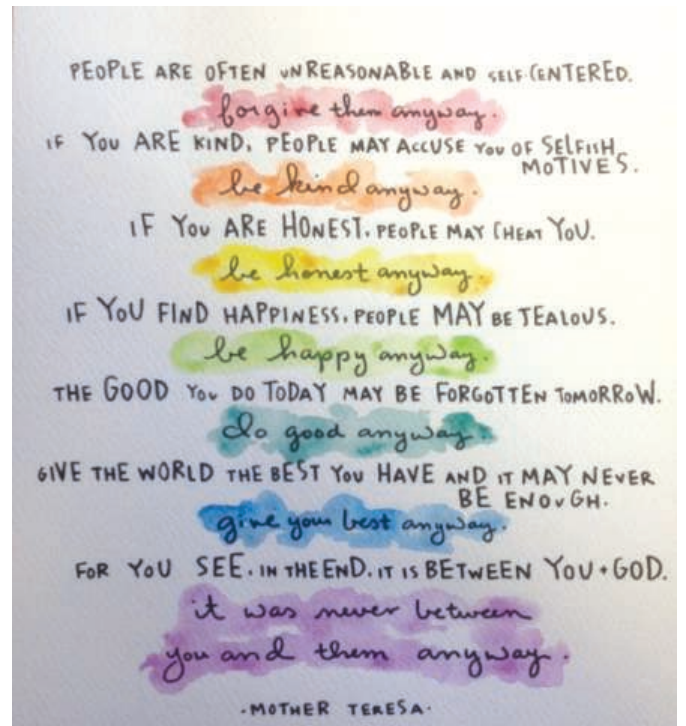
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Weekly	\$1,303.00	\$1,572.00
Mail-Ins	\$250.00	\$110.00
Electronic Giving	\$275.00	\$175.00
Monthly	\$170.00	\$524.00
Fuel	\$43.00	\$35.00
Solemnity of Mary	N/A	5.00
Mass Stipends	\$320.00	N/A
Votive Candles	\$62.00	N/A
Christmas	\$197.00	N/A
<b>Total Operating</b>	<b>\$2,620.00</b>	<b>\$2,421.00</b>
Community Outreach/Jacob's Gift	\$7.00	N/A

**Upcoming Special/Second Collections**

Jan 14 (today)	Fuel Offering
Jan 21	Catholic University
Jan 28	Latin America



**DIOCESE OF PROVIDENCE** – Sign up for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Providence *eNewsbulletin*. Stay informed with a weekly roundup of news and inspiration from Rhode Island to Rome. Go to [dioceseofprovidence.org](http://dioceseofprovidence.org) and select “Begin 2024 in the know!” to register.



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