

Saint Joseph's Church

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<u>Masses</u>

Saturdays: 5:15PM in English Sunday: 7:00AM & 10:30AM in English 6:30PM in Spanish

Mondays & Thursdays: 12:05PM Civic Holidays: 9:00AM Thursdays: 11:AM—12:00PM Holy Hour with Adoration and Confession Available

Sacrament of the Sick: *Please call the office*

Baptisms: Please visit our website

WEDDINGS: PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE

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Services This Week

June 8— Pentecost



In Pew /Online Collection May 31/June 1...\$4,679.00

Building and Maintenance May31/Jun1....\$3319.75

It's been another busy year in the Diocese of Providence! And all of Rhode Island has had the opportunity to keep up with it all on social media or the web, through the weekly diocesan e-news, or perhaps in one of our videos online. All of these resource and many more, like the live streamed liturgies from the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul, and the reels from our priests on social media—are all made possible, in part, by your contribution to the

Catholic Communications Campaign collection.

What is an Angel Benefactor ?

An Angel Benefactor is a person who has made a donation of \$1000.00 or more in memory of a Special Loved One, who will be remembered at the Thursday 12:05pm Mass <u>FOREVER</u> <u>Please consider this blessing for your</u>



YOU ARE
FORGIVENConfessions
St. Joseph 's
11:00am —12noon Thursday
Jesus Saviour
3:00pm — 3:30pm Saturday

Saturday June 7

<u>4:45pm Rosary</u> <u>5:15pm Mass</u>

<u>Sunday June 8</u> Pentecost 7:00am Mass Special Intention 10:30am Mass Special Intention 6:30pm Mass Misa en Espanol

<u>Monday June 9</u> The Blessed Virgin Mary<u>,</u> Mother of the Church

<u>12:05pm Mass</u> Mike Ennis

<u>Tuesday June 10</u>

<u>7:00pm</u> Rosary en Espanol

<u>Wednesday June 11</u> St. Barnabas, Apostle

Thursday June 12

<u>No Holy Hour or Confession</u> <u>12:05pm Mass</u> Rose Cannon Nugent <u>Angel Benefactors</u> Robert Corbin Helen & Joseph Gigliotti

<u>Friday June 13</u> St. Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor of the Church

<u>Saturday June 14</u> BVM

<u>Sunday June 15</u> The Most Holy Trinity Father's Day <u>5:15pm Mass</u> People of the Parish

<u>7:00am Mass</u> <u>10:30am Mass</u> <u>6:30pm Mass</u> Misa en Espanol



<u>St. Vincent de Paul</u> <u>Society</u> St. Joseph Conference

In today's reading, Jesus promises that the Father will send the Holy Spirit to teach us and remind us of all that Jesus said. Pentecost is a celebration of both the gift of the Holy Spirit and the effects of that gift. We are sharers in the one Body of Christ who take up Jesus's mission to preach the good news of salvation. By the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, we ourselves become advocates of God's presence for others. Through your gifts to the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box,

you participate with us as advocates of God's presence for those who are in need.

We are very grateful for your support.

This week, our food pantry is in need of crackers, jelly, and pancake syrup.

Thank you very much for your generosity.Soup Kitchen:Monday 11:30am-12:30pmFood Pantry:Tuesday and Wednesday
10:00am-12:00pm

If you know someone in need of financial assistance or a food delivery, please call our phone line at 401 258-5773.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Javier Alonso Bruce Barrett Celeste Carney Walter Carter Antonio Coelho Stevie Connery Larry Dattilo Larry Davis Kathleen Deveau **Margaret Douglas** Erika Evans The Dupre Family **Billy Gerberville** Danny Gliah Virginia Heins Michelle Imondi Jeanne Jerolaman Josiah & Family **Charlotte Kiss** Nova Langley Hailey L.

Mary Macy Monica Marcucci Patricia McMahon Sarah Miracle Steve Morin **Dewey Morton Tom Morton** John Murphy Daryll Neal Cheryl O'Brien Dan O'Rourke Johnny Perrotti **Amy Powers** Alice Johnson Ribeiro **Cathy Butler Ribeiro Cheryl Roberts & Family** Malinda Shea Jim Trillo

And our homebound parishioners.



Catholic Charities Update for our Parish

Our Goal.....\$23,750 Amount Pledged.....\$20,961 (17,573) Amount Paid.......\$19,430 (\$15,995) Balance Due......\$1,532 (\$1,578) Donor Count......62 (62) Numbers continue to rise! Thank you! Please prayerfully consider a donation as we work toward our goal, approx. <u>\$3,000</u> is needed.



Spanish Meeting for Young People

Our parish is starting a Spanish Meeting for teenagers every Thursday 6:30pm-8pm Meeting in the Church Hall **Please Come !**



Weddings

May 30, 2025 Michala Harris to Brendan O'Brien Please remember them in your prayers.



These Children were Baptized on May 25, 2025

Eleonor A. Catalan Temaj Zulma S. Yocute Hernandez Ailany K. Arevalo Muralles Please remember them in your prayers.

We NEED your Feedback and Help for our next Fellowship and Fundraising Events in the coming months

We plan to bring back these popular "events":

- 1. Coffee & Conversations after 10:30AM Mass (coffee & light breakfast treats in the Peace Garden/ Rectory)
- Frequency: Monthly during June, July, & August dates TBD
- Needs: 3 volunteers to rotate as a "lead" 1 of each of the 3 sessions, plus a team of 2-3 helpers
- Time/resources needed: a few hours on one Sunday; some shopping, set up (tables/chairs, coffee maker), and clean up
- 2. Wine Tasting in the Peace Garden/Rectory (21 years old + event)
- Frequency: one evening date TBD
- Needs: 5-6 volunteers to assist with logistics (getting wines/ food)
- Time/resources needed: attend a few meetings (one hour each), some shopping/light cooking, set up and clean up
- 3. Adult Paint Night with Mermaid Masterpieces in the Church Hall
- Frequency: one evening date TBD
- Needs: 2-3 volunteers to assist with set up/clean up
- Time/resources: a few hours

We need your feedback/input on these "NEW" ideas:

1. "Yard Sale" idea for parking lot or Church Hall

- Have people rent space (in lot or basement) and rent one of our tables, to sell their items (possibly invite people who make arts & crafts, etc.)
- We would also have (donated) baked goods & coffee/water for sale
- 2. "Musician Pub Night" in the Church Hall
- invite local musicians for a musical "jam session" (bring their own instruments, band mates)
- we could possibly sell some food (maybe pizza, salad, water) or perhaps have some volunteers cook
- we would sell tickets, perhaps by table (of 8 seats)
- 3. Bingo Night in Church Hall
- Father Hiep would really like our Parish to hold a bingo night, but we need someone to lead this, as well as several volunteers to assist

----- Cut here & submit your answers (in collection basket) ------

(You can respond anonymously, unless you want to lead/help, then please provide your contact information)

	Are you interested?		Can you help ?		name/email or phone#
coffee & conversation	yes:	no:	lead:	helper:	
wine tasting	yes:	no:	lead:	helper:	
adult painting	yes:	no:	lead:	helper:	
yard sale	yes:	no:	lead:	helper:	
musician pub night	yes:	no:	lead:	helper:	
bingo	yes:	no:	lead:	helper:	



"The Upper Room"



was not only the site of the Last Supper (i.e. the *Cenacle,* or dining room), but is Believed to be the place where the disciples hid when they were in fear of arrest or worse. This is a view of the Cenacle located on Mount Zion.

It is on the upper floor of a two-story building near the Church of the Dormition, south of the Zion Gate in the walls of Jerusalem's Old City [the church is the site of where our Blessed Mother died, or "fell asleep," before she was assumed into Heaven]. Above the church is The minaret of Muslim mosque; below it is the Jewish shrine venerated as the Tomb of King David (though he is not buried there).

<u>Did you know...?</u> Long-time native Newporters (of a certain age) may recall a building called the Cenacle, located on Battery Street in the Point neighborhood. It was a convent for the Cenacle Sisters and later housed a group of Carmelites.

PENTECOST

The Holy Spirit Descends Upon Mary and the Apostles

On the 50th day after the Resurrection, the Holy Spirit

descended upon Mary and the Apostles and a number of other people who were gathered in the upper room.

What makes this especially significant? This was the place of Jesus' final meal with his disciples before his Passion and Death. This is the place where the Church was formed.

Thus, we sometimes refer to Pentecost as the Birthday of the Church.

The Holy Spirit appears in various forms. First, "a noise like a strong driving wind" that was felt in the house in which they were gathered. Then, the Spirit descended like a dove and as tongues of fire above the heads of each of the Apostles and our Blessed Mother—the Queen of the Apostles.

So, the reality of the Spirit was perceived through human senses; the artist's concept in the window helps us to meditate on the Spirit's Presence at the birth of the church.

Note, too, Pentecost is the Greek name for the Jewish Feast of Harvest or the Feast of Weeks, a celebration of the beginning of the early weeks of harvest. The first of two harvests, this early wheat harvest occurred in May and June—fifty days after Passover; the second came in the Fall. All Jewish men traveled to Jerusalem to attend the festival, a great holiday during which no work was done.

As thousands of pilgrims— "devout Jews of every nation"—were in the city to celebrate and thank God for the harvest, people who spoke many different languages were present.

Imagine their surprise when they heard the Good News proclaimed in their own language!

The Holy Spirit was really at work and is still among us!

