Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

Daily Mass

Monday-Wednesday: 8:00 AM
(Holy Rosary at 7:30 AM)

Church Open for Private Prayer

M-F: 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

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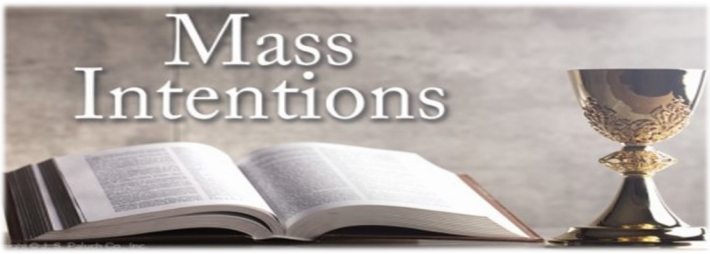
Sacrament of Penance
Saturday: 3:00 PM

Anointing of the Sick
&
Holy Communion for the Homebound & Hospitalized
Please call Sr. Angelina Giramma, M.P.F.

Sacrament of Baptism
Please call Sr. Angelina Giramma, M.P.F. before the birth of your child

Sacrament of Holy Matrimony
Please call the Parish Office one year prior to the marriage

Vocations to the Priesthood, Religious Life, & Permanent Diaconate
Office of Vocations to the Priesthood: 401-331-1316 or www.catholicpriest.com
Office of Religious: 401-278-4633 or www.diocesepvd.org
Office of the Permanent Diaconate: 401-278-4604 or www.diocesepvd.org



Saturday, October 17, 2026
Vigil
4:00pm † Reginald R. LeBoeuf, Jr. ~ Birthday Memorial
† Mary Tasca ~ 1st Anniversary

Sunday, October 18, 2026
Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am ~ The People of St. Mark Parish ~ Pro Populo
10:00am † Kenneth Souza ~ Birthday Memorial
† Joseph A. Gloria ~ Memorial
† Grace Sarcione ~ 22nd Anniversary
† Barbara Santangini ~ 10th Anniversary

Monday, October 19, 2026
SS. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues,
Priest & Companions, Martyrs
8:00am † Rev. Anthony W. Verdelotti ~ 7th Month's Mind
† Judy DiDato ~ Memorial

Tuesday, October 20, 2026
Weekday
St. Paul of the Cross, Priest
8:00am † Mary Lou Buonaccorsi ~ Memorial
~ George Truman, Jr. ~ Healing Intention

Wednesday, October 21, 2026
Weekday
8:00am † Etta Terenzi ~ 3rd Anniversary
† Shannon Giles ~ 4th Anniversary

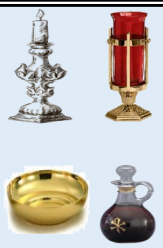
Thursday, October 22, 2026
Weekday
St. John Paul II, Pope
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Friday, October 23, 2026
Weekday
St. John of Capistrano, Priest
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Saturday, October 24, 2026
Vigil
4:00pm † Antonio Enos ~ Birthday Memorial
† Ellen McCarthy ~ Birthday Memorial

Sunday, October 25, 2026
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am † Helen Hankinson ~ Memorial
† Andrew Gallonio ~ Birthday Memorial
10:00am † Joseph A. Gloria ~ Memorial
† Jeanne Scott ~ 8th Anniversary
† Gordon Scott ~ 3rd Anniversary

In Loving Memory Memorials



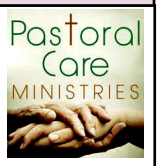
You can offer the **Altar Candles** or the **Sanctuary Lamp** for your deceased loved one for an offering of **$15.00** each. The **Altar Bread** or **Altar Wine** may also be offered in memory of a loved one for an offering of **$25.00** each. To schedule one of these memorials, call Michelle at the Parish Office.

THE DAILY MASS BOOK



The 2027 Mass Book is available to schedule Masses for your loved ones. The customary offering is $15.00 for weekday Masses and $25.00 for weekend Masses and Holy Day. To schedule a Mass call the Parish Office.

Sacraments for the Homebound



Do you, or someone you may know, who is a parishioner, and is sick or homebound, and unable to attend Mass and would like to receive the Holy Eucharist? Sr. Angelina and our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion visit the sick and homebound members of our parish. To request a visit, contact **Sr. Angelina at 401-942-1616, ext. 102.**

You may now bring up the gifts at Mass!

If you booked a weekend Mass for your deceased loved one and would like to bring up the gifts, please let the head usher know prior to the Mass. If you do not identified yourself to the head usher, he will designate someone to bring up the gifts in your place. If there are two deceased names one person from each family will bring up the gifts.



Mass Cards

Remembering our loved ones, living or dead, in our Mass intentions is a noble practice. Mass Cards are available at the Parish Office. **The stipend is $15.00.**

Daily Bible Readings

Week of October 18th

Sunday
Is 45: 1, 4-6; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21
Monday
Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday
Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday
Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday
Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53
Friday
Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday
Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9



From the Desk of the Pastor …



I hope that your week was blessed!

The weather has given us a true taste of October, and the recent evenings have felt like World Series weather, for sure. How about those Patriots?!

The diocesan assembly is scheduled for mid-November and it will gather folks from every parish in the Diocese. There, we will discuss at the diocesan level much of what parishioners shared at our parish assembly in September. We will have 3 representatives from St Mark's (and myself) attending the diocesan assembly. Bishop Bruce will be there too.

Please pray for us as we anticipate this next step in the Bishop's plan of renewal for our Diocese.

Have a blessed fall week, and go Patriots!

God bless,

Father Tim

A Note from the Choir Director

The choir will have rehearsal on **Thursday, October 22nd, at 6:30pm.** Rehearsals are held in the choir room in the lower level of the Mother Cabrini Parish Center. The choir is always looking for new members! If you are interested, please speak with Ron, our organist, after Mass. Try it out - you never know, you may just like it!

St. Patrick Church-Mary House Food Pantry

The following items are needed:
Canned Soups, Cereal, Jelly, Peanut Butter, Pasta, Tuna, and non-perishable food.
Please no glass or perishable items!
Thank you for your continued support, Sr. Angelina.



St. Vincent de Paul - St. Mark Conference

The St. Vincent de Paul - St. Mark Conference helps families and individuals who are in need of assistance. If you or someone you know is in need of assistance, please reach out by calling **942-1616, ext. 320** or email **svdpstmarkri@gmail.com.** Those interested in joining our ministry are invited to attend our next meeting on **Wednesday, October 21st, at 6:30 p.m. in the Mother Cabrini Parish Center.**

Second Collection

The Second Collection next weekend is the

All Souls' Collection

We thank you for your support!

Online Giving

Online Giving totals for the month of September:

Offertory:	**$8,561.00**
Maintenance:	**$865.00**
Poor Box:	**$462.00**
Priest Retirement:	**$248.00**
Total:	**$9,920.00**

Number of users: 115

Online Giving is a safe and secure way to give to the parish. If you would like to learn more or you would like to sign up for Online Giving please visit our parish website at **stmarkri.org/olg**. If you do not have access to a computer to sign up, call the Parish Office and we will be glad to help you.

Online Giving

An easy way to manage your church giving is with our **Text-to-Give** feature that is fully integrated with our Online Giving platform. You can text an amount to **401-249-4820** and your transaction will be processed through the Online Giving account associated with your phone number.

TEXT to GIVE

Support Our Poor Box

Donations to the Poor Box provide assistance to individuals and families in need within our community. In the coming months, as heating and electricity costs continue to rise, many families may find it increasingly difficult to keep up with their gas and electric bills. Our Society of St. Vincent de Paul - St. Mark Conference(SVDP) uses the donations from the Poor Box to assist those facing financial difficulties. Your generosity can make a meaningful difference by helping our neighbors stay warm, keep their lights on, and meet their basic needs. Thank you for your generosity and continued support in helping those in need within our community.





Religious Education Registration 2026-2027
It is **not too late to register** for the 2026–2027 Religious Education Program!
Visit www.stmarkri.org/reled and click the **Registration** button to begin. Please complete a separate registration form for each child in your family.

Religious Education Calendar 2026-2027
The 2026-2027 Religious Education Calendar is available on our website at www.stmarkri.org/reled.

Please keep our catechists in your prayers as they generously answer God's call to share the faith with our students.

Sponsor Certificate Requests

To qualify as a Godparent for Baptism or a Sponsor for Confirmation, you must be registered with the parish. If you are 18 or older, you must be registered on your own, not under your parents, attend Sunday Mass regularly for 6 months, baptized and confirmed in the Roman Catholic Church, and if married, your marriage must be recognized by the Roman Catholic Church. For information contact, **Sr. Angelina Giramma, M.P.F. at 401-942-1616, ext. 102.**

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM



Baptism is one of the three sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. Baptism holds a special place in the Church since it is the "door" to all the other sacraments. As the Catechism proclaims: "Holy Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit and the door which gives access to the other sacraments. Through Baptism we are freed from sin and reborn as sons of God; we become members of Christ, are incorporated into the Church and made sharers in her mission: "Baptism is the sacrament of regeneration through water in the word." *(Catechism of the Catholic Church, paragraph 1213)* ***For more information or to schedule a baptism contact, Sr. Angelina Giramma, M.P.F. at 401-942-1616, ext. 102 or email agiramma@stmarkri.org.***



St. Gabriel's Call Baby Shower



St. Mark Church Outreach Ministry will host a St. Gabriel's Call Baby Shower on the weekend of

October 24th & 25th.

"Mom & Baby Wish List"

Diapers Sizes: Newborn, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6
Larger sizes are greatly needed.

Baby Clothing - Newborn to 5T:
booties, coats, gloves, hats, Onesies, outfits, sleepers, socks and winter boots.

Baby Toiletries and Other Necessities:
baby lotion, baby powder, baby Q-tips, baby shampoo, baby wash, baby wipes, bathtubs, bottles, crib blankets, crib sheets, receiving blankets, sippy cups, baby cereal boxes, and baby food jars.

We also accept gently used:
NB to 5T clothes, bassinets, carriers, cribs, high chairs, pack 'n plays, swings, strollers, and umbrella strollers.

Please bring gifts **unwrapped** and place them in the specially marked boxes at the entrances to the church.

All gifts will be donated to support **St. Gabriel's Call**, a confidential intervention program coordinated by the Office of Life & Family Ministry of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Providence.

This diocesan outreach program supports women and their families, especially pregnant women in desperate need of physical, emotional, and spiritual assistance during pregnancy and beyond. For more information call **278-2518** or email **jernster@dpvd.org**

Thank you for helping our moms, families, and babies.

Mass of Installation

Please join us as we gather in faith and thanksgiving to welcome Father Reilly into this new chapter of his priestly ministry and to pray for God's abundant blessings upon his pastoral service to our parish.

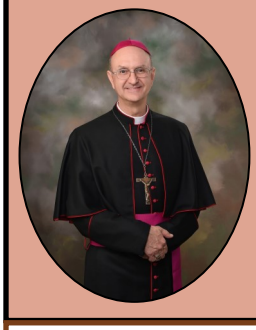


You are cordially invited to celebrate the Installation of

Reverend Timothy D. Reilly

as he is formally installed as the 6th Pastor of St. Mark Church

Saturday, October 24, 2026 at the 4:00 PM Vigil Mass



The Most Reverend Bruce A. Lewandowski, C.Ss.R. will preside at the Mass and formally install Father Reilly as our pastor.

Following the Installation Mass, we invite you to join us for a reception in honor of Father Reilly on the parish grounds. Weather permitting, the reception will be held outdoors. In the event of inclement weather, it will be moved indoors to the Mother Cabrini Parish Center.



Knights of Columbus Annual Coat Drive



Help keep someone warm this winter!

Coats may be dropped off between **October 24th and November 1st** in the specially marked boxes located at the doors of the church.

All new and gently used coats are welcome!

Thank you for helping those in need!

St. Mark Church Holy Hour



You are invited to a special Holy Hour with Adoration and Benediction here at St. Mark Church on

Sunday, November 22nd at 11:00 a.m.

The Holy Hour will be led by Hannah Jefferson, Youth & Young Adult Evangelization Consultant for the Diocese of Providence.

This beautiful prayer experience is open to all ages. Come spend time with the Lord and deepen your faith journey. Invite your family and friends - All are welcome!

Light refreshments to follow in the Mother Cabrini Parish Center.

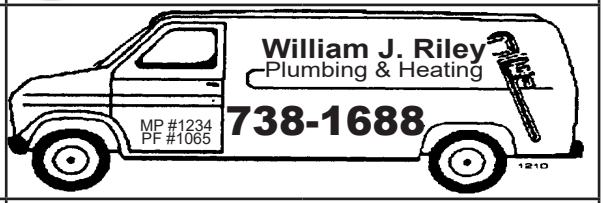
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