

## 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

## Contact Information

### **Mailing Address**

9 Garden Court  
Cranston, RI 02920-5787

### **Mother Cabrini Parish Center (Parish Office)**

31 Poplar Drive  
Cranston, RI 02920-5711

### **Parish Office Hours:**

M-F: 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

**Phone:** 401-942-1616

**Facsimile:** 401-942-1747

**E-Mail:** welcome@stmarkri.org

**Website:** stmarkri.org

### Parish Staff

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# ST. MARK CHURCH

Cranston, Rhode Island

Roman Catholic Diocese of Providence

### **Rev. Anthony Verdelotti**

Pastor

averdelotti@stmarkri.org



### **Sacrament of Penance**

Saturday: 3:00 PM

### **Anointing of the Sick**

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### **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

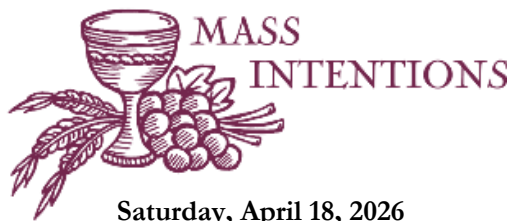
### **Vocations to the Priesthood, Religious Life, & Permanent Diaconate**

Office of Vocations to the Priesthood: 401-331-1316 or [www.catholicpriest.com](http://www.catholicpriest.com)

Office of Religious: 401-278-4633 or [www.diocesepvd.org](http://www.diocesepvd.org)

Office of the Permanent Diaconate: 401-278-4604 or [www.diocesepvd.org](http://www.diocesepvd.org)

*St. Mark Church, Cranston, Rhode Island*



**Saturday, April 18, 2026**

**Vigil**

- 4:00pm † Pauline Aucoin ~ Birthday Memorial
- † Mary J. LeBoeuf ~ 5th Anniversary

**Sunday, April 19, 2026**

**Third Sunday of Easter**

- 8:00am † Rev. Anthony W. Verdelotti ~ Month's Mind
- † Anthony Voccio ~ Month's Mind
- 10:00am † Meghan Geary ~ Birthday Memorial
- † Joseph A. Gloria ~ Memorial
- † Bernardino Fonseca ~ Memorial

**Monday, April 20, 2026**

**Easter Weekday**

- 8:00am † Lyle Perra ~ Memorial
- † Plinio Pizzicanella ~ Memorial

**Tuesday, April 21, 2026**

**Easter Weekday**

**St. Anselm, Bishop & Doctor of the Church**

- 8:00am † Rev. Anthony W. Verdelotti ~ Month's Mind
- † Anna & Luciano Campisi ~ Memorial

**Wednesday, April 22, 2026**

**Easter Weekday**

- 8:00am † Gilda Menna ~ 5th Anniversary
- † Marilyn DeNardo ~ Memorial

**Thursday, April 23, 2026**

**Easter Weekday**

**St. George, Martyr  
St. Adalbert, Bishop & Martyr**

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**Friday, April 24, 2026**

**Easter Weekday**

**St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest & Martyr**

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**Saturday, April 25, 2026**

**Vigil**

- 4:00pm † James Pagano ~ Birthday Memorial
- † Mark Capuano ~ 1st Anniversary
- † Antonio Enos ~ 8th Anniversary

**Sunday, April 26, 2026**

**Fourth Sunday of Easter**

- 8:00am † Rev. Anthony W. Verdelotti ~ Month's Mind
- 10:00am † Joseph A. Gloria ~ Memorial
- † Arthur DeMedeiros ~ Memorial



*The Altar Candles burn in memory of  
Rev. Anthony W. Verdelotti*



*Please pray for the repose of the souls of*

**Anthony Piccirilli &  
Christopher R. Lombardi**  
*who were buried from our church.*

*Lord, for your faithful people, life is changed, not ended.  
When the body of our earthly dwelling lies in death  
we gain an everlasting dwelling place in Heaven.*

**THE DAILY MASS BOOK**

The 2026 Mass Book is available



to book Masses for your loved ones.

The customary offering for weekend & Holy Day Masses is

\$25.00. **The stipend for weekday Masses is now \$15.00.**

To schedule a Mass, please call the Parish Office.

**In Loving Memory**

The Altar Candles and the Sanctuary Lamp



can be offered in memory of a deceased loved one

for a donation of **\$15.00** each and the Altar Bread and the

Altar Wine can be offered for a donation of **\$25.00** each.

To book one of these memorials call the Parish Office.

**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 now \$15.00.**



*A Mass Offering*

**Daily Bible Readings - Week of April 19th**

**Sunday**

Acts 2:14, 22-33; 1 Pt 1:17-21; Lk 24:13-35

**Monday**

Acts 6:8-15; Jn 6:22-29

**Tuesday**

Acts 7:51-8:1a; Jn 6:30-35

**Wednesday**

Acts 8:1b-8; Jn 6:35-40

**Thursday**

Acts 8:26-40; Jn 6:44-51

**Friday**

Acts 9:1-20; Jn 6:52-59

**Saturday**

1 Pt 5:5b-14; Mk 16:15-20





# STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

The collections for the weekend of April 12th will be announced in next weekend's bulletin.

## Catholic Charity Appeal 2026



You may have received a mailing from Catholic Charity requesting a gift to the 2026 Catholic Charity Appeal.

**We ask that you send your gift directly to the Catholic Charity Appeal using the envelope provided.** Please be assured that St. Mark Church will receive credit for any gift you mail directly to the Catholic Charity Appeal.

To give online go to: [givecentral.org/2026CCA](http://givecentral.org/2026CCA)

**Our Parish Goal: \$62,843.00**

**Collected to date: \$37,198.00**

**59% of Goal 135 Donors**

*Thank you for your generosity.*

Please prayerfully consider giving a gift to help us reach our goal. Thank you.

Knights of Columbus Arthur Rebello Assembly 2808, will hold a restaurant fundraiser at Gregg's Restaurant on Post Road in Warwick on Wednesday, April 22nd. This is an all-day event, so you may go at any time. The coupon is valid for both dine in and takeout. All proceeds will help support the charitable and patriotic works of the Knights of Columbus.



## Benefit Night Coupon

Cut out and present this coupon. 10% of your check will be donated to the Knights of Columbus Rebello Assembly.



Valid on Wednesday, April 22, 2026

Valid for Dine In or Takeout at Gregg's Restaurant Warwick



We have teamed up with the Knights of Columbus Rebello Assembly to make a difference.



### Please take note:

The church is open for private prayer Monday through Friday 9:00am to 2:00pm.



### April Month of the Holy Spirit



### Sacraments for the Homebound

Do you know someone who is a parishioner and is homebound or 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. If you, or someone you know would like to be ministered to, call Sr. Angelina at 942-1616, Ext. 102.



### 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 over 18 you must be registered on your own not under your parents, participating in Sunday Mass regularly for 6 months, Baptized and Confirmed in the Roman Catholic Church, and if you are married your marriage must be recognized by the Roman Catholic Church. For information call Sr. Angelina at 942-1616, Ext. 102.

### Baptism

Baptism is one of the three sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation. Baptism holds a special place in the Church since it is the "door" to all the other sacraments.

To schedule a baptism please contact: Sr. Angelina Giramma, M.P.F. at 942-1616, Ext. 102 or email [agiramma@stmarkri.org](mailto:agiramma@stmarkri.org).



### St. Vincent de Paul - St. Mark Conference

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance, or if you would like to join our ministry, call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul - St. Mark Conference at 942-1616, Ext. 320. Our next meeting is Thursday, April 23rd at 6:30pm in the Mother Cabrini Parish Center. All are welcome.



### 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.



# Religious Education



## Spring Break Notice

NO classes on the following dates:

Grades 6–9: Sunday, April 19, 2026

Grades 1–5: Tuesday, April 21, 2026



## Absences:

If your child will be absent, please notify us in advance. Contact us by phone at 401-942-1616, Ext. 101, by email, [cjackvony@stmarkri.org](mailto:cjackvony@stmarkri.org), or via REMIND. Students are expected to make up any missed classwork.

## First Holy Communion Rehearsals

- Tuesday, April 28, 2026 at 4:15pm. (during class time)
- Saturday, May 2, 2026 at 11:15am.
- Tuesday, May 5, 2026 at 4:15pm. (during class time)



## First Holy Communion

Saturday, May 9, 2026 at 10:00am.

## May Crowning

Sunday, May 10, 2026 at the 10:00am Mass.

## Updated Confirmation Requirements 2025-2026:

### Requirements:

- Service Project Reflection
- Letter to the Bishop

### Due Dates:

- ~ PAST DUE
- ~ April 26, 2026

## Confirmation Rehearsal

Sunday, May 17, 2026 at 12:30pm.

## Confirmation

Wednesday, May 20, 2026 at 6:00pm.

The Most Reverend Bruce A. Lewandowski will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation upon the confirmandi.



## Meet the Candidate

We have an amazing group of young adults preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, and we would like you to meet them. Beginning next weekend, each week we feature a brief biographical blurb of two Confirmation candidates in the bulletin. These candidates will attend the 10:00am Mass and greet parishioners in the courtyard after Mass. Please help our soon-to-be Confirmed parishioners feel welcome by introducing yourself and saying hello!

# MEET THE CANDIDATES

### Name:

Christopher Foley

### School:

Cranston High School West

### Confirmation Saint Name:

St. Peregrine

### Service Project Description:

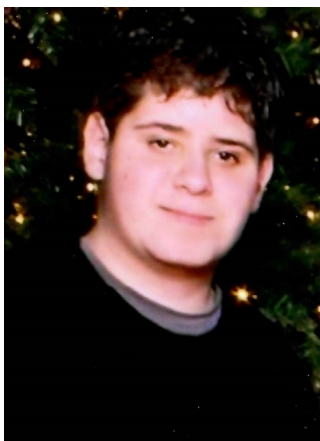
I volunteered at the St. Vincent DePaul Society. I sorted and folded clothing donations, and I moved boxes of donations from one building to another. I also helped to shovel snow.

### Hobbies/Interests:

I like to bike. I also like to play video games.

### Life Goals:

My life goals are to help my family and be successful in life.



### Name:

Gino Pellegrino

### School:

Cranston High School West

### Confirmation Saint Name:

St. Anastasia

### Service Project Description:

My service project was completed at the St. Vincent DePaul Society. I helped box up shoes, purses, clothes, and toiletries for people in need. We also made positive post cards for the homeless.

### Hobbies/Interests:

My hobbies are karate and kickboxing. My interests are archery and woodworking.

### Life Goals:

I hope to earn my black belt.



Third Sunday of Easter ~ April 19, 2026



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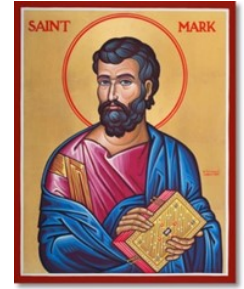
## A Legacy of Faith, a Future of Hope

The Most Rev. Bruce A. Lewandowski, C.Ss.R.  
has appointed Rev. William J. Ledoux,  
pastor of Holy Apostles Parish, Cranston,  
as temporary Parochial Administrator of  
St. Mark Parish, Cranston, effective immediately.

The results from the “Legacy of Faith,  
a Future of Hope” program will be published  
in the bulletin as soon as they become available.  
We apologize for the delay and  
thank you for your patience.



# Breakfast



## St. Mark Parish Breakfast

The St. Mark Church Event Committee is sponsoring a Parish Breakfast!

Come spend time after Mass with fellow parishioners and  
friends while enjoying a home-cooked hot breakfast!



**Sunday, May 3, 2026**  
**in the Mother Cabrini Parish Center.**



Breakfast will be served from **8:00 AM to 11:30 AM.**

**Breakfast will include:**

Eggs, Sausage, Pancakes, Home Fries, Fresh Fruit, Pastry, Coffee, Tea, Juice

**Tickets are:**

Adults: \$15.00

Children **10 to 17**: \$10.00

Children **9 & under**: Free

**All proceeds will benefit our parish!**

To purchase in advance, please complete the form below and return it with your payment.  
You can place in an envelope marked “Breakfast” and drop it in the collection basket at Mass,  
by mail, or drop it off in the black mailbox at the Parish Office by **Monday, April 27th.**

**NOTE: Although we prefer advance purchase for planning purposes, we will welcome walk-ins!**

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Tickets (Adults) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$15.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Tickets (Children **10 to 17**) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Tickets (Children **9 & under**) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$0.00 each = \$ **0.00**

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