#### **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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Parish Business Manager mgebhart@stmarkri.org

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#### **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
Office of Religious: 401-278-4633 or www.diocesepvd.org
Office of the Permanent Diaconate: 401-278-4604 or www.diocesepvd.org

#### St. Mark Church, Cranston, Rhode Island

# MASS Intentions

#### Saturday, July 19, 2025 Vigil

4:00pm † Marcella Doyle ~ 7th Anniversary † Barbara Ferriere ~ Birthday Memorial

#### Sunday, July 20, 2025 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am ~ The People of St. Mark Parish ~ Pro Populo

10:00am † Virginia Lirio ~ Anniversary

† Mark Capuano ~ Memorial

#### Monday, July 21, 2025 Weekday

#### St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor of the Church

8:00am † Giuseppe & Oliva Giramma ~ Memorial

† Cathy Klimasewski ~ 1st Anniversary

~ Special Intention to the Sacred Heart & Blessed Mother

#### Tuesday, July 22, 2025 St. Mary Magdalene

8:00am ~ The People of St. Mark Parish ~ Pro Populo

#### Wednesday, July 23, 2025 Weekday

St. Bridget, Religious

8:00am † Donald Leblanc ~ Month's Mind † Mary Begin ~ Month's Mind

> Thursday, July 24, 2025 Weekday St. Sharbel Malchluf, Priest

> > Friday, July 25, 2025 St. James, Apostle

#### Saturday, July 26, 2025 Vigil

4:00pm † Marie Vallier ~ 5th Month's Mind † Mark Capuano ~ 3rd Month's Mind

### Sunday, July 27, 2025

#### Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am ~ The People of St. Mark Parish ~ Pro Populo

10:00am † Rev. John Corona ~ Month's Mind

† Alphonse & Irene Ruscito ~ Memorial

#### THE DAILY MASS BOOK

The 2026 Mass Book is available to book Masses for your loved ones.

The suggested offering for weekend and Holy Day Masses is \$25.00 & weekday Masses is \$10.00.

To schedule a Mass call the Parish Office.



## In Loving Memory



The Sanctuary Lamp burns in memory of Richard Allen Paliotte

#### 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. If you would like to book one of these memorials call the Parish Office.

#### If you are bringing up the gifts at Mass

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



## **July** Month of the Precious Blood

## 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 suggested offering is \$10.00.

# Daily Bible Readings Week of July 20th



Sunday

Gn 18:1-10a; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42

Monday

Ex 14:5-18; Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday

Sq 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Wednesday

Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Mt 13:1-9

Thursday

Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Mt 13:10-17

Friday

2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 20:20-28

Saturday

Ex 24:3-8; Mt 13:24-30

#### Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 20, 2025



The collections for the weekend of July 13th will be announced in next weekend's bulletin.



We sincerely thank those of you who mail or deliver your weekly envelopes to the Parish Office while you are out of town on vacation or visiting another parish this summer. As many of you know, our parish expenses and obligations do not take a vacation, so it is very helpful to be able to rely on your continued support when you cannot personally attend Mass here.

Online Giving is a safe and secure way to give to the parish. If you would like to learn more Online Giving 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 and would like to sign up call the Parish Office and we will be glad to help you.

Another easy way to manage your church giving is with our new **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.



If you or someone you know needs assistance, call St. Vincent de Paul at 942-1616, Ext. 320. Please consider giving an hour of your time to help serve our local neighbors in need, or to make a monetary donation visit **stmarkri.org/donate**. Next meeting: Thursday, July 24th at 6:30pm in the Mother Cabrini Parish Center. All are welcome.

#### Sacraments for the Homebound

Pastoral As baptized Catholics, we are called to bring (are Christ to others. Take a moment to consider... Do you know of a family member who is a parishioner and homebound or unable to attend Mass, but 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, please contact Sr. Angelina at 942-1616.



#### **Knights of Columbus Food Drive**

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting food for the food drive on the weekends of July 26th & 27th and August 2nd & 3rd.

There is a year-round need for food donations for local food pantries. Please help our neighbors in need.



The Little Sisters of the Poor will hold their third annual Summer Soirée on Wednesday, August 13th, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Jeanne Jugan Residence, 964 Main Street, Pawtucket. Tickets for this 21+ event are \$50 per person and include fine wine, craft beer, and signature small bites from more than a dozen local restaurants. All proceeds will support the Little Sisters' mission to care for the elderly poor. To purchase tickets, call 401-723-4314 or go to littlesistersofthepoorpawtucket.org. Deadline to purchase tickets is Wednesday, July 30th.



Find Mass schedules anywhere in the world for any Catholic Church at www.masstimes.org or call 800-MASSTIMES. God doesn't take summers off!

#### Appropriate Dress for Mass

Summer is upon us and this means warmer temperatures. While attending Holy Mass we must remember that appropriate and modest dress is still required. We are in the presence of Jesus Christ and worshiping with our brothers and sisters in the House of God. We thank God that St. Mark Church is blessed to have air conditioning to keep us all at a comfortable temperature for worship. Please dress appropriately and consider that what we wear may be a distraction to others around us.

#### St. Mark Church, Cranston, Rhode Island

## Religious Education



#### 2025-2026 Religious Education Registration

We are now accepting registrations for Religious Education classes for grades 1-9. Registration is 100% online and should only take a few minutes.

> Student Registration

To register, go to our website at www.stmarkri.org/reled and click on the Registration Form button.

We ask that you fill out a separate registration form for each child.

Please register as soon as possible so we can allocate appropriate space, finalize class rosters, and order books and supplies.

If you have any questions or concerns, contact the Religious Education Office at 401-942-1616, Ext. 101.

We are excited to see you in September!

The 2025- 2026 Religious Education Calendar is now available on our webpage (www.stmarkri.org/reled).

#### Be safe, be well, and God Bless,

Claudia A. Jackvony, Religious Education Coordinator, 401-942-1616, Ext. 101 cjackvony@stmarkri.org.

## 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.** 

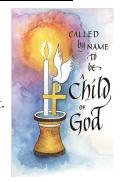
## Register as a Parishioner

If you have been attending Mass here on a regular basis do not presume that you are automatically registered here. If you haven't received mail from St. Mark Church, you are most likely not registered. If you are over 18 you need to be registered on your own and no longer under your parents. To register call Sr. Angelina at 942-1616 or visit stmarkri.org/register.

#### **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

We are excited to prepare with you, for the baptism of your child here at St. Mark Roman Catholic Church! 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 other sacraments. As the Catechism proclaims, "Holy Baptism



is the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit and 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 information or to schedule a baptism contact: Sr. Angelina Giramma, M.P.F. at 942-1616, Ext. 102



#### Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 20, 2025



# Summer Wind

The Knights of Columbus, Father Donnelly Council is sponsoring a unique summer outdoor event!



The Summer wind came blowin' in from across the sea



It lingered there to touch your hair to walk with me...



Enjoy an evening together this summer! Good food, spirits, music and company! Location will be outside under the lights near the St. Mark Gazebo, with a "Summer Wind" of course!

Saturday, August 9, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

Rain Date: Sunday, August 10, 2025, at 1:00 p.m.



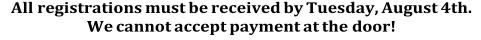
Menu: Pasta & Meatballs, Salad, Fresh Bread, Dessert and Coffee. Beer and Wine will be available as well.

Tickets are only \$30 per person/\$15 for children under 12.

Tickets are limited, so purchase them early!

Please complete the form below with your payment, and place it in an envelope marked "Summer Wind" and place it in the collection basket, parish mailbox, or mail.

Please make checks payable to: "K of C Council 322".





All proceeds will support the Knights of Columbus Pro-Life Charities. These include organizations that provide free ultrasounds, clothing, diapers, parenting classes, and temporary housing for mothers and their babies.



Summer Wind 2025	
Name:	Phone Number:
Number of Tickets (age 12 and over) \$30 Each:	
Number of Tickets (age 11 and under) \$15 Each:	
I cannot attend but would like to support Pro-Life Charities: \$	
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