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:

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Rev. Anthony Verdelotti

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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

ust 9, 2025

4:00pm † Marcella Doyle ~ Birthday Memorial

Sunday, August 10, 2025 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am ~ The People of St. Mark Parish ~ Pro Populo 10:00am †

Monday, August 11, 2025 St. Clare, Virgin

8:00am † Nathan Ryan ~ Birthday Memorial † Linda Terenzi ~ 2nd Anniversary

> Tuesday, August 12, 2025 Weekday

St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

8:00am † Joseph A. Gloria ~ Memorial

† Alec Grimaldi, Jr. ~ 8th Anniversary

† Mary Grimaldi~ Birthday Memorial

Wednesday, August 13, 2025 Weekday

St. Pontian, Pope & Martyr St. Hippolytus, Priest & Martyr

8:00am † Gloria Lennon ~ Memorial † Mary-Lou Buonaccorsi ~ Memorial

> Thursday, August 14, 2025 St. Maximillian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr

Thursday, August 14, 2025
Vigil of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
6:00pm ~ The People of St. Mark Parish ~ Pro Populo

Friday, August 15, 2025
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00am † Jeffrey S. Girard, II ~ 10th Anniversary † Louise F. Nascenzi ~ 8th Anniversary

> Saturday, August 16, 2025 Vigil

4:00pm † Anthony Angelotti ~ Memorial

Sunday, August 17, 2025 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am ~ The People of St. Mark Parish ~ Pro Populo 10:00am † Ireen Malong ~ Memorial

† For the Cause of Canonization of Blessed Michael J. McGivney, founder of the Knights of Columbus, and the Dcd. Mbrs. of the Knights of Columbus ~ 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.

The Parish Office will be closed Monday, August 11th in observance of Victory Day.





The Altar Candles and the Sanctuary Lamp burn in memory of Bennie & Louise Nascenzi



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.

Sacraments for the Homebound

As baptized Catholics, we are called to bring 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.

Daily Bible Readings Week of August 10th



Pastoral

Sunday

Wis 18:6-9; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12;

Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Monday

Dt 10:12-22; Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday

Dt 31:1-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday

Dt 34:1-12; Mt 18:15-20

Thursday

Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16, 16:1-2; 1 Cor 15:54b-57;

Lk 11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a, 12:1-6a, 10ab; 1 Cor 15:20-27;

Lk 1:39-56

Saturday

Jos 24:14-29; Mt 19:13-15

stewardship

The collections for the weekend of July 27th:

Offertory

 Mass:
 \$3,965.00

 Mail:
 \$1,200.00

 Total:
 \$5,165.00

Poor Box

 Mass:
 \$61.00

 Mail:
 \$15.00

 Total:
 \$76.00

The collections for the weekend of August 3rd:

Offertory

 Mass:
 \$4,320.00

 Mail:
 \$496.00

 Total:
 \$4,816.00

Peter's Pence

Mass:\$1,194.00Mail:\$12.00Total:\$1,206.00

Poor Box

 Mass:
 \$161.00

 Mail:
 \$15.00

 Total:
 \$176.00

Thank you for your continued support of St. Mark Church!

Online Giving

Online Giving totals for the month of July:
Offertory: \$9,074.00

Maintenance: \$798.00

Poor Box: \$600.00

Missionary Co-Op: \$175.00

Total: \$10,647.00





The collection has been significantly low. We ask that if you were not able to attend Mass to please remember to make-up your weekly contribution. Your generous donation enables the parish to function on a day-to-day basis. We thank you for your continued support of St. Mark Church.

SAVE THE DATE



Save the date:
Sunday, October 5, 2025,
for a very special parish
celebration, our 75TH Anniversary!
Please watch the bulletin in the
upcoming weeks for details!



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 or you would like to sign up for Online Giving please visitour 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 <u>Text-to-Give</u> feature that is fully integrated with our Online Giving platform. You can text an amount to <u>401-249-4820</u> and your transaction will be processed through the Online Giving account associated with your phone number.



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.**

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 item

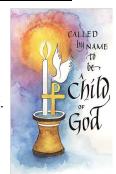
Please no glass or perishable items!

Thank you for your continued support, Sr. Angelina.

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, 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 or agiramma@stmarkri.org.

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.

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, August 14th at 6:30pm in the Mother Cabrini Parish Center. All are welcome.

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Knights of Columbus

Thank you to all who donated to our Summertime Food Drive. We collected 695 pounds of

food to support two food pantries. God Bless!



Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ August 10, 2025

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation.



Masses will be celebrated Thursday, August 14th at 6:00pm and Friday, August 15th at 8:00am.

Please see your budget packets for a special Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary envelope.

Wedding Anniversary Celebration



The Diocese of Providence cordially invites you and your spouse to celebrate your 25th, 40th, 50th, or over 50 years Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, October 26, 2025 at 1:00 P.M. at the Cathedral of SS. Peter & Paul in Providence. The Most Rev. Bruce A. Lewandowski, C.Ss.R. will be the main celebrant and homilist. The Wedding Anniversary Celebration includes: Mass, renewal of wedding vows, a personalized certificate, and a reception for you and your guests. If you would like to participate, call Michelle at the Parish Office by Friday, September 12th.



Knights of Columbus Council 322 Corn Hole Tournament





\$20.00 - per person \$35.00 - Team of two





Registration includes food, drinks, and Corn Hole

Please complete this form with a check payable to:
Knights of Columbus Council #322 and place in an envelope marked "Corn Hole"
and drop it in the black mailbox at the Mother Cabrini Parish Center or mail to:
Knights of Columbus Council 322, St. Mark Church, 31 Poplar Dr., Cranston, RI 02920.
Payment with a credit or debit card is available by scanning the QR Code.
Guests are more than welcome to attend. We ask that you consider donating \$10.00 for each guest to help defray the cost of their food.

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