The Roman Catholic Parishes of:

Our Lady of Czenstochowa

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St Vincent de Paul

Announcements for Saint Vincent de Paul

Holy Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23
5:30 PM ✝**Henry Doucette**
By Paul LaCroix

SUNDAY, JANUARY 24
9:15 AM ✝**Cyrille & Eva Auger**
By Daughters

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27
8:30 AM ✝**Earl & Wray Hervey**
By Kyle & Marilyn Lynch

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28
8:30 AM ✝**M/M Robert Cahill**
By Daughters

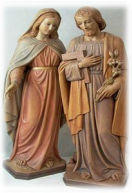
FRIDAY, JANUARY 29
8:30 AM ✝**Henry Doucette**
By Frank & Evelyn Cordeiro

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30
5:30 PM ✝**Irene LeMake**
By Familly

SUNDAY, JANUARY 31
9:15 AM ✝**Joseph & Josephine Fredette**
By Granddaughter

This week the candles in front of the statues of the Blessed Virgin and Saint Joseph burn for:

Henry Doucette
By Family & Friends



Financial Blessings

Thank you for your continued support of our Parish!

January 17th.....$2,164.00
Monthly.....$205.00

Parishioners who are financially able to continue supporting our church but are unable to attend Holy Mass at this time may drop their budget envelopes off in the rectory door mail slot or mail to:

Saint Vincent de Paul Church
6 Saint Vincent de Paul Street
Coventry, RI 02816

2021 Memorial Masses

There are many Masses available in 2021. Call the rectory to book Masses for your loved ones.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 24, 2021

"Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: 'This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent and believe in the gospel.'"

The theme for what will follow is quite clear.

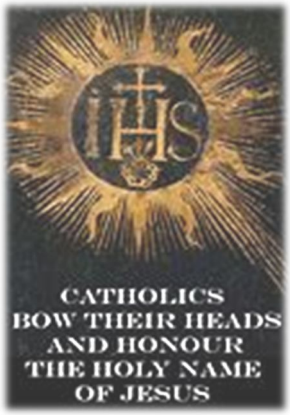
Following this introductory note, Jesus summons the two sets of brothers who abandon their fishing profession and begin their life as disciples. Mark's opening verses reveal that there must have been something really attractive about this meeting, the call and response.

As we settle into a new year, with countless challenges, problems and difficulties, may we seriously respond to the call, first not of discipleship, but to repentance and a newly fired belief. As I change, others will change, and the world will become better – less hate, division, fear. What is Jesus calling you to?

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Edith Lavoie whose funeral Mass was held on 1-8 at Saint Vincent Church. Please also pray for long time parishioner, Veronica Brouillette, who recently passed away. Services for Veronica will be held at a later time.

Sanctuary lamp for January
Emmanuel Coulibaly
By Coulibaly Family

Sunday, January 24, 2021 Third Sunday In Ordinary Time



Pray to the Holy Name of Jesus

O my Jesus, thou art the Savior who hast given Thy blood and Thy life for me, I pray Thee to write Thy adorable name on my poor heart; so that having it always imprinted in my heart by love, I may also have it ever on my lips, by invoking it in all my necessities. If the devil tempts me, Thy name will give me strength to resist him; if I lose confidence, Thy name will animate me to hope; if I lose confidence, Thy name will animate me to hope; if I am in affliction, Thy name will comfort me, by reminding me of all Thou hast endured for me. If I find myself cold in Thy love, Thy name will inflame me by reminding me of the love Thou hast shown me. I have fallen into so many sins, because I did not call on Thee; from henceforth Thy name shall be my defense, my refuge, my hope, my only consolation, my only love. Thus do I hope to live, and so do I hope to die, having Thy name always on my lips. *-By St Alphonsus*

Rhode Island Catholic's annual Subscription Drive is underway!

In March 2020, COVID-19 changed everything and your diocesan newspaper responded immediately moving all publishing online to the RI Catholic website, TheRICatholic.com. As the pandemic unfolded, we continued to bring you the news of the diocese online, eventually returning to print biweekly, and finally back to weekly in this New Year.

Now more than ever, your diocesan newspaper depends on its faithful readers to continue its 145-year mission of bringing the good news of the church directly to you. If you are interested in starting a new subscription or continuing to receive Rhode Island Catholic in your mailbox each week, please call Circulation Manager Sue Richard at 401-272-1010 ext. 0, or visit the newspaper's website, www.thericatholic.com, and click on Subscribe to order and pay for a subscription. The cost for a year of in-home delivery of the newspaper is only $30. **Due to the ongoing pandemic online payments, checks or money orders are preferred (made payable to Rhode Island Catholic). Thank you!**

Please remember in your prayers the sick and deceased of our parishes.

Confirmation News

Announcement: This years Confirmation will take place on:
Saturday, March 27th at 10:00am
with Bishop Robert C. Evans at the Cathedral of Saints Peter & Paul
Providence

A mailing has been sent to all candidates with further information and instructions. Sponsor certificates are due in February. If you need another sponsor form or if you have any questions please call Cathy at 821-8719.

Parents seeking assistance for Catholic School tuition must **call their parish** and submit an application to the Diocese. Applications are available at each Catholic School.

Parents may also submit an application on-line at www.factstuitionaid.com. **Remember, you must call your parish and apply in order to receive financial aid from OLC or SVP.** The deadline for submitting applications is **February 12th 2021.**

An **ENORMOUS** "Thank you" to everyone who

took part in the annual "Christmas Is" for children and the elderly. We can report that there were over 120 people who woke up to a gift on Christmas Morning because of YOU!

Exciting news to report: SVdP- Coventry is now on Facebook!! We can be found by our user name of **svdp.coventry** and we would love to have you among our friends!

Did you know that when you buy our **Stop & Shop and Dave's Shopping Cards**, SVdP-Coventry will receive 5% of all cards sold so that when you do your grocery shopping, you are helping others at the same time! Due to Covid-19 safety measures, shopping cards for Dave's and Stop & Shop will NOT be sold after Mass. If you wish to purchase cards, please call the OLC parish office at 821-7991.

Are you or is someone you know an **elder** in Coventry or West Warwick? If so, please **call the Society before 3PM on Wednesday** so that we can schedule to deliver a warm meal from our Saturday Grab & Go weekly meal.

Our **next meeting** will take place on **February 1st @ 6:30 PM in the OLC gymnasium** to allow for social distancing. Come join us and share your ideas!

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Holy Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23
4:00 PM ✝**Milton Biros**
By Family

SUNDAY, JANUARY 24
8:00 AM ✝**Monica Szymkowicz**
By Ted and Family

11:00 AM ✝**Deceased Members of the Balcerzak Family, Earl McGlynn, Joan Greene and David Gingras**
By Mary Balcerzak

MONDAY, JANUARY 25
8:30 AM ✝**Nellie Ochocki and Family**
By Koziol Family

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26
8:30 AM ✝**Joseph Desrocher**
By Jo Ann

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30
4:00 PM ✝**Eugene Girard**
By Richard and Marion

SUNDAY, JANUARY 31
8:00 AM ✝**Chet Pojda** (18th Ann)
By Family

11:00 AM ✝**Marjorie Marcantonio**
By Basket Ladies

FINANCIAL BLESSINGS January 17, 2021

BUDGET	$ 3,525.00
ORGAN	$ 140.00
FUEL	$ 140.00
CATHOLIC EDUCATION	$ 110.00
CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY	$ 60.00
CANDLES	$ 20.00

If your family finances are stable, please continue to support us with your offerings.

- You may send your contributions to OLC Church, 445 Washington St, Coventry, RI 02816
- ***or drop them off to the mail slot in the parish house door.***

Thank you for your continued generosity.

Intention of the week:
This week we pray for healing of our nation: that God will heal the divisions in our country, guide all elected officials in fulfilling their duties, and help them to work selflessly for the common good.

2021 Century Club

Please consider joining our 2021 Century Club. Dues are $10.00 per month for each of the 10 months. Our goal is to increase membership to 200 members. Membership is not limited to parishioners, invite friends, family and neighbors to join. Many chances to win and a fun banquet in November!

For more information please contact Harry Larson 401-828-3460.

We warmly welcome our new parishioners:

Walter and Wanda McLaughlin

There is one **Mass opening** on Saturday, **March 27 at 4pm**. During the week there are Mass openings: on Monday, **March 29 at 8:30am** and Tuesdays **March 9, 16, 23 and 30 at 8:30am.** To book one of these Masses, please contact the parish office.

THE SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 7:29-31

I tell you, brothers and sisters, the time is running out.

Yes,
time flies.
–At warp speed.

Christ, let us not cling
to this world.

Help us detach
from

everything

but

love.

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Holy Mass Times

Weekend Saturday 5:30pm
Sunday 9:15am
Weekdays Wed., Thurs. & Fri. 8:30am

Confessions

Saturday 3:00pm-3:30pm at OLC
or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

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Religious Education

Home Study Grades 1-8

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Sunday 8am & 11 am
Weekdays Mon. & Tues. 8:30am

Confessions

Saturday 3:00pm-3:30pm
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Confirmation Program- This year we are having a Home Study program for Confirmation. For further information regarding Confirmation please call Cathy @ 821-8719.

RCIA- Anyone interested in joining the Catholic Church or completing the sacraments in our RCIA program should call Cathy @ 821-8719 for more information.

DAILY ROSARY Weekdays at 8:00am before the 8:30am Holy Mass

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of the Sick is best celebrated prior to a person's last few days of life. Call the parish office whenever a person is undergoing surgery or is gravely ill.

Baptism Three months notice, please call the rectory about preparation.

Marriage Arrangements should be made at least 1 year in advance.

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