

ST. BERNARD'S CHURCH

OUR LADY OF PROVIDENCE PARISH

MARCH 11, 2018

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Monday-Thursday / Lunes-Jueves

9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

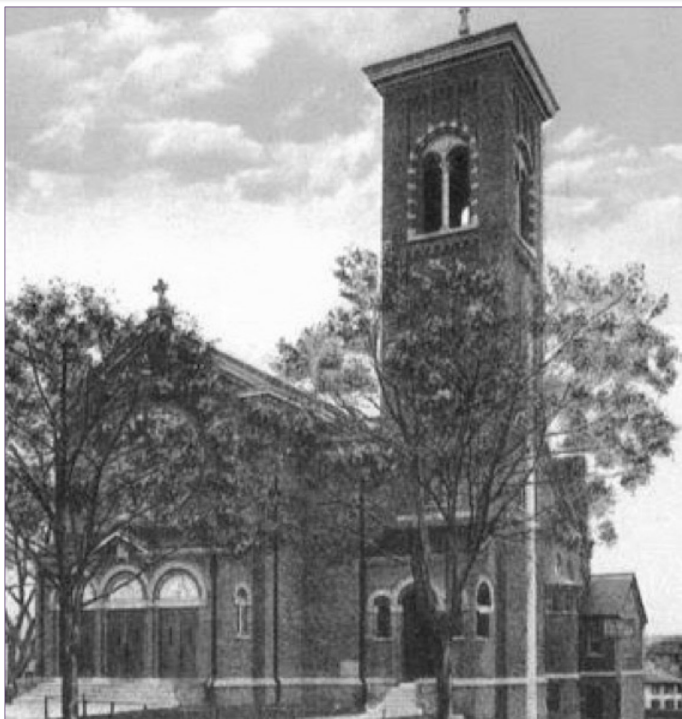
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Church Dedicated November 6th, 1921

Schedule of Masses | Horario de Misa

Lord's Day Masses | Misas del Día del Señor

Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. (Spanish) & 5:00 p.m.

Weekday Masses | Misas de la semana

Wednesday – Friday: 8:15 a.m.

Thursday: 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Holy Days | Dias Sagrados

Feast: 8:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Holy Hour/ Hora Sagrada

Thursday: 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Sacraments | Sacramentos

Reconciliation | Reconciliación

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.

Thursday: 6:15 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

or by appointment

Baptism | Bautismo

Please call the office to schedule all baptisms.

Por favor comunicarse a la oficina para programar los bautismos.

Marriage | Matrimonio

Please call the office at least 9 months prior to the anticipated date. Por favor comunicarse a la oficina por lo menos 9 meses antes de la boda.

4TH SUNDAY OF LENT | IV DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

Mass Intentions | Intenciones para Las Misas

March | Marzo 10 Saturday | Sabado

4:00 p.m.

March | Marzo 11 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m. *Patricia Hayes Wagner † (2nd Anniversary)*

11:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m.

February | Febrero 14 Wednesday | Miércoles

8:15 a.m.

March | Marzo 15 Thursday | Jueves

8:15 a.m.

7:00 p.m.

March | Marzo 16 Friday | Viernes

8:15 a.m.

March | Marzo 17 Saturday | Sabado

4:00 p.m.

March | Marzo 18 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m. *Paul Kubert † Req. by Bill Mitchell*

11:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m. *Karen "Jam" Vessella †*

If you wish to have a Mass said for either the living or deceased or for a particular intention, please call the office.

Si usted desea alguna misa por algún motivo especial o por el alma de algún ser querido, favor de llamar a la rectoría de la parroquia.



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PRAYER BEFORE MASS

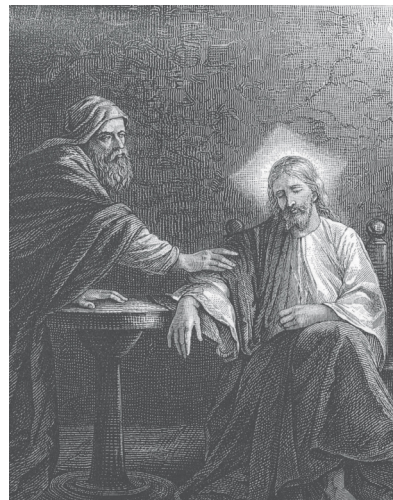
Come, Holy Spirit, quiet my heart and my head, as I gather with my family, friends and neighbors to celebrate Mass. Quiet the thoughts and distractions that will keep me from worship.

Open my mouth in prayer and song. Open my ears to hear God's word. Open my eyes to the mystery of the Eucharist.

Open my heart to receive Jesus with love. May I go forth strengthened to take the Mass into my life this week. In a special way, we pray for our twinning parish, St. Mary's in Uxbridge. Amen.

ORACIÓN ANTES DE LA MISA

Ven, Espíritu Santo, silencia mi corazón y mi cabeza, y así junto con mi familia, amigos y vecinos celebrar esta misa. Calma los pensamientos y las distracciones que me impiden vivir esta celebración. Abre mi boca a la oración y al canto. Abre mis oídos para escuchar la palabra de Dios. Abre mis ojos al misterio de la Eucaristía. Abre mi corazón para recibir a Jesús con amor. Permíteme salir fortalecido al celebrar esta misa para vivir mi vida esta semana. Oraciones especiales para nuestra parroquia de hermanamiento St. Mary's en Uxbridge. Amen.



"For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him." - John 3:17

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Hymns

Processional Hymn: #533

Offertory Hymn: #364

Meditational Hymn: #344

Recessional Hymn: #353

Weekly Collection | Colecta Semanal

Weekly	\$2,064.00
Fuel	\$226.00
Gym Rentals	\$2,900.00
Building Fund	\$16.00
Food Pantry	\$200.00
Candle Money	\$12.00
Total	\$5,418.00

Weekly Expenses | Gastos Semanal

Salaries	\$930.00
Electrical	\$1,098.08
Fuel	\$3,330.26
Total	\$5,358.34

Next Weekend the Church Supports Catholic Relief Services

Next weekend we welcome Archbishop Michael Banach who will be celebrating the 9:00am mass. Archbishop Banach was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Worcester and was recently appointed an Archbishop serving as a Papal Nuncio to the countries of Senegal, Cape Verde, Mauritania, Guinea-Bissau. We invite all in our community to attend this mass to welcome Archbishop Banach.

El próximo Domingo en la misa de 9:00 tendremos la visita del Obispo Michael Banach, quien fue ordenado sacerdote por la Diócesis de Worcester y recientemente fue nombrado Arzobispo y servir como nuncio Apostólico de Senegal, Cape Verde, Mauritania, Guinea-Bissaus. Todos están invitados a la celebración y dar la Bienvenida el próximo Domingo al Arzobispo Banach.

Faith in Action, Loving God by Serving Others

Last weekend was our In Pew Commitment Weekend for the 2018 *Partners in Charity Appeal*. Thank you to those who made a gift and a special thank you to those who gave for the first time. Your gift will help us in reaching our parish goal. To date 12 families have responded. However, we need the support of all members of Our Lady of Providence if we are to be successful in reaching our parish goal of \$28,500.00. If you have not yet completed your pledge, please prayerfully make your pledge and return it to the church office or in the collection basket. We are confident that, with God's help and yours, we will rise to it! Thank you!

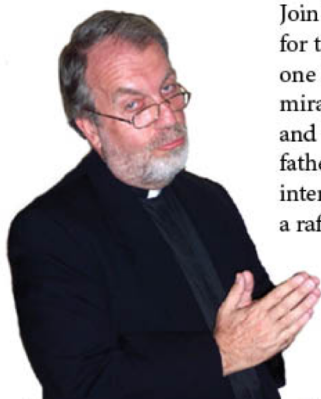
Saturday, May 12, 2018

**St. Bernards Church of Our
Lady of Providence Parish.**

PROUDLY PRESENTS

MISGIVINGS

A "Divine" Comedy of bellylaughs, blessings, blarney and bingo.



Don't miss
this delightfully
entertaining
and uplifting
one man show!

Join Father Patrick Aloysius Misgivings for this divine presentation of stories and one liners about growing up Catholic. From miracles and marriage counseling to bazaars and birth control, nothing escapes the good father's razor sharp Irish wit. This hilarious, interactive comedy includes a collection, a raffle and even an actual Bingo game.

Location:
St. Bernard's Gym
228 Lincoln St. Worcester, MA

Social Hour: 5:00PM
Dinner: 6:00PM
Showtime: 7:00PM
\$25

Raffles including a 50/50 Raffle
For reservations and info contact
Renee Jalbert - Parish Office
508-755-3820
Deb Slavinskas 508-688-7551

We are seeking donations of (unopened) candy for our Annual Easter Egg Hunt. If you are interested in donating please contact the office or see Sr. Susi.



Estamos buscando quien desee donar dulces para el dia de la busqueda de huevos en Easter. Por favor comunicarse con la Hna. Susi

LENT is the time to continue to **Come, Follow Jesus**

Take a closer look at Jesus... with the help of those who have seen and touched, walked and talked with him from the beginning of Christianity. Come and seek Christ who is the "Light" that makes us whole!

"Living Together: Christian Community" 3/18 1-3pm
Register at 508-755-3820 or parish@olpworchester.org
No Charge & ALL ARE WELCOME!



Coffee and... will be March 18th following the 9:00 Mass.
All are welcome!

LENTEN PRAYER PROGRAM

Tuesday Mornings | 10:00-11:30 a.m.

- 3/13 Sr. Maureen Hickey, PBVM
"Come Out of the Tomb"
- 3/20 Mr. Ernie Rivard
"This Lent: Make Me New, Lord"

Speaker

18th Annual
Worcester Diocesan
**Catholic Men's
Conference**

March 17, 2018
www.firstmensconf.org



RYLAN TREMBLAY
My Life With You!

Tremblay shares his personal Catholic experience with heart-felt songs and hilarious stories about his love of people and sacraments of the Catholic Church. He'll be accompanied by his wife, Elizabeth, as they share the story of what it's like to meet Pope Francis! Delivered with love and humor, this presentation will leave you smiling inside and out.