

ST. BERNARD'S CHURCH † IGLESIA DE SAN BERNARDO

OUR LADY OF PROVIDENCE PARISH

PARROQUIA DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA PROVIDENCIA

228 Lincoln Street Worcester, Massachusetts 01605



August | Agosto

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2025

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MASS SCHEDULE | 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. (Español) & 5:00 p.m.

Weekday Masses | Misas de la Semana

Wednesday – Friday: 8:15 a.m.

Thursday: 7:00 p.m. (Español)

Holy Days | Días Festivos

Feast: 8:15 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. (Español)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament | Adoración de la Eucaristía

First Thursday of the month | Primer jueves del mes

8:30am -6:30 p.m.

PARISH INFO | INFORMACIÓN

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FOOD PANTRY | DESPENSA DE ALIMENTOS

Harlow Street Entrance | 2nd Floor

4th Monday of the Month | 4^o Lunes del Mes

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

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Mass Intentions | Intenciones Para Las Misas

August | Agosto 30 Saturday | Sábado

4:00 p.m. Rosa M. Velázquez (1st Anniversary) † Req by Family

August | Agosto 31 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m. Joseph P. Pellicane † Req by Family
11:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m. In thanksgiving for teachers

September | Septiembre 3 Wednesday | Miércoles

8:15 a.m. Kathryn Geiger †

September | Septiembre 4 Thursday | Jueves

8:15 a.m. Fr. Fortin †
7:00 p.m.

September | Septiembre 5 Friday | Viernes

8:15 a.m. Theresa Bodinizzo †

September | Septiembre 6 Saturday | Sábado

4:00 p.m. Mari Riley (17th Anniversary) † Req by Family

September | Septiembre 7 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m. David DeGhetto
11:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m. Ignacio "Iggy" Garcia † Req by Family



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 at least 2 months prior to the anticipated date. Favor de comunicarse con la oficina por lo menos 2 meses antes del bautismo.

MARRIAGE | MATRIMONIO

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

Weekly Collection | Colecta Semanal

4:00 p.m.	\$353.00
9:00 a.m.	\$572.00
11:00 a.m.	\$483.00
5:00 p.m.	\$332.00
Mail-Ins	\$100.00
Online Contribution	\$245.60
Collection Sub-Total	\$1,986.60

We are deeply grateful to all who financially support the work of our parish community. May God help us to be responsible stewards of the material and spiritual goods that have been given to our parish.

Agradecemos profundamente a todos los que apoyan financiando el trabajo de nuestra comunidad parroquial. Dios nos ayude a ser administradores responsables de los bienes materiales y espirituales que se han dado a nuestra parroquia.

Word & Eucharist 926 | Palabra y Eucaristia 927

Journeysongs: 993

Entrance Hymn: 647

Offertory Hymn: 626

Communion Hymn:

Recessional Hymn: 735



22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you." (Luke 14:13-14)

One of the main principles of living a stewardship lifestyle is to give without expecting anything in return. This is difficult for some to comprehend in our "consumerist" culture that we live in. This is even difficult for many parish communities that have become heavily dependent on parish fundraising events to support the mission and ministry of their local parish. Generally speaking, at a parish fundraiser, you pay money and receive something in return, it's just a financial transaction. This is opposed to our parish offertory at Holy Mass, where you unite your sacrifice with Jesus', renewing our covenant relationship with Him.

Domingo 22° del Tiempo Ordinario

"Antes bien, cuando ofrezcas un banquete, llama a pobres, mancos, cojos, ciegos, y serás bienaventurado, ya que ellos no tienen como recompensarte." (Lucas 14:13-14)

Uno de los principios más importantes para vivir una vida de corresponsabilidad es dar sin recibir nada a cambio. Esto es difícil de comprender para algunos por la cultura "consumista" en la que vivimos. Incluso para muchas comunidades parroquiales, esto puede ser un desafío, ya que han llegado a depender en gran medida de eventos de recaudación de fondos para sostener la misión y el ministerio de su parroquia local. Generalmente hablando, en una campaña de recolección de fondos parroquiales, usted da dinero y recibe algo a cambio, es simplemente una transacción financiera. Esto es diferente a nuestra ofrenda parroquial durante la Santa Misa, donde unimos nuestro sacrificio al de Jesús, renovando nuestra relación de alianza con Él.

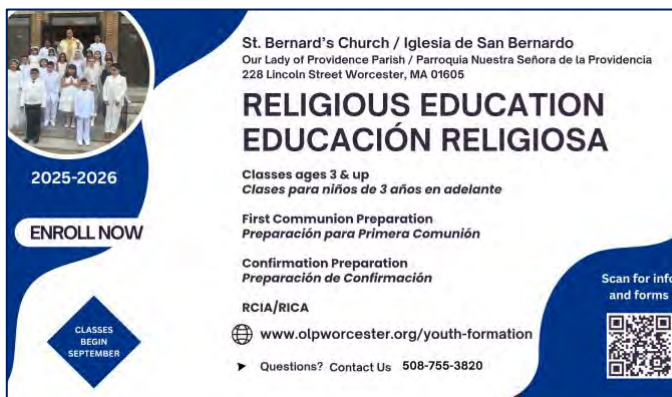
We Did It, Thank You!

With deep gratitude, we congratulate our parish family for reaching our Partners in Charity goal this year!

Whether it was a gift of one dollar or one thousand, every offering made a difference. Together, we accomplished this milestone for the first time since I became pastor. Your generosity and faith have united to support the mission of the Church here in Worcester and beyond. May God continue to bless you for your sacrifice and commitment.

¡Lo Logramos, Gracias!

Con profunda gratitud, felicitamos a nuestra familia parroquial por haber alcanzado nuestra meta de Partners in Charity este año. Ya haya sido una ofrenda de un dólar o de mil, cada contribución marcó la diferencia. Juntos hemos logrado este hito por primera vez desde que soy su párroco. Su generosidad y fe se han unido para apoyar la misión de la Iglesia aquí en Worcester y más allá. Que Dios los siga bendiciendo por su sacrificio y compromiso.



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2025-2026

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CLASSES BEGIN SEPTEMBER

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Lector Training / Formación de lectores

Tuesday, September 16, 2025 at 6:30 p.m. (in English)

Domingo, 21 de Septiembre de 2025 después de la Misa en Español de las 11:00 a.m. (en Español)

Our Mission: To Make Jesus Known

The mission of the Church is clear: to make Jesus Christ known and loved. Everything we do as a parish—prayer, service, and community—is rooted in this call. Let us keep Christ at the center as we live and share the Gospel together.

Nuestra Misión: Dar a Conocer a Jesús

La misión de la Iglesia es clara: dar a conocer y amar a Jesucristo. Todo lo que hacemos como parroquia—la oración, el servicio y la comunidad—nace de este llamado. Mantengamos a Cristo en el centro mientras vivimos y compartimos el Evangelio juntos.

Our parish Religious Education classes will begin on Saturday, September 14. We look forward to welcoming our children and families back as we continue to grow in faith together.

Please keep our students, catechists, and families in your prayers as we begin a new year of formation.

Las clases de Educación Religiosa de nuestra parroquia comenzarán el sábado, 14 de septiembre. Esperamos con alegría dar la bienvenida a nuestros niños y familias mientras seguimos creciendo juntos en la fe. Por favor mantengan en sus oraciones a nuestros estudiantes, catequistas y familias al comenzar



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