

# 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



**March | Marzo**

**15**

**2026**

**Bishop of Worcester**

Most Reverend Robert J. McManus

**Pastor**

Rev. Jonathan J. Slavinkas  
pastor@olpworchester.org

**Assisting Priest**

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**Finance Committee Chairperson**

Matt Geiger

**Cantor & Music Director**

Monica Hatch

**Organist**

Gavin Klein

## 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 | 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the Month | 4<sup>o</sup> Lunes del Mes

5:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

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## Mass Intentions | Intenciones Para Las Misas

### March | Marzo 14 Saturday | Sábado

4:00 p.m. Carl Steele (9<sup>th</sup> ann.) † Req by Family

### March | Marzo 15 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m. Michael R. Wellman (5<sup>th</sup> ann.) †

Req by Family

11:00 a.m.

5:00 p. m. Sandra E. McIntyre † Req by Matt Geiger

### March | Marzo 18 Wednesday | Miércoles

8:15 a.m. Mary E. D'Errico †

### March | Marzo 19 Thursday | Jueves

8:15 a.m. Safety and Protection of All First Responders

7:00 p.m.

### March | Marzo 20 Friday | Viernes

8:15a.m. Safety and Protection of All Medical Professionals

### March | Marzo 21 Saturday | Sábado

4:00 p.m. Shawn McKinnon † Req by Donna McKinnon

### March | Marzo 15 Sunday | Domingo

9:00 a.m. Sister Ruth McGoldrick, SP †

11:00 a.m.

5:00 p. m. John B. Hamm †

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.



### RECONCILIATION | RECONCILIACIÓN

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.

Thursday: 6:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

### 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.	\$408.00
9:00 a.m.	\$935.00
11:00 a.m.	\$682.00
5:00 p.m.	\$260.00
Mail-Ins	\$140.00
Online Contribution	\$499.95
<b>Collection Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$2,924.95</b>

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 184 | Palabra y Eucaristia 185

Journeysongs: 892

Entrance Hymn: 364

Offertory Hymn: 530

Communion Hymn: 786

Recessional Hymn: 712



*Readings  
To-Go!*

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent  
March 15, 2026

Scan QR code to see  
this week's readings!

### 4th Sunday of Lent

*“Not as man sees does God see, because man sees the appearance, but the Lord looks into the heart.”*  
(1 Samuel 16:7) How often do we invest our time, talent and treasure in creating an appearance that does not matter at all to God? We strive to impress with our clothing, home, career, possessions, car and other marks of distinction. But none of these illusions of greatness will impress God. Instead, He will look into our hearts to see how much we loved Him, how much we loved others and how we showed that love by the way we used our time, talent and treasure here on earth.

### 4o Domingo de Cuaresma

*“Pues Dios no ve como el hombre ve, pues el hombre mira la apariencia exterior, pero el Señor mira el corazón”. (1 SAMUEL 16: 7) ¿Qué tan a menudo invertimos nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoros para crear una apariencia que no le importa para nada a Dios? Tendemos a impresionar con nuestra vestimenta, casa, carrera, posesiones, automóvil y otras marcas de distinción. Pero ninguna de esas ilusiones de grandeza impresionará a Dios. En lugar de eso, Él mirará dentro de nuestros corazones para ver cuánto lo amamos, cuánto amamos a los demás y cómo mostramos ese amor en la forma en que usamos nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoro aquí en la tierra.*

*Creator, you give the world new life by your sacraments.*

*May we, your Church, grow in your life and continue to receive your help on earth.*

*~Lenten Morning Prayer*

## Let's Celebrate! ¡Celebremos!

Please join us in celebrating Fr. Bill Reiser as he enters his well-deserved retirement from active ministry. Sunday, March 22, at the 11:00 AM Mass St. Bernard's Church, 228 Lincoln Street, Worcester Luncheon to follow in the gym.

Acompáñenos a celebrar al Padre Bill Reiser al comenzar su merecida jubilación del ministerio activo. Domingo 22 de marzo, en la Misa de las 11:00 a. m. Iglesia de San Bernardo, 228 Lincoln Street, Worcester Almuerzo a continuación en el gimnasio.



2026 Worcester Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference "Be Not Afraid" - The 25th Annual Catholic Men's Conference, will be held on Saturday, March 21 at the DCU Convention Center in Worcester. Adult Tickets are \$60 (through March 11) and Student Tickets are always \$30. All tickets include lunch. For more information regarding this year's conference & speakers, please contact Mike Buffone 508-873-4237.

## Get To Know Your Family

*Our Lady of Guadalupe*

Elmer Arana

Worshipping with us: 1 year

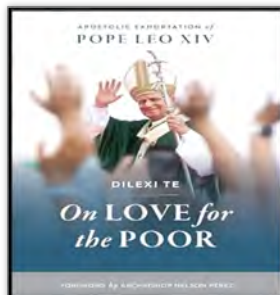


### Easter Candy & Plastic Egg Donations

Sr. Susi is kindly asking for donations of Easter candy and plastic Easter eggs for our upcoming Easter egg hunt. Donations can be brought to the rectory. During non-business hours, you may leave them on the porch. Please bring all donations **by March 29**. Thank you for your generosity and support!

### Donaciones de Dulces y Huevos de Plástico para Pascua

La Hermana Susi está solicitando amablemente donaciones de dulces de Pascua y huevos de plástico para nuestra próxima búsqueda de huevos de Pascua. Las donaciones pueden llevarse a la rectoría. Durante horas en que la oficina esté cerrada, pueden dejarse en el porche. Por favor traiga todas las donaciones **antes del 29 de marzo**. ¡Gracias por su generosidad y apoyo!



### Pope Leo Speaks - Exhortation Quote

"The Almighty will not be outdone in generosity to those who serve the people most in need: the greater the love of the poor, the greater the reward from God"

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Ruby Centerbar &  
Sofia McCarthy

who will be baptized this weekend!  
*a quienes fueron bautizados en fin de semana!*

### Spend an Hour with Our Lord

**Eucharistic Adoration – Every Thursday During Lent | 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM**

We warmly invite all parishioners to join us for a day of prayer, silence, and reflection before the Blessed Sacrament. Consider setting aside one hour for Eucharistic Adoration and experience the peace and grace that come from time spent with Our Lord. Your presence truly makes a difference. Come, rest in His presence, and be part of this beautiful day of devotion.

### Pasa una Hora con Nuestro Señor

**Adoración Eucarística – Todos los jueves durante la Cuaresma**

Invitamos cordialmente a todos los feligreses a unirse a nosotros para un día de oración, silencio y reflexión ante el Santísimo Sacramento. Considere apartar una hora para la Adoración Eucarística y experimentar la paz y la gracia que brotan del tiempo pasado con Nuestro Señor. Su presencia realmente hace la diferencia. Venga, descanse en Su presencia y sea parte de este hermoso día de devoción.

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