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Rev. Mr. Keith Caplette

SCHEDULE

Lord's Day Masses (Pavilion)

Saturday: 4 p.m.
Sunday: 10 a.m., 12 p.m.
Sunday: 8 a.m., in St. Anne Church

Daily Masses (Saint Anne Church)

Monday—Saturday: 7:30 a.m.
Monday—Thursday: 10 a.m.

Holy Day Masses (Saint Anne Church)

Vigil: 7 p.m.
Feast: 7:30 a.m., 10 a.m.

Morning Prayer (Saint Anne Church)

7:15 a.m.

Confessions (Saint Anne Church Sacristy)

Saturday: 2:30—3:30 p.m. and by appointment

Baptism and Marriage

Please call the Parish Office at 508-347-7339



MEMORIAL DAY
HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

Welcome to St. Anne - St. Patrick Parish!

Thank you for being a valued part of the St. Anne St. Patrick Parish community. As we grow together in Christ through worship, prayer, and service, we invite you to deepen your connection with the parish and support one another in faith. If you know someone who is new to our parish family, please welcome them and encourage them to register by calling the parish office at 508-347-7338.

PRAYER FOR THE PARISH

Loving God, through Baptism, You have called us to be members of Your family. As members of this parish family of St. Anne-St. Patrick, we ask You to hear our prayer for our community of faith. Help us to be open to You and to each other. Teach us Your will as we listen to Your spoken word of Scriptures and Your Word reflected in our brothers and sisters. Send us Your Holy Spirit to guide us as we grow together in our faith. Help us to reflect Your love to one another, and through Your Son, Jesus, help us to live as Your sons and daughters. May we be good stewards of all that You have entrusted to our care, so that "Your Kingdom Come." Amen.



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Jubilee 2025



St. Cecilia Church is the next Jubilee Church which Bishop McManus invites us to visit & to pray evening vespers with him. Located at 180 Mechanic Street, Leominster, on June 15.

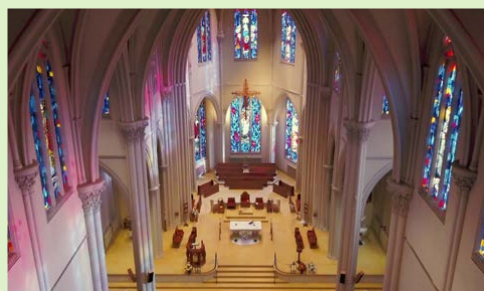
**Confessions will be heard beginning at 3 pm
Evening vespers will begin at 4 pm.**

This is the largest church in the Diocese of Worcester with many places to stop and say a prayer or light a candle. Above the main altar is a monumental crucifix carved by one of our parishioners from a single tree.



Behind the sanctuary you can spend some quiet time before the Blessed Sacrament, or you can follow the signs to the Chapel of Divine Mercy and Saint Joseph, where major relics of Pope Saint John Paul II and Saint Faustina Kowalska are revered,

From the St. Anne Parish Center parking lot, a bus will be available at no cost to you (limit 14 seats). Departure from our parking lot will be at 1:30 pm. We are planning to stop at a restaurant for dinner as well (each will pay for their own dinner). Those interested in using the bus are asked to reserve a place by calling the parish office. 508.347.7338



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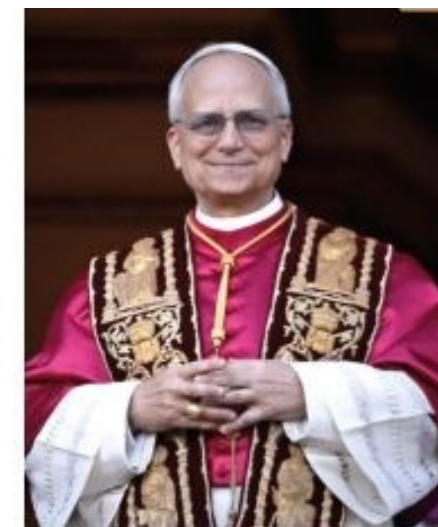
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Meet Pope Leo XIV: A Shepherd with a Missionary Heart

Born: 14 September 1955 | From: Chicago, Illinois, USA | Age: 69

With joy and hope, the Church welcomes Pope Leo XIV, formerly Cardinal Robert Francis Prevost, as the 267th successor of St. Peter. Pope Leo XIV brings to the papacy a lifetime of missionary service, pastoral care, and deep humility—qualities shaped by his vocation as an Augustinian friar and bishop.

A native of Chicago, he joined the Order of St. Augustine (OSA) in 1977 and was ordained a priest in 1982. He spent many years in Peru, ministering among the poor and forming future priests, eventually serving as Prior General of the Augustinian Order (2001–2013). Appointed Bishop of Chiclayo, Peru by Pope Francis in 2015, he became a strong voice of faith and unity during times of political instability in Peru. In 2023, he was named Prefect of the Dicastery for Bishops and created a cardinal later that year. His election as pope signals a continuation of the Church's journey toward mission, mercy, and synodality. Pope Leo XIV has a deep commitment to the poor, to dialogue, and to renewal rooted in prayer, listening, and service. In choosing the name Leo, the new pope draws inspiration from Pope Leo XIII, a courageous advocate for workers and the poor through his 1891 encyclical *Rerum Novarum*, which launched Catholic Social Teaching. Pope Leo XIV, too, brings a heart formed by the Gospel and life among the marginalized.



POPE LEO XIV



His episcopal crest features a burning heart pierced and resting on a book—symbols of St. Augustine, whose passionate love for God and truth still inspires seekers today. Pope Leo once said: *"I am a son of St. Augustine who said: 'With you I am a Christian, for you I am a bishop.'"* These words reflect his desire to be a humble servant who walks with the people of God. Pope Leo's episcopal motto, *"In illo uno unum"* ("In the One [Christ], we are one"), reflects his dream for a Church united across differences, walking together in faith.

He invites all Catholics to be bridge-builders, promoting dialogue, compassion, and reconciliation. His first words as pope were striking in their simplicity: "Peace be with you." Echoing the Risen Christ, he called for a peace that is "disarming, humble and persevering." Not the peace of the world, but the peace of Christ crucified and risen. Above all, Pope Leo XIV calls for a Church with *"open arms, open to everyone especially those who suffer."* He envisions a community that listens, accompanies, and serves. His missionary and synodal spirit offers a hopeful path forward. As a parish, let us welcome Pope Leo XIV with joy and prayer. May his leadership inspire us to be a Church that builds bridges, lives the Gospel, and walks humbly with God and one another.

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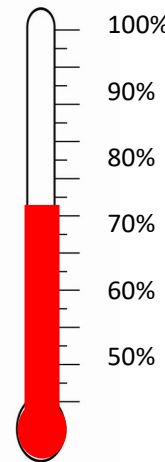
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With your help in 2024, 132,000 people were assisted with food and essentials by Catholic Charities and Pernet Family Health Services.

In a very real way, our participation in the Partners in Charity 2025 Appeal means that a family shelter sponsored by Catholic Charities will be available in the middle of the night when a family finds themselves in need of emergency housing.. Thank you for your gifts!



GOAL: \$53,800

As of May 23 \$38,791.96

72% collected


Gifts 114

Notice from the Diocesan Office of Healing and Prevention

If you have been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, please believe in the possibility for hope and healing. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. Contact Judith Audette, Diocese of Worcester: Victim Assistance Coordinator at 508-929-4363.

"Generations" Memorial

This sculpture is a moving depiction of the Holy Family embraced by Saints Anne & Joachim, the parents of the Blessed Virgin and grandparents of Jesus. Surrounding this statue are bricks dedicated to loved ones, both living and deceased, encompassing all the generations of our lives. Space still remains for the addition of these memorial Bricks. More information is available in the Gift Shop.



MASS INTENTIONS

- SATURDAY, MAY 24**
 7:30 AM +Michael Mielowski - Family
 4:00 PM +- Paulette Giroux - Family
- SUNDAY, MAY 25**
 8:00 AM -----
 10:00 AM +James & Mary Armstrong O'Connor - Family
 12:00 PM +Mr & Mrs Alfred Duran - Family
- MONDAY, MAY 26**
 7:30 AM -----
 10:00 AM Memorial Day Mass (Pavilion)
- TUESDAY, MAY 27**
 7:30 AM +Denise Kornwolf - Parents
 10:00 AM Funeral - M. Caron
- WEDNESDAY, MAY 28**
 7:30 AM +Rosa Touchette - Sister
 10:00 AM +Jeanette Baillargeon & +Richard Prybyl - "The Prowlers"
- THURSDAY, MAY 29**
 7:30 AM -----
 10:00 AM Special Intention for Joyce & Lee Families - Mary Brady
- FRIDAY, MAY 30**
 7:30 AM +Jacqueline Welles - Family
- SATURDAY, MAY 31**
 7:30 AM +Ellen Shea (30th Anniversary) - Brenda & James Shea
 4:00 PM +Frances Connors - Betty Connors
- SUNDAY, JUNE 1**
 8:00 AM + Alberta & +Bernard Berthiaume - Joan Bernier
 10:00 AM +Kathy Jackson - Brenda Silveira
 12:00 PM +Richard Muse } Rich Muse
 +Adelina Cillo }
 +Alice Fucci }
 +Marie DiNauro }

Memorial for the Unborn

Located to the right of the Gift Shop, this memorial was designed to help grieving families find comfort and closure. Forms to purchase personalized tiles are available in the Gift Shop.



WEEKLY READINGS

- Monday** Reading: Acts 16:11-15
 Psalm: 149:1-9
 Gospel: Jn. 15:26-16:4
- Tuesday** Reading: Acts 16:22-34
 Psalm: 138:1-8
 Gospel: Jn. 16:5-11
- Wednesday** Reading: Acts 17:15, 22- 18:1
 Psalm: 148:1-14
 Gospel: Jn. 16:12-15
- Thursday** Reading: Acts 18:1-8
 Psalm: 98:1-4
 Gospel: Jn. 16:16-20
- Friday** Reading: Acts 18:9-18
 Psalm: 47:2-7
 Gospel: Jn. 16:20-23
- Saturday** Reading: Zep. 3:14-18
 Isa. 12:2-6
 Gospel: Lk 1:39-56
- Sunday** Reading: Acts 1:1-11
 Psalm: 47:2-9
 Reading: Eph. 1:17-23
 Gospel: Lk 24:46-53

SANCTUARY LAMPS

MAY

St. Joachim Chapel In Loving Memory of
 Marion Shur
 Doris St. Pierre
 —Ron & Shelia Hokanson

St. Anne Church Robert Peltier
 "Forever in our hearts"
 From Linda & Family

Angel of Hope Memorial

Saint Anne Shrine is proud to host the **Angel of Hope** garden. There are a limited number of these statues located throughout the United States and we are so pleased to call one our own. Forms to purchase personalized bricks are available in the Gift Shop.



CHILDREN'S CORNER

Jesus Prays for All Believers that ALL MAY BE ONE

Complete the paragraph by filling in the blanks with the correct words from the word bank at the bottom of the story

"My _____ is not for them _____. I pray also for those who will _____ in me through their _____, that all of them may be _____, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the _____ may believe that you have _____ me. I have given them the _____ that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one: I in them and you in me. May they be brought to complete _____ to let the world know that you sent me and have _____ them even as you have loved me.

John 17:20-23 (NIV)

alone	glory	message	prayer	unity
believe	loved	one	sent	world



MEETINGS/EVENTS

DAILY 3:00 pm Pray the Rosary St Patrick's Chapel. All are welcome!

MONDAY CURSILLO GROUP - o group due to holiday

TUESDAY MAY 27

10:00 AM - FUNERAL - J. Lango

6:00 PM FAITH FORMATION

COMMITTEE - The Rendezvous

6:30 PM ST VINCENT DE PAUL - St Anne Meeting Room

WEDNESDAY MAY 28 7:00 PM CONFIRMATION REHERSAL @ St. John Paul II, Southbridge

THURSDAY MAY 29 7:00 PM - CONFIRMATION @ St. John Paul II. All are welcome

FRIDAY MAY 31 6:30 - 8:00 PM ALPHA GROUP The Rendezvous

SATURDAY MAY 31, 6:30 - 8:00 PM, "CHERISHED BELONGING" The Rendezvous

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

Summer Mass schedule will begin May 25th.

Masses will be held at the following times:

Saturday 4:00 PM: Outdoor Pavilion

Sunday 8:00 AM: St. Anne Church

Sunday 10:00 AM: Outdoor Pavilion

Sunday 12:00 Noon: Outdoor Pavilion

All Masses scheduled in the outdoor pavilion are weather permitting. In the event of inclement weather, Masses will be held in St. Anne Church.

MEMORIAL DAY SCHEDULE

Only one Mass will be held on Memorial Day, May 26, at 10:00 AM in the outdoor pavilion.

Please join us for a Memorial Day Picnic/Cookout with the Assumptionists following the Memorial Day Mass. The picnic will be held on the lawn next to the Gift Shop.

The Parish offices will be closed on Monday, May 26th in observance of Memorial Day. The Gift Shop will be open from 10 AM - 5 PM



ASCENSION OF THE LORD THURSDAY MAY 29, 2025

In addition to the scheduled Masses on Thursday, there will be a 7:00 PM Vigil Mass on Wednesday. Mass will be held in St. Anne Church.

SAVE THE DATE!



Relics of Padre Pio

St Anne's Shrine is blessed to be the ONLY host of Padre Pio's Relics in the Worcester Diocese.

All events are open to the public and will take place in the Parish Center St Joachim Chapel.

Monday June 16, 7:00 pm Mass

8:00 pm Conference by Mr. Joseph Santoro of the National Centre for Padre Pio, Barto, PA,

Tuesday, June 17:

9:00 am to 4:00 pm Viewing of the Relics

4:00 pm Mass - with Bishop McManus

Francesco Forgione, OFM Cap, better known as Padre Pio, was an Italian Franciscan Capuchin friar, priest, stigmatist, and mystic. He was beatified in 1999 and canonized in 2002 by Pope John Paul II. His relics are exposed in a golden crypt in the sanctuary of Saint Pio of Pietrelcina, next to the convent of San Giovanni Rotondo, now a major pilgrimage site. He has become one of the world's most popular saints, a patron of the sick, and known for healings through his intercession.

You're invited to join us for a culinary demonstration & a 4-course traditional French Dinner with

French Chef Jay Livernois from the Metro Bistrot to Benefit St. Anne - St. Patrick Parish

June 30, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.

Parish Center, The Rendezvous

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Space is limited. Tables of 6 may be reserved. Call John Fairbanks (413) 861-1038 or Margaret Farrand (774) 230-6072 for reservations

Dinner Menu

A Welcome Champagne Toast

Tourain Soup

Parmentier - beef with a potato crust

Assortment of cheese with wine

Fruit Rouge



Jay was given the gold medal and diploma of honor as a chef from the International

Auguste Escoffier Society (Joseph Donon Chapter) on November 3, 2024, and was inducted into the Chaîne des rotisseurs (French medieval guild of chefs, gourmands,

and sommeliers) on October 20, 2024, Colonial New England Chapter.

138TH NOVENA TO ST. ANNE



"Christ, the Anchor of our Hope"

In anticipation of the 138th annual Novena to St. Anne from **July 18 - 26**, we will be featuring a weekly series in our bulletin to create awareness and inform our community about the purpose and events included in the annual Novena.

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE NUMBER NINE (9)

A Novena is a spiritual devotion in the form of prayer said repeatedly for nine consecutive hours, days, weeks or months. The number nine is significant in Catholicism in many ways. The first novena is believed to have been the nine days between the Feast of the Ascension and Pentecost, where Jesus commanded his apostles to remain in the city of Jerusalem to await the descent of the Holy Spirit. It is also significant in that it represents the nine months that Jesus was in the womb of the Virgin Mary. While our novena is nine days in length, we encourage you to attend even if you cannot commit to the entire nine nights.

Volunteers needed for the Novena. "Many hands make light work." Please call the office to be part of this annual event. 508.347.7338



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Are you interested in becoming Catholic? If you've been baptized in the Catholic faith, do you long for the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation?

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