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MASSES
Daily: Mon - Thur - Fri : 8:00 AM
Saturday 4:30PM LIVE,
Sunday 10AM LIVE and ZOOM
PENANCE Saturdays 2:30-3:30 PM



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Mission Statement:

"Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, disciples of Jesus Christ in Worcester, MA, reaches out with love into the neighborhoods to welcome, serve, support, and engage the community in Jesus. In creating a welcoming relationship with Eucharistic and prayerful celebrations, we gather to make a difference by coming closer to God and one another."

January 28, 2024
4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



"Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties."

1 Corinthians 7:32

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this - use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future. Then spend your time praying instead of worrying.

Daily Rosary-Praying of the Rosary will continue after the 8am daily mass in the church on Monday, Thursday and Friday and at 9:15am before the 10am Sunday Mass both Live and via Zoom. If you need the Zoom information, please contact the rectory.

Mass Intentions & Calendar

Sat, Jan 27

4:30 pm **Ann Parent** b'day remembrance req by daughter and son-in-law

Feola Family, Antoinetta Rossetti & Rosalba Puca
req by the D'Andrea family

Sun, Jan 28 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am LIVE/Zoom **Maria Gazzillo** Month's Mind req by Judy and Joe Verdini

Mon, Jan 29

8:00 am

Tue, Jan 30

Wed, Jan 31

Thu, Feb 1

8:00 am

Fri, Feb 2 The Presentation of the Lord

8:00 am

Sat, Feb 3

4:30 pm **Susie Anusauskas** b'day remembrance req by mom and dad

Sun, Feb 4 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am LIVE/Zoom **Richard Riley Sr** 23rd anniv req by the family and

Gerald Parent 52yr anniv req by daughter and son-in-law

SCRIPTURE READINGS

28 SUN 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 (8)/1 Cor 7:32-35/
Mk 1:21-28

29 MON 2 Sm 15:13-14,30;16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 5:1-20
30 TUE 2 Sm 18:9-10,14b, 24-25a,30-19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/
Mk 5:21-43

31 WED 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 6:1-6

1 THU 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/
Mk 6:7-13

2 FRI Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Lk 2:22-40 or
2:22-32

3 SAT 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME & TALENT

Our Lady of Lourdes 75th Anniversary Meeting

Don't forget to attend our meeting this Sunday, January 28th after the 10am mass in the church hall to discuss putting together a 75th Anniversary Commemorative Booklet or any ideas you might have for our 75th anniversary year! We need thoughts, ideas and suggestions on what you would like to see in this booklet and what you would like to do to celebrate. Please come and share your ideas so we can start planning.

Prayer Shawls

We have a couple blessed prayer shawls. If you need one or know someone that needs one, please call the rectory. You can join us the first Thursday of the month in the church hall or you can also work on at home and donate when completed.

Contribution Statements

If you are in need of a contribution statement for 2023, please call and leave a message or email the rectory at ladyoflourdes1290@gmail.com.

Snow Day Policy Reminder

The policy for the daily morning mass being cancelled is that if

Worcester Public Schools is closed or delayed, there will be NO morning mass.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKLY OFFERING

Sunday Offertory 1/20-1/21	\$1,794.00
Online Giving	500.00
Catholic Home Missions	80.00
Catholic Univ. of America	10.00
Fuel & Heating	40.00
Solemnity of Mary	20.00
Maintenance	60.00
Mass Offerings	50.00
Snow Removal	5.00
Add'l Basket for Snow Removal	383.00

Thank you for your continued, generous support.

We appreciate your support of the church.

Daily Rosary

We will continue to pray the rosary on Tuesday and Wednesdays at 8:30 am even though there is no morning mass.

Around Town...

There are many events around the diocese that make it impossible to list all of them in the bulletin. Go to <https://worcestardiocese.org/the-diocesan-dispatch> or see them in the Catholic Free Press

St. Vincent de Paul Free Pickup of Donations

The society of St. Vincent de Paul of Worcester County is now offering free curbside pick-up of clothing, shoes, books and household items. To schedule a free home pick-up, visit svdpworchester.org and click on "How You Can Help" tab, then "Schedule a Home Pick-Up." Or contact our partner (CMRK) at 508-474-8966. The funds received go to help our neighbors in need with services including food, clothing, rent and utilities

Family Dinner in Leicester

Leicester Knights of Columbus on 90 Manville St. Leicester will have a Family Dinner on **Thursday, Feb. 8 at 6 pm**. Menu is Lasagna or Baked Fish. Cost is \$15.00 and includes salad, entree and dessert. Call Don at 508-615-8434 or email at ohno7q7@Yahoo.com by February 1 for reservations. All are welcome.

Pilgrimage to Fatima & Lourdes Discovery with Barcelona

October 13 — October 22, 2024 • 10 Days • 15 Meals with Fr. Stephen Gemme of St. Paul Cathedral. For more information, email sgemme@aol.com

Tickets now available for 2024 Men's Conference

Tickets are now available for the 2024 Worcester Catholic Men's Conference which will be held on **Saturday, March 16, 2024** at Worcester's DCU Center. The early availability is for those who may wish to purchase tickets as Christmas gifts! Tickets are only \$50 for Adults and \$30 for Students and can be purchase online at www.catholicmenworc.com or by calling (978) 537-3016. Speakers include Jim Wahlberg (brother of actors Mark and Donnie Wahlberg), Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers ("The Dynamic Deacon") and other Catholic Thought Leaders. Tickets include Lunch, and the opportunity to participate in Reconciliation, all-day Adoration, and to visit 50 plus relevant vendors, all within the same area of the spacious and ultra professional surroundings of the DCU Center. Sound, lighting, seating, comfort and convenience will be a huge upgrade for 2024, in addition to our usual great slate of speakers.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CYCLE B

GATHERING HYMN

Praise To The Lord

LOBE DEN HERREN



1. Praise to the Lord, the Al-might-y, the king of cre - a - tion! O my soul,
2. Praise to the Lord, who shall pros-per our work and de-fend us; Sure-ly his
3. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in us a-dore him! All that has



1. praise him, for he is your health and sal - va - tion! Come, all who hear:
2. good-ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at-tend us. Pon-der a - new
3. life and breath come now with prais - es be-fore him! Let the "A-men"



1. Now to his al - tar draw near, Join-ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
2. what the Al-might-y can do, Who with his love will be-friend us.
3. sound from his peo-ple a - gain, Now as we wor-ship be - fore him!

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord, God, Heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord, Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
You take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us:

You take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer,
You are seated at the right hand of the
Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One;
You alone are the Lord.
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
With the Holy Spirit,
In the glory of God, the Father.

Amen

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

BOOK OF DEUTERONOMY 18:15-20

Moses spoke to all the people, saying: "A prophet like me will the LORD, your God, raise up for you from among your own kin; to him you shall listen. This is exactly what you requested of the LORD, your God, at Horeb on the day of the assembly, when you said, 'Let us not again hear the voice of the LORD, our God, nor see this great fire any more, lest we die.' And the LORD said to me, 'This was well said. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their kin, and will put my words into his mouth; he shall tell them all that I command him. Whoever will not listen to my words which he speaks in my name, I myself will make him answer for it. But if a prophet presumes to speak in my name an oracle that I have not commanded him to speak, or speaks in the name of other gods, he shall die.'"

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 95

Scott Soper



SECOND READING

FIRST LETTER TO THE CORINTHIANS 7:32-35

Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties. An unmarried man is anxious about the things of the Lord, how he may please the Lord. But a married man is anxious about the things of the world, how he may please his wife, and he is divided. An unmarried woman or a virgin is anxious about the things of the Lord, so that she may be holy in both body and spirit. A married woman, on the other hand, is anxious about the things of the world, how she may please her husband. I am telling you this for your own benefit, not to impose a restraint upon you, but for the sake of propriety and adherence to the Lord without distraction.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mass of Renewal
Curtis Stephan



GOSPEL

GOSPEL OF MARK 1:21-28

Then they came to Capernaum, and on the sabbath Jesus entered the synagogue and taught. The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes. In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!" Jesus rebuked him and said, "Quiet! Come out of him!" The unclean spirit convulsed him and with a loud cry came out of him. All were amazed and asked one another, "What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him." His fame spread everywhere throughout the whole region of Galilee.

HOMILY

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen. ·

GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Please respond:

“Lord hear us.”

Lord Jesus Christ, who by your gift of your Body and Blood, are really present in our lives, hear the prayers of the Church of Worcester. Give us the faith of your Church, confident in your presence in our Masses, our tabernacles and our lives. Give us the faith to offer our lives to you, joined with the perfect sacrifice, which you offered on the altar of the Cross. Good and loving Shepherd, teach us how to lead your children home, that we might long together to glorify your name at the Supper of the Lord. For you are Lord forever and ever. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS

Dwelling Place

John Foley, S.J.

Verses 1, 2, 4

1, 4. I fall on my knees to the Fa - ther of Je - sus,
2. May Christ in his love give us strength for our liv - ing,
1, 4. the Lord who has shown us } the glo - ry of
2. the strength of the Spir - it, }
1st time: to Verse 2 Refrain
1, 2, 4. God. May Christ find a dwell - ing place of faith in our
hearts. May our lives be root - ed in love,
root - ed in love. 4 to Verses 3, 4
Verse 3
3. May grace and peace be yours in God our
3. Fa - ther, and in the Son. to Refrain

HOLY, HOLY

MASS OF RENEWAL

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord, God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

MASS OF RENEWAL

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again

GREAT AMEN

MASS OF RENEWAL

OUR FATHER

SIGN OF PEACE

LAMB OF GOD

MASS OF RENEWAL

COMMUNION

Bread of Angels

Curtis Stepnar



1. Bread of an - gels, we re - ceive you; with us
2. Cup of Mer - cy o - ver - flow - ing, fill us
3. Word in - car - nate, dwell with - in us; pierce our
4. Though un - wor - thy, we re - ceive you, sac - ra -



1. now a - bide. Pre - cious Je - sus, man - na of
2. with your grace; wine of pas - sion, O Son be -
3. hard - ened hearts. Ten - der Je - sus, Love so
4. ment di - vine. Bread of an - gels, ac - cept our



1. a - ges, with us now re - side.
2. got - ten, we flee to your em - brace.
3. gen - tle, nev - er let us part.
4. prais - es, let your glo - ry shine!



1. Pa - nis an - gé - li - cus fit pa - nis hó - mi - num,
2. O res mi - rá - bi - lis man - dú - cat Dó - mi - num,
3. Te, tri - na Dé - i - tas ú - na - que, pó - sci - mus,
4. Per tu - as sé - mi - tas duc nos quo tén - di - mus,



1, 3
1. Dat pa - nis cáe - li - cus fi - gú - ris tér - mi - num.
3. Síe nos tu ví - sí - ta, si - cut te có - li - mus.




2, Final
2. Pau - per, Pau - per, ser - vus, et hú - mi - lis.
4. lu - cem, Ad lu - cem quam in - há - bi - tas.

RECESSIONAL

Lord, You Give The Great Commission

ABBOT'S LEIGH



1. Lord, you give the great com - mis - sion: "Heal the sick and
2. Lord, you call us to your ser - vice: "In my name bap -
3. Lord, you make the com - mon ho - ly: "This my bod - y,
4. Lord, you show us love's true mea - sure: "Fa - ther, what they
5. Lord, you bless with words as - sur - ing: "I am with you



1. preach the word." Lest the church ne - glect its mis - sion
2. tize and teach." That the world may trust your prom - ise,
3. this my blood." Let us all, for earth's true glo - ry,
4. do, for a give." Yet we hoard, as pri - vate trea - sure
5. to the end." Faith and hope and love re - stor - ing,



1. And the gos - pel go un - heard, Help us wit - ness to your
2. Life a - bun - dant meant for each, Give us all new fer - vor,
3. Dai - ly lift life heav - en - ward, Ask - ing that the world a -
4. All that you so free - ly give. May your care and mer - cy
5. May we serve as you in - tend And, a - mid the cares that



1. pur - pose With re - newed in - teg - ri - ty:
2. draw us Clos - er in com - mu - ni - ty:
3. round us Share your chil - dren's lib - er - ty:
4. lead us To a just so - ci - e - ty:
5. claim us, Hold in mind e - ter - ni - ty: } With the Spir - it's



1-5. gifts em - pow'r us For the work of min - is - try.

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