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MASSES
Daily: Mon - Fri : 8:00 AM
Saturday 4:30 PM
Sunday 10 AM
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."

February 9, 2025
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time



*"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying,
'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I
am,' I said, 'send me!'"*
(Isaiah 6:8)

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or to say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need.

God is always talking to us; we just need to pay more attention. When you hear God calling have the courage to walk through the door and say, "Here I am, Lord."

Daily Rosary—Praying of the Rosary will continue after the 8am daily mass in the church on Monday through Friday and at 9:15am before the 10am Sunday Mass. If you would still like to participate via Zoom, please let us know.

Mass Intentions & Calendar

Sat, Feb 8

4:30 pm **Gloria Walsh** 7th anniv req by the family
Fr. Walter Riley 1st ann req by Cindy Trainque

Sun, Feb 9 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Marriage Day

10:00 am **Ken Loiselle** 1st anniv req by Joe
Complete healing for Ann Davis and all family and friends of the Valentin family

Mon, Feb 10

8:00 am

Tue, Feb 11 Our Lady of Lourdes

8:00 am

Wed, Feb 12

8:00 am **Jack Whiterell** - good health - from a friend

6:00 pm **Knights of Columbus Meeting**

Thu, Feb 13

8:00 am **Gerald Parent** birthday req by daughter and son-in-law

Fri, Feb 14 Valentine's Day

8:00 am

Sat, Feb 15

4:30 pm **Elizabeth Kabachenski** req by Class of '67 Girls Club

Sun, Feb 16 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am

SCRIPTURE READINGS

9 SUN Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 (1c)/
1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11

10 MON Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c/
Mk 6:53-56

11 TUE Gn 1:20—2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 7:1-13

12 WED Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30/
Mk 7:14-23

13 THU Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mk 7:24-30

14 FRI Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 7:31-37

15 SAT Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13/Mk 8:1-10

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME & TALENT

Prayer Shawls

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

Newsletter

Our February newsletter was emailed/mailed on January 31st. If you did not receive one and would like to, please let us know.

Enclosed in this bulletin is a copy of the financials that were printed in our newsletter.

Knights of Columbus

Pope John XXIII Council #5481 has an on-going can/bottle collection program. **The council will also collect scrap metal.** Proceeds from this collection funds the Visitation House. If you wish to donate any redeemable cans/bottles or metal, please contact Grand Knight, Nick Marrier at 774-230-1414 or via

Stewardship Meeting

There will be a Stewardship Meeting on **Thursday, February 20th** at 6:00 pm in the sacristy. All are welcome to attend! We will continue to discuss stewardship in the church and different ways we can move forward to increase our stewardship. Ideas and stories to share are welcome!

Knights of Columbus Membership Breakfast

Our next church event will be the Knights Membership Breakfast to be held on March 16 after the 10am mass. Tickets go on sale the weekend of February 15th after both masses.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKLY OFFERING

Sunday Offertory 2/1-2/2	\$2,697.00
Online Giving	255.00
Catholic Free Press subscription	39.00
Catholic Home Missions	5.00
Candles	48.43
Fuel & Heating	40.00
Maintenance	68.00
Mass Offerings	10.00
Snow Removal	810.00

*Thank you for your continued, generous support.
We appreciate your support of the church*

Calendar Raffle

We are looking to get donations of gift cards to restaurants, stores, gas stations, etc or cash donations to cover the cash prizes. All donations will be due by the end of March so that we can put together the calendar and sell raffle tickets in April and May.

If you would like a letter from the church to seek donations, please call the office. Please return all donations to Cheryl at the office.

REST IN PEACE

*We, the parish community of Our Lady of Lourdes,
extend our deepest sympathy
to the family and friends of*

Roland Gauthier

who died on February 4, 2025

*Please keep his family and friends in your prayers
as they grieve the loss of their loved one.*

Venerini Academy Open House

Open House at Venerini Academy to be held February 13, 4:30-6pm, February 26, 5-7pm, March 4, 4:30-6pm and March 12, 6-7:30pm. To register or for more information, please call 508-753-3210 or visit www.veneriniacademy.com

Register Early for the Worcester Catholic Men's Conference April 5

The Worcester Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference will be held **Saturday, April 5** at the DCU Convention Center, 50 Foster Street, Worcester. Registration begins at 7:30 AM with the first speaker beginning at 9:00 AM. The day will feature an all day adoration chapel; dozens of priests will be available for confessions at the lunch break; and over 50 relevant vendors will be present. The closing Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Robert McManus at 4:00 PM. Tickets (which include lunch) are \$50 for adults through March 26; \$60 thereafter and at the door. Student tickets are always just \$30. Tickets and further information are available at: www.catholicmenworc.com Any questions may be directed to catholicmenworc@gmail.com.

PROTECTING OUR YOUTH AND CHILDREN

If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious or lay person working for the Church, and you want to share feelings of hurt or betrayal, call Judith Audette, Victim Services Coordinator, Office of Healing and Prevention, 508-929-4363
508-726-2880 - direct, confidential line

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CYCLE C

GATHERING HYMN

Come, Follow Me

Gael Berberick (ASCAP) and
Barney Walker (ASCAP)

Refrain



Come, fol - low me and live; do not be a - fraid. Be -
lieve and trust in me; your faith will give you strength. Leave
all your fears be - hind you; let your heart be free, for
I will be your guide. Oh, come and fol - low me.

Verses



1. Come, fol - low in these foot-steps; I'll lead you gent - ly home.
2. Come, walk a - cross the wa - ter; place all your faith in me.
3. If you re - main with - in me, my words re - main in you.



to Refrain

1. No shel - ter, food nor mon - ey will you need up - on this road.
2. Cast all your doubts be - hind you to the wind and rag - ing sea.
3. What - ev - er you may ask of me, that is what I will do.

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

ISAIAH 6: 1-2a, 3-8

In the year King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a high and lofty throne, with the train of his garment filling the temple. Seraphim were stationed above.

They cried one to the other, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts! All the earth is filled with his glory!" At the sound of that cry, the frame of the door shook and the house was filled with smoke.

Then I said, "Woe is me, I am doomed! For I am a man of unclean lips, living among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!" Then one of the seraphim flew to me, holding an ember that he had taken with tongs from the altar.

He touched my mouth with it, and said, "See, now that this has touched your lips, your wickedness is removed, your sin purged."

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" "Here I am," I said; "send me!"

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 138

Rory Cooney



Lord, on the day I called for help, you an-swered me, you an-swered me.

SECOND READING

FIRST CORINTHIANS 15: 3-8, 11

Brothers and sisters, I handed on to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures; that he was buried; that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures; that he appeared to Cephas, then to the Twelve. After that, he appeared to more than five hundred brothers at once, most of whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep. After that he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one abnormally born, he appeared to me. Therefore, whether it be I or they, so we preach and so you believed.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mass of Christ the Savior
Dan Schutte



Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

LUKE 5:1-11

While the crowd was pressing in on Jesus and listening to the word of God, he was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret. He saw two boats there alongside the lake; the fishermen had disembarked and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, he asked him to put out a short distance from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. After he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into deep water and lower your nets for a catch." Simon said in reply, "Master, we have worked hard all night and have caught nothing, but at your command I will lower the nets." When they had done this, they caught a great number of fish and their nets were tearing. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come to help them. They came and filled both boats so that the boats were in danger of sinking. When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at the knees of Jesus and said, "Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man." For astonishment at the catch of fish they had made seized him and all those with him, and likewise James and John, the sons of Zebedee, who were partners of Simon. Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men." When they brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed him.

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. ·

Please respond: “Lord hear us.”

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Pescador Des Hombres

Estrofas/Versos

1. Tú has ve - ni - do a la o - ri - lla,
2. Tú sa - bes bien lo que ten - go;
3. Tú ne - ce - si - tas mis ma - nos,
4. Tú, pes - ca - dor de o - tros la - gos,
1. Lord, you have come to the sea shore,
2. Lord, see my goods, my pos - ses - sions;
3. Lord, take my hands and di - rect them,
4. Lord, as I drift on the wa - ters,

1. no has bus - ca - do ni a sa - bios ni a ri - cos;
2. en mi bar - ca no hay o - ro ni es - pa - das,
3. mi can - san - cio que a o - tros des - can - se,
4. an - sia a - ter - na de al - mas que es - pe - ran,
1. nei - ther search - ing for the rich nor the wise,
2. in my boat you find no pow - er, no wealth,
3. Help me spend my - self in seek - ing the lost,
4. be the rest - ing place of my rest - less heart,

1. tan só - lo quie - res que yo te si - ga.
2. tan só - lo re - des y mi tra - ba - jo.
3. a - mor que quie - ra se - guir a - man - do.
4. a - mi - go bue - no, que a - si me lla - mas.
1. de - sir - ing on - ly that I should fol - low.
2. Will you ac - cept, then, my nets and la - bor?
3. re - turn - ing love for the love you gave me.
4. my life's com - pan - ion, my friend and ref - uge.

Estrillo/Refrain

Se - ñor, me has mi - ra - do a los o - jos,
 O, Lord, with your eyes set up - on me,

son - ri - en - do _____ has di - cho mi nom - bre, _____
 gent - ly smil - ing, _____ you have spo - ken my name; _____

en la a - re - na he de - ja - do mi bar - ca,
 all I longed for I have found by the wa - ter,

jun - to a ti bus - ca - ré o - tro mar,
 at your side, I will seek oth - er shores.

HOLY, HOLY

MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

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 CHRIST THE SAVIOR

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

GREAT AMEN

MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

OUR FATHER

SIGN OF PEACE

LAMB OF GOD

MASS OF CHRIST THE SAVIOR

COMMUNION

The Summons

KELVINGROVE
Arranged by Bobby Fisher

1. Will you come and fol - low me If I but
2. Will you leave your - self be - hind If I but
3. Will you let the blind - ed see If I but
4. Will you love the 'you' you hide If I but
5. Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true When you but

1. call your name? Will you go where you don't
2. call your name? Will you care for cruel and
3. call your name? Will you set the pris - 'ners
4. call your name? Will you quell the fear in -
5. call my name. Let me turn and fol - low

1. know And nev - er be the same? Will you
2. kind And nev - er be the same? Will you
3. free And nev - er be the same? Will you
4. side And nev - er be the same? Will you
5. you And nev - er be the same. In your

1. let my love be shown, Will you let my
2. risk the hos - tile stare Should your life at -
3. kiss the lep - er clean, And do such as
4. use the faith you've found To re - shape the
5. com - pa - ny I'll go Where your love and

1. name be known, Will you let my life an - be
2. tract or scare? Will you let me an - be
3. this un - seen, And ad - mit to what - swer
4. world a - round, Through my sight and touch and
5. foot - steps show. Thus I'll move and live and

1. grown In you and you in me?
2. pray'r In you and you in me?
3. mean In you and you in me?
4. sound In you and you in me?
5. grow In you and you in me.

RECESSIONAL

Word of Our God

Dan Schutte

Refrain
Word of our God, sav - ored in time, send us forth as
salt for the earth. Burn in our hearts as a lamp for our feet.
Lead us forth to shine as light for the world.

Verses
1. Word at the dawn of cre - a - tion, to
2. Word in the womb of a vir - gin, to
3. Word in the hearts of your peo - ple, to
4. Word that is true and e - ter - nal, our

1. bless the be - gin - ning of time,
2. make what is hu - man di - vine,
3. claim what is yours by de - sign,
4. Way, and our Truth, and our Life,

1. speak to our hearts of jus - tice and truth;
2. speak to our hearts of mer - cy and peace;
3. speak to our hearts of beaut - y and grace;
4. speak to our hearts of joy with - out end;

1-4. teach us the mys - t'ries of heav - en. 2 to Refrain

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