



Saint Leonard of Port Maurice Parish



December 6, 2020 ~ Second Sunday in Advent

Mass Schedule



Saint Leonard Church

Saturday: 5:00PM
Confession 4:15 -5:00PM and upon request

Sunday 9:00 AM
10:30 AM (Italian)
12:00 Noon
Monday - Friday 12:05PM

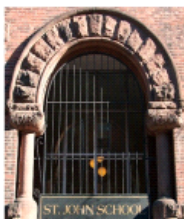


Saint Stephen Church

Saturday: 4:00PM
Sunday 11:00 AM
Thursday and Friday 7:30 AM



Sacred Heart Church is temporarily closed



Saint John School

School Hours
Monday - Friday 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Tel: 617-227-3143



Saint Francis Gift Shop

HOURS:
Monday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Tuesday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Wednesday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Thursday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Friday: 1:00pm - 8:00pm
Saturday: 2:00pm - 8:00pm
Sunday: 10:00am - 2:00pm

PASTORAL STAFF

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Father Federico Cinocca

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Rev. David Costello

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Principal: Claire Cassidy

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Secretary: Maryann Ligotti

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DEVOTIONS at Saint Leonard Church



ROSARY

Monday - Friday 11:30 AM



NOVENA TO

SAINT ANTHONY

Tuesday 12:05 PM



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Friday after 12:05 PM Mass



CHAPLET OF

DIVINE MERCY

Friday at 3:00 PM



Queen of Peace Group

1st Wednesday of every month Rosary
at 6:30 and Mass at 7PM

Parking 136 Blackstone Street, Boston (Enter on New Sudbury Street) There is validated* parking for visitors to the North End at the Parcel 7 parking garage, located on the corner of New Sudbury Street and Congress Street. Enter on New Sudbury Street next to the Haymarket "T" entrance. Validated parking tickets are good for \$1 for up to 2 hours of parking, and \$3 for up to 3 hours of parking. If you park for longer than 3 hours, the validation is void and regular rates apply. *For the discount, parking ticket must be validated by a North End store, church, attraction, restaurant, business or organization.

SAINT LEONARD CHURCH

Mass Intentions Dec. 5 - Dec. 13

December 5 – Saturday

5:00pm Vincenzo & Lucia DiBenedetto
Joseph Testa (healing); Saint Barbara;
Clementine and Francesco Federico

December 6- Sunday

9:00am Deceased Members of the DePasquale Family; Deceased Members of the Varano Family; Deceased Members of the Frank Barassi Family; Branko Sujic
10:30am. Luigi Torra e Salvatore Tizzano
12:00pm. Anne & Joseph Luongo; Brother James Welch; Nora Griffin; Angelo Digirolamo; Happy Birthday Stephen Milano. For our generous supporters: we pray for all those who have asked us to pray for them and for those who have no one to pray for them.

December 7 – Monday

12:05pm. Picardo Family

December 8 – Tuesday

12:05pm Lucy Finocchialo and Rita Caso
7:00pm Immaculate Conception

December 9 - Wednesday

12:05pm Joseph Cataldo

December 10 - Thursday

12:05pm. Louise and Josephine Trodella

December 11 – Friday

8:15am Children's Mass
12:05pm. Steven McDonough & Susan Madeiros

December 12 – Saturday

5:00pm Anna and Andrew Russo; Sarah and Pasquale Fabiano & Family; Lena & Joseph Troisi; Louise Silvestro; Mary Censullo; Vincenza Raspa; Anna & Steven Lynch; Deceased members of the Tavilla Family; Clementine and Francesco Federico; Eunice Richards

December 13- Sunday

9:00am Deceased Members of the DePasquale Family; Deceased Members of the Varano Family; Clementine & Francesco Federico
10:30am. In honor of St. Lucy; Rocco & Filomena Pezzano; Angelo DiGirolamo; Anna Ferrara; Josephine Giuffre; Sandy Serafin
12:00pm. Anne & Joseph Luongo; For our generous supporters: we pray for all those who have asked us to pray for them and for those who have no one to pray for them.

3:00pm Saint Lucy



SAINT STEPHEN CHURCH

Mass Intentions Dec.5 - Dec. 13

December 5 – Saturday

4:00pm. Barbara DeCristoforo

December 6 - Sunday

11:00am. – James D'Ambrosio

December 10 - Thursday

7:30am. Robert Lindberg

December 11 – Friday

7:30am. – Souls in Purgatory

December 12 – Saturday

4:00pm. Mary Giordano; Lorraine Curreri;
Our Lady of Guadalupe

December 13 - Sunday

11:00am. – The Curreri Family



Sanctuary Lamp

Sanctuary Lamp will burn the week of
December 6th at Saint Stephen Church in

memory of **Holy Souls in Purgatory**



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December 6th at Saint Leonard Church for

Angelo Petruzzelli



Pastor's Message

We would like to invite you to a special Advent Zoom Prayer meeting with a log in session at 3:15 pm (Boston time).

You can find the link on our St Leonards Website.
By 4:15

our guest speaker Father Francisco Verar will begin from Panama. He has been involved with Medjugorje since the 80's and was a friend of Fra Slavko, and has been an untiring apostle of the Queen of Peace. He regularly leads pilgrimages in Medjugorje. He will prepare, encourage and motivate us spiritually on the way to Christmas.

At 5:00 pm

we shall celebrate Holy Mass with Fr. Mike Della Penna. After Holy Mass we shall pray the joyful and the luminous mysteries of the Rosary. This will be followed by the litany to the Blessed Mother and then the 7 Our Fathers, 7 Hail Marys and 7 Glory Be's. Ivan will then give a brief testimony of Our Lady. We shall finish the evening with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

PRAYER LIST

Please keep in your prayers all our Heroic Health Care workers and First Responders and all who are experiencing sickness due to the Coronavirus.

Please remember all our parishioners and benefactors who are ill, the residents of North End Nursing Home, the elderly and homebound and those who are grieving the loss of a loved one and whomever is in need of special divine assistance. May the good Lord sustain and comfort them.



DECEMBER 8TH IS A HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION, THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF MARY.

“Saint Leonard Happenings” - Visit our new “Happenings” section of our Saint Leonard website. That’s where you can find what’s going on at Saint Leonard’s and events coming up.”

SAINT OF THE WEEK SAINT AMATO RONCONI



Amato Ronconi was born in the village of Saludecio near Rimini in 1225 to a noble and wealthy household. He was orphaned in childhood and cared for by his older brother Giacomo spending his childhood and adolescence growing up in his brother's home. He had at least one sister named Chiara.

As he grew older, he was urged to get married, but felt that God called him to a life of prayer and penance. After joining the Third Order of St Francis, he fled to a solitary place and began to live as a hermit following the life of Saint Francis. Ronconi followed his call to serve God and devoted his life to catering to the needs of the poor and assisting pilgrims and in doing so gave

up all his possessions which he passed on to the poor. He later emerged from his hermitage and constructed various chapels and shelters for pilgrims; some of those places still exist at present including a hospital in Rimini, the Hospital of St Mary of Mount Orciale, where he spent the last years of his life as a nurse.

He underwent four pilgrimages to Santiago de Compostela to visit the tomb of James the Apostle wanting to grow in personal holiness. He attempted a fifth pilgrimage to Santiago but never made it for he had a vision in which he was told he would soon die and had to return to his home; he did so and stopped at the Benedictine convent of San Giuliano in Rimini where he gave them the remainder of his possessions. Ronconi passed away on May 8, 1292 at Saludecio. He was Canonized on November 23, 2014 by Pope Francis. His remains are in the church of San Biagio in his home town of Saludecio.

**WEEKLY COLLECTION ENVELOPES
ARE AVAILABLE IN PARISH OFFICE.**

SAINT FRANCIS GIFT SHOP AND BOOKSTORE

The Christmas shop is now open.

HOURS:

Monday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Tuesday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Wednesday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Thursday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Friday: 1:00pm - 8:00pm
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Please visit our parish Book and Gift Shop. The shop offers Bibles, books, rosaries, greeting cards, statuettes, medals, religious CDS & DVDS, Trappistine Chocolates, Trappists Preserves, Honey and Fruit Cake. The shop also provides gifts for Christmas, Weddings, Baptisms, First Communion, Confirmation and the many occasions associated with the Catholic Faith



We are once again accepting orders for yearly Vigil Lights. For a donation of \$100.00, a Vigil Light will be lit in Saint Leonard Church in memory of a loved one for one year. Your offering can be made by going to our parish office or mailing a check, payable to Saint Leonard Parish, ADDRESS Saint Leonard Parish 320 Hanover Street Boston, MA 02113.

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