



# Saint Leonard of Port Maurice Parish



December 27, 2020 ~ Holy Family

## 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

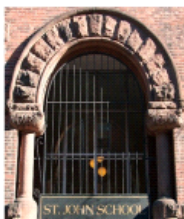


### Saint Stephen Church

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

**Pastor:** Rev. Michael Della Penna, OFM

**Guardian:**

**Deacon -** Brother Charles Gingerich, OFM  
**Italian Ministry:**

**Father Federico Cinocca**

**Saint Stephen Rector:**

**Rev. David Costello**

**Saint John School:**

**Principal: Claire Cassidy**

## Parish Office

**Business Manager:** John Kutch

**Secretary:** Rita Ingersoll

**Secretary:** Maryann Ligotti

**Office Hours:**

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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. 26 - Jan 3**

**December 26 – Saturday**

**5:00pm** Clementine and Francesco Federico

**December 27- Sunday**

**9:00am** Deceased Members of the DePasquale Family; Deceased Members of the Varano Family; Rosalie Bearce; Dolores Pezzano; Robert Federico; Iacoviello Family; Angela Federico; Idea Suse

**10:30am.** Luigi & Ersilia Torra; Rocco e Filomena Pezzano; Gianni Piscitelli; Ernesto Trotta

**12:00pm.** Dolores Merola; Anne & Joseph Luongo; Heather Marie Germano, The Cogliano Family; Richard Muse; Alice Fucci; Adelina and Adolfo Cillo; 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 28 – Monday**

**12:05pm.** Carmen Cataldo

**December 29 – Tuesday**

**12:05pm** Aniello Capodilupo

**December 30 - Wednesday**

**12:05pm** Special Intention

**December 31 - Thursday**

**12:05pm** Saint Anthony

**5:00pm** Annette Mastrullo; Maria Giuseppa DiVetta

**January 1 – Friday- Solemnity of Mary**

**10:30am.** Italian Mass

**12:00pm.** Dartista and Indiciani Families ; Lenore Martins (Happy Birthday)

**January 2 – Saturday**

**5:00pm** Thelma Vincent; Carmine DiTirro

**January 3 Sunday**

**9:00am** Deceased Members of the DePasquale Family; Deceased Members of the Varano Family; Arthur Gambale

**10:30am.** Cappucci Family

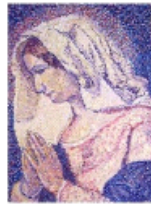
**12:00pm.** Dom Strazullo (Happy Birthday); healing for Michael Goadagnoli For our generous supporters: we pray for all those who have asked us to pray for them and for those who have no one to pray for them..



### *Sanctuary Lamp*

Sanctuary Lamp will burn the week of December 27th at Saint Leonard Church for

**Heather Marie Germano**



## **SAINT STEPHEN CHURCH**

### **Mass Intentions Dec.26 - Jan 3**

**December 26 – Saturday**

**4:00pm** - Vincent & Josephine McCarthy-Perez

**December 27 - Sunday**

**11:00am.** – Sean Casey

**December 31 - Thursday**

**7:30am.** – Donor Intention

**January 1 New Year's Day**

**11:00am** - World Peace

**January 2 – Saturday**

**4:00pm** - Mary Aluia

**January 3 - Sunday**

**11:00am.** – Virginia Barry



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memory of **Josephine McCarthy-Perez**



### *Pastor's Message*

marking the 150th anniversary of St. Joseph being declared patron of the universal church, Pope Francis proclaimed a yearlong celebration dedicated to the foster father of Jesus.

In a Dec. 8 apostolic letter,

"Patris Corde"

("With a father's heart"), the pope said Christians can discover in St. Joseph, who often goes unnoticed, "an intercessor, a support and a guide in times of trouble."

St. Joseph reminds us that those who appear hidden or in the shadows can play an incomparable role in the history of salvation. A word of recognition and of gratitude is due to them all," he said.

As Mary's husband and guardian of the son of God, St. Joseph turned "his human vocation to domestic love into a superhuman oblation of himself, his heart and all his abilities, a love placed at the service of the Messiah who was growing to maturity in his home.

The Apostolic Penitentiary, a Vatican tribunal that deals with matters of conscience, also issued a decree Dec. 8 stating that plenary indulgences will be granted to

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Catholics not only through prayer and penance, but also through acts of justice, charity and piety dedicated to the foster father of Jesus.

Among the conditions for receiving an indulgence are a spirit detached from sin, receiving sacramental confession as soon as possible, receiving Communion as soon as possible and praying for the Holy Father's intentions.

However, the decree also highlighted several ways to obtain the indulgence throughout the year, including to those who "meditate on the prayer of the 'Our Father' for at least 30 minutes or take part in a spiritual retreat of at least one day that includes a meditation on St. Joseph."

"Those who, following the example of St. Joseph, will perform a corporal or spiritual work of mercy, will also be able to obtain the gift of the plenary indulgence."

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As a "just man," the document continued, who guarded "the intimate secret that lies at the bottom of the heart and soul," St. Joseph practiced the virtue of justice in "full adherence to the divine law, which is the law of mercy."

"Therefore, those who, following the example of St. Joseph, will perform a corporal or spiritual work of mercy, will also be able to obtain the gift of the plenary indulgence," it said.

Indulgences will also be granted to families and engaged couples who recite the rosary together and thus imitate the "same climate of communion, love and prayer lived in the Holy Family. "

Other acts of devotion include entrusting one's daily activities and prayers for dignified employment to St. Joseph, reciting the litany or any "legitimately approved" prayer to St. Joseph.

During this time of pandemic, the Apostolic Penitentiary also decreed that special indulgences will be granted to the elderly, the sick and all those who "for legitimate reasons are prevented from leaving their home" by "reciting an act of piety in honor of St. Joseph and committed to fulfilling the conditions as soon as possible."



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.

## 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.

## WEEKLY COLLECTION ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE IN PARISH OFFICE

**"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."**

## FRANCISCAN VOCATIONS

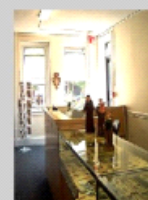
We are all called to serve God faithfully as a single, married, ordained, or consecrated religious. Just as Jesus was compelled by the Spirit and blest by the Father to respond to a call to mission, the Franciscan Friars of the Immaculate Conception Province, pray that some men among you will be inspired to respond to a call to mission in the Franciscan Order.



## SAINT FRANCIS GIFT SHOP AND BOOKSTORE

### HOURS:

**Monday: 1:00pm - 4:00pm**  
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