Holy Ghost Church Providence, RI

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 2, 2022

Grant us, we pray, O Lord, through these holy gifts which we have received, that, imitating the charity and apostolic zeal of Saint Francis, we may experience the effects of your love and spread them everywhere for the salvation of all.

Through Christ our Lord.

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, October 1
Confessions 3:00 - 4:00 PM
Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 PM
✝Iolanda Parrillo

Sunday, October 2
Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM - English
Pro Populo
10:30 AM - Italian
✝Doris Colasanto
✝Rico Colasanto
12:00 PM - Spanish
Rev. Luigi Butera
✝Jaslin Perez
1:30 PM - Baptisms

Monday, October 3 - No Scheduled Mass

Tuesday, October 4
7:00 AM
✝Francesca Fardini
Abbruzzese Family
St. Francis of Assisi

Wednesday, October 5
7:00 AM
✝Loffreda & Capriglione Families
Adoration: 5:00-7:00 PM
Confessions from 6:00 PM
until Benediction

Thursday, October 6
7:00 AM
✝Giovanni Venditto
7:00 PM - Spanish
✝Claire "Millie" (Young) Smaldone

Friday, October 7
7:00 AM
✝Feliciano DeSantis
2:00 PM - Quinceñeara

Saturday, October 8
Confessions 3:00 - 4:00 PM
Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 PM
✝Philip & Nancy Fazioli
✝Kevin Lang

Sunday, October 9
Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM - English
✝Teresa Petrone
✝Peter & Lilian Manoogian
10:30 AM - Italian
✝Emilio & Maria Giuseppa Rivera
12:00 PM - Spanish
Pro Populo

* The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available every Saturday from 3:00 PM until the beginning of the 4:00 PM Mass. It is also available on Wednesdays from 6:00 PM until Benediction, after morning daily Masses until 8:00 AM and at other times by request.
* Baptisms are held each first Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM. Other times are possible by request.
* Weddings should be scheduled a year in advance to account for different situations that may be present with the bride and groom that take time to work through. A wedding will not be truly scheduled until it is demonstrated that a couple is free to marry.

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Offertory of September 25, 2022

Collection: $3430.00
Online Giving: $270.45
Saint Vincent de Paul Offering: $794.00

https://holy-ghost-church.org/giving
Text GIVE to
1 (401) 271-7162

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Collect

Almighty ever-living God,
who in the abundance of your kindness
surpass the merits and the desires of those who
entreat you, pour out your mercy upon us
to pardon what conscience dreads
and to give what prayer does not dare to ask.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the
Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Prayer over the Offerings

Accept, O Lord, we pray,
the sacrifices instituted by your commands
and, through the sacred mysteries,
which we celebrate with dutiful service,
graciously complete the sanctifying work
by which you are pleased to redeem us.
Through Christ our Lord.

Prayer after Communion

Grant us, almighty God,
that we may be refreshed and nourished
by the Sacrament which we have received,
so as to be transformed into what we consume.
Through Christ our Lord.

Hail Mary and The Rosary

Where did the Hail Mary come from?

The first part of the Hail Mary consists of the greetings which the angel and Elizabeth addressed to Mary, as recorded in the Gospel; the second part was added by the Church as our response under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. (CCC:2676–2677)

> *And when he [the angel] came into her presence he said, "Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you!" (Lk 1:28)*
> *[Elizabeth] exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!" (Lk 1:42)*

Should we often pray the Hail Mary?

Yes, because the Hail Mary recalls the Incarnation of the Son of God for our salvation, honors Mary as the Mother of God, and asks for her help during our life and at the moment of our death.

What is the Rosary?

The Rosary is a "Gospel prayer" made up of the Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory, in which we meditate on important events in the lives of Jesus and Mary. (CCC:2678)

Does the Church recommend praying the Rosary?

The Church and all the recent Popes have highly recommended praying the Rosary to grow in the spiritual life and obtain peace for the world.

Parish Announcements

Holy Ghost Church 88th Annual Reunion

- Forms for the Souvenir Ad Book and In Memoriams are in the Church. If you have any questions please call the Rectory.
- The $100 Tickets are available now through the Committee members.
- The Dinner Dance tickets are available. Please call the rectory to be connected to the coordinator of the Dinner.
- Save the date for the 2022 Reunion Dinner Dance itself. It will be in our own Church Hall on Saturday, November 12.
- The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 5 at 7:30 pm.

A message from the SVDP Society at Holy Ghost Church:

"We would like to thank you all our friends and benefactors. We are helping every Saturday an average of 25 families.

This month in particular we are looking for rice, pasta and canned tomato sauce. Any snacks for kids, (cookies, juice)gently used toys and school supplies would be appreciated.

Drop off boxes are available at Holy Ghost Church.
Thank you again."

The Society can be reached by contacting the Rectory Office at (401) 421-3551

Religious Education News

- Classes have begun. As usually happens here we will be accepting new and returning students for several more weeks to come. Also please contact us at any time and we can try to find a way to make things work out for people from different circumstances.
- We will let you know about the Confirmation date for next year as soon as possible. The earliest we can know will be in the fall of 2022.
- An order for religious education materials is almost ready. We are just waiting for a better assessment of how many students we will have in our program.

Make a life affirming donation - Baby Bottle Boomerang

After Mass this weekend we will be distributing empty baby bottles. Please take a bottle home and fill it with your spare coins (cash or checks are also much appreciated) and return the bottle to church next weekend or the weekend after. Collection bins will be located near each exit. Your generosity helps Right to Life Services continue providing pregnancy tests and ultrasounds throughout Rhode Island in their Ancora Women's Mobile Care Center, and stocks the shelves of their Maternity Hope Chest to serve mothers who have courageously chosen LIFE but need a helping hand caring for their precious little ones, whether it be diapers and wipes, clothing and blankets, bassinets and strollers, and many other must have items. May the Good Lord bless you many times over for your generosity.

Parish Announcements

(Excerpts from the book about the history of our parish will resume soon.)

This week we will spiritually prepare for the canonization of Saint Scalabrini (October 9, 2022) by praying together for three days at 6:00 PM; On Thursday, Friday and Saturday. We will pray a Rosary together and recite the Triduum prayers provided by the Missionaries of St. Charles Borromeo.

On the day of his canonization we will pray together in a special way at the 10:30 AM Mass and there will be refreshments in the Church Hall afterwards. Several other events will take place in the parish over the course of a year.

Triduum - Novena to St John Baptist Scalabrini

St John Baptist Scalabrini (1839-1905)

Bishop of Piacenza
Apostle of Catechism
Father to the Migrants
Founder and Inspirer

Invocations to the Holy Trinity

Father and Creator, who put in the heart of Saint Scalabrini the dream of seeing completed your plan to gather all in Christ, bless our lives and our work.

Glory to the Father...

Redeeming Son, who were at the center of Saint Scalabrini's thoughts and plans and moved him to make himself all things to all people, have mercy on us.

Glory to the Father...

Sanctifying Spirit, who stirred in Saint Scalabrini love for the poorest and a passion for migrants, sanctify those who put themselves at the service of others.
Glory to the Father...

Most Holy Trinity, mystery of communion, through the intercession of Saint Scalabrini grant us the grace which with confidence we implore.

Glory to the Father...

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Prayer to Saint John Baptist Scalabrini

O Saint John Baptist Scalabrini,
with the heart of a bishop
and the zeal of an apostle
you gave yourself completely to all.
You listened to the cries of migrants,
spoke in their name, defended their rights.
You found sustenance in the Eucharist
solace in the cross of Jesus,
comfort in Mary, Mother of the Church.
Through your intercession
May God, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit
grant peace to all humanity,
protect those who cross
seas and borders sustained by hope,
bless us and our loved ones
and grant us the grace
that we entrust to your fatherly love. Amen.

Three Glory to the Father in honor of the Holy Trinity.

Founder of the Missionaries of St. Charles - Scalabrinians
and the Missionary Sisters of St. Charles Borromeo - Scalabrinians
Inspirer of the Scalabrinian Secular Missionaries

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Litany prayer to Saint Scalabrini

Saint John Baptist Scalabrini	pray for us
Faithful bishop of the Church	pray for us
Apostle of the catechism	pray for us
Father to the migrants	pray for us
Totally devoted to the Eucharist	pray for us
Passionate disciple of Jesus Crucified	pray for us
Son, full of trust in Mary	pray for us
Brave witness to the Gospel	pray for us
Admirer of St. Charles	pray for us
Fraternal pastor of his priests	pray for us
Confident in the power of prayer	pray for us
Generous in the relief of the poor	pray for us
Convinced advocate of conciliation	pray for us
Assertive proponent of dialogue	pray for us
Prodigal for help and forgiveness	pray for us
Secure in the help of the Providence	pray for us
Humble man reluctant to honors	pray for us
Brave and enthusiastic missionary	pray for us
Example of sacrifice and dedication	pray for us
Totally dedicated to all people	pray for us
Model of faith, hope and charity	pray for us

Reminder About Columbus Day Weekend:

Unlike the recent past, our Mass schedule will remain unchanged.

You may need to find an alternate way here depending on which Mass you will attend. The way that will be open for sure is to come from Ridge Street to Swiss Street and use the side entrance to the parking lot. The same goes for when you leave, depending on where Atwells closed and at what time.

We also need volunteers to help receive donations for parking. If you are interested in serving the parish and providing both for the needs of the Church and to help keep the weekend orderly

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Pro-Life Rose Sale

Long-stem red roses will be available after Masses on Saturday & Sunday, October 15th & 16th in honor of Respect Life Month.

All proceeds from the sale will benefit Catholic, pro-life Mother of Life Pregnancy Center in Providence (motheroflife.org). The Center provides free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, counseling, parenting classes, material goods for babies & moms, and much more. The suggested donation is $3 per rose. Contributions in addition to or in lieu of rose purchases will be gratefully accepted. Thank you for your generous support!

From the Office of Hispanic Ministry

Curso de Crecimiento en la FE I
¿Le gustaría participar del segundo grupo de la escuela de servidores de la Renovación carismática que comenzará en enero de 2023?
Requisitos: Para poder participar de la escuela debes asistir regularmente al grupo de oración y la misa dominical en la parroquia donde sirves, estar recomendado por tu párroco, el coordinador del grupo oración, haber hecho el seminario de vida en el espíritu y curso de crecimiento en la fe uno y dos. Estamos iniciando un curso de crecimiento a nivel diocesano especialmente para ayudar a las parroquias que no lo tienen. Jueves 7:00 pm en San Patricio de 7:00 a 9:00 pm. para mayor información llama al 401-241-6513 o 401-744-1576.

Retiro de Hombres Cámbiame a Mi Señor: EL Próximo retiro de hombres se llevará a cabo del 14 al 16 de Octubre del 2022 en la Casa de Retiros Immaculate Conception Renewal Center en Putnam, CT a 45 min. de Providence. Muchos hombres han podido a través de este retiro tener una experiencia personal con Jesús y han encontrado el camino para ser un ejemplo de vida Cristiana en sus familias. La fecha límite para registrarse es el 14 de Octubre. Pide una registración en tu parroquia, o llama a Arturo 401-241-6513, a Conrado al 401-359-4724 o a la Oficina del Ministerio Hispano 401-421-7833 x233
Mas información: https://dioceseofprovidence.org/hispanic-ministry

Retiro de Mujeres Cámbiame a Mi Señor: El Retiro de Mujeres Cámbiame a Mi Señor se llevará a cabo del 21 al 23 de Octubre del 2022 en Immaculate Conception Spiritual Renewal Center. El costo del retiro es de $110 por persona incluye desayuno, almuerzo, cena y alojamiento y se pide un depósito de $50 para reservar tu espacio. Llama al 421-7833 x 233 o visita nuestra página de internet. La fecha límite para registrarse es el 14 de Octubre. Cientos de mujeres han participado de este fin de semana encontrando la paz que solo Dios te puede dar. (se limitará la asistencia a 3° participantes y seguirán medidas de precaución; más detalles en la registración) Baja la registración por internet en:
https://dioceseofprovidence.org/hispanic-ministry

SUBSIDIO DE ASISTENCIA FINANCIERA PARA PROGRAMAS DE DESPUES DE LA ESCUELA Y CHILDCARE: El subsidio de Cabrini ofrece becas para ayudar a las familias que trabajan, con el costo del cuidado infantil en guarderías con licencia o también en las Escuelas Católicas para programas de antes o después de la Escuela. Llame a Fátima García, al 401 421-7833 x 223 para aplicar.
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