CATHEDRAL OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

NOVEMBER 1, 2026 ALL SAINTS

WELCOME TO THE CATHEDRAL!

30 Fenner Street
Providence, Rhode Island 02903
401-331-2434
www.providencecathedral.org

OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Friday | 8:00am - 4:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday | 12:00pm
Tuesday | 12:00pm
Wednesday | 12:00pm
Thursday | 12:00pm
Friday | 12:00pm

RECONCILIATION
Monday - Friday | 11:00am - 11:45am
Saturday & Sunday - 45 minutes prior the Liturgy
Other | By Appointment

BAPTISMS
11:00am on the 2nd Sunday of the month by previous appointment with Msgr. Bastia.

ADORATION
Sunday | 12:00pm - 1:00pm
First Friday | 12:30pm - 3:00pm

MINISTRY OF THE SICK
Please call the Parish Office to notify us when a parishioner is home-bound, or with a serious illness and would like to receive Holy Communion or the Anointing of the Sick.



ALL SAINTS

"Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven." - Mt 5:12a



The Most Reverend Bruce A. Lewandowski, C.Ss.R.
Bishop of Providence
Reverend Monsignor Raymond B. Bastia
Rector
Reverend Monsignor Anthony Mancini
Rector Emeritus
Religious Education & O.C.I.A. Coordinator
Sister Cristina Gomez, H.M.S.P.
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MASS SCHEDULE & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday - October 31
4:00pm | Knights of the Holy Sepulchre

Sunday - November 1
All Saints
10:00am | Installation Mass/Msgr. Raymond B. Bastia, Rector
1:00pm | Florence & George Dupre, Sr. (deceased) by family
6:00pm | Anthony & Rita G. Cabral (deceased)

Monday - November 2
All Souls Day
12:00pm | Intentions of the All Souls donors

Tuesday - November 3
St. Martin de Porres, Religious
12:00pm | Roger & Virginia Langelier (deceased) by family

Wednesday - November 4
St. Charles Borromero, Bishop
12:00pm | Maria Quiamco (Birthday Rem) by family

Thursday - November 5
12:00pm | Judge Thomas J Caldarone, Jr. (deceased) by parishioner (8th Anniversary Rem)

Friday - November 6
12:00pm | John M MacManus & Jack MacManus (deceased)

Saturday - November 7
5:00pm | Marion Sisto & Richard Sisto (deceased) by Robert Sisto

Sunday - November 8
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:00am |Alfred Carpionato & deceased members of the Carpionato Family
1:00pm | Barbara Tagliaferri (deceased) by family
6:00pm | Anthony Cabral, Jr. (deceased)

Lector & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday - November 7
5pm -Lector: Sr Cristina ; E/M: R Petrucci, L Orabona, B Smith

Sunday, November 8
10am-Lector: D Kavanagh ; E/M: C Ferreira, M Sanborn, D Sears

1pm - Lector: M Cabrera ; E/M: A Carnevale, J Cabrera

6pm - Lector: D Weinzierl ; E/M: S Weinzierl, K Delponte, R Cabrera

Congratulations to Msgr Bastia on his installation as Rector of the Cathedral.

Liturgical Ministry Volunteers Needed

We are seeking Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, and school-age Altar Servers to assist at our weekend Liturgies. If you are interested in one of these ministries, please contact Msgr. Bastia at 331-2434.

We warmly invite you to consider sharing your time and gifts with the Lord, and service to our parish community.
Training will be provided.

Monday, November 2nd
ALL SOUL'S DAY
{The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed}
Please join us for Mass at 12:00 PM, which will be offered for our All Soul's donors.
We will also dedicate three 12:00 PM Masses throughout the month of November:
Friday, November 20th
Monday, November 23rd
Monday, November 30th
"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen."

Partner with the Catholic Foundation of Rhode Island to establish an endowment fund that supports your parish's ongoing needs and future.

The Foundation invests the principal to produce steady annual income, allowing your parish to care for its facilities and sustain its mission. This approach supports planning for present & future needs without increasing pressure on offertory giving.

Gifts to the endowment are tax-deductible
Start the conversation today!
Tim McCaig at 401-865-6851 or
tmcaig@dpvd.org
A Foundation of Hope

ALL SAINTS DAY

A MEDITATION



All Saints Day

Today we honor those holy men and women who have gone before us in faith and have done so in a glorious way. As we honor these great champions of faith, let's reflect upon who they are and what role they continue to play in the life of the Church. The following excerpt is from Chapter 8 of *My Catholic Faith!*

The Church Triumphant: Those who have gone before us and now share in the glories of Heaven, in the Beatific Vision, are not gone. Sure, we do not see them and we cannot necessarily hear them speak to us in the physical way they did while on Earth. But they are not gone at all. St. Therese of Lisieux said it best when she said, "I want to spend my Heaven doing good on Earth." The saints in Heaven are in full union with God and make up the Communion of Saints in Heaven, the Church Triumphant! What's important to note, however, is that even though they are enjoying their eternal reward, they are still very much concerned about us. The saints in Heaven are entrusted with the important task of intercession. Sure, God already knows all our needs and He could ask us to go directly to Him in our prayers. But the truth is that God wants to use the intercession, and therefore, the mediation of the saints in our lives. He uses them to bring our prayers to Him and, in return, to bring His grace to us. They become powerful intercessors for us and participators in God's divine action in the world.

Why is this the case? Again, why doesn't God just choose to deal with us directly rather than go through intermediaries? Because God wants all of us to share in His good work and to participate in His divine plan. It would be like a dad who buys a nice necklace for his wife. He shows it to his young children and they are excited about this gift. The mom comes in and the dad asks the children to bring the gift to her. Now the gift is from her husband but she will most likely thank her children first for their participation in giving this gift to her. The father wanted the children to be part of this giving and the mother wanted to make the children a part of her receiving and gratitude. So it is with God! God wants the saints to share in the distribution of His manifold gifts. And this act fills His heart with joy!

The saints also give us a model of holiness. The charity they lived on Earth lives on. The witness of their love and sacrifice was not just a one time act in history. Rather, charity is living and continues to have an effect for the good. Therefore, the charity and witness of the saints lives on and affects our lives. This charity in their lives creates a bond with us, a communion. It enables us to love them, admire them and want to follow their example. It is this, coupled with their continuing intercession, that establishes a powerful bond of love and union with us.

JOIN OUR PARISH

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By registering at a parish, you are declaring your desire to be part of a Catholic faith community. If you have recently moved to the area or if you are a long-time resident, please consider registering here at the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul

TOP REASONS TO REGISTER AT A PARISH

A sense of belonging and identity in a parish community. It is a commitment to practice your faith. Registration enables the parish priest and staff to get to know you better, to welcome you and to minister to you. This is especially important during a time of crisis so that the pastoral staff can attend to your spiritual needs and the needs of your family. Registration helps you stay connected with your parish and helps your parish stay connected with you. Providing your contact information is important so that parishes provide you timely updates via email, direct mail, phone, etc.

REGISTERING AT THE CATHEDRAL IS EASY

Log onto our website at: **www.providencecathedral.org** and click on "Join us as a Cathedral Parishioner" from the "Learn More" drop down menu.

Monday, November 2nd at 6:30 PM
1st Meeting - Parish Pastoral Council
to be held in the Parish Office.

BIBLE STUDY *here at the Cathedral*

An opportunity for a deeper relationship/encounter with God through His Word.
The Word of God is living and effective […] able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart" Heb 4:12

Opt 1: WEDNESDAYS 7PM-8:30PM
begins Nov 18th

Opt 2: THURSDAYS 5:30PM-7PM
begins Nov 19th

To register/more info contact
Sister Cristina 401-824-9608 or
sistercristina@hmsp.org

Religious Education

Grades 1-12:

Sat., Nov 7 from 10am-11:30am in Cathedral Hall.

Cathedral Youth Group ages 13-17:

Mon., Nov 2nd from 6:30pm-8pm in Cathedral Hall.

O.C.I.A.:

Wed., Nov 4th from 7pm-8:30pm in Cathedral Hall.