

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

THE MOST REVEREND RICHARD G. HENNING, S.T.D.

Bishop of Providence

THE MOST REVEREND THOMAS J. TOBIN, D.D.

Bishop Emeritus

THE REVEREND MONSIGNOR ANTHONY MANCINI

Cathedral Rector

401-331-2434

www.providencecathedral.org



Saturday, March 16

5:00 ARTHUR, NORMA & DAVID MARCANTONIO (deceased) by family

Sunday, March 17 *Fifth Sunday of Lent*

10:00 LORETTA MANCINI (deceased) by family

Noon EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

1:00 JEAN IANNUCCI (deceased) by the Bastia family

6:00 THOMAS POWELL (deceased) by Scott Powell and family

Monday, March 18 *St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church*

12:00 MARIE MICHELETTI & SUSAN KAPLAN (deceased) by Alan & Diane Costantino

Tuesday, March 19 *St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

12:00 INTENTIONS OF TERESA GRANT (Living) by Christopher Grant

Wednesday, March 20

12:00 JEFFREY MARCHETTI (deceased) by mom and auntie Elaine (Birthday Rem.)

Thursday, March 21

12:00 FATHER SANTOS & JOHN PASCALE (deceased) by Alan & Diane Costantino

Friday, March 22

12:00 DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE MOYO, CUSACK & MHARAPARA FAMILIES by Bob & Elizabeth Cusack

Saturday, March 23 *St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop*

5:00 DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE TANTIMONACO FAMILY by Lucille Orabona

Sunday, March 24 *Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*

10:00 RONALD MORRISSEY (deceased) by Msgr. Mancini

Noon EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

1:00 RICHARD SULLIVAN (deceased) by Brian Sullivan

6:00 DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CABRAL AND SULLIVAN FAMILIES



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Each Friday immediately following the 12PM Mass we will pray the Stations of the Cross.

Religious Education & Faith Formation

Confirmation/Teenagers (Grades 9-12)
Tue., Mar. 19 from 5:45pm - 6:45pm

Bible Study
Tue., Mar. 19 from 7pm - 8:30pm

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
Wed., Mar. 20 from 7pm - 8:30pm

Teen Youth Group
Thu., Mar. 21 from 5:30pm

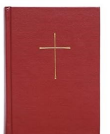
CCD (Grades 1-8)
Sat., Mar. 23 from 10am -11:15am

All classes meet in Cathedral Hall

For information please visit the Cathedral's website:
www.providencecathedral.org

Sister Elizabeth Castro, HMSP,
Director of Religious Education:
sister.elizabethmssw@gmail.com

Hymnal Memorial Donations



As you know we have purchased new Worship IV Hymnals for use at our Cathedral Liturgies. We are offering the opportunity for individuals to purchase a hymnal (or two) to offset this expense. You may donate a hymnal in your own name or in memory of a loved one. The offering is \$30 per hymnal. A memorial name plate will be placed on the inside cover of the hymnal with your name or the name of a deceased loved one.

We are most grateful for your generosity. Please contact the Cathedral office at 331-2434 for more information.

FROM THE RECTOR: MONSIGNOR MANCINI

MEDITATION OF THE DAY

SISTER MARY OF THE HOLY TRINITY - Sister Mary of the Holy Trinity († 1942) was a Poor Clare of Jerusalem.

“Never before has anyone spoken like this man”

[Jesus said:] Do you think that I will abandon you at the moment of death, you who cannot live without me? As a mother embraces her newborn child, so will I enfold you in my love because you are my tiny child, and I know that you cannot do without me.

I desire you to be altogether mine so that I may use you as I please. For the more you know and love me, the closer will you be united to all those who love me. I do not separate the hearts that receive me: I am union. And it is your love for me that unites human hearts for eternity.

Above all it is necessary that you should see your faults clearly and be sorry for them; it is only after that that you can hear my voice. Each time you obey, through visible actions you offer to me the invisible love with which I fill your heart.

At the least sign of repentance, my heart is aflame with joy, and I wait with irrepressible love for the sinner to turn towards me. It is not what you give me that glorifies me: it is when you give me, by your confidence, the opportunity of showing you what my love is capable of devising for you.

There is not a single superfluous suffering in your life. Your heart must be rent that my grace may penetrate it; otherwise you remain as a closed garden within your own feelings, your own thoughts, your horizon. Your horizon must be rent so that you may catch a glimpse of the destiny to which you are called. Your destiny is so great that according to nature you could not of yourselves imagine it. Your heart must be rent that my grace may penetrate and transform it.

Memorialize Easter Flowers for Departed Loved Ones

The second collection this weekend is the Easter Flower offering. This collection will help defray the cost of the Easter flowers that will adorn the Cathedral sanctuary for Easter. Special envelopes will be available at the entrances to the Cathedral, which include spaces to inscribe the names of your departed loved ones for whom we will pray at Masses throughout the Easter Season. Their names will also be published in the Cathedral bulletin and included on a list to be placed upon the main altar.



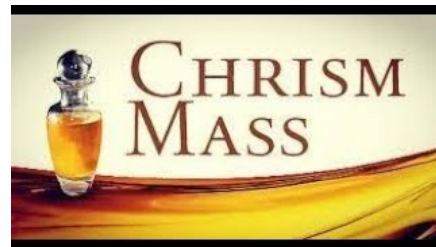
A donation of \$25.00 is suggested, but any amount contributed will be greatly appreciated. As St. Ambrose reminds us, *“If we have loved them in life, let us not forget them in death. Let us escort them by our prayers into the House of the Lord.”*

Catholic Charity Appeal

Every time a meal is provided to someone who otherwise may go hungry, you make a difference. Together as a Catholic Community of Hope, we can provide nourishment through a warm meal to someone through the St. Martin de Porres Center in Providence. Please support all those going without in our state with a generous gift to the 2024 Catholic Charity Appeal. Charity envelopes are available at the entrances to the Cathedral.

Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul-Parish Goal:
\$39,900

Thank you for your generosity!



Tuesday, March 26 at 7PM
here at the
Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul

Celebrant - Most Rev. Richard G. Henning, S.T.D.
Bishop of Providence

Homilist - Bishop-Elect James T. Ruggieri
Pastor, St. Patrick & St. Michael the Archangel Parishes
Bishop-Elect of Portland (Maine)

During this Mass, Most Rev. Richard G. Henning, S.T.D., Bishop of Providence, will celebrate and be joined by dozens of concelebrating priests and many deacons from across the diocese. At this Mass, the priests of the diocese renew their priestly promises and the Bishop consecrates and blesses holy oils used in the sacrament rites of the church for the coming year.

At this Holy Mass holy chrism (sacrum chrism) is consecrated, a fragrant oil that only a bishop can consecrate and which is used during baptisms, confirmations and the ordinations of priests and bishops. Chrism is also used during the dedication and consecration of churches and altars.

The other oils to be blessed at the Mass are the oil of catechumens (oleum catechumenorum or oleum sanctorum) which is used for infant baptisms and in some of the preparatory rites for catechumens as they prepare for baptism and initiation into the Catholic Church, and the oil of the sick (oleum infirmorum), used in the sacrament of the anointing of the sick.

Can't join us in the Cathedral? View the live stream on the diocesan YouTube channel - <https://provd.io/live>