CATHEDRAL OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

NOVEMBER 8, 2026 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

WEEKEND MASS
Saturday | 5PM
Sunday | 10AM, 1PM, 6PM

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday - Friday |12PM

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.





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 - 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)

Monday - November 9
The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
12:00pm | Anne Dutra (deceased) by son Jim

Tuesday - November 10
St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church
12:00pm | James Bardsley (deceased)

Wednesday - November 11
St. Martin of Tours, Bishop
No 12:00pm | Veteran's Day

Thursday - November 12
St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr
12:00pm | Intentions of Cecilia Sarnowski by mom

Friday - November 13
St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
12:00pm | Paul Marandola, Jr (deceased) by Alan & Diane Costantino

Saturday - November 14
3:00pm Wedding ~ Bryan Tabuzo & Shivani Mehrota
5:00pm | Deceased members of the Henebury Family by family

Sunday - November 15
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
10:00am | Marie Norma & Gaetano Faraone and William & Frances Donovan (deceased) by Philip & Debbie Faraone
1:00pm | Deceased members of the Woods Family
3:00pm Wedding ~ David LeFleur & Abigail Mogeira
6:00pm | Rita C Sullivan (deceased)

Live the Liturgy
Inspiration of the Week
The Christian life is a life of waiting, for the Bridegroom is long delayed. We can grow too comfortable in the waiting that we forget what it's all for. So let us look to our lamps and always remember - the waiting will not last forever.

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.

Religious Education

Grades 1-12:
Sat., Nov 14 from 10am-11:30am
in Cathedral Hall.
Cathedral Youth Group ages 13-17:
Mon., Nov 9 from 6:30pm-8pm
in Cathedral Hall.
O.C.I.A.:
Wed., Nov 18 from 7pm-8:30pm
in Cathedral Hall.

Lector & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Schedule



Saturday - November 14
5pm -Lector: J Cabrera ; E/M: D Sears, K Dykstra, {pending}

Sunday, November 15
10am-Lector: J Badessa ; E/M: C Ferreira, D Kavanagh, B Audet

1pm - Lector: L Jenard ; E/M: A Carnevale, M Cabrera, {pending}

6pm - Lector: A Pena ; E/M: R Cabrera. M Cabrera, Sr Cristina



Bible Study

An opportunity for a deeper relationship/encounter with God through His Word.
WEDNESDAYS 7PM-8:30PM
OR
THURSDAYS 5:30PM-7PM
in Cathedral Hall.
For additional information please contact: Sister Cristina at
401-824-9608 or
sistercristina@hmsp.org

A MEDITATION



Feast of The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica ~ Monday, November 9

"To dedicate or consecrate" a place to God is a ritual that is found in every religion. To "reserve" a place to God is an act of recognizing His glory and honor.

Most Catholics think of St. Peter's as the pope's main Church, but they are wrong. Saint John Lateran is the pope's Church, the Cathedral of the Diocese of Rome where the Bishop of Rome presides. The first basilica on the site was built in the fourth century when Constantine donated land he had received from the wealthy Lateran family. That structure and its successors suffered fire, earthquake, and the ravages of war, but the Lateran remained the Church where popes were consecrated. In the 14th century when the papacy returned to Rome from Avignon, the Church and the adjoining palace were found to be in ruins.

Pope Innocent X commissioned the present structure in 1646. One of Rome's most imposing Churches, the Lateran's towering facade is crowned with 15 colossal statues of Christ, **John the Baptist, John the Evangelist**, and 12 doctors of the Church. Beneath its high altar rest the remains of the small wooden table on which tradition holds **Saint Peter** himself celebrated Mass.

Unlike the commemorations of other Roman Churches, this anniversary is a feast. The dedication of a Church is a feast for all its parishioners. In a sense, St. John Lateran is the parish Church of all Catholics, because it is the pope's Cathedral. This Church is the spiritual home of the people who are the Church.

On Monday, November 9th, the Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica allows us to remember the journey of the people and God's constant and faithful care. At the same time, we are reminded today that each one of us is a "house of God" in the Risen Jesus, because the Holy Spirit dwells in each one of us (cf. 1 Cor. 3:16). This awareness alone leads us to praise the Lord on the one hand, and on the other, it leads us to say, at times excessively, *"O Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof"* (Mt. 8.8), forgetting that He is already in us and that He welcomes us and loves us not as we would like to be, but as we are, here, now. As we honor the dedication of St. John Lateran Basilica, let us pray for the Church today, our local parishes, religious institutions, religious orders, and the Universal Church headed in Rome. Our Churches and sacred places exist to be places where we come to encounter God. Pray for Pope Leo, XIV that St. John Lateran will always be a place where he, and every pope after him, will encounter God in a profound way.

BISHOP HENDRICKEN - INFORMATION NIGHT

Bishop Hendricken High School will hold an Information Night on Tuesday, November 10th, from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Information on admissions and financial aid as well as academics, college placement, athletic and extracurricular activities will be available. The entrance exam for prospective 8th, 9th, or 10th grade students will be held on Saturday, December 5, 2026, at 8:30am. For more information, please call the Admissions Office at 401-889-5425 or admissions@hendricken.com

Christmas Concert

The Gregorian Concert Choir & Orchestra will present a Concert to benefit the Diocese of Providence "Keep the Heat On" Challenge, which is now in its 22nd season of helping Rhode Island households stay warm.

Music of Advent & Christmas

Rev. Msgr. Anthony Mancini, Conductor
Mr. Philip Faraone, Organist

Sunday, December 13, 2026
3:00 PM

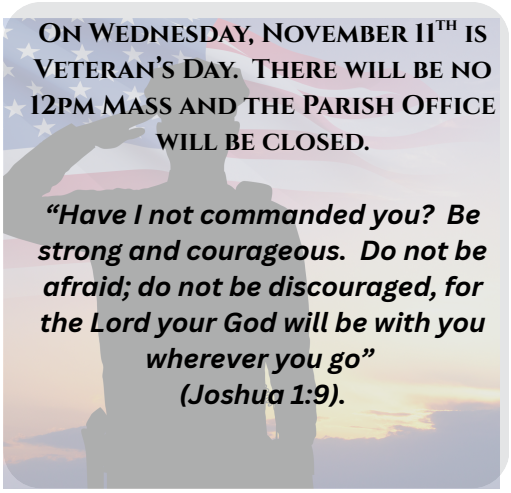
here at the Cathedral

Tickets for this event are $20 and will be sold at the door. No reservations required.
For advance tickets, please contact the Cathedral Office at 401-331-2434.

Our parish is still in need of volunteers to join our money-counting teams at the Cathedral Office on a Monday morning at 8:30am for about two hours [every other week]. Each team would open the weekend collection enevelopes and prepare the offerings for deposit.

Training will be provided.

If you can help, please contact Msgr. Bastia at 401-331-2434



A great safeguard is the entire faith, the true faith, in which neither anything whatever can be added by anyone nor anything taken away; for, unless faith be one, it is not the faith.

Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church