

# SAINT PATRICK CHURCH – E-BULLETIN

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~August 16, 2020

## MASS & CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Weekend:

### Saturday:

4:00 pm English  
6:00 pm- Spanish

### Sunday:

7:30 am

**9:30 am English & ASL MASS**

12:15 pm & 5:30 pm- Spanish

Weekdays:

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday  
5:30pm- English

Wednesday & Friday  
6:30pm – Spanish

## Sacrament of Reconciliation (confession)

Wednesday: 5 pm -6:15pm  
Saturday: 2:30pm-3:30pm

## ADORATION CHAPEL

OPEN 24 HOURS

Limited to 4 people at a time

St. Patrick Church Website:

<https://saintpatrickchurch.net/>



## From the Desk of our Seminarian, Matthew Boni:

Dear parishioners,

This week, August 15<sup>th</sup>, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, in which we remember that the Mother of God was assumed, body and soul, into heaven where she is now praying for us. In this time when there are many hardships in our lives on earth, this great solemnity invites us to turn our attention to the life that we await in heaven where there is always peace, love, and no threat of evil. Where Our Lady is now, we hope to be one day. Reflecting on the Assumption, I thought about an experience I had when I



was in Argentina during my junior year of college. I went on a pilgrimage with a group from a parish in Buenos Aires. It was a pilgrimage on foot from the capital city of Buenos Aires to the city of Lujan, which is a 43-mile journey. In Lujan there is a shrine, the Basilica of Our Lady of Lujan, where a small miraculous statue of Our Lady of Lujan, the patroness of Argentina, is kept. At some point in the trip, we had finished a break time and were about to resume the trek to the basilica, when in the midst of the very large crowd of pilgrims, I heard a voice of someone from afar that said: “*Vamos. La Virgen nos espera*” (Let’s get going. The Virgin is waiting for us). Hearing these words made me think about how we are all pilgrims making a pilgrimage to heaven. Our whole life that we live on earth is a pilgrimage toward heaven because, as Catholics, we live each day with the hope of obtaining the eternal life that Jesus won for us. This week then we can direct our attention to our final destination: heaven. The solemnity of the

Assumption reminds us that the Virgin Mary has already arrived at this destination and is there now helping us and guiding us on our earthly pilgrimage. She wants us to live with together with her in glory. We should implore then her intercession so that we may arrive where she is now. Our Mother is in heaven. We are on pilgrimage. And she is waiting for us.

**If the rosary is not a part of your regular prayer life right now, it’s easy to get your feet wet with this devotion. Here is one step to get started.**

***We don’t have to pray the rosary all at once. Sure, some people might sit down and quietly pray a whole rosary in one sitting. But we can also choose to divide it up, saying just a decade or two at a time at different points throughout the day:*** on the way to work, in between errands, in between meetings, while folding laundry or doing dishes. Many holy men and women and even popes have prayed the rosary this way and have found it manageable and fruitful for their busy lives. Try it...

## HORARIO DE MISA & CONFESION

Fin de Semana:

### Sábado:

4:00 pm Ingles

6:00 pm- Español

### Domingo :

7:30 am & 9:30 am - Ingles

12:15 pm & 5:30 pm- Español

Misa Diarias:

Lunes, Martes & Jueves

5:30pm- Ingles

Miércoles & Viernes

6:30pm – Español

### Sacramento de Reconciliación (confesión)

Miércoles: 5 pm -6:15pm

Sábado: 2:30pm-3:30pm

### Capilla de Adoración:

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## DESDE EL ESCRITORIO DE NUESTRO SEMINARISTA, MATEO BONI:

Queridos feligreses,

En esta semana, 15 de agosto, celebramos la solemnidad de la Asunción de la Virgen María, en la cual recordamos que La Madre de Dios ascendió, cuerpo y alma, al cielo donde ella está ahora pidiendo por nosotros. En este tiempo cuando hay muchas dificultades en la vida aquí en la tierra, esta gran solemnidad nos invita a girar la atención a la vida que esperamos al cielo donde siempre hay paz, amor, y ninguna amenaza de mal. Donde Nuestra Señora está ahora, nosotros esperamos llegar un día. Al reflexionar sobre la Asunción, pensé en



una experiencia que tuve cuando estaba en Argentina durante mi tercer año en la universidad. Fui en una peregrinación con un grupo de una parroquia en Buenos Aires. Fue una peregrinación a pie desde la ciudad de Buenos Aires a la ciudad de Luján, la cual es un camino de 43 millas. En Luján hay un santuario, la Basílica de Nuestra Señora de Luján, donde se mantiene una pequeña estatua milagrosa de Nuestra Señora de Luján, la patrona de Argentina. En algún momento en el viaje, habíamos terminado un tiempo de descanso y estábamos a punto de resumir la caminata hacia la basílica cuando, en el medio de la gran muchedumbre de peregrinos, escuché una voz de una persona que

estaba lejos que dijo: “Vamos. La Virgen nos espera.” Oír estas palabras me hizo pensar sobre como todos somos peregrinos haciendo una peregrinación al cielo. Toda la vida que vivimos en la tierra es una peregrinación hacia el cielo porque, como católicos, vivimos cada día siempre con la esperanza de obtener la vida eterna que Jesús nos ganó. Esta semana entonces podemos dirigir nuestra atención a nuestro destino final: el cielo. La solemnidad de la asunción nos recuerda que la Virgen María ya ha llegado a este destino y está allí ahora ayudándonos y guiándonos en nuestra peregrinación terrenal. Ella quiere que vivamos juntos a ella en gloria. Debemos implorar entonces su intercesión para que lleguemos donde ella está ahora. Nuestra Madre está en el cielo. Nosotros estamos en peregrinación. Y ella nos espera.

Reina, asunta al cielo, ruega por nosotros!

Que Dios los bendiga y la Virgen los cuide, **Mateo Boni**

**Si el rosario no es parte de su vida de oración habitual en este momento, es fácil de empezar con esta devoción. Aquí hay un paso para comenzar.** No tenemos que rezar el rosario de una vez. Claro, algunas personas pueden sentarse y rezar en silencio todo un rosario de una sola vez. Pero también podemos optar por dividirlo, diciendo solo una década o dos a la vez en diferentes momentos del día: **de camino al trabajo, entre recados, entre reuniones, mientras dobla la ropa o lava los platos. Muchos hombres y mujeres santos e incluso papas han rezado el rosario de esta manera y lo han encontrado manejable y fructífero para sus vidas ocupadas. Intentalo...**



**SATURDAY 8/22/20, 7PM**



**Let's All Unite in Community  
To Thank Our Lord & Savior!**

**Holy Hour of Adoration,  
Praise & Thanksgiving**

**Saturday, 8/22/20 at 7pm,  
Front Entrance of The Church**

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, his mercy  
endures forever. PSALMS 118, 1



**Unámonos en comunidad  
¡A dar Gracias a Dios!**

**Hora Santa de Adoración  
En Acción de Gracias  
Sábado 8/22/20, 7:00 pm,  
En La Entrada del Frente de la Iglesia**  
"Den gracias al Señor, pues él es bueno, pues su  
bondad perdura para siempre." Salmo, 118,1



## **2020-2021 CCD Application Available NOW**

If you are planning to register your child for upcoming CCD classes, please download the application and get additional details in our website in the E-Bulletin page, the link is below.

**Si usted está interesado en registrar a su Hijo o Hija para las clases de catecismo del próximo año, Favor de imprimir la registración y seguir los detalles en nuestro website en la página del E- Bulletin**

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July 14, 2020

Reverend and dear Monsignor/Father:

I am very sorry to announce that the **Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass**, scheduled for the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul on Sunday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, will have to be cancelled. The Wedding Anniversary Mass is one of the largest and most joyful events in the life of the Diocese, but the need to cancel is unavoidable. Every year the Mass draws a large number of couples (and their families), to the Cathedral for Holy Mass and a reception, but many of the attendees are advanced in age. The risks to the health of the participants would be significant.

It is certainly our hope and our expectation that the Wedding Anniversary Mass will be scheduled again next year.

In the meantime, we are still eager to recognize those couples in the Diocese of Providence who are celebrating significant wedding anniversaries this year. If you are aware of couples in your parish who are celebrating special anniversaries, (e.g., 25, 40, 50, 60 years or more), and would like them to be recognized, please send their names and mailing addresses and the number of years they are celebrating to my office, via regular mail or email, and I will be very happy to send them a personal letter and a signed certificate.

Thank you for your attention to this announcement and for your continuing pastoral care of your people. Together we look forward to and pray for that day when our normal pastoral activities can resume without disruption or fear.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. J. Tobin".

Thomas J. Tobin  
Bishop of Providence

## Readings of the Day/Lecturas del Dia

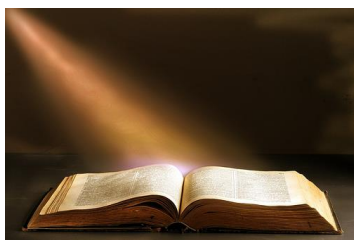
### Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~August 16, 2020 ~

Aug 15 Sat 4:00 pm Memorial Mass, 4<sup>th</sup> Year Anniv., Ryan Sutcliffe  
**Aug 15 Sat 6:00 pm Spanish Mass**  
Aug 16 Sun 7:30 am For the People of the Parish  
Aug 16 Sun 9:30 am Memorial Mass, James & Helen O'Connor  
Aug 16 Sun 9:30 am Memorial Mass, Ghislaine Mary  
Aug 16 Sun 9:30 am Memorial Mass, Michael Mulholland  
**Aug 16 Sun 12:15 pm Spanish Mass**  
**Aug 16 Sun 5:30 pm Spanish Mass**  
Aug 17 Mon 5:30 pm Memorial Mass, Kevin Mc Cobb  
Aug 18 Tue 5:30 pm Memorial Mass, Louis Codega  
**Aug 19 Wed 6:30 pm Spanish Mass**  
Aug 20 Thu 5:30 pm Intention of Thomas O. Myers  
**Aug 21 Fri 6:30 pm Spanish Mass**  
Aug 22 Sat 4:00 pm Memorial Mass, Jason Rego  
**Aug 22 Sat 6:00 pm Spanish Mass**  
Aug 23 Sun 7:30 am For the People of the Parish  
Aug 23 Sun 9:30 am Memorial Mass, 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniv. Nancy Coolman  
Aug 23 Sun 9:30 am Memorial Mass, Laudalina Oliveira  
Aug 23 Sun 9:30 am Memorial Mass, Jimmy Collard  
**Aug 23 Sun 12:15 pm Spanish Mass**  
**Aug 23 Sun 5:30 pm Spanish Mass**

### Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Gospel MT 15:21-28

At that time, Jesus withdrew to the region of Tyre and Sidon.  
And behold, a Canaanite woman of that district came and called out,  
“Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David!  
My daughter is tormented by a demon.”  
But Jesus did not say a word in answer to her.  
Jesus’ disciples came and asked him,  
“Send her away, for she keeps calling out after us.”  
He said in reply,  
“I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.”  
But the woman came and did Jesus homage, saying, “Lord, help me.”  
He said in reply,  
“It is not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs.”  
She said, “Please, Lord, for even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from the table of their masters.”  
Then Jesus said to her in reply,  
“O woman, great is your faith!  
Let it be done for you as you wish.”  
And the woman’s daughter was healed from that hour.

## WHY SHOULD WE READ THE WORD OF GOD?



### XX Domingo En Tiempo Ordinario Evangelio, Mt 15, 21-28

En aquel tiempo, Jesús se retiró a la comarca de Tiro y Sidón. Entonces una mujer cananea le salió al encuentro y se puso a gritar: “Señor, hijo de David, ten compasión de mí. Mi hija está terriblemente atormentada por un demonio”. Jesús no le contestó una sola palabra; pero los discípulos se acercaron y le rogaban: “Atiéndela, porque viene gritando detrás de nosotros”. Él les contestó: “Yo no he sido enviado sino a las ovejas descarriadas de la casa de Israel”.

Ella se acercó entonces a Jesús y postrada ante él, le dijo: “¡Señor, ayúdame!” Él le respondió: “No está bien quitarles el pan a los hijos para echárselo a los perritos”. Pero ella replicó: “Es cierto, Señor; pero también los perritos se comen las migajas que caen de la mesa de sus amos”. Entonces Jesús le respondió: “Mujer, ¡qué grande es tu fe! Que se cumpla lo que deseas”. Y en aquel mismo instante quedó curada su hija.

## POR QUE DEBO LEER LA PALABRA DE DIOS?

## WISDOM From Fr. Nick



### WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING FOR?

A certain man went to church one Sunday!

He frowned when the organist missed a note. He stared menacingly at two whispering teenagers. He looked repeatedly at his watch. When the collection basket was passed, he felt the collector was watching to see how much he gave. During the homily, he felt pleased with himself that he caught the preacher making a grammatical error. He was tight-lipped during all of the hymn singing. As he slipped out the side-door on the way from the altar after Communion, he muttered to himself, "That was terrible. Why do I bother..?"

A certain man went to church one Sunday!

He chuckled at the sight of a father exchanging hugs with the toddler draped over his shoulder. At the collection he wondered if he was giving enough. He struggled with the scripture readings trying to pick out something to live by. A thought from the homily helped him with a question he had often thought about. He enthusiastically joined in the hymn at the closing of liturgy. As he left the church and observed all the other people, he felt a sense of belonging and a joy in their having been in God's presence together.

Both men had gone to the same church on the same Sunday, and each found exactly what he was looking for.

### What are you looking for?



**Great News - Worldwide Marriage Encounter has gone "Virtual"!** To support married couples during this time of social distancing, Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring a virtual marriage experience called **Restore – Rekindle – Renew. This Enrichment Experience will meet via Zoom for seven sessions on Monday evenings September 14 to October 26 from 7-9:30 PM. Couples will explore their individual personality styles, improve listening and communication skills,**

**understand God's plan for their marriage, and learn how to keep their relationship a priority.** Registration is limited and a \$50 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>

### Volunteer opportunity for women and men

Ignatian Volunteer Corps (IVC) New England, a yearlong volunteer opportunity for women and men 50 years of age and better, is recruiting volunteers for the upcoming (September to June) year. Volunteers give two full days/week of service and commit to a monthly spiritual reflection program in the Jesuit tradition. IVC works with nonprofits in the Boston/Worcester/Providence areas that address problems of homelessness, education, immigration and more. Get info and application by contacting regional director Dave Hinchin: [newengland@ivcusa.org](mailto:newengland@ivcusa.org), or check out the IVC New England website <http://www.ivcusa.org/new-england>



# **NOCHE DE SANACION**



**Viernes, Septiembre 4, 2020**

**6:30pm Misa, Seguido de  
Oración Individual Con Exposición del  
Santísimo Sacramento a las 7:30 PM  
TODOS ESTAN BIENVENIDOS**



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**PROYECTO EMMANUEL, a feeding ministry of St. Patrick Church, goes out to the streets 3 days a week to feed people. Begun over a year and a half ago, Project Emmanuel, is a simple response of love to the challenge of hunger.**



**If you are interested in serving for Project Emmanuel or any other ministry...please see Tom Oliveira or Evelyn Granados, after any English Mass**



**PROYECTO EMMANUEL, un ministerio de alimentación de la Iglesia de San Patricio, sale a las calles 3 días a la semana para alimentar a la gente. Iniciado hace más de año y medio, el Proyecto Emmanuel, es una simple respuesta de amor al desafío del hambre.**



**Si está interesado en servir como Ujier o en el Proyecto Emmanuel favor de comunicarse con Alba Chávez, Lucia Sánchez o Nancy Luna después de Misa**