

✠ *Fifth Sunday of Lent* ✠
April 4, 2025

Sunday, April 6th – Fifth Sunday of Lent

8:00 AM Holy Mass -Spanish-
10:00 AM In memory of Edward Carlucci, requested by Peter & Joan Zompa and in memory of Claudine Edouard requested by family
12:00 PM Holy Mass -Spanish
6:00 PM Holy Mass -Spanish

Monday, April 7th – Lenten Weekday

8:00 AM That our bishops, and all who teach God's word may proclaim the need for repentance and ongoing conversion

Tuesday, April 8th - Lenten Weekday

8:00 AM That government leaders may hear the call of God to lead people in the ways of justice and peace
7:00 PM Holy Mass - Spanish

Wednesday, April 9th – Lenten Weekday

8:00 AM That the catechumens of the Church may be blessed with deeper understanding of God's word and holiness of life as they prepare for their baptism this Easter

Thursday, April 10th – Lenten Weekday

8:00 AM That the poor, the homeless and the unborn may experience the protection of the God who guided Abraham
7:00 PM Holy Mass - English

Friday, April 11th – Lenten Weekday

8:00 AM That God, who always hears the cry of His people who are being oppressed, may enable us to hear those cries and to save the poor, the vulnerable, and the unborn

Saturday, April 12th – Lenten Weekday

9:00 AM For all who have been called to their eternal reward, especially our relatives and parishioners
6:00 PM Holy Mass - Spanish

Sunday, April 13th – Palm Sunday of the Lord Passion of the Lord

8:00 AM Holy Mass -Spanish-
10:00 AM For all deceased parishioners
12:00 PM Holy Mass -Spanish
6:00 PM Holy Mass -Spanish

Father,
as you hear our prayers,
bless us with the gift of repentance.
May our lives bear the fruit of holiness.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Latest Medjugorje Message, March 25, 2025

“Dear children, in this time of grace when you are called to conversion, I am encouraging you, little children: offer me your prayers, sufferings and tears for conversion of hearts that are far from the Heart of my Son Jesus. Pray with me, because, little children, without God you do not have a future or eternal life. I love you, but I cannot help you without you; therefore, say 'yes' to God. Thank you for having responded to my call. ”

**Pope Francis Intentions for
April 2025**

For the use of the new technologies
Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

THE BUDGET
Budget last week: \$9,442.41

For those who wish to request Budget Envelopes for Tithing or who need a statement for your Income Taxes, please call
Rectory at ☎ 421-6441

Today's Readings:

Reading 1: Isaiah 43:16-21
Reading 2: Philippians 3:8-14
Gospel: John 8:1-11

Prayer Meeting

Thursday
Rosary 6:30pm
Holy Mass at 7pm
follow by worship & prayer meeting



Children's Rosary

Rosario de Niños

EVERY WEDNESDAY
CADA MIÉRCOLES
6:30PM-7:30PM



**Archbishop Richard G. Henning to celebrate
Chrism Mass**

All are invited to attend the Chrism Mass on **Monday, April 14, 6 p.m.**, at the Cathedral of SS. Peter & Paul. The celebrant and homilist will be Archbishop Richard G. Henning, S.T.D. At this Holy Mass the priests of the Diocese of Providence renew their priestly promises. The archbishop will also consecrate and bless the sacred oils used in the sacramental rites of the church for the coming year. There will be an ASL Interpreter at Mass.

LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE

Saturday April 12th
1pm-5pm

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Holy Thursday ~ April 17th

Mass of the Lord's Supper
English ~ 5:00pm
Spanish ~ 7:00pm

Good Friday ~ April 18th

Stations of the Cross
English ~ 2:00pm
Spanish ~ 3:00pm

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

English ~ 5:00pm
Spanish ~ 7:00pm

Holy Saturday ~ April 19th

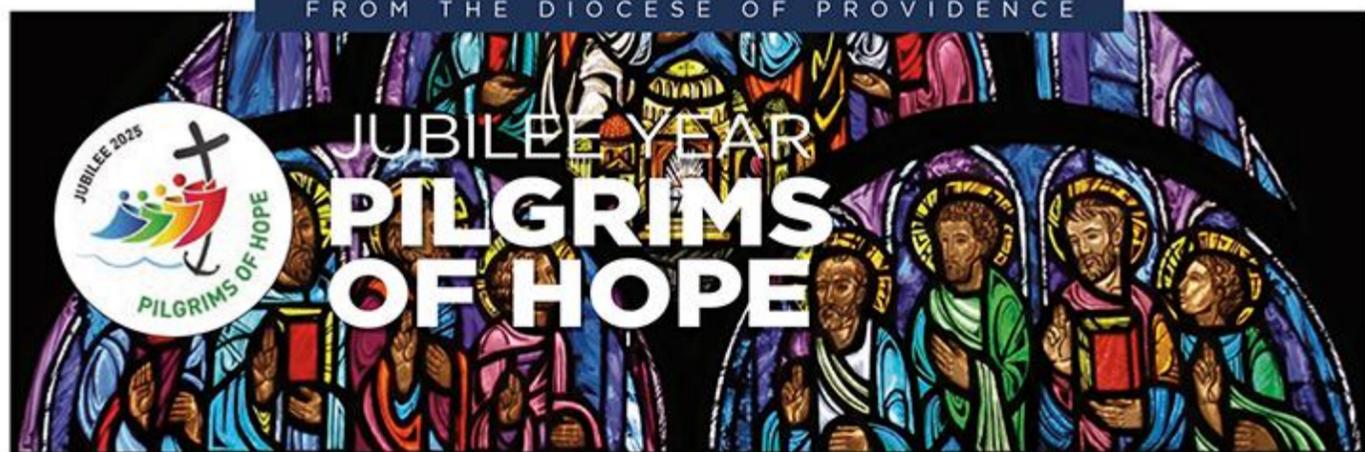
Easter Vigil Mass ~ Bilingual ~ 7:30pm

All Night Vigil ~ Bilingual
Midnight to Dawn

Easter Sunday ~ April 20th

Masses
English ~ 10:00am
Spanish ~ 8 am, 12:00pm & 6pm





WELCOME TO JUBILEE YEAR 2025!

"Hope does not disappoint"
- Romans 5:5

WHAT IS A JUBILEE YEAR?

A jubilee year is a time of joy, repentance, and forgiveness. As the etymology of the word denotes, every jubilee year calls for rejoicing, especially in the goodness of God. Just as a person might celebrate a milestone birthday with particular solemnity, so does the Church rejoice at appropriate moments in time. In the Catholic Church, ordinary jubilee years occur every quarter century. The Holy Father can also inaugurate an extraordinary jubilee year, which Pope Francis did in 2016 under the title the "Jubilee Year of Mercy."

In the papal bull, *Spes Non Confundit*, Pope Francis inaugurated the Jubilee Year of 2025, which he named the Jubilee of Hope.

During a jubilee year, Christians cooperate with the bounty of divine grace as they strive to enter through the door of salvation, which is Jesus Christ. During

this time, the Church invites the faithful to benefit from her "treasury of grace," won by the merits of Christ. This principally occurs through conversion in the Sacrament of Penance and the remission of the temporal punishment due to sin through plenary indulgences, applied either for oneself or for others (such as deceased relatives or friends).

WHAT IS THE HISTORY OF THE JUBILEE YEAR?

In the Old Testament, the Jewish people celebrated a jubilee year every 50 years, as recounted in the Book of Leviticus (Lv 25:8-13). God intended the jubilee as a time to re-establish his chosen people's right relationship with Himself. The jubilee included the forgiveness of debts, the return of misappropriated land, liberty for captives, and a fallow period for agriculture.

In 1300, Pope Boniface VIII inaugurated the first jubilee year, or holy year, for the universal Church. The frequency of holy years changed over time: at first, they were celebrated every 100 years; later, in 1343 Pope Clement VI reduced the gap between jubilees to every 50 years, and in 1470 Pope Paul II established that jubilees would be celebrated every 25 years.

WHAT IS A HOLY DOOR?

In the Catholic tradition, the holy door represents the path to new and eternal life, which was opened to humanity by Jesus, who is himself the door to salvation. In 2025, Pope Francis will open five holy doors beginning with the holy door at the Basilica of St. Peter at the Vatican and concluding with the other papal basilicas in Rome and an Italian prison. Cathedrals will not have special holy doors as they did in 2016 during the Jubilee of Mercy. Nevertheless, diocesan cathedrals and other "jubilee sites" will serve as places of pilgrimage and pious visits for the faithful, who can gain the same plenary indulgences under the normal conditions.

"We must fan the flame of hope that has been given us and help everyone to gain new strength and certainty by looking to the future with an open spirit, a trusting heart and far-sighted vision. The forthcoming Jubilee can contribute greatly to restoring a climate of hope and trust as a prelude to the renewal and rebirth that we so urgently desire..."

- Pope Francis' letter announcing
Jubilee 2025

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