The Burrillville Catholic Collaborative

Three Churches, One Faith Community.

The Feast of All Saints, Sunday, November 1, 2026



Our Lady of Good Help Church- 1063 Victory Highway, Mapleville 02839
St. Theresa Church and Shrine- 35 Dion Drive, Harrisville 02830
St. Patrick Church- 45 Harrisville Main Street, Harrisville 02830

Weekend Masses:
Our Lady of Good Help
Saturday 4:00pm & Sunday 10:30am
St. Theresa Church
Sunday 8:00am & 5:00pm
St. Patrick Church
Saturday 4:00pm & Sunday 9:15am

Holy Days of Obligation:
As announced

Daily Mass:
St. Theresa Church
Monday to Saturday 8:30am

Confessions:
Our Lady of Good Help Church
Saturdays 3:00-3:45pm
St. Theresa Church
Friday & Saturday following the 8:30am Mass
(contact priest after Mass).
By appointment: please call the parish office.

Novena of the Miraculous Medal & Benediction:
St. Patrick Church Tuesdays 9:00am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:
St. Theresa Church– 9:00am to 5:00pm, Fridays

Clergy:
Pastor: Rev. Jose Parathanal, C.M.I.
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Deacon Assistant:
Rev. Mr. Richard J. Lapierre

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Our Lady of Good Help
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St. Patrick's Church
Mr. Roger Johnson & Mr. George Lough

Mass Intentions

Sat Oct 31st *Vigil of the Feast of All Saints- All Hallows Eve*
4:00pm (OLGH) † Ronald D'Amico by his son, David & Friends
4:00pm (St. Patrick) † Pro Populo

Sun Nov 1st *The Feast of All Saints*
8:00am (St. Theresa) † Lorraine Dalpe by her husband, Normand
9:15am (St. Patrick) † Richard Kirchmeyer III by Jim & Anne Brown
10:30am (OLGH) † Veronica Cosetta by her husband, Mike Cosetta
5:00pm (St. Theresa) All living and deceased members of the Shrine Confraternity.

Daily Mass– 8:30a St. Theresa Shrine Church
Mon Nov 2nd *All Souls Day*
† The Faithful Departed
6:00p (OLGH) † The Faithful Departed
Tues Nov 3rd *St. Martin dePorres, Religious*
† Edward Magill by his wife, Marie & family
Wed Nov 4th *St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop*
† Al & Alice Issa by Dave & Beverly Munyon
Thurs Nov 5th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*
† Patricia Ducharme by Dave & Beverly Munyon
Fri Nov 6th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*
† Lovita Paille by Lise Paille
Sat Nov 7th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*
† David Ethier by his family

Vigil of the 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00pm (OLGH) † Pro Populo
4:00pm (St. Patrick) † Robert Remiglio (5th Ann.) by his family

Sun Nov 8th The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am (St. Theresa) † Marie Rita Boisclair by Robert & Theresa Noel
9:15am (St. Patrick) † Leah Ann Brown Normandin (5th Ann.) by her family.
10:30am (OLGH) † Rudy & Sophie Rinfrette by Mike Cosetta.
5:00pm (St. Theresa) † Anna Colangelo by her family

FROM THE PASTOR

Sunday, November 1, 2026, The Feast of All Saints

We begin November with two days of commemorating all those who have passed from among the family of Christ: November 1, "All Saints Day" and November 2, All Souls Day. The remainder of the month is dedicated to prayer for departed souls.

All who lived a holy life and died and are now with God in glory are considered saints. All Saints Day honors the memory of countless unknown and uncanonized saints. On this day we thank God for giving ordinary men and women a share in His holiness and heavenly glory as a reward for their faith-filled lives serving God and humanity. This feast teaches us to honor the saints, both by imitating their lives and by seeking their intercession for us before Christ, the only mediator between God and man (I Tm 2:5). The Church reminds us today that God's call to holiness is universal, that all of us are called to live in His love and to make His love real in the lives of those around us. Holiness is related to the word wholesomeness. We grow in holiness when we live wholesome lives of integrity, truth, justice, charity, mercy, and compassion, sharing our blessings with others.

November 2nd is specially set apart to remember and pray for our dear ones who have gone to their eternal reward, and who are currently in a state or process of ongoing purification. The Church remembers the faithful departed not just on this special day and all the days of November, but on every single day of the year, at every Mass celebrated anywhere in this world. People of all religions have believed in the immortality of the soul and have prayed for the dead "Remember us who have gone before you, in your prayers," is a petition often found inscribed on the walls of the Roman catacombs. The liturgies of the Mass in various rites, dating from the early centuries of the Church, include Prayers for the Dead. The early Fathers of the Church encouraged this practice. Tertullian (AD 160-240) wrote about the anniversary Masses for the dead, advising widows to pray for their husbands. St. Augustine (AD 354 – 430) remarked that he used to pray for his deceased mother, remembering her request: "When I die, bury me anywhere you like, but remember to pray for me at the altar" (St. Augustine of Hippo, Confessions, Book 9, Chapter 11, Section 27).

Our duty as the Church Militant, the Pilgrim Church sharing in the Communion of Saints, is to fervently seek the intercession of the Saints in heaven - the Church Triumphant, and to pray with them for all the souls in purgatory - the Suffering Church, so we may all march forward in holiness to eternal bliss.

God Bless, Fr. Jose Parathanal.



This year's bazaar takes place on **Friday and Saturday, November 20th & 21st** at the St. Theresa Shrine Church Hall.

- The Bazaar is now accepting new items for our raffles and gift sales (think things you'd be happy to receive as a gift).
- Consider donating a bottle or two to our very popular wine raffle. Liquor donations are also gratefully accepted.
- Our CCD class baskets are currently being assembled. See your teacher for details.
- Items can be dropped off at the rectory during regular hours, Monday– Thursday 9:00a to 2:00p
- Thanks for your support! The Christmas Bazaar is one of our most important church fundraisers of the year!

The Shrine and parish remind everyone that as we move into the winter months, the parish follows the town of Burrillville for closures. If Burrillville Schools are closed, then activities at the parish are cancelled. Masses continue as scheduled unless it is too hazardous for our priests to walk to the Churches. Please use prudence when making weather related decisions to attend Mass or parish activities.

Be safe on the internet!

At no time will the members of our parish staff ask parishioners for donations in the form of gift cards. If you receive a request that seems to be from one of our staff or clergy members, feel free to delete these, and bock the senders, they are from scammers! If you ever have any questions about a request, simply call the office at 401-568-8280



Check out championshrine.org to learn more about Our Lady of Champion (Good Help) and the story of Servant-of-God Adele Brise.

St. Theresa Shrine of the Little Flower

The Shrine offers many options for meetings and social events. Our Church Hall can accommodate up to 175 people, we have seating, AV services, and catering of breakfast or lunch.
For festive events, we allow outside catering, décor, music and religious services. Outdoors we can accommodate tents for up to 300 guests.
For religious organizations, we are happy to arrange days of prayer and recollection, services and confessions in concert with your needs.
If you would like to explore your options for arranging an event at the Shrine, email us at burrillvillecatholic@gmail.com or call the office at 401-568-8280
Events at the Shrine should be in keeping with its nature as a Catholic devotional space.

Candle intentions at the Shrine can be made for the St. Therese, St. Joseph, Our Lady or the Sanctuary Candle. The suggested donation is $10 per week.



Join Fr. Jose from September 27th to October 9th, 2027 on a great pilgrimage to Southern Italy and the island of Malta. In S. Italy we'll see the major shrines of St. Agata in Naples, Our Lady of Pompeii, the tomb of St. Bartolo Longo, as well as relics of St. Lucy & St. Paul. We'll then head to Capri, Positano and the Amalfi Coast and the beautiful baroque city of Catania in Sicily. Finally, we'll visit the island nation of Malta, home to many extraordinary churches and great works of Catholic art.
For registration, details, and pricing contact tour coordinator Bernadette Corpuz at (323)547-6618 or by email at bcorp1114@gmail.com

St. Patrick Church

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Administrator: Rev. Jose Parathanal CMI



Save the Date! St. Patrick Church will hold it's fabulous Christmas Bazaar **Thursday, December 3rd through Saturday, December 5th**.
Consider donations of new and gently used items (please no clothing or bedding), wine, restaurant gift certificates, and baked goods are most welcome donations.
We can always use more volunteers, so please plan on joining us. Set up and take down people are very much needed. Call the office at 401-568-5600 to volunteer.
Our bazaar is always a great time of fellowship and rejoicing as we prepare for the Christmas season. You can help us to make this year's bazaar the best ever!

November St. Patrick Food Pantry openings are
Mondays, November 2, 16, and 30th from 4:30-6:30pm
On **Saturday, November 21st** Thanksgiving Baskets will be distributed from 9:30-11:00am. Pre-register for a Thanksgiving bakset by calling the parish office at 401-568-5600
The full 2026 St. Patrick Food Pantry Schedule is available on our website: stpatrickri.org/food-pantry/
Hunger is not seasonal. Your donations make a huge difference to the wellbeing of your neighbors, particularly as we enter into the winter months.
Please consider a donation for Thanksgiving baskets today!

Pre-arrangement of your funeral is one of the simplest things you can do today to ease the burden of grief for your family at your passing.
Contact Deacon Rick to discuss the process and your options. 401-568-5600

Diocesan News and Events

On Saturday, November 7th, Bishop Bruce invites parishes to join him in the 'Rosary for Migrants' for those detained at the Wyatt Detention Center in Central Falls. In person or in spirit.
Meet at 11 a.m. at Fuerza Laboral, 6 Chases Lane, Central Falls and walk together to the Wyatt Detention Center, 950 High St., Central Falls where we will pray the Rosary on the public sidewalk in front of the Immigrant Processing facility from approximately 11:15 to 11:45 a.m. (30 minutes)

Its Christmas Bazaar season in the Diocese of Providence! Follow the RI Catholic online and on social media Christmas Bazaar listings, parish special events and holiday devotions throughout the state.
See the website at:
thericatholic.com/stories/around-the-diocese-weekly-event-guide,15561



The Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV's intention for the month of November is for the proper use of wealth.
Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that we may not succumb to the temptation of selfishness, but rather always seek to put wealth at the service the common good and solidarity with those who have less.

Weekly Collection

Weekly Giving 10.25.26

Our Lady of Good Help/ St. Theresa Shrine

Collection	$3,677
E-giving	$ 823
Fuel	$1,374

St. Patrick Church

Collection	$1,541
E-giving	*n/a at publication
Annual Collection	$ 700
Fuel	$ 604

November 2nd Collections:
Nov 1- Maintenance, Nov 15- Fuel
Nov 22- Campaign for Human Development
Thank you for your generosity!

OLGH St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry

The SVDP Food Pantry is accepting donations for Thanksgiving baskets. Food donations can be placed in the bins at either St. Theresa's or OLGH entryways.
We are currently in need of turkey stuffing mixes, turkey gravy, olives, cranberry sauce, quick bread mixes, coffee, tea and sugar.
Brigido's or Dino's gift certificates of any denomination will be gratefully accepted and should be marked for SVDP and can be placed in the SVDP collection basket after all parish Masses.
The next Food Pantry opening will be **Saturday, November 7th at 9:00a**. Thanksgiving baskets will be distributed on **Saturday, November 21st at 9:00a.**

Join the parish!
Registration helps us to be able to keep in touch with you and it allows you to keep track of your donation history.
Download the registration form from our homepage at: burrillvillecatholic.org

Religious Education



Classes continue this week
Grades 1-6 Sunday, November 1st at 9:15am in the OLGH school building
Grades, 7-9 Monday, November 2nd at 6:00pm at St. Theresa Shrine.
There are no classes next week, November 8th & 9th for the Veteran's Day Holiday

Registration forms and the full Academic Year 2026-'27 schedule can be found online at: burrillvillecatholic.org/religious-education

CCD Classes will be collecting donations for the basket raffle at our Christmas Bazaar. See your teacher for details! Thanks for your generosity!

Worldwide Marriage Encounter:
Worldwide Marriage Encounter sponsors a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekends and some on seven weekdays. Couples explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church.
Upcoming weekends:
November 13-15, Huntington, NY
February 5-7, 2027 North Easton, MA
Registration is limited; there is a $100 application fee. For more information or to apply, call Matt & Julie King at 978-870-5646 or wwme.org.

Our Women's Prayer Group meets at the Shrine Museum space each month for prayer, study and fellowship on the 3rd Saturday following the 8:30a Mass at St. Theresa.
Please consider joining us as we work to build our prayer life and that of the parish!

The deadline for bulletin items is the Monday before publication. Special (Holiday) bulletins will have earlier deadlines.
For new items, questions, concerns, compliments or complaints email the bulletin staff at: silviaaldredge@gmail.com

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