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The Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 6, 2025



Our Lady of Good Help

1063 Victory Highway, Mapleville, 02839

Weekend Masses:

Our Lady of Good Help– Sun. 8:00am & 10:30am

St. Theresa Church– Sat. 4:00pm Sun. 5:00pm

St. Patrick Church- Sat. 4:00pm Sun. 9:15am

Holy Days of Obligation: As announced

Daily Mass: *St. Theresa Church*- 8:30am Mon. to Sat.

Confessions:

St. Theresa- 3:00-3:45pm Saturdays

St. Theresa- Friday & Saturday following 8:30am

Mass (contact priest after Mass).

By appointment- please call the parish office.

Novena of the Miraculous Medal and Benediction:

St. Patrick- 9:00am, Tuesdays

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

St. Theresa Church- 9:00am – Noon, Fridays



St Patrick Church

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Deacon Assistant:

Rev. Mr. Richard J. Lapierre



St. Theresa of the Child Jesus Church and Shrine

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Our Lady of Good Help

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St. Patrick's Church

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Sat. July 5th *Vigil of the 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
4:00pm (St. Patrick) † Sp. Russell Davis (2nd Ann.) by his wife and family
4:00pm (St. Theresa) † Ann Raspallo by her family

Sun., July 6th *The 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
8:00am (OLGH) † Marie Rita Boisclair by Robert and Theresa Noel
9:15am (St. Patrick) † Deceased members of the Maruszczak family
10:30am (OLGH) † Pat Gamache by Mike Cosetta
5:00pm (St. Theresa) † Clement L. & Shirley E. Callahan by their daughter, Katherine

Daily Mass— 8:30a St. Theresa Shrine Church

Mon. July 7th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*
† Emery Sr. & Carmela Munyon by Dave & Beverly Munyon

Tues. July 8th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*
† Sr. Winifred Joseph by Dave & Beverly Munyon

Wed. July 9th *St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs*
† Vernon & Alzaida Munyon by Dave & Beverly Munyon

Thur. July 10th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*
† Emile LaFay, by his wife, Millie

Fri. July 11th *St. Benedict, Abbot*
† Jane Jurkiewicz by her daughter, Bess

Sat. July 12th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*
8:30am (St. Theresa) † Ron Cooley by friends

Vigil of the 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00pm (St. Patrick) † Jacki Lee by Mike Cosetta
4:00pm (St. Theresa) † Francis & Laurie Kepler by their family

Sun., July 13th *The 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
8:00am (OLGH) † Jeanne Guilbert by her family
9:15am (St. Patrick) † Simone Gagne by Bill
10:30am (OLGH) † Arthur & Diane Gauthier by Mike Cosetta
5:00pm (St. Theresa) James & Peggy Churchill (40th Wedding Ann.) by Denise Ethier

Sunday, July 6, 2025— The 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Church is missionary by its very nature. The Father sent His only Son, Jesus to this world to save humanity through His passion, death and resurrection. By proclaiming the Good News of the love and mercy of God, after death, but before ascending to the Father, Jesus entrusted His disciples to continue to proclaim the Good News of God's love, mercy and redemption.

The Scriptures announce this Good News. They remind us that sharing the Good News of the Kingdom by words, deeds and through our example is not the task of only a few. Rather, it is the task assigned to all baptized Christians.

When Our Lord appointed the 72 and sent them ahead of Him to every town He intended to visit, Jesus gave them some directives regarding their missionary work. The primary aspect of his instruction was to trust and hope in the care of our loving God, especially in the face of struggle, persecution and suffering. He also called on the Disciples to rejoice always for God had great things in store for those who, with cheerful resignation, trust in Him in all matters.

The Prophet Isaiah frequently repeats, "Rejoice, be glad, exult, exult in the Lord, for you will know the power of the Lord."

A beautiful example of this missionary life is that of St. Paul's. The life of Paul after his conversion was one of constant trials, struggles, persecutions, and sufferings in order to preach the Good News of Christ crucified and risen. Paul travelled almost 18,000 miles at a time when there were no modern means of transportation in an era when travelling was not at all safe. This did not stop him, nor he was worried about the dangers he faced. Instead he approached everything with an attitude of rejoicing in his mission, "For to me life is Christ, and death is gain" (Phl. 1:21).

Towards the end of his mission, knowing that his execution was near, Paul was content and happy about his life. He said, "For I am already being poured out like a libation. I have competed well. I have finished the race; I have kept the faith. Now I am ready to receive the crown the Lord has prepared for me" (2 Tim. 4:6-8). With great Joy, St. Paul met his sufferings uniting them with the sufferings of Christ crucified and wishing Peace and Mercy to all who trust in The Lord.

Let us always remember in our daily lives our missionary duty, in spite of the struggles and sufferings, that our God is a God of love and Mercy who promises "Rejoice, your names are written in heaven".

God Bless,
— Rev. Jose Parathanal



The parish offers its warm congratulations to Elianna Maria Boulanger and her parents Eric and Melissa on the occasion of her baptism into the life of Christ.

Elianna's godparents are Justin Almas and Sonia Amorim.

The Church recommends babies be baptized as soon as is feasible following their birth. Call the office at 401-568-8280 for arrangements.

Join Fr. Joseph Mapilamattel and Fr. Shaju Devasy on a pilgrimage to the Eternal City, Rome for the Jubilee year. Sunday, November 16th through Saturday, November 22nd, 2025. For more information

on the pilgrimage including costs see the pilgrimage website at: www.206tours.com/cms/frmappilamattel/



On Saturday, July 12, 2025 the Shrine will celebrate the **Feast day of Saints Louis and Zelig, Martin**, the

parents of St. Therese of Lisieux and the first married couple to be canonized together. The day's devotions begin with Mass at 8:30a (Rosary at 8:00) followed by a procession and a brief presentation on their lives and remarkable family. Afterwards (weather permitting) Coffee An' will be served outside in the St. Francis of Assisi Garden next to the Church. Reservations are not necessary, but if you would like to volunteer to assist with the event, contact the office at 401-568-8280



St. Theresa Shrine of the Little Flower

The Annual Shrine Anniversary Day

Celebration will take place on Sunday, August 17th. The exact schedule of the day is to be determined, but we are grateful for any volunteers who may want to participate in the days devotions.

Also, we would be thrilled to invite parishioners and friends of the Shrine to sing with our Choir. Rehearsals for this event will take place on Tuesdays, July 29th, August 5th and August 12th from 6:30 to 7:30pm in the Church Hall

at St. Theresa Shrine.

Families and children are most welcome! Call Peter Lamoria 401-568-8280 with any questions and to sign up!



If you have booked with the office for our parish trip to the Cabrini Shrine and Cloisters Museum on July 17th, please

contact us at your earliest convenience for payment of the bus and to receive a detailed information flyer including the schedule of the day. There are still spaces left to add friends or family to the trip if you would like to join us!

Candle intentions for the Shrine are available for the Sanctuary Candle, the St. Therese Candle and other Candles on the Altar. Candles burn for one week and the suggested donation is \$10



St. Patrick's Church

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July Food Pantry Openings are Monday, July 14th and 28th from 4:30-6:30p

Please see our website to [download the Food Pantry](#)

[Calendar for 2025](#)

and for lists of needed items.

At this time of year, we are happy to accept garden produce, yes, including zucchini! If you have extra, please don't hesitate to share with your neighbors in need.

We are always ready to accept donations of food, market gift cards and monetary contributions.

Thank you for your generosity!



Purchasing a cemetery plot and planning your funeral before you actually need one is a step you can take today that can greatly ease the burden for your family following your death. The decisions following the death

of a loved one can be overwhelming and difficult, especially when planning a funeral and burial in a short period of time or following an unexpected event. Making pre-arrangements is a surprisingly simple and affordable gift you can give to your survivors to ease their burden in the midst of grief. For more information about the pre-arrangement process, contact Deacon Rick at 401-568-5600

Diocesan News and Events



The Diocese of Providence reminds all Catholics to be certain of attending Mass either at a Saturday vigil or on a Sunday each week.

Be sure to check online and find a Mass near you. If you are in Rhode Island, but away from your home parish, use the find-a-church feature on the diocesan website at:

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All are invited to pray for the intentions of the Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV. For the month of July, the intention is for **'Formation in discernment'**.

"Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel."

Weekly Collection

Weekly Giving

Weekly giving information for the weekend of 6.29 was not available at time of publication.

This weekends 2nd Collection supports maintenance.

Thank you for your generosity!

Along with regular e-giving, single donations can be set up online for summer Sundays when you may be on vacation or otherwise unable to get to our parish.

See: osvhub.com/our-lady-of-good-help-church/giving/funds



Registration forms for the 2025-26 school year are available.

Early registration greatly helps us with planning for the next term. Forms can be found in the vestibule of each church or online at:

burrillvillecatholic.org/religious-education

The Religious Education department wishes all of our students and families a very relaxing, safe and fun summer.

See you in Church!



The Religious Education department is seeking teachers and classroom aides. Young people who have recently made their Confirmations are encouraged to consider volunteering as aides, we are happy to certify service hours for schools or college applications.

We are also seeking volunteers to assist with classroom cleanup in September.

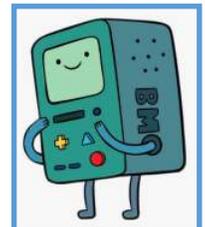


A warm thank-you to all who made a pledge to this year's annual Catholic Charity Appeal. Final numbers for our parish will be published as soon as they are available.

The Diocese as a whole was able to raise its entire goal of 7.1 million dollars!

Your gifts truly make a difference to the needy in our diocese.

Reminder, no member of our parish staff or clergy will ever request gift cards from parishioners. If you receive a message that claims to be from staff or clergy requesting gift cards, please delete these and block the sender!



The women's prayer group meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month at the Shrine museum in the convent after the 8:30am Mass at St. Theresas. All women of the parish are invited to join us as we seek to deepen our faith through study and fellowship. The next meeting is July 18th.

Parish Bible Study is on Summer Hiatus through August. We'll see you in the fall!



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