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The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 5, 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

Clergy:

Pastor:

Rev. Jose Parathanal, C.M.I.

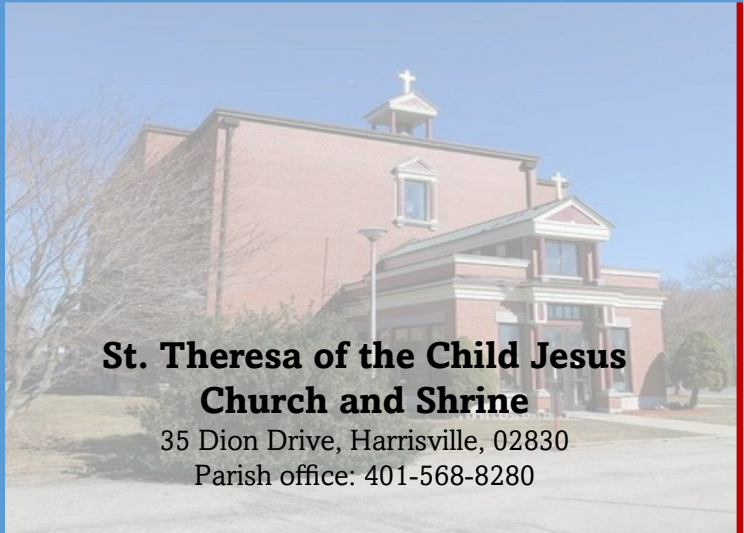
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Deacon Assistant:

Rev. Mr. Richard J. Lapierre



St. Theresa of the Child Jesus Church and Shrine

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St Patrick Church

45 Harrisville Main Street, Harrisville, 02830

Office and Cemeteries: 401-568-5600

Sat. Oct 4th *Vigil of the 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

4:00pm (St. Patrick) † Deceased members of the Smith family

4:00pm (OLGH) † Jeanne Lawrence (14th Ann.) by Joan Hopkins

Sun., Oct 5th *The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:00am (St. Theresa) † Gregory Issa by Marie Magill

9:15am (St. Patrick) † Linda Kelley Pichie by Dick & Anne Chretien

10:30am (OLGH) † Veronica Cosetta by her husband, Mike

5:00pm (St. Theresa) † Kily Montiero by Eileen Murphy

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

Mon. Oct 6th *St. Bruno, Priest*

8:30 In Thanksgiving for a great reconciliation by Dave & Beverly Munyon

Tues. Oct 7th *Our Lady of the Rosary*

† Edward Magill by his wife, Marie

Wed. Oct 8th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*

† Gregory Issa by Dave & Beverly Munyon

Thur. Oct 9th *St. Denis, Bishop & Companions, Martyrs*

† Oliver & Florilda Faford by Nancy Faford & family

Fri. Oct 10th *Weekday in Ordinary Time*

† Josef & Stanislava Jurkiewicz (Wedding Ann.) by their granddaughter, Elizabeth

Sat. Oct 11th *St. John XXIII, Pope*

8:30am (St. Theresa) Catherine Lee by Robert Lee

Vigil of the 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00pm (St. Patrick) † Wayne Rivet by Arthur & Alice Aubin

4:00pm (OLGH) † Joseph & Mary Santacroce by their daughter, Nancy Ringer

Sun., Oct 12th *The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:00am (St. Theresa) † Shrine Confraternity Mass Association Enrollees

9:15am (St. Patrick) Pro Populo

10:30am (OLGH) Priests Intention

5:00pm (St. Theresa) † Sheila Dupuis (Birthday) by her family.

Sunday, October 5, 2025

The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Thomas Aquinas wrote, “To one who has Faith, no explanation is necessary. To one without Faith, no explanation is possible.”

The Scripture readings for this weekend speak about Faith and how it works in our lives. They explain three dimensions of Faith. 1) The theological virtue of Faith enables us to believe something to be true, and therefore worthy of trust, simply because it has been revealed to us by God. 2) In his instructions to Timothy, St. Paul, who elsewhere defines Faith as, “the assurance of the things hoped for” (Heb 11:1), shows Faith operating as a believing, trusting, loving relationship with Christ, 3) Christian Faith is that trusting Faith in God in action, expressed by steadfast loyalty, fidelity, and total commitment to Him, resulting in our offering ourselves to Him in those we encounter, through our humble, loving service.

In the first reading, God assures the prophet Habakkuk that Faith gives us access to Divine power, and, hence, the just will live righteous lives, in the midst of encircling evil, because of their Faith. The Psalmist explains that God is characterized as a sturdy Rock and a caring Shepherd, surely worthy of our trusting Faith. And St. Paul stresses the need for a living Faith in, and loyalty to, Christ’s teachings handed down to us by the Church. Hence, Faith is belief in, and acceptance of, revealed truths based on the authority and veracity of God, and Hope is trust in God. Answering to request of the Apostles for an increase in the quantity of their Faith, Jesus reminds them, and so us, that the quality of one’s Faith is more important than the quantity. A small amount of deep Faith can accomplish great things if that small amount of Faith is placed in a great, mighty, and all-powerful God. Using a master-servant parable, Jesus also teaches them, and us, that for Faith to be effective, it must be linked with trust, obedience, and total commitment — an active submission to God with a willingness to do whatever He commands.

We grow in Faith as we act in Faith. A sincere Christian can find many ways to help to make Christ known to his neighbor. A quiet word, a charitable gesture, an unselfish interest in a neighbor’s troubles can do more good than a series of sermons given by some renowned theologian. Let us cultivate our Faith through prayer, Bible study, participation in the Holy Mass (“the mystery of Faith”) and leading a well-disciplined spiritual life, accompanied by wholehearted charitable activities.

God Bless,
Rev. Jose Parathanal



Parish Winter Mass Schedule

begins this weekend

Saturday, October 4th

4:00pm– Our Lady of Good Help

4:00pm– St. Patrick Church

Sunday, October 5th

8:00am– St. Theresa Church

9:15am– St. Patrick Church

10:30am– Our Lady of Good Help

5:00pm– St. Theresa Church



St. Theresa Shrine of the Little Flower



Warmest thanks to everyone who joined us for our parish celebration of the Feast of the Archangels. It was a beautiful, clear and relatively warm night. Parishioners and friends enjoyed a spectacular sunset and the quiet, reverent atmosphere at the Rosary Walk. Fr. Cyriac offered the evening's final blessing.



It is time to Save the Date for our annual **Wonder of Christmas Bazaar and Crafts Fair**

This year, the fair takes place on Friday, November 21st from Noon-7pm and Saturday, November 22nd from 9am-6pm.

Favorite foods including Fish & Chips on Friday, and our delicious Saturday breakfast sandwiches will be on offer.

We are excited to welcome back Missy Ducharme to sing carols on Friday night and of course we'll have our Festive Holiday Wine & Cheese Party along with Bingo! Watch this space for more details!



The Shrine bookstore and gift shop is open! If we are unstaffed, just ring the bell and someone will come to help you. We carry a wide array of Catholic gifts, books and devotionals for your home.

Candle intentions at the Shrine can be made for the St. Therese candle, the Sanctuary Candle and other altar candles. Suggested donation is \$10 and the candles burn for 1 week.



The next parish Bible Study takes place Wednesday, October 15th at 7:00p in the St. Theresa church hall. All are welcome. Email: deaconrick@cox.net for readings and discussion questions.



The 50-week club banquet will be on Saturday, November 15th at 5:30p. 50-Week Club members, call the office to reserve your dinner today! Non-member guests are \$15.



October St. Vincent dePaul Food Pantry dates will be Sat. 10/4 at 9:00a and Wed. 10/15 at 5:00p. The food pantry is located in the OLGH School building.

St. Patrick's Church

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Rev. Mr. Richard J. Lapierre

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Administrator: Rev. Jose Parathanal CMI

Pastor Emeritus: Rev. Bernard O'Reilly, Ph.D.



October food pantry openings are Mondays from 4:30-6:30p on October 6th & 20th.

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

[Calendar for 2025](#) and for lists of needed items.

Students and others who may need service hours are welcome to volunteer with us. Simply arrive at the food pantry 30minutes before we open and make yourself known to our volunteer staff.

The food pantry is grateful for donations of food, including fresh produce and for monetary donations including market gift cards.

Thank you for your generosity to your neighbors!

Our Sacristan, Wayne Rivet passed on into eternity on September 4th after a brief illness. His funeral Mass was celebrated on September 9th with his family and friends. Wayne was an incredibly dedicated servant of Christ and His Church and his loss is deeply felt by the St. Patrick's family.

That said, we find ourselves in need of one or two people to fill his role as Sacristan, which involves opening and closing the church building and setting up for Mass. If you are interested in this, please contact Deacon Rick at 568-5600.

Wayne, May the angels lead you into paradise, may the martyrs come to welcome you and take you to the holy city, the new and eternal Jerusalem.

Rest in peace.



Diocesan News and Events

St. Martin dePorres Center

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The Great Marian Procession, led by Bishop Bruce begins at 9 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 18. Starting at St. Mary Church, 538 Broadway, and processing to the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul, 30 Fenner Street, Providence. Bishop Lewandowski will celebrate Mass followed by a

fellowship gathering in the Lower Cathedral.

This event welcomes the participation of every Marian advocate in the diocese including parishes, schools, Catholic organizations, students, families and individuals. Bring your Rosary, your faith, and your love for the Virgin Mary!

<https://www.dioceseofprovidence.org/gmp>. For more information, contact Celso Vera (Spanish) at 401-421-7833, ext. 233/cvera@dpvd.org or Edward Gallagher (English) at 401-573-3630



Pope Leo XIV invites the faithful to join in praying the Rosary every day during the month of October to invoke God's gift of peace, and announces a Rosary in St. Peter's Square on October 11, as part of the Jubilee of Marian Spirituality.

The Holy Father encourages us all to pray for "to pray the Rosary for peace—personally, in the family, and in community" and especially for those trapped in current political conflicts.

Weekly Collection

Weekly Giving 9.28.23

Our Lady of Good Help/ St. Theresa Shrine

Collection	\$3,160
E-giving	\$ 951
Fuel	\$1,001

St. Patrick

*Not available at time of publication

Thank you for your generosity!

October 2nd Collections are October 5th for our Seminarians, 12th for Maintenance, 19th for World Mission Sunday, 26th for Fuel

The Shalom World-sponsored evening retreat 'Jesus Heals' takes place at the Shrine on Monday, October 6th from 6:00-9:00p at St. Theresa Church. See below for details. Please join us!



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

There is still time to register your students for Religious Education classes this fall. Find registration forms and the year's schedule on our website at:
burrillvillecatholic.org/religious-education

Classes Begin this Sunday October 5th

Grades 1-6 (9:15-10:15a)
Sundays, OLGH School
Grades 7-9 (6:00-7:00p)
Mondays, St. Theresa Church

If you have any concerns regarding payment for religious education classes, please call the office as soon as possible or email our pastor at:

Pastor@olghsp.gmail.com

The parish does not wish cost to ever be an impediment to students attending religious education classes.

Become a Catholic!

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) is the program of education and spiritual development for adults seeking to join the church. Classes begin in November. If you are interested in learning more, register for RCIA through the parish office at 401-568280

Parish Choir rehearsals have begun!

Adult Choir meets on Tuesdays at St. Theresa Church Hall from 6:30-8:00p

Youth Choir rehearsals are on Sundays beginning October 12th following the 10:30am Mass at OLGH. Join us in making a joyful noise for the Lord!



"For I am the Lord, your healer" (Exodus 15:26)

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6 MONDAY 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM St. Theresa Catholic Church & Shrine 35 Orion Dr., Burrillville, RI 02800	8 WEDNESDAY 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM Carmelite Chapel in the Northshore Mall 210 Andover St., Peabody, MA 01960	9 THURSDAY 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM St. Ann Catholic Church (Good Shepherd Parish) 124 Cochituate Rd., Wayland, MA 01778
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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. Therasas. 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 Saturday, October 18.

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