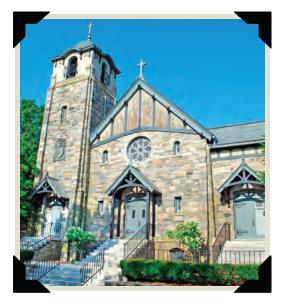
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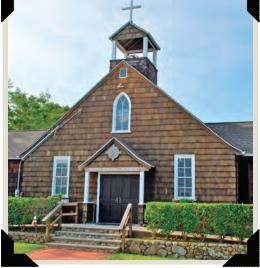
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#### Masses

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 7:00 am		
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# CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES OF RI/WASHINGTON COUNTY & ST. GABRIEL'S CALL.

Washington County Office / Contact: ------Melanie Monteiro ------ 401-783-3149

Tuesday-----9:00 am to 2:00 pm

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### Sacraments

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 3:30 - 4:00 pm in Saint Francis Church or by appointment.

# SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM First Sunday of each month.

#### SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please call the rectory at least one year in advance to speak with a priest. Due to the reduction in priests we can no longer accommodate Sunday weddings.

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welcome Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Friday From 9:00 am - 12:30 pm

### THE THIRTY-THIRD IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Francis Mass Intentions



St. Romuald Mass Intentions

Sunday, November 13 10:00am †Martha & Blanche McElkenny *Requested by Family* Sunday, November 20 10:00am †Owen & Maureen Rielly *Requested by Family*  FR. RANALLO'S INSTALLATION AS 18<sup>™</sup> PASTOR OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

NEXT SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20<sup>th</sup> at 11am Mass



Next Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at the 11:00am Mass we welcome Bishop Evans, Auxiliary Bishop of Providence, to install Fr. Ranallo as the 18<sup>th</sup> Pastor of St. Francis of Assisi. While he officially became Pastor on October 1, it is an important liturgical ceremony. All are welcome to attend and support Fr. Ranallo for his Profession of Faith and Oath of Fidelity. A light reception will follow!

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Weekly Support Budget envelopes used (111) Loose Donations Online Giving (# of donors–92) Total Budget	- - -	November 6 \$3,944.50 \$1,094.00 <u>\$4,590.00</u> <b>\$9,628.50</b>
<u>Second Collection (Military Services</u> Budget envelopes used (74) Loose Donations Total	) - - -	\$1,217.00 <u>\$_205.00</u> <b>\$1,422.00</b>

This week's second collection is for Ongoing Maintenance. Next week's second collection is for Campaign For Human Development.

As always, thank you for your continued generosity.

## NOVEMBER 13, 2022

#### SANCTUARY LAMP

This week's sanctuary lamp at St. Francis Church burns in memory of James Flynn.



The work of our St. Francis of Assisi Conference of St. Vincent de Paul is supported by parish donations. Donation boxes are in the Church and Chapel; the parish online giving site has a SVDP option. Grocery store gift cards are welcome. Our Conference assists neighbors in need in our area and supports the Dinner Table Program providing free meals for

pick up or delivery. Call 401-588-4192 if you or a neighbor could use cooked meals, available Wednesdays & Fridays, or if you would like to volunteer with the Dinner Table. To request financial aid, leave information on the Conference phone, 401-871-8936. New SVDP members are most welcome! There are several levels of participation and time commitments.



#### **BIBLE STUDY CONTINUES**

Bible Study continues to meet every Thursday night from 6-7:00pm in Father Greenan Center. Beginning November 10

they will begin with the Gospel of Mark. Study books will be available. All are welcome!

#### FOOD DONATIONS FOR THE JONNYCAKE CENTER: JUST A FRIENDLY REMINDER



Please remember we are always in need of nonperishable food items (no glass or outdated items). Your donations may be placed in the baskets located at St. Francis or St.

Romuald. These items will be donated to the Jonnycake Food Pantry in Peace Dale. Thank you for your generosity.

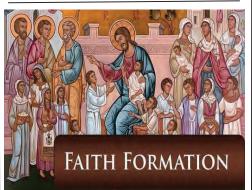


Let us be vigilant and prayerfully prepare for the return of Christ in glory.

Life is sometimes described as a journey with an ultimate destination. As we near the end of another liturgical year we are invited to reflect on the last things-death, judgment, heaven, and hell. But we do so not in fear but in hope, for while this earthly life might end, the promise of life eternal shines brightly in Christ.

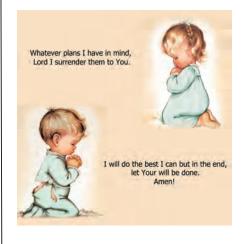


FAITH FORMATION (401) 792-8684



Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> 9:55-10:50am-Grades 1-6 classes will meet in Fr. Greenan Center

Pray: Lord Jesus, I will ask for your help through the difficult things I may experience this week. Help me to be there for others as you are there for me. Amen.





#### Monday, November 14 7:30-11:00am Adoration (Church) 6:30pm Men of St. Joseph (FGC) **Tuesday, November 15** 6:00pm Social Outreach Committee Meeting (HBH) 7:00pm SVDP Meeting (HBH) Thursday, November 17 6-7:00pm Bible Study-Book of Revelation (HBH) 6:30pm Choir Rehearsal (Church) The parish office is open 9am to 4pm Monday through Thursday and 9am to 12:30 on Friday.



#### **Gospel: Luke 21:5-19**

Jesus warns of the persecution all Christians will face because of him, and how some will even be put to death. Yet he says they will not be harmed because "by patient endurance you will save your lives." If Jesus' followers are loyal, they will be resurrected and their suffering will end.



#### **GIVING TREE**

The Social Outreach Committee will again sponsor our annual Giving Tree beginning the first weekend of Advent, November 26/27. Gift tags Giving Tree will be placed on the Advent trees in St. Francis

(by the St. Francis statue) and St. Romuald (in the back of the chapel).

The Giving Tree provides much needed support to our St. Vincent de Paul chapter here at St. Francis and to the Jonnycake Center which services local families providing basic necessities.

The gift cards need to be returned no later than the weekend of December 17/18. They can be placed in the collection baskets or left in the rectory. Please do not leave them by the trees. Thank you in advance.



#### CHRISTMAS CARD RAFFLE

Don't miss out on the gift that keeps on giving! New 12 Days of Christmas Card Raffle is coming soon. Perfect gift for that special person!

# SAVE THE DATE

November 25:	Giving Trees placed in Church & Chapel
November 27: December 30:	Advent Wreath Kits & Workshop Christmas Lessons & Carols w/
Month of January:	Peter Fiore (5:00pm)

Just a reminder that the Remem- Always brance Book is in front of the statue of St. Francis. There will also be a book at the chapel. All are welcome to enter the names of their deceased loved ones. They will be remem-



bered during the month of November. Also the All Souls envelopes with the names of your loved ones will be placed on the altar at the Church and the Chapel during the month of November.



#### Advent Wreath Kits & Workshop

On Sunday November 27, after the 10am Mass at the chapel and between the 9 & 11am Masses at the main church we will be selling kits to make your family Advent wreath. For those who would like to be inspired by the creativity of others, we will host a workshop at Fr. Greenan Center from 10-11am

What a wonderful way to begin your Advent season!

Cost is \$15 per wreath. Checks can be made out to 'St. Francis Church'.

St. John Paul II Parish in Pawtucket (755 Central Avenue) will be hosting their annual Christmas Bazaar, Friday, November 18 from 9 AM to 8 PM and Saturday, from 9 AM to 3 PM. Crafts, raffles, vendors, baked goods and games will be available. Additionally, our kitchen will be open for the duration of the bazaar with a variety of options. Please join us for a festive time. Your support is greatly appreciated!





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