SAINTS JOHN & PAUL CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." - Jn 13:34

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.



Rev. Michael J. Woolley, Pastor Rev. Doan Nguyen, Asst. Pastor

RECTORY: 341 So. Main Street, Coventry, RI 02816 **Parish Office: 821-5764 Fax: 828-5351**

Hours: Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Friday 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTIONS:

(All Religious Instruction programs meet in our parish school)

Elementary Program (Grades 1-6)

4:15 p.m5:15 p.m.	
Tuesday:	Hopkins Hill & West Greenwich
Wednesday:	Blackrock, Western & Tiogue

First Penance and First Eucharist are celebrated in Grade 2, providing the child has previously completed the Grade 1 program.

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Junior High (Grades 7 & 8)

Session I:	TBA
Session II:	TBA
Session III:	TBA

Confirmation Program (Grades 9 & 10)

Confirmation: Monday 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

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FR. JOHN V. DOYLE SCHOOL (Pre-K-Grade 8) fjvd.org

343 So. Main Street, Coventry, RI 02816 **821-3756 Principal:** Mr. Kevin Peloguin

WEEKEND MASSES Saturday evening Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.

DAILY MASSES

in the Rectory Chapel (except Holy Days and during Lent) Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4:00-4:45 p.m. or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

2nd Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. in the Church, by appointment only. **Instructions** are held every month on Thursday evenings. Dates will be given when registering. Sponsor certificates are required for godparents. Please call the rectory to register.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

We would like to help engaged couples to prepare for their Marriage well in advance. Please call the rectory to make an appointment at least six months before the proposed date.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK:

Please notify the rectory of hospitalization or serious illness, or of someone who is unable to get to church but would like to receive Communion.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

New Families (including newly married) should register by calling the rectory. Also, please notify us of any change of address.

SPONSORSHIP:

Certificates of sponsorship for godparents and confirmation sponsors are required by most parishes. These will be issued only to those who are confirmed Catholics, registered in the parish, weekly participants at Mass, validly married in the Church (if applicable) and providing for the religious education of their own children (if applicable).

SAINT JOHN & PAUL CHURCH



WEEK OF MAY 15, 2022 Saturday May 14 5:00 PM John Paul Gauvin / In Loving Memory / Morning Prayer Group Sunday May 15 7:30 AM David A. Austin / 3rd Anniversary / Wife Tracy 9:30 AM Peter Harris / 12th Anniversary / Wife & Family 11:30 AM Kelly Ann Nester & William Nester / Birthday Remembrance / Family May 16 9:00 AM Beverly Crehan / In Loving Memory / Shirley Monday 9:00 AM Tuesday May 17 Herve Champagne / In Loving Memory / Arthur & Rashni Hebert May 18 9:00 AM Mass for the People of the Parish Wednesday May 19 9:00 AM Herve Champagne / In Loving Memory / Arthur & Rashni Hebert Thursday May 20 9:00 AM Joseph Laquierre / In Loving Memory / Shirley Friday 5:00 PM Joe Kane / Wedding Anniversary Remembrance / Alice Saturday May 21 Sunday May 22 7:30 AM Officer Ryan Bourque / Anniversary / Gary & Lee Thomas Cook / Birthday Remembrance / Bernadette & Family 9:30 AM 11:30 AM Lee W. Head / In Loving Memory / Judie & Bob

Adoration every Thursday from 9:30AM to 3:00PM in the CHURCH.



 2022 Budget Collection Week of 5/1/22

 Envelopes
 \$11,552.50

 E-Giving
 \$3,681.00

 \$15,233.50

2021 Budget Collection Week of 5/2/21 Envelopes \$14,283.08 E-Giving <u>\$ 2,842.00</u> \$17,125.08

Thank you for your continued generosity.

Prayer Fellowship

Prayer Fellowship meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd **TUESDAYS** of each month. The next meeting is **THIS** Tuesday, from **10:00-11:30AM** in the Rectory Conference Room. **All are welcome** to attend!



For the week of May 15, 2022 the Sanctuary Lamps burn in Loving Memory of *Kelly Ann Nester*





For the week of May 15, 2022 the Altar Candles burn in Loving Memory of *Kelly Ann Nester*

Liturgical Committee Meeting

SS. John & Paul Liturgical Committee meeting will be held on Monday, May 16th at 6:30pm. The meeting will be in the rectory conference room and virtually on ZOOM.

OUT REACH There will be an Outreach Committee meeting Monday, May 16th at 7:15pm. The meeting will be conducted both in person in the rectory conference room and virtually on ZOOM.

AVAILABLE NOW! PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACES

Build your business and help us grow a vibrant faith community!

Jan Thivierge from LPI, our bulletin printer. will be securing new ads for our church the week of June 5, **2022.** As a valuable member of the business community, we invite you to expand your reach and grow your business with a print ad in our parish bulletin and/or a digital ad featured on ParishesOnline.com.

Jan Thivierge

401-569-6926



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekends and some on seven weekdays. Couples will explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Joe & Ginny Vatelle at 800-710-9963 or visit them at https:// wwmema.org/.

Jesus tells us "Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid." Do something great for your relationship. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences: June 24-26 in Huntington, NY (Long Island).



Coventry Food Bank

The food bank currently needs canned meat, crackers, and disposable razors. Please place your donations in the containers located at the doors of the Church. The weekly generosity of

parishioners of Saints John and Paul to the Coventry Food Bank is a blessing and is appreciated greatly by the less fortunate of our community.

Thank you for your continued support of the Our Daily Bread program. Your support helps to feed the less fortunate of our community. Last week we collected \$69.00.





Confirmation I Class Schedule

Last class is Monday, May 23rd

from 7-8pm in the school.

MAGNIFICAT® Breakfast

"Our Lady of Divine Providence" An International Women's Ministry will hold its next breakfast,

Saturday, June 18, 2022 from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm St. Philip Parish Center, Greenville, R.I.

Guest Speaker: Lisa Cooley Coordinator of the Providence Diocese Office of Life & Family

Please join us as we gather for an experience of Faith, Sharing, **Praver & Spirit-filled music with Jon Polce!**

> Join us and bring a friend Cost: \$25 per person

For Reservations & further information contact (401) 864-7731

SS. John & Paul Loss of a Spouse Bereavement **Support Program**

SS. John & Paul Church is offering an 8 week support program, for those suffering the loss of a spouse, beginning Wednesday, MAY 25, 2022. The group will meet from 5:30 - 7pm in the rectory conference room (please note change in time and date). This support group provides a peaceful place to share and learn about grief with the spiritual comfort of our Catholic faith. It is most appropriate for adults at least six months beyond their loss. There is no cost to attend. To register for this program, please contact Martha Paone (821-8430), Linda Phaneuf (822-2124), or Ralph Lawrence (595-4370).

We are getting TWO seminarians for the summer!



Providence.

only 8 weeks with us.

STEPHEN COUTCHER



The second seminarian who will be staying the full 10 weeks with us, also coming at the end of May, is Nicholas Jones. Nick Jones is a 1st Year Pre-Theologian currently studying at St. John's Seminary in Boston, where Fr. Doan and Fr. Rowley both went. Nick is in his first year of seminary formation, and is a parishioner at St. Kevin Parish in Warwick. We don't have his picture under the John <u>Vianney</u> statue yet, but you can see what he looks like on the vocations poster at the Church doors.

The first seminarian we're getting is Stephen Coutcher, who is a parishioner of Sacred Heart Parish in West Warwick, and is currently in Second Pre-Theology at Our Lady of

Stephen is a graduate of George Washington University, and when he leaves us, he will be going off to Major Theological Studies at the Pontifical North American College in Rome, where our parishioner Patrick Ryan is studying. The Rome Seminarians have a shorter summer assignment, so Stephen will be coming at the end of May and staying

NICHOLAS JONES

As I said in my homily, It's going to get confusing as we already have seminarian Nick Whittaker, now we'll have two seminarians named Nick around the parish! Please pray for Stephen Coutcher and Nicholas Jones, as they finish up their semester and prepare to come stay with us.



Gifts of any size are needed and appreciated!



Please visit givecentral.org/2022CCA to make a secure gift online.

To date, we have collected **\$103,680**. We thank you for your continued generosity.

Snowflake Bazaar Angels Workshop

As the crafters are completing projects, next projects we will need:

- 🛞 Wooden Picture Frames- any size
- Wooden Shutters
- Wooden Fence Pickets

Our craft nights continue on Tuesday nights from 6-8pm in the rectory basement. We would love to have new talent to join us!

Any questions regarding the above or previous supply requests, please contact Nancy Sullivan at <u>nalsullivan@cox.net</u>.

5/21-5/22/22	Priest	Lectors		Priest Lectors Eucharistic Min		haristic Mini	sters
		L1	L2	Pulpit	Center	Baptism Fount	
5:00 PM	Fr. Woolley	P. Hurley	D. Paquet		Priest	P. Hurley	
7:30 AM		R. Chartier	G. Cook	R. Chartier	Priest	C. Pysz	
9:30 AM	Fr. Woolley	L. Duffy	K. Driscoll	L. Duffy	Priest	G. Wallace	
11:30 AM		M. Paone	L. Macomber		Priest	Sr. Eden	

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 15, 2022

- Sunday: Acts 14:21-27/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35
- Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26
- Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a
- Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8
- Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11
- Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12/Jn 15:12-17
- Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21
- Next Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [4]/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 15, 2022

Sunday:	5th Sunday of Easter; St. Isidore
Wednesday:	St. John I, Pope and Martyr
Friday:	St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest
Saturday:	St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs; Armed Forces Day
Next Sunday:	6th Sunday of Easter; St. Rita of Cascia, Religious

LIVE THE LITURGY

Inspiration for the week

The resurrected Christ gives us the strength to do things we can never have imagined. Life will often give us mountains to climb, and we wonder how we will find the energy, ability, and determination to forge ahead. But, with a good dosage of faith and a fervent life of prayer we find ourselves succeeding and ascending to heights that once frightened us. What we realize after we have reached the other side is that this hardship we once saw as an obstacle has become a vehicle for something better and greater. We are stronger. The same is true with the Gospel. The prospect of loving one another may seem idealistic or unobtainable. Yet, when we risk moving beyond just looking out for or helping each other to actually LOVING each other, miracles happen. There is something wonderful that occurs with love. We see people in ways we never saw before, understanding and appreciating each other's journey. Love leads to reverence. Faith is strengthened and we move on to try again.



With praise and thanksgiving the Diocese of Providence joyfully announces and requests your presence at the Ordination of

Rev. Mr. Mark Gabriel Gadoury

To the Sacred Order of the Priesthood by his Excellency the Most Reverend Thomas J. Tobin, D.D.

Saturday June 4, 2022 10:00 a.m. Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul 30 Fenner Street Providence, Rhode Island

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You are also invited to the Solemn Celebration of the First Mass of Thanksgiving of the then newly ordained

Rev. Mark Gabriel Gadoury

on the Solemnity of Pentecost Sunday June 5, 2022 2:00 p.m. Saint Joan of Arc Church 3357 Mendon Road Cumberland, Rhode Island

Friday June 3, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. there will be a Holy Hour Prayer Vigil for Vocations and for Deacon Gadoury Saint Paul's Church One Saint Paul's Place Cranston, Rhode Island

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