



2nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Now I have seen and testified that he is the
Son of God.” - Jn 1:34

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2023

Saints John and Paul Church

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Hours: Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
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RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTIONS:
(All Religious Instruction programs meet in our parish school)

Elementary Program (Grades 1-6)
4:00 p.m.-5:00 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.

Junior High (Grades 7 & 8) Summer & Fall Sessions

Confirmation Program (Grades 9 & 10)
Confirmation: Monday 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

SPRED: 392-8470
Coordinator: Mrs. Shirley Woodward

R.C.I.A.: 545-0912
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FR. JOHN V. DOYLE SCHOOL (Pre-K-Grade 8)
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Principal: Mr. Kevin Peloquin

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).



WEEK OF JANUARY 15, 2023

Saturday	January 14	5:00 PM	Barbara Wood / Birthday Remembrance / Family
Sunday	January 15	7:30 AM	Carrie Morgan / In Loving Memory / Paula
		9:30 AM	Alfred McIntosh / In Loving Memory / Family
		11:30 AM	Anthony Paone / Birthday Remembrance / Loving Family
Monday	January 16	9:00 AM	Roger Salvas / 5th Anniversary / Children & Grandchildren
Tuesday	January 17	9:00 AM	Dick Larmer / Birthday Remembrance / Wife
Wednesday	January 18	9:00 AM	Mass for the People of the Parish
Thursday	January 19	9:00 AM	Marcel Cayouette / In Loving Memory / Judy & Paul
Friday	January 20	9:00 AM	Mary Crawford / In Loving Memory / Maureen & Megan
Saturday	January 21	5:00 PM	Mr. & Mrs. Salvatore Sauco / In Loving Memory / Family
Sunday	January 22	7:30 AM	Ann Deigman / 18th Anniversary / Family
		9:30 AM	Norbert Mailloux & Joscelyne Mailloux / In Loving Memory / Cole & Mailloux Family
		11:30 AM	Edward Bayce / In Loving Memory / Wife & Family

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



2022 Budget Collection Week of 1/1/23

Envelopes \$11,513.50

E-Giving \$ 3,156.00
\$14,669.50

2021 Budget Collection Week of 1/2/22

Envelopes \$13,232.50

E-Giving \$ 2,384.00
\$15,616.50

Thank you for your continued generosity.



For the week of January 15, 2023
the Altar Candles burn
In Loving Memory of
Mary Hammond

For the week of January 15, 2023
the Sanctuary Lamps burn
for the Special Intentions of
Pauline Finn



Monday, January 16th is Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. In observance of this holiday, the rectory office will be closed.



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!

Be a superhero like Amelia: 

DONATE BLOOD

Saints John & Paul Church
Sunday, January 22, 2023
8:30 AM - 1:30 PM
Parish Hall
341 South Main St, Coventry

DONATIONS BY APPOINTMENT!
(walk-ins will be welcomed if availability permits at time of arrival)
www.ribc.org/drives to book
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All presenting donors will be entered into a weekly drawing to win a gift card for an Apple or Google Watch!
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Thank you for your continued support of the **Our Daily Bread** program. Your support helps to feed the less fortunate of our community. Donations from the poor boxes go to fund this ministry. Last week we collected \$117.85.

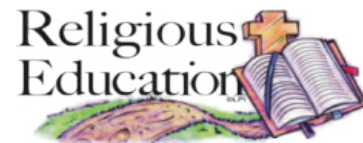
Coventry Food Bank

The food bank currently needs *peanut butter, canned milk, and deodorant*. Please place your donations in the containers located at the doors of the Church. The weekly generosity is a blessing and is appreciated greatly by the less fortunate of our community.



Our next class will be Monday, January 23th, from 7:00-8:30PM. The topic is Discipline & Evangelization.

Contact Sherry Del Deo at (401) 545-0912 or sherrydeldeo@cox.net with any questions.



Grades 1-6: All classes are in session this week.



YOUNG ADULT EUCHARISTIC FORMATION RETREAT

Saturday February 11th 2023
Christ The King Church - Kingston RI

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<https://discovercatholicfaith.org/young-adult-eucharistic-formation-retreat>

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There will be envelopes in the pews this weekend and next for donations to the upcoming Pro Life Across America billboard campaign. Your donations will go towards billboards in Rhode Island. Respect Life committee members will be at the entrances to the church those days to answer any questions about this campaign.

Help Request for Our Homeless!

Our homeless are in need of hand and feet warmers, hats, gloves, socks, dry shampoo, baby wipes and bottled water.

Donations may be left in the new "Help the Homeless" blue bin located in the Welcome Area of the church.

If you are able to help with this request, please contact Sr. Anne Eden at 401-269-9891, or eden.sisteranne@yahoo.com.

Thank you for your kind generosity!!



CONFIRMATION CLASS SCHEDULE

7pm - 8pm in the School

Jan 23, Feb 6, 27, March 13, 27,
April 3, 27, May 15

RETREAT DATES (PICK ONE)

SATURDAY(S) FEB. 4 OR MARCH 4



There are children in desperate need of a safe and loving home. Consider opening your home and your heart to a child in need. If you or someone you know would make a good foster parent learn more at www.cfpfostercare.org or call 401-481-8410. You can earn a \$1,000 bonus for each family you recruit who becomes a license foster parent. Start making a difference in the life of a child in foster care today.

Rhode Island Catholic Subscription Drive

Rhode Island Catholic's annual Subscription Drive is underway. Your diocesan newspaper depends on its faithful readers to continue its 146-year mission of bringing the good news of the church directly to you. If you are interested in starting a new subscription or continuing to receive Rhode Island Catholic in your mailbox each week, please either drop the specially marked parish budget envelope into the collection basket at Mass, call Circulation Manager Sue Richard at 401-272-1010 ext. 0, or visit the newspaper's website, www.thericatholic.com, and click on Subscribe to order and pay for a subscription. The cost for a year of in-home delivery of the newspaper is only \$30. **Online payments, checks or money orders (made payable to Rhode Island Catholic) is preferred.**

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 15, 2023

Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 NS 10c/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: Heb 7:25—8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Is 8:23—9:3/Ps 27:1,4, 13-14 (1a)/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17



OPEN HOUSE
Father John V. Doyle School
January 29, 2023 ✦ 12:30PM - 2:30PM
Register to attend using the QR code or at
fjvd.org



Supporting FJVD, Supporting Small Businesses

Do you work for or frequent a business, such as a restaurant, dry cleaner, gym or dance studio, etc., that you might be willing to donate a product or gift card from for our upcoming school auction? This year, we are hoping to support our local business while supporting the school.

If you are interested in participating, we are asking you to consider donating a gift card/product from a local business for this year's auction. Purchasing gift cards is a great way to support the small businesses you love in our community. We will also be promoting these local/small businesses online and during our FJVD Annual Auction on March 25th.

A wish board will be placed at the church and there is an online wish board that you can access [here](http://bit.ly/FJVDwishboard). (http://bit.ly/FJVDwishboard) If you have any questions or would like to help with this year's auction, please email fjvdauctionc@fjvd.org. Donations can be dropped off at the rectory or they can be placed in the bins at the front and side entrances prior to **March 10th**. Please put gift card and scratch ticket donations directly in the collection basket. Thank you for your generosity!

Please see Father Woolley if you'd like to learn more.

Thank you again for all your support and helping to make each year's auction a huge success!



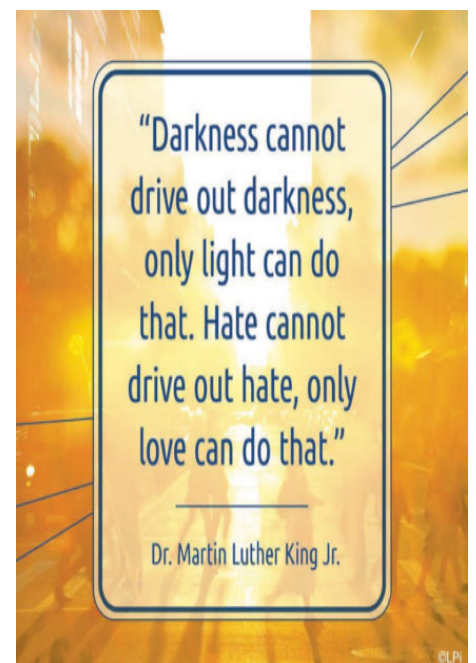
Keep the Heat On: Help or Be Helped

Now in it's 18th season of helping RI households stay warm!

Bishop Tobin recently kicked off this year's Keep the Heat On heating assistance campaign, a program that helps struggling families with heating assistance who have exhausted all other public and private means to keep their families warm during the Rhode Island winter. Since 2005, your generous support has provided more than \$3.9 million in assistance to more than 16,458 Rhode Island households in need.

If you would like to help local families this winter, please send tax-deductible donations to: Keep the Heat On, One Cathedral Square, Providence, RI 02903 or visit www.heatRI.com to make a secure credit card donation.

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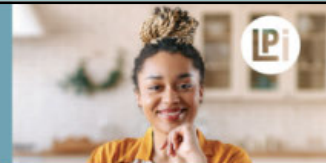


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