

THE MOST REVEREND THOMAS J. TOBIN, D.D. Bishop of Providence

THE MOST REVEREND ROBERT C. EVANS, D.D. J.C.L. Auxiliary Bishop of Providence

THE REVEREND MONSIGNOR ANTHONY MANCINI

Cathedral Rector

 WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

 Saturday
 5:00 pm - Vigil

 Sunday
 10:00 am - Solemn Chant Mass

 1:00 pm & 6:00 pm

 WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

 Monday through Friday

 12:05 pm Main Church

CONFESSIONS Mon. -Fri. 11:00 am - 11:45 am Saturday 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm Sunday 9:00 am - 9:45 am 12:00 pm 12:45 pm 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm PARISH OFFICE 30 Fenner Street Providence, RI 02903 401.331.2434

Holy Day Masses as Listed in Bulletin

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 9, 2021

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 8

10:00 Multi-Parish Confirmation

5:00 ANTHONY VOTA (deceased) by Ellen and Jeff (Anniversary Rem.)

<u>Sunday, May 9</u>

- 10:00 GEMMA MARY VELLECO (deceased) by husband and children (Anniversary Rem.)
- 1:00 GEORGE ROBERT DUPRE (deceased) by mom and dad
- 3:00 Multi-Parish Confirmation
- 6:00 DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE WOODS FAMILY

Monday, May 10

12:05 DOREEN HARRISON (deceased) by family (Remembrance)

<u>Tuesday, May 11</u>

12:05 CLENA MAHARI (deceased) by Robert and Elizabeth Cusack

Wednesday, May 12

12:05 ROBERT CUSACK, SR. (deceased) by Robert and Elizabeth Cusack

<u>Thursday, May 13</u>

12:05 DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CABRAL & SULLIVAN FAMILIES

<u>Friday, May 14</u>

12:05 MARLENE & CHARLES BURKE (deceased) (2nd Anniv. Rem.) by friend

<u>Saturday, May 15</u>

10:00 Ordination to the Diaconate

5:00 ANDREW GALLONIO (deceased) by mom and dad (Remembrance)

<u>Sunday, May 16</u>

- 10:00 HENRY OLIVEIRA (deceased) by Msgr. Mancini
- 1:00 DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE WOODS FAMILY
- 3:00 Wedding: Richard De La Zanda & Jillian Rebello
- 6:00 FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND TO RELIGIOUS LIFE

"Indeed, the Word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword ... and able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart." Hebrews 4:12

Bible Study

Tuesday, **May 11** from 7pm-8:30pm Cathedral Hall

First Holy Communion & children grades K-8 Saturday, May 15 from 10am-11:15am

For additional information please email Sister Elizabeth Castro at: <u>sister.elizabethmssw@gmail.com</u> or the Parish Office at 401-331-2434

2021 Catholic Charity Appeal DID YOU KNOW THE CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL FUNDS ST. MARTIN DE PORRES SENIOR CENTER?

In addition to offering health screenings, the center coordinates with over 40 agencies to help seniors navigate the social service maze to locate resources such as Social Security, Medicaid, Food Stamps and more. Since COVID-19 began, the team visits seniors at their homes and brings meals to them. The Center is currently feeding about 250 people a week. Because of your generosity, this program is funded every year, along with 30+ other ministries and services.

Please prayerfully consider supporting the 2021 CCA to the best of your ability. You can make a big difference in the life of a neighbor in need.

You can make charitable distributions through your IRA account, donate stocks, inquire with your company about a matching gift.

Online giving is FAST, EASY & SECURE! Visit **givecentral.org/2021CCA** to make your gift securely online.

"Our compassion is an expression of faith and a proclamation of hope for our troubled times." -Візнор Товім

2021 Catholic Charity Appeal Parish Goal: \$39,000 Received as of 4/22/2021: Amount Pledged: \$18,179 Amount Paid: \$17,635 Donor Count: 54

We need your help and support to meet our goal. Because of the pandemic, the diocesan goal was reduced to \$6.8 million for this year. Our parish goal was reduced as well. Your tax-deductible gift to the CCA helps thousands of people in need every year.

FROM THE RECTOR

My dear Brothers and Sisters:

I would like to share with you the following meditation:

"Remain in my love"

In chapter fifteen of Saint John's Gospel I have noted the many times the verb *manere*, to remain, appears. When this verb is used, it indicates Jesus' strong insistence, profound emotion, and ardent desire. It signals an element of great importance in his teaching, a point that Jesus wants to engrave on the hearts of his disciples.

In Christ's time, as in our own, people were motivated by exterior feelings and distracted from the treasure of their interior life. *Remain in me* is a simple, informal expression that reveals a desire for communion in love. Remain in me goes beyond human comprehension; two people can only stay *near* one another, but how can they be *within* each other? Remain in me is a form of permanent communion, which can be compared in some way to the effects of Eucharistic communion. I cannot receive the Eucharist as often as I wish during the day, but I can remain forever in you, Lord. You will be in me and I in you! To *remain in you* is not an idle or passive love for God, rather it is active: He who remains in me, and I in him. will bear much fruit.

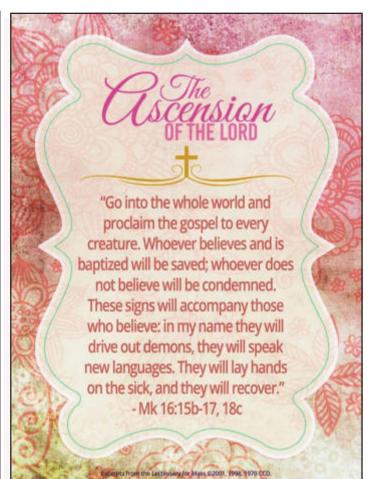
Lord Jesus, I want to remain in you. You and I will be one: one unique will, one sole heart, one effort, one love. There will no longer be a distinction between what belongs to you and what belongs to me. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me.

VENERABLE FRANCIS XAVIER NGUYEN VAN THUAN

Cardinal Nguyen Van Thuan (+ 2002) was imprisoned by the Vietnamese government for thirteen years, during which time he secretly sent prayers and spiritual writings to his flock.

> Peace, Monsignor Mancini





~33 Days to Merciful Love~ CONSECRATION TO DIVINE MERCY



In preparation for *Consecration to Divine Mercy*, the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul is offering a **six week** course beginning on **Wednesday**, **May 12th through Wednesday**, **June 9th (7:00 PM - 8:30 PM)** with the actual Consecration taking place during Mass on the Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, **Saturday**, **June 12th**, **2021 at 10:00 AM.** We will be using the book called *33 Days to Merciful Love* by Father Michael Gaitley.

Parking & Security Provided

There will be a limited number of books available on a first come first serve basis. For additional information, please call Diane at (401) 533-7895.

