

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Today, the Fourth Sunday of Easter is known as “**Good Shepherd Sunday**” and is observed in the Church as a **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS!** The priests, brothers, sisters, deacons, and lay ministers of tomorrow are with us today in our homes, schools, offices, and parishes. Do you know someone who might benefit from your encouragement toward faithfulness to God’s grace? Remember to pray today and throughout the week for men and women, also from our parish, who are discerning a call to the Priesthood or to Religious Life. The Lord Himself reminds us that the harvest is great, but the laborers are few. *“Pray to the Lord of the harvest to send more laborers to the harvest.”*



Gracious and loving God,
 we thank you for the gift of our priests.
 Through them, we experience our
 presence in the sacraments.
 Help our priests to be strong in their vocation.
 Set their souls on fire with love for our people.
 Grant them the wisdom, understanding,
 and strength they need to follow
 in the footsteps of Jesus.
 Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom.
 Give them the words they need to
 spread the Gospel.
 Allow them to experience joy in their ministry.
 Help them to become instruments
 of your divine grace.
 We ask this through Jesus Christ,
 who lives and reigns as our eternal Priest.
 Amen

Annual Parish Dinner Dance



Saturday, April 27, 2024

*Santa Maria Di Prata Society Hall
 29 Walnut Grove Avenue, Cranston, RI*

Please purchase and return your RAFFLE tickets, which parishioners received in the mail. The participation of every family is needed and appreciated. Please make returns in the collection basket at Mass, to the parish office, or in the mail. Thank You & Good Luck!

SILENT AUCTION – At our Parish Dinner Dance you will have an opportunity to bid on great items! Share your time, talent, and treasure by contributing items for our baskets such as gift certificates to restaurants or stores, liquor, or tickets to special events. Join parishioners and friends for an enjoyable get-together!

All parishioners and friends are invited to attend our **PARISH MAY CROWNING** to be held on **TUESDAY, MAY 7th** at 6:00 pm. Plan to attend and join with our parish in the recitation of the Rosary and crowning of our Blessed Mother.



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 Because our weekly parish bulletin can no longer be paid by ads on the back page, we are hoping to help defray this expense by asking parishioners to come forward each week by sponsoring the bulletin with a donation of **\$40.00**. Please call the parish office if you wish to help.

MASSES FOR APRIL 22 - 28, 2024

Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead, however the following are specifically remembered this week.

Monday, April 22 – Easter Weekday

7:30 am – Jeannette Carreau – 70th Birthday
Remembrance by husband, Joe

Tuesday, April 23 – Easter Weekday

7:30 am – Intentions of Easter Flower Donors

Wednesday, April 24 – Easter Weekday

7:30 am – Mary Tattoli

Thursday, April 25 – Easter Weekday

7:30 am – Intentions of Parishioners

Friday, April 26 – Easter Weekday

7:30 am – For A Special Intention
3:00 pm – Divine Mercy Chaplet

Saturday, April 27 – Easter Weekday

8:00 am – Intentions of Easter Flower Donors

LORD’S DAY MASSES

Saturday, April 27

5:00 pm

Brian A. Coulter & Maddox Brian Orsini
by Isabel & Family
Angelina Mastrogiuseppe by family

6:30 pm – Mass in Spanish

Sunday, April 28

Fifth Sunday of Easter

8:00 am

Intentions of Parishioners

9:30 am – Mass in Spanish

11:30 am

Deceased of Pio A. Romano, Sr. Family
Frank & Marion Cuiccio by daughters
Susan DelSignore – Birthday Remembrance
by husband & family

Looking Ahead

April 27 – Annual Parish Dinner Dance 🍷

April 28 – 1st Communion of
Older Students – 9:30 am Mass

May 5 – Confirmation at the
Cathedral of Ss. Peter & Paul 🔥

May 6 – Ladies Guild Meeting

May 7 – Parish May Crowning 👑

May 9 – The Ascension of the Lord – Holyday

WEEKLY CHURCH SUPPORT

What Our Lord Asks Is Not Equal Gifts - But Equal Sacrifice.
(Increased Giving Campaign)

Church Collections & Mail-in Budgets

April 13 & 14, 2024:

\$5,182.60

*“Now may the Lord of peace himself
give you peace at all times in all ways.*

The Lord be with you all.”

2 Thessalonians 3:16

**SANCTUARY CANDLE &
ALTAR BREAD & WINE:**



*In Memory of
Del Joseph Beauchene, Jr.
Jeannette Carreau
Dorothy V. Giarrusso*

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Del Joseph Beauchene, Jr.
Birthday Remembrance

