

# SS John and James Parish

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## BAPTISM

Parents must be participating members of the parish for at least three months. Godparents must be participating members of their parish. **For more information and registration please contact our Baptismal Coordinator, Jeanne Gereau at 828-4711.**

## PENANCE

Confessions are on Saturdays from 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm and by appointment.

## MARRIAGE

**Contact the priest at least one year in advance** to set a date and make arrangements for marriage preparation

**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK**  
**Please notify the parish (821-7661)** when you are admitted to the hospital, suffering from a serious illness, home bound or know someone who is and would like to receive Communion on a regular basis.

## ADORATION

**Won't You Sit With Me For One Hour?** To find out how to receive these **BLESSINGS** please contact Jean-Marie Smith at 230-5286 to schedule your hour. Adoration hours are on Tuesdays from 8:00 am to Noon in the daily chapel in the church.

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday thru Thursday: 7:30 am  
First Friday: 8:00 am  
Civil Holiday Mass: 9:00 am

## WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 7:30 am & 9:30 am  
Spanish Mass: 11:30 am



*The Sanctuary Candle is burning for the parishioners  
& benefactors*

**SATURDAY, September 3, Vigil**

5:00 PM †NORBERT J. & MARGUERITE J. JARBEAU by  
Norbert J. Jarbeau, Jr. & Corinne McKinnon

**SUNDAY, September 4, Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 AM †MAURICE G. CHAMPAGNE by family  
9:30 AM FOR THE PARISHIONERS & BENEFACTORS  
11:30 AM SEE SPANISH BULLETIN

**MONDAY, September 5 (HOLIDAY)**

9:00 AM FOR THE PARISHIONERS & BENEFACTORS  
(MASS IN MAIN CHURCH; PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED)

**TUESDAY, September 6**

7:30 AM †MR. & MRS. REGNAIRE by family

**WEDNESDAY, September 7**

7:30 AM †RITA LAVALLEE & CLAIRE LAVALLEE  
by Leonard Lavallee

**THURSDAY, September 8, The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

7:30 AM †BRIAN ST. GERMAIN by brother, Harvey St. Germain

**SATURDAY, September 10, Vigil**

5:00 PM IN HONOR OF ST. ANNE by a parishioner

**SUNDAY, September 11, Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 AM †ISIDORE & CLARA RONDEAU; NORMAND &  
IRMA GOURD by family  
9:30 AM FOR THE PARISHIONERS & BENEFACTORS  
11:30 AM SEE SPANISH BULLETIN



*Wedding Banns*

*Third wedding bans for Julie Coutu (Henry) and  
Mickey Coutu.*

**PIZZA ON THE PATIO**

The Office of Vocations will be kicking off the monthly discernment meetings with the 3rd annual **Pizza on the Patio** night at the Seminary of Our Lady of Providence (485 Mount Pleasant Avenue, Providence, RI 02908) on Friday, September 16th at 6:00 PM. For more information or to RSVP if you plan to attend, please contact Fr. Chris Murphy, Assistant Vocation Director at 331-1316 or [FatherCJM@gmail.com](mailto:FatherCJM@gmail.com).

**PARISH SUPPORT/WEEKEND COLLECTIONS**

**WEEKEND OF AUGUST 27 & AUGUST 28, 2016**  
\$5,686

**SECOND COLLECTIONS**

Second Collection this week: No Second Collection  
Second Collection next week: Utility Fund

**LITURGICAL ROLES**

**Daily Mass—September 5 thru September 8**

**LECTOR**—Francis Caplette  
**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER**—Tim Coughlin

**Weekend of September 10 and September 11**

**LECTORS**      **EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

5:00 PM	R. Dauplaise	D. Larocque, T. Noel
7:30 AM	Deb Champagne	D. Champagne, R. Gagne
9:30 AM	M. Kelly	D. & D. Sylvester

*From Father's Desk:*

As the weather changes, also the amount of parish activities that occur during the calendar year. The Fall Season, is the start of a year long list of events that will take place from September through June.

Soon we will begin our campaign for Religious Education or CCD. Classes will start middle of September through May, The programs ends with First Communion. We also have the start of the preparations for the Bazaar, the workshops will start this Wednesday September 7 at 6:30 pm, leading to the big day, in November. Our Holly Berry Bazaar is considering to be the best around our area, and it is easy to see why.; The hard work of every individual that volunteers to make it a success.

In September and October our Knights of Columbus Men are also working hard in activities for the parish. As you know they are doing the raffle of two New England Patriots tickets for the game against Buffalo, and in honor of our Lady they are going to host a special night of prayer in October.

December brings Christmas and all that goes on for the beautiful celebration of this season, stay tuned for one or two activities that will take place this year.

In all, our busy time starts now. Our parish is active and therefore alive. But we need the help of every parishioner. The bazaar will be looking for volunteers and extra hands for help in making the Bazaar a great success. We need help and recruit for our religious education program, evangelization will bring our numbers up by welcoming new families. Our Knights of Columbus are always looking for a few more good men to join their ranks.

Our parish will continue striving and becoming more viable by the continuing support and work of every ministry and activity. Everyone is welcome to participate and I hope we can all join forces to make our parish strong and a live.

God Bless

*Fr. Eddy Lopez*





September 5—Holiday: Mass will be celebrated in the main church at 9:00am; parish office is closed  
 September 7—Bazaar Workshops begin (6:30 pm) in rectory basement—all are welcome  
 September 25—Following 9:30 mass 10/10 club meeting in rectory—drawing  
 October 16—Following 9:30 mass 10/10 club meeting in rectory—collection  
 October 29—Coat & Blanket distribution in cafeteria 9:00am to noon

**SS JOHN AND JAMES RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION 2016-2017**

Registration for new students will take place following the 5:00 PM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM masses on the weekends of September 10/11 and 17/18. Families of all children that were registered last year will receive their forms in the mail.

GRADES 1-6 SUNDAYS 10:30-11:20 IN THE LOWER CHURCH

CLASSES BEGIN SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 25

PRESCHOOL (3 years old & kindergarten) Sunday Mornings  
 Preschool Classes begin October 16

GRADES 7- CONFIRMATION II\* 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM  
 CLASSES BEGIN SUNDAY OCTOBER 2

\* Students entering their freshman year at Catholic High Schools should register their classes will begin in January

Registration fee: \$35 for one child, \$55 for two children & \$70 for three or more children. There is an additional retreat fee for Confirmation II. Preschool is a separate \$10 fee. ALL REGISTERING FOR THE FIRST TIME SHOULD PROVIDE A COPY OF YOUR CHILDS BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE UNLESS THEY WERE BAPTIZED AT SS JOHN & JAMES PARISH.

**First Communion II Parent Meeting** Monday, September 12 @ 6:30 PM in the cafeteria

**Confirmation II Parent and Candidate Meeting** Tuesday, September 20 @6:30 in the church hall.

**SSJJ Knights of Columbus Council #7238.  
 Upcoming Drawing**

A pair of VIP Luxury Suite Level tickets to see the Patriots vs. Bills on 10/2/16 will be raffled. The tickets are only \$10.00 each and only 400 tickets will be sold! Sit in one of the stadium's EMC<sup>2</sup> Luxury Suites which are among the largest in the NFL. Each suite features luxurious furnishings as well as private bars and restrooms. Tickets are available for purchase after mass at the doors or by calling Mike Colvin at 641-6881. Drawing for the winning ticket will be held on 9/24/16. Proceeds will help fund the charitable events of your SSJJ Knights of Columbus Council #7238.

**MASS FOR THE DEAF, HARD OF HEARING**  
 The Diocesan Ministry for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing has announced the following Mass:

**First Sunday of every month:** St. Charles Borromeo, Woonsocket, 9:00 am

**Every Sunday:** St. Jean Baptiste, Warren, 9:00 am

**Second Sunday of every month:** Christ the King, South Kingston, 11 am (after Labor Day 11:35 am)

**Third Sunday of every month:** St. Michael's, Providence, 9:30 am Lower hall



**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**NOVEMBER.12, 2016**  
**HOLLY BERRY BAZAAR**  
**WEEKLY WORKSHOPE WILL BE ON**  
**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 AT 6:30PM**  
**IN THE RECTORY BASEMENT.**  
**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**STRUGGLING IN YOUR MARRIAGE? - YOU ARE NOT ALONE!**

Retrouvaille is a worldwide program sponsored by the Catholic Church for married couples who are experiencing difficulties in their marriages. If marriage is tearing the two of you apart, if there is little or no meaningful communication, if you are considering separation or divorce, we believe Retrouvaille can help. *You are NOT alone!* Our peer ministry is led by couples who have lived through the honeymoon phase often followed by deep disillusionment before finally finding resurrection in their marriages using the tools taught in this program. Rediscover a loving marriage with a Retrouvaille (pronounced re-tro-vy) weekend.

**An upcoming New England Retrouvaille marriage renewal weekend will be held on: September 16-18, 2016**

**To register for this weekend or for more information, call 1-800-470-2230 or visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com)**

**DIOCESE TO CELEBRATE BLUE MASS TO HONOR POLICE OFFICERS**

The Diocese of Providence will host an inaugural Blue Mass for Police Officers on Sunday, September 18, at 10:00 a.m. in the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul. Bishop Thomas J. Tobin will be the main celebrant of the Mass with other priests concelebrating. Everyone is invited to come together to honor and support police officers who serve and protect our communities in Rhode Island and pray for their safety.


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