

# HOLY APOSTLES CHURCH

WESTERN CRANSTON



AUGUST 6, 2023



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### Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday  
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Our Administrative Offices are located  
in the Community Life Center.

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www.holypostles.com

# HOLY APOSTLES CHURCH

800 PIPPIN ORCHARD ROAD  
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Established July 25, 1991 + Church dedicated July 24, 1994

Community Life Center dedicated June 30, 2001

### Very Reverend William J. Ledoux

Pastor / wjl@holypostles.com

### Monsignor Albert A. Kenney

In Residence

### Monsignor Richard D. Sheahan

Pastor Emeritus

### Monsignor Paul D. Theroux

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### Deacon Gregory P. Albanese

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## MASS SCHEDULE

### Saturday Vigil

5:00 PM

### Sunday

8:30 & 11:00 AM

### Weekday

Mon-Fri: 8:30 AM

**New Parishioners – Welcome to Holy Apostles!** For your convenience, registration forms are available on our website [www.holypostles.com](http://www.holypostles.com). Please fill the form out and return it to the parish office. Also, we encourage you to introduce yourself to Fr. Ledoux, our pastor.

## SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

Parents are asked to contact the Deacon early in the pregnancy. Parents are reminded that the selection of sponsors must be made according to regulations specified in Canon Law. Information regarding these regulations will be forwarded upon request.

### Marriage

Engaged couples are asked to make an appointment with Father at least one year in advance of their planned date of marriage. In addition, at least one of the individuals planning marriage must be a registered and active member of the parish.

### Penance

Saturdays from  
4:00 to 4:30 PM

### Sacrament of the Sick

Please call to receive  
this Sacrament of  
comfort & healing.

### Communion Calls

Please call the  
parish office to  
request a visit.



Please RSVP to this event.

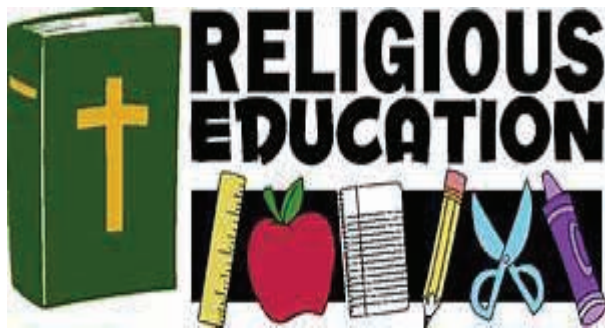
An event celebrating

# 25 Years of Holy Apostles Teen Program

Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup>  
5:00PM Teen Mass

Hors d'oeuvres, desserts & drinks to follow as we reminisce with friends.  
RSVP via google form below or call the parish office @ 946-5586.

<https://link.edgepilot.com/s/09ab89cb/A-bmpaniAUOv4GIxg29fEw?u=https://forms.gle/pZWA6iL1EnLiidxM8>



## Register Now

**ALL Religious Education** information and registration materials have been emailed to all families. This email included all information concerning **elementary school programs**.

If you do not receive this email, please contact the office and provide us with your corrected email information.

~Mr. Santilli



## The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Tuesday – August 15<sup>th</sup>**

This is a Holy Day of Obligation.  
Masses will be celebrated at:  
**8:30am and 6:00pm**



We will have a collection of school supplies this weekend. These items will be given to inner city students.

Items needed include:

Pens, pencils, notebooks, two pocket folders, crayons, erasers, rulers, highlighters, book bags



## Wedding Anniversary Celebration

The Office of Marriage Preparation & Enrichment is sponsoring the Annual Wedding Anniversary Celebration honoring couples of the Diocese of Providence who will be observing their **25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup> and Over** wedding anniversary in 2023. The celebration will be held **on Sunday, October 22, 2023 at 1:00PM** at the Cathedral of SS. Peter & Paul, Providence and will include Mass, renewal of the marriage vows, a personalized certificate for each couple and a reception for the couples and their families. Bishop Richard G. Henning will be the main celebrant. Couples who would like to attend can register for this event by contacting the parish office before **September 13th**.



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## Stewardship



**Time and Talent** - We wish to thank all those parishioners who are always so willing to pitch in and lend a helping hand. Their participation contributes to the vibrancy of our community.

**Treasure – Thank you for your financial support.**

### A Report of the Stewardship of our Treasure:

	Month/year	Month/year
	July 2022	July 2023
	# weeks: 5	# weeks: 5
# Budget Envelopes	954	984
Budget contributions	\$28,369.00	\$29,657.00
Additional loose	\$1,243.60	\$1,637.00
Total budget income	\$29,612.60	\$31,294.00
# Faith Direct donors	377	375
# Faith Direct donations	1,885	1,875
Total Faith Direct income	\$29,090.50	\$29,652.50
Monthly Grand Total	\$58,703.10	\$60,946.50
Average Per Week	\$11,740.62	\$12,189.30

### FAITH DIRECT - ONLINE GIVING



This secure program works directly with your bank or credit card. All transactions are done electronically, debiting your bank account or charging your credit card for the amount to which you have agreed in writing. **Holy Apostles is offering two debit dates~ the 4<sup>th</sup> or 15<sup>th</sup> of the month or both!** You can enroll in Faith Direct or make changes to your account dates or contributions online at [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) or call 1-866-507-8757. Holy Apostles parish code is RI18.

### APOSTLES OF MERCY

We are collecting **non-perishable** food for the needy in the boxes at the entrance of the Church.

## HOLY APOSTLES THOUSAND CLUB



### Congratulations to our July winners!

<b>\$500</b>	#2808	Paul Chappell
<b>\$150</b>	#2822	Dante Ciccarelli
<b>\$100</b>	#2310	M/M Derek Iorfida
<b>\$50</b>	#906	Amy Pignataro
<b>\$50</b>	#825	Robert Pizzuti
<b>\$25</b>	#182	Marilyn Petrosinelli
<b>\$25</b>	#2822	Dante Ciccarelli
<b>\$25</b>	#962	Claudette Blais
<b>\$25</b>	#7	Thomas Salvatore
<b>\$25</b>	#2519	Maria Zammiello
<b>\$25</b>	#946	Marisa Sepe

*Please pray for the soul of:*



### Oliver MacDougall

who passed away and his Funeral Mass was celebrated here at Holy Apostles.

We wish to express our sympathy to his family.



The Holy Apostles Men of St. Joseph meet twice a month for fellowship and discussion. Men of all ages are invited to attend. For more information, please visit the RI Men of St Joseph website at: [www.rimosj.org](http://www.rimosj.org).

**Next Meeting: August 16<sup>th</sup> at 7PM**

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Please pray for those serving our country

SMSgt Kevin Sarli, RI Air National Guard

- SSGT Joshua Anderson, US Marine
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Jacob Anderson, US Marine
- TSGT Robert M. Braga, US Air Force
- HM3 Yosman Rodriguez, US Navy
- Senior Airman Benjamin Fredette, US Air Force
- PO2 Matthew Fyrer, US Coast Guard
- AS3 Grace Noonan, US Navy
- ETN2 John Andrew Loiselle, US Navy
- Capt. Benjamin M. Adamo, RI Air National Guard
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Trevor Kenahan, US Marine Corp.
- Capt. Dylan T. Farley, US Army
- A1C Michael J. Cuddemi, US Air Force
- SSG 1<sup>st</sup> Class Mark O'Brien, US Army
- Pvt Thomas Napolitano, US Army
- LtCdr James Cremean, US Navy
- SrA Ronald D. Garafano Jr., US Air Force
- Sgt. Victoria Seitz, US Army
- SFC Adam Shone, RI Army National Guard
- IT2 Travis Collins, US Navy
- LtCdr Ronald LaRocca, Navy
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. James Vartanian, RI Army National Guard
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Christopher Vartanian, RI Army Nat. Guard
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Andrew Smedberg, RI Army National Guard
- Cadet Matthew Vartanian, URI ROTC, RI Army Nat. Guard
- PFC Luke Rossi, US Army
- Lt. Col. Thomas W. Manera, Jr., RI Army National Guard
- PFC Jase Deanseris, RI Army National Guard
- 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Andrew Cooney, US Army
- EMN2 Austin J. Collins, US Navy
- Capt. Joseph Palazini, US Army

If you or someone you know has a loved one serving in our armed forces, please send their names with rank and branch of military to [cad@holypostles.com](mailto:cad@holypostles.com).

## ATTENTION PARISHIONERS

**Please** notify the Parish Office of *any* name, address, telephone changes, etc.



Saturday	Vigil: Transfiguration	August 5
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5:00 PM	<b><u>Ernest &amp; Anna Hafferty</u></b> Requested by Ronald & Elizabeth Marocco
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Sunday	The Transfiguration of the Lord	August 6
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8:30 AM	<b><u>Iolanda Mattiello (8<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)</u></b> Requested by Daughter, RoseMarie & Family
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11:00 AM	<b><u>Gloria Coletti (6<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)</u></b> <b><u>Nicholas Coletti (40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)</u></b> Requested by Cynthia & Bob DeAngelis
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✚The Altar Bread is offered this week in memory of **Ellen Petricia (Birthday Rem./Anniv.)** requested by Family.

✚The Sanctuary Candle is offered this week in memory of **Arthur F. Trahan Sr.** requested by M/M Raymond White.

Monday	Weekday	August 7
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8:30 AM	<b><u>Edith Coro (Birthday Rem.)</u></b> Requested by Cathy & Bill Duarte
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Tuesday	St. Dominic, Priest	August 8
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8:30AM	<b><u>Patricia Caparco (Birthday Rem.)</u></b> Requested by Family
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Wednesday	Weekday	August 9
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8:30 AM	<b><u>Thomas Senerchia</u></b> Requested by Joe & Linda Sincerny
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Thursday	St. Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr	August 10
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8:30 AM	<b><u>Ronald Corvese</u></b> Requested by Robert Tagliaferri & Family
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Friday	St. Clare, Virgin	August 11
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8:30AM	<b><u>Mass for the People</u></b>
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Saturday	Vigil: 19 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	August 12
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5:00 PM	<b><u>Eugene Rego</u></b> Requested by Joe & Roberta Marocco
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Sunday	19 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	August 13
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8:30 AM	<b><u>Marie Parente (Birthday Rem.)</u></b> Requested by Children & Grandchildren
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11:00 AM	<b><u>William A. Simas (5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)</u></b> Requested by Family
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