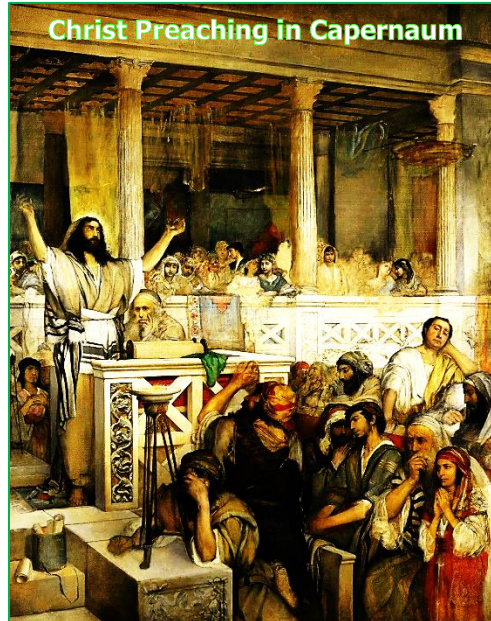


Cathedral of St. Michael the Archangel

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Join us for Holy Mass



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All Masses are celebrated in the Cathedral



Weekdays, M-F: 12:10 p.m.
Saturday, Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m.
SUNDAY MASSES: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 4:00 p.m.
Misa en Español: domingo, 11:45 a.m.
Holy Day: Please see Mass Schedule

Sacrament of Reconciliation / Confession
Saturday: 3:15-3:45 p.m. or by appointment

Mass Schedule

Cornerstone laid on the Feast of St. Michael the Archangel, September 29, 1860 / First Mass celebrated on Christmas morning, 1861.

JAN 27 – FEB 4, 2024



MASS INTENTION / MASS OR SERVICE

Saturday	January 27	4:00 p.m.	Living and Deceased Members of the Ursuline Sisters of the Roman Union
Sunday	January 28	8:30 a.m.	†Angel Jimenez
Sunday	January 28	10:00 a.m.	†Sister Dorothy Doyle, osu
Domingo	28 de Enero	11:45 a.m.	†María Clavel Batista y †Bienvenido Contreras
Sunday	January 28	4:00 p.m.	†Elizabeth H. O'Connor (1 st Ann.)
Monday	January 29	12:10 p.m.	Birthday Blessings for Sister Marcella Savoie, osu
Tuesday	January 30	12:10 p.m.	
Wednesday	January 31	12:10 p.m.	†Rita Garde
Thursday	February 1	12:10 p.m.	
Friday	February 2	7:30 a.m.	First Friday Mass
Friday	February 2	12:10 p.m.	Deceased Members of the Castellano-Alicea Family
Saturday	February 3	4:00 p.m.	
Sunday	February 4	8:30 a.m.	
Sunday	February 4	10:00 a.m.	In Thanksgiving for the Great Power of God and for the Souls in Purgatory
Domingo	4 de Febrero	11:45 a.m.	†Aida María Torres Madera
Sunday	February 4	4:00 p.m.	

Please pray for our dearly departed brothers and sisters in Christ, marked with the sign of faith.

†Leon Sobon

†Teddi Brown

†Dean Edmond Kos

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the Cathedral

- 2nd Thursday of each month following the Pro-Life Vigil, before the 12:10 p.m. Mass
- Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the Holy Spirit Chapel



If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Readings for the 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, The Gospel According to Mark, **Mk 1:21-28**, <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/012824.cfm>

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

JAN 20-21, 2024, 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

All Masses: (\$2,829.00); Fuel (\$113.00); Solemnity of Mary (\$62.00 ADDL.); Christmas (\$30.00 ADDL.); Elms College (\$35.00 ADDL.)

MISSION STATEMENT / MISIÓN

Guided and protected by our patron Saint Michael the Archangel, the Cathedral parish is a welcoming, diverse community which embodies the mission of Christ who strengthens us by the sacraments.

Guiada y protegida por nuestro patrón San Miguel Arcángel, la parroquia Catedral es una comunidad acogedora y diversa que encarna la misión de Cristo quién nos fortalece a través de los sacramentos.



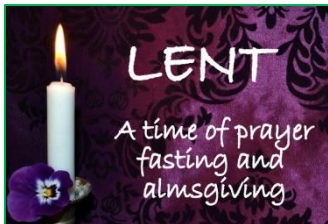
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GROWING IN FAITH
WORD SEARCH

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N	A	Z	A	R	E	T	H	C	J
I	C	O	M	M	A	N	D	S	E
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Enjoy searching for the hidden word, name or phrase that is comprised of the remaining letters.
Last week's hidden message: **TEACH ME YOUR WAYS, MY GOD.**

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| AMAZED | REBUKED |
| ASTONISHED | SABBATH |
| AUTHORITY | SYNAGOGUE |
| COMMANDS | TEACHING |
| JESUS | THE HOLY ONE |
| NAZARETH | WHAT IS THIS? |
| OBEY | |



Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule

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Wednesday, February 14, 2024

- 12:10 p.m.
- 5:00 p.m. – English
- 7:00 p.m. – Spanish



A Lenten Afternoon of Reflection with Monsignor Connelly

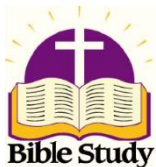
"Priesthood ~ Laity ~ Church"

Tuesday, February 20, 2024

4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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All are welcome for this spiritual time of discussion and reflection.



Bible Study

The Martha & Mary Reflective Bible Study "Women in the New Testament" will meet on Wednesday, January 31st at 1:00 p.m. in the Bishop Marshall Center.

Please call for information (413) 781-3656.

Blessing of the Throats 2024 in Observance of St. Blaise Day

A general **Blessing of the Throats** will take place after the Masses on Saturday, February 3rd, the Feast Day of Saint Blaise, Bishop, Martyr, and Patron Saint of Throats, and on Sunday, February 4th.



Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Cathedral Parish Prayer Shawl Knitting Ministry will meet on Wednesday, February 7th at 1:00 p.m. in the Rectory. Please call for information (413) 781-3656.

CATHEDRAL PARISH PANTRY

The Parish Pantry is in need of the following items: oatmeal, cereals (Raisin Bran and/or Toasted Oats), crackers, coffee, powdered milk, brown rice, Spanish rice, rice pilaf, spaghetti and meat sauce (Chef Boyardee), tuna fish (in water), soups with hearty beef or chicken noodle, pasta, canned meat, canned fruits and vegetables, water, juices, soft drinks, and healthful snacks. Thank you. Please call our parish for more information (413) 781-3656.



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Pope Francis Announces Year of Prayer leading up to Jubilee in 2025

The faithful are invited to pray for Christian unity and world peace and to intercede in prayer for the release of a group of persons along with six nuns who were kidnapped in Port-au-Prince Haiti on Friday, January 19. At the Angelus of Sunday, January 21st, Pope Francis said the **Year of Prayer** is devoted *“to rediscovering the great value and absolute need for prayer, prayer in personal life, in the life of the Church, prayer in the world.”*

Online Article by Christopher Wells: [Pope announces Year of Prayer leading up to Jubilee - Vatican News](https://www.vaticannews.va/en.html)
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Valentine's Day at Hot Table:

35% of Proceeds to Benefit Michael J Dias Foundation's Mission

Join the Michael J Dias Foundation in partnership with Hot Table, the renowned *Panini* experts. On Wednesday, February 14th from 4:00 to 9:00 p.m., use promo code **GIVE35** when ordering from Hot Table on Riverdale Street in West Springfield, and 35% of your purchase will directly support the Foundation's vital mission of aiding and educating individuals and families affected by substance use disorders. The Michael J Dias Foundation is committed to providing support, resources, and hope to those battling addiction. This Valentine's Day, savor the love, share the hope, and make a difference with a delicious meal from Hot Table. Please call Karen at (413) 304-0715 for information or use your Hot Table App for takeout orders.

OLBS LENTEN SERIES

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Parish, 127 Holyoke Road, Westfield will once again be hosting a **Lenten Series** beginning February 21st and continuing the Wednesdays of Lent. More information to follow. Please plan to join us! For questions, please call the Parish Office at (413) 562-3450.

The Sisters of St. Joseph will be hosting the annual IRISH GALA on Sunday, February 25

Featuring John Connors and The Irish Express Band. The afternoon includes music, dancing, corned beef sandwiches, desserts, Irish Breads, raffles and so much more. Tickets are \$35 and must be purchased in advance by calling Sr. Elly Harrington at the Development Office of the Sisters of St. Joseph at 536-0853 or Marty Kearney at 552-0569. Please join the Sisters of St. Joseph and many friends as they gather this year for the **Irish Gala** to honor the memory of Mary Shea Campbell who was instrumental in bringing the Irish Gala to the Sisters of St. Joseph as a fundraising event for the care of the Sisters and a sponsorship of many ministries in the Diocese of Springfield.

Saint Jerome Parish in Holyoke will host a **Novena to Saint Patrick** from **March 7 through 15**.

The weekday Novena Masses will be celebrated at 12:15 p.m. The Saturday Novena Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 p.m., and the Sunday Novena Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 a.m. Bishop William Byrne and eight other Diocesan priests will each celebrate one of the Novena Masses. All are welcome. For more information, contact the Parish office at (413) 532.6381.



Saint Anthony of Padua Parish in Chicopee, MA invites all people of good will from everywhere to join a **Marian Pilgrimage 2024** (August 1 -18). We call all people to be part of this unforgettable pilgrimage with the Blessed Virgin Mary. This pilgrimage will take you across five countries (Portugal, France, Spain, Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina), five languages, two-three climate zones... and the six most popular Marian Shrines! A journey to three “wells of spiritual healing,” is a journey to places where the Divine touched the Earth! If you want to know more about this pilgrimage, you can visit the website of our Marian Pilgrimage 2024 <https://tri.ps/DASxi> (English) or <https://tri.ps/EmIYZ> (Spanish). If you are interested in this **Marian Pilgrimage**, please contact St. Anthony of Padua Parish in Chicopee: info@stanthonychicopee.com ~ (413) 538-9475 ~ (413) 536-5142