



Saint Ambrose Church

P.O. Box 67
191 School Street
Albion, RI 02802

Phone 401.333.1568 Fax 401.333.1568

office@stambrosechurchri.org

www.stambrosechurchri.org

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil
5:15PM

Sunday
8:30AM & 11:15AM

HOLYDAY MASSES

7:30AM & 7:00PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Wednesday &
Friday
7:30AM

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays
4:15-4:45PM

BAPTISMS

Please contact Parish Priest
before the birth of your
child.

MARRIAGES

Please contact Parish
Priest one year prior.

HOLY ORDERS

Please contact the
Vocations Office at
331-1316 or
www.catholicpriest.com

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please notify the Rectory
Office in case of illness,
infirmity or hospitalization.



PARISH STAFF

Father Thomas J. Ferland, Parish Priest

Father John A. Kiley, Senior Priest

Mrs. Holly Bradley, Secretary

Ms. Nancy Clancy, Bookkeeper

Ms. Christiana Rodi, Children's Choir & Adult Choir Directress

Jeffrey Allard, Organist

Mr. Michael Peters, Maintenance Supervisor

Mr. Raymond A. Gagnon, Parish Sexton

PARISH TRUSTEES

Mrs. Joyce Boudreau

The Honorable Burton Stallwood

RECTORY OFFICE

Mondays, Tuesdays,
Thursdays & Fridays
9:00AM—2:00PM
Closed Wednesdays &
Legal Holidays

PARISH CEMETERY

Please contact the
Rectory Office.

OFFICE OF CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY

401.333.1568

Mr. Matthew Daly
Director of
Confirmation &
Youth Ministry
(Grades 6-8)

StAmbroseYouth@cox.net

Mrs. Michelle J. Donovan
Directress of Religious
Education & First
Communion Preparation
(Grades K—5)

StAmbroseRelEd@cox.net

Mr. James R. Jahnz
Coordinator of RCIA
401.334.8993

Mr. Charles W. Malenfant
Boy Scout Troop 711
Mrs. Janet Malenfant
Cub Scout Pack 711
& Girl Scout Troop 1711
401.765.4240

Divine Mercy Sunday
April 23, 2017

2



Saturday—April 22

Vigil of Divine Mercy Sunday

5:15PM—Roger Falardeau—8th Anniversary

Requested by his Wife & Family

Sunday—April 23

Divine Mercy Sunday

8:30AM—Adrien & Jeannette Patenaude—Memorial

Requested by their Family

11:15AM—Ann Doe Little—22nd Anniversary

Requested by her Husband and Family

Nicole Bentley Cianci—5th Anniversary

Requested by her Family

Monday—April 24

Easter Weekday

7:30 AM—Susan Flaherty—In Health

Requested by Frank Gallagher

Tuesday— April 25 at St. James—7PM

Wednesday—April 26

Easter Weekday

7:30 AM - Arthur Smith—Birthday Remembrance

Requested by Roberta Smith

Thursday —April 27 at St. James—7PM

Friday—April 28

Easter Weekday

7:30AM—David J. Tyrrell, Jr.—Memorial

Requested by Roberta Smith

Saturday—April 29

Vigil of the Third Sunday of Easter

5:15PM —Roul Bouthillette—Memorial

Requested by his Wife

Sunday—April 30

The Third Sunday of Easter

8:30AM—Denis Paux—Birthday Remembrance

Requested by his Mother Madeline Paux

11:15AM—Edward Coons—3rd Anniversary

Requested by his Wife Dawn

Clemence Bolduc—Birthday Remembrance

Requested by her Family

“Because we have been gifted with God’s peace in the Risen Christ, we are called to our own peace and to the making of peace in our world. As disciples and as children of God it is our task to seek for ways in which to make the forgiveness, justice and mercy and love of God visible in a world where violence and enmity are too often the norm.”

-Challenge of Peace

The joyous celebration of Easter is also a challenge for all the believers to share the hope and mercy of the Risen Christ. We began to respond to this Easter challenge by the beauty, devotion and zeal with which we entered into the Passion, Death and Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.



I need to express a word of thanks to all who expressed their love of God and the community through their differing ministries. The music ministry with Christiana Rodi and Jeffrey Allard guiding our wonderful choir truly raised our hearts and spirits to God. Our lectors, servants of the altar and ushers inspired all of us through their dedication and piety. Our guest musicians helped greatly to add to the solemnity of our Easter. The children’s choir allowed all of us to have a foretaste of God’s Heavenly Court. It has been a great beginning of our Easter Season. Thank you. May all of us respond to the Easter Challenge and bring the hope and peace of this season to our brothers and sisters.

*“Christ is risen from the dead,
trampling down death by death, and
upon those in the tombs bestowing life.”*
Alleluia! Peace, Fr. Tom

Weekly Collection

Week of April 9, 2017

Weekly Budget.....	\$5,389.00
EFT.....	\$ 462.00
Poor Box.....	\$ 937.00

Week of April 16, 2017


Weekly Budget.....	\$3,132.00
EFT.....	\$2,722.00
Poor Box.....	\$ 185.00
Easter Collection (CCFA).....	\$3,299.00

Thank you for your generosity!
We depend solely upon your weekly support to meet our weekly parish expenses.

**Our Lady's Hanging Lamp
In Loving Memory of**

Arthur T. Smith

**Please keep this intention in
your prayers**



If you are interested in an intention for **Our Lady's Hanging Lamp** please contact the Church office at 333-1568.)



St. Ambrose
Catholic Charity
Fund Appeal
raised:

\$44,899.00

Thank you for so generously supporting
the 2017 Catholic Charity Fund
Appeal

Mother's Day Memorials



Envelopes are available in budget packets and/or in the back of the Church for Mothers Day Memorials. Please return completed envelopes with the names of your beloved Mothers and Grandmothers, living and deceased, by Thursday, May 11th. All Masses on Mother's Day are offered for all Mother's.

Mother of Hope Camp


1589 Putnam Pike (Rt. 44)
Chepachet, RI 02814

Registration now open for Summer 2017
www.motherofhopecamp.com
Meet our friendly & professional staff while touring the beautiful grounds during MOH Camp's Open House & Family Fun Day on Sunday, May 21st from 1:00-4:00pm

HANDS OF HOPE

Community Event
Saturday, April 29, 2017
Noon—4:00PM
Rain Date: Sunday, April 30th
Open to the Public
Admission: Nonperishable Food Donation for St. Vincent de Paul Society Activities

*Forest Trails Scavenger Hunt, Storytelling, Therapy Dog Demonstrations, Bird Watching Workshop,
Gardening Workshop, Service Opportunities such as Trail Chip Application on Challenge Course (bring work gloves, shovels, rakes, etc) & Other Family Craft Activities.

	Congratulations to Nicholas Charles Ryan who was Confirmed at St. Ambrose Church on April 15th.
---	--

St. Ambrose Mission Trip 2017

**The Mission Team is 12 members strong and is going to Mustard Seed Communities Jamaica
June 14—24, 2017**

You will be hearing from the Mission Team this weekend and we ask that you support the efforts our mission team through prayers, donations and loving encouragement.



The Community Garden Committee



Would like to extend an invitation to all members of the parish to join us this season. We had a very successful

season last year and hope to do the same this year. For that to happen we need your help. There are many roles to fill. The choice is yours. If you are interested please call Michelle Lanne at 333-8835.

Opening day is April 29th

**Come out and help us
help others!**

REIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grades K-5

RE on Sunday April 23rd & April 30th at regularly scheduled times.

FIRST COMMUNION RETREAT will be held Saturday, May 6th from 2:00-5:00PM

FIRST COMMUNION REHEARSAL is scheduled for Friday, May 12th at 6:00PM

FIRST COMMUNION is scheduled for Saturday, May 13th at 10:00AM

MAY CROWNING is scheduled on Sunday, May 14th at 11:15 AM Mass



2017-2018 registration is Currently ongoing through May 14, 2017.

Registrations have been emailed. If you did not receive an email you can download the registration form from the St. Ambrose website:

www.stambrosechurchri.org or feel free to call the office during business hours at 401-333-1568 for a registration form.

Grades Kindergarten through 5th grade Religious Education will continue to be held on Sunday mornings and Grades 6-8 will once again be a 1 week program running from July 31st—August 4th from 8:30 until noon each day.



Jesus, I Trust in You

Navigant
CREDIT UNION™

Enjoy Life's Journey

Life is a journey.
We'll help you get
there, again and again

401.233.4700 • navigantcu.org

DEPAULT **ACE**
HARDWARE Hardware
CUMBERLAND PLAZA
2000 Mendon Rd., Suite 9
401-333-9855 Fax 401-333-2046
 Wallcovering • Propane Refill Station



Contact us for a Free Pre-Planning
Consultation at (401) 723-9792
QUALITY & AFFORDABILITY SINCE 1821
Bradford R. Bellows & Allan R. Bellows II
Traditional Funerals • Cremations • Pre-Planning
160 River Road • Lincoln, RI 02865
WWW.BELLOWSFUNERALCHAPEL.COM

Above & Beyond
Tree Service, LLC
COMMERCIAL & RESIDENTIAL
Fully Insured & Licensed Arborist
Free Estimate Call **401-529-4903**
Geoff Mongeon, Owner & Operator
www.aboveandbeyond-treeservice.com
TREE REMOVAL • PRUNING • STUMP GRINDING • FIREWOOD

LINCOLN
LANDSCAPE
Complete Landscape & Design
Yard Maintenance
RONALD FEALHABER
~Owner~
Landscapers for St. Ambrose
Manville, RI 401-334-3344

catholicmatch®
Rhode Island

CatholicMatch.com/dateRI

Representing **25**
insurance companies.
Let us do the shopping for you.
Call Hunter Insurance for a
FREE insurance policy review.

HUNTER
INSURANCE INC.
HOPE • AUTO • BUSINESS • LIFE

401.769.9500 | hunterinsurance.net

"For a life worth celebrating"

JJ Duffy
Funeral Home
Dennis Bernardo | Jeffrey Bernardo | Brian Bernardo
757 Mendon Road
Cumberland 334-2300

Thanks...

Please take the time to read
the ads which make your
bulletin possible. Help
support them as they
support the parish.
Mention the church bulletin
when you patronize their
establishments.

Let them know they
are appreciated.

*Wedding Invitations
& Holiday Cards*

Log Onto www.jpcc.net
conveniently from your home or office.
ONLINE CATALOG • ONLINE ORDERING • ONLINE PROOFING
All Major Credit Cards Accepted • FREE UPS GROUND SHIPPING!

DC
Funding

Commercial Rates are at an **All Time Low.**
Contact us today to get a free analysis
to see if we can help **Save you money**
with our monthly payments on your
commercial property. Multi-Family, Retail,
Office Building, Apartment and Condos.
Can close in as little as 45 days! Four
season customer service is our top priority.

Call us today **215-586-1575** or **267-251-0341**
www.duqfunding.com
3900 City Avenue, Suite 107 • Philadelphia, PA 19131

American Red Cross

Make a Difference in Your Community

VOLUNTEER
with the American Red Cross

Join today at redcross.org/Volunteer

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

DOES YOUR ADVERTISING

- Establish a relationship?
- Build a friendship?
- Earn referrals?
- Generate a testimony?
- Capture repeat business?

Community support worthy of patronizing!

This happens for thousands every day with church bulletin advertising!
The constant visual presence your business needs to succeed.

25 years
quality • integrity • service
proven service • proven reputation

JOHN PATRICK
publishing company, inc.

FAMILIAR • TRUSTED • PROVEN EFFECTIVE... NOW THAT'S ADVERTISING!

1.800.333.3166 ext.161 | www.JPPC.net