



St. Francis of Assisi Parish

ST. JOSEPH'S CHAPEL
ST. THOMAS A BECKET CHURCH

AUGUST 3, 2025

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St. Francis of Assisi Parish Directory

Mass Schedule ▪ Press 1

Office Manager | Deacon Malcolm Colgate

Press 2 ▪ OFFICE HOURS ▪ WED ▪ 2PM - 4PM

Our Pastor | Father James Callahan

Press 3

Baptism and Marriage Preparation

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St. Joseph's Cemetery Inquiries

Brian Cirelli ▪ Press 6

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Bulletin Submissions

Email information to bulletinsfb@gmail.com

by Thursday to be included in the upcoming weekend



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Mass Schedule

Saturday

4PM

St. Thomas A Becket

Sunday

8AM

St. Joseph's Chapel

10:30AM

St. Thomas A Becket

Daily Mass ▪ Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

9AM ▪ St. Thomas A Becket

Daily Masses are canceled when school
is delayed/canceled due to weather

Confession ▪ Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday ▪ 3PM ▪ St. Thomas A Becket

Or by appointment

Eucharist Adoration

Tuesday After 9:00AM Mass

In the event a cancellation is necessary it will be announced

Rosary Group

Tuesday ▪ 6:45PM ▪ St. Joseph's Hall

For more information contact Liz
via voice or text 774.364.2158

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Week of August 3, 2025



ADORATION AND
BENEDICTION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT
TUESDAYS AFTER
9:00AM MASS

Aug 02	SATURDAY 4:00PM	(+) John Jasons <i>Req by: Peg Morin</i>
Aug 03	SUNDAY 8:00AM	(+) Joseph & Beatrice Jannette and deceased members of their family <i>Req by: The Family</i>
	SUNDAY 10:30AM	(+) Ken Cusson <i>Req by: Peg Morin</i>
Aug 04	MONDAY 9:00AM	(+) Salvatore Lamacchia <i>Req by: Vickie & Bill King</i>
Aug 05	TUESDAY 9:00AM	Votive Offerings
Aug 06	WEDNESDAY 9:00AM	Pastor's Intentions
Aug 09	SATURDAY 4:00PM	(+) Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Lamacchia <i>Req by: Ben & Lorriane Leno</i>
Aug 10	SUNDAY 8:00AM	(+) Harry J. Corbett <i>Req by: His Wife Isabel</i>
	SUNDAY 10:30AM	Healing for Christina Gallagher <i>Req by: Flame of Love Rosary Group</i>

PLEASE CONTACT DEACON MALCOM TO REQUEST A MASS INTENTION.

OUR FREE LITTLE VEGGIE STAND IS NOW OPEN!

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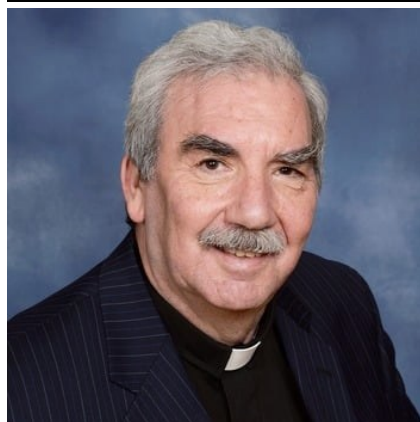
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Parish Weekly Collection Week of: July 27, 2025	
Envelopes	\$1,150.00
Anonymous Cash	\$421.00
Loose Checks	\$610.00
On-Line Giving	\$306.00
Total	\$2,487.00
Special Collections That Stay in the Parish	
Fuel	\$35.00
Maintenance	\$70.00
Parking Lot	\$70.00
Total	\$175.00
Additional Collections That Leave the Parish	
Emergency Assistance Fund	\$20.00
Total	\$20.00
Total Collection	\$2,682.00



Father Thomas H. Hultquist, 76, senior priest in residence at St. George Parish in Worcester, passed away July 12 at Notre Dame Healthcare in Worcester.



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Please call/text Liz Sansoucy at 774-364-2158 or email sansoucyliz@gmail.com if you would like to learn more about this opportunity .



Father Hultquist was born Oct. 2, 1948, in Whitinsville, the son of Carl H. and Antoinette (Abbate) Hultquist.

Father Hultquist's early education began at the Good Shepherd School in Linwood, where he first felt the call to serve. He graduated in 1966 from Uxbridge High School and in 1968 from Glastonbury Latin School in Hingham. He studied for the priesthood from 1968 to 1976 at St. Thomas Seminary in Bloomfield, Connecticut, and Christ the King Seminary in East Aurora, New York.

He was ordained to the priesthood on June 5, 1976, by Bishop Bernard J. Flanagan in St. Paul Cathedral. He served as associate pastor of St. Charles Borromeo Parish, Worcester; St. Joseph Parish, North Brookfield, St. Camillus de Lellis Parish, Fitchburg, and St. Peter Parish, Worcester, before being appointed associate at St. Cecilia Parish, Leominster. On March 20, 1992, he was named temporary administrator of St. Joseph Parish, Barre, and St. Augustine Mission, Wheelwright. He was named administrator 6 in July 1992 and was appointed pastor on April 23, 1993. He was appointed to special ministry effective July 6, 2013. On July 1, 2014 he was appointed pastor of Immaculate Conception Parish in Lancaster. On July 1, 2023 he was named senior priest in residence at St. George Parish in Worcester.

He is survived by his sister, Mary Anne Bentley, and her husband, Tom, of Uxbridge. He was predeceased by his father and mother.

Father Hultquist's memory will also be honored by his numerous cousins. Father Hultquist was a man of profound kindness, a faith-filled servant of God and selfless in his devotion to others. His interests outside the church were as passionate as his faith. A true New Englander, Father Hultquist was an ardent supporter of all the New England sports teams, his spirit as unwavering in watching and following the games as it was at the altar.

Father Hultquist's life was a testament to the power of kindness, the strength of faith and the beauty of selflessness.

In remembering him, we celebrate the countless lives he touched with his compassionate heart and gentle wisdom. His legacy will continue to inspire and guide those who were blessed to know him.

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