



# St. Richard of Chichester Church

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## MASS INTENTIONS – 2020

### SATURDAY, JULY 25

#### **5:00pm Outdoor Mass Back Lot Chapel**

*Bring your own lawn chairs. Parking in front, lower lot, street and overflow lot. No reservations are necessary.*

**You can also listen to Mass from your car.**

**Tune in to FM 90.1**

### SUNDAY, JULY 26

#### **10:00am (Live Streaming on Facebook)**

<https://www.facebook.com/St-Richard-of-Chichester-131131367048485/>

**Also listen to Mass from your car. At 90.1 FM**

#### **DRIVE-BY COMMUNION**

**Conclusion of Mass - 11:00am**

## MASS INTENTIONS



**Frank Lewandowski  
Jonathan Wilmot  
Marian Hayes  
Deceased Sisters  
of St. Joseph**

## FIRST COMMUNION UPDATE

We will celebrate our First Communion in September. Mark your calendars with these dates.

Sept. 12: First Penance Workshop (All students)

9:00am-12 noon

Sept. 14: Instructional Mass (in church)

6:00pm for all students and at least one parent

Sept. 17: First Communion Practice –

Group A, 4:30pm-5:15pm (+1 parent)

Group B, 5:30pm-6:15pm (+1 parent)

Sept. 19: First Communion

Group A, 10:00am

Group B, 1:00pm

Mrs. Gallivan will be sending your detailed information regarding the Groups, so watch for it in your email and through the US mail.

## FYI: TO ALL PARISHIONERS - JOIN FLOCKNOTE

In an effort to improve communication with all of our parishioners, we are asking people to sign up for **Flocknote**. TEXT **joinstrich** to 84576

You will receive a text with instructions on how to sign in. It will ask for your name, email and cell-phone number. That's It! Help us to improve our communication with you.

Thank You . Kathy Majikas – Parish Administrator  
978-422-8881

## ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A MORE SPIRITUAL LIFE?

A 30-week directed prayer experience in the tradition of St. Ignatius of Loyola is being offered by a team of Jesuits and parishioners experienced in Ignatian prayer. The program begins in October 2020 and runs weekly. Each session is about 90 minutes long and will be held on Tuesday evenings at St. Peter's Church in Worcester at 6:30pm, adjacent to Clark University.

Information nights will be on:

- August 4th - 6:30pm at St. Peter's lower church, 929 Main St., Worcester.
- August 11th - 7:00pm at St. John's upper church, 44 Temple St., Worcester.
- August 25th - 6:30 pm at St. Joseph's Church, 10 H Putnam Rd. Extension, Charlton.

For more information go to:

<https://www.ignatianspiritualexercisesworchester.com>

Or contact the team by e-mail at:

[worcspex19@gmail.com](mailto:worcspex19@gmail.com)

You may also call Dick Kirk at: 508-885-4462

## Readings for July 25-26

**1 Kings 3:5, 7-12 (109A)**

**Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 119:57, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130**

**Second Reading - Romans 8:28-30**

**Gospel - Matthew 13:44-52 or 13:44-46**