

# A Message To Parishioners

March 16, 2020

Dear Parishioners,

This is a difficult time for all of us and I just want you to know that I'm thinking of you and praying for you, and all of us, as we navigate through this crisis. We rely on our faith to sustain us and to get us through, remembering that at the end of Lent is Easter. Our Lord Jesus Christ has triumphed and He will sustain us along with the support of one another.

In light of the crisis in our state and the recommendations of health experts, Bishop Tobin has suspended all public Masses and other liturgical services in the Diocese of Providence until further notice. He has directed that funerals and weddings may continue, but without Mass and should be limited to necessary participants only. During this time, because of security and health concerns, the church building will not be accessible.

This Sunday morning, at 10:00 am, I will be celebrating a Mass to be live streamed at that time. I invite you to view the Mass on our website, but please do not attend. This Mass will be recorded and available at any time.

I anxiously await our being reunited at the Lord's table and long for your presence.

God Bless,  
Father Joe