

## *Those Honoring as Pallbearers*

*Paul Roche      Richard Rafferty*  
*Jared Markowski      Stephen Markowski*  
*Matthew McNutt      Bradley LeBlanc*

*The family of Diane Markowski wishes to express their heartfelt gratitude for the many acts of kindness, expressions of love, and words of comfort shown during this time of loss. Your prayers, visits, calls, and support have been a source of strength and comfort to us.*



*Services In Care Of*



*Remembering a*  
**BLESSED LIFE**

*Diane F. Markowski*



*May 3, 1940 ~ August 5, 2025*

*St. Bernard's Church of Our Lady of  
Providence Parish*

*Worcester, Massachusetts  
11:00 AM, Monday, August 11, 2025*

# Mass of Christian Burial

Celebrant: Rev. Fr. Jonathan Slavinskas

## Introductory Rites (Please Stand)

Processional Hymn: "Amazing Grace"

### Greeting & Sprinkling Rite

The casket is sprinkled with holy water.

The pall placed upon Diane's casket symbolizing her baptism  
and membership in the church.

Placing of the Pall: Stephanie McNutt, Melanie Leblanc,  
Meredith & Mackenzie Rafferty

Placing of the cross: Jeanne Rafferty

## Liturgy of the Word (Please Sit)

1st Reading: Don Markowski  
Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

Responsorial: "Psalm 28"

2nd Reading: Amy Connors  
Romans 14:7-9, 10c-12

Gospel Acclamation (please stand)

Gospel

Homily (Sit)

General Intercessions (please stand)

Response: "Lord, Hear Our Prayer"

# Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn: "Ave Maria"

Presentation of the Gifts: Travis Rafferty & James Connors

Preface Acclamation (please stand)

Memorial Acclamation

Great Amen

## Communion Rite

Our Father (please stand)

Sign of Peace

Lamb of God (please kneel)

Communion Procession

Post Communion Prayer (please stand)

Communion Hymn: "You Satisfied the Hungry Heart"

Words of Remembrance: Jeanne Rafferty

## Final Commendation and Farewell

This is the final farewell by the community, an act of love and respect for Diane,  
whom we entrust to the tender and merciful embrace of God.

Invitation to Prayer (please stand)

Signs of Farewell (Incensing the Casket)

Song of Farewell

Prayer of Commendation

Recessional Hymn: "Sing with All the Saints in Glory"

## Rite of Committal

Massachusetts Veterans Memorial Cemetery

Winchendon, Massachusetts