

**NATIONAL SHRINE OF
OUR LADY OF
LA SALETTE**



Dear Friends of La Salette,

"2008"

"The staff here at the National Shrine of Our Lady of La Salette is all excited about opening our doors again to the thousands of people who will come to see the inspiring Christmas display prepared for young and old alike.

Recently our Holy Father Benedict XVI wrote a letter entitled "Saved in Hope", and it triggered our decision to want to have all of our visitors this year deepen their

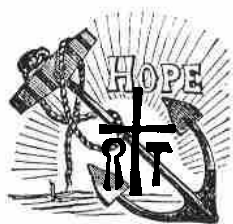


understanding of "Christ Our Hope" through our glorious Christmas displays that cover some 50 acres of land.

While you take time to reflect on our Christmas illuminations you will find settings that will proclaim "Hope that transcends all Hope". You will find a place to listen to what God is saying to the child within you. Come experience a peaceful walk, a guided tour, a seasonal concert; a worship service in our new Millennium Church, light a candle in our Chapel of Light; browse around in our new Bookstore/Gift Shop, ride the trolley etc.

In these violent times when there is a great need for courage and guidance, La Salette heralds: "Christ Our Hope".

May the Star of the Sea who is the Mother of the Lord enlighten your path and lead you here to the "Festival of Lights" and discover "Christ Our Hope".



Christmas Schedule

Mass

Monday thru Friday 12:10 & 5:30 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday 12:10, 4:00, 5:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Day 2:00 – 8:00 p.m.

No Confession Nov. 27, Dec. 25, & Jan. 4, 2009

Special hours on Dec. 24 & 31: 2:00 – 5:00

Opening Ceremony & Blessing

Every Day at the Outdoor Manger 4:55 p.m.

Illuminations

Every Day 5:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Christmas Concerts with Fr. Pat in the Church

Tuesday thru Sunday 3:00 & 7:00 p.m.

No Fr. Pat Concert on Saturday, Dec 6

No Concerts: Thanksgiving, Christmas & New Year's Day.

Call for Complete Christmas Concert Schedule

International Display of Nativity Sets

Located in the former Gift Shop

Bookstore/ Gift Shop

Every Day 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Open Thanksgiving day 5 p.m. - 9 p.m. Closed on Dec. 25

Special Hours: Dec 24: 10:00 – 7:00, Dec 26: 2:00 – 9:00

Dec 31: 10:00 – 7:00, Jan 1: 2:00 – 9:00

Open hours see above schedule.

Bistro -

Cafeteria

Monday thru Friday 4:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Saturday & Sunday 12:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Closed Nov. 27, Dec. 24, 25, 31

Special Hours: Jan 1: 2:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Christmas Bazaar ~ Will be in the Welcome Center Concert Hall

Fri. & Sat. Nov. 28, 29 12:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Sunday, Nov. 30 12:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Trolley - Friday thru Sunday 5:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Carousel - Friday thru Sunday 5:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Travel Directions

From I-95 North: Take Exit 3 (Route 123 East) and follow the signs to the Shrine.

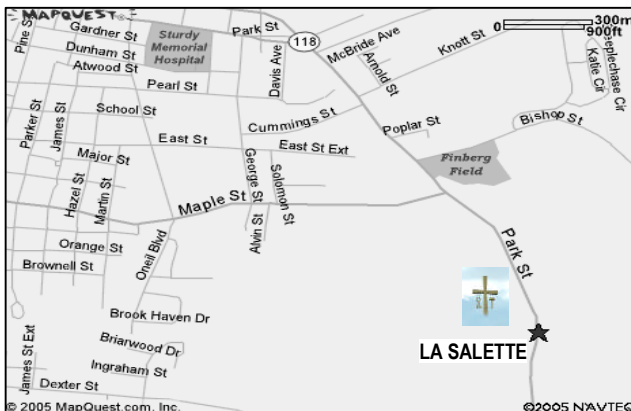
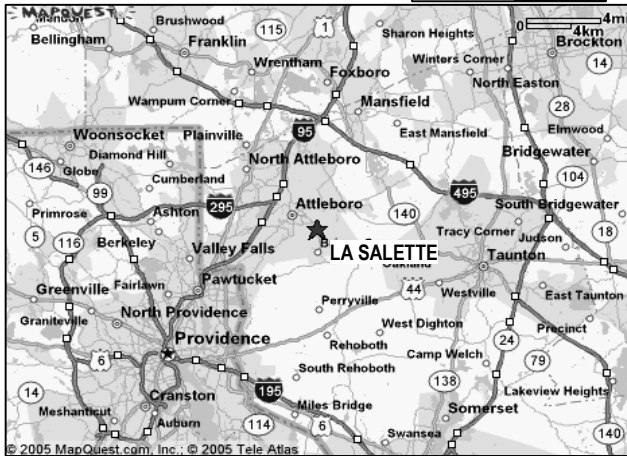
From I-95 South: Take Exit 5 (Route 152) or Exit 3 (Route 123 East) and follow the signs to the Shrine.

From I-195 or US 44: Take Route 118 North (towards Rehoboth) and continue to the Shrine on Route 118 North.

From I-295: At the northern end of I-295 in Massachusetts. Take I-95 South to Exit 3 (Route 123 East) and follow the signs to the Shrine.

From I-495 North: Take Exit 10 (Route 123 West) thru Norton and follow the signs to the Shrine.

From all directions, follow these blue and white signs to the Shrine.



Welcome to the National Shrine of Our Lady of La Salette

2008 Christmas

Festival of Lights

“Christ Our Hope”

November 27 to January 4

Illuminations: 5:00 – 9:00 p.m.



FREE Admission FREE Parking

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