

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, April 5 - 4:00 p.m.
 Robert Schlottmann - requested by his Wife

Sunday, April 6 Fifth Sunday of Lent
7:00 a.m.
 Lawrence J. Welch, Birthday Remembrance - requested by Larry & Natalie Welch

Monday, April 7 - 8:30 a.m.
 Pauline Allen, Birthday Remembrance - requested by her husband Tom



Tuesday, April 8 - 8:30 a.m.
 April McDonald - requested by Muriel Menken

Wednesday, April 9 - 8:30 a.m.
 Lee Ann Ritchotte - requested by Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan

Thursday, April 10 - 8:30 a.m.
 Harriet Marcoulier - requested by Renee Despres & Anita Brasley

Friday, April 11 - 8:30 a.m.
 Joseph Therrien - requested by Andy & Marianne Therrien

Saturday, April 12 - 4:00 p.m.
 Irene Beaudin - requested by Mr. & Mrs. Roger Beaudin

Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
7:00 a.m.
 Fred Bukowski - requested by his Wife & Sons
10:30 a.m.
 Peter Moran, Anniversary of Death - requested by the Family

300 Club: Week 10
 #24 Susan Guelli; #83 Lorraine & Ernest Bergevin; #153 Gloria Pilotte; #159 Julie Guevin and #282 Paul & Lorraine Field

Congratulations!

If you'd like a lucky number, please see one of the Captains.

Captains: Doris Cote 624-1013; Gloria Pilotte 623-8173; Lisa Siraco 622-5445 (Parish Office); or Terry Sylvain 669-2582

Welcome Visitors!
 With joyful hearts we welcome you into our house of prayer to celebrate the gift of life and special faith we share. Fr. John, the staff and our parishioners extend our warmest welcome. If you would like to become a member of Blessed Sacrament, please fill out a registration form and submit it to the parish office. Forms are available in the back of the Church or you may stop by the Parish Office on weekdays from 9am-5pm. Please feel free to call the parish office with any questions you may have. Welcome!

Welcome our new friends

Bake Sale

I'd like to give a big thank you to Fr. John and everyone who helped contribute towards my DECA conference and represent our NH. I made almost \$800 through everyone's generosity and love of sweets! Thank you so much!

~ Kayla Johonnett

What would life be without friends? While family is very important to us, every person needs at least one good friend to be able to be fully accepted and valued without any past history. When I was a senior back in high school and told my friend Jimmy I was going to the seminary, he was shocked! We were close, played sports, and did many things together that solidified our friendship. We had pledged to each other to be "friends for life!" So when I told Jimmy about the seminary, his shock turned to sadness. This was a different reaction than what I received from my family: they were happy about my decision!! True friends have a special, unique relationship with each other. It is built on total acceptance without a need for explanation, and most especially upon unconditional love and trust. With family, having these qualities is an obligation; but with friends it is a free choice! In today's Gospel, Jesus shows how much of a friend he is to Lazarus, Mary and Martha. They were special friends to Jesus, always there to provide understanding, support and love especially when Jesus was being misunderstood and victimized. In today's Gospel, Jesus "wept" for Lazarus when he saw him dead in the tomb. And he did what only a real friend could do: he raised Lazarus up from the dead! True friends always raise each other's spirits to new life and hope by always believing in them. As we draw closer to Easter, let us turn to Jesus Christ our truest friend: and allow him to raise us up both in body at the resurrection, and in spirit every day of our lives on earth! ~ Fr. John



Pray for the Sick

Let us pray for these special intentions:

For all our parishioners that are homebound and in nursing homes; for all our parishioners, family and friends that are struggling with illness or recovering from surgeries; and for Don Myers, Charlotte Green, Camden Soucy, Ted Begin, Phil S., Peter Caruso, Kathy Hawkins, Alfred Latulippe, Mary Guimond, Angie Iri-zarry, Jeannie Coleman, Joyce Sullivan, Pauline Gagnon, Jerry de Repentigny and Jaxson Field.

St. Theresa of Lisieux Adoration Chapel
 Chapel Hours: 7am-7pm Daily
Open Hours

Mondays: 2pm Thursdays: 10am
Fridays: 5pm
Saturdays: 1pm & 2pm

Spending time in Adoration is a wonderful way to prepare for Easter. Instead of giving up coffee, candy or TV time this Lent, why not give an hour to our Lord in Adoration? Can you spare an hour for Jesus?

For more information please call Irene de Repentigny, Chapel Coordinator at 622-7775.

Eucharistic Adoration

STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS: March 26 & 27, 2014

Weekend Offertory		General Fund
Envelopes	\$3,351.00	Adoration Chapel: \$15.00
Loose	\$ 714.02	Candles: \$79.00
Electronic Offering	\$ 40.00	
Total Offertory:	\$4,105.02	Parish Outreach Fund
Monthly Deficit:	\$1,250.06	St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$72.87
		Food Pantry: \$ - -
		- in memory of D. O'Rourke: \$100.00

Thank you for supporting our Parish and Outreach Programs.

PARISH LEADERSHIP

PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRIES

St. Anthony Food Pantry	
Colleen Hayward (volunteers)	935-9949
My Brother's Keeper Sleeping Bags	
Rosemary McNair	647-2797
Shoes For Kids/General Outreach	
Lisa Siraco	622-5445
St. Anne's Closet (clothing for children)	
Karen McAndrew	497-2770
Parish Nurse Program	663-8004
Parish Elderly Ministry	
Diane Steele	669-8825

PARISH MINISTRIES

Adoration Chapel	
Irene de Repentigny	622-7775
Beautification Committee	
Fr. John	622-5445
Boy/Cub Scouts	
Ron St. Cyr	622-8182
Parish Prayer Line	
Gemma Houde	668-3993
Young Adult Faith Formation/Confirmation	
Dan & Debbie Goulet (Year 1)	623-5354
Sr. Marjorie Lupien (Year 2)	315-7623
Funeral Ministry	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445
Liturgical Ministers (Eucharist Lectors, Altar Servers)	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445
Memorial Meals	
Gloria Pilotte	623-8173
Men of St. Joseph	
Tom Lavallee	845-3450
Prayer Shawl Ministry	
Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan	622-7138
Religious Education (Gr. 1-7)	
Martha & Steve Donohue	627-4868
Respect Life	622-5445
RCIA	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445
Secular Franciscan Order	
Tom Cloutier	644-8788
Social Committee	
Donna Guertin	669-5232
Spirits Alive!	
Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan	622-7138
Youth Group	
Ellen Donohue	867-8881

FUNDRAISING

300 Club	622-5445
Bulletin Ads	622-5445

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS

Baptism, Marriage, Sacrament of the Sick	
Fr. John Bucchino, ofm	622-5445

MUSIC MINISTRY

Music Director & Organist, Adult Choir and Cantors:	
James Butka	540-7638

SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE
Challenging Minds Sharing Our Faith Cherishing Families

Your children are your most precious gift. Give them an education that not only challenges their mind, but feeds their soul. Consider a Catholic Education for your child and contact us today. Please visit us during our Spring Open House to be held on Wednesday, April 9th from 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Anyone interested may call 622-1711 or email stcatherineoffice@comcast.net. Visit us on the web, www.saintcatherineschoolnh.com.

Calendar of Events

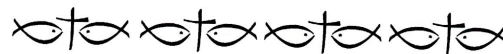
- Sunday, April 6**
 - * Religious Ed Grades 1-7, 9am, Church Hall
 - * RCIA, 9am, Friary basement
- Monday, April 7**
 - * My Brother's Keeper, 9am-Noon, Church Hall
 - * Spirits Alive! 6:30pm, Our Lady of Mercy House
 - * Boy Scouts, 6:30pm, Church Hall
- Tuesday, April 8**
 - * Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass
- Wednesday, April 9**
 - * St. Anne's Closet, Last Names M-Z, 1-3pm
 - * Food Pantry, Last Names M-Z, 1-3:30pm
 - * Parish Nurse, 1:30-3pm, Church Hall
 - * Youth Faith Formation, 6:00pm, Friary
- Thursday, April 10**
 - * Prayer Shawl Ministry, 9:15am, Our Lady of Mercy House
 - * Cub Scouts, 6pm, Church Hall
- Friday, April 11**
 - * Taize Prayer, 6:30pm, Church
- Saturday, April 12**
 - * Men of St. Joseph, 7-9am, Church Hall
- Sunday, April 13**
 - * Religious Ed Grades 1-7, 9am, Church Hall
 - * NO RCIA today

Special Request for help and prayers:

One of our young parishioners, Jaxson Field, age 9, has been diagnosed with Acute Myeloid Leukemia and has been undergoing chemotherapy at Boston Children's Hospital and is expected to be there for at least the next 4 months. During this time, his parents are traveling daily back and forth, taking time off from work. As we can all imagine, it is a big financial hit for the family. To help them by trying to ease some of the financial burden, a website has been set-up for the family where you can follow Jaxson's journey and if you're able, donate to help the family.

The website is:
<http://www.gofundme.com/Jaxson-Field>

Please keep Jaxson, his parents Kate and Brian, and his brother Kellen in your prayers.



Help Needed! Ministry Service Volunteers

As a volunteer you emulate Jesus in his life. Blessed Sacrament Memorial Meals are a wonderful outreach to families. Food is provided and hospitality is given to families in celebration of the loved one's life. It helps remind the families of the heavenly banquet of God's kingdom.

- Volunteers are needed:
- To make calls (list is provided) to the generous cooks
 - To be a team coordinator
 - To help serve, set up and clean up

If you have time, working or not working, and you are eager to get involved, this ministry is for you. Women or men are welcomed, training will be provided. Please call Sister Marjorie at the office, 622-5445.

We are looking for men from Blessed Sacrament Parish to join us in rebuilding the moral foundation of our communities. All that's required is two hours a month and your desire to lead a prayerful life. We meet in the church the 2nd Saturday of every month from 7:00 - 9:00am for rosary, prayer, breakfast and discussion. We know your weekends are busy with family, home repairs and chores, so we always end by 9:00am! We are just regular guys trying to follow the model of Saint Joseph in leading our families and our community. Our next gathering is **Saturday, April 12th** in the church and this month's speaker is our pastor, Fr. John. Come check us out and I promise you won't be disappointed. For more information call Tom at 845-3450.



DIOCESAN DAY OF Reconciliation

All parishes will open their doors to welcome you on Monday of Holy Week, April 14th for reconciliation. Please call your focal parish for specific details.

April 14, 2014
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
5 p.m. - 7 p.m.
For a complete listing of all parishes visit catholicnh.org.

As part of the Diocesan Day of Reconciliation, Fr. John will be available to hear confessions in our Church from 11am-1pm and from 5-6:30pm.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, April 12th & April 13th
Saturday: 4pm
Sunday: 7am & 10:30am

Holy Thursday, April 17th
Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7:00pm

Good Friday of the Lord's Passion, April 18th
Stations of the Cross, 3:00pm
The Passion of Our Lord, Veneration of the Cross, 7:00pm

Holy Saturday, April 19th
Easter Vigil Mass, 7:00pm

Easter Sunday, The Resurrection of the Lord, April 20th
Masses 7:00am & 10:30am