



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, June 21 - 4:00pm

George Brown - requested by the Family

Sunday, June 22 The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ 7:00am

Paul Huot - requested by the Dionne Family

10:30am

Raymond Turcotte, Anniversary of Death

- requested by his wife

Monday, June 23 - 8:30am

Harry Christopher Willette- by Kathleen Shea

Shea

Tuesday, June 24 - 8:30am

Norman McInnis Jr. - requested by Kathleen Shea

Wednesday, June 25

NO MASS TODAY

Thursday, June 26 - 8:30am

Gerry de Repentigny, 95th Birthday- requested by his Wife

Friday, June 27 - 8:30am

Joseph Therrien - requested by Andy & Marianne Therrien

Saturday, June 28 - 4:00pm

Maurice Vachon - requested by Suzanne & Lee Forest and Family

Sunday, June 29 Saints Peter and Paul

7:00am

Robert Fortin, Birthday Remembrance - requested by his Wife

10:30am

Grazia & Domenico Palumbo - requested by their Daughter



When I was growing up, I would bring my friend Jimmy with me to visit my grandmother. Grandma Maria was most often at the stove cooking, creating her "art work" making delicious pastas and side dishes. The aroma was irresistible: it drew both Jimmy and myself to the stove where we would ask grandma "What are you making?" She knew instinctively how two growing boys would do anything to sample one of her dishes, so she would say with a wry smile: "Sit at the table, and I will give you some!!" We did what she told us to do! Yet what gave her the most pleasure was when my friend Jimmy would make a sound of satisfaction with each bite: "hmmmm - this is soooo good!" And grandma would say to me later: "I like your friend Jimmy!! Because he enjoys my food so much!!!" As we celebrate Corpus Christi this weekend, the feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, I hear Jesus asking the crowds of people in today's Gospel: "How much do you like my food? For it is God's food!! The bread of life that comes down from heaven!!" And many of the people argued among themselves; they refused the food that was offered them and thus rejected God's generous love to them. Jesus tells us his disciples: "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise you up on the last day." Today's feast of Corpus Christi is a wake-up call to each one of us who have been fed with the Eucharist, the food of eternal life. What is our attitude when we receive holy communion? Do we receive it in the same spirit of my friend Jimmy: "hmmmm - this is soooo good!" Or have we become so accustomed to receiving communion as a "ritual" without any feelings of love and devotion behind it? It matters very much, for it involves our eternal salvation!!! ~ Fr. John

A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

Eucharistic



Adoration

St. Theresa of Lisieux Adoration Chapel

Daily Hours: 7am-7pm

Open Hours

Thursdays: 10am Fridays: 4pm

Saturdays: 1pm & 2pm

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

Substitutes to cover summer vacations are needed!!

Please call Irene if you are willing to give an hour to our Lord.

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

Fr. John will be attending his Provincial Chapter in New York, this Monday through Wednesday. Please keep him and the Franciscans in your prayers.



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, Mary Guimond, Angie Iri-zarry, Jeannie Coleman, Joyce Sullivan, Pauline Gagnon, Jerry deRepentigny, Dominic Lattuca, Baby London, Jaxson Field, Virginia Clark, Ginny George, Max Lawrence and Lynda King.

STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS: June 14 & 15, 2014

Weekend Offertory

Envelopes \$2,382.14
Loose \$1,134.51
Electronic Offering \$ 232.00
Total Offertory: \$3,748.65

General Fund

Adoration Chapel: \$26.20
Candles: \$108.00

Parish Outreach Fund

St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$1,046.40
Food Pantry: \$ 10.00

Thank you for your continued support of 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
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

Calendar of Events

Tuesday, June 24

* Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass

Wednesday, June 25

* NO St. Anne's Closet today

* Food Pantry Last Names M-Z, 1-3pm

* Parish Nurse, 1:30-3pm, Church Hall

Sunday, June 29

* Secular Franciscans, 1-3pm, Church Hall

300 Club:

The Grand Prize Drawing will be on June 22nd after the 10:30am Mass. A new club will begin on June 29th.

Cost: \$20 for 20 weeks. \$50 given out every week, \$1800 at the end of the club.

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

Thank you to parishioners Gerry Cournoyer and Fred Rivard for their tireless work these past months painting the rectory and minor repairs to the Food Pantry, Church Hall, Mercy House and Friary. We appreciate their willingness to share their time and talent with our parish.



Thank you also to Mary Hinchey, Nancy Pearsall, Brian Donohue and Maurice Pilotte for caring for our church grounds. It makes for such a warm and welcoming entrance. Everything is starting to bloom and looks so beautiful. More help is needed to tend to the many gardens. If you like to garden and have a little time to volunteer, please call the parish office.



Next week our diocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Join our Holy Father as a witness of charity to those who are suffering. **Due to our scheduled Monthly Deficit collection, we will postpone Peter's Pence Collection to the following week, July 5 & 6.**

"Kathy and I want to thank the parishioners of Blessed Sacrament that we served during my internship in the parish. We were truly blessed to spend my last year of Formation before Ordination with such a wonderful, faith filled parish. We will always cherish our time with you and will keep the Parish Family in our prayers. Thank you to all who came to the reception, the food was great and attendance on Father's Day weekend with that beautiful weather was very humbling. I am looking forward to serving Mass wearing the beautiful Dalmatic from the Parish. We will miss you all! Thanks, Deacon Tom."

CATHOLIC FAMILY WEEKEND

AUGUST 15-17, 2014

We are very excited to be holding the 8th Annual Catholic Family Weekend at the Barbara C. Harris Center on Otter Lake in Greenfield, NH (www.bchcenter.org). The focus of the weekend is the family. We will explore ways that you can build a strong, Christ-centered family life. By sharing with other families, we will seek to build stronger communities of support. Your family will bunk together, play games together, pray together, and most importantly BE TOGETHER. There will be activities for children of all ages, family activities, free time for family fun. Mass on Saturday, music, prayer and a coffeehouse (bring your talent). Come make memories and connections with Catholic families from all across the state! Check out our video on you tube (www.youtube/yAVJHkDFWaa). Best of all for the moms, NO COOKING! To register go to www.vitanova.org. Please contact Shawn & Teresa Rouillard with any questions at (603) 641-8878 or email Teresa at tree227777@gmail.com.



The Food Pantry is in need of volunteer help on **Tuesdays from 8:30-10:30am** to

help with the loading/unloading of groceries for the pantry. They also are looking for help on **Wednesdays from 1-3pm** to help carry groceries to the client's car. This is a great opportunity for High School students to earn their service hours while living the Gospel challenge to love and serve one another.