



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, July 8 - 4:00pm

Agnes Moran - requested by the family

Sunday, July 9

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00am

Paul & George Favreau - requested by the family

10:30am

Lorraine LeSage, anniversary of death - requested by Don & Priscilla Bournival

Monday, July 10 - 8:30am

Roland Wdnic - requested by Linda Philibert

Tuesday, July 11 - 8:30am

Rita Foss - requested by her daughter Cheryl Kula

Wednesday, July 12

- No Mass -

Thursday, July 13 - 8:30am

Mary Skeffington Trumble - requested by her sister Maureen Skeffington

Friday, July 14 - 8:30pm

Paul Roy - requested by Sr. Cecile Provost & Sr. Cecile Tremblay

Saturday, July 15 - 4:00pm

Theresa Favreau, birthday remembrance - requested by her family

Sunday, July 16

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00am

Doris Samson, 20th anniversary of death - requested by Claudette & Richard Myers

10:30am

Lionel & Louise Cartier - requested by Barbara Shaw, Lorene & Bob Molloy



I just read a report from the Nielson ratings which indicate that the average American will watch nine years of television. While watching some television can be relaxing and even instructive, we sometimes waste our lives by bingeing on mindless television. Do we want to use up almost a decade of our lives doing this? St. Paul admonishes us in today's 2nd reading to "not live according to the flesh." He means that we should be aware of making pursuit of all the creature comforts in life our main goal, while forgetting that God's Holy Spirit dwells in us. God's Spirit is not against us having creature comforts such as good food and drink, a soft sofa, a big house, a newer car, or shoes in every color. But surely, the purpose of our lives is grander than these? There is a wonderful new book out written by Jesuit Fr. Julian Carron: Disarming Beauty. One of his ideas is that the world today has lost its sense of beauty. Not only are the lands being ravaged, but all we see day in and day out are wars, terrorism, hatred, and lack of respect and tolerance of one another. As a result, people no longer have a chance to see any of God's beauty in the world that He created! We no longer appreciate the beauty of family life, the beauty of children, the beauty of simple living, the beauty of nature, as we once did. Fr. Carron says that the world tends to only see "ugliness" and "devastation." This is certainly not what God intended to happen. So as Christians our calling is to let the Spirit of God's Beauty shine forth from within us with even greater effort. For we have the Holy Spirit who dwells within us: the same Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead. But do we really believe we are the carriers of God's Beauty within us? Do we really believe that Jesus calls us to let His light shine through our goodness, so that others might experience God and have hope in this world? One of the great blessings we have living in this state of New Hampshire is to be able to experience the great beauty of God's Spirit in the environment around us. Travelers come for miles to share our natural beauty. And how about the great variety of cultures and languages that are among us right here in Manchester; again all of this diversity witnessing to God's great beauty in people! Let everyone of us take some time this week to start looking at those closest to us, and watching for the signs of God's beauty in them: family and friends alike. And let their eyes mirror back to you your great beauty given to you by our God to share with our world. Without beauty, the people suffer and even die! ~ Fr. John

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 Virginia Clark, Robert



Pelkey, Patrick Myrdhal, Maurice Allard, Jeanne Kaufman, Lucille Bradley, Jerry Lavoie, Joe Bennett, Larry Green, Paul Cody, Marcel Larochelle, Tommy Fontaine, Jackie Theodorou, Judy W.; Chloe Carnevale, Jeannine Bouchard, Paul Allard, Richard Tanguay, RFG, Sophia Rimmer, Barbara Joyce, Tom Cloutier, Acilda Dachowski, Chad Cerillo, Roger Boisvert, Jack Provost, Arnold Wright, Pat Begin, Eleanor Siraco, Mark Siraco, Kathy Hawkins, Janice Beaudin and Joanne Rivard.

"Never condemn. If you feel like condemning, condemn yourself, there's got to be something there... a little bit of mercy makes the world less cold and more just." ~ Pope Francis



We welcome our newest baptized member into our parish family: **Marleny Calero Flores**, daughter of Adan & Ana. May the Holy Spirit bless their family on this joyous occasion.

STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS:

July 1 & 2, 2017

Weekend Offertory

Envelopes \$3,270.17
Loose \$1,827.00
Electronic Offering \$ 135.00
Total Offertory: \$5,232.17

General Fund

Candles: \$64.00
Adoration Chapel: \$9.00

Parish Outreach Fund

St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$96.15
Food Pantry: \$25.93

Thank you for your continued support of our Parish and our Outreach Programs.



PARISH LEADERSHIP

PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRIES

St. Anthony Food Pantry
Colleen Hayward 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
Terry Sylvain 669-2582
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
Nick Cort 224-4605
Social Committee
Donna Guertin 669-5232
Spirits Alive!
Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan 622-7138
Youth Group
Ellen Donohue 867-8881

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



Monday, July 10

* Boy Scouts, 6pm, church hall

Tuesday, July 11

* Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass

Wednesday, July 12

* St. Anne's Closet, 1-3pm

* Food Pantry, 1-3pm, Last names D-J

* Marian Prayer Cenacle, 7pm, adoration chapel

Thursday, July 13

* Cub Scouts, 6pm, church hall

Sign on church: If you want to hear God laugh, tell Him your plans.

St. Theresa of Lisieux

Adoration Chapel

Daily Hours: 7am-7pm

Adorers & substitutes are needed. Can you spend an hour with Jesus?

Open Hours

Tuesdays: 5pm

Saturdays: 9am, 12pm & 2 pm

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



300 Club: Week 5



#2 Pat Barassi; #93 Priscilla Bournival; #106 Mary Derepentigny; #184 Joe Pouliot; #250 Lorette Petriw

Congratulations!

To get your lucky number please stop by or call Lisa in the parish office (622-5445), or call one of the captains: Doris Cote 624-1013; Gloria Pilotte 623-8173 or Terry Sylvain 669-2582.



Please remember in your prayers **Doris Gionet and Lorraine Dubisz** who were called to their eternal rest and the glory of the Resurrection promised by the Lord. May the Holy Spirit bring peace and comfort to their loved ones.

THE 2017 NH CLIMATE PILGRIMAGE

SUNDAY, JULY 8 - SATURDAY, JULY 15

A group of Friends (Quakers) have been called to walk between power plants in New Hampshire this summer. And they invite anyone who is interested to join them. You don't need to be a Quaker, while this pilgrimage will be Quaker-led, it is open to all. Not a march or rally, this will be a spiritual pilgrimage where we explore our grief over impending climate cataclysm, listen to the ways that God is calling us to be faithful in these times, and declare the joy that we have found in following the path of transformation. The website is climatepilgrimage.org and by clicking on 'logistics' you will come to a page showing the map of the pilgrimage, the general logistics and daily schedule, along with a route description listing the locations of the overnight lodgings. The Climate Pilgrimage will come to Manchester with a stay over on Thursday, July 13 at the Brookside Congregational Church and then proceed to Hooksett.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"... and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light." Find out how Love and communication can ease your burdens by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next WWME Weekends are Sep 16-17, 2017 in Medway, MA and Oct 21-22, 2017 in Contoocook, NH. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit us at www.mema.org/.

Thank you for your support of the **2017 Parish Appeal for Catholic Charities New Hampshire!** Please find our parish's update information below.

These amounts represent donations processed from April 1, 2017 to June 30, 2017.

| | Blessed Sacrament - Manchester #101 | Diocese |
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| Cash | \$4,035.00 | \$1,248,660.52 |
| Pledge Balance | \$ 910.00 | \$330,142.07 |
| Total | \$4,845.00 | \$1,568,682.59 |
| Goal | \$7,500.00 | \$2,766,300.00 |
| Dif. From Goal | -\$2,655.00 | \$1,197,617.41 |