



# Mass Intentions for the Week

**Saturday, April 28 - 4:00pm**  
*Grace Bucchino, birthday remembrance* - requested by her family

**Sunday, April 29**                      **Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
**7:00am**

Bernice King - requested by Natalie & Larry Welch  
**10:30am**  
*Philippe & Germaine Pilotte* - requested by Gloria & Maurice Pilotte

**Monday, April 30 - 8:30am**  
*Irene Dillon* -requested by Mary McNeil

**Tuesday, May 1 - 8:30am**  
*Claire Demers* - requested by Gertrude LeClerc

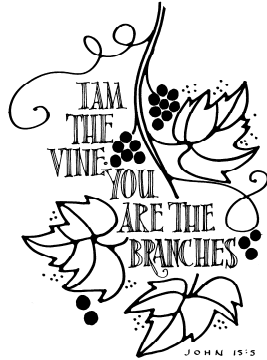
**Wednesday, May 2**  
**NO MASS**

**Thursday, May 3 - 8:30am**  
*Robert Savoie* - requested by Pauline Gagnon & Pauline Cote

**Friday, May 4 - 8:30am**  
*Lise Guillemette* - requested by Marcel & Rita Pinard

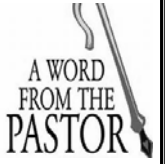
**Saturday, May 5 - 4:00pm**  
*For the intentions of Rose Staar*

**Sunday, May 6**                      **Sixth Sunday of Easter**  
**7:00am**  
Gene Caron - requested by Michelle & Brett Considine  
**10:30am**  
*Irene Deschenes* - requested by Larry & Lorraine Labore



In today's Gospel, Jesus says to us to *remain in me as I remain in you!* I was thinking a lot about this in light of Jesus' Easter appearances: He really did fulfill His promise to remain present to His disciples even after He died. He wanted to reassure them that He would remain with them and with us for all eternity. And yet, when we see what is happening around us, we may ask ourselves: "Has Jesus really told us the truth?" When we see so much suffering, like those dying and injured in natural disasters; when we see so much violence in the cities around our country; when we read about so much addiction and the dying of young people; we might ask God: "I thought you said you were going to remain with us in your risen life, Lord Jesus? But where did you go when all these bad things were happening?" These are normal questions of doubt that arise when bad things happen especially if good people suffer from the action of others. But in our disbelief, we fail to notice all the good that is going on around us every day! The quiet goodness of people, who will never make the news – but who allow the Risen Savior to appear to us every single day. Just think of all the good people who go to work every day to care for their families; think of all who do charity by volunteering or offering their treasure to support the poor; think of all the children who care for elderly parents and sacrifice their own lives without asking for anything in return. I can go on and on to give you many examples of how the risen Christ truly remains with us in this parish every day. And to those who suffer from the setbacks of life and mistreatment from others, the Risen Savior offers His healing message: *If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask for whatever you want and it will be done for you!*

~ 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, Maurice Allard, Joe Bennett, Larry Green, Paul Cody, Jackie Theodorou, Paul Allard, Richard Tanguay, RFG, Acilda Dachowski, Arnold Wright, John Moro, Roger Mustone, Richard Joyce, Joan Bick, Norma Lemire, Rita Marshall, Claire Dachowski, Fr. Joe Gallagher, Mary Sylvain, Ginny George, John Young, Stephen P. Gilmartin, Bob & Linda Tetreault, Nancy Lohnes, Arthur Proulx, Aiden Weeds, Bev Dionne, Tim Fisk, Doris Cote, Julie Courturier, Ginny Gallien, Linda Tajieux and Don Wark.

Please remember in your prayers **Maria Young & Isabella Delehanty** 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.



"God alone can give us true happiness. It's useless wasting time looking for it elsewhere: in wealth, pleasure, and power."  
~ Pope Francis

Congratulations and welcome to our newest member, **Bailey Rose Donohue**, daughter of Brian & Danielle, who was baptized last Sunday. May the Holy Spirit bless them on this joyous occasion.



**STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS:**  
**April 21 & 22, 2018**

<b>Weekend Offertory</b>		<b>General Parish Fund</b>	
Envelopes	\$2,557.18	Candles:	\$106.00
Loose	\$ 873.20	Adoration Chapel:	\$50.00
Electronic Offering	\$ 437.00		
<b>Total Offertory:</b>	<b>\$3,867.38</b>		

**Outreach Fund**

St. Anthony Bread for the Poor:	\$152.39	Food Pantry:	\$20.00
		- in memory of J. Bouchard:	\$100

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

**Confirmation Retreat**  
The Youth Faith Formation classes will meet Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup> from 9am –12:30pm in the church hall for a retreat to prepare to receive Confirmation. Confirmation will be on Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2pm, at St. Joseph Cathedral.

**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	464-0331
Parish Elderly Ministry	
Diane Steele	669-8825

**PARISH MINISTRIES**

Adoration Chapel	
Irene de Repentigny	622-7775
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
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
<b>SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS</b>	
Baptism, Marriage, Sacrament of the Sick	
Fr. John Bucchino, ofm	622-5445
<b>MUSIC MINISTRY</b>	
Music Director & Organist, Adult Choir and Cantors:	
James Butka	540-7638

**Upcoming  
EVENTS**

**Sunday, April 29**

\* Secular Franciscans, 1-3pm, church hall

**Monday, April 30**

\* Spirits Alive!, 3:30pm, OLOM house

\* Boy Scouts, 6:30pm, church hall

**Tuesday, May 1**

\* Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass

**\*Wednesday, May 2**

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

\* Food Pantry, last names A-C, 1-3pm

\* Marian Prayer Cenacle, 7pm, adoration chapel

\* Confirmation Rehearsal, 7pm, St. Jo

**Thursday, May 3**

\* Prayer Shawl Ministry, 9:15am, OLOM house

\* Cub Scouts, 6pm, hall

**Saturday, May 5**

\* Confirmation Retreat, 9am-12:30pm, church hall

\* Taco Dinner, 5pm, church hall

**Sunday, May 6**

\* First Communion, 10:30am

\* Confirmation, 2pm, St. Joseph



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

**Open Hours:**

**Tuesdays: 10am**

**Wednesdays: 5pm**

**Thursdays: 3pm**

**Fridays: 10am &**

**5pm**

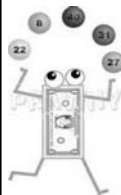
**Saturdays: 12pm**

Call Irene de Repentigny, Chapel Coordinator at 622-7775 for more information.

Mt Carmel Rehabilitation and Nursing Center is hosting a presentation that will enable Seniors to plan for future. May 2<sup>nd</sup> • **Family Love Letter – Financial Planning Workshop.** Join Denise E. Petrin, AAMS, financial adviser with Wells Fargo, who will walk you through the completion of a 38-page workbook for participants to store all valuable personal information in one place, in the event of a crisis for your family. This tool can be updated throughout the years.

The presentation starts at 11 a.m., followed by a light luncheon; an RSVP is requested at 627-3811. Mt Carmel is located at 235 Myrtle St. in Manchester

**300 Club Week 2**



#45 Paul Boucher; #146 Arlene Soucy; #166 Priscilla Desrochers; #179 Collette Hamel and #219 Doris Paquette **Congratulations!**

A new club has begun. Don't miss out on your chance to win. If you don't have a number and would like one, please see/call one of the captains.

Captains: Lisa (in the parish office) 622-5445; Doris Cote 624-1013; Gloria Pilotte 623-8173, Terry Sylvain 669-2582.

\* Please note, if Doris Cote is your captain, she is currently not available. Please pay your club by mailing to the parish office (14 Elm St.) or putting it in an envelope marked 300 Club in the collection basket, with your name and club number. Your card will be sent to you in the mail.



Please join us in wishing Joe Bennett a very Happy 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday!! Joe still receives the bulletin and comes to Mass on special occasions. He is as vibrant as ever. Here

is his address if you would like to send a card or note to Joe. He'd love to hear from his parish family. He misses us as much as we miss him!

**Joseph Bennett  
New Hampshire Veterans Home  
139 Winter St.  
Tilton, NH 03276-5415**



The Cub Scouts invite you to a Taco Night dinner next Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup> at 5pm. Come and celebrate Cinco de Mayo with the scouts and help them raise money for their camping trip and end of year BBQ. Cost is \$7 for adults and \$5 for seniors & children. Children under 5 years old eat FREE.

**May 1: Prayer Vigil for Immigrant Solidarity**

May 1 is a national day of solidarity for immigrant rights, and an international day of action for worker rights. Please join us for an Interfaith Prayer Vigil outside of the offices of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) at the Norris Cotton federal building at 275 Chestnut Street in Manchester. The vigil will last from 8:30 am to 10:00 am. We will stand in prayer, song and silence in solidarity with immigrants who have check-in appointments that day with ICE, and all who face the threat of detention and deportation. Our message to immigrant families is "We stand with you." Our message to ICE is "Let them stay. Stop separating families." We welcome people from all faith traditions to be with us, as well as those who do not identify with a faith tradition. We will not be yelling; no handmade signs; this is not a rally. This event is peaceful, and is not designed to disrupt traffic or entry to the building.