

# Mass Intentions for the Week

**Saturday, November 24 - 4:00pm**

*Rose & Henry Routhier* - requested by Roger & Janice Beaudin

**Sunday, November 25 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King Of the Universe**

**7:00am**

*James Patane* - requested by his family

**10:30am**

*Roger Boisvert* - requested by Dick & Diane Lemay

**Monday, November 26 - 8:30am**

*Henry Bourassa* - requested by Doris Proulx

**Tuesday, November 27 - 8:30am**

*Yvette Petion & Louis Preval* - requested by Eve

**Wednesday, November 28**

NO MASS

**Thursday, November 29 - 9:00am**

*Raymond Turcotte* - requested by his wife Lorraine

**Friday, November 30 - 8:30am**

*Yves A. Petion & Yves R. Petion* - requested by Sue

**Saturday, December 1 - 4:00pm**

*Deceased members of the Routhier & Sayer families* - requested by Roger & Janice Beaudin

**Sunday, December 2 First Sunday of Advent**

**7:00am**

*Paul Marchand* - requested by Gerry & Priscila Tanguay

**10:30am**

*Rose & Stanley Kosowicz* - requested by the family



As we come to the last Sunday of Ordinary time in the Church's calendar, we once again celebrate the feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. The title "King" really doesn't grab us as Americans. We might enjoy it in musicals such as The King And I, or in movies such as King Kong. But when it comes to everyday life, we know that kings often act above the law. In our country, nobody is above the law because we are a democracy. Yet if we take this title in a more spiritual sense, we can better understand how the title does fit Jesus so well. For a true "king" or "queen" in a spiritual sense is a servant of others. For He is humble and only wishes for our well-being. Think for a moment of our parents who worked so hard whether out at a job or at home keeping up a household. They were true leaders of our family. We could have easily crowned mom "queen" not only for a day, but for all time because of her dedication and sacrificial love of family. So too for dad whom we could have designated our "king" for working hard to support the family, putting his own needs in the background. Christ is our King more in this sense of sacrificial self-giving. Our parents were our leaders for a certain time period. And then we left home, their "dominion." But for Jesus there is no end-point or time limit. He continues to give His life for us in the Eucharist, and through the loving community we try to build each day as His followers. He continues to die for us on the Cross when humanity sins, that is, gives into violence, hatred, and division. He continues to Rise by providing for us through the love and outreach of His followers. This is why we make the feast of Christ the King a very special day each year. Though it represents the end of the liturgical year, for Christians it is more than that: it is a day of giving gratitude to our King who continues to walk with us and bless us with God's abundant gifts. Isn't it awesome how Thanksgiving Day comes before the feast of Christ the King, and then the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent follows (December 2<sup>nd</sup>)? I hope we can come to have a deeper sense of gratitude for our King as the days roll on into the new liturgical year. Only in Jesus will the deepest longings of our soul be satisfied.



~ Fr. John

## Thanksgiving - Living Our Faith

We are so very grateful for the tremendous response we had for help with this past week's activities. We asked for help Monday night for the Interfaith Service, Tuesday to help with giving out Thanksgiving Baskets, the Youth Ministry to make pies for the Thanksgiving Dinner and for people to help set up/serve the dinner. With the support of all of you, everything went smoothly and with a true spirit of Thanksgiving. Thank you!! Our parish is truly blessed!



## Cantors & Lectors New Books

All Cantors & Lectors are asked to stop in the Sacristy to pick up their new Respond & Acclaim or Lector's Workbook. The new cycle begins with the First Week of Advent, December 1<sup>st</sup>.



## Let us pray for these special intentions:

For all our parishioners that are home-bound 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, Jackie Theodorou, Paul Allard, Richard Tanguay, RFG, Acilda Dachowski, Roger Mustone, Richard Joyce, Joan Bick, Norma Lemire, Rita Marshall, Claire Dachowski, Fr. Joe Gurdak, Mary Sylvain, Stephen P. Gilmartin, Bob & Linda Tetreault, Arthur Proulx, Aiden Weeds, Ginny Gallien, Linda Tajieux, Laura Jankowski, Kathy Klamm, Roland Dufour, Corrine Holebrook, Harry Mein, Shirley Gazda, Maurice Lavigne and Jean Levasseur.

## STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS:

November 17 & 18, 2018

### Weekend Offertory

Envelopes \$2,999.18  
Loose \$1,105.00  
Electronic Offering \$ 400.00  
**Total Offertory: \$4,504.18**

### General Parish Fund

Candles: \$49.00  
Adoration Chapel: \$33.00  
**Outreach Fund**  
St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$58.51  
Food Pantry: \$30.00  
- Knights of Columbus: \$1,000.00

Human Development: \$325.18

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

**PARISH LEADERSHIP**

**PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

St. Anthony Food Pantry	
Colleen Hayward	289-5276
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
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	622-5445
Religious Education (Gr. K-8)	
Martha & Steve Donohue	627-4868
RCIA	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445
Secular Franciscan Order	
Nick Cort	224-4605
Social Committee	
Donna Guertin	669-5232
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



**Sunday, November 25**

- \* NO Religious Ed classes today
- \* Secular Franciscans, 1-3pm, hall

**Monday, November 26**

- \* Boy Scouts, 6:30pm

**Tuesday, November 27**

- \* **Parish Office Closed today**
- \* Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass

**Wednesday, November 28**

- \* NO St. Anne's Closet today
- \* Food Pantry, 1-3pm, Last names Q-Z
- \* Marian Prayer Cenacle, 7pm, chapel

**Thursday, November 29**

- \* Thanksgiving Dinner, 12-2pm, hall
- \* NO Cub Scouts tonight

**Sunday, December 1**

- \* Religious Ed classes K-8, 9am, hall



**Boy Scouts Troop #106 Tree Sales**

The Boy Scouts annual Tree Sales will take place at Manchester Harley Davidson on John Divine Drive beginning Friday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> from 10am - 9pm. They will be open daily until all the trees are sold. Please support our scouts by purchasing your tree and/or wreath from them.

**Pork Pie Dinner**

The Daughters of Isabella invite you to their annual Pork Pie Dinner on Saturday, December 8<sup>th</sup> from 5-7pm at St. Joseph's Cathedral. Adults: \$8; Children under 12: \$4



**St. Anne's Closet: Volunteers Needed!** Karen McAndrew, who has run the closet for many years, is now living in Deering and can no longer come to take care of the closet. We need volunteers to keep this ministry going. The closet is opened the first 2 Wednesdays of the month from 1-3pm. Duties would include sorting through donations, checking clients in/out and keeping the area clean. If interested, please call the

Karen McAndrew at 464-0331 or Lisa in the parish office.

Adoration  
of the  
Blessed Sacrament



**St. Theresa of Lisieux Adoration Chapel**

Open Daily: 7am-7pm

**Open Hours:**

**Sundays: 7am & 2pm**

**Fridays: 5pm**

**Saturdays: 11am & 12pm**

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

**Substitutes Needed!!**

If you can't commit to a permanent hour, please consider giving your name as a substitute to cover an adorer when they go on vacation, are sick or have an appointment. Can you spare one hour for Jesus? Please call Irene for details.

**300 Club - Week 9 Winners**

#33 Sue Robinson; #128 Nancy Pearsall; #210 Terry Rogers; #277 Virginia Clark and #287 Richard Jobin



Congratulations!

**Children's Christmas Party**

We are inviting the children of the parish, ages 1-12, to join us for our annual Children's Outreach Christmas party on December 8 from 11am-1pm. Please call Lisa in the parish office by December 5th to register your child. They must be preregistered, no walk ins. Youth in grades 5 and up are invited to host the event. Please call the parish office for more information.



On Wednesday, November 28<sup>th</sup> at 11am, Joan and Bill Nelson will be at the Cathedral to make a presentation to our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion who bring Communion to the homebound. The presentation is on the ministry that they began at Holy Rosary Parish in Rochester and is growing to other parishes.

The Mother Angeline Ministries of Care is a source of hope and consolation for all isolated by sickness and disability and a grace-filled addition to the pastoral care services already in place in each parish community.

If you would like to know more about Mother Angeline Ministries of Care please call Lisa at the parish office by Tuesday, November 27<sup>th</sup> if you would like to attend.