



**Saturday, November 19 - 4:00pm**

*Maurice Lavigne, wedding anniversary remembrance - requested by his wife Pauline*

**Sunday, November 20 Feast of Christ The King**

**7:00am**

*Madeleine Pimley - requested by her family*

**10:30am**

*Henry & Rose Routhier - requested by Janice Beaudin*

**Monday, November 21 - 8:30am**

*Marcel Larochelle - requested by his wife*

**Tuesday, November 22 - 8:30am**

*Sumner Menken - requested by his wife*

**Wednesday, November 23 - 8:30am**

**- NO MASS -**

**Thursday, November 24 - 9:00 Thanksgiving Day**

*Rocky Lagno, 3<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of death - requested by his wife*

**Friday, November 25 - 8:30am**

*Joseph Buteau, anniversary of death - requested by his parents, Tony & Betty Buteau*

**Saturday, November 26 - 4:00pm**

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

**Sunday, November 27 First Sunday of Advent**

**7:00am**

*Mary Loughlin Demers - requested by her brother and sisters*

**10:30am**

*Roger Beaudin - requested by his wife, Janice Beaudin*



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 our way of life, we know that our country began with people wanting freedom from any possible tyranny. If we take this title of king in a more spiritual sense, we can better understand why 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 "royalty" in 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 readily 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 "king & queen" for a certain time period. Our faith matures as we each day enter a new "dominion": the Kingdom of God. Jesus is now our true King. He continues to offer His life for us in the Eucharist, and through the loving community we build each day as His followers. He continues to suffer with us on His throne, the Cross, when humanity gives into violence, hatred, and division. He continues to rise from the dead through our love for one another. This is why the feast of Christ the King is a very special day each year. Though it represents the end of the liturgical year, for Christians it is more than that. It is our day of showing honor to our King who continues to walk with us and bless us with God's abundant gifts. It is timely and awesome how both Thanksgiving Day and then the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent follow Christ the King. I hope we can come to have a deeper sense of gratitude for our King as the days roll into the new liturgical year. Only in Jesus will the deepest longings of our soul be satisfied. All hail and honor to our King! ~Fr. John



**Mass on Thanksgiving Day will be celebrated at 9am. You are invited to bring your wine and bread for your Thanksgiving meal to be blessed. A table will be available in the front of the church. The Adoration Chapel will open at 9:30am so adorers may attend Mass.**

**November 11 & 12, 2022**

**Weekend Offertory**

Envelopes	\$1,061.00
Loose	\$ 985.00
Electronic Offering	\$ 915.00
Mailed in Offertory:	\$ 275.00
<b>Total Offertory:</b>	<b>\$3,236.00</b>



**General Fund**

Candles: \$48.00  
Adoration Chapel: \$41.00

**Outreach Fund**

Food Pantry: \$140.00  
St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$53.48

Thank you for your continued support of our parish which helps us to live out the Gospel message to love and serve one another. We are also very grateful for the weekly food donations we receive both for the food pantry and our homeless ministry. We are humbled and blessed by your generosity. May God continue to bless all of you and our Blessed Sacrament family.

**Holiday Basket Bonanza!**

Looking for unique, quick gifts for the holidays? Take a chance on the many baskets we have in our Basket Bonanza fundraiser. Winter is approaching fast and we've been warned that the heating bills and snow plow bills will be increasing. Utilizing the many items we had donated for our Fall Festival, (which we had to cancel again this year), as well as donations of a money tree (\$175 from the Finance Committee) and Gift cards from the Pastoral Council, there is something for everyone! Tickets will be sold after each Mass, all week (including daily Masses) starting this weekend up until Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup> or at the parish office during business hours. Drawings will be held after the Advent program on December 4<sup>th</sup>.  
**Cost: \$3 each; 2 for \$5 or 7 for \$10.**

**PARISH LEADERSHIP**

**PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

St. Anthony Food Pantry	
Patrick Gilmartin	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	315-7623
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)	
Parish Office	622-5445
Parish Elderly Ministry	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445

**PARISH MINISTRIES**

Adoration Chapel	
Lisa Siraco	622-5445
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	
Diane Sufat	625-8665
Religious Education (Gr. K-8)	
Martha & Steve Donohue	627-4868
RCIA	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445
Secular Franciscan Order	
Ron Latouche	396-5168
Youth Group	
Ellen Vigneault	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

*This Week*

**Sunday, November 20**

\* Faith Formation, 9am, church hall

**Monday, November 21**

\* Boy Scouts, 6:30pm, hall

**Tuesday, November 22**

- \* Devotion to St. Anthony after Mass
- \* Adoration Chapel, Open 9am - 6pm
- \* Tday basket distribution from 1-3pm

**Wednesday, November 24**

- \* St. Anne's Closet, closed
- \* Food Pantry, closed

**Thursday, November 25**

- \* Adoration Chapel, Open 9am - 6pm
- \* NO Cub Scouts tonight

**Friday, November 25**

- \* Office Closed today



"From the Eucharist we will draw from the fountain our strength, perseverance and inspiration. We will lead others back to Jesus, present in the Most Blessed Sacrament, for He alone can lead us to the Father."  
(MFVA Charism by Mother Angelica)

**St. Theresa of Lisieux Adoration Chapel**

Open: Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9am - 6pm

LIVESTREAMED 24/7 on our website

Divine Mercy Chaplet livestreamed daily at 3am & 3pm

**Come and share an hour with Jesus and leave refreshed and at peace.**

**Open Hours: Tuesdays, 4pm**

We are in need of adorers and substitutes. Come and find peace for an hour. Please call Lisa in the parish office, 603-622-5445 for more information.

**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. We also pray for: Acilda Dachowski, David Rattigan, Bert Beaudette, Lorraine Turcotte, Lucille Frederique, Rachel Lambert, Michael Bergeron, Paula Cote, Barbara Thurston, Heather Spice, Kevin Devlin, Frank Moulin, Karen Vaughn, Alberto Canad, Bob Allard, Pat Barassi, Mark Shackelford, Karen Langella, Doug & Germaine Foss, Elaine Perusse, Helen Ulicny, Patricia Tucker, Norma Lemire, Dean Avellis, Len Dickson, Fred Rivard, Pauline Gagnon, Robyn Tancrede, Sr. Joan Messier, Sr. Anne Marineau, Wayne Banchard, Phillippe Frederique, Danny Jones, Ronna Rae Blanchard, Kay Delaney, Jonathan Camire Jr., RFG, Joe Germano, Dona Latulippe, Lynn Routhier, S.A., Roberta Landry, Jessica Carnevale, Janice Beaudin, Michael Hasbrouck, Robert Tremblay, Katy Joyce, Bill Butka, Joan Allard, Jeanne Sylvain, Richard & Tricia Bilodeau, Dick Noseworthy, Christine Wood, Mason Allaire, Joanne Smith, Leo Sylvain, Peter Martineau, Rita Pinard, Joseph Belliveau, Sr. Cecile Tremblay and Sr. Cecile Provost.



**300 Club Winners: Week 13**

#96 Alice Mantegani; #128 Nancy Hornick; #148 Moe Lavigne; #159 232 Donna Defreitas and #248 Kathleen Gentes



Congratulations!

**Social Committee/Request for Volunteers**

The Social Committee Ministry will have their first meeting on Monday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 11am at Mercy House. Anyone interested in helping with this new ministry are invited to attend. If you're interested in helping with this ministry, but are unable to attend the meeting, please call Lisa at the parish office and she will send you the meeting notes.



On Monday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, the **Greater Manchester Clergy Association** is having its annual **Thanksgiving Interfaith Service**. Since we are a part of GMCA all parishioners from Blessed Sacrament are invited to attend. Fr. John and Sr. Marjorie will be helping to lead the service with other clergy. The service will be held at St. Paul Polish Catholic Cathedral on Orange St in Manchester, beginning at 7:00pm. A light reception will follow giving us an opportunity to meet people from other religious faiths. Please come and join us!



**Boy Scout's Annual Christmas Tree Sale** will begin on Friday, November 25th in the Harley Davidson parking lot on John Divine Dr. Hours will be from 9am -9pm on Friday & Saturday and Sunday 9am-8pm. Hours Monday-Thursday will be from 3:30-8pm. Thank you for supporting our Scouts!