

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, November 16 - 4:00pm

Pauline & Maurice Lavigne, 70th wedding anniversary - requested by their children

Sunday, November 17 Thirty third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00am

James Neely - requested by Roselle Neely

10:30am

Donna Rockholt Tillison - requested by her family

Monday, November 18 - 8:30am

Edward Vieira - requested by his wife & family

Tuesday, November 19 - 8:30am

Robert Nadeau - requested by Lucille Rouleau

Wednesday, November 20

No Mass

Thursday, November 21 - 8:30am

Fr. Richard Tetu - requested by Priscilla & Robert St. Gelais

Friday, November 22 - 8:30am

Rita Doucette - requested by Pauline Gagnon

Saturday, November 23 - 4:00pm

Henry Routhier - requested by Janice & Roger Beaudin

Sunday, November 24 Feast of Christ The King

7:00am

Aurora Vincent - requested by Irene de Repentigny

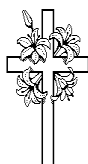
10:30am

Roger Boisvert - requested by Anita & Gerry Deshaises

Congratulations and welcome to our newest member of the parish family, **John Michael Ippolito**, son of Cody & Amanda Ippolito, who was baptized here last Sunday. May the Holy Spirit bless all of them on this joyous occasion.



We commend the soul of **Suzanne Trudeau** into the loving embrace of our God and the eternal peace that only Christ gives. Let us pray that the hope and promise of Christ's Resurrection will bring strength and comfort to her loved ones during this time of mourning and deep sorrow.



St. Theresa of Lisieux Adoration Chapel

Open Daily: 7am-7pm

Open Hours:

Sundays: 2pm Mondays: 10am

Tuesdays: 5pm Wednesdays: 7am & 11am

Thursdays: 9am Fridays: 4pm Saturdays: 11am & 2pm

We have 9 open hours!!! We need your help!! If you have never been to our chapel, come and volunteer for an hour. If you can't commit to a set hour, please consider being a substitute. There is always a great need of substitutes to cover sick calls, vacations etc. Call Irene de Repentigny, Chapel Coordinator at 622-7775 for more information.



November is certainly a busy month. It's only half over and we've already celebrated All Saints and All Souls, had our annual Memorial mass, and honored our veterans. And just ahead of us is our Interfaith Thanksgiving Prayer Service, the distribution of Thanksgiving baskets to food pantry guests, and then our annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner for anyone who would like to join us on the holiday! Wow! I noticed that our parish has a tremendous amount of energy and love in celebrating family and fellowship during this busy time. What can so easily happen, is to fall into a spirit of being so busy that we forget WHY we are doing all these good things. We do them for the Lord; to show our gratitude for the many gifts we have been given. And the only way we can develop this spirit of gratitude is to take time each day to sit quietly and enter within ourselves to rest with God and let God refresh us. We all can have the Divine strength, love, and care present within us whenever we ask for it. But we so easily forget God's presence within us because we live in a culture of so much business. So as we start to enter into the holiday and holy day seasons, let's make some changes in the way we use the days ahead. How about starting each morning with prayer; how about more frequent attendance at the Eucharist; how about a visit or two to the Adoration Chapel; how about visiting or calling someone whom we have neglected to wish them well; how about ending the day with prayer as well? In St. Luke's Gospel, Jesus reminds us that there are many things that happen in our world which try to take our attention away from our faith and make us anxious and fearful. He always admonished us to persevere in prayer and service to secure our faith: "Behold, the Kingdom of God is among you." In other words, God is ever so present among us. We need to rest to experience the healing presence and refreshment God brings us. So as we approach the Feast of Christ the King next Sunday and then Advent two weeks from now, let us re-dedicate ourselves to prayer and a true spirit of thanksgiving. May God teach us how to rest in His Holy Spirit!



~ Fr. John

Living the Faith: Prayer always arouses feelings of fraternity, it breaks down barriers, crosses borders, creates invisible but real and effective bridges, and opens horizons of hope. ~ Pope Francis

STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS:

October November 9 & 10, 2019

Weekend Offertory

Envelopes \$2,834.19

Loose \$1,010.51

Electronic Offering \$ 470.00

Total Offertory: \$4,314.70

General Parish Fund

Candles: \$90.00

Adoration Chapel: \$25.00

Military Diocese Collection: \$656.00

Outreach Fund

St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$382.00

Food Pantry: \$130.00

- in memory of E. Bochniak: \$250.00

- Donation from the Knights of Columbus: 1,500.00

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)	
Parish Office	622-5445
Parish Elderly Ministry	
Sr. Marjorie Lupien	622-5445

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	
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
Social Committee	
Donna Guertin	669-5232
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



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, Steve Price, Jackie Theodorou, Acilda Dachowski, Joan Bick, Norma Lemire, Rita Marshall, Stephen P. Gilmartin, Bob & Linda Tetreault, Arthur Proulx, Aiden Weeds, Ginny Gallien, Linda Tajieux, Laura Jankowski, Kathy Klamm, Roland Dufour, S.P.P., Maurice Lavigne, Jean Levasseur, John Young, Grace Colella, David Rattigan, Cheryl Farro, Dorothy Compagna, Bert Beaudette, Fr. John Bavaro, Patty Abdelkarim, Pauline Gagnon, Barbara Pinard, Sylvia Corriveau, Richard Kuhlmann, Jeanne Monty, Mark Luongo, Donna Tobey, Sr. Cecile Tremblay, Damien Gill, Louise G.C., Muriel Labore, Andre Laventure, Barbara Dubisz, Doris Cote, Joanne Worthen, Jacob Lamoureux, Peter Silvia, Bernard Rossi and Robert Morrisette.

Monday, November 18

* My Brother's Keeper, 9am-Noon, hall

Tuesday, November 19

* Parish Office Closed today
 * Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass
 * Finance Committee, 6:30pm, friary

Wednesday, November 20

* St. Anne's Closet, closed today
 * Food Pantry, 1-3pm
 * ESL classes, 3pm, OLOM House
 * Marian Prayer Cenacle, 7pm, chapel

Thursday, November 21

* Prayer Shawl Ministry, 10am, Mercy house
 * Cub Scouts, 6pm, hall

Saturday, November 23

* SFA Bake Sale after Mass

Sunday, November 24

* Family Faith Formation, 9am, church hall
 * SFA Bake Sale after all Masses



The Secular Franciscans will host a Bake Sale next weekend after all Masses. This is a great chance to purchase some goodies for your Thanksgiving celebrations.



Special Presentation This Weekend

As part of our continued introduction to the new Parish Safety Ministry, the Fire Committee will have a brief presentation at all Masses this weekend. The presenter will be David Vigneault.

We are still in need of volunteers to help with this ministry. If you're interested in helping, forms are available in the back of the church. Please fill out a form and return it to the parish office. The chair of the committee you sign up for will call you.



The Family Faith formation ministry invites you to participate in their prayer project. Please stop by the table in the foyer and write something you are grateful for on one of the leaves. We will put them on our Gratitude Tree next weekend.

300 Club Weekly Winners:

Week 17

#18 Angel Cardinal; #79 Gerry Beaulieu; #149 Barbara O'Brien; #206 Michael & Diane Houle and #236 Doris Cote

Congratulations!



Interfaith Thanksgiving Service which will be held on Monday, Nov. 25th at 7:00pm, at the Temple Ashudra Synagogue on Orange St., Manchester. Refreshments will follow.

Thanksgiving is only 2 weeks away! The Food pantry is planning on giving away 200 thanksgiving baskets with everything needed, including the turkey for a family dinner. We can use your help in collecting some of the items. We have shopping bags with a list of what's needed on the table in the back of the church. We don't need the turkeys, the NH Food Bank will be donating them to us. We are collecting small hams for individuals/small families for which a turkey is too big. All items can be left in the back of the church and will be collected. Thank you for your support!



The baskets will be given away on Tuesday, November 26th. Volunteers will be needed on Monday night (Nov 25th) to prepare the baskets and Tuesday, November 26th from 11am - 3pm to help carry the baskets to the client's cars. You don't have to work the whole day, even an hour or two would be appreciated. Please call Colleen 289-5276 for details.

Volunteers are needed to help with the Thanksgiving Dinner on the following days/times:

Wednesday, November 27th:

10am set-up/decorating

Thursday, November 28th:

11am - 3pm serve/clean-up

Call Lisa in the parish office, 622-5445.