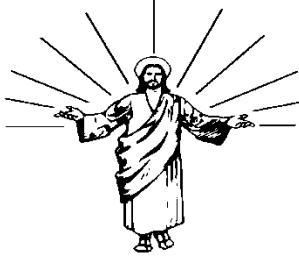


Alleluia



The next Baptismal Preparation Class will be on Wednesday, April 8th at 6:00PM in Deacon Marc's Office. If you plan on having your baby baptized a Baptismal Class is one of the requirements. Please call Suzanne at 432-3333 for more information and to register for a Baptismal Class.

MASS AND HEALING SERVICE

Mass and Healing Service will be held at Immaculate Conception Church, 216 E. Dunstable Rd., Nashua, on Friday, April 10th at 7:00PM. Reverend Chris Martel, Pastor of St. John Neumann Parish in Merrimack, will preside and will offer to anoint people after Mass. Prayer teams from the Rivier Prayer Community of Nashua will be available to pray with individuals for healing requests. For more information, please call (603)-889-3483.



RELAY FOR LIFE

We are One Body—One Body of Hope! Our Relay for Life team is kicking off another exciting year, this year being dedicated to Father Bob, who succumbed to cancer in December following a valiant fight. The Relay for Life will be held on June 19th through the 20th at Pinkerton Academy in Derry; this year's theme is **BELIEVE**. Our One Body of Hope Team will be in the Parish Hall after all Masses April 11th and 12th, April 18th and 19th with Luminary Bags, prescription bottles, cupcake pops and other goodies to kick off our fundraising effort. Please help **CELEBRATE**. Survivors, **REMEMBER** those who have lost their battle and **FIGHT BACK** against this horrible disease. If you have any questions, please call Team Captain, Bonnie Roberts at 426-5438 or email bbrooksroberts@gmail.com.



The next Bookclub will discuss the Passion and Resurrection in the Gospels of Mark (Chapters 12 through 16) and Luke (Chapters 22 through 24). The following month we will read the Passion Narratives in the Gospels of Matthew and John. Our next meeting will be April 15th (tax collector day – yeah) at 7:00PM in my office. Deacon Marc



THE ARTS AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Holy Week is an extremely busy week for decorating the Church. In trying to decorate and change the scenes bringing our Lenten Season to Easter, we need everyone's help!! We will decorate our Church on the following times:

- For Holy Thursday:
Decorate on Wednesday, April 1st 6:45PM to 9:30PM
- For Good Friday:
Decorate on Good Friday, April 3rd 10:00AM to 1:00PM
- For Easter Sunday:
Decorate on Good Friday, April 3rd 8:15PM till Finished

The most important of all decorating tasks will begin immediately after Veneration of the Cross on Good Friday. It is a wonderful experience to see our Church get an "extreme make-over". We invite your entire family. There is always something for everyone to do. Please join us.



LENT - ST. JUDE PARISH

Thursday, April 2nd - Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00PM
The Offertory Procession at this Mass will include gifts for the poor. We invite those who will be participating in this liturgy to bring the fruits of Lenten penance to be included in this procession. Solemn Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament follows the Mass and continues until midnight. The Eucharist will be reserved in the Chapel Area in the wing of the Church.

- Good Friday, April 3rd 9:00AM
The Liturgy of the Hours, Morning Prayer, Chapel Area
- The Stations of the Cross 3:30PM
- Good Friday, April 3rd 7:00PM
Passion of the Lord
- Holy Saturday, April 4th 9:00AM
The Liturgy of the Hours, Morning Prayer, Chapel Area
- Easter Vigil – April 4th 7:30PM

NO CONFESSIONS - NO 4:00PM MASS

Sunday, April 5th - Easter Masses
8:00AM, 10:00AM, and 12:00 Noon

DAY OF RECOLLECTION

Lent is the most appropriate time to avail ourselves of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Our personal growth is amplified by confessing our shortcomings, sorrow, contrition and a resolve to change our life events that lead to sin. We will have the expectation of rising to new life with Jesus on Easter. I am pointing out

opportunities to receive the Sacrament elsewhere: They are St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Mark's who will have the Sacrament on March 30th, at 11:00AM to 1:00PM and again from 5:00PM to 7:00PM. May God continue to bless you.



Kindergarten through 8th Grade
 Special Needs Classes
 Religious Education Director
 Trish Woodward, 437-7026



Service Events – Grades 6, 7, & 8
 Middle School Youth Group
 High School Youth Group
 Confirmation – Grades 9 & 10
 Diane Swinarski, 425-1795

IMPORTANT NOTICE

1st - 8th GRADE SUMMER SESSION UPDATE

Last summer, Fr Bob and I discussed the possibility of last summer's session being the final of our summer sessions. We both felt it had become far too difficult to find teachers and the number of youth attending had continued to decline. After sharing with Deacon Marc all that Fr Bob and I had discussed, the very real difficulty in finding volunteers to teach and aide, we have decided that we will not have a summer session of Religious Education for the 1st through 8th Grade age group. Thank you to those who have participated in the past. Trish Woodward



CATECHIST AND AIDES

Catechist and Aides from all of the Religious Education Sessions including the Summer Sessions for the First through Eighth Grades are asked to attend one of these three meetings.

Sunday, April 19 th	6:00PM to 7:00PM
Tuesday, April 21 st	4:30PM to 5:30PM
Tuesday, April 21 st	6:30PM to 7:30PM

Though we will not have a Summer Session this year, if you taught last summer and I hope you will teach in a different session this year, you are encouraged to attend too because we need your perspective as well. We will be discussing programs that we are presently using; are they working, how could we improve them, how could I be of more help to you? I would really like to hear from you all, so please make every effort to attend one of these meetings. I will send a letter to you with questions for you to ponder before the meeting. Pick one meeting and call 437-7026 so I will know who and how many to expect at each meeting.



CREW/STATION LEADERS

For youth who have finished 7th grade by the time VBS starts up to and including adults
 Registration forms are on the Religious Education Office door and on the web site.

CLIMBING CREW

Be a climbing Crew member like Kelsey and Dylan Dembkoski! Don't miss out on one of the best weeks of the year! You sign up too!

YOUTHFEST 2015

The excitement is growing for NH Catholic Youthfest 2015 which will be held on Saturday, May 2nd 2015, from 9:00am to 6:00pm at the Sullivan Arena, Saint Anselm College in Manchester, NH. This event is open to middle and high school students (Grades 6 – 12) and the day is looking awesome. This year we are blessed to have Mother Olga, Rob Surette, Dave Dumaine, Jon Niven and Lift Ministries. For more information visit our new website www.nhyouthfest.org. (Check it out and find 5 Londonderry students on the website!!) You will also find frequent updates on Youthfest 2015 at Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram: nhyouthfest. A signup sheet and permission slips are outside the YM Office.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Greater Community = Serving God and Others
Mon., Apr. 6th: Sunshine Soup Kitchen 3:00-6:00PM

St. Jude = Serving God in your Parish

ANY WEEKEND: Prepare the pews after any of the Masses. Sign up and info sheets outside the YM Office.

ALSO, During the Lenten season if you come to help decorate, this will count as a St. Jude Service event.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

The next meeting is Wednesday, April 8th, 7:00-9:00PM in the parish hall. Food, fun, friends and fellowship. All high school students are welcome. Come and enjoy!

STUDENT SAMARITANS

Student Samaritans is a group of students in Grades 6, 7 and 8 that meet once a month on Friday nights from 7:00-9:00PM in the Parish Hall to work on various service events. Please feel free to join us. Listed below are some of the activities that are planned.

Apr 17th Make bread for Sunshine Soup Kitchen. Then Join us in the Parish Hall for game board night. (Counts as a Greater Community Event.)

May 15th **Final meeting.** Clean Church grounds. Then join in the fun of carnival games. (Counts as a St. Jude Event)

For more details for any of these events, Contact Deb Johnson at 537-1073.

ATTENTION 10TH GRADERS

10th Grade Students who have not yet scheduled a Confirmation Interview with Diane should do so as soon as possible. Call Diane at 425-1795.

EASTER SUNDAY



\$5,000.00 – 50/50 RAFFLE

Ed and Liz Jones and their Children are parishioners at St. Jude. Ed is suffering from a serious lung disease which will require major and expensive medical care. This has put tremendous medical and financial stress on the family and, in addition to his illness; it has resulted in him losing his job. As a faith community and in this season of Lent, we want to and should help. In an effort to help raise money for Ed's treatment, the St. Jude Knights of Columbus #6949 is holding a 50/50 raffle to benefit the Ed Jones Fund. The cost of a ticket is \$20.00 and no more than 500 tickets will be sold. The winning ticket will receive half the proceeds, up to \$5,000.00. The drawing will be held on April 25, 2015 in conjunction with another fundraising event the same date and the winners will be notified. Tickets are available from the Knights of Columbus after all Masses. Checks should be made payable to the Knights of Columbus #6949.



FUN GOLF

The St. Jude Knights of Columbus are once again hosting their Annual Bert Boucher Memorial – Knights of Columbus, Charity Fun Golf tournament on Saturday, May 16th at the Londonderry Country Club. Proceeds will be shared this year between St. Jude Parish and other local needs. It is fun because everyone hits from the best lie

after tee-off, and you keep the best shot of the 4-some (scramble). We encourage bringing family members for a fun family activity, whether you are a serious golfer or a duffer. There are prizes for the best team score, hole-in-one, longest drive, closest to pin, as well as door prizes and a raffle. The cost is \$90.00 which includes golf and an all you can eat chicken BBQ lunch. Seniors 70 and over, and juniors 16 and under are \$60.00. For a St. Jude Parishioner who has recently lost his/her job, participation is free. (Limit one per family. There are a limited number of these available and are granted on a first come basis.) Carts are limited, available on a first come first serve basis, and are not included in the golf cost. Please call David O'Rourke at 437-1301 or email at dworourke@comcast.net to sign up or make a donation. Checks should be made payable to Knights of Columbus #6949.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thank you to those adorers who have signed up for specific times to sit with Jesus. We are hoping for more people to sign up as adorers for half hour increments between the hours of

8:30AM – 9:30AM; 11:00AM - 1:00PM or 5:30PM – 6:30PM. Contact Joyce Velliquette at 321-2807 or Adela Thickins at 275-1456 to commit to a half hour with Jesus in quiet prayer.

Rockingham VNA and Hospice is offering comprehensive Hospice volunteer training beginning April 3rd and continuing every Friday from 9:00AM to 12:00PM through May 22nd. There must be a minimum of 5 people registered for the training to be held. Classes will be held at Rockingham VNA and Hospice, 137 Epping Rd, Exeter, NH. To register or for more information, call Martha Carlson, Hospice Volunteer coordinator, 722-2981 ext. 140.

ST. PATRICK'S WOMEN'S GUILD PENNY SALE

St. Patrick's Penny Sale will be held on April 11th and 12th in the Parish Center at St. Patrick Parish, 12 Main St. Pelham, NH on Saturday, 9:00AM to 6:00PM, and Sunday 9:00AM to 3:00PM. Visit the Blarney Stone Café for mouthwatering food throughout the weekend.

COME TO THE FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

All Catholics or interested individuals are welcome to the Feast of Divine Mercy which takes place on April 12th from 1:30PM to 3:30PM at St. Catherine of Siena Parish, 207 Hemlock St in Manchester, NH. What is so special about this Feast of Divine Mercy? It is the promise of total forgiveness of all sins and punishment for any soul that would go to Confession and then receive Jesus in Holy Communion on this very special Feast of Divine Mercy! Many former fallen away Catholics have taken advantage of this great Feast of Mercy to get a brand new start in life and to be totally prepared to stand before the Lord. Don't miss out on this incredible gift of mercy. Call 622-4966 or visit www.scsnh.com for more information.

TUESDAY TOURS! For the next several weeks, St. Anthony School will be holding open visits on Tuesdays during the school day. Prospective families may come between 8:30AM and 1:00PM to see our classes in session and meet our teachers. You can save \$25.00 on the registration fee if you register when you visit. For questions or to schedule a visit, contact Mrs. Green in the school office at 622-0414 or visit the website at www.stanthony-school-nh.com.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK APRIL 05, 2015

First Reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Peter's sermon capsulizes the mission of Jesus, and then of the Apostles after Him, whom He commissioned to preach it.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

Even though the resurrection of Christ has happened, there is still a big gap between earthly realities and heavenly ones. But Christ will close that gap when He returns.

Gospel: John 20:1-9

The discovery of the empty tomb along with the positioning of the grave clothing shows that the body of Jesus had not been stolen. Both facts endorse the Easter faith. Only later will the disciples and we understand the meaning of both.



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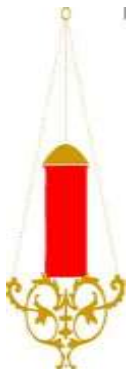
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<u>Saturday</u>	<u>04 Apr</u>	<u>Easter Sunday [W]</u>
7:30p	❖ Our Parish Family-	Easter Vigil
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>05 Apr</u>	<u>Easter Sunday [W]</u>
8:00a	✠ Walter and Virginia Kuszek	
		by their daughter and family
10:00a	✠ Manuel P. and M. Gilda Couto	
		by the Couto, Russell families
12:00p	✠ Lillian Bacon, by the Couto, Russell families	
<u>Monday</u>	<u>06 Apr</u>	<u>Monday in the Octave of Easter [W]</u>
8:00a	NO MORNING EUCHARIST	
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>08 Apr</u>	<u>Wed. in the Octave of Easter [W]</u>
8:00a	✠ Rev. Msgr James J. Markham	
		by St. Jude Parish
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>09 Apr</u>	<u>Holy Thursday [W]</u>
	NO MORNING EUCHARIST	
<u>Friday</u>	<u>10Apr</u>	<u>Fri in the Octave of Easter [W]</u>
	NO MORNING EUCHARIST	
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>11 Apr</u>	<u>Second Sunday of Easter [W]</u>
4:00p	✠ Leo O. Gosselin by his wife Connie	
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>12 Apr</u>	<u>Second Sunday of Easter [W]</u>
8:00a	✠ Joseph Houley, by the Kemp Family	
10:00a	❖ Our Parish Family	
12:00p	✠ Lorraine Smith by Everest Smith	

SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp is dedicated the week of April 4th through April 10th for the Couto Family, by the Parish Staff.



SANCTUARY LAMP MEMORIAL

If you would like an opportunity to dedicate the Sanctuary Lamp, over the Tabernacle, in memory of a deceased loved one, or a special intention, please contact Elaine at the Parish Office 432-3333. The lamp will burn for one week for that person. A suggested stipend is \$25.00.



<u>Monday</u>	<u>06 Apr</u>	
7:00p	Knights of Columbus	Rm.4
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>07 Apr</u>	
1:30p	<u>08Apr</u>	
6:00p	Parent Baptismal Class	Deacon Marc's office
7:00p	High School Youth Group	Room 9 &PH
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>09Apr</u>	
9:30a	College Ministry	Kitchen and PH
7:00p	Adult Choir Rehearsal	

**EASTER SUNDAY
APRIL 05, 2015**

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab, 5-9; Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27a; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-15ab, 16-21; Mk 16:9-15

Sunday: Acts 4:32-35; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31



The office will be closed on Monday, April 6th to enable our staff to spend Easter with their families. Monday morning Eucharist will also be canceled. We will reopen on Tuesday April 7th. Have a very Blessed Easter.

LIFT WORSHIP NIGHT

Friday April 10, 2015 from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm at St Joseph's Cathedral, corner of Pine and Lowell Streets, Manchester, NH. Worship and adoration, message and reconciliation. Free to attend – open to all ages.
www.liftedhigher.com or call 603-622-6404.

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