

St. Mary's ~ Roman Catholic Church



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St. Mary's Parish

www.stmaryparishnh.org

Diocese of Manchester

www.catholicnh.org

Sunday ~ August 9, 2015 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor	Very Rev. Shawn Therrien, V.F.
Deacon	Rev. Deacon Paul Boucher
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St Bonaventure Homeschool Cooperative	(603) 543-3483

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday	4:00 PM
Sunday	8:00 / 10:30 AM
Monday / Tuesday / Wed. / Friday	7:30 AM
No Mass on Thursday	

MASSES AT OLD ST. MARY CHURCH

Saturday Morning Mass at 8:00 AM every week
(June to October) at Old St. Mary's Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday	3:00 - 3:45 PM
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Church is illuminated this week for
All Souls.

ADORATION CHAPEL

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday ONLY 6:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Chapel Hours

Monday	8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Tuesday	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Wednesday	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Thursday	6:00 AM - 8:00 PM
Friday	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Saturday	8:00 AM - 12 Noon
Sunday	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Remember St. Mary's Renovation Fund
in your Will.

A very powerful daily prayer

Many amazing occurrences and miracles have been attributed with this very simple but powerful prayer. Commit to saying this prayer morning and evening.

☩ Jesus, King of Love, I put my trust in your merciful love.

PARISH PICNIC/ POTLUCK August 16th Noon-4:00 PM

This coming weekend we will celebrate the solemnity of the assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is very important that we celebrate the celebrities of the Lord and his mother with great joy and true celebration. This year we will celebrate with a parish picnic which will take place on the lawn by the Church and the gym. I hope that as many people as possible will attend. I also intend to invite those who are residents of the shelter next-door. It is important for us to show our love and concern for taking time to fellowship with our neighbors.

The picnic will be partially potluck. The parish will provide the hamburgers, hotdogs, rolls and the drinks. I would ask that those who will be attending would call the parish office not only to let us know that you are coming, but also to coordinate with Mandy about what you can bring. We are in need of salads and desserts (preferably cookies, brownies or bars). If there is anyone who cannot bring anything just let us know you're coming.



There will be a few games that we can play as well as the jungle gym at the school for the little kids. Let us come together to make this a great celebration and example to the neighborhood! *-Father Shawn*

Gigantic Indoor Yard Sale

St. Mary's Gym - Saturday, September 12, 2015, from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM.
Proceeds will benefit St. Mary's Parish.

Donations for the yard sale will be accepted in the gym during the following dates/times:

Monday, August 24, 2015 (3 pm - 7 pm)
Wednesday, August 26, 2015 (3 pm - 7 pm)
Saturday, August 29, 2015 (9 am - 1 pm)
Monday, August 31, 2015 (3 pm - 7 pm)
Wednesday, September 2, 2015 (3 pm - 7 pm)
Saturday, September 5, 2015 (9 am - 1 pm)



The following items will be accepted: tools, small furniture, small appliances, glassware, china, dishes, pots/pans, Christmas items, crafts, toys, books, jewelry, pictures/frames, tapes/movies/CD's, puzzles, linens to include drapes & bedding, home decorative items, etc.

The following items will not be accepted: large appliances, large furniture, mattresses, luggage, broken items, rugs/carpeting, clothes, shoes, exercise equipment, ski's/poles, ski boots, typewriters and computers.

Please contact Norma Limoges @ 542-2916 for additional information.

August 9, 2015—August 16, 2015

Sat. Aug 8	Vigil of Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 PM	†Josephine Manley
Sun. Aug 9	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM	For the People
10:30 AM	†Bonnie Giampa By "Big Sis"
Mon. Aug 10	Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr
7:30 AM	Claire C. Bouchard
Tue. Aug 11	Saint Claire, Virgin
12:10 PM	All Souls
Wed. Aug 12	Weekday in Ordinary Time
7:30 AM	Mass of Thanksgiving By Henry Petrin
Thur. Aug 13	Weekday in Ordinary Time
	No Mass
Fri. Aug 14	Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr
7:30 AM	Ted & Richard Frechette and Karen Coyne By Ted
Sat. Aug 15	Vigil of Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM	Mass @ Old Saint Marys
4:00 PM	†Louis Tewksbury By Debi DeTore & Steve & Nicole Lewis
Sun. Aug 16	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM	†Bert Nelson 12th Anniversary By Son, Ronald Nelson
10:30 AM	For the People

WEEKLY OFFERING . . . Stewardship
Giving of Time, Talent and Treasure in gratitude for all of God's gifts.
Thank you for your generosity!
Thank you also for those who make up backed envelopes!
August 2, 2015

Offertory	\$ 3778.00
Fuel	\$ 2051.00

Upcoming Collections:
 Buck-a-Month Aug 8-9
 NH Missionary Abroad Diocesan Collection Aug 15-16

PLEASE NOTE ... All checks are payable to: St. Mary's Parish.
If you would like to put in the memo section what collection it is that is fine. Just as long as checks are made out to the church!
 With the exception of St Vincent De Paul:
St. Vincent de Paul, payable direct to: St. Vincent de Paul Society.

PRAYER LIST
Call the parish office to add/continue a person on the prayer list

Audrey Afflen Robert Afflen Doris Allen Mindy A. Barrows Leo Beaudry Cecile Belanger Todd P Bellefeuille Leonce Belliveau Jean Bergeron Janet Blaisdell Rose Bly Jacob Borsh Carol Braga Juliette Brunelle Pauline Buckner Bruce Bunnell Sis Corsale Francis Couture Sarah Davis Leona Denis William Dillon, Sr. Jim Dilts Claire Doe Sis. Paulette Ducharme Thomas Eagen Joni Fenske	Bonnie Giampa David Giguere Billy Grey David Grey Elizabeth Grey Jacob Grey Lori Helie Marion Hamilton Deborah Hemingway David Immich Janet Ingham Delores LaCroix Reginald Laroche Laurie Lee Raymond Lemieux Matthew Limoges Roy Lucier Robert Mancino Laura M Manes Linda Mathews Terry McGuire Alexis Merrill Sylvia Michaud Marilyn Michener Sharee M. Nelson	George Nelson Terry Ondre Mary Ouellette Roland Pond Jeffrey Raymond T. J. Raymond Julia Sanders Fr. Daniel Sinibaldi Cathy Scott Cheryl Shaime Robert Simoneau Sr. Ed Small Father Stan May Sullivan Mary Sullivan Christine Synder Andrew St. Pierre Rev. Richard St. Louis Michelle Tanguay Bunnie Tilton Lewis Tewksbury Deanna Vertone David White Fleurette Witalisz Doris Wolcott
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"Now Herod had arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison." -Matthew 14:3

Herod was married to the wife of his half brother. When John the Baptist told Herod to repent, Herod threw him into prison. The illegal wife of Herod got involved, too, devising a plot to have John beheaded. The convoluted story reminds us that one sin can affect many people. How do you react when someone confronts you about sin? Do you minimize your actions or explain them away? Do you feel defensive or wrongly judged? Maybe you ridicule the call to repentance. Facing sin is never pleasant. But when we refuse to take responsibility for our actions, sometimes we can call on John the Baptist to bring us to our senses.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY LOVED ONES
 Tom / Bergan Flannigan ...Army
 (Joey) Villers ... Army

Call the parish office to add your loved ones in the service.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK . . .

Mon. Aug 10	2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26
Tues. Aug 11	Dt 31:1-8/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wed. Aug 12	Dt 34:1-12/Mt 18:15-20
Thurs. Aug 13	Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Mt 18:21—19:1
Fri. Aug 14	Jos 24:1-13/Mt 19:3-12
Sat. Aug 15	Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/1 Cor 15:54b-57
Sun. Aug 16	Prv 9:1-6/Eph 5:15-20/Jn 6:51-58

Welcome New Parishioners...Just moved to this area? We welcome you to St. Mary's Parish. Please stop by the parish office or call (603) 542-9518 for "new parishioner" information!

HYMNS ~ Saturday & Sunday



Entrance Antiphon: Pg 238

Offertory Hymn: # 791 We Sing the Mighty Power of God

Communion Antiphon: Pg 240

Communion Hymn: # 719 Where Charity and Love Prevail

Recessional Hymn: # 780 Joyful, Joyful We Adore You

REMEMBERING DURING THE YEAR

"Memorial Candle Fund"

Candles burning in the Church/Adoration Chapel are in memory of All Souls.

Parish Census Questionnaire . We need ALL parishioners of Saint Mary's to fill out this census. Only one form is required for each family. Once this form is filled out there are a couple options for handing it in. You may drop off or mail to the office or leave in the collections basket in an envelope attention to "Office." If you know of people who are parishioners but haven't been able to attend church please either let them know or give us a call.

If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact us at 603-542-9518.

******If you do not fill out the census then you will not be registered as a parishioner at Saint Marys. ******

Thank you to those of you who have brought these in! :)

Highlights of Events

- Mon Aug 10 **K of C Meeting**
7:00 PM—Knights Room in Saint Mary's Gym
- Tues Aug 18 **Catholic Daughters Meeting**
6:30 PM—Senior Center
- Sat Aug 15 **Ultreya Meeting**
6:30 PM—Saint Mary's Gym

Grand Prize Raffle tickets for the Penny Sale are being sold at the rectory Monday-Friday from 9-2! 1 for \$1, 6 for \$5, 12 for \$10, 25 for \$20. Those who purchase \$20 worth of tickets at one time will be sponsors! :)

The winner, if present during the penny sale will win a grand prize of \$1500! If not present the grand prize will be \$1200 then there will be a 2nd grand prize winner for \$300 if that is the case.



New schedule due out soon. Please call Lorraine at 542-4092, before Aug. 19, if there are times from Sept. through Nov. 26 when you will not be available.

Help Needed to Keep the Parish Healthy

The older generation has been an important part of building and caring for the parish. Now they are our "prayer warriors" and we need to let them know that they are still needed. If you have a few minutes every couple of weeks to stop at Silver Maples; leave a bulletin; and let them know we are thinking of them, please call Steve Denis at 543-1533. Leave a message if I am not there. It is in giving that we receive.

We need your help to keep the Church neat and clean!

We ask that you refrain from stepping on the kneelers with wet or dirty shoes. Also, at the end of Mass, please make sure that our Missalette/Hymnals are closed and placed in the rack in front of the kneeler.

Thank you for your cooperation!



ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION Bishop Peter A. Libasci invites all couples who are celebrating their 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or beyond Wedding Anniversary (anytime during the year 2015), to attend a Special Anniversary Mass. This celebration will be held on October 18 2015 at 2:00 p.m., at Saint Anselm Abbey Church, Manchester. If you are celebrating your 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or beyond anniversary, please contact the parish office by August 6, 2015. We will need your last name, first names and mailing address. Please also indicate your special anniversary year. **Accepting rsvps until August 12th 2015.**

Baby Bottle Benefit Coin Collection- Dayspring Pregnancy Center of the Upper Valley continues to provide a wonderful program to pregnant women in need! They offer many resources which includes counseling, ultrasounds, options for adoption, maternity/family training, baby items which includes clothing and much more! They are entirely privately funded which means they are able to help women with their pregnancy and also allows pregnant women another option in our community then going to Planned Parenthood. Please help by donating to the baby bottle benefit. Baby Bottles are located in each entrance of the church. Any donation given to this cause is greatly appreciated and helps the Dayspring Pregnancy Center continue on their mission!
Thank you!

Upper Valley Catholic Young Adults: Are you in your 20s or 30s and interested in joining others for faith-focused activities, socializing, and volunteering? Contact Melissa Barber at biomelissa8@yahoo.com to be put on an email list for event announcements.

August 11th at 6:30 pm above the chapel, we are holding an informational meeting on the upcoming Ultreya weekends. Please come if you can or call Vic Bergeron if you need additional information.
Phone number is 603-542-6387.