St. Mary Roman Catholic Church

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday Sunday Monday / Tuesday / Friday Wednesday No Mass on Thursday 4:00 PM 8:00 AM / 10:30 AM 12:10 PM 7:30 AM

MASSES AT OLD ST. MARY CHURCH

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday and Friday Saturday

3:00 - 4:00 PM 3:00 - 3:45 PM

VOCATIONS HOLY HOUR Thursday

6:00 - 7:00 PM

ST. MARY CEMETERY Old Church Road Please call the Parish Office for inquiries or other information regarding the parish cemetery.

ADORATION CHAPEL <u>Closed until further notice!</u>

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

Chapel Hours

Nonday	8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
luesday	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Vednesday	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Thursday	6:00 AM - 6:00 PM
riday	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM - 12 Noon
Sunday	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM Friday 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

March 28, 2021 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

DIOCESAN DAY OF RECONCILIATION

In preparation for the celebration of Easter, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available at the following dates and times in St. Mary Church:

MONDAY, MARCH 29TH

10:00 AM—12:00 PM 1:00 PM—3:00 PM 5:00 PM—7:00 PM Fr. Arockia Fr. Shawn Both Fr. Shawn and Fr. Arockia

Please note that confessions will be heard next week on Monday (March 22nd) and Friday (March 26th) from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM as usual. Confessions will not be available on Good Friday, April 2nd.

SCHEDULE FOR EASTER TRIDUUM:

Holy Thursday	Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00 PM	St. Mary Church
Good Friday	Celebration of the Passion of the Lord Veneration of the Cross Holy Communion 3:00 PM	St. Mary Church
	Stations of the Cross 5:30 PM	St. Joseph Church
Holy Saturday	Easter Vigil 8:00 PM	St. Mary Church
Easter Sunday	Celebration of the Resurrection of the Lord 8:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM	St. Mary Church St. Joseph Church St. Mary Church

The Easter Triduum will be livestreamed via Facebook, except for Stations of the Cross. St. Mary Church Easter Sunday Masses will be livestreamed via Facebook. St. Joseph Church Easter Sunday Mass will be livestreamed via YouTube.

WEEKLY OFFERING ... Stewardship March 27, 2021—April 4, 2021 Giving of Time, Talent and Treasure in gratitude for all of God's gifts. Sat. Mar 27 Vigil of Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Thank you for your generosity! 4:00 PM For the People Thank you also for those who make up envelopes! Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Sun. Mar 28 Emig and Mathauser Families 8:00 AM March 21, 2021 By Frank Emig \$2276.50 Offertory 10:30 AM Edgar Rodelas (†) **Upcoming Second Collections** By Kei Dunn St. Vincent de Paul Society Mar 27/28 Apr 10/11 Fuel Mon. Mar 29 Monday of Holy Week Apr 17/18 Buck-A-Month 12:10 PM In Gratitude Tue. Mar 30 Tuesday of Holy Week 7:30 AM All Souls your check. Checks for St. Vincent de Paul Society should be made payable to St. Vincent de Paul Society. Wednesday of Holy Week Wed. Mar 31 7:30 AM All Souls PRAYER LIST Thur. Apr 1 Holy Thursday Call the parish office to add/continue a person on the prayer list Priests of the Diocese of Manchester 7:00 PM Jeff Albright Dennis Fontaine Matthew Merrill Doris Allen Herb Foster Fri. Apr 2 Friday of the Passion of the Lord Ann Milan **Bill Beattie** David Grey 3:00 PM David Montano Celebration of the Lord's Passion Mary Ouellette Gloria Beattie Jay Grey Joan Beattie Joan Grey Deborah Phaup Sat. Apr 3 Easter Vigil Scott Beattie Bailey Hanson **Mike Poirier** 8:00 PM For the People William Beattie **Douglas Hartwell** Mary Raymond Georgette Boudreau Deborah Hemingway Lucille Richards Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Sun. Apr 4 Carol Braga Renee Honeman Gloria Santini 8:00 AM Emig and Mathauser Families Garv Bromlev Gabriel Houle Chervl Shaimas By Frank Emig Pauline Buckner David Immic Christopher Shaimas Andrew St. Pierre Stephen Burlew Donna Kulacz 10:30 AM Patricia Aldighieri (†) Sis Corsale Richard LaCasce Elaine St. Pierre By Mary K. Keating **Douglas Craig** Pearl Landry Marcy St. Pierre **Ray Lemieux** Mary Sullivan

All 3 Weekend Masses are livestreamed on the parish Facebook page. The church is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available Monday and Friday from 3:00-4:00 PM.

Thank you to all who are generously sending in their weekly offertory. Please continue to support the parish weekly. It is imperative to the running of our parish. Your generosity is greatly appreciated! - Fr. Shawn

READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

Mon.	Mar 29	ls 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11
Tues.	Mar 30	ls 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wed.	Mar 31	Is 50:4-9/Mt 26:14-25
Thurs.	Apr 1	Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
Fri.	Apr 2	Is 52:13—53:12/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42
Sat.	Apr 3	Gn 1:1—2:2/Gn 22:1-18/Ex 14:15—15:1/ls 54:5-14
		/ls 55:1-11/Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ez 36:16-17, 18-28
		/Rom 6:3-11/Mk 16:1-7
Sun.	Apr 4	Acts 10:34, 37-43/Col 3:1-4/Jn 20:1-9

Welcome New Parishioners...Just moved to this area? We welcome you to St. Mary Parish. Please stop by



the parish office or call (603) 542-9518 for "new parishioner" information!

PLEASE NOTE ... All checks made payable to: St. Mary Parish.

You are welcome to indicate the collection in the memo section of

McKenna Day Rebecca DeVoyd Claire Doe Susan Doodv Thomas Eagen Charles Eastman Charles Fletcher

Merranda Lenahan Matthew Limoges Rov Lucier Lucille Matteau Terry McGuire Shirley McNutt

Peter Sullivan Christine Synder Carolyn Theroux David White Rov Winot

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY LOVED ONES

Zachary Long... US Army Raymond F. Parizo, Jr....US Navy Call the parish office to add your loved ones in the service.

Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions-March 2021

Intention for Evangelization -Sacrament of Recon**ciliation** Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

REMEMBERING DURING THE YEAR "Memorial Candle Fund"

Candles burning in the Church/Adoration Chapel for all priests in the Diocese of Manchester.



Catholic Daughters of the Americas Ct. Virgil H. Barber #892 **Easter Holiday Pecan Sale**

March 27th and March 28th (after the Masses) St. Mary Church 12 oz. Mammoth Pecans 12 oz. Jumbo Roasted Cashews **Glazed** Pecans



ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Bishop Peter A. Libasci invites couples celebrating any significant wedding anniversaries during the year 2021 to pray with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass via livestream on Sunday, April 18, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. All registering couples will receive a certificate from the bishop recognizing their anniversaries and a link to an at-home date night kit. Registering couples may opt to attend a virtual couple's trivia night for a small fee (\$10/couple). Please contact Alyse Hlasny at ahlasny@rcbm.org or at (603) 663-0108 with any questions. Registration deadline is April 11th.

New Online Support Group from Catholic Charities

Divorce/separation can be an uncomfortable and often misunderstood topic, and for those directly impacted, a painful process with many questions often left unanswered. Catholic Charities NH will be hosting its next online support group, "Divorce/ Separation: Why me? What can I do?" for those navigating the divorce process or trying to find their way afterward. Participants will learn more about the dynamics of divorce, better understand their options, learn helpful coping strategies, and support others on the same journey. The program will be held via Zoom for six consecutive Wednesdays (at noon) starting April 21. To register, visit www.ccnh.org/supportgroup or call 603-752-1325.

As you may know, St. Vincent de Paul Society is closed for the duration of the pandemic. However, if you or someone you know needs assistance and would like to speak with someone from St. Vincent de Paul Society, please call 603-543-0551. Be sure to leave a message with your name and phone number and someone will return your call. Thank you!



Act of Spiritual Communion My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Knights of Columbus Aluminum Can Drive



Sat. March 27th — 3:00—4:00 PM...St. Mary Rectory Garage Sun. March 28th — 7:30—10:30 AM...St. Mary Rectory Garage

Aluminum cans only! Rinse out cans, do not crush them. 5 cent plastic soda bottles marked VT accepted. Check markings! Proceeds go to 2 seminarians and a postulant.



Happy birthday to Rita Moore! She will be **102** on March 30th. If you would like to send her a birthday card, please send to Room 212, Elmwood Center, 290 Hanover Street, Claremont NH 03743. Her daughter, Lillian Phaup, has given permission to publish Rita's address. Congratulations Rita!

Dear Friends,

Would you like to learn more about the secular Third Order of St. Francis? We would like to begin a Third Order in our parish. Please email Fr. John Loughnane at allsaints3@comcast.net for more information and to sign up. Without withdrawing from the world, the Third Order carries out the principles of Franciscan life. We perform works of teaching, charity, and social service. We will give you more information and plan our first meeting in the near future.

May the Lord bless you always, Fr. John Loughnane All Saints Parish PO Box 332 Charlestown, NH 03603 603-717-5603



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