

SAINT KATHRYN PARISH

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Eucharistic Amazement

Adoration of Jesus is our Salvation

with Fr. Louis Guardiola, CPM

St. Kathryn Lenten Mission

March 13 - 17

join us each night in the Church

SCHEDULE

Sunday March 13th 7:30PM *(following the 6:30PM Mass)*

The Holy Eucharist Sacrifice, Holy Communion, and the Real Presence

Monday March 14th 6:30PM *(Praise & Worship at 6:00PM)*

The value and importance of Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday March 15th 6:30PM *(Praise & Worship at 6:00PM)*

The Sacred Heart and the Holy Eucharist

Wednesday March 16th 6:30PM *(Praise & Worship at 6:00PM)*

Social Transformation through Personal Eucharistic Transformation

Thursday March 17th 6:30PM *(Mission talk included as part of the 6:30PM Mass)*

Our Lady Model and Teacher of Eucharistic Adoration

Confessions available Monday through Thursday

5:30PM - 6:15PM

Fr. Louis will be with us the weekend of March 12-13 to offer Mass and introduce the Mission



Father Louis Guardiola was born March 23rd, 1953 into a Mexican-American family in Detroit, Michigan. He has been a member of the Blue Army of Our Lady of Fatima since 1967. He attended Loyola University of Chicago, graduating Cum Laude in Scholastic Philosophy and Classical Languages in 1976, having studied four years of Latin and five years of Greek. He taught Religious Education for many years in Illinois, Michigan, Kentucky, and Connecticut as a layperson, novice, religious brother, Deacon, and Priest. He studied under Fr. John Hardon as a Lay Catechist for seven years (1989-96) assisting him in research for his articles, books, and catechisms and in coordinating conferences with bishops and cardinals.

Father Louis entered religious life with the Fathers of Mercy in 1996. He studied at Holy Apostles Seminary 1997-2001, graduating with M.A. in Divinity and M.A. in Theology, Magna Cum Laude, and class valedictorian. He was ordained May 31st, 2001, then assigned as assistant Pastor of Sacred Heart Church and interim Pastor of St. Peter's church 2001-2. Father now resides at the Fathers of Mercy Generalate in South Union, Kentucky when he is not preaching missions, retreats, and 40 hours devotions. Read more at <https://fathersofmercy.com>.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,



As we begin our Lenten Parish Mission this Sunday on Eucharistic Amazement, we reflect this week on the final section of the bishops' recent letter on the Eucharist, paragraphs 51-59. The final two sections are entitled: *Food for the Journey* and *Sent Forth*.

We concluded last week with the work of Blessed Carlo Acutis and his research into the many beautiful Eucharistic miracles that have occurred throughout the centuries. As he often said, *"The Eucharist is my highway to heaven."* The bishops also point out another young man who had a deep love for our Eucharistic Lord: St. José Sánchez del Río. He was martyred during the great persecution of the Catholic faith in the early twentieth century when the then president of Mexico, Plutarco Elías Calles, sought to close Catholic churches, seminaries, and forbade public display of the Catholic religion.

St. José's final reception of Jesus in the Eucharist gave him such great courage and strength not to deny his faith in the final moment of his life. He told his persecutor's *"My faith is not for sale."*

One of the common themes one notices, as one gets to know the saints, is their deep love for the Eucharist. The lives of both Blessed Carlo Acutis and St. José del Río illustrate that Jesus' true presence is food for the journey. The greater our love and devotion to the Eucharistic Christ, the more the Lord will transform us into the saints He calls us to be. The greater our love and devotion to the Eucharistic Christ, the greater will be our strength to live our daily lives. This is exactly what happened to the disciples on their journey to Emmaus. Discouraged by the events of the Crucifixion and Death of Jesus, their hearts were brought back to life by Jesus' revelation of Himself in the Eucharist. *"And it happened that, while he was with them at table, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them. With that their eyes were opened and they recognized him, but he vanished from their sight. Then they said to each other, 'Were not our hearts burning [within us] while he spoke to us on the way and opened the scriptures to us?'"* (Luke 24: 30-32). I have come to know this strength in my own priestly life as my days ebb and flow between my daily tasks and the many times that I return to sit before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament throughout the day. How much my life depends on Jesus' Eucharistic presence.

This week as we begin our parish mission, may we let Jesus renew our love for His Eucharistic presence and help us to become more fully: Eucharistic missionary disciples. I would also ask that each of us consider signing up for and committing to the practice of Eucharistic Adoration here in our parish if we haven't already. I promise you; it will change your life! One of the fruits of this mission I hope to see grow, is an expansion of the hours of Adoration on First Fridays and First Saturdays. Please prayerfully consider how you will be able to make this a reality for the Lord. When a community is devoted to Jesus in the Sacrament of the Altar, a parish will see a flood of graces flowing from the Lord's heart: holy marriages, holy priestly and religious vocations, a renewal of faith and prayer, a deeper experience of the Mass, a return of persons who have fallen away from their faith, and so much more! When the Eucharist is truly the center of a community, God's grace transforms it!

As the bishops conclude, *"There is much more that could be said, but what is most important is that we enter more deeply by faith and love into this great Mystery of Mysteries. Let us all ask the Lord to call us into a time of Eucharistic renewal, a time of prayer and reflection, of acts of charity and sincere repentance. The Lord is with us in the Eucharistic Mystery celebrated in our parishes and missions, in our beautiful cathedrals and in our poorest chapels. He is present and he draws near to us, so that we can draw nearer to him."*

In Jesus and Mary,

Fr. Michael

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THIS WEEK AT CHURCH

SUNDAY, MARCH 13TH

Religious Education, Group 1/Parish Hall and RMs 1-6 (10:00A-noon)

Lenten Holy Hour/Church (4:30P)

Mission Talk/Church (7:30P--following 6:30P Mass)

MONDAY, MARCH 14TH

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Church (5:30-6:15P)

Praise and Worship/Church (6:00P)

Mission Talk/Church (6:30P)

Lectio Divina Class/RM 1 (7:00P)

TUESDAY, MARCH 15TH

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Church (5:30-6:15P)

Praise and Worship/Church (6:00P)

Cub Scouts/Parish Hall (6:00P)

Mission Talk/Church (6:30P)

Boy Scouts/Parish Hall (7:00P)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16TH

Adoration/Church (5:30-8:15A and 9:00A-6:00P)

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Church (5:30-6:15P)

Praise and Worship/Church (6:00P)

Mission Talk/Church (6:30P)

K of C Planning Meeting/RM 3 (7:00P-10:00P)

Daughters of Eve/RM 1 (7:00P)

THURSDAY, MARCH 17TH

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Church (5:30-6:15P)

Mission Talk/Church (as part of 6:30P Mass)

FRIDAY, MARCH 18TH

Stations of the Cross/Church (9:15A)

SATURDAY, MARCH 19TH

Rosary/Church (8:00A)

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Church (9:15-10:00A and 3:00-3:45P)

First Penance/Church (10:00A)

St. Patrick's Day Dinner/Parish Hall (6:00P)

Natural Family Planning/RM 1 (7:00P)

SUNDAY, MARCH 20TH

Coffee and Donuts/Parish Hall (9:30A)

Religious Education, Group 2 and Grades 7-8/Parish Hall and RMs 1-6 (10:00A-noon)

Lenten Holy Hour/Church (4:30P)

MASS INTENTIONS

VIGIL (THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT)

4:00PM—+Frances and +Juillette Bucknam, *by Joan Malone*

SUNDAY, MARCH 13 (THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT)

8:30AM—+Peter Dolloff, *by Gayle and Deacon Ray*

10:30AM—For the People of the Parish

6:30PM—+Ann Marie Rosa, *by Gayle and Deacon Ray*

MONDAY, MARCH 14 (LENTEN WEEKDAY)

8:30AM—+Marie Minichiello Menez, *by Diane Russell*

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16 (LENTEN WEEKDAY)

8:30AM—+Memorial Enrollments

THURSDAY, MARCH 17 (LENTEN WEEKDAY)

6:30PM—+Marybeth Florczak, *by her husband, Adam*



FRIDAY, MARCH 18 (LENTEN WEEKDAY)

8:30AM—+Mary Gleason, *by her husband, Ed*

SATURDAY, MARCH 19 (SOLEMNITY OF SAINT JOSEPH, HUSBAND OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY)

8:30A—+Marie and +George Menez, *by Diane Russell*

VIGIL (THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT)

4:00PM—+James Gaudette (20th Anniversary), *by his wife*

SUNDAY, MARCH 20 (THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT)

8:30AM—+Joseph Lemmo, *by his daughter, Rosa*

10:30AM—For the People of the Parish

6:30PM—+Edward Pelland, *by Bill Incera*

SAINT KATHRYN RELIGIOUS GOODS

This is our last in a series of cajoling posts to hopefully plant a seed to motivate as many customers as possible to consider beginning a consistent regimen of reading and prayer. Prayer at the very least! But that often entails reading, so in essence that covers both topics!

We came across another passage from one of our offerings in the store that we thought would be hopefully a bit thought-provoking. It is taken from the book titled *God is Not Nice* by Ulrich Lehner. The introduction to the book is by Scott Hahn if that's any indication of the quality of thought and writing contained in its pages. The quote is as follows:

"Science is, in my view, the number one coping mechanism of humans to deal with the inescapable truth that we and everything we produce will some day cease to exist (at least on this planet). This is the reason we pay doctors more than philosophers: they keep death and pain away from us. Although we do not realize it, entertainment is the second biggest contingency coping mechanism: we pay sports heroes, movie stars, and entertainers so much because they distract us from the ultimate conclusion that we are mortal and that our life is meaningless without God. In reality, religion does not so much solve the problem of mortality as create it."

Lehner goes on to clarify this statement in a pretty detailed and convincing way. Not a quick read by any means but great theology.

The book also carries great endorsements by Brant Pitre and George Weigel, a couple more great writers on the Catholic faith.

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LECTIO DIVINA CLASSES

If we let the Word of God invade our heart, we will always be in God. The ancient method of Lectio Divina is exactly that, living in the presence of God's Word. During Lent, Sister Claire Provost PM will be offering 6 classes on Prayer. They will be held in Room 1 in the Parish Center at 7:00 p.m. and will last approximately 1 hour. Monday nights during Lent: March 14, 21, 28 and April 4 and 11. Prayer Journals will be given to help with the practice of Scriptural prayer during the entire season of Lent. All are welcome. Registration not necessary; but if you need more information, you may contact Karen Wilder at 603-321-1820 or Sr. Claire Provost at cprovost@rivier.edu.

SPRING CRAFT CLASS: ILLUMINATED MANUSCRIPTS



For those who missed them last year, the beginner-intermediate Illuminated Manuscripts Classes are back! The

classes will take place on six Wednesday evenings after vespers on the following dates: April 20th, 27th, May 4th, 11th, and 25th, and June 1st. The cost for materials is \$25, which includes inks, paper, and a calligraphy pen. Due to the level of concentration and patience required to make illuminated manuscripts, the required age is 16 and up. All you will need to bring to start is a sharp pencil and a ruler! Please call the parish office to register no later than April 1st, at 603-882-7793, as space is limited to 12 students. When registering, please inform the parish office if you are left handed, so that you may receive left handed pen nibs for the class. For more information and for those who took the classes last year, but would like to attend again, please contact Jeremiah at david.yuds@gmail.com, or call at (603)-818-9242.

REFLECTING GOD'S GENEROSITY TO US

Offertory March 5th-6th:

In Church:	\$5,304.00
Online:	\$7,058.00
Mail:	\$830.00
Total:	\$13,192.00

Ash Wednesday: \$564.00

Our weekly parish budget is \$11,500. Thank you for giving!

PARISH LENTEN ACTIVITIES

PLEASE JOIN US THIS LENTEN SEASON FOR:

STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON FRIDAY MORNINGS
AT 9:15 A.M.

PARISH MISSION (SEE FRONT COVER)

SHROUD OF TURIN PRESENTATION (SEE PAGE 6)

LECTIO DIVINA CLASS ON MONDAY NIGHTS WITH
SR. CLAIRE PROVOST PM (SEE LEFT)

ADORATION EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 5:30 A.M.
TO 6:30 P.M.

SUNDAY HOLY HOUR AND VESPERS FROM 4:30-
5:30 P.M.

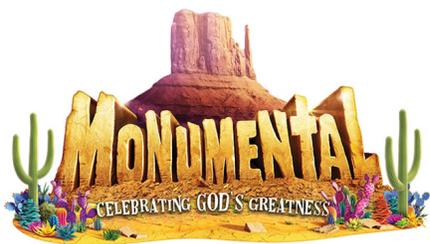
LENTEN FOOD DRIVE FOR HUDSON COMMUNITY
FOOD PANTRY - PLEASE TAKE A BROWN BAG
FROM VESTIBULE, FILL AND RETURN BY PALM
SUNDAY. CAN YOU HELP DELIVER FOOD MONDAY
MORNINGS AT 9AM? CONTACT JOHN AT
JMCKIVERGAN@GAMIL.COM

COLORING CONTEST WINNERS

Congratulations to the winners of our annual Epiphany Coloring Contest: Max Phillips, Rachael Durand, Ana Phillips, Luke Phillips, and Amy Conley. Please see Sister Janice during religious ed for your prize!

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Bishop Peter A. Libasci invites all couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary in 2022, and those recently unable to participate due to COVID-19, to attend a Wedding Anniversary Mass. The Mass will be held on Sunday, May 1, 2022 at 2:00 p.m., at St. Joseph Cathedral, Manchester. To register, please contact your parish office by April 8, 2022. The parish office will gather and submit all necessary information. Once registration has been completed by the parish office, all registrants will receive an invitation to this special celebration. To all you married couples, congratulations and we look forward to seeing you this spring at the Wedding Anniversary Mass!



July 18, 20, & 22
9am-12pm

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Calling all Teens and Preteens. Are you looking for something to do this summer? Are you looking for a way to give back to the church? We have just the position for you. Come join us at Vacation Bible School and help spread the word of Jesus to the younger kids. We have multiple ways to be involved from crew leaders to assistant crew leaders to assisting station leaders. There's lots of fun to be had, snacks, crafts, and games.

Call the office to sign up 603-882-7793.

INTRODUCTION OF THE PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL, THE ARCHANGEL

One of the beautiful practices that has been retained by our parish, immediately following weekday Mass, is the congregation praying in unison, **the Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel**. The prayer is a short form of a longer prayer composed by Pope Leo XIII on October 1, 1884. One day after celebrating Mass, the Pope had a profound but disturbing experience in prayer in which he was granted a vision. Immediately following this experience, he went to his private quarters to compose a prayer to St. Michael, which he required to be recited publicly, by the entire Church. Among the things that he experienced in the vision, it is said that the Pope heard two voices on either side of the altar, in which occurred a conversation between God and satan, and in which satan boasted that he could destroy the Church in a span of seventy-five to one hundred years, if he was given the opportunity. God then granted him permission to try. Thus, the shorter Prayer to St. Michael along with some other prayers, became part of a set of prayers known as the Leonine Prayers, which were required to be recited in unison by the whole Church, after the low Mass on Sunday.

During one of his Easter addresses in 1994, Pope John Paul II, once again called upon God's people to recall the prayer to St. Michael and to pray it often: *"May prayer strengthen us for that spiritual battle of which the Letter to the Ephesians speaks: 'Draw strength in the Lord and in the strength of his power' (Eph 6:10). It is to this same battle that the Book of Revelation refers, recalling before our eyes the image of St. Michael the Archangel (cf. Rev 12: 7). Pope Leo XIII was certainly well aware of this scene when, at the end of the last century, he introduced a special prayer to St. Michael throughout the Church: "Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil ..." Even if today this prayer is no longer recited at the end of the Eucharistic celebration, I invite everyone not to forget it, but to recite it to obtain help in the battle against the forces of darkness and against the spirit of this world."*

Beginning this Easter, we will begin reciting the Prayer to St. Michael as a parish family, immediately following the final blessing and dismissal at every Mass. In preparation for this and in order to help us become accustomed to this practice, we will pray the Prayer attributed to St. Francis of Assisi during the Lenten season immediately following the end of every Mass. The Prayer of St. Francis will truly help us to enter more fully into the spirit of Lent by its inherent call to conversion and interior transformation as we seek our own spiritual renewal, as well as the spiritual renewal of the Church and the world.

Prayer cards for both these prayers will be made available so that we can also pray these prayers individually. May St. Francis intercede for us powerfully to transform us into living icons of Christ, the Redeemer, and may St. Michael, whose prayer we will take up in Easter, assist us and defend us in the grave spiritual battle that has intensified throughout the world, over the past few years.

St. Francis of Assisi, pray for us! St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle! Amen.

LENTEN FASTING AND ABSTINENCE

Good Friday, April 15th, is a day of fast and abstinence. All between the ages of 18 and 58 (inclusive) are permitted one full meal and two smaller meals not equaling the main meal. Eating in between meals is not permitted, although liquids (water, milk, juice) are permissible. The law does not apply to those with medical conditions that preclude fasting. Abstinence from meat is required on this day as well for all over the age of 14. **Fridays in Lent** are days of abstinence. The eating of meat is not permitted on any Friday in Lent for those 14 years of age and older. (Those who must eat meat for reasons of health are encouraged to do another act of penitence in its place.)

ONLINE LENTEN RESOURCES

In addition to our own parish website, find more resources for your Lenten journey at the Diocese of Manchester's Lent page, [Walk with Jesus 2022: https://www.catholicnh.org/worship-and-sacraments/faith/liturgical-calendar/lent/walk-with-jesus/ash-wednesday/](https://www.catholicnh.org/worship-and-sacraments/faith/liturgical-calendar/lent/walk-with-jesus/ash-wednesday/)

Or consider participating in a virtual pilgrimage through the Holy Land from Magdala. Directed by: Kathleen Nichols, with Fr. Eamon Kelly, LC and the Magdala Team *"Yet I live, no longer I, but Christ lives in me; insofar as I now live in the flesh, I live by faith in the Son of God who has loved me and given himself up for me."* Gal. 2,20 <https://www.magdala.org/pilgrimage-lent-2022/>

STEUBENVILLE SPRING CONFERENCE

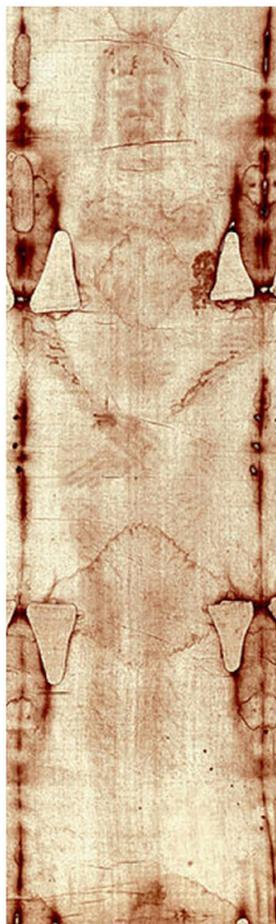
A member of our parish family is attending the Power and Purpose Conference in Steubenville this June. Would you also like to attend? Then, please follow the link to register! The parish group code is PPC22PKisNH. Questions? Please contact Petra at petraksr@gmail.com. Learn more about the conference at the conference website: <https://steubenvilleconferences.com/events/ppc/>

NEIGHBOR NEEDS

Can you donate a high chair or a washer and dryer for local families in need? If so, please contact Jarretta at 603.820.0365 to arrange pickup. Thank you!

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Shroud of Turin Presentation

St. Kathryn
Parish

March 25
6:30PM

Presentation will take place in
the Church

*Come discover
the historical
and miraculous
elements of the
ancient shroud that
has captivated scientists
and biblical scholars
for centuries.*

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A YOUNG ADULT
RETREAT

YOU

LIFE, LOVE, AND THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

Looking for a Life-Changing Experience?
If you are 16 years old or older, come to St. Kathryn Parish Sunday nights this Spring and discover the gift that is YOU!

April 24th, May 1st, 8th, 22nd, 29th, and June 5th
Hosted by St. Kathryn Parish - Sunday nights from 6-8PM

In an age of "selfies" and egocentrism, YOU cuts through the noise to present an authentic view of the human person. It presents young people with the extraordinary story of their creation as unrepeatable individuals. This program, by Ascension Press, has received a Nihil obstat & Imprimatur.

Presented by Jane Richard

Passionate about evangelizing and sanctifying the faithful through Catholic education, Jane has served the Church for more than 20 years in a variety of roles, working as a theology teacher, campus minister, facilitator and workshop teacher for the Certificate Program at the Theological Institute for the New Evangelization, and for the Archdiocese of Boston in the Respect Life Education office. She currently works as a consultant for the Catholic Schools Office. She will tell you, her most meaningful work is her vocation as wife, mother, and grandmother.

For more information, availability & registration email Barbara Donovan: bjdonovan@metrocast.net
Attendance is limited and space fills up fast. \$30.00 registration fee + \$21.95 for workbook.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER

Come one, come all to the finest corned beef and cabbage dinner this side of Dublin! The meal will include corned beef, with all the "trimmin's" and condiments, Irish bread, Grapenut pudding, rolls, coffee, water, soda and if you like, BYOB. (Guinness preferred.) Dinner will also include Irish music to enjoy along with the scrumptious meal! Tickets will be sold at all the Masses, \$15/adult \$8/child. The dinner will be held Saturday, March 19 at 6:00 p.m., in the Saint Kathryn Fellowship Hall, right below the parish sanctuary. A prize to be given to the couple or individual that has the most festive Irish garb! We look forward to seeing you!

REGINA CAELI ACADEMY

Come join our exciting mission to form the next generation of Catholics! Regina Caeli Academy (www.rcahybrid.org) provides a university-style hybrid™ education in the Catholic tradition. Pre K3 - 12th grade students attend Socratic classes two days a week and homeschool on the remaining days. Lesson plans are provided and optimized for in-home education. Join us for our Touring Event! - April 4th at 10am 120 Bellevue Ave. Haverhill, MA 01832. Events include a tour, classroom observation, and Q&A. Children Welcome! RSVP to rcasey.nma@rcahybrid.org or 978-228-3244.

YOU ARE INVITED TO A DEANERY-WIDE LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE

SOUHEGAN DEANERY

Sunday
March 27, 2022 at 2 pm

Immaculate Conception Parish
216 E. Dunstable Road, Nashua, NH



As we prepare for Lent and Easter, come to the Lord and experience the extraordinary grace of His forgiveness!

Many priests will be available!



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PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

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Finance Council members may be reached through the parish office for any questions regarding parish finances. All parishioners are welcome to inquire for information about policies, practices, and our stewardship of God's gifts.

PARISH OFFICE

Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and 1:00-4:00 p.m. Closed Friday/Weekends

SAINT KATHRYN RELIGIOUS GOODS

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Our religious goods store is located in the back of the parish office building and has its own parking.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday
9:00 a.m.—Noon

Friday and Sunday Closed

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m. Sunday Masses: 8:30 a.m.; 10:30 a.m. (also livestreamed on our website); 6:30 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Thursday: 5:30-6:15 p.m.

Saturday: 9:15-10:00 a.m. and 3:00-3:45 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Catechesis takes place with the parents prior to scheduling a date for the baptism. For more information, please contact Deacon Ray in the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Engaged couples should contact the parish office at least six months in advance of the proposed date of the wedding. Please refer to the marriage policy as found on the parish website.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK/COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Arrangements may be made for Communion to the Homebound or for the Sacrament of the Sick by calling the parish office. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick should be celebrated at the outset of an illness or when there is a change in the person's condition. The Sacrament should also be received prior to surgery.

PROTECTION OF CHILDREN POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

The diocesan policies are available by calling the parish office or by consulting the diocesan website at www.catholicnh.org.

OPEN FOR YOU!

We invite you to use our church, the transept chapel, or the Emmaus Chapel (in the office building) for personal prayer. Our sacred spaces are open daily from 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. (closed Saturday after the 4:00 p.m. Mass)

Welcome! If you are new to our community, we hope you have felt welcome! If you are a visitor - occasional or frequent - we're glad you joined us! If you're considering parish membership introduce yourself to the pastor after Holy Mass to get the process underway!

