



## CHURCH OF SAINT KATHRYN

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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2023**

## 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind." - Mt 22:37

# The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## All Souls Vespers

**Thursday, Nov. 2nd at 6:30 pm**

As a parish community, we invite all those who have lost a loved one during the past year to celebrate an Evening Prayer and Benediction with us. During the intercessions, a family member is welcome to light a candle in memory of a deceased relative. Candles may be taken home after the Mass. If you would like to have a candle lit for a close family member that passed away after Nov. 2, 2022, please contact Kim at the parish office by October 30. The parish office will need your name and the name of your deceased loved one.

## Family Promise Harvest Donation Drive

A true sign of fall is the planning of our annual Harvest Donation Drive. This effort helps us meet the needs of our families here at Family Promise of Southern New Hampshire. We offer support to families that are overcoming housing instability by providing safe housing, education, and case management. We rely on the community to provide basic items that our families need daily, to ease everyone's financial burden.

We are grateful for our relationship with St Kathryn's Church and would appreciate your congregation's participation in this year's Harvest Donation Drive.

On the weekends of November 5<sup>th</sup> and November 12<sup>th</sup> there will be a box in the narthex to collect donations. Donations can also be dropped off at Family Promise at 3 Crown Street in Nashua in the former Infant Jesus school or by contacting Matt Hodgkiss at 603-883-7338, ext. 3.

Items needed: sugar, flour, ground coffee, creamer, condiments, juice bottles, canned fruits and vegetables, kid's snacks, canned/boxed soups, spaghetti and sauce, olive oil, vinegar, salad dressing, rice, stuffing, noodles, Ramen, pasta sides, instant potatoes, hamburger/tuna/chicken helper, cereals, spices, mac and cheese, tea bags, peanut butter and jelly, pancake mix, syrup, tuna, crackers, and Ginger Ale.

## *Saint Kathryn's Annual* **CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AND PENNY SALE**

**2023**

**SAT., NOV. 11TH, 9A-6P**

**SUN., NOV. 12TH, 9A-3P**

**4 Dracut Rd., Hudson, NH**  
**[stkathryns.org/baz2023](http://stkathryns.org/baz2023)**

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday 9:30 am - noon and  
12:30 - 3 pm

## PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY

October is the Month of the Rosary. The Rosary is a way of uniting ourselves to the Life of Jesus and the mysteries surrounding His life through a prayer honoring Mary, The Blessed Mother. Mary has asked us repeatedly to pray the rosary for peace and conversion. Please take a pamphlet in the back of the church to help you with this devotion. "Hail Mary, Mother of God, Blessed Are You!" God Bless, St. Kathryn's Spiritual Planning Committee





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## MASS INTENTIONS

### VIGIL (THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

4:00 pm — +Henry, +Lucy Seamans by their daughter, Rita Louf

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2023 (THIRTIETH

#### SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

8:30 am — +Mary Bridget (Murphy) Madden (11th anniversary) by her loving son, Jack Madden

10:30 am — For the People of the Parish

6:30PM — +Robert Costello, Jr. by his family

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2023

8:30 am — +Cynthia Shilensky (1st Anniversary) by Cecile Adams

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2023 (All Saints' Day)

8:30 am — For intentions of Father Richard Doerr by Kathy Prieto

6:30 pm - +Gail Wylen by Rick and Sandi LeVasseur

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2023 (All Souls' Day)

8:30 am — +John, +Joan Eppolito by The Eppolito Family

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2023 (Saint Martin de Porres, Religious)

8:30 am — +William Souza, +Lucille Hebert by their daughter, Denny

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2023 (Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop)

8:30 am — +Marguerite LaGaccia by her daughter, Peggy Jungbluth

### VIGIL (THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

4:00 pm — Deceased Brothers of Knights of Columbus Council 5162 by Paul and Claudette Roy

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2023 (THIRTY-FIRST

#### SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

8:30 am — +Deceased members of the Paquette Family by In loving Memory Lemoine Family

10:30 am — For the People of the Parish

6:30PM — +Deborah M. Surrette by Robert and Denise Chandonnet

### SPECIAL INTENTIONS FOR THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:

**Blessed Virgin Mary Shrine Flowers** for Deceased Brothers of Knights of Columbus Council 5162 by Paul and Claudette Roy

### NOVEMBER SHRINE INTENTIONS:

**Black Madonna Shrine** for the deceased members of the Taylor and Marcotte families by Deacon Ray and Gayle Marcotte

**Blessed Virgin Mary Shrine** for +Doris DiFonzo by Elaine Russell

## THIS WEEK AT CHURCH

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29th

Rosary, Church (8 am)

Religious Education Group 2, Rooms 1-6 and Hall (10 am - noon)

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 30th

Rosary, Church (8 am)

Lectio: Eucharist – Discovering the Mass in the Bible, Hall B (9:30 - 11:30 am and 6:30 - 8:30 pm)

Forming Intentional Disciples Discussion, Room 1 (7-8:30 pm)

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31st

Acts of the Apostles, Hall B (9 - 11:30 am and 6 - 8:30 pm)

Crafters, Craft Room (noon - 4 pm)

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1st

Rosary, Church (8 am)

Adoration, Church (9 am - 6:30 pm)

Staff Prayer, Parish Office (9:45 - 10:30 am)

Sacrament of Reconciliation, Church (5:30 - 6:15 pm)

Cub Scouts, Room 2 (6 - 7:30 pm)

Knights of Columbus Business Meeting, Hall B (7 - 10 pm)

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2nd

Rosary, Church (8 am)

RCIC, Room 2 (4:15 - 5:30 pm)

Confirmation Youth and Young Adult, Room 2 (6 - 7:30 pm)

All Souls' Vespers, church (6:30 - 7:30 pm)

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd

Rosary, Church (8 am)

First Friday adoration, Starting in Church and processing into Transept Chapel (9 am - midnight)

Homeschool First Friday co-op, hall & room 4 (9 am - noon)

Homeschool Robotics, Hall (6 - 8 pm)

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4th

First Friday adoration (continued), church (12:01 am - 8 am)

Rosary, Church (8 am)

Sacrament of Reconciliation, Church (9:15 - 10 am & 3 - 3:45 pm)

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5th

Rosary, Church (8 am)

Religious Education Group 1, Rooms 1 - 6 and Hall (10 am - noon)

Youth group, Hall B (5 - 6:30 pm)

## PROJECT RACHEL

If you or someone you know is suffering after abortion, confidential, nonjudgmental help is available from Project Rachel Ministry. Call or email: 603.663.0192 or [projectrachel@rcbm.org](mailto:projectrachel@rcbm.org) for Project Rachel in New Hampshire. Spanish speakers may visit [EsperanzaPosAborto.org](http://EsperanzaPosAborto.org).

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## CURSILLO/ULTREYA

Cursillo is a wonderful weekend that invites women and men to encounter/experience the love of Jesus Christ on a more personal level. Everyone in the parish is welcome to come and learn more about Cursillo or come and share their Cursillo experience. Meetings are the last Friday of every month in Room 1, from 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. There is always a Guest Speaker, refreshments, and fellowship! We will not meet in Oct. because of the YB Catholic Conference, but will meet Friday, Nov. 24th and Dec. 29th! Contact Wanda and Randy Bushey for more information (603-889-0327). Hope to see you there!

## YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER Youth Group 5-6:30PM Sundays All 6th-12th Grade

October 29th—All Saints and All Souls Fun

**Eucharistic Procession across the streets of Lowell!** Join the River of Divine Mercy Collaborative with Rev. Richard Clancy Nov. 26 at 11 am. Contact nataliya-poto@gmail.com for more information.

## TRUNK OR TREAT

Come and join the Parish on Sunday October 29th directly following the 10:30AM Mass for Trunk or Treating! All children of the Parish are invited to dress as Saints both for Mass and for Trunk or Treating. We are in need of volunteers who are willing to pass out treats from their vehicle trunks in the parish parking lot for this event! You can come as you are for this or come dressed as a Saint and decorate your trunk. If you are willing contact the Parish Office or sign up on our Parish Website!

## MEN OF ST. JOSEPH

The men of St. Joseph Ministry will continue meeting the third Saturday of every month: Nov. 18 and Dec. 16th from 6:45 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. in Room 1. The monthly meeting will include fellowship, a short presentation, refreshments, and praying the rosary. All men in the parish are welcome!

## Scriptural Prayer

Sr. Claire Provost will be facilitating the next teaching of her monthly series, Scriptural Prayer, at the Presentation of Mary (PMA) on October 30th from 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Those attending will meet in the faculty gathering room on the first floor. All are welcome!

Please contact Sr. Claire at cprovost@rivier.edu to sign up. Attendees should park in the school parking lot which is located in the back of the building and enter on the right-hand side of the building through the door near the sisters' parking area.

## LECTIO: EUCHARISTIC STUDY

Monday 9:30-11:00AM and 6:30-8PM

*New Bible Study offering this Fall: Lectio Eucharist:*

**Oct 30** – The Last Supper and the Cross

**Nov 6** – The Mass: Emmaus and the Mystery of the Eucharist

**Nov 13** – Revelation: Heavenly Worship and the End of Time

**The Arm of St. Jude the Apostle** is coming to St. William of York Church in Tewksbury, MA Tuesday, Nov. 14. Veneration 2 - 10 pm. Special Mass in honor of St. Jude 7 pm.

## MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

**November 4th, 9 am**

St. Augustine's Parish in Andover will host a Mass of Remembrance for all children lost through stillbirth, miscarriage, or early childhood. This is a great opportunity for spiritual and emotional healing for those who have lost a child.

## New! First Friday Adoration

As one of the ways we are celebrating the Eucharistic Revival during this year of the parish phase is to begin overnight Adoration. Beginning November 3, 2023, and every First Friday of the month following, Eucharistic Adoration will be held continuously from First Friday morning 9AM through First Saturday morning 8AM. Adoration on First Fridays will resume being held in the Transept Chapel.

A new keypad lock has been installed near the exterior door of the transept chapel entrance. Thus, on First Fridays, the Church and Transept Chapel will be locked beginning at 6:45PM and will remain locked overnight until 7:00AM Saturday morning. Every adorer for the overnight hours will have a special code to gain access to the chapel for their committed Holy Hour. Those who have not committed to a regular holy hour on First Friday evenings but would like to continue to drop by for some time before the Blessed Sacrament need to contact the evening Coordinator of First Friday Adoration, Mike Laboe at mike\_laboe@comcast.net or by calling him at (315) 560-9322.

We would like to encourage everyone to sign up for a committed hour, or as an "on call" substitute so we can continue to grow our time of Adoration.

In the words of St. Alphonsus Liguori, "Of all devotions, that of adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the greatest after the sacraments, the one dearest to God, and the one most helpful to us." May God open the eyes of our hearts to see the great treasure that is Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

## **Boy Scout Christmas Wreath Sale**

Good Quality, Christmas Wreaths are being sold by Troop 252. The Troop will be outside after each Mass on the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> of November to take orders for pickup. If you wish to order with direct shipping, please use the QR Code below or go to the Three Rivers Troop 252 web address <https://threeriversfundraising.com/fundraiser/bsa252h-w23>



**Trinity High School** in Manchester, NH is hosting an open house Nov. 15 at 7 pm. This is for 8th graders and transfer students.

## **Baby Bottle Drive for St. Gianna's Place**

St. Gianna's Place—a home for women in crisis pregnancies located in Hudson—will be holding a baby bottle campaign beginning on October 22nd. Our doors have now been open for close to 5 years and we've been able to offer a loving, supportive home to over 25 women and many babies and children during this short time!

Your financial support is greatly appreciated in order to defray the costs of the day-to-day operations and educational programs we offer to our moms. If you would like to help, simply take home a baby bottle, fill it with your donation, and return it to the bin in the entrance of the church by November 12th. With your support, we can change mothers' and their babies' lives through the love and care of this community.

## **Third Annual Seminarian**

### **Brunch Fundraiser**

**Sunday, Nov. 4, 10 am – 1 pm**

**LaBelle Winery, 345 State Rt. 101,**

**Amherst, NH**

Bishop Libasci and seminarians of the Diocese of Manchester will host a brunch which will include great food, live music, silent auction items, and the premier of the new diocesan Vocations video. Each year, the diocese spends more than \$500,000 on tuition and room and board for our seminarians – a little more than \$100 a day for each young man studying to become a priest. While parishioners across the state are very generous with the annual NH Catholic Appeal that supports seminarians, it only provides half of what is required annually. For more information or to purchase tickets, please visit [liveinblackandwhite.com](http://liveinblackandwhite.com). Come out and support our seminarians!

## **Knights of Columbus**

Last year I wrote about the origins of Halloween or All Hallows Eve and explained the difference between All Saints' Day on November 1<sup>st</sup> and All Souls' Day on November 2<sup>nd</sup>. Did you know that all three days together are known as the 'Days of the Dead,' a triduum of feasts also known as All Hallows Eve? And they are all tied together in the Communion of Saints.

The Communion of Saints is the spiritual solidarity that binds together the living on earth (the Church Militant), the saints in heaven (the Church Triumphant), and all the souls in purgatory (the Church Suffering) in the same mystical body under Christ. These days remind the faithful of the realities of heaven and hell, saints and the damned, angels and demons, and souls suffering in purgatory. Halloween is a day to reflect on Christ's triumph over sin, death, and Satan. A time to reflect on our own mortality and our duties to God. A time to honor the saints in heaven and pray for the souls of the faithfully departed.

Also, the 4:00 PM Mass on November 4<sup>th</sup> is dedicated to our Deceased Brother Knights. Brother Knights demonstrate their fraternity in exemplary measure when they pray for the soul of a departed Knight and console the members of his family. All Council members and their families are encouraged to attend. Families of the departed Brothers are invited to join the Council in celebrating the lives of their departed loved ones. Respectfully,  
Grand Knight John Frechette

**St. Catherine of Siena**, Manchester, NH will host their **Annual Christmas Fair** on **Saturday, November 18th (9am-7pm)** and **Sunday, November 19th (8am-1pm)** in the school gym, 206 North St, Manchester, NH 03104. Please join us for a week-end of fun & fellowship! Got Questions? Email St Catherine of Siena parish office

## **NUTCRACKER CHRISTMAS FAIR**

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY, NOV. 10 - 11**

*Fall is here! Christmas is coming!*

Plan on joining friends and visitors alike on Friday, November 10 (5-8 PM) and Saturday, November 11 (9 AM-2:30 PM) for our **Nutcracker Christmas Fair** in the St. André Bessette Parish Hall (GYM) at 31 Gilford Ave. There is something for everyone: raffles, cookies, candy, vendors, lots of food, and...  
Fr. Marc's Famous Pork Pies!  
Plan on joining in the fun!





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## STEWARDSHIP

### REFLECTING GOD'S GENEROSITY TO US

**October 21-22, 2023**

Envelope .....	\$3,699.50
Loose Cash .....	\$1,672.82
Online Giving .....	\$5,584.00
Received in Mail .....	\$255.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$11,211.32</b>

**World Mission Sunday .....** \$575.00

**OUR WEEKLY BUDGET IS \$11,500.00.**  
**THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU GIVE!**

### HAVE YOU CONSIDERED?

Your contribution makes a difference! Consider online giving as a regular way of supporting the mission and good works of St. Kathryn Parish. Scan this code to learn more about and sign up for online giving.



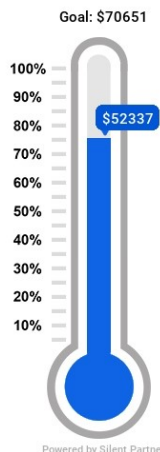
### REFLECTING GOD'S GENEROSITY TO OTHERS

St. Kathryn's is a tithing parish, giving of our time, talent, and treasure so as to give glory to God. As a parish family, we tithe on a monthly basis to Ste. Marguerite D'Youville Parish in Groveton, NH; Hudson Community Food Pantry; St. Gianna's Place; and to Catholic School Education in our Diocese.

## **2023 NHCA GOAL: \$70,651**

*As of October 16, 2023:*

Amount of Monies Received by Diocese	\$49,582
Amount of Outstanding Pledges	\$2,755
% of Goal Raised	74.1%
% of Households Participating in Appeal	16.1%
<b>Total Monies Collected Thus Far</b>	<b>\$52,337</b>
Remaining Monies to Attain our Goal	\$18,314



## Bazaar Craft Donations

One of the most eagerly anticipated parts of our Annual Christmas Bazaar and Penny Sale every November is the amazing array of crafts for sale. If you love to craft, please consider donating a craft or two (or ten?) for our craft area this year. (Also, consider joining our Crafting Team on Tuesdays from noon-4:00!) Any newly created craft no more than a few months old is appreciated: knitted or crocheted items, home décor, Christmas crafts, ornaments, jewelry, paintings, hand-poured candles, handmade games for kids, pottery, soaps, trending crafts from YouTube or Pinterest--whatever gets your creative juices flowing! Please drop donated crafts off to the Parish Office during our business hours any time of year for storage in the craft room until the Bazaar in November. Donated crafts become the property of the parish and all tagging and pricing decisions will be made by the Crafting Team. The team may display a donated craft in a different area of the Bazaar if deemed a better placement (Penny Sale, Basket Room, etc.); donate the item elsewhere at their discretion; and, store or donate items that may be left over after the Bazaar.

## Bazaar Grand Raffle Tickets and Prize Donations

Envelopes containing tickets for our bazaar's Grand Raffle are available on the windowsills in the church vestibule. We are counting on everyone to sell tickets to friends and family and/or purchase them to take a chance yourselves!—and return the proceeds as soon as possible to the offertory basket in the provided self-sealing envelope. Tickets are \$1 each or a book of six for \$5. Each envelope contains seven books for a total of \$35. Grand Raffle pre-sales account for a large part of bazaar funds raised each year, so please help get our parish off on the right foot and let's sell all those tickets in record time! The bazaar takes place on Saturday, November 11th from 9:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m. and Sunday, November 12th from 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m. You do not have to be present to win. First prize is \$1,000, second prize is \$750, and third is \$500. Winning tickets will be picked at 3:00 p.m. on November 12th.

The Grand Raffle envelopes also contain flyers outlining other ways you may be able to help this year's bazaar succeed, such as donating a Penny Sale prize, a Theme Basket, crafts or baked goods. (Please note: ALL prize donations must be brand new and purchased within the past couple of months. We cannot accept preowned or yard sale type items.) We are accepting prize donations from now until November 5th. Details are on the flyers. If each family donates an item and volunteers at the bazaar for a few hours, it will be bigger and more successful than ever. Questions? Please contact the Bazaar Team at [stkbazaarinfo@gmail.com](mailto:stkbazaarinfo@gmail.com). Thank you for all your help!

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### PARISH STAFF

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### PARISH PASTORAL TEAM

Rosa Bucchio, Wanda Bushey, Brian Crawford, Carol Holleran, Bernadette Lanzillo, Jon Mallows, Kate Mallows, Kim McCarthy, Valerie Somers

### PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Ed Caron, Adam Florczak, Jennifer Leclair, Jim Lockwood, David Wilson

*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 9:30 am-12:00 pm and 12:30 pm-3:00pm  
Closed Friday/Weekends

#### SAINT KATHRYN RELIGIOUS GOODS

603-595-4463

Store and parking in back of the parish office building.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday  
9:00 am—Noon

Friday and Sunday Closed

#### SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 pm

Sunday Masses: 8:30 am; 10:30 am (also livestreamed on our website); 6:30 pm

Weekdays and Saturdays at 8:30 am (no Mass on Tuesdays)

#### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Wednesday: 5:30-6:15 pm

Saturday: 9:15-10:00 am and 3:00-3:45 pm

#### 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.

#### ADORATION

Wednesdays: 9:00 am - 7:00 pm

First Friday: Begins Friday morning 9 am overnight through Saturday morning 8 am

#### 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](http://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 am - 7:00 pm (closed Saturday after the 4:00 pm 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!