Saints Mary & Joseph Parish
October 15, 2017

Our Mission Statement:

Discover God's Love so we might Love God; Love others; and Grow as a community of Disciples.

Mary Queen of Peace Church
200 Lawrence Road
Salem, NH 03079
MASS:
Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri: 9:00am
Wed: Eucharistic Service 9:00am
Sat: 3:00pm Reconciliation
Sat: 4:00pm
Sun: 9:30am w/KidsChurch and Toddler Time
Sun: 11:00am

St. Joseph Church
40 Main Street
Salem, NH 03079
MASS:
Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri: 7:15am
Wed: Eucharistic Service 7:15am
Wed: Mass at 6:30pm
Sat: 3:15pm Reconciliation
Sat: 4:15pm
Sun 8:00am, 11:00am & 6:30pm

Parish Office
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Fax: 603-890-0292
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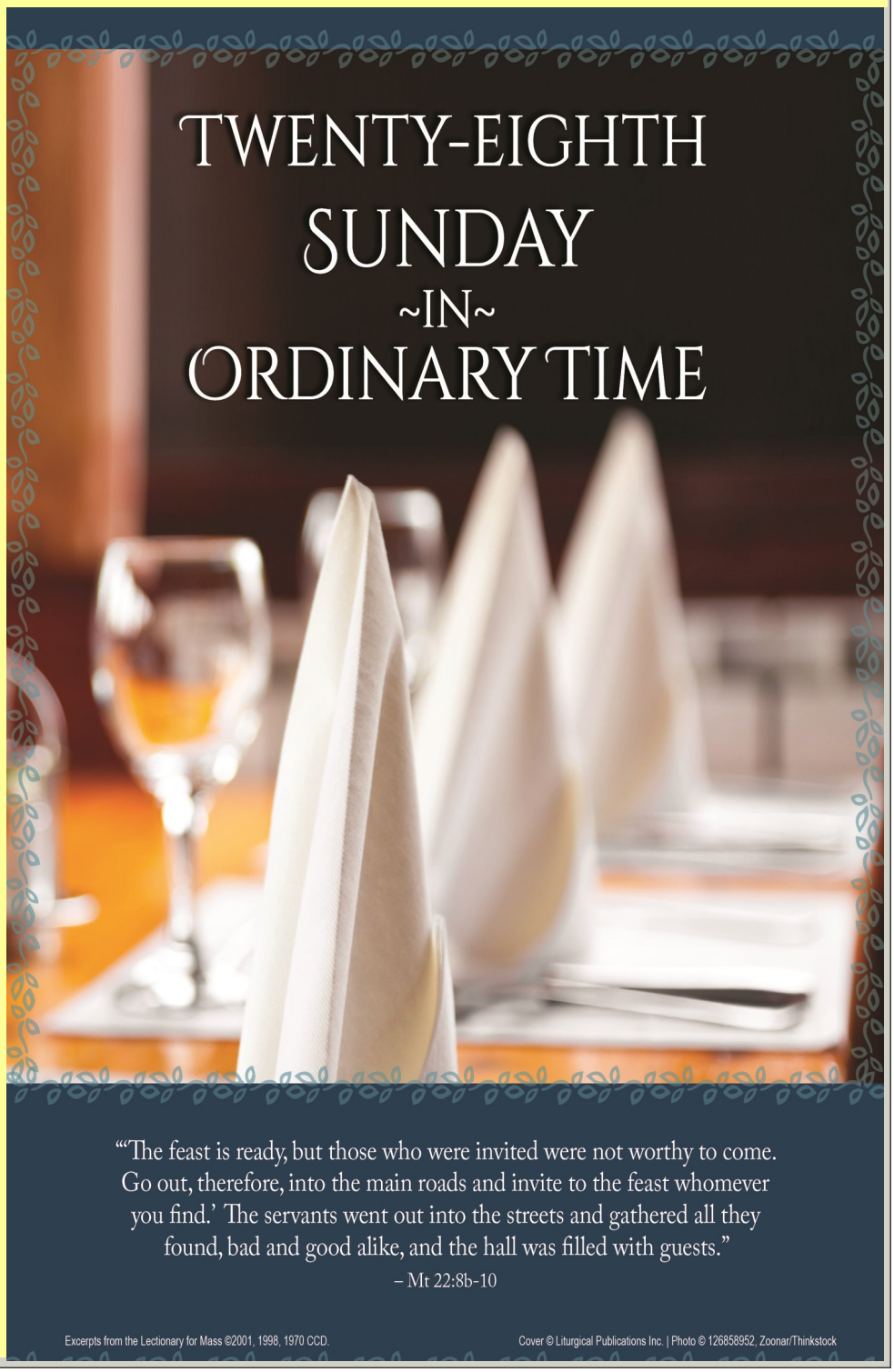
Twitter: @StsMary_Joseph
Instagram: Stsmaryjoseph



Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time—October 15

Prayer is pivotal and essential. Prayer is meant to line us up in His will and with His empowerment. Prayer is our key to God's door. It is our foundation to the exercising of and growth in the faith, and essential in our witnessing. It is the work of Christ through the work of the Spirit that saves. Prayer lines us up to His will and grows us in maturity and understanding. It is the power behind, in the midst of, and in front of the faith. To be effective in your growth in Christ, you have to be a person who prays, and prays regularly.

All Christians are called to a lifestyle of prayer and to bear one another's burden through intercession. Prayer is that unique channel of dialog with you and the Lord. It is entering into a relationship with God, so that we may determine His will in a matter and call His will into existence in the earth. **Prayer is the one power on earth that commands the power of heaven.** Do you pray on a daily basis, not just once a day, I mean multiple times a day? Do you wake up with God and end your day with God in prayer? Prayer is the life-line to God. It connects us spiritually with Him. It completely amazes me to think that our God who is omnipotent, omniscient and omnipresent wants to spend time with us.

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 4:6-7)

Deb Carney Prayer Coordinator for Abba's Hands

Gift Card Sale!

It's that time of year for the Honduras Mission Team to be selling gift cards as a fundraiser again this year. Look for order forms at the back of our churches and return them to the Parish Office. There will be two order dates: **October 31** with a possible return in early November and **November 28** with a possible return in early December. Now is the time to get your Christmas list started!! Thank you from the Honduras Mission Team!

World Mission Sunday

The Most Reverend Peter A. Libasci invites all of us in the Diocese of Manchester to see World Mission Sunday as a special moment of encounter with the Pope's missions throughout the world. Meeting the priests, religious and lay leaders who, day in and day out, witness to the Gospel and serve the poor, will, as Pope Francis says, *"enable the missionary heart of Christian communities to join in prayer, testimony of life and communion of goods, in responding to the vast and pressing needs of evangelization."* For more about this important celebration of the universal Church, and information about how you can learn about the Missions from Pope Francis himself, please visit ChatWithThePope.org.

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18-Hour Eucharistic Adoration

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament flows from the sacrifice of the Mass and serves to deepen our hunger for Communion with Christ and the rest of the Church. Holy hours are the Roman Catholic devotional tradition of spending an hour in Eucharistic Adoration in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Please **join us for an hour between 6:00pm, Friday, October 20 and Noon on Saturday, October 21.**

Pray for our parish, the greater Salem community, and your personal intentions.

Prayer for the Diocesan Initiative
Restore, Renew, Proclaim the Hope that Is Christ

God of all life, through the
resurrection of Jesus, your Son,
You restored the promise of eternal life to us,
whom you love from our first moment of life
and for life without end.
Send your Holy Spirit into our hearts
to renew our faith, hope and charity.
Stir up within us the desire to
know, love and serve you more each day
so that our words and deeds
will proclaim the hope that is Christ.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ALL PARISHES WITHIN THE DIOCESE OF MANCHESTER ARE RESTORING THE ORIGINAL ORDER OF CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION BETWEEN 2018-2021.

In the early church, people were initiated into the community at one single event. They were baptized, anointed with chrism, and shared in the Eucharist. The sacraments, over time, have been separated from one another and this happened for a variety of reasons.

The Second Vatican Council asked the Church to make it more clear that Confirmation is intimately connected with Baptism and the whole of Christian initiation. This also helps us to see that Eucharist completes our initiation into the Church.

Go to www.catholicnh.org/lifelong for more information on this important change.

Youth Happenings

Elementary, Middle School and High School Youth Ministries
Getting to know and developing a relationship with God is the greatest gift we can give our children!

Let us help you do that!
We offer youth ministry opportunities from **grades 3-12!**
Grades 3/4 and 5/6 meet on Tuesdays from 6-7.
Grades 7/8 and 6th graders who will be 12 by next July are invited to join our Week of Hope Community Service Mission Trip next July to serve the poor in Pittsburgh, PA…. Call/Email Sue Levesque for more info!
All meetings are in the parish Youth Ministries Center behind St. Julie Hall at the St. Joseph campus.
Upcoming Youth events:
Blessing of Sports Team Members at October Masses

Family Program October Schedule *(from page 9 in the handbook found on parish website.)*

9:30B Option at MQP	Oct .15
5:00 Option at SJ	Oct. 15
4:15 Option at SJ	Oct. 21
9:30J Option at SJ	Oct. 22

First Reconciliation Preparation at Mary Queen of Peace
Children beginning preparation for First Reconciliation and their parents have their first meeting coming up!!! What an exciting and grace-filled time!!! **Choose either Saturday, October 14th at 10 am OR Tuesday, October 17th at 4:00 pm.**

IDENTITY THEFT
FOR THE NEXT 3 WEEKS THE HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP WILL TALK ABOUT:
Who am I? Where did I come from? Why do I exist?
Who do I belong to?
Join us on Thursdays from 7:15 – 8:30 in the Youth Center for IDENTITY THEFT!

Children's Liturgy of the Word Has Resumed
All children are welcome to attend at the 9:30am Sunday Mass at Mary Queen of Peace Campus and the 11am Sunday Mass at St. Joseph Campus. If you have any questions please contact Justine 893-8661 ext 103. *No sign-up is needed.*

"The search for peace is an open-ended task, a responsibility that never ends and that demands the commitment of everyone."

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What's Happening at KidsChurch
October brings us a Spirit-Filled Harvest!
Our Fruit of the Spirit Focus last Sunday was on ***Kindness.***
Each week the little ones gather in the Prayer Circle, make the sign of the cross, and recite our KidsChurch Blessing. Introducing children to the power of prayer is a continuous focal point each week. Last week the little ones learned that you can pray even when carving a pumpkin!
The Pumpkin Prayer *(Author Unknown)*
Choose a pumpkin: *"Lord fill me with your wisdom and guidance."*
Scoop out the inside *:"Lord take out all of my fussies and frownies and fill me with your love."*
Carve the eyes: *"Lord open my eyes to see all the beautiful things you have made."*
Carve the nose: *"Lord help me to be a sweet, sweet fragrance for you."*
Carve the mouth: *"Lord help me to always speak your words of loving kindness."*
Place a light inside: *"Lord help me be a light to others for you have filled me with your light."*

October 15th: Jesus Calms The Storm
(Peace is knowing God will take care of you)
Dawn Pavlini, Director of KidsChurch
Kidschurch@saintsmaryandjoseph.org

BLESSING OF THE STUFFIES and COMFORT ITEMS!
When: Saturday, October 28th Time: 10:30AM
Location: Mary Queen Of Peace Church
Bring your favorite Stuffie or Comfort Item to be blessed by Fr. Tom.
All Are Welcome! Young And Seasoned Alike!
Light Refreshments Will Follow The Service.
Sponsored By: The Abba's Hands And KidsChurch Ministries

Saturday, October 28th 5-9 at Youth Center
Games, food and fun for youth in Grades 3-6 !!!
We begin the evening with
Reverse Trick or Treat: giving out treats, rather than receiving them.
Then we will return to the youth center for a party!!!!
(Thank you for not dressing in devilish costumes.)
Feel free to bring a friend!!!

Must return permission slip *(on parish website)* **by Oct 22nd**

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Ministry Matters

Our St. Josephs Campus celebrates a mass at **6:30 PM on Sunday evenings.** This weekly mass offers parishioners the opportunity to attend the Eucharist with contemporary music. Our mass is growing and **we are currently in need of Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, Greeters, and Altar Servers.** If you are interested in helping serve once a month at this mass, please contact the office or speak with Christi Dignam (6:30 Mass Coordinator) for further details.

We are praying for **one or two people to volunteer in the parish office from 9:00-12:30 or 12:30-4 PM, Monday through Thursday,** answering the phone, interacting with office visitors, booking masses and helping staff with various other tasks. (You do not need to commit to all four days.) Previous office experience is appreciated, but not necessary. Computer skills are required.

You can contact Kay Barretto at the parish office for both opportunities, and you will be asked to fill out a volunteer application.

Candlelight Rosary Procession

Thank you to all who came to St. Joseph Church Saturday night to make our candlelight rosary procession a success. We hope to continue this tradition next year in honor of Our Lady and her Feast of the Rosary. On October 13, 1917 Our Lady of Fatima identified herself as Our Lady of the Rosary.

Marie-Line Morin, soprano, who sang at our parish last spring, is inviting you to her next concert: **It's All About Love**, that will be held at **St. Joseph Cathedral, Manchester** (145 Lowell St.), on **Saturday, October 28**, **7:00 p.m.** Accompanied by pianists, Lucille Fortin and Lyle Hamel, she will sing sacred, classical and popular songs including French songs, while sharing her faith journey testimony as a French-Canadian immigrant. Suggested donations: $15 per person, will benefit the "Listening Ministry" project. Details at: http://bit.ly/1V9W2Sk

Girl Scout Troop # 11073

A big thank you for your toiletry donations to the food pantry! The entire troop participated in buying and stuffing the bags for our clients. Pictured are: Olivia Marion, Keira Lancia, Liliana Ortiz, Mariah Muskavitch and Emma Giles.

Thank you and God Bless all of you!

End 68 Hours of Hunger BIRTHDAY GIFTS 2017-2018

Once again, we have a wonderful opportunity to help make BIRTHDAYS a little brighter for the children of the End 68 Hours of Hunger Program by giving them a birthday gift this school year! Last year more than 80 low-income children received thoughtful, generous gifts from our parish. The children and their families were most appreciative!!! If you wish to participate in this fun act of giving, tags will be available at the entrances of St. Joseph and Mary Queen of Peace next week-end, Oct. 14 & 15. Please **return your donation with the tag attached by October 29 regardless of the birthdate**. You may leave your donation in the collection boxes at either campus or drop off at the office. Please limit the spending to $20 per gift. If you want to spend more please take additional tags. Envelopes will be available for monetary donations to the End 68 Hours of Hunger Program. Please see the back of the tags for more information or feel free to contact Laura Andolino via email, text or phone: laura@andolino.com or 978-882-2657.

All Souls' Day Mass of Remembrance

We will celebrate an All Souls' Day Mass for those who died this past year on **Thursday, November 2, 2017, at 7:00 pm at St. Joseph Church**, 40 Main St., Salem, NH. Invitations will be mailed to the family members who had a loved one buried from our parish this past year. If you had a family member buried out of town, and would like to include their name in the mass booklet, just call us and give their names **before October 19,** and we will add them to our list. All the names will be read aloud during the mass. If you have any questions or a name to add, please call Justine or Maryanne at the parish office, 893-8661.

Jesuit Alumni Sunday, Oct 22nd at Mary Queen of Peace Church, begins with the celebration of the Eucharist at the parish's 11:00am mass, and continues with brunch in the church hall. Alumni Sunday is an opportunity for alumni and friends of Jesuit schools to share their common bonds through the celebration of liturgy, followed by a reception highlighting opportunities for continuing spiritual growth and service to the local and global community. Our **guest homilist** for the mass will be **Fr. Bill Clark**, SJ, Professor of Theology at Holy Cross College in Worcester.

Wedding Banns II

Mark Fisher & Tiffany Torrisi

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger, and rich in compassion." Help to encourage compassion and forgiveness by attending a Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next WWME Weekend is Oct. 21-22, 2017, in Contoocook, NH. Call 800-710-9963, Stephen & Michelle O'Leary for more information.

Parish Information:

New Parishioners If you have just moved to the Salem area, we welcome you to our Parish. Please register on our website or at the Parish Office.

Baptisms Please call Justine Dufour by calling the parish office at 893-8661.

Communion or Sick Calls A Priest or Eucharistic Minister will be happy to arrange a visit at your home or hospital. Please call Justine Dufour at 893-8661.

Marriages Couples please call the parish office at 893-8661 for an appointment at least six months prior to the date of your marriage.

Shared Meal Ministry Our ministry is to help individuals and families in the Salem area who need temporary care and could benefit from a meal being brought to their home. Please contact Justine Dufour at 893-8661 or Therese Vallario at 978-975-8581.

Saints Mary & Joseph Food Pantry 893-8661 x131
Food Pantry Hours Every Friday 11:30am to 12:30pm.
Salem residents can visit the Pantry every four weeks. Please call by Thursday Noon for Friday pick-up.

Prayer Line
We are 35-40 families that pray for those who have died and those struggling with health issues or any kind of discord in their families. Requests for prayer are sent to prayers by first name only for family privacy. Call Melanie at 603-893-6763 or Lee at 603-898-1927. Email requests can be sent to greeley-kid@msn.com BUT must have the word "prayer" in the subject line!!!

Parish Staff: 893-8661

Fr. Tom Frink, SJ.....Pastor
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Fr. Al Hicks, SJ .....Pastoral Minister
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Upcoming Parish Activities

Knights of Columbus SCTV # 17 "In service to One, In service to All"
"Fatima—Part I" Airing 10/16—10/18
Monday 8PM; Tuesday 2PM; Wednesday 2PM

SJRCS Preschool Teacher Opening
Our rapidly growing pre-school is seeking an energetic, creative, early childhood educator who is willing and ready to embrace our mission of motivating and challenging all students to reach their full potential in mind, spirit, heart and body. This is a part-time position with growth potential. Contact Principal Mary Croteau, principal@sjrcs.com for info.

Maria Hebert's friends are walking for cancer to raise money in Maria's memory. Please support them: http://main.acsevents.org/site/TR/MakingStridesAgainstBreastCancer/MSABCCY17NE?team_id=2215433&pg=team&fr_id=84804

Weekly Family Play Group This drop-in program is a time for Moms, Dads and kids to get together to visit and play with new friends. This free program will take place at MQP Emmaus Room every Wednesday from 9:30 – 11:30 am and no commitment is necessary. If you can help, please contact Kay Barretto at 603-930-7963 or kbarretto@comcast.net.

DivorceCare Course meets every Tuesday at 7 PM at Mary Queen of Peace campus. **Call 508-982-9104 or email JoeDoc222@aol.com**

SIA MEETING CHANGE... Now on Saturdays at 6 pm in Emmaus Rm at MQP Campus Send email/inquiries to: SIAsouthernNH@aol.com, or call 603- 898-1318

Brown Bag Sunday Resumes!
Because the NH Food Bank carries different foods weekly, **we cannot keep our shelves stocked with the following items**: boxed potatoes; cans of peas, carrots, soups, fruits; beef stew; maple syrup; Jello & pudding; coffee/tea, hot cocoa. Also toiletries like toothpaste, bar soap, shampoo, toilet paper, & paper towels. Any help you could give would be appreciated since our client numbers are increasing! Bring food items to mass at either campus as part of your offering.

Book Discussion Group October's book selection is *Tattoos on the Heart: The Power of Boundless Compassion* by Gregory Boyle S.J.. We will meet Friday, October 20th, at MQP in the Emmaus Room at 10:30 to discuss the book. Contact normazimmermann@gmail.com

Neighboring Parish Activities

St. Michael Church, Exeter, NH	Men's Conference "Spiritual Heads of Households"	October 21, from 8:00am to 4:00pm	deacon@stmichaelparish.org or 772-2494 x211
Presentation of Mary Academy, Methuen MA	Annual Open House for 6th, 7th, 8th graders	October 29 from 11:00am-1:00pm	pmamethuen.org
St. Thomas Aquinas, Derry, NH	Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser	October 28 at 5:30pm	Kelly McIntire 770-9288
Ste. Marie Church, Manchester, NH	Jubilee Day of Renewal	October 28 at 9:00am	Pat Hurd phurd1503@aol.com

Mass Intentions

St. Joseph

Saturday, October 14
4:15p Kathleen & Michael Kelly
Sunday, October 15
8:00a Monica Bellbeview, Deceased Members of Dobbie Family
11:00a Margery Campbell, Bob Taylor, Richard Dunn
6:30p Priest's Intentions
Monday, October 16
7:15a Lu Crenshaw
Tuesday, October 17
7:15a Priest's Intentions
Wednesday, October 18
6:30p Christyn Kalkstine
Thursday, October 19
7:15a Infant Grayson Michael Burgos
Friday, October 20
7:15a Priest's Intentions
Saturday, October 21
4:15p Frank J. Worthy, Elizabeth Palkovits, Carlos Figueroa
Sunday, October 22
8:00a Edward Murach
11:00a Rev. Thomas Bresnahan
6:30p Victims of Las Vegas Tragedy

Mary Queen of Peace

Saturday, October 14
4:00p Claire Bond
Sunday, October 15
9:30a Russell Levesque, Manuel & Odilia Pereira, Roberta A. Kelly
11:00a Herbert Blache
Monday, October 16
9:00a Carol Keronski
Tuesday, October 17
9:00a John Saputo
Thursday, October 19
9:00a Elizabeth O'Brien
Friday, October 20
9:00a Audrey Schifano-Simms
Saturday, October 21
4:00p Brian Lira
Sunday, October 22
9:30a Michael (Dan) Shea
11:00a Russell Levesque, Roger Michaud, Carol Keronski

Eternal Light/Sanctuary Candle is burning this week at St. Joseph for

Mary Evelyn Tremblay by Joyce Rollins, and at Mary Queen of Peace for **Roberta Kelly** by Jack & Mary Fenlon.

Rest in Peace

We pray for all who died recently, especially **James W Fecteau.** May his family be comforted by loving memories of him and by hope in Christ's promise of the resurrection.

Parish Giving

October 7 and October 8, 2017

Envelopes	$ 7,604.00
Loose	$ 1,653.00
Miscellaneous	$ 76.00
Building Fund	$ 255.00
Fuel	$ 4,171.00
Sub-total	$ 13,759.00
Misc. Diocese	$ 76.00
Hurricane Irma	$ 200.00
Total	$14,035.00

PARISH PAY—August $2,872.00
September $3,888.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Parish Events

Sunday October 15
9:30am Faith Formation/MQP– Emmaus Room, Hall
Blessing Athletes/MQP—Church
5:00pm Faith Formation/SJ—St Julie Hall
6:30pm Blessing Athletes/SJ—Church
Monday October 16
9:30am SJRS Lunches/SJ—St Julie Hall
4:00pm Cooking Matters/SJ– St Julie Hall
Tuesday October 17
9:30am SJRS Lunches/SJ—St Julie Hall
10:00am Bible Study/MQP-Emmaus Rm
1:30pm Quilters/SJ—St Julie Hall
4:00pm 1st Reconciliation Mtg/MQP – Hall
6:00pm Grades 3-6/SJ-Youth Center
6:30pm NE Rehab EM Mtg/MQP–Emmaus Room
7:00pm Atonement Band/SJ-Church
7:00pm DivorceCare/MQP-Hall
7:15pm EE#5/SJ-Youth Center
7:30pm Al-Anon/SJ—St Julie Hall
Wednesday October 18
9:00am Play Grp/MQP-Emmaus Rm
9:30am SJRS Lunches/SJ—St Julie Hall
10:00am Rosary Making/MQP– Hall
5:00pm Scouts/SJ—St. Julie Hall
7:00pm AA/MQP-Hall
Thursday October 19
9:30am SJRS Lunches/SJ—St Julie Hall
10:00am LLL/SJ– Family Room
1:00pm Prayer Shawl Grp/MQP-Emmaus Room
7:00pm Bereavement/SJ-St Julie Hall
7:00pm Youth Group/SJ—Youth Center
Friday October 20
10:00am Book Club/MQP– Emmaus Room
6:00pm 18-hour Adoration/SJ-Church
Saturday October 21
8:00am Bible Study/SJ-Family Room
Noon Adoration Ends/SJ-Church
4:15pm Faith Formation/SJ– St Julie Hall
6:00pm SIA/MQP-Emmaus Rm