

Saints Mary & Joseph Parish

June 16, 2019

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:

Sat: 4:00pm

Sun: 9:30am w/KidsChurch

Sun: 11:00am

Mon: 9:00am (May—October)

RECONCILIATION:

Sat: 3:00pm—3:50pm

or by appointment

St. Joseph Church

40 Main Street

Salem, NH 03079

MASS:

Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri: 7:15am

Sun 7:30am & 5:00pm

Parish Office

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“He will glorify me, because he will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you.” - Jn 16:14-15

Happy Trinity Sunday!!!

What value is there in believing in the Trinity?

Is it just a head trip or could it offer us a challenge and invitation? When thinking of the Trinity, many focus on the single identities of the three persons... But what if we concentrated on the **relationship** of the three?

Fr Richard Rohr points out: "... every science is discovering it's entirely a relational universe. Nothing stands autonomously. Relationship is the thing, the core... The energy in the universe is not in the planets, or in the protons or neutrons, but in the relationship between them." He explains "When we start with the three, we know that this God is perfect giving and perfect receiving, which makes communion."

So what does this mean for me? It means I'm called into relationship... a relationship that fully gives and fully receives. It's not about ME, it's about US!!! But we hold back.... We're afraid to give completely because we fear losing. We're afraid to receive completely because of the expectations that might be attached. But consider Jesus' example, how he came to show us the nature of God... He never held back His love, care, mercy, even if it meant suffering and death. And God shows us what happens when we give completely... NEW LIFE!!!

The art of being in a Trinitarian-like relationship needs to be dis-covered...

"if we take this depiction of God in The Trinity seriously, we have to say, "In the beginning was the Relationship." This icon yields more fruits the more you gaze on it. Every part of it was obviously meditated on with great care: the gaze between the Three; the deep respect between them as they all share from a common bowl. And note the hand of the Spirit pointing toward the open and fourth place at the table! Is the Holy Spirit inviting, offering, and clearing space? If so, for what?"

— Richard Rohr, [The Divine Dance: The Trinity and Your Transformation](#)



In Imitation of St. Joseph, Model of Fathers of Families

It may be said that fatherhood is the vocation of all men. Though "Father's Day" focuses on the fathers of human families, fatherhood itself is a broader concept. Fatherhood is, in fact, a highly analogical word. That is one reason the term can be applied to God the Father, from whom all fatherhood, in heaven and on earth, is named. (Cf. Eph. 3:14-15)

Fatherhood is a relationship that is much more than biological fatherhood. We understand that when we commonly acknowledge St. Joseph to be a father to Jesus, though he was not his biological father. As Pope Benedict XVI [noted](#) in 2009, St. Joseph "is not the biological father of Jesus, whose Father is God alone, and yet he lives his fatherhood fully and completely."

In this article, we will focus on the qualities of St. Joseph, who is often called the *Umbra Patris*, the "Shadow of God the Father," to try to understand the characteristics of human fatherhood which find their origin in God and the Father, and which are honored by Americans on this day.

Drawing from the traditional [Litany of St. Joseph](#) and the writing of the Popes on St. Joseph, we hope to sketch some of the virtues of human fatherhood. As Leo XIII said in his encyclical on St. Joseph *Quamquam pluries* (No. 4), "Fathers of families find in Joseph the best personification of paternal solicitude and vigilance." This was confirmed by Blessed John Paul II, who in a [meditation](#) on St. Joseph, observed that St. Joseph is "a perfect incarnation of fatherhood in the human and at the same time holy family."

A father acts justly, is chaste, exercises prudence, exhibits strength, is obedient to God and his family, is patient, works, is the pillar of the human family.

Thank you to All Men who have been father-figures. Have a Happy day!

www.catholic.org/news/hf/faith

Lector Books Announcement

Last year there were many Lector Books that were not claimed (or picked up.) As a result, **this year we have decided to order only two copies**, one for the sacristy at each church. **If you would like your own copy the cost is \$10.75** if ordered by July 8. The cost per copy after that date is \$14.00.

We would like to place a single, combined order for the parish at the discounted rate. If you want to purchase a copy at the discounted rate, **please submit your name**, along with your contact information, **with payment by June 30**. Make your check payable to the parish with a note "**For Lector Workbook**" and place it in the offertory collection or bring it to the office. Once the books arrive you will be notified so you can pick up your copy.

Youth Happenings: All activities are held at Youth Center, 40 Main St., Salem, NH, Behind St. Julie Hall

Youth Ministry Information

In the Youth Center
Behind St. Julie Hall at St. Joseph Campus

YOU+HLEADER

This Summer we will be creating and training Youth Leadership teams for our "The Jesus Kids" and "CIA" youth groups. They will be participating in two days of Leadership Training this month. **The following have said "YES" to serving as team members:**

<u>The Jesus Kids (Grades 3-5)</u>	<u>Vinnie Sellitto</u>
<u>Courtney Corbett</u>	<u>CIA (Grades 6-8)</u>
<u>Naysa George</u>	<u>Jefferson Burke</u>
<u>Michael McDonough</u>	<u>Sarah Carmichael</u>
<u>Eddie Scull</u>	<u>Martina Graziano</u>
<u>Michela Sellitto</u>	<u>Jaiden Perry</u>
<u>Sophia Sellitto</u>	<u>Jack Wilder</u>



*What's Happening at KidsChurch at MQP during the 9:30 am Liturgy
Join Us In June As We See That*

JESUS IS SWEET!

We're Here Throughout The Summer! Join Us For Faith And Fun!

BEACH BALL PRAYERS

Pray the prayer that matches the color your hand touches when you catch the ball:



RED: Pray for someone who is hurt or sick.
WHITE: Pray for someone who needs peace.
GREEN: Pray for someone who is hungry.
YELLOW: Pray for someone who is lonely.
BLUE: Pray for someone who is sad.
ORANGE: Pray for someone who needs a home or shelter.

June 16th: Jesus And The Children

Dawn Pavlini, Director of Kids Church

Kidschurch@saintsmaryandjoseph.org

Children's Liturgy of the Word will continue through the Summer!

Starting in September,

the "Fun in the Son" for gr K-2 and the grades 3-5 "The Jesus Kids" group will meet on Mondays
the "CIA" youth group for gr 6-8 will meet Sunday evenings.

We are also looking for adults to help with our youth groups... thank you to Kristen Sellitto who will be helping with our Monday youth group meals, and to **Laurie Carmichael and Peggy Gibbons** who are joining **Kaylee Dufour, Grace Lumley and Sue** as adult advisors.

If interested in joining one of our teams, please contact Sue Levesque at the parish office.

SO EXCITING what God is doing!!!

2019-2020 Faith Formation Registration:

THANK YOU to so many who registered before school got out! Spring registration greatly aids in the many facets of planning! For those who haven't registered yet, please do so **ASAP!** The 9:30 AM Option is just about full and we've a few spots left in the 4:00 PM Option.

We are in the final transition phase of restoring the order of when the sacraments are received: Baptism, Confirmation then First Communion. **Next year all youth grade 4 and up who have not been confirmed will prepare to celebrate the sacrament. Youth in grade 3 will be confirmed and make their First Communion next Spring (2020). Second Graders will be preparing for First Reconciliation.**

Catholic School youth are exempt from regular Faith Formation classes, but do attend sacramental meetings and retreat/prep days.... Catholic school families choose the 'Catholic School option' when they register.

"Holy Spirit, breathe into our hearts and let us inhale the tenderness of the Father. Breathe upon the Church, so that she may spread the Gospel with joy. Breathe upon the world the fresh restoration of hope."

[Follow Pope Francis on Twitter @Pontifex](#)

June 16, 2019 —The Most Holy Trinity Sunday

Coming Soon... Making the Family Room Handicap Accessible!

The first installment has been paid, so now the engineering drawings can be made. The unit is being designed and made specifically for the Family Room entrance at St. Joseph church. We are hoping for a completion date by the end of the summer! Watch for more updates as they become available!



The last session before summer for the **Rosary Making Group** is Wednesday, June 19 at 10:00am. The meeting is held at the MQP campus in the back classroom. All are welcome to attend. The group will reconvene on Wednesday, September 18 at 10:00am.



It's not too late to register for the 2019/2020 SLICE-OF-THE-PIE drawings!

REMINDER: **Slice of the Pie Grand Prize** drawing is **Sunday, June 23 at NOON** in the Main Hall at the Mary Queen of Peace campus. Please let Diane Cormier (603-893-4345) know if you will be attending so there are enough slices of pie for everyone!

****New this year: DOOR PRIZES!** (You have to be present to win a door prize!)

SAVE THE DATE: October 20 HARVEST-FEST!



You may see the posters around the parish and around town! A parish fund-raiser including a Chili Cook-off, Bake Sale, Raffle Baskets, Raffles for a Quilt & 50/50, make a family scarecrow, play some games, have your face painted, and much more!! Watch the bulletin for more information!

At the MQP campus following the 11AM Mass.

JUNE Slice-of-the-Pie Winners:

- Antonio Garcia #77
- James Sullivan #162
- James Frahm #70

Congratulations! Each will **receive a check for \$125.00 AND** be eligible to win in the Grand Prize Drawing on Sunday, June 23!!



Procedural Change for Weekend Masses Beginning JUNE

In an effort to have parishioners participate more in the weekend masses, we would like to have the people offering mass intentions bring the gifts up during the offertory. If you have scheduled a mass to be celebrated in the future you can sign up on the day of the mass or earlier. A clipboard with dates and mass times will be at the main entrance at St. Joseph Church and in the Sacristy at Mary Queen of Peace Church. Simply check off the appropriate date and time so that we know you are planning to carry the gifts up to the priest. **Please arrive ten minutes before the mass** on the intentioned day **and introduce yourself to one of the mass coordinators** (those with green name badges) so that they know you are indeed present and participating. As the ushers/collectors begin to pass the offertory baskets, please proceed to the rear of the church, where someone will guide you through the very simple process. Thank you for your participation!

Our annual Blessing of the Bikes was held on Saturday, June 1 at our St. Joseph Church campus. Many bikes (and people) of all types were in attendance, and Fr.



Vincent graciously sent down God's blessings upon all of the travelers. There was food and drink, games and festivities, laughter and camaraderie. Many thanks to the Lavoie family and the many volunteers who made this such a wonderful community event. And Paul Lavoie says: "next year, we roll!" So, stay tuned..



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 at the parish office at 893-8661 x103.

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 x101 for an appointment at least six months prior to the date of your marriage.

Food Pantry 893-8661 x131
Pantry Hours Every Friday 11:30am to 12:30pm at St. Joseph Campus. 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 to preserve family privacy. Call Melanie at 603-893-6763 or Lee at 603-898-1927. Email requests can be sent to greeleykid@msn.com BUT must have the word "prayer" in the subject line!!!

- Parish Staff: 893-8661**
- Fr. Vincent Onunkwo.....Administrator
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 - Kay Barretto..Volunteer Coordinator x109
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Upcoming Parish Activities

NH Knights of Columbus: "In service to one, In service to all."

SCTV #17: Island of salvation: The Birth of Celtic Christianity

Airing 06/17– 06/19 Mondays 8:00pm Tuesday & Wednesday 2:00pm

Diocesan Events for Summer

Overnight Camp for single women ages 14-18!
July 8-11 at Northeast Catholic College in Warner, NH to spend time with other women looking at the Lord's call in their life. Co-sponsored by Fr. Matt Mason (see info below) and Daughters of Mary Mother of Healing Love in Rochester, NH.

Overnight Camp for young men ages 14-18!
August 5-9 at Northeast Catholic College, Warner, NH to spend time with other young men looking at the Lord's call in their life while having fun. This is the second annual "Quo Vadis" camp led by priests and seminarians of the diocese. For more information on any of these events, visit liveinblackandwhite.com to register or contact Fr. Matt Mason at 603-663-0196.

Franco-American Day Concert

All are invited to BE French-Canadians on June 23rd (as all become Irish on March 17th).
 June 23th, 2 pm. Corpus-Christi Church, Lawrence, MA, (35 Essex St.)
 Celebrate Franco-American Heritage; patron saint, St. John-the-Baptist; and, Support a "Listening Ministry" project in the Church.
 Marie-Line Morin, soprano, will sing and give her testimony as a French-Canadian immigrant. A free-will offering will be taken.

Saints Mary & Joseph Parish in Salem, NH has an **opening for a part-time organist/cantor**. If you, or someone you know, can play the organ AND sing, please email a resume to Father Vincent at onunkwo2001@yahoo.com Thank You!



Neighboring Parish Activities

St. Basil in Methuen, MA., Summer Events. Mark your calender!!

- June 24:** Last Monday Night Liturgy of the season at St. Basils: Music at 7:15, Liturgy at 7:30. This liturgy will resume again on Labor Day, Sept 2nd.
- July 10:** Beach Liturgy. Music at 7:15, Liturgy at 7:30. This liturgy takes place on the beach in front of Saint Elizabeth Church, 1 Lowell St., Seabrook, NH Park in the church parking lot.
- Oct. 2:** First Ultreya of the season. 7:00 PM, St. Julie Hall.
- Oct. 3:** First Cursillo of the season.

JESUS aCROSS the Border	Save the Date! HOPE Catholic Conference: October 5, 2019, Lowell Memorial Auditorium	"Infinite Mercy of God" Four Speakers, Music, Mass, Confession, Adoration	\$40 pp by Sept. 1 Contact info@hopeconferences.com
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Mass Intentions (Procedure begins in June)

If you would like to bring the Gifts to the altar on the weekend at the Offertory, please **be at church ten minutes before mass begins** and check off that you will participate. A clipboard will be at the church main entrance at St. Joseph or in the Sacristy at MQP with Mass times and date. Thank You!

St. Joseph

Sunday, June 16 Most Holy Trinity
7:30a Pro Populo—The People of the Parish
5:00p Norman & Clare Minkle; Raymond & Janice Laliberte r/b Donna & Raymond Laliberte
Monday, June 17
7:15a All Soul's Intentions
Tuesday, June 18
7:15a Don Phipps r/b David & Melanie Costello
Thursday, June 20
7:15a All Soul's Intentions
Friday, June 21
7:15a Intentions of Edie Shea r/b Parish Staff
Sunday, June 23 Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
7:30a Vin Do r/b Jessica Do
5:00p Patrice Haupel r/b The Walsh Family

Mary Queen of Peace

Saturday, June 15
4:00p Melody Clarke r/b Diane Faucher
Sunday, June 16 Most Holy Trinity
9:30a Claudio & Liwayway Ordonez r/b The Family; Michael Sarne, Jr. r/b Marilyn & Wes Suszek
11:00a Rival Gauvin r/b Jack
Monday, June 17
9:00a Peg Akerley r/b Charlie Wheeler
Saturday, June 22
4:00p John Zavisza r/b The Family; Edward McFadden r/b Evelyn Sarcione
Sunday, June 23 Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
9:30a Pro Populo—The People of the Parish
11:00a Linda Laycock r/b Paul & Veronica Lavoie; Denise McCrady r/b Ed & Rosemarie Gaffny
Monday, June 24
9:00a Peg Akerley r/b Al & Adele Raymond

Parish Events



Most Holy Trinity Sunday June 16
 9:30am KidsChurch/MQP-Classroom
Monday June 17
 9:00am CIA Leadership Training/SJ-Family Room
Tuesday June 18
 9:00am CIA Leadership Training/SJ-Family Room
 10:00am Bible Study/MQP-Emmaus Room
 12:30pm Quilting Group/SJ-St. Julie Hall
 7:30pm Al-Anon/SJ—St. Julie Hall
Wednesday June 19
 8:00am Men's Cursillo/SJ-Family Room
 10:00am Choir Rehearsal for 7:30am Mass/SJ-Church
 10:00am Rosary Making/MQP-Classroom
 1:00pm Prayer Shawl/MQP—Emmaus Room
 5:00pm Scouts/SJ-St. Julie Hall
 7:00pm AA/MQP— Main Hall
Thursday June 20
 10:00am L L L/SJ-Family Room
 6:00pm Atonement Rehearsal/MQP-Church
 7:00pm Bereavement Group/SJ-St. Julie Hall
Friday June 21
 10:30am Book Club/MQP-Emmaus Room
 6:00pm NarAnon /MQP-Main Hall
 6:00pm Adoration/SJ-Church
Saturday June 22
 8:00am Bible Study/SJ-Family Room
 NOON Adoration ends/SJ-Church
 6:00pm SIA/MQP-Emmaus Room

Parish Giving

June 8 and June 9, 2019

(*Our goal is for \$11,000 each week.)

Envelopes	\$ 6,491.00
Loose	\$ 1,696.00
On-line	\$ 778.00
* TOTAL	\$ 8,965.00
Catholic Communications	\$1,745.00

2nd Collections for June

6-16 Summer Catch-Up
 6-30 Peter's Pence

Thank You for your continued support and generosity!

Your regular financial support of our parish community is essential to our continued viability and vitality!

Rest in Peace

We pray for **Richard Simensen & Michael Iannazzo** who died recently. May their families be comforted by loving memories of them and by hope in Christ's promise of the resurrection.

Eternal Light/Sanctuary Candle is burning this week at St. Joseph for **Wilfred Jr and Donald Pelletier** by Louise Pelletier and at Mary Queen of Peace for **John Fillipon** by his niece Deborah.

