Saints Mary & Joseph Parish

August 8, 2021

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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 Livestreamed

Sat: 4:00pm

Sun: 9:30am & 11:00am Mon-Thurs: 9:00am

Rosary following mass, except Wed.

RECONCILIATON:
Sat: 3:00pm—3:50pm
or by appointment

St. Joseph Church

40 Main Street Salem, NH 03079 MASS:

Sat: 5:00pm

Sun: 7:30am & 10:00am

Mon-Fri: 7:15am

Rosary prior to daily mass 6:45am

RECONCILIATON:
Sat: 4:00pm—4:50pm
or by appointment

Parish Office 603-893-8661

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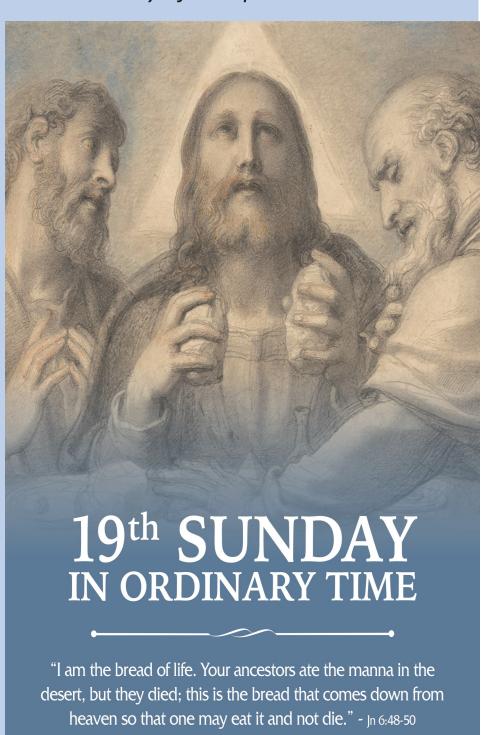
Fax: 603-890-0292

Mon-Thu 9:30am-2:30pm

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The "Come & See Talks" have begun. They are intended for all parishioners, including any of your friends, neighbors or associates interested in learning more about the Catholic faith. When you are accompanied by an interested person, be sure to enter for a chance to win a \$50.00 gift certificate to a local restaurant. Next session at St. Joseph campus, August 9 at 6:00pm in the Family Room: the next topic "Jesus—Who Is He?". Contact Bonnie for more info: 603-893-8661 x103

TAKE A STEP IN FAITH! God will never be outdone in His generosity! The proportion of our gift becomes sacrificial when it comes from our substance rather than our abundance. When we give out of substance, we are changed in the process: we have given away something we thought we needed for ourselves, thus changing our lifestyle, and we have acted on our belief that our security lies not in our material resources but in God. Our intentional response to God's generosity should ensure that we give the "first fruits" - those gifts given first and not only after other obligations have been satisfied. And they are proportionate to what God has given us. As such, our gift of money is appropriately presented at the Offertory at Mass. The celebration of Christ's sacrifice is a fitting context for our own sacrificial offering which is a grateful response to the unfathomable love God has shown for us!

Tips for protecting Yourself: SAGES: PLAYS WITH PURPOSE Sages is a nonprofit organization focused on using entertainment as an educational tool for raising awareness on issues faced by older adults. The plays address serious issues like fall prevention and scam prevention with just the right amount of humor, so its engaging for all. Sages highlights senior living and how to empower yourself as a senior. Please use the link below to enjoy the recorded plays that are brought to you by Suncoast Credit Union at no cost! https://sagestheater.org/suncoast-credit-union-pb

Attention Saints Mary & Joseph Parish Family!

The Middle School and High School Youth Group are looking for volunteers to help this year with being on the adult core team. Are you interested in walking with youth in their faith journey? Please contact Beccah Frulla at youthminister@saintsmaryandjoseph.org if you want to learn more! Thank you!

In July, "The Order and Meaning of the Mass: Heaven on Earth," Unit One workshop was attended by over 3 dozen parishioners. Based on the response, we are offering Unit One again and adding Unit Two this month. The schedule for each unit is below. You only need to attend one session per unit.

Unit One MQP Emmaus Room: Aug. 16, 7:00 – 9:00pm; Aug. 17, 10:00 – Noon; Aug. 18, 2:00 -4:00pm SJ Family Room: Aug. 19, 7:00 – 9:00pm; Aug. 20, 10:00 – Noon; Aug. 21, 2:45 – 4:45pm
 Unit Two MQP Emmaus Room: Aug. 23, 7:00 – 9:00pm; Aug. 24, 10:00 – Noon; Aug. 25, 2:00 – 4:00pm SJ Family Room: Aug. 26, 7:00 – 9:00pm; Aug. 27, 10:00 – Noon; Aug 28, 2:45 – 4:45pm

Vocation Awareness: "Do not grieve the Holy Spirit." Your faithful response to your vocation gives joy to the heart of God. Perhaps priesthood or consecrated life awaits you. Call Father Matthew Mason (603) 663-0132, or write: mmason@rcbm.org

Heart Healthy Meals for Our Priests......Vegetables, Chicken & Fish!

Now that summer is here there are a variety of fresh vegetables to cook on the grill or eat in salads! Would you be willing to share a meal once in a while with Fr. Marc & Fr. Charles? They really are not fussy! No slaving at the stove, just put a few extra pieces of meat or fish on the grill, and then deliver it to the rectory!

If you are interested in preparing a meal, follow the instructions to sign-up. You can pick a date that is convenient for you, view what others are bringing, and enter your meal selection. On your computer go to:

www.takethemameal.com at the FIND column, enter: Montminy, password 3407

IF you have questions please contact either Kristen Klecan: klecan@me.com or 401-7924 OR Shawn McDonough at 4mcds@comcast.net or 401-1742. Thank you for so generously sharing!!

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I am the bread of Life

Sometimes we are so discouraged. What is your discouragement? Many people, especially as they age, have chronic pain and illness. Your discouragement might be a mental illness, a bad family situation, a child with a disability such as a learning disability or autism. The discouragement may not be the most terrible thing. If we had this for only an hour, it would be easy to bear, but everyday we get up and it is still there. It will never go away. After the weeks and months pass, we become so discouraged bearing this suffering. If it were only for a day or two, we could bear it, but it seems the suffering is endless. People try to help us endure by offering trite sayings, but nothing seems to help. In the first reading, Elijah finds himself in this situation. He just lies down under a tree and asks God to take his life because he thinks the situation is hopeless, but God feeds him bread. After eating the bread, Elijah is revived and continues the mission that God has commissioned him for. In the Gospel reading, Jesus says that "I am the bread of life." When we eat this bread, Jesus gives Himself to us as bread to strengthen us and remind us that he is with us in our mission and our suffering. He reminds us that our suffering is not meaningless. When we give Jesus our suffering, He can make something beautiful out of it.

Healing Mass at Mary Queen of Peace Church on Wednesday, August 18 at 7:00pm

Our Lord insists that we come to him even when things seem hopeless, when we are painfully aware of our limitations. In moments of trial and suffering, how easily we begin to demand that the Lord quickly make our difficulties go away. But Jesus wants us to come close and place ourselves into his hands because this is precisely how we will best experience the love of his Eucharistic heart. "However small and insignificant you think you are," he says, "however unprepared you feel, unite yourself to me with confidence in my love for you." All are welcome to come and experience God's deep love through prayers, anointing and laying on of hands!

Eucharistic Adoration: "We have come to do Him homage."

Those words, spoken by the Magi from the East as they searched for the infant Jesus, resound through the centuries to be echoed in the heart of every person who makes a visit to the Blessed Sacrament. The presence of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament is as real today as the infant Jesus was to the Wise Men who sought Him by following a star rising in the East. As Pope St. John Paul II affirms in his encyclical on the relationship of the Eucharist to the Church,"....the gaze of the Church is constantly turned to her Lord, present in the Sacrament of the Altar, in which she discovers the full manifestation of his boundless love." (*The Church and the Eucharist, 1*) Special vocabulary:

Monstrance: Sacred Vessel used for the exposition and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Luna: Glass enclosure that holds the Blessed Sacrament in the monstrance

Cope: Ornate cloak-like vestment worn over a white alb and a stole by clergy at Benediction and processions **Humeral Veil:** Scarf-like liturgical garment about eight or nine feet long and two or three feet wide, worn over the shoulders. The minister covers his hands with the ends of the veil so that it, not his hands, touches the monstrance at Benediction or during the procession of the Blessed Sacrament.

Incense: Granulated or powdered aromatic resin that, when sprinkled on glowing coals in a censer (thurible), becomes a fragrant cloud of smoke to symbolize prayer rising to God. Incense is used whenever there is Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and during processions with the Blessed Sacrament.

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May-October Holy Hour of Solemn Adoration

In honor of Our Lady of Fatima's six apparitions from May through October 1917 in Portugal, we will be hosting a Holy Hour of Reparation with Adoration and Rosary every Thursday from 7:30pm-8:30pm at Mary Queen of Peace Church.

First Friday Adoration

St. Joseph Church 12:00 Noon-4:00 PM Divine Mercy 3:00 PM, Litany of the Precious Blood and Rosary

Men's Adoration

8:00pm—9:00pm St. Joseph Church

Third Friday Adoration

St. Joseph Church 3:00pm—10:00pm **August 20, 2021**

Daily Adoration

St. Joseph Church One hour, following the 7:15am mass

First Saturday Devotion

Mary Queen of Peace 3:00PM Rosary, confession followed by the Mass at 4:00PM Youth Happenings: All group events are held at Youth Center, 40 Main St., Salem, NH, Behind St. Julie Hall. Unless stated otherwise.

The Jesus Kids Field Day For Kids in Grades 1-5!!!!

Return registration form before August 9th!!!





Saints Mary & Joseph Faith Formation

Registrations are now underway for the 2021-2022 year!

Join others in our parish faith formation opportunities to find meaning and a new way of seeing together!!

Faith Formation begins in Grade 1,
First Reconciliation Prep happens in Grade 2 and
Confirmation and First Communion follow in Grade 3.
Youth Ministry begins in Grade 1!

Come and Join Us!!!!





We are looking to resume our pre-school Kidschurch Ministry!!!

What is Kidschurch? It is a preschool ministry during the 9:30 Mass where children experience church designed for their understanding through play, simple prayer, story-telling and crafts. Children are dropped off to our Kidschurch room before Mass and parents pick them up after.

So, could God be calling you to help resume this ministry? For more information, please contact Sue Levesque at the office.

Learning & growing together in Jesus

Parish Information:

New Parishioners We welcome you to our Parish! Please register on our website:

saintsmaryandjoseph.org or at the Parish Office.

Baptisms Please call Bonnie Barlow 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 Maryanne at the Office 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!!!

Moving/Change of Address?? Please contact the parish office with new contact information.

pastor@saintsmaryandjoseph.org

Upcoming Parish Activities

NH Knights of Columbus: "In service to one, In service to all." SCTV #17: An appropriate topic

Airing 08/9-08/11/21 Mondays 8:00pm Tuesday & Wednesday 2:00pm

The next **Bereavement Meeting** will be **Thursday, August 12th** in St. Julie's Hall on the St. Joseph campus. Upcoming meetings will be held every two weeks, beginning Sept. 9th . We have trained facilitators who are here to support and aid you in coping with your grief. The group meets from **7:00 PM to 8:00 PM** and is free of charge. Please call Linda at 603 893-6061.

Our own Jessica McCormack, the cantor at the 4:00pm and 7:30am masses, will be the soprano soloist in an upcoming performance of Dan Forrest's *Requiem for the Living* with the Monadnock Chorus. The performance will take place on **Wednesday, August 18** at 6:00pm (rain date August 25) at Aldworth Manor in Harrisville, NH. Lawn tickets are free, and must be reserved in advance. Visit www.monadnock-chorus.org for reservations and more information.

Slice-of-the-Pie Winners, 1st drawing of the new season

Ann Beaudoin #18

Blanche Levesque #149

Alan & Janet Phair #190

Congratulations! Each receives a check for \$125.00

THEOLOGY OVER COFFEE

The topics have changed, but the sessions will continue on Wednesday after the 9:00am mass at Mary Queen of Peace. Fr. Marc will select the topics for discussions. Please pray for Beccah and baby Ignatia, who arrived last Friday, tiny, early but healthy!



Parish Staff: 893-8661
Fr. Marc Montminy......Pastor

CASE MANAGER NEEDED: St. Gianna's Place has a job opening for a full-time, experienced case manager to work with our residents. Please see the full job description on our website www.stgiannasplace.org or contact our office at 603-521-8440.

"Only a heart that is not taken over by hastiness is capable of being moved, that is, of not allowing itself to be caught up in itself and by things to do, and is aware of others, of their wounds, their needs.
 "Compassion is born from contemplation."
 Follow Pope Francis on Twitter @Pontifex

St. Joseph Regional Catholic School has added a **second kindergarten class** for the '21/'22 school year! A **few openings** are available in **grades six and eight,** too. For more information please email Mrs. Latino, <u>info@sjrcs.com</u>.

Fr. Charles Aruldurai, HGN.....Associate x108 David Costello.......Deacon greeleykid@msn.com Bonnie BarlowPastoral Minister x103 pm@saintsmaryandjoseph.org

Becca Frulla....Outreach/Youth Minister x109 outreach@saintsmaryandjoseph.org youthminister@saintsmaryandjoseph.org

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COMMON SENSE IS NECESSARY

regarding the Coronavirus: Please be respectful of people's choices: to wear a mask or not; to get vaccinated or not! When possible, continue to social distance. Always be kind!

Mass Intentions: Masses will be celebrated via LIVE STREAM (saintsmaryandjoseph.org) from Mary Queen of Peace Church.

St. Joseph

Saturday, August 7

5:00p Palermo Family, Adam Bishop & Mike Dinsmore r/b Family

Sunday, August 8

7:30a Pro Populo—People of the Parish

10:00a Joseph Chiarenza r/b David & Melanie Costello

Monday, August 9

7:15a Mildred E. Ouellette r/b Theresa Berube

Tuesday, August 10

7:15a Janet Bourque r/b Family **Wednesday, August 11**

7:15a Jean McAndrew r/b Ron Bourque

Thursday, August 12

7:15a Michael Worthy r/b Laura & Lisa

Friday, August 13

7:15a All Soul's Intentions r/b Mr & Mrs Dean Scionti

Saturday, August 14

5:00p Clovis Michaud r/b Son, Jean Louis Michaud

Sunday, August 15

7:30a Family & Friends of Marty & MaryAnn McDonough r/b Sean & Cathy McDonough

10:00a Pro Populo—People of the Parish

Catholic Laity ARISE, an afternoon of prayer on August 14 from Noon-3:00pm. Join hundreds of others to pray for healing and renewal of the mystical Body of Christ, our beloved Catholic Church! Go to standupand-kneel.org for more information; being held at:

Templeton Farm, 176 Kennedy Hill Road, Goffstown, NH 03045

Mary Queen of Peace

Saturday, August 7

4:00pm Eugene Beliveau r/b Dolly Sunday, August 8

9:30a Winnie & Joe Russo r/b Russo Family

11:00a Ray Sarcione r/b wife Evelyn

Monday, August 9

9:00a Clifford Lajoie r/b Lorraine & Dave Thompson

Tuesday, August 10

9:00a Alfredo Flores r/b Elva Vicari **Wednesday, August 11**

9:00a Richard J. Hassett, Jr. r/b Dick & Ruth Hassett

Thursday, August 12

9:00a Donna Catalano r/b Madeline & Tom Matachun

Saturday, August 13

4:00p Claire Valcourt r/b Family

Sunday, August 14

9:30a Martine & Clovis Michaud r/b The Michaud Family

11:00a Mildred Lavin r/b Lavin Family

Parish Giving

July 31 & Aug. 1

Envelopes \$11,869.00 On-line \$ 2,383.00

Total \$14, 252.00

Special Collections in August 8/1 Development Fund \$2,798.00 8/15 NH Missionaries Abroad

Rest in Peace

We pray for Thomas L. Faucher Sr. & Michael Worthy who died recently. May Their families be comforted by loving memories of them and by hope in Christ's promise of the resurrection.

Parish Events

Please use common sense regarding the highly contagious COVID-19 virus:

Sunday August 8
12:00pm Baptism class/MQP-Emmaus
Room

1:00pm Baptism/MQP-Church 6:00pm Survivors of Incest Anonymous (SIA) Virtual Meeting, SIAsouthernNH@aol.com

Monday August 9
6:00pm KidsChurch Volunteer Mtg/
MQP-Emmaus Room
6:00pm Come & See /SJ-Family
Room

Tuesday August 10 10:00am Bible Study/MQP-Emmaus Room

7:00pm Walking With Purpose virtual meeting

www.wwpsalemnh.weebly.com

Wednesday August 11

9:30am Theology over Coffee/MQP-Main Hall

Thursday, August 12

6:00pm Atonement Band rehearsal/ MQP-Church

7:00pm Bereavement/SJ-St. Julie

Hall

7:30pm Adoration /MQP-Church

Friday, August 13

Saturday , August 14 7:30am Men's Group/SJ-Family

Room

8:00am Bible Study/Virtual meeting via computer/online

All will be asked to use common sense regarding social distancing & wearing masks for scheduled events. Youth ministry will be following the same guidelines.

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



tions of the Frulla Family by Parish Staff and at Mary Queen of Peace for the Intentions of the Frulla Family by Parish Staff.