

Christ the Divine Mercy Parish

November 17, 2024 - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Rev. Robert Vaillancourt

Cluster Business Coordinator: Gert Campbell

Judy Ouellette: Administrative Assistant

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9:00 am – 12:00 noon & 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Wednesday office hours are 9:00 to 12 noon; office is closed to public on Wed. afternoon.

Office is closed on holidays

Faith Formation Office -731-4083 - St. Martin's Worship Site Hours:

Monday: 9:30-12:30 – Wednesday 1:30- 3:30 – Thursday 9:30-12:30

In Case of an emergency leave a message at this number 531-0280

(Please call the office to arrange the Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage.)

St. Martin of Tours

19 Colby Street

Millinocket, ME 04462

Saturday 4:00pm -Sunday 3:00pm in the Church

Weekdays – See Mass page

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday from 2:30 -3:30pm or by appointment

Followed By The Rosary said in the Church

Before 4:00pm mass

Contact Information: appointment

Church Hall – (207-723-6395)

Thrift Store – (207-723-4513)

Opened Thursdays

Thu. - 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Food Pantry

9:00 am to 11:00 am

Open every **OTHER** Wednesday

Check inside bulletin Pantry News for dates

VISION: A Parish journeying in prayerful humility,
living the Faith through the sacraments in relationship
with our community



St. Peters Church

58 Cedar Street

East Millinocket, ME 04430

Winter Mass Schedule

Sunday – 8:30AM

Weekdays – See Mass page

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tues. Eve. 6 to 7pm after 5:30pm Mass or by Appt.

Mailing Contact Information:

Address: PO Box 400

East Millinocket, ME 04430

Parish Office – (207-746-3333)

Fax Line – (207-746-8188)

Office e-mail:

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Faith Formation: tina.mcleod@portlanddiocese.org

Website:

www.christthedinemercyparish.org

MISSION: Connect, love & serve one
another in Christ Jesus.



ST. MARTIN OF TOURS CHURCH
19 COLBY STREET
MILLINOCKET, MAINE

The Sanctuary Lamp this week is burning for
The souls in Purgatory

Food Pantry Hours

The Pantry will be opened every other week
from 9:00am to 11:00am.

The next scheduled days the Pantry will be
opened: November 20th & December 4th

*The food pantry was opened 2 days in October and we
assisted 56 families. Thank you for your continued
support and God bless you.*

Keep watching our bulletin for updates. Thank you.

Thrift Store Hours

**Our business hours are Thursdays
from 10:00am 3:00pm.**

**Come and visit our store and see
what we have to offer.**

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That Jesus' one sacrifice for sins may console those who
suffer because of a past abortion,
We pray to the Lord...

AARP Free Tax Preparation

AARP is looking for volunteers to help out
with tax preparation beginning on
Thursday, February 6, 2025 at 8:30AM at
St. Peter's Parish Center.

If you are interested in being a volunteer,
contact Pam Martin at 746-5851. Training
will be provided for all volunteers.

Religious Gift Store at St. Martin's Worship Site

THE RELIGIOUS GIFT STORE at St. Martin
of Tours Church is open before the 4 pm mass on
Saturday evenings. If you would like to meet at another
time, please call Sandra Willard at 723-5033. Thank
you - Sandy.

Donations to the Funeral Luncheon Ministry
*Thank you very much for the generous donations to the Funeral
Luncheon Ministry.* These donations make it possible to
continue this very important ministry. Thank you for your
generosity and support.

St. Martin of Tours Winter Eucharistic Adoration
Schedule: Eucharistic Adoration at St. Martin of Tours will
be held in the Chapel from 3:00 PM to 4:00PM on
Wednesdays. All are welcome.

OCIA— was formerly known as RCIA. If anyone is interested
in learning about our Catholic Faith and would like to pursue
this, please call: Sharon Darling at 207 447-8426, Tom
Darling at 207 723-8865 or Joshua Darling at 207 731-3532
or call the office at 746-3333 during regular hours.

"Holy Nudge, Holy Fire"

Former religious Ruth Hannah Oakley has
written the book entitled "Holy Nudge, Holy Fire" –
Seeing God at Work in Our Lives.

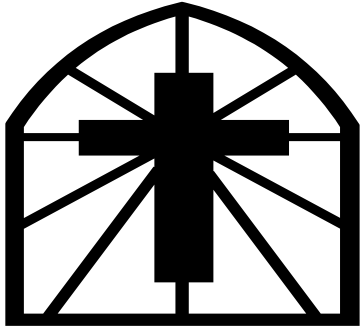
She attended Providence College in Rhode
Island and the University of Southern Maine earning
degrees in Theology and Business and after teaching in
southern California, she earned a graduate degree in
Theology/Spirituality.

In discerning her vocation, Ruth spent thirteen
years with a religious congregation in Maine and
eventually worked for the Catholic Diocese of Portland
Maine. She retired in 2016 and remains an active
member of her parish.

She is a published author with articles appearing
in Catechist, Church World and Religion Teachers
Journal.

See how God nudges us and fires us up when
we listen to His voice. This book is available at the office
for \$15.00 by calling 746-3333 during regular business
office hours.

St. Peter's Catholic Church
58 Cedar Street
East Millinocket, Maine



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The Eucharistic Reservation Light is burning in
Loving Memory of Angela Daigle
By Francine & Bob Leathers

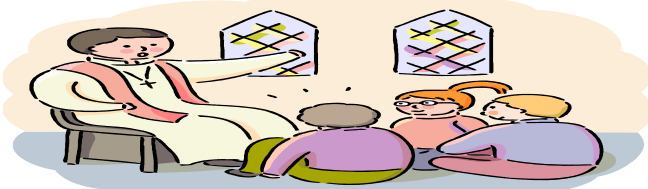
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World Day of Cloistered Life Nov. 21st
"Heaven and earth will pass away, but my
words will not pass away.."

Cherish the precious words of the Lord. He may be calling you to a life of contemplation as a cloistered monk or nun, whose lives are devoted to prayer and reflection. Talk to your priest or reach out to:

The Vocation Office: (207) 773-6471 or
via email vocations@portlanddiocese.org

That those chosen to follow Christ as a cloistered monk
or nun will respond with humble readiness,
we pray to the Lord...



The Lazarus Ministries at St. Peter's and at St. Martin of Tours is looking for persons who are willing to assist families as they prepare for their loved ones' funeral. If interested contact either Francis at 731-4479, Linda 447-1465 and Esther Willette at 746-5210

Emergency Number: Please be aware that should an emergency arise during the weekend, please call 531-0280. This phone number is for emergencies only. Thank you.

Important Notice - Booking of Halls: If you would like to hold an event at either St. Peter's Parish Center or St. Martin of Tours Hall, please contact the office at 746-3333. Thank you.

Consoling Hearts Grief Ministry

Greetings to all! Our Gatherings have begun! We meet the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 2 PM at St. Peter's Parish Center.

Our next meeting will be on November 20th We have a new video series to share and will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3 PM. We conclude our Gatherings with snacks and conversation. All are welcome! God's peace!

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted."
Matthew 5:4

The Carmelites meet the First Friday of the month at St. Peter's Parish Center from 10 to 12 noon. *Our next meeting will be Friday, December 6, 2024.* If you are interested in joining our group, please contact the office at 746-3333.

Homebound Parishioners: If you are homebound and would like to have a visit from Father or are in the hospital, please call the office at 746-3333 and let Father know. He will call you to set up a time for a visit either at home, in the hospital, or the nursing home. Thank you and God bless.

Worship & Spirituality Meeting on Monday, November 18th at St. Peter's Parish Center following the 8:30 AM Mass. All are welcome!

Rosary, Adoration and Reconciliation

Tuesday at St. Peter's: **Mass 4:30; 5:00PM to 6:00PM** – Rosary, Holy Hour & Confession

Wednesday at St. Martin of Tours' Chapel: 3:00 to 4:00PM - Rosary, Holy Hour

Friday at St. Benedict's: **8-9:00AM Rosary & Adoration** followed by Mass at 9:00AM

The Rosary will be said before all weekday masses and before all weekend Masses

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Location Time Mass Schedule

Monday	St. Peter's	8:30AM	Rita Worley (1 st Anniversary) by Betty & Claude Roy
Tuesday	St. Peter's	4:30PM	Theresa Hebert by Pat
Wednesday			Fr. Bob's Day Off
Thursday	St. Martin's	8:30AM	Jean Viel (nephew of Bertha Bosse) by Bertha & Family
Friday	St. Benedict's	9:00AM	Robert Allen by Anthony & Jackie Allen
Saturday	St. Martin's	4:00PM	Nancy Paulemint & Pamela Hatcher by their brother Jeffrey Raymond
Sunday	St. Peter's	8:30AM	Mark Chasse (10 th Anniversary) by Eva Chasse
	St. Benedict's	10:30AM	Joan Filanowski by Anthony & Jackie Allen
	St. Martin's	3:00PM	Parishioners & Visitors

Weekly Scripture Readings

Sunday	Dn 12:1-3,/Ps 16:5, 8-11/Heb 10:11-14, 18
Monday	Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday	Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-5/Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday	Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1-6/Lk 19:11-28
Thursday	Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1-6, 9/Lk 19:41-44
Friday	Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111,131/Lk 19:45-48
Saturday	Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1-2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40

Tithing

Envelopes

Loose

Totals

Week November 10, 2024

\$ 3,437.00

746.00

\$ 4,183.00

(Needed for weekly Exp. \$4,200.00)

Collection -Heat & Electric

\$ 1,429.00

Collection for November 17th

#1 Regular #2 Campaign for Human Develop.

Collection for November 24th

#1 Regular #2 Christmas Flowers

Christ the Divine Mercy Parish – Capital Campaign

Capital Campaign Goal: \$400,000.00

Amount raised to date: 229,007.93

Distributed to date: 195,644.20

Balance: \$33,363.73

Parish Council Members for Christ the Divine Mercy Parish
Don Raymond – Chair Nancy Stanley – Co-chair Sandra Willard - Secretary
Rita Chasse Mike Landry Carol LeVasseur Francis Megno George Ouellette
Edwina Stanley Paryse Thibodeau

Finance Council Members for Christ the Divine Mercy Parish
Kitty St. John – Chair Mike Crowley Eldon Doody
Sharlett Currier Steve Fraser John Doe Sharon Darling Mike Rioux

Faith Formation Corner



We have begun our religious education classes and things are going great! The past few weeks, the kids have been learning about what it means to be a servant, how Jesus came to serve, not to be served and how He wants us to be of service to others in need.

Thank you to the parishioners for supporting the kids at Christ the Divine Mercy making them feel like they are welcome and that they are an important part of the body of Christ which is very important in their faith journey.
Peace and Grace - Tina McLeod

Catholic Campaign for Human Development - Special Collection November 16th & 17th

This weekend our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States over 11% of the population lives in poverty. Through this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and those working on the margins. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd.

Community health and Counseling Services

Home Health, Hospice and Mental Health Services

How would you like to make a difference in the lives of others? How would you like to give a cup of cold water in Jesus' name?

Matthew 10:42 says "and whoever gives one of these little ones only a cup of water in the name of a disciple, assuredly, I say to you, he shall by no means lose his reward."

If you have ever had a loved one on Hospice, you know that it is a stressful time for the family. CHCS hospice is looking for anyone who has an hour a week or 3 hours a month (or any amount of time really, you name your hours) to become a hospice volunteer.

We need people willing to perhaps run errands for the family, or bring them groceries, or prepare /buy them a meal, or sit with someone on hospice so the family can take a nap.

Sometimes you might walk a dog, or play cards, or look at photos with the client. If you prefer to be "behind the scenes" we could use people in the Lincoln office to file papers etc. No experience is needed and you get to name what you are willing to do!

If you are able to spare a few hours to help a family in need, please see Judy about an application. Any other questions, ***please call Chaplain Cher at 207-356-5469. Please leave a voicemail if you do not reach her.***

