



Our Lady of Mercy Parish

16 Baboosic Lake Road Merrimack, NH 03054

**All Are
Welcome!**

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - 4:30 PM

Sunday - 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

Mon, Tues, Wed, and Fri - 8:30 AM

Holy Days - 8:30 AM

and anticipated vigil - 7 PM

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Mission Statement

Our Lady of Mercy Parish, founded in 1954, is a Roman Catholic community that shares in the life of Jesus Christ, obedient to the Father, and guided by the Holy Spirit. As a faith community, our mission is: to celebrate the sacraments and to proclaim the Word of God; to minister to the spiritual and temporal needs of our parish through prayer, works of charity, personal witness, education, and evangelization; to welcome all people to active participation in our parish community; and to preserve the faith of Church amidst a changing world and diverse social climate. We commit ourselves to this mission, under the patronage and protection of Mary, Mother of Mercy, with faith, hope and love in the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

May 1999

Sacraments

Baptism for infants is usually celebrated on the last weekend of the month.

Please contact the office for more information about baptism and the other

Sacraments of Initiation. For the celebration of **Marriage**, 6 months notice is necessary.

Reconciliation

Confessions are available on Saturdays at 3 PM and by appointment.

Outreach and Home Ministry

Please contact the office with your needs.

Parish Office/Rectory: 424-3757 Faith Formation Office: 424-4477

Website: www.olmnh.org

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 20th

Vigil: Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30PM: For all parishioners

SUNDAY, July 21st

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM: For Alec Bronchuk req by a friend

10:30AM: Diane Driscoll req by a parishioner

Monday, July 22nd

St Mary Magdalene

8:10AM: Morning Prayer

8:30AM: For deceased priests of the Diocese

Tuesday, July 23rd

St. Bridget, Religious

NO MASS

Wednesday, July 24th

St. Sharbel Makhlûf, Priest

8:10AM: Morning Prayer

8:30AM: For all Parishioners

Thursday, July 25th

NO MASS

Friday, July 26th

**Sts Joachim & Anne, Parents of the
Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:10AM: Morning Prayer

8:30AM: For the intentions of the celebrant

Saturday, July 27th

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30PM: For all parishioners

Sunday, July 28th

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM: Jean Gagne req by her children

10:30AM: Carol Sylvia req by Karen Correia

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 27th

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30PM: For all parishioners

Sunday, July 28th

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM: Jean Gagne req by her children

10:30AM: Carol Sylvia req by Karen Correia

Monday, July 29th

St Martha

NO MASS

Tuesday, July 30th

**St Peter Chrysologus, Bishop & Doctor of the
Church**

NO MASS

Wednesday, July 31st

St Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

NO MASS

Thursday, August 1

NO MASS

Friday, August 2nd

**St Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St Peter Julian
Eymard, Priest**

NO MASS

Saturday, August 3rd

Vigil: Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30PM: Robin Senick req by her sister

SUNDAY, August 4th

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30AM: Edmund Small req by his wife

10:30AM: Mom, Dad, Pauline, Ed, Deede & Carol
req by their family

Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp for the week of July 20th through July 26th is lit in memory of **Arthur Barrett**.

The Sanctuary Lamp for the week of July 27th through August 2nd is lit in memory of **Maureen Murray**.

If you would like to have the Sanctuary Lamp lit in memory of or for the intentions of a loved one, please call the parish office at 424-3757.



4th Annual Our Lady of Mercy Parish Cookout

*Join us on Sunday, August 11th from 12 noon to 4:00 pm at the
American Legion on Baboosic Lake Rd*

Kickball

Water balloons



Cornhole

Good Food & More

Come join the fun!! This is a great time for the members of our parish (the young & young at heart) to come together and enjoy one another's company and have a good time. **Sign up sheets are at all the entrances of the Church or you may call the parish office at 424-3757.** If you would like to share your favorite side dish or salad, please let us know.

UNLEASHED

**Rising 9th through 12 graders
Next Meeting is July 28th at 10:30 AM
Church Hall & Faith Formation Hall**

All High School students are invited to attend this Bible Series and learn about men & women in Scripture and how their stories relate to our lives today. Girls will meet in the Church Hall and the boys meet in the Faith Formation Hall. Even if you were not able to attend the previous sessions, please join us for this session. The fourth session will take place on July 28th beginning with 10:30 Mass. Hope to see you there.

Catholic Family ~~Weekend~~ Day!! Sunday, August 25, 2019

Camp Fatima on Upper Suncook Lake
in Gilmanton Iron Works, NH

Theme: "Pathways to Christ" based on Psalm 16:11—
"you make know to me the path of life"

*Runs from 8:30 am to 8:30 pm
Registrations close on August 2nd*

Price for event \$20.00 adults (ages 16 & up)
\$15 for children (ages 3-15)
2 & under are free

Your family will play together and pray together. Activities for all—swimming, biking basketball, outdoor Mass, confession, music and prayer. Lunch & dinner are provided. For more information and to register go to www.vitanova.org under events.

OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Parish Office:

Monday through Thursday: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
Friday: CLOSED

Faith Formation Office:

Monday, Tues, Wednesday: 9am to 3:00 pm
Thursday: 9am to 12 noon
Friday: CLOSED



PARISH STEWARDSHIP



Weekend of July 8th: \$4719.00
Peter's Pence: \$2346.00
Weekend of July 15th: \$5050.00
Online giving for June: \$8227.50

**DO YOU HAVE A NEED?
DO YOU HAVE SOMETHING YOU WOULD
LIKE TO DONATE?**

You will find the "Our Lady of Mercy Community Binder" in the main entrance of the church. If you have something that is still in good condition but you no longer have a use for it and would like to see it go to someone who can utilize it, please write the item along with your phone number in our Community Binder and someone who may have a need for it can contact you.

Are you in need of something? Write that item down in the "Binder" along with your phone number and if someone has that item and no longer have a need for it they will be able to contact you.

**Our Lady of Mercy
120 Club**



The Ladies Guild thanks you for your support of the 120 Club. In the past profits have been used to refurbish or replace items in the church and church offices. We also support Catholic Charities, the parish outreach at both Christmas and Easter, our seminarians, Community Hospice House, the Food Pantry and other charities as the need arises.

The cost to join the 120 Club is \$1.00 a week for 20 weeks for a total of \$20.00 at sign up. The first drawing will take place on August 4th. Each week 2 winning numbers are drawn for a prize of \$25.00. On the twentieth week, eight numbers will be drawn. The first number will be the Grand Prize of \$250.00; 2nd number is \$100.00; the 3rd and 4th numbers will receive \$50.00 each and the next four numbers will each win \$25.00. Winners will receive their checks in the mail.

Members of the Ladies Guild will be at the church doors on the weekend of July 20/21st to assist in selecting your numbers. Please help support this fundraiser that benefits so many charities and the needs of our parish.

Calling all Altar Servers For the young and not so young ...



We would like to have more people take up the ministry of altar serving. It is an honor to serve at the Lord's table. Perhaps you are called to this ministry. Age is not a matter of consequence. We enjoy having the young (those who have received their 1st Eucharist) and the not so young, involved in this ministry. God calls us all to ministry.

A training session will take place on Saturday, **August 3rd at 3:00 pm in the church.** If you feel called to this ministry, please call the parish office at 424-3757 to let us know you will be attending the training.

The Longest Day Alzheimer's Association

On behalf of the nearly 50 volunteers comprising the NH Hot Dogz team, we would like to extend a heartfelt 'thank you' to everyone who came out in the rain on June 20th to attend our 4th annual Alzheimer's fundraiser. This year we sold 1120 dogz and donated 400 hot dogs and rolls to the St John Neumann Food Pantry. Due to everyone's generosity, thus far we have raised \$5,200 for the MA/NH Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. Donations are still being collected by our team through July 31st.

Online Giving



We are always looking for ways to be better stewards of the financial contributions you make. Online giving allows us to reduce administrative expenses and at the same time to offer parishioners a safe, secure and convenient way to manage your financial support. There are many benefits to online giving.

- * conveniently manage your weekly offering
- * start, stop and change your contributions at any time
- * set up recurring contributions or make a 1 time donation
- * help the parish streamline our cash flow

Please consider online giving by visiting our parish website at **www.olmnh.org** and selecting the Online Giving Link. If you need assistance, call the parish office at 424-3757.

Information Page

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Bulletin for July 21 & 28 , 2019

Kathy

NOTE: Beginning next weekend we will be publishing the bulletin every other week for the summer months. Please see the schedule listed below.

Weeks of July 21st and 28th will be submitted July 16th

Weeks of August 4 & 11 will be submitted July 30th

Weeks of August 18th and 25th submitted August 13th

Thank you!