

Holy Spirit Parish

JUNE 23, 2019

OUR PARISH CHURCHES

ST. MARY CHURCH

236 Eldridge Rd.
Wells, ME 04090
(207) 646-5605
FAX (207) 646-9437
Weekday Mass: 8 AM
Weekend Masses: Saturday 4 PM;
Sunday 7, 9, & 11 AM

ST. MARTHA CHURCH

30 Portland Rd.
Kennebunk ME 04043
(207) 985-6252
FAX (207) 985-7740
Weekday Mass: 9 AM
Weekend Masses: Saturday 4 PM;
Sunday 8 & 10 AM
*Confessions at both Churches
Saturdays 3-3:30 PM*

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

45 School St.
Ogunquit, ME 03907
Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:30 PM;
Sunday 8:30 & 10 AM

OUR PARISH STAFF

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GOSPEL MEDITATION



THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BREAD OF CHRIST

“They all ate and were satisfied.” Why read the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves this Sunday?

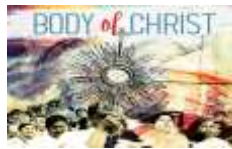
Here we see the mystery of our physical and spiritual realities intermingling. Too often, they can feel separate. When we go to Mass, how often we appear more ordinarily human rather than stretching toward the divine.

Perhaps our experience of the Eucharist is fairly mundane. We notice when a new sacramental wine has been selected. We feel the varying textures of the host and wonder if they'll ever bring back the one that tasted distinctly like wheat. As we shuffle up to the front and stride back to our pew, we notice the looks on people's faces and the clothes on their backs. We get distracted by the crying child, the man blowing his nose, and the mechanical sound of the air conditioner kicking in.

How human we are, how earth-bound, how material! And how good God is for entering into these self-same realities. How good God is for proclaiming "the kingdom of God," for "heal[ing] those who needed to be cured," for having mercy on a tired and hungry crowd. How many of the crowd noticed what had been done for them? Did they realize their dinner was a miracle? How often do we miss the deeper reality of the Eucharist? Even if, in the moment of receiving Communion, we don't experience radical ecstasy and don't feel any different, there is a tangible reality to cling to. Our God loves us enough to become bread for us; not only to feed us, but to be fed upon by us.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

Come and celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi this **Sunday, June 23.**



A Eucharistic procession will walk from St. Joseph's Church in Biddeford to Most Holy Trinity Church in Saco immediately after the 11 AM Mass. Adoration will continue at Most Holy Trinity throughout the afternoon. At 6 PM, a holy hour will take place, concluding with a procession of about a block to return the Eucharist to the Perpetual Adoration Chapel.



DURING THE SUMMER AT ST. MARY CHURCH IN WELLS, the Ministers of Communion of the Precious Blood are eliminated. However, there will be one cup at the back of the middle aisle for those who have a wheat allergy.

Statement from Bishop Deeley on Assisting Asylum Seekers in Portland



As our community works to welcome hundreds of asylum seekers to Portland, I wish to offer ways in which Maine residents who are looking to assist in the efforts can help. Please remember that these individuals and families are filled with anxiety and fear about what will happen to them. This time of grave difficulty for some of our brothers and sisters calls us to show our concern and solidarity, answering our baptismal call to serve the most vulnerable among us, regardless of whether they are American born or new arrivals.

To offer financial assistance:

- text "EXPO" to 91999;
- call (207) 775-7911;
- send a check to: City Manager's Office, Room 208, 389 Congress Street, Portland, ME, 04101 (write "support asylum seekers" in memo field)
- log onto www.portlandmaine.gov/1554/Support-Asylum-Seekers

Please join me in asking God to protect all new arrivals in their travels. May they find a loving and welcoming people in our country, and may our kindness and care make us worthy of the refuge we all find in the Lord.

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH FAIR

NOVEMBER 9 & 10

The following is a list of donation suggestions for the "booth of the week".



CRAFTS

home-made (*not store bought*):

blankets, hats, mittens, scarves, aprons, socks, etc.

(all are welcome to join the monthly crafts meetings at St. Martha in Kennebunk)

Other booths to be highlighted in coming weeks:

Christmas, Dishes, Jewelry, Linens, Toys, Baked Goods, Candies, Books

MASS INTENTIONS

THIS WEEKEND: June 22 & 23

- Saturday: 4:00 PM (K) Barbara & Bill Hennessy by Paul & Rachel Turnage
 4:00 PM (W) Adele Franceschini by her family
 5:30 PM (O) Jenny Huard by Gary Tirrell
 6:00 PM (W) Laurent & Albertine Vautour by David & Jacquie Cullen
- Sunday: 7:00 AM (W) Vicky & Harold Allen by Pat & Moe Maroney
 8:00 AM (K) Deceased members of the Knights of Columbus
 8:30 AM (O) Charlie Dahill by Sue & John Freeman
 9:00 AM (W) For our parishioners
 10:00 AM (K) Karl Soliman by the Luken Family
 10:00 AM (O) Bill Walsh by his wife
 11:00 AM (W) Rose & Edward Linehan by Minnie & Marie

WEEKDAYS: June 24-28

- Monday: 8:00 AM (W) Andrew Ross by Bill & Ida Neistorowich
 9:00 AM (K) Neil M. Gil by Al & Jean Whitaker
- Tuesday: 8:00 AM (W) Joseph Matthew Liguori by Vinny & Marie Liguori
 9:00 AM (K) Jack Mynehan by Bill & Mary Colombo
 10:30 AM Communion Service at Atria
- Wednesday: 8:00 AM (W) Fr. Claude Albert by Pat & Moe Maroney
 9:00 AM (K) Theresa Meader Judkins by the Tartre Family
- Thursday: 8:00 AM (W) Reginald & Estelle Willett by Cheryl & Fred Willett
 9:00 AM (K) Deceased members of the William P. Philipp Family
- Friday: 8:00 AM (W) Nicholas G. Samoras by Anne Noyes
 9:00 AM (K) Dung Nguyen by Phai Nguyen

NEXT WEEKEND: June 29 & 30

- Saturday: 4:00 PM (K) Frederick "Leroy" Bacon by Bill & Mary Colombo
 4:00 PM (W) Claire Lavender by Anne Boivin
 5:30 PM (O) Emma Mackiewicz by Joe & Kathleen Mackiewicz
 6:00 PM (W) Margaret O'Brien by Mary & George Goullard
- Sunday: 7:00 AM (W) For our parishioners
 8:00 AM (K) Ann Mazzola by Bob Convery
 8:30 AM (O) James Carlin by Peggy Carlin
 9:00 AM (W) Diane Wholey by her family
 10:00 AM (K) Michael Dempsey by the family
 10:00 AM (O) Mary Fitzsimons by Mary Walsh
 11:00 AM (W) Ron Cheney by his wife, Deb

Location Key: (K) St. Martha, Kennebunk
 (O) All Saints, Ogunquit
 (W) St. Mary, Wells

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

June 29 & 30

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| 4:00 PM | St. Martha (K) | Fr. Manship |
| 4:00 PM | St. Mary (W) | Fr. Morse |
| 5:30 PM | All Saints (O) | Fr. Mellone |
| 6:00 PM | St. Mary (W) | Msgr. Sniezyk |
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| 7:00 AM | St. Mary (W) | Msgr. Murphy |
| 8:00 AM | St. Martha (K) | Fr. Morse |
| 8:30 AM | All Saints (O) | Fr. Blanchfield |
| 9:00 AM | St. Mary (W) | Msgr. Murphy |
| 10:00 AM | St. Martha (K) | Fr. Morse |
| 10:00 AM | All Saints (O) | Fr. Blanchfield |
| 11:00 AM | St. Mary (W) | Msgr. Sniezyk |

Schedule subject to change.

*Reconciliation on Saturdays
 3-3:30 PM at St. Martha & St. Mary*

SACRAMENTS

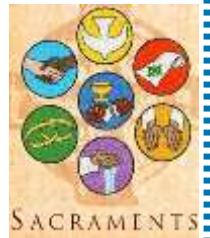
BAPTISM: To register, call Diane O'Neil at (207) 646-5605.

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays, 3-3:30 PM (or upon request), at both St. Martha and St. Mary Churches.

MATRIMONY: Please contact the pastor six months prior to the desired wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Please call anytime. If you know that you will be admitted to the hospital, please call the office to make arrangements to receive the Sacrament after a daily or Sunday Mass. Please advise the office when a parishioner is hospitalized.

For more information, or to make an appointment for any sacrament, please call the office at 207-646-5605.



The sanctuary lamp at St. Martha's burns for health & blessings upon Alfred C. Rondon by the Kindler Family.

The flowers at the St. Mary's altar are in loving memory of Adele Franceschini by her family.



THE WEEK AHEAD

June 23-30

ST. MARTHA CHURCH

Sunday: S Anon - 7 PM
 Monday: Centering Prayer - 9:30 AM & 6 PM
 Tuesday: Cursillo - 4 PM
 Wednesday: Weight Watchers
 Thursday: Faith Sharing - 7 PM
 Friday: Produce Pantry
 Saturday: Reconciliation - 3 PM
 Sunday: S Anon - 7 PM

ST. MARY CHURCH

Sunday: Catholic Leadership - 1-5 PM
 Monday: *Have a Great Day!*
 Tuesday: Bereavement Quilting - 9 AM
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 Wednesday: Bible Study (Proverbs) - 10 AM
 Spiritual Study Group - 7 PM
 Thursday: Food Pantry - 1 PM
 Friday: Office closes - 12 Noon
 AA - 7:30 PM
 Saturday: AA - 8 AM
 Reconciliation - 3 PM
 Sunday: *Have a Great Day!*

THOSE SEEKING TO JOIN THE CHURCH OR WANTING TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, call Rosanne Smith at 207-985-6252.

Prayer Line Requests may be made to Aline Saunders at 207-985-9214 or alinesaunders@roadrunner.com

HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS wishing to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion at home, please call the office at 646-5605.



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Devan Philips & Joseph Magalski
 June 30 @ 2 PM (Kennebunk)

ST. MARTHA'S COMMUNITY PANTRY NEEDS: beef stew, tuna fish, macaroni & cheese, spaghetti, spaghetti sauce.

ST. MARY'S ECUMENICAL FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: jelly, fruit juices, jello, coffee, canned meats, baked beans.



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WEEKLY OFFERTORY REPORT

June 8 & 9

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| Collection | \$ | 14,783.00 |
| We Share (43) | \$ | 1,321.50 |
| Total Offertory | \$ | 16,104.50 |
| Tithe | \$ | 1,127.31 |
| Envelopes (320) | \$ | 6,751.05 |
| Loose | \$ | 8,031.95 |

Church Floor Fund

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| Collection | \$ | 4,105.00 |
| Envelopes (193) | \$ | 2,832.05 |
| Loose | \$ | 1,272.95 |

This weekend's second collection will be for the ***Catholic Communications Campaign.***

2019 HOLY SPIRIT PARISH CATHOLIC APPEAL



AS OF JUNE 13, 2019:

Total - \$51,807
 Goal - \$124,301
 % Goal - 42%



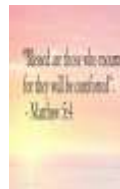
In addition to your regular weekly offering, you may donate to *special collections* through **WE SHARE.**

How to create your We Share account:

1. Visit holyspiritme.org and click Give Online.
2. Click on the collection to which you'd like to donate.
3. Click Recurring Donation; enter your donation amount and frequency.

Thank you for your ongoing generosity!

BEREAVEMENT QUILTING GROUP



Tuesdays at 9 AM, upstairs at St. Mary's. Newcomers and beginner quilters are welcome. For more information, contact Carol Varano at (508) 801-2054, or just show up!

Bulletin insert requests must be submitted by Friday at noon (**7 days prior to the weekend for which being requested**). E-mail Mark Reeth at mark.reeth@portlanddiocese.org.





CHOOSE LIFE

The Holy Spirit Knights of Columbus Councils of Wells #9782 and Kennebunk #12033 continue their annual baby bottle drive. Bottles are available for pick-up in the narthex of each church. Please fill the bottles with change, bills, or checks (made out to K of C), and return them before Mass to the drop-off boxes. Empty bottles will be available to continue the process. All proceeds will be given to Pregnancy Resource Centers with priority given to those who are fund-raising for an ultrasound machine. The organization is a non-profit corporation of volunteers who want to help solve the problems of an unplanned pregnancy and plan a meaningful life. The PRC services are free, confidential, and provided with love and care.

The Holy Spirit Prayer Shawl Ministry

There are shawls available for anyone in need of the comfort that one would provide.

For more information, please call Sue at 646-8217 or Verna at 646-4543.



CENTERING PRAYER

The Centering Prayer groups meet at St. Martha Church in Kennebunk on every Monday at 9:30 AM and 6:00 PM, . FMI, contact Deacon Darrell at 207-467-0957 or doxieduo@maine.rr.com.

THE RECOVERY PRAYER GROUP FOR THE OPIATE CRISIS

Meets at St. Mary's, 5:30-6:30 PM, the first & third Mondays of every month.

FMI: Cornelia Stockman at 207-468-4586 or Leona Regan-Dolan at 508-308-4819.



Youth Ministry Matthew 25:35 Meal

The Matthew 25:35 Meals put on by the youth ministries of both Holy Spirit and St. Therese of Liseux Parishes are served monthly, every second Tuesday at St. Ignatius Church Hall in Sanford, 5:30-6:30 PM.



To support this community meal project, gift cards to Hannaford, Walmart, or Shield's Meats in Kennebunk, are welcome. All donations should be labeled "youth ministry" and dropped off at either church site. Prayers for volunteers and guests are also appreciated! If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Houston at 985-6252, 646-5605 or at carolyn.houston@portlanddiocese.org.

MATTHEW 25: 36

"I WAS IN PRISON AND YOU VISITED ME."



Kairos, an international, ecumenical ministry, is a volunteer organization; it consists of outreach by lay men and women who take the message of the gospel to incarcerated men, women, and

youth. Established in the mid-1960s, Kairos has ministered to prisoners in over 10 countries and all 50 states. Kairos in Maine, established in 1997, takes God's love to the Maine State Prison. Men and women have introduced Jesus Christ and His message of love and forgiveness to over 1,000 inmates there. October 11-14, 2019, Kairos weekend #36 will take place in Warren, Maine. As Christians, God calls us to serve the poor, the sick, and the imprisoned in some capacity. We are requesting your help through prayers, letters of encouragement, and monetary support.

Please sign up in the church narthex. Donations, agape, and prayer sign-up must be turned in by October 9 at 12 Noon. For more information, please contact Leo Tetreault at 207-310-8669. Thank you!



ROAR! VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Registration is open for this summer's week of fun and faith at ROAR! Vacation Bible school. "VBS" will be held August 12-16 (9:30 AM-12:30 PM) at St. Martha in Kennebunk. It is for children ages four and up and is free for children of VBS leaders.



Holy Spirit Parish Subsidy Applications for Catholic Grammar School and High School Education

Applications are available for parishioners using budget envelopes. All applications must be submitted by **July 1**.

We are celebrating the 26th anniversary of the annual 2-Cent Sale and raffles on Friday, July 5. The net proceeds will go toward scholarships for Holy Spirit parishioners who are high-school graduates and are beginning studies at institutions of higher learning. Raffle tickets for the Patriots home-opener game and ring ceremony on September 8, the Red Sox vs. the Yankees game on July 25, four Adirondack chairs, and a 90-minute helicopter ride are now on sale in the narthexes of both St. Mary's and St. Martha's on weekends.



The Holy Spirit Parish Cash Calendar will begin the first weekend in July and run through the end of August. Daily cash prizes will be drawn in the month of September.

After a successful debut summer that saw over 400 teens and children participate, "Totus Tuus" is expanding to 10 locations throughout Maine in 2019. "Totus Tuus," taken from the episcopal motto of Pope Saint John Paul II, means "Totally Yours." The mission of the weeklong program is to inspire in young people, from grades 1 through 12, a true longing for holiness. The program is organized by the Diocese of Portland's Office of Vocations. Each session will be led by diocesan seminarians and college students. "Totus Tuus" features daily Mass, prayer such as the rosary and the Angelus, classroom teaching, lunch, music, games, and more. It will take place at St. Thérèse of Lisieux Parish in Sanford, **July 7-12**. Visit www.portlanddiocese.org/vocations/register-totus-tuus. To stay up to date on the latest "Totus Tuus" news in Maine, visit www.facebook.com/totustuusmaine.



Upcoming Vocations Events

ANNUAL KATAHDIN HIKE (18+)
~ July 12-14 (Friday-Sunday) ~

Gathering will take place on Friday evening, July 12, at the parish in Milinocket, and the night will be spent at the parish hall. There will be early rise on Saturday and a full day of hiking, hopefully up the Cathedral Trail, over Knife Edge, and down Helon "Torture" (Taylor). Note: one needs to be in decent shape in order to do this; it's the most strenuous way up the mountain and Knife's Edge is not for the "faint of heart". Please register online by the end of June: <https://forms.gle/g5Gw4Zh9JYUH6u1r7>

MEN'S SUMMER DAY OF REFLECTION AND PRAYER (18-55)
~ Sunday, August 18 ~
Franciscan Monastery and Retreat Center Kennebunk, ME

This will be a discernment day of recollection for men, ages 18-55, who are serious about their faith and open to the call to the priesthood. The day will begin at 9 AM and conclude with dinner at Federal Jack's in Kennebunkport at about 6:30 PM. Priests from the area will be assisting during the day, which will include Mass, some talks, a holy hour, and the opportunity to receive the sacrament of reconciliation. Please register online by the end July. <https://forms.gle/9e3skjxgry8VWEoe>

Cursillo Maine invites you to ongoing conversion in Christ. Join us for weekly small group on Tuesdays at 4 PM, and our monthly Ultreya (Onward!), the second Saturday of each month at 10 AM (from September to June). Both meet in the conference room at St. Martha. There will be a women's 3-Day Cursillo (short course in Christianity) in Winthrop, September 19-22. A men's weekend will be scheduled upon receipt of applications. For those who want to live a Cursillo weekend again, join us for "ReCursillo", October 24 -27. FMI, go to www.mainecursillo.org or Kat Boucher at lkmb@roadrunner.com, or 207-216-7839.

