

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 21, 2018

UNITED HEARTS PARISH PRAYER LINE

The number to call for prayer requests, or if you wish to pray with us, is 622-2094.

SPECIAL RELIEF COLLECTION FOR 2018 DISASTERS

We will be taking up a special collection the weekend of **October 27-28** in response to the recent devastation caused by Hurricane Florence. In anticipation of more calamities awaiting us this year, this collection will also be used to provide relief from possible future disasters. If paying by check, please make it payable to "St. Catherine of Siena – 2018 Disasters Emergency Collection." Thank you for your generosity.

DAY OF ENRICHMENT

A Day of Enrichment is being sponsored by the Sisters of Mercy, Holy Cross, Presentation of Mary and the Daughters of Charity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on Saturday, **October 27** from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Holy Cross Center 357 Island Pond Rd. Manchester. Father Dan Groody, a Holy Cross religious, scholar, teacher, film producer and Assistant Professor of Theology at the University of Holy Cross is presenting "Dying to Live: Migration and Theology". Fr. Dan explores the factors that force people in these times to leave home in search of safety and peace. Suggested offering is \$15. Coffee & munchies are available. Please join us on this timely issue.

SLICE OF THE PIE WINNERS

Congratulations to our newest Slice of the Pie winners:



Pauline Charpentier and Stacy DiBurro-Skatsas. They each won \$150!

ANNUAL SOCK DRIVE

St. Catherine's Women's Organization is hosting their Annual Sock Drive on the weekend of **November 3-4**. Please bring adult, teen and children's warm socks (no ankle socks please) to the church basement before or after all masses that weekend. Underwear for all ages is also needed. Some of the organizations benefiting from your donations are Sister Irene Marie's ministry for the immigrant population, New Horizons, Teen Center, inner-city schools and others. Last year we donated 1,721 pairs of socks and underwear. Thank you so much for your donations

2018-2019 ST. ANDREW DINNERS

St. Andrew was the first of the Apostles to hear Jesus' call to follow him. We would like to invite men in our diocese who are considering a vocation to the priesthood or would simply like some help hearing the Lord's call for their life, to an evening of prayer, conversation with the Vocations Team, and dinner. These evenings will take place for different age groups on Fridays from 6-8 pm. At the Joseph House (279 Cartier St., Manchester). Please RSVP to Becky Vinson at rvinson@rcbm.org or 663-0153 if you would like to attend.

November 2: Older Men, age 25+

February 8: High School, age 14-18

February 15: Young Men, age 19-24

February 22: Older Men, age 25+

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION

Archbishop Fulton Sheen spent an hour before the Blessed Sacrament each day, which he called his "Hour of Power." He was inspired to do this because of the courage of a young Chinese girl who, after the Communist take-over, secretly entered a Catholic church where 30 hosts had been thrown on the floor. Each day she crawled into the church and picked up a host with her tongue. On the last day, as she was leaving, a guard saw her and killed her. Bishop Sheen was very moved by her courage. **Every Wednesday** from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. the Blessed Sacrament is on the altar at St. Catherine Church. You are invited to take some time for peace and quiet, to find strength to face daily challenges, and to thank the Lord for his many blessings and constant love.

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS CARDS

The Knights will begin selling Keep Christ in Christmas holiday cards **next weekend** before and after all the Masses. The sale will go on until the end of November.

MOM'S GROUP EVENT

St. Catherine's Mom's Group is having a family friendly party to celebrate the fall season on Friday **October 26** from 5-7pm in the church basement. We'll have games, crafts, and pizza for dinner. Family friendly Halloween costumes are welcome. Please rsvp on the Mom's Group Facebook page, or to Juliana MacLeod at juliana.macleod@gmail.com so we have enough food and supplies for everyone. Hope to see you there!



FAITH FORMATION: FROM NOTHING TO COSMOS

This graphically rich series of lectures by Father Robert Spitzer is both educational and entertaining. Fr. Spitzer looks at proofs for God's existence from science and philosophy, examines studies showing life after death is probable, and covers thought provoking topics like evolution, the Bible, and aliens. Tuesdays at 7p.m. in the parish hall. **October 30, November 6, November 13, November 20.**

BIBLE STUDY: PAUL'S LETTER TO THE ROMANS

Of all the letters of Paul, that to the Christians at Rome has long held pride of place. It is the longest and most systematic unfolding of the apostle's thought, expounding the gospel of God's righteousness that saves all who believe ([Rom 1:16-17](#)); it reflects a universal outlook, with special implications for Israel's relation to the church ([Rom 9-11](#)). Paul's Letter to the Romans is a powerful exposition of the doctrine of the supremacy of Christ and of faith in Christ as the source of salvation. It is an implicit plea to the Christians at Rome, and to all Christians, to hold fast to that faith. Thursday nights at 7p.m. in the parish hall. **November 1, 8, 15, 29.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT October 13/14, 2018	
Checks:	\$ 5,160.00
Cash:	\$ 2,892.00
E-Give:	\$ 1,320.00
Total:	\$ 9,372.00

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BAKE SALE OCTOBER 27-28

A bake sale benefiting Frontotemporal Degeneration (FTD) will take place in the Gathering Space next weekend, **October 27-28** after all the Masses in the Gathering Space. Along with delicious edibles will be literature concerning FTD. Please stop by.

JESUS WAS BORN IN A SHELTER

The box at the main entrance of the church is to collect items for those who live in shelters in Manchester. Needs for **October** include: New or gently-used Halloween Costumes, 13 gallon trash cans with lids/bags, mops, shower curtains and liners, Tide Pods Laundry Detergent.



<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>OCTOBER 20</u>
3:00	RECITATION OF THE ROSARY
4:00	HELEN & JOHN MCCORMACK by the DesRochers Family GENEVIEVE ROZMUS by Jay Rozmus DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE HUPPE FAMILY by George & Priscilla Huppe LUCILLE GRZYMKOWSKI by Phyllis & George Sylvester
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>OCTOBER 21</u>
7:30	JUDY PRATTE by M/M Robert Cyr ROBERT JOHN FINNELL by Bernice Gorczakowski
9:00	EDMOND BOULANGER by the family DORIS GRYVAL by the family BENJAMIN CHESTER MENDER, WANDA SEMARAU, JOHN KESTNER, & BETTY KESTNER by the Seiger Family WILLIAM NASTA by the family BUTCH LAVIGNE by the Parish Choir
11:00	PAULINE ST. GELAIS by Cindy & Denis Lemay

MONDAY-FRIDAY - Morning Prayer 8:30 a.m.

<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>OCTOBER 22</u> ST. JOHN PAUL II, Pope FR. MARC MONTMINY
<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>OCTOBER 23</u> ST. JOHN OF CAPISTRANO, Priest IN HONOR OF THE BLESSED MOTHER
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>OCTOBER 24</u> ST. ANTHONY MARY CLARET, Bishop RYAN SINOTTE by the Kirby/Stankiewicz Family FR. PAUL MONTMINY by Pauly & Bob Hamel
9:30 - 5 p.m. ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	
<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>OCTOBER 25</u> DORIS TROTTA by AJ & Therese (3 rd Anniv.)
<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>OCTOBER 27</u> RECITATION OF THE ROSARY CONRAD BERNIER by the family JOHN CRESTA by Margaret Cresta ARTHUR F. NORTON by Dick & Fredda Miles WILLIAM FOYE by his wife & daughters (2 nd Anniv.) LUCILLE GRZYMKOWSKI by Irene Lohnes LOUIS LOHNES by Irene Lohnes & children PATRICIA ARLENE BERGERON by her son, Dan and family
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>OCTOBER 28</u> DAVID J. ROYER, SR. by the family BENJAMIN CHESTER MENDER, WANDA SEMARAU, JON KESTNER & BETTY KESTNER by the Seiger Family DIANE SOUCY by the family
11:00	CLAIRE ST. GELAIS by Denis & Cindy Lemay

ST. CATHERINE SCHOOL NEWS

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

The following after school clubs are now being offered at SCS: Arts & Crafts, Drama, Beading/Jewelry, Chess, Dance, and Robotics.

SCS SCHOOL SIGNS

Would you be interested in sharing your St. Catherine's school spirit in your front yard? Please let us know if you would be willing to display a yard sign!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Mark your calendars for the St. Catherine of Siena Annual Auction. This year, the auction will be held on **Saturday, April 13.**

KNITTING RETREAT

Grace Episcopal Church, 106 Lowel St., Manchester invites you to a Knitting Retreat on Saturday, **October 27** from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will also be a yarn and knitting needle exchange. Bring whatever projects you are working on, as well as any finished items you would like to share. Any questions, or to register for this event, please email Linda at douglas.chamberlain@comcast.net or Karen at kncwest@gmail.com, or call 603-505-6401. A light lunch of soup and bread will be served.

ST. ANSELM COLLEGE RAKING FUNDRAISER

St. Anselm College is raising money to support the 240+ students going on 19 different service trips this year by running a leaf raking program. The charge is \$50/hr and most yards take 1-2 hours. The available dates are **November 3, November 10-11, and November 17-18.** To schedule or if you have any questions, please call Riley Casey at 641-7276 or email her at rcasey@anselm.edu.



KEEP KIDS SAFE – BOUNDARIES IN MINISTRY

Boundaries are limits—lines in relationships that should not be crossed. Maintaining boundaries protects minors as well as adults. Adults can maintain clear boundaries with minors by:

- Expressing affection in appropriate ways
- Communicating carefully
- Using technology safely

We will examine each of these areas in more detail in upcoming announcements. For more information about child safety, visit: www.catholicnh.org/safety

CMC PARISH NURSE NEWS

The Parish Nurse is at St. Catherine Church Hall every Wednesday from 11 a.m. to Noon.

FREE FLU CLINIC

For uninsured or underinsured:

Every Tuesday in October at First United Methodist Church from 8:30-10

Please call 603-622-8004 to register for above classes.

ONGOING PROGRAMS

CHAIR EXERCISE CLASSES (FREE)

Wednesdays at Congregation Church of Goffstown, 10

Thursdays at Transfiguration, 9:30

KNITTING GROUP

Tuesdays at Transfiguration, 1 – 2:45

WALKING GROUPS (FREE)

Tuesdays at Transfiguration, 9:30

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

Sunday, October 21: Hosting Coffee & Donuts

Sunday, October 21: Movie night and nachos

Sunday, October 28: Making and decorating Halloween cookies, games, ziti

Sunday, November 4: Prayer service for veterans, service project for veterans and sandwiches

Sunday, November 11: Movie night

Sunday, November 18: Join us to help host Coffee & Donuts

Sunday, November 18: Thanksgiving dinner. Mrs. Brockway will provide the turkey. What will you bring?

Sunday, November 25: This is a paint night. We will show you how to paint a canvas with step by step instructions, or you can paint what you want. We will have finger food.

Sunday, December 2: Welcome to the beginning of Advent! Short prayer service, games, and plans, too.

Sunday, December 9: Movie night

HOLY FAMILY ACADEMY OPEN HOUSE

Holy Family Academy will be holding an Open House on Thursday, **October 25** from 4 – 5:30 p.m. Visitors will have the opportunity to meet students, tour the school, and observe sample classes with the faculty. To register, please visit www.holyfamilyacademy.org or call 644-7247.

THANK YOU FROM WOMEN'S GROUP

The Women's Group would like to offer heartfelt thanks to all who contributed to and supported the Fall Bake Sale. The group made \$1,034.50! Your generosity is greatly appreciated.