

16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 21, 2019

THE UNITED HEARTS PARISH PRAYER LINE

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

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT WEEKEND SEMINAR

Join us the weekend of **August 23-25** for a wonderful time of renewal, empowerment and joy of the Holy Spirit! This weekend seminar will help deepen or establish a relationship with Jesus, empower and renew the sacramental graces of Baptism and Confirmation, and provide an opportunity to experience the life-changing love of God! Begins at 6:30 pm on Friday and runs through 12:30 pm on Sunday. Cost of the weekend is \$25 and includes all light meals and materials needed for the seminar. For more information call Doreen Duquette at 216-4186. To register online, please visit <https://saintcatherineparishnh.com/spirit>

WOMEN OF ANGELUS

Formed under the leadership of Bishop Leo O Neill, the Women of the Angelus have been meeting each month at Joseph House since 1997. We pray for priests, seminarians and for vocations. We invite you to join us in lifting up our priests in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. Come and pray with us at Joseph House, 279 Cartier Street, Manchester, from 6-7:30 PM every 3rd Monday (The next two third Mondays are **August 19**, and **September 16**. For more information: 603-391-6424.

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION

The adoration of the Blessed Sacrament offers us the opportunity to break through our daily routine and pause a while in the presence of Our Lord. **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. Especially needed at this time are adorers on a regular basis and also substitutes. If you are interested, please call Bunny Donelson at 867-4033.

SLICE OF THE PIE WINNERS

Congratulations to Madeleine & Dennis Cleland, and Susan and Roger Duhaime. They are our newest \$250 Slice of the Pie winners!



PART TIME JOB OPPORTUNITIES

- 1) Saint Kathryn Parish, 4 Dracut Road, Hudson, NH, seeks an organized, efficient, and handy individual for a 20-hour maintenance position. Responsibilities include minor and preventive repairs on facility structures (light carpentry, masonry, electrical, plumbing); determining the need and taking quotes for projects beyond in-house capabilities; inventory and requesting of janitorial supplies and materials; administering schedules and inspections for the heating, air conditioning, electrical, plumbing, elevator, and other systems; supporting grounds upkeep with direction from the Grounds Manager. Please contact Charlene.maniotis@stkathryns.org or 603.882.7793 to apply.
- 2) The Diocese of Manchester is seeking part time presenters and part time hospitality coordinators for our **Engaged Couples Weekends** in the following regions: The Seacoast area, Greater Manchester/Nashua area, Western NH, and Northern NH areas. These positions will collaborate to lead positive, formative weekend experiences for engaged couples based on Ascension Press' *Joy-Filled Marriage* program. These workshops will take place on various weekends throughout the year. Couples married at least five years are encouraged to apply. Training will be offered for these openings. If you are interested in applying please send your resume to Chris Hagen at chagen@rcbm.org as soon as possible. Please visit the following link for more information and the full job descriptions: <https://www.catholicnh.org/employment>

QUO VADIS DAY CAMPS

Do you know where your life is going? The Lord Jesus has a great plan for you! High school age young men (ages 14-18) are invited to attend our upcoming vocations camp to look at the Lord's call in your life while having lots of fun from **August 5-9**. This overnight camp will be held at Northeast Catholic College in Warner and is led by the priests and seminarians of the diocese. The camp includes a full schedule of hiking, swimming, canoeing, sports and games, daily Mass and prayer, and opportunities to grow in friendship with the Lord and with each other. The cost is only \$50 and financial aid is available. For more information or to register, please contact Becky Vinson in the Vocations Office at rvinson@rcbm.org or 603-663-0153 or visit liveinblackandwhite.com.

THE RESURRECTION OF THE SON OF GOD

How do we know that Jesus was actually raised from the dead in bodily form? This course with Prof. N.T. Wright, *The Resurrection of the Son of God*, examines the extraordinary claim that Jesus of Nazareth was raised from the dead in a bodily fashion to appear in person to people after his cruel death, crucifixion, and entombment. This journey will look at the ancient world's understanding of the afterlife from Jewish and Greek perspectives along with the implications of their understandings as it relates to the early Christian claim of the bodily resurrection of Jesus. New Testament documents will then be examined for broader understanding of resurrection generally as well as for specific information as it relates to the claim that Jesus was raised from the dead in bodily form. This course will meet for eight sessions, ending Tuesday, **August 6**.

FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT

July 13/14, 2019

Checks: \$ 5,346.00

Cash: \$ 2,190.00

E-Give: \$ 1,382.00

Total: \$ 8,918.00

Average June Weekly Collection: \$10,741.41

Budgeted Weekly Collection: \$10,600

AWAY FOR THE SUMMER?

Please don't forget your parish if you are away anytime this summer. This is a great time to think about electronic giving! You can sign up for e-Give through the parish website.

MASSES FOR THE DECEASED

It is a Catholic practice to have Masses said for the deceased. They have infinite value for the souls of the departed and bring comfort to those who survive their departed loved ones. You may arrange to have a mass said by calling the office at 622-4966.

7:30 MASS

During the summer months, the 7:30 Mass will be more contemplative with no music.

JESUS WAS BORN IN A SHELTER

The box at the main entrance of the church is to collect items for those who are in need of the food pantry at the Parish of Transfiguration. Needs include: non-perishable food items, and personal care products.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

If anyone is interested in becoming Catholic, or if you know of anyone who is interested, please contact Derick Alexandre at 232-7213, or Norine Calvano at 540-7512.

THIS WEEKEND'S GOSPEL: Luke 10:38-42

Jesus was welcomed into the home of a woman named Martha. She complained to Jesus that her sister Mary sat listening to him instead of helping with the tasks of entertaining. Jesus told Martha that her sister had chosen the more important task, and should be allowed to listen.



<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>JULY 20</u>
4:00	SANDRA ANN LAVERN SHAWCROSS PAUL GAMACHE
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>JULY 21</u>
7:30	PAUL GRIGNON by his wife (1 st Anniv.)
9:00	ROBERT J. KIRBY by the family SONIA SOLOGUREN de BRAZZINI by the family
11:00	THOMAS & ELISE KELLEY by their daughter, Gloria DAVID ST. CYR by the Lemay Family

MONDAY – THURSDAY – Morning Prayer 8:30 am

<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>JULY 22</u>
9:00	ST. MARY MAGDELINE MADELINE SWIST MARLENE SARLO by Jean Shea Hebert
<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>JULY 23</u>
9:00	ST. BRIDGET, Religious PAUL ROY by his sisters
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>JULY 24</u>
9:00	ST. SHARBEL MAKHLUF, Priest SIGNE MCQUAID
9:30 – 5 p.m. ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	
<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>JULY 25</u>
9:00	ST. JAMES, Apostle ELPHEGE ROY by his daughter, Claudette
<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>JULY 27</u>
4:00	JOHN CRESTA by Margaret Cresta PATRICE ARLENE BERGERON by Jean Hebert
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>JULY 2</u>
7:30	DAVID J. ROYER, SR. by the family
9:00	DIANE SOUCY by the family JEAN LAMBERT by the family
11:00	THERESA TROSKI by her daughter, Janet
TABERNACLE CANDLE THIS WEEK IS FOR THE SOUL OF SIGNE MCQUAID	

PRAYING ON PENNACOOK STREET

At 1:30 p.m. a woman left Planned Parenthood and looked at the large picture of an ultrasound at nine weeks on the sidewalk. She showed sidewalk counselors the ultrasound she just had at PP, and compared the image to their sign. Then she said, "I'm not having an abortion!" She has an infant and is struggling to provide for herself and her baby. Counselors told her about all the resources available one block away at the Pennacook Pregnancy Center. She decided to go to the Center and was very happy to get a stroller she desperately needed. She is now connected with resources available to assist her with caring for her baby and her needs during and after her pregnancy. For more information about the Center, or to make a donation, call (603) 206-5306 or email staff@pennacookpregnancy.org.

ST CATHERINE SCHOOL NEWS

CAMP SIENA

If you would like your child to attend Camp Siena this summer, please make sure to complete the registration. We plan staffing based on the number of completed registrations. Thank you!

SCHOOL SUBSIDY REQUIREMENTS

For parents who wish to receive a parish subsidy for school tuition to a Catholic elementary, middle, or high school, there are three requirements that **MUST** be met: 1) registration in a parish or mission; 2) contributor of record in a parish or mission; 3) active participation in the life of a parish or mission. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

KEEP KIDS SAFE: TECHNOLOGY TIPS: INSTAGRAM

Instagram is a popular photo sharing app; it is the number one social media platform used by teens. Here are some tips for parents whose children want to use Instagram:

- Instagram states that users should be at least 13 years old
- Private accounts are safer because the user has to approve follower requests
- Advise children not to share photos of friends without their permission
- Remind children to only post appropriate photos and comments
- Be aware the in-app private messaging can occur
- Consider obtaining your own account to understand how Instagram works

For more information about child safety, visit www.catholicnh.org/safety.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Summer is around the corner and we at St. Catherine of Siena Parish, are planning an exciting VBS adventure for your kids! Are you looking for a safe, friendly, and fun



environment for your kids? Then sign up today for Christmas in August VBS! This fun-filled vacation Bible school is for

everyone between the ages of 4 years old and grade 5. The adventure begins Monday, **August 19** and continues through Friday, **August 23**. Sessions fun from 9:00 AM until 12:00 noon. For registration information contact Lisa Daugherty at yff@scsnh.com or visit our website.

MASS TIMES NATIONWIDE

Nationwide Mass times and locations may be found online at www.Masstimes.org or call 1-800-627-7846.

CMC PARISH NURSE NEWS

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

ONGOING PROGRAMS

CHAIR EXERCISE CLASSES (FREE)

Tuesdays at St. Elizabeth Seton, Bedford, 9

Wednesdays at Congregation Church of Goffstown, 10

Thursdays at Transfiguration, 9:30

KNITTING GROUP

Tuesdays at Transfiguration, 1 – 2:45

SHINE

A senior support group offering sociability, education, nutritious food and exercise.

Wednesdays at St. Matthews Episcopal, Goffstown, 10:30-11:45

WALKING GROUPS (FREE)

Tuesdays at Transfiguration, 9:30

MERIT SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2019-2020

Holy Family Academy, nationally recognized School of Excellence, is awarding four Merit Scholarships for the 2019-2020 school year. Scholarships will be renewed each year providing students remains in good standing. Interested students should submit application materials to Holy Family Academy as soon as possible. Completed application packets must include an application, essay, a teacher recommendation, and grades from the 2018-2019 school year. Completed packets will be review upon submission. Holy Family Academy is a private Catholic School teaching in the Classical Tradition.

- **We embrace our Catholic Identity with daily mass, prayer that permeates the day, and Scripture and Theology classes.**
- **We strive for Academic Excellence by offering a Great Books-based curriculum, Latin, participation in the NH Science Expo, Senior Thesis, and four college credit courses.**
- **We achieve Affordability through generous merit scholarships and financial aid.** Apply online at www.holyfamilyacademy.org. Please feel free to call the office Tuesdays or Thursdays from 9:00am – 1:00pm for further information or to make an appointment to tour the school.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Are you anxious and worried about many things? Learn how to make Jesus a part of your marriage and take your worries away by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are September 14-15 in Medway, MA and October 18-20 in Laconia, NH. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>.