

SAINTS MARY AND JOSEPH PARISH (All Area Codes are 603 unless noted.)

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PARISH CALENDAR

SUNDAY, October 14	10:45AM-1:00PM	REL ED GAP Mass and Meeting	MQP-Church
	2:30-4:00PM	REL ED Middle School Option C	SJ-St. Julie Hall
	5:00-6:45PM	REL ED Emmaus Experience Option 1	SJ-St. Julie Hall
	7:00-8:30PM	Exploring the Catholic Faith	SJ-Family Room
MONDAY, October 15	4:00-5:15PM	REL ED Grades 1-4	MQP-Classrooms
	6:00-7:30PM	REL ED Middle School Option A	MQP-Hall
	7:00-9:00PM	RCIA	SJ-St. Julie Hall
TUESDAY, October 16	10:00AM	Bible Study	MQP-Emmaus Rm
	12:30-3:30PM	Saints Mary & Joseph Quilters	SJ-St. Julie Hall
	4:00-5:15PM	REL ED Grades 1-4	MQP-Classrooms
	6:00-7:45PM	REL ED Emmaus Experience Option 2	SJ-Family Room
	6:00-7:15PM	REL ED Grade 5	MQP-Classrooms
	7:30-9:00PM	Al-Anon	SJ-St. Julie Hall
WEDNESDAY, October 17	4:00-5:15PM	REL ED-Grades 1-4	MQP-Classrooms
	8:00-9:00PM	AA	MQP-Hall
THURSDAY, October 18	1:00-2:30PM	Prayer Shawl Group	MQP-Emmaus Rm
	6:15-6:45PM	Children's Choir	MQP-Church
	7:15PM	Finance Council	MQP-Conf. Room
	7:15-9:00PM	Adult Choir	MQP-Church
	7:00-8:30PM	Bereavement Group	SJ-St. Julie Hall
FRIDAY, October 19	6:00PM-Noon on Saturday	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION	SJ-St. Julie Hall
SATURDAY, October 20	8:00-9:30AM	Bible Study	SJ-Family Room
	8:30AM-1:00PM	Eucharistic Minister Training	SJ-Church
	4:15PM	REL ED GAP-Mass followed by Meeting	SJ-Ch & Fam Rm



ALL SOULS DAY

The annual All Souls Day Mass at **SJ** is planned for **Friday, November 2 at 7:00PM**. All parishioners are encouraged to come in loving support for those who lost loved ones during the year. All Souls Day envelopes are available at the Church exits to list your loved ones' names. These envelopes will be left in the sanctuary and the names listed will be prayed for during November. You may place your All Souls envelope in with the offertory or bring it to the Parish Office.

CONSCIENCE AND YOUR VOTE PRESENTATION

Information Session at St. Luke Evangelist Church
8 Atkinson Depot Road, Plaistow, NH
Thursday, October 18, at 7:00PM

Meredith Cook, Director of Public Policy for the Diocese of Manchester, will talk about Catholic teaching, today's pressing issues, and methods to become an educated voter. Coffee and dessert will be served. Please call Gayle Wencis at 362-5783 for more information.

Question of the Week: *What must I "go, sell, give" if I would "come, follow" Jesus in fully committed discipleship?*

UNEMPLOYMENT SUPPORT GROUP

**St. Anne Parish,
26 Emerson Avenue
Hampstead, NH**

It meets every two weeks on Mondays from 7:00-8:30PM. **The next meeting date is October 15.** If you are unemployed and would like to update your resume, practice interviewing, learn about job search tips, or share with others who know your situation, please join the group. For more information: Deacon Bill Mullen 329-5886 or Judy Nelson 893-1971. If you are an employer who is looking to hire, please contact Bill or Judy at the above numbers. Please network with us.

PADRE DONAHUE TO VISIT



Padre Donahue, the priest the Honduran Mission team works with in Honduras, will be visiting New England and Saints Mary and Joseph Parish the weekend of October 27 and 28. Padre has been visiting us for eight years! He looks forward to sharing all that is going on in his schools and in a country that he has come to love. Padre's Mass schedule will be: Mary Queen of Peace-Saturday, October 27, 4:00PM and Sunday at 10:45AM; St. Joseph-Sunday, October 28, 7:30AM & 8:45AM. If you have never met Padre, take a minute to introduce yourself.

NH CATHOLIC CHARITIES



Your generosity to the NHCC drive has allowed us to meet the goals the diocese has set and will help to keep programs going throughout our state. Thanks to all of you who opened your hearts and wallets to meet this challenge!

PAPER BIN REQUEST

Thank you to all those who save their papers and bring them to our Paper Bin in the MQP parking lot as a donation for our Parish. We have only one request: **please do not put any plastic bags in the Bin.** This Bin is for PAPER ONLY. Thank you for your cooperation!

WARDE HEALTH CENTER

FLU CLINIC



The Warde Health Center is having a Flu Clinic (with Maxim Health Systems) on **Wednesday, October 17, from 11:00AM-3:00PM** in the Auditorium on 21 Searles Road, Windham. There is no co-pay for Medicare part B participants. Non-Medicare participants-Cost is \$30. Pneumonia shots are also available: Medicare Part B Participants - no co-pay; non-Medicare \$75. For more information, please call 890-1290.

WISHING WELL



Fr. Tom Frink is looking for someone to volunteer to do data entry (enter email addresses) for our Faith Formation group. If you can spare a few hours for this project, please call or email Fr. Tom Frink. Thank you!



VETERANS' MASS AT MQP

Our annual Veterans' Mass will take place on Saturday, November 10, 4:00PM. Flags of deceased Veterans will be displayed, blessed and the Veterans' names will be read. Bring your flag, noting the Veteran's name, to the Parish Office before November 8. If you know a soldier currently serving our country, call Mary Roy and she will add him/her to our Service banners. We continue to pray for them throughout the year. If you would like to participate at the Mass, call Mary at the Parish Office.

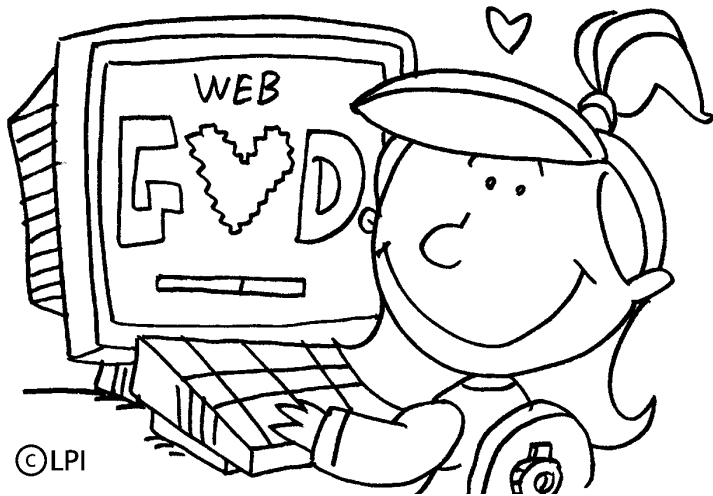
CHILDREN'S CORNER

Sharing the Gospel: With God's help, you can do anything. You can play computer games. You can climb across the monkey bars. You can build a birdhouse or clean a birdcage. You can draw a person or a beautiful flower. You can ride a bike without training wheels. You can play soccer or hit baseballs. You can train a dog. You can plant a garden. Ask God to help. He will give you the strength to solve your problems.

Prayer: Lord, make me strong in mind and body.

Something to Draw: Draw yourself lifting heavy weights with God's power.

Mission for the Week: With difficult jobs, I will say, "I can do this with God's help." LPI



PARISH SACRIFICIAL OFFERING

October 6-7, 2012

Loose: \$1,869 + Env: \$10,260 = \$12,129

+ All Soul's Day: \$5 = \$12,134

Needed Weekly: \$14,313

Wkly Deficit: (\$2,179) YTD Deficit: (\$30,936)

Dev Fund: \$2,754 Fuel/Plowing: \$142

NH Priest Retirement: \$40

World Mission: \$50

Next week's 2nd Collection is for World Missions.

Thank you for your generosity.

NOTE FROM BULLETIN EDITOR: If you have any thoughts, comments, or suggestions for ways to improve our Parish communication through our bulletin, please email Dana at st.josephs@comcast.net.



Jesus is the Light of the World and the Eternal Light Candle at St. Joseph Church is burning this week in memory of **David R. Morency** r/b his Mom and at Mary Queen of Peace in memory of **Alfonzas Baika, Jr.** r/b Reggi Baika.



ADVERTISE IN THE PARISH BULLETIN!

If you are interested in placing an ad, please call Lisa Gibbs at 1-800-888-4574, ext. 3444. We want to thank our current advertisers for their ads...their gift makes this bulletin possible at no cost to our parish!

ST. LUCY PARISH 5TH ANNUAL CRAFT

Saturday, October 20, 9:00-3:00PM

254 Merrimack Street, Methuen

Assorted Crafts, Raffle Prizes, Lunch, Snacks,

Bake Sale, and Book Sale

Featuring Eagle Tribune Columnist, **Pat Altomare**

(Pat's Kitchen)

Demonstrations from 9:00AM-12:00PM.



GIFT CARD SALE

The Honduran Mission Team (HMT) is selling Gift Cards to help defray the cost of their 2013 trip. Get your Christmas shopping done early, save on gas, and SUPPORT the Team. In the past, many grocery cards were bought for our Food Pantry and gift cards were bought for our Christmas Giving Trees. Forms will be at the church exits or at the Parish Office. Checks should be made out to HMT-NH and attached to the completed form. All orders need to be given to Mary Roy by October 27 (1st order-cards delivered near November 11) or November 2 (2nd order-cards delivered beginning of December).

GROWING IN FAITH (GIF) TV SERIES

SCTV-17 Calendar-Week of October 14

Seeking Truth: Beth Spizamy

GIF airs on SCTV17 Mon at 9:00PM, on Tues & Wed at 2:00PM. Please consult the latest schedule at www.sctv17.com.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCT. 14:

Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31---5:1/Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25/Lk 11:42-46

Thursday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9

Friday: Eph 1:11-14/Lk 12:1-7

Saturday: Eph 1:15-23/Lk 12:8-12

Next Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45



SJ MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 13

4:15p Jeanette LaRhette r/b Dee Rapisarda & Marty Pastman

Sunday, October 14

7:30a Joseph G. Nassar, Sr. r/b Ron Penczak

8:45a Barry Dill r/b The Dill Family

11:00a Philip Winters r/b David & Melanie Costello

Monday, October 15

7:15a Agnest Beaulieu r/b Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Shea

Tuesday, October 16

7:15a For the People of the Parish

Wednesday, October 17

7:15a Eucharistic Service

6:30p Celebrant's Intention

Thursday, October 18

7:15a Jacque Fortin

r/b Marty & Mary Ann McDonough

Friday, October 19

7:15a Ryan McGrath r/b Grandparents

Saturday, October 20

4:15p John Provencher r/b Family (1st Anniversary)

Sunday, October 21

7:30a Edward Murach r/b Maryanne Murach

8:45a Kathaleen O'Callahan r/b Family

11:00a Henry & Gertrude Huard

r/b Paul & Kathy Huard & Family

MQP MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 13

4:00p Abigail DeSousa r/b Family

Sunday, October 14

9:00a John D'Agata r/b his wife, Donna Mae

10:45a John J. Donovan r/b Family

Monday, October 15

9:00a Joan Walsh-Vuorenmaa r/b Mildred Sweeney

Tuesday, October 16

9:00a Paul Ruggiero r/b Paul Esposito

Wednesday, October 17

9:00a Eucharistic Service

Thursday, October 18

9:00a Dolores Smith r/b Eileen & Jack Sousa

Friday, October 19

9:00a Dotty Hamel r/b husband

Saturday, October 20

4:00p Robert Morris/Henry Leonard/John Voke
r/b Family

Sunday, October 21

9:00a Richard Hassett, Jr.

r/b Ruth & Richard Hassett

10:45a Remegio Cayabyab r/b Benito Cayabyab & Family

"AND WITH YOUR SPIRIT"



We have surveyed the eleven virtues described by Bl. John Ruusbroec (*Espousals*, I.12022), and considered how the ways in which Bl. John's work can help us grow in virtue, since "we should take from spiritual writings only that which profits us and nothing more" (I.21). Spiritual writings are to help us become holy—"nothing more." They articulate the ideals to which Jesus invites us, they inspire our longing for holiness, and they instill an invincible confidence that God can indeed do in us all that he promises.

A temptation in spiritual reading is to remain content with mere insights, but these satisfy only our natural curiosity, not our ultimate need to know God himself. We know God himself not by thinking about him but by being like him, "Be holy for I am holy" (Lev 20:26; see 1 Pet 1). Attaining holiness takes effort, however, like the effort required to understand the various virtues and to pray that God will increase my desire for them. It takes effort to act like Christ day by day and to examine my conscience regularly. In the examination of conscience I rejoice at my successes, grieve over my failures, and resolve to serve God even more zealously in the future.

Because Bl. John's virtues are progressive, a person can consider how far he has progressed in the list of virtues. He can pinpoint the virtue currently most relevant to himself and can focus on developing this particular virtue, a technique highly recommended by St. Ignatius Loyola (*Spiritual Exercises*, [24-31]).

Fr. Tom

ATTENTION!

ALL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

It is Fall, a season of color and beauty! While change is in the air, our parish is continuing its renewal of our ministries. Since it has been a long time since there has been refresher training for our EMs, and since there are multiple changes that impact their liturgical logistics, mandatory re-training for all Eucharist Ministers will be taking place. We will cover both sanctuaries so that EMs understand the changes for both churches.

Choice of dates and times:

Saturday, October 20,

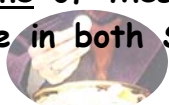
from 8:30AM-1:00PM (meet at SJ Church)

(includes a lunch together!)

or Sunday, November 4, from 1:00 to 4:30PM

(meet at MQP Church).

If you are a Eucharistic Minister, please be sure to sign up for one of these sessions. Sign-up Sheets are in both Sacristies. Thank you.



This week's LITURGY OF THE WORD

Again this Sunday we are "on the journey" of discipleship. Again, the Old Testament prepares us for the Gospel. Written a century before Christ, the first reading presents rightly-ordered priorities. More valuable than power or riches, more lasting than health or beauty, is God's wisdom. For us, this means wisdom to understand, as the man who comes to Jesus in the Gospel does not, that following Jesus is the greatest treasure of all. May God's work, described by the second reading as sharper than any two-edged sword, pierce our hearts with its living, life-changing truth.

Pastoral Patterns, Autumn 2012

*"Fill us with your love, O Lord,
and we will sing for joy!"* Wisdom 7:7-11

MASS at MQP & DEDICATION at PINE GROVE

for Carole Yetter

Thursday, November 15, 9:00AM

Mass at Mary Queen of Peace Church
200 Lawrence Road

Followed by Dedication of Headstone
at Pine Grove Cemetery, 329 Main Street
Followed by a gathering at The Yetter House
10 Marsh Avenue, Salem, NH

HONDURAN MISSION SUPPER

The HMT will be sponsoring a Chicken Pot Pie Supper on Saturday, October 27, at 5:00PM in the MQP Hall to help raise money for their next trip in February. Menu: Chicken pot pie, mashed potatoes, green beans, stuffing, cranberry sauce, rolls, and dessert. We will be making home-made apple pies and cobbler to give our meal a sweet ending. Cost: \$8.00/adult or \$5.00/children under 10 and seniors. Please get your tickets early! They will be available after Masses the weekends of October 13 & 14 and 20 & 21 or at the Parish Office.



BABY BOTTLES FOR RESPECT LIFE MONTH!

The Baby Bottle Campaign is being done during Respect Life Month to fund the Pregnancy Care Center programs which provide an alternative to abortion. This is your opportunity to respect life as a family—please return your filled Baby Bottles the weekend of October 21. For more information call: 978-373-5700

EXPLORING THE CATHOLIC FAITH

The theme for this Sunday's "Exploring the Catholic Faith" is **God's Commandments**. All are invited to this faith-sharing opportunity in the Family Room of St. Joseph Church from 7:00-8:30PM.

RELIGIOUS ED Grades 6-12

Faith Formation Classes: Middle School Option A continues on Monday, October 15 at MQP from 6:00-7:30PM. Middle School Option C continues Sunday, October 14 from 2:30-4:00PM at St Julie Hall. The next class after that is October 21.

Families registered for the Homeschool Option E will have their first gathering on Sunday, October 21. We will meet to celebrate the 9:00AM Mass at MQP, and will then meet to receive materials and begin the year of the Holy Spirit!

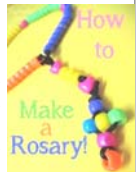
The High School Emmaus Experience Option 1 class continues Sunday, October 14, 5:00-6:45PM at St. Julie Hall.

The high school Emmaus Experience Option 2 class will continue with their next class on Tuesday, October 16 from 6:00-7:45PM. We will be meeting in the Family Room below St. Joseph Church.

Confirmation Candidates and the Rite of Election:

Now that they have made their retreat and have been interviewed by one of our priests, those being confirmed this December 2 are reminded that we will be celebrating their Rite of Election at the 10:45AM Mass at MQP on October 14.

Middle School Rosary Project: Thank you to Cathy McDonough, Caroline Lanouette, Caroline Dunnell, and Rosemary Henderson for helping out with our annual event! The youth made some beautiful rosaries! Very impressive! Thank you also to Noreen Fantasia for the yummy cupcakes! What a great time we had!



High School Mission Trip 2013: Next summer during the week of July 21, we will be serving with Wheeling Jesuit University's Appalachian Immersion Experience in Jacksonburg, WV. Teens and adult chaperones interested in next summer's mission experience will be meeting on Sunday, October 21 at 7:00PM at St. Julie Hall to begin planning their fund-raising ef-

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE AT MQP

The Parish will celebrate a Mass of Remembrance at MQP, for those who died this past year and whose funeral was held here. This Mass will be held Saturday, November 10, at 4:00PM. If you would like to include someone who was buried from another town, all you have to do is call us and let us know the name of the loved ones so that we can add them to our list. We also ask you to bring in a picture (with your name and the name of the deceased on the back). The pictures will be used in a display at the back of the church the day of the Mass. During Mass, all the names will be read aloud and family members will be asked to come forward to light a candle. If you have any questions, please give Mary Roy a call at the Parish Office 893-8661 ext. 303.