Saints Mary & Joseph Parish

Presentation of the Lord
February 2, 2014



"Who is this king of glory?

It is the Lord!"

Psalm 24

NEXT SUNDAY! February 9th Farewell Pot-Luck for Fr. Tom Fitzpatrick



Fr. Tom Fitzpatrick will be coming back for an official goodbye to the parish. On *Sunday, February 9, at 4:00pm* in the SJRCS Auditorium we'll be having a "farewell" pot-luck dinner for him. In the coming weeks we will have a board in the vestibule of both churches with slips marked: appetizer, dinner, salad, and dessert.

Please take one so we know we have enough of each to feed everyone. For any questions, please contact Edie Shea 893-9847/edithshea@comcast.net or Bill Richards 892-3022/wrich@aol.com.

Vitamins Needed



The Honduran Mission team spends the year gathering supplies to take with them for the poor. One of those supplies is children's vitamins. This year we are looking to increase the amount of vitamins so that we will be able to give each child more than 52

vitamins (one vitamin per week of the year). If you can help and buy one or two bottles (not gummy—they melt) and bring them to church over the next few weeks, we will make room in our suitcases for them. If you have any questions, you can call Mary at the Parish Office 893-8661. Thank you for all you do to support our mission and team.

Family-to-Family Easter Basket Project



On the weekend of March 22nd & 23rd, we will be handing out information after all masses at Mary Queen of Peace for the Family-to-Family Easter Basket Project. If you would like to adopt a family and you know that you will be away that week-

end, or if you attend mass at St. Joseph Church, you can email Mary at senoraroy@comcast.net. All the family information that we have will be emailed to you with a suggested grocery list. This past Thanksgiving we helped 112 families have a wonderful holiday dinner. All food needs to be dropped off at Mary Queen of Peace on Saturday, April 12th, by 11:30am. If you have been blessed this past year and feel you want to "pay it forward," this is your chance.

Bereavement Group News

New to the Bereavement Center: A "Moving On" group will be starting soon. Watch for details.

First Friday Adoration

St. Joseph Church 12:00 noon to 7:00pm February 7, 2014

Eucharistic Adoration is held on the First Friday of each month for the purpose of honoring and praying before our Lord and savior Jesus Christ. <u>Divine Mercy is recited at 3:00pm</u> and we close with <u>Benediction at 6:45pm</u>. Please come and spend an hour with Jesus. Sign-up sheets are located at the exits of the churches.

Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day:

Today, with Christmas time well past, we hear one more manifestation story about the infant Jesus. Devout Jews, Mary and Joseph, fulfilling the requirements of the law, bring Jesus to the temple to present him to the Lord. While they are there, Simeon and Anna prophesy about Jesus, telling them—and us—of both the challenge and the redemption that Jesus will bring. Saint Paul tells us that Jesus became one of us in order to save us. As we listen today, let us rejoice in the salvation that we have found in Jesus our Lord.

Readings for the Week of February 2

Sunday: Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22

Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30--19:3/Mk

5:21-43

Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Mk 6:1-6 Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/Mk 6:7-13

Friday: Sir 47:2-11/Mk 6:14-29 Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: Is 58:7-10/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16 LPi



Our Children's Choir sang the National Anthem at a recent UMass-Lowell basketball game! Great job!

Listen to them at:

Ministry Interest

As stewards of God's grace we are called to share our gifts and talents with others. By sharing we grow in faith and in love and draw closer to Christ and our Christian Community. Please pray about serving in some way. We all need you. Fr. John

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Please check only those ministries that y DO NOT CHECK any ministries in which	Email: ou are interested in being contacted about. n you are currently involved.	
1. OUTREACH Bereavement Group Christmas Giving Tree Christian Service Consoler Ministry Discovering Christ Easter Baskets Evangelization Food Pantry Healing Mass Honduras Mission Knights of Columbus Mexico Mission New England Rehab Prayer Line Prayer Shawl Ministry Quilters Salem Haven Volunteers Thanksgiving Baskets Visitation Youth Mission Trip	4. MUSIC Adult ChoirChildren's ChoirContemporary GroupEnsemble: Advent/Lent 5. FAITH FORMATIONBaptism PreparationBible Study—MQPBible Study—St. JosephCursillo/UltreyaFaithful CitizenshipHappy Days Summer Bible SchoolK-5 Faith FormationMen's Prayer BreakfastMiddle School Faith FormationNatural Family PlanningHigh School Faith FormationRenewSmall Christian CommunitySpiritual Exercises of St. IgnatiusYouth Ministry	
2. SPIRITUAL LIFE Devotion-1st Saturday Eucharistic Adoration RCIA 3. WORSHIP Altar Servers Arts & Environment Children's Liturgy of the Word Eucharistic Ministers Greeters Lectors Liturgy Committee Ushers	6. HOSPITALITY BabysittingCoffee after massMercy Meals 7. OTHERBuilding TradesCollection CountersContractor ExperienceFundraising: Comedy Night, Slice-of-the-Pie, etcGardeningLending LibrarySocial CommitteeWeb-site Design	

Over the next two weekends, February 8-9 at St. Joseph (Auditorium), and February15-16 at Mary Queen of Peace (Vestibule), representatives from our ministries will be present after all masses to explain the ministry/ies they are involved in and to answer any questions you may have. The above contact sheet will be available for all parishioners. Please take a few moments before next weekend to look over the list of the various ministries that happen at our Parish to see if you are being called to serve God's people through any of them. Thank you.

"I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works." James 3:18

Faith Formation 6-12

Sunday Night Mass at 6:00pm! All Welcome!

on February 16; March 16; April 6

If you are a Lector or Eucharistic Minister and would like to serve, please let Sue Levesque know the week before.

February Family Faith Formation: Option D 11:00am SJ Feb 16 Option C 6:00pm MQP Feb 16

Because of the amount of space needed, Options B and E are asked to attend one of the following:

Option D 11:00am SJ Feb 16 Option C 6:00pm MOP Feb 16

High School Emmaus Experience Option 3 continues Feb 3, 10 and 17!

All first year High School and any in the immediate prep for Confirmation who did not attend the "God's Plan for Love and Life" presentation last year will be meeting on Sunday, Feb 9th at St Julie Hall, 6-7:30pm.

Letters of Intention for Confirmation Discussions:

Thank you Joe Balzano, Steve Barretto, Michelle Fastnacht, Amy Healey, Sandy Lemay, Judi Ryan, and Roseanne Silver for making time to meet with our 60+ Confirmation candidates and offering individual encouragement and guidance as they begin their preparation to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation next Fall!



Rest in Peace



We pray for all who died recently, especially **Scott** Lemay. May his family and friends be comforted by loving memories of him and by hope in Christ's promise of the resurrection.

Children's Corner

Sharing the Gospel: In the time of Jesus, every first



male child was dedicated to the service of God in the temple. Mary and Joseph took Jesus to the Temple to show that he would do the work of his Father in heaven. God has a purpose for you. Thank God that he gave you life. Tell him that you will help others to know him and to love him, too.

Prayer: Lord, help me be a pleasing gift to you every day of my life.

Something to Draw: Draw yourself teaching a little boy and girl how to cross the street safely.

Mission for the Week: I will ask my parents if our family can read the Bible together tonight.

Parish Sacrificial Offering

January 25-26, 2014

Loose: \$2,260+ Envelopes: \$9,307 = \$11,567 + 2nd at St. Joseph: \$1,124 + Sol of Mary: \$20 + Christmas: \$5 = \$12,716Needed Weekly: \$14,386 Wkly Deficit: (\$1,670) YTD Deficit: (\$38,261) Capital Reserve: \$461 Seminary: \$387

Next weekend's 2nd collection will be for: Catholic School Education Fund.

Thank you for your continued generosity to our Parish, our community, and our world!

Dessert Day!

ROSES Please join us in our parish Ministry where we provide dessert for Bread & Roses in Lawrence. Simply drop off a

dessert (bought or home-made) to the Parish Office by 10:00am on Tuesday, February 11th. Thank you!



On Sunday, January 26, 2014 a group of young people took time to participate in our **Emmaus Experience Day of Reflection**. The theme of this Day of Reflection was a *Tool Kit to Become A Disciple*. The day began with celebrating the 11:00am liturgy at Saint Joseph Church with our Parish family. In order to sustain the participants, pizza was brought in to give them the energy they would need to learn about the "Tool Kit for Discipleship!" Members of the Day of Reflection Team gave witnesses on the tools they believe are needed to become a disciple. These tools included LISTENING. EXPRESSING YOUR FAITH, LOVING YOURSELF and FORGIVENESS. At the conclusion of the last witness, a Reflective Meditation on how to use

these tools was written and delivered by a member of the team. Each participant was given a faith stone to remind them of the tools they will need on their journey to being a disciple! Pictured are the members of the team, Niko, Kaitelyn, Katie, Katie, Kerri, Jarman, and Brandon filled with joy at the conclusion of the Day of Reflection!

St. Joseph Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 1

4:15p Joyce Lehane by the Hansen Family

Sunday, February 2

7:30a Joan Bacon by Lee Alphen

8:45a Edward Devine by Family

11:00a Armand & Jean Primeaux

by Patrick & Monique Donovan & Family

Monday, February 3

7:15a Michael Gorgol by Jim & Janet Frahm

Tuesday, February 4

7:15a Mary Lambert by David & Melanie Costello

Wednesday, February 5

7:15a Eucharistic Service

6:30p Margaret Jalbert by Family

Thursday, February 6

7:15a Nellie & Cy Carabello & Joyce Hosty by Andrea & John Faro

Friday, February 7

7:15a Living Intentions of Bob & Joyce Kosmidek

Saturday, February 8

4:15p Fr. Arthur Pare' by Linda Pavlini

Sunday, February 9

7:30a Helen Chmieleski by Family

8:45a Roland LaFontaine by Mr. & Mrs. Roy Houde

11:00a Vivian Libby by David & Melanie Costello

Pray for Vocations

"She gave thanks to God and spoke about the child to all..." We are all called to bear witness to Christ in our lives. Could you be called to do so as a priest or consecrated religious? Call Fr. Jason Jalbert at 663-0132 or write jjalbert@rcbm.org.

SAVE THIS DATE! Mardi Gras Comedy Night

Saturday, March 1st, 2014 at Atkinson Country Club Featuring NH's Own Comedian

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More details to follow!

Mary Queen of Peace Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 1

4:00p John D'Agata by His Wife

Sunday February 2

9:00a Han Van Hoang by Family (1st Anniversary) 10:45a Romeo Potvin by His Wife (12th Anniversary)

Monday, February 3

9:00a Eleanor Pennisi by Maria Dzialo

Tuesday, February 4

9:00a Josephine Gurciullo by Bill & Betty Shearer

Wednesday, February 5

9:00a Eucharistic Service

Thursday, February 6

9:00a Herbert Herron by Barbara Herron

Friday, February 7

9:00a Shirley Amos by Maria Dzialo

Saturday, February 8

4:00p Rival Gauvin by Jack & Charlene

Sunday, February 9

9:00a Angelina Garcia by Family

10:45a Zosimo Javier by Vicente & Javier Families

Our Food Pantry is LOW. Can you please help?

Eternal Light

The Eternal Light Candle is burning this week at MQP in memory of **Josephine Gurciullo** by Bill & Betty Shearer & at St. Joseph in memory of **Richard Pfaff** by his friend, Linda.

Keep Others Warm!

During the month of February, please bring in new gloves, mittens, hats, scarfs for both children and adults.

The bin will be in the hallway outside the Parish Office at 200 Lawrence Road.

Growing in Faith (GIF) SCTV-17 Series

Week of February 2: *Live Action: Lila Rose* "TV17 Mon-Sat 9:00pm, on Tue & Wed at 2:00pm

Food Pantry Needs Please bring to Parish Office.

Beef stew Carrots (canned) Cereal Chef Boyardee Chicken (canned) Chili Coffee Crackers Fruit Juice Green beans (can) Fruit (canned) Hot chocolate Jell-O; Jelly Mac & cheese Maple syrup Pancake mix Paper towels • Pasta & Sauce

Peanut butter
Peas
Pork & Beans

Potatoes-box, can Pudding; Rice Shampoo; Soap Soup (canned) Tea bags

Toilet paper Tuna (canned)

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Mary Queen of Peace Church

200 Lawrence Road Salem, NH 03079

MASS:

Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri: 9:00am

Wed: Eucharistic Service 9:00am

Sat: 3:00pm Reconciliation

Sat: 4:00pm

Sun: 9:00 & 10:45am



Salem, NH 03079 **MASS:**

Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri: 7:15am Wed: Eucharistic Service 7:15am

Wed: Mass at 6:30pm Sat: 3:15pm Reconciliation

Sat: 4:15pm

Sun: 7:30, 8:45 & 11:00am

Our Mission Statement:

Discover God's Love so we might Love God; Love others; and Grow as a community of Disciples.

Heart to Heart Celebration

Professional Magic Show by Rev. Bob Fellows Fun, Fellowship, and Refreshments! Sunday, February 9, 3:00-5:00pm Montminy Hall, St. Marie Church, 378 Notre Dame Ave., Manchester, NH Hosted by: Heart to Heart NH, bringing homes of peace, joy, and friendship to NH for adults with developmental disabilities. Contact: Karen 785-9899 or HearttoheartNH@gmail.com

> We love, because He first loved us.

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Bereavement: Linda O'Reilly 893-6061 Bible Study: Sandy Lemay (Tue) 893-3110 Anna Willis (Sat) 898-5729

Christian Service: Deacon David 893-8661 Community Breakfast: Michael Petrilli 893-4784

Consolers: Dan Downey 893-1775 Cursillo: Adele Raymond 893-9342

Devotion (1st Sat): Lily MacKenzie 894-6583

Food Pantry: 898-4933 ext. 30

Honduras Mission: Mary Roy 893-8661 Knights of Columbus: Bill Richards 893-1836 Men's Prayer Breakfast: Dick Collopy 898-7020

Mexico Mission: Lee Alphen 898-1927

Natural Family Plan.: Nancy Malo 800-437-9666

Pastoral Council: Judi Ryan 898-2278 Prayer Line: Lee Alphen 898-1927

Melanie Costello 893-6763 Prayer Shawl: Eileen Gauthier 893-8661 Quilt Ministry: Anna Willis 898-5729

RCIA: Ann Halloran 894-4251

Respect Life: Deacon David 893-6763 Rosary Making: Lily MacKenzie 894-6583 St. Joseph School: Leann McCormack 893-6811 Small Christian Comm.: Dan Yetter 893-5429

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