# Saints Mary & Joseph Parish

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time February 16, 2014



"Blessed are they who follow the law of the Lord!"

Psalm 119

# **Food Pantry Needs**

Please bring items to Parish Office or to either church at mass times. There are bags available at the exits at St. Joseph.

Rice

Shampoo

Beef stew	Green beans (canned)	Pasta	Soap
Carrots (canned)	Fruit (canned)	Pasta Sauce	Soup (canned)
Cereal	Hot chocolate	Peanut butter	Tea bags
Chef Boyardee	Jell-O	Peas	Toilet paper
Chicken (canned)	Jelly	Pork & Beans	Toothpaste
Chili	Mac & cheese	Potatoes-box, canned	Tuna (canned)
Coffee	Maple syrup	Pudding	

Thank you!

**Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day:** As we gather today at God's invitation, we are reminded of all that the Lord has commanded us to do. Certainly we know the Ten Commandments, which are part of today's readings, and certainly we know of the law of love. Today, though, is a good opportunity to ponder the reasons for these commandments and laws. What is God really trying to get us to do, and why does God want us to live that way?

# **Family-to-Family Easter Basket Project**

On the weekend of March 22 & 23, we will be handing



Crackers

Fruit Juice

out information after all masses at Mary Queen of Peace for the Familyto-Family Easter Basket Project. If you would like to adopt a family and you know that you will be away that weekend, or if you attend mass at St. Joseph Church, you can email Mary at senoraroy@comcast.net. All the

Pancake mix

Paper towels

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.

### **Choir Notes!**

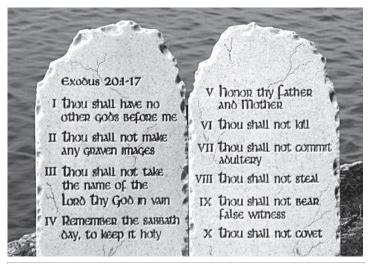
Next Sunday, February 23, the 11:00am Folk Group and the 10:45am Choir will switch churches.

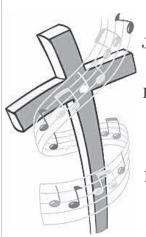
The Children's Choir will be singing at the 9:00am mass at Mary Queen of Peace.



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# Make a Joyful Sound!

**CALLING ALL SINGERS!** Join our choir in preparation for Holy Week and Easter services, April 17-20.

Rehearsals begin at Mary Queen of Peace Church on Thursday, February 27, from 7:00-8:30pm.

All voice parts are welcome. Basses and tenors are especially encouraged to attend. We hope to see YOU. For more information call:

898-5729.

# Readings for the Week of February 16

Sunday: Sir 15:15-20/1 Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37 or 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37

Monday: Jas 1:1-11/Mk 8:11-13 Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18/Mk 8:14-21 Wednesday: Jas 1:19-27/Mk 8:22-26 Thursday: Jas 2:1-9/Mk 8:27-33

Friday: Jas 2:14-24, 26/Mk 8:34--9:1

Saturday: 1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19 Next Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt

5:38-48

### Children's Corner

**Sharing the Gospel:** God's rules stop you from hurt-



ing yourself and the people around you. God knows that if you really love him, you will want to follow his rules. You will trust him. You will want to be thoughtful and kind. You will want to love people the way God does.

**Prayer:** God, help me to follow your rules with my whole heart.

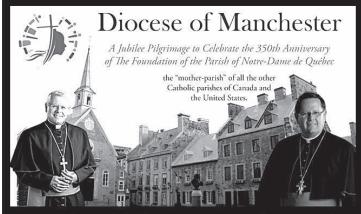
**Something to Draw:** Draw a picture of yourself cheerfully helping your parents dust and vacuum your house.

**Mission for the Week:** Ask your parents to list three ways you can honor them.

### Masa lama Fr. Tom!

We'll miss you! Your presence here calmed and enlightened us. Your faith enriched ours—we are grateful to God for sending you to us! "A heartfelt thanks to all those who came to the farewell pot-luck dinner for Fr. Tom Fitzpatrick. It was a great success because of all the wonderful people who participated. There was enough food to feed everyone twice and extras to take to Lazarus House. I want to thank the Knights for their help and gift, Dr. Joe Kish for being the emcee, Dr. Manny Sousa for being our photographer, the choir for the beautiful blessing they sang, and a special thanks to all the thoughtful people who stayed to help clean up. We all made it a night to remember. Thank you and God Bless!"

Edie Shea



# Register by March 15th

Join Bishop Libasci on a jubilee pilgrimage to Quebec City to celebrate the 350th anniversary of the foundation of the parish of Notre-Dame de Ouebec.

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### Faith Formation 6-12

# Sunday Night Mass at MQP 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.

# **March Family Faith Formation:**

Option E 9:00am MQP March 9 Option B 10:45am MPQ March 16 Option C 6:00pm MQP March 16 Option D 11:00am SJ March 23 Option E 9:00am MQP March 30

## **High School**

High School Emmaus Experience Option 3 continues February 17 and will break for February vacation and will resume March 3.

Immediate Preparation for Confirmation Option 5 begins Sunday, March 9, 4:00-5:45pm at MQP.

### **High School Large Group Presentation**

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, February 9, at St Julie Hall, 6-7:30pm.

# **Traveling Valentine**

The middle school leadership, the DOTs, have created

a large Valentine around the area inshare how they exlove. It also has vite people to join us if you see anyone



and it is traveling viting people to perience/see God's bookmarks that inon the weekend! So, new, please welcome

them with open arms and a warm friendly smile! At the end of the month, when the card is returned, it will be on display!

Sixth Annual

St. Francis of Assisi Parish Penny Sale
Held at Sacred Heart Church,
265 Main Street, Manchester

Saturday, February 22, 8:00am-7:00pm Sunday, February 23, 9:30am-5:00pm

Over 300 prizes including iPad mini, 12ft Snark Sailboat, Gas Cards, Baskets of Cheer, 50/50 Drawings, Instant Winner Games, Theme Baskets, and fun for all ages. Grand Prize Raffle \$1,000, \$500, \$250. Saturday evening baked chicken dinner. Saturday and Sunday breakfast, snack bar, and baked goods.

Contact: Peg 424-3456 x208 or pvalenti@stfrancisofassisi.net

# Parish Sacrificial Offering February 8-9, 2014

Loose: \$2,212+ Envelopes: \$7,763. = \$9,975 + Parish Pay (Jan): \$2,785 + Thanksgiving: \$3 + Christmas: \$12 + Solemnity of Mary: \$5 = \$12,780 Needed Weekly: \$14,386 Wkly Deficit: (\$1,606) YTD Deficit: (\$43,624) Capital Reserve: \$136 Seminary: \$19 NH Priest Retirement: \$5 CCHD: \$3 Catholic School Education Fund: \$2,128 Fuel & Plowing: \$50

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

### **Taize' Prayer Service**

Friday, February 21, 2014 5:00-6:00pm

Leader: Joanne White, MA Hartford Seminary Taize' is an ecumenical prayer service with a focus on reconciliation, peace, and social justice. Comprised of Scripture readings, chants, sacred silence and prayer, its underlying aim is for those gathered to enter into the mystery of God's presence. The chants, sung communally, become a unifying prayer and contribute to one's inner peace. This meditative service is in candlelight, ending with Gregory Norbet's beautiful rendition of *Dona Nobis Pacem*. Peaceful music accompaniment will be provided by Chris Bonoli. Free will offering gratefully accepted.

Berakah, A Place of Blessing 96 Fairview Road, Pittsfield, NH 03263 To register please call 435-7271 or email Berakah@aol.com

## **SJRCS 2nd Grade News**

The Second Grade at SJRCS is very busy in class. We are studying about the earth. We are learning about the features of the earth, weather, the seasons, and the solar system. We are reading books to learn about the lives of Abraham Lincoln and George Washington. We are busy practicing adding and subtracting two-digit numbers and solving word problems. We practice our oral reading by reading short stories to the kindergarten and performing Readers' Theater scripts for them. We like to write and illustrate short stories. We have written both non-fiction and fiction stories. We are presently working on writing our autobiographies. Our next writing assignment will be learning to write a research paper. We love second grade and are always eager and excited to come to school to learn.

## St. Joseph Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 15

4:15p Brother Donald Coffey by Lavin Family

Sunday, February 16

7:30a Micheline Dupuis by Anne Sivadel

8:45a Fr. Art Pare' by Al & Adele Raymond

11:00a Pearl Sciuto by David & Melanie Costello

Monday, February 17

7:15a Joe Casey by Jim & Janet Frahm

Tuesday, February 18

7:15a John W. Tedder by Wife

Wednesday, February 19

7:15a Eucharistic Service

6:30p For the People of the Parish

Thursday, February 20

7:15a Beth Hudson by Al & Carol Righini

Friday, February 21

7:15a Arthur Marchand by Wife, Beryl & Family

Saturday, February 22

4:15p Cindy Summers by Her Mother & Brother

Sunday, February 23

7:30a Michael Gorgol by David & Melanie Costello 8:45a Janet Leonardis by Husband & Family (6th)

11:00a Donald Cavanaugh by David & Melanie Costello

**Pray for Vocations** 

"It is loyalty to do His will." Are you considering following the will of God in the consecrated life or priesthood? Call Fr. Jason Jalbert at 663-0132 or write jjalbert@rcbm.org.

**Prayer Shawl Group** 

This wonderful group meets on the third Thursday of each month—they are gathering this Thursday, February 20., 1-2:30pm in our Emmaus Room at MQP. New members are always welcome! If you prefer to knit/crochet at home, shawls and lap blankets can be dropped off anytime at the Parish Office. Recipients of these gifts are always so grateful.

# SAVETHIS DATE!

Mardi Gras Comedy Night

Saturday, March 1st, 2014

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### Mary Queen of Peace Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 15

4:00p Rose DeLucia Ferrara by Bill & Betty Shearer

**Sunday February 16** 

9:00a Donald Boland by Family

10:45a Josephine M. Sciacca by Parish Choir

6:00p Celebrant's Intention

Monday, February 17

9:00a Jose Elias by Family

Tuesday, February 18

9:00a Kenneth & Leona Slack by Family

Wednesday, February 19

9:00a Eucharistic Service

Thursday, February 20

9:00a All Souls' Day Mass Intentions

Friday, February 21

9:00a Grace Valcanas by Sisters Claire & Marcele

Saturday, February 22

4:00p Rose DeLucia Ferrara by Alan & Janet Phair

Sunday, February 23

9:00a Katelynn Giuffre by Bill & Marie Mullen

10:45a Rose Keyes by David & Melanie Costello



**Eternal Light** 

The Eternal Light Candle is burning this week at MQP in memory of **Charles A. Clark** by Maryanne Clark and at St. Joseph in memory of **Wilfred Pelletier**, **Jr.** by Family.

**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 Rd.



**Growing in Faith (GIF)** 

SCTV-17 Series—Week of February 9: *Go After the Lord: Patrick Brennan* "TV17 Mon-Sat 9:00pm, on Tue & Wed at 2:00pm

# Total Youth Ministry Event What is Love?

Take time with our Youth Ministry Core Team Postponed to: Monday, February 17, 2014

Saint Joseph Church Family Room

7:00-8:30pm



All high school youth and your friends are invited. Please RSVP by calling or emailing Shawn or Cathy at 893-0144 or youth-minister@stjosephsalemnh.org



Parish Office: 603-893-8661 200 Lawrence Road, Salem, NH Fax: 603-890-0292 Mon-Thu 9:00am-5:00pm Fri 9:00am-12:30pm Email: st.josephs@comcast.net www.saintsmaryandjoseph.org Facebook: Sts Mary and Joseph

# **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



# St. Joseph Church

40 Main Street 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.

### **Question of the Week**

Is there a situation in my life calling for a reconciliation that will not happen unless I make the first move? After today's Gospel, how soon will I do so?



# **Rest in Peace**



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

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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

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