Saints Mary & Joseph Parish February 15, 2015 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



-Come Follow Me, Learn From Me...

-Learning From Jesus

-Learning Through Service

-Learning From The Saints

Lenten Schedule

ASH WEDNESDAY—February 18th

St. Joseph: 7:15am Mass & Ashes MQP: 9:00am Mass & Ashes St. Joseph: Noon Prayer Service & Ashes MQP: 4:00pm Prayer Service & Ashes St. Joseph: 6:30pm Mass & Ashes MQP: 7:00pm Mass & Ashes

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

MQP: Wednesdays (2/25-4/1) at Noon with Soup St. Joseph: Fridays (2/20-3/20) at 6:30pm

LENTEN RETREAT

March 9-12 after 7:15am Mass at SJ & after 7:00pm Mass at MQP CLUSTER PENANCE SERVICE Sunday, March 8, 3:00-4:30pm at

St. Patrick, Pelham, NH

LENT IN STORY & SONG

Friday, March 27, 7:00pm at St. Joseph

SEDER MEAL

Saturday, March 28, 5:30pm, St. Julie Hall (Call Parish Office 893-8661 for tickets.)

PASSION PLAY

Palm Sunday, March 29, 7:30pm at St. Joseph

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

St. Joseph: Mass Mon & Tues 7:15am & Wed 6:30pm Eucharistic Service Wed 7:15am MQP: Mass Mon, Tue, Wed 9:00am

HOLY THURSDAY, April 2

7:30pm at St. Joseph - Mass of the Lord's Supper (Followed by Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Family Room until closing prayer at Midnight.)

GOOD FRIDAY, April 3

9:00am (meet at SJ) - Walking Way of the Cross 3:00pm at St. Joseph - Stations of the Cross 7:30pm at St. Joseph - Celebration of the Lord's Passion (Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross, and Holy Communion)

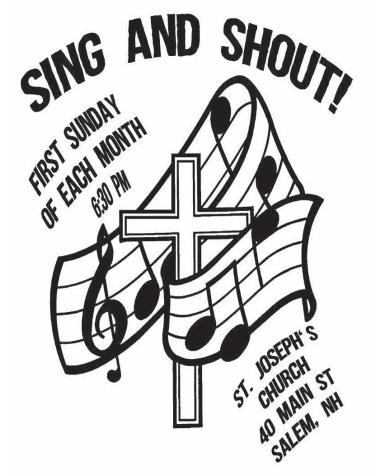
HOLY SATURDAY, April 4

7:30pm at Mary Queen of Peace - Easter Vigil

EASTER SUNDAY, April 5

8:00am at St. Joseph Church 9:30am at Mary Queen of Peace 11:00am at Mary Queen of Peace 11:00am at St. Joseph School Auditorium

SAINTS MARY AND JOSEPH PARISH PRESENTS:



A NIGHT OF PRAISE, MUSIC AND ADDRATION



Beginning Sunday, March 1st

Our new website was launched... take a look! saintsmaryandjoseph.org

There are many new features and info to see!

Also, mark your calendars for the: Lenten Parish Retreat March 9, 10, 11 and 12

Middle School and High School Faith Formation

Middle School Options A and B will meet this weekend, and then next on March 8th.

High School youth in the Emmaus Experience meet this weekend and will have an at-home lesson for their March class.

Youth in the Immediate Prep for Confirmation Option 5 begins February 15.

Immediate Prep for Confirmation youth will be meeting with their mentors between 4 and 5pm on February 15th at St. Joseph.

Lenten Purple Crosses

Again this Lent, we have purple crosses made by our parish middle school youth and their families...THANK YOU!!! We invite you to hang this purple cross on your front door as a means of expressing the Ash Wednesday reading from the Hebrew Scriptures: Joel 2:12, 13, 15-16b:

"Yet even now, says the Lord, return to Me with your whole heart, with fasting, and weeping, and mourning; Rend your hearts...and return to the Lord, your God. For gracious and merciful is He, slow to anger, rich in kindness, and relenting in punishment..."

When we hang the crosses on our front doors for people driving by homes to see, we are as described in the Ash Wednesday's second reading from 2 Corinthians 5:20-21, 6:2:

"We are ambassadors for Christ, God as it were appealing through us. We implore you, through Christ: be reconciled to God! ...Now is the acceptable time! Now is the day of salvation!"

Let us speak of God's great love, forgiveness and invitation to grow as the People of God...

Let us make this a grace-filled Lent!



Challenge Yourself!!

Lenten Experience in Small Groups: This Lent, our parish will be offering an opportunity

for members to grow in their faith in small groups focused on a variety of topics including **Bible Study, Christian Parenting, Saints**, and the **Meaning of Suffering**. Groups will meet for four sessions during Lent, either in a home or at church. Please call the office if you are interested in facilitating a group (materials provided) or in joining.

Parish Sacrificial Offering February 7-8, 2015

Loose: \$1,518+ Envelopes: \$6,635= \$8,153 +Cap. Reserve: \$306= \$8,449 Needed Weekly: \$14,754 Wkly Deficit: (\$6,305) YTD Deficit: (\$26,416)

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Thank you for your continued generosity. Due to the storm the Offering is not updated.

Weddings Banns

Matthew Bouchard & Allison Courcy February 21, 2015

What's Happening at Kids Church...

February 15th: Jesus loves the little children! Come to make a Valentine for Jesus!

Jesus, please be my Valentine! You make my life complete. I



can take my cares to You and lay them at Your feet. You give to me the blessings that I can not live without. This is the kind of love Valentine's Day is about!



February 22nd: Jesus said "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down; for I must stay at your house today." Come find out where Zacchaeus came down from and why he was there! Come learn about the signs of Lent as well.

March 1st: Would you be brave enough to stand up to a giant? Come learn about David and how he was able to stand up to the giant Goliath!





Give your old shoes a new life

Please place in labeled basket at MQP entrance.

(We cannot use ski and heavy boots!)

St. Joseph Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 14

4:15p Kay Serio by Emily Winters

Sunday, February 15

8:00a Patrick J. Quinn by Sts. Mary & Joseph Choir 11:00a Leonard Petzold by David & Melanie Costello 5:00p Adrinne Desharnais by Desharnais Family

Monday, February 16

7:15a Winnie Joyce by Marty & Maryann McDonough **Tuesday, February 17**

7:15a Joseph Oliverio by Joe Bourque

Wednesday, February 18

7:15a Eucharistic Service

6:30p For the People of the Parish

Thursday, February 19

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

Friday, February 20

7:15a Joseph Simon by Marty & Maryann McDonough

Saturday, February 21

4:15p Florence Connolly by Paul & Veronica Lavoie **Sunday, February 22**

8:00a Thomas & Jo-Ann Smith by Paul & Veronica Lavoie 11:00a Janet Leonardis by Husband & Family 5:00p`Robert Voss Renner, Sr.

by Arts & Environment Committee

Rest in Peace

We pray for all who died recently, especially James Fitzgerald and Isabelle Martineau. May their families be comforted by loving memories of them and by hope in Christ's promise of the resurrection.

Growing in Faith (GIF)

SCTV-17 Series—Week of: February 15

Christ in the City

TV17 Mon-Sat 9:00pm, Tue & Wed at 2:00pm

Lent in Story and Song

Friday, March 27, St. Joseph Church, 7:00pm

Our Choral Ensemble and Lectors will offer sacred readings about the Passion of Christ punctuated by sanctified songs.

Join with us as we pray this beautiful Lenten prayer.

Eternal Light



Jesus is the Light of the World. Our Eternal Light candle is burning at MQP Church this week in memory of **Brother Donald Coffey** by Lavin Family and at St. Joseph Church in memory of **Wilfred Pelletier** by Louise & Jeff Pelletier.

Mary Queen of Peace Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 14

4:00p Raymond Sarcione by Wife and Family

Sunday, February 15

9:30a Brother Donald Coffey by Lavin Family 11:00a Thomas Hennessey

by Mr. & Mrs. Albert Faucher

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9:00a Richard Frink & Debra Smith by Jean, Jose & Josie Moreno

Tuesday, February 17

9:00a Jose Elias by Family

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9:00a Anita Potvin by Barbara Herron

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4:00p Paul Thompson by Judy Ouellette

Sunday, February 22

9:30a Paul Thompson by Mr. & Mrs. Albert Faucher 11:00a Raymond Sarcione by Wife & Family

Still looking for people to make soup...

We are in need of seven people who like to make



soup—big pots of soup—for our weekly "Soup and Stations" that we have on Wednesdays during Lent. Do you have a favorite "pot of soup" that you make for your family? How about sharing it with those who come to pray stations together? Call to let Mary know and she

will sign you up for a Wednesday. You can cook at home or here in the hall kitchen —whatever will be the easiest.



Seeking Christ: Southern NH Young Adult Catholics

Come join in fellowship with other young adult Catholics in the area as we seek to grow in relationship with Jesus Christ. Join us on Ash Wednesday for 7pm Mass at St. Anne's Parish, 26 Emerson Ave, Hampstead, NH. Following Mass we will gather for a discussion on the Gospel reading and how it relates to our lives as young adults today. For more information, find us on Facebook or email us at info.seekingchrist@gmail.com.

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time—February 15, 2015

Food Pantry Needs

Please bring items to our Parish Office (Mon-Thu 9-5, Fri 9-12:30) **OR** to either church at mass times. There are bags available at the exits at St. Joseph.

Beef stew (canned) Fruit Juice Pasta Soap Soup (canned) Carrots (canned) Green beans (canned) Pasta sauce Toothpaste Chef Boyardee Hot chocolate Peanut butter Chicken (canned) Jell-O Peas (canned) Tissues Chili (canned) Jelly Pork & beans Toilet paper Mac & cheese Coffee or Tea bags Potatoes (box/canned)

Corn (canned) Maple syrup Pudding Crackers Pancake mix Pudding Rice Thank You!

Fruit (canned) Paper towels Shampoo

Come Join Us And Let The Music Begin!!



As you all know we have a 5:00pm Mass on Sunday evenings at St. Joseph Church, and now we will have live music by our own Kyle Erickson who does the Sunday 9:30 contemporary Mass at MQP. Please

join us for a lively and excellent celebration of Mass!!



In Need of Brown Bags!!

The Food Pantry is in desperate need of brown paper bags. Also, thank you to everyone who donated food in our time of need. Our shelves are looking pretty good. Anything you can donate will be greatly appreciated!

EVENTS CALENDAR

Sunday, February 15	9:30am	Kids' Church	MQP-Rooms 2 & 3
	9:30am-Noon	FF-High School-Option A2	MQP-Hall
	6:oopm	SIA	MQP-Emmaus Rm
	6:00pm-8:00pm	"Following Christ"	MQP-Room 3
Monday, February 16	4:00pm-5:15pm	FF-Grades 1-4	MQP-Hall
	4:30pm-6:30pm	Passion Play Practice	SJ-Church
	7:00pm-8:30pm	Youth Group	SJ-Family Room
Tuesday, February 17	10:00am	Bible Study	MQP-Emmaus Rm
	12:30pm-3:30pm	Quilt Group	SJ-St. Julie Hall
	4:00pm-5:15pm	FF-Grades 1-4	MQP-Hall
	6:00pm-7:15pm	FF-Grade 5	MQP-Hall
	7:00pm	Folk Group	SJ-Church
	7:30pm-9:00pm	Al-Anon	SJ-St. Julie Hall
Wednesday, February 18 Ash Wednesday!!	7:15pm-8:30pm	Bible Study	SJ-Family Room
	8:00pm-9:00pm	AA	MQP-Hall
Thursday, February 19	1:00pm-2:30pm	Prayer Shawl Meeting	MQP-Emmaus Rm
	7:00pm-8:30pm	Bereavement	SJ-St. Julie Hall
	6:00pm-7:00pm	Contemporary Music Practice	MQP-Church
	7:00pm-8:30pm	Choir Practice	MQP-Church
Friday, February 20			
Saturday, February 21	8:00am-9:30am	Bible Study	SJ-Family Room

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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: 9:30 & 11:00am



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

Sat: 4:15pm

Sun: 8:00am, 11:00am & 5:00pm

Our Mission Statement:

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

Recycling Cans

The Honduran Mission Team wants to thank all the wonderful people who have supported our mission team's work by bringing their aluminum soda and beer cans to the church for us to recycle into money for the team to buy supplies and to ship them. Over the past 14 years we have made over \$14,000 (I think I have low-balled this number) an average of \$1,000 which has given us the ability to go above and beyond with the projects we are asked to do. Thank you so much. The HMT-NH team will not be based out of Salem starting in 2016 so unless you feel like taking a ride to Nashua and dropping off your aluminum cans at my house, you should recycle at your own landfill. Again Thank You - Thank You - Thank You.

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