

St. Mary Roman Catholic Church

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Rev. Maria Sebastian Susairaj, HGN
Mary K. Keating
Joe Labrecque
Kevin Krawiec
Knights of Columbus Fr. Cote Council 1820

Please remember St. Mary's Renovation Fund in your will.

WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM / 10:30 AM

WEEKDAY LITURGY SCHEDULE

Monday / Thursday / Friday / Saturday 9:00 AM

MASSES AT OLD ST. MARY CHURCH

Saturday Morning Mass at 9:00 AM every week
(June to October) at Old St. Mary Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Friday 9:30 AM
Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 PM

VOCATIONS HOLY HOUR

Thursday 6:00 - 7:00 PM

ST. MARY CEMETERY

Old Church Road
Please call the Parish Office for inquiries or other
information regarding the parish cemetery.

ADORATION CHAPEL

Closed until further notice!

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday ONLY 6:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Chapel Hours

Monday	8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Tuesday	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Wednesday	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Thursday	6:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Friday	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM - 12 Noon
Sunday	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday	8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Friday	8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

September 11, 2022
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

12:00 PM—3:00 PM



All parishioners of St. Mary and St. Joseph parishes are invited to a potluck picnic on Sunday, Sept. 18th from 12 - 3. The picnic will be held next to St. Mary's School. The Knights of Columbus will provide the hot dogs and hamburgers and soda/ water. The Catholic Daughters of America will have a "make your own sundae bar." Families who attend are asked to bring a favorite dish to share. A sign-up sheet will be available in the back of the church. In addition, please bring a lawn chair or blanket. We also plan on having some games for the children. For more information or questions please call Kevin Krawiec @ 603-801-6130.



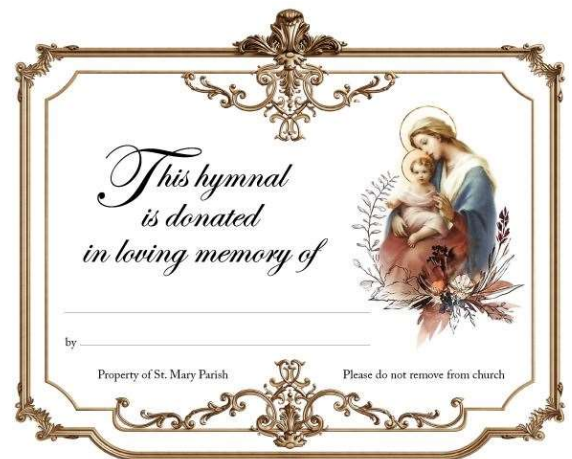
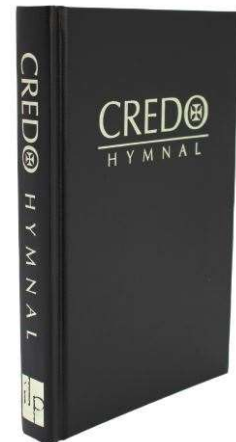
NOW AVAILABLE IN ST. MARY CHURCH:

At the beginning of the new liturgical year, which begins with the First Sunday of Advent, we will be officially switching to a new hardcover book to be used at Mass. It is the CREDO Hymnal with Lectionary and contains readings for all 3 years in the liturgical cycle as well as over 650 hymns and songs. The CREDO Hymnal is the most complete traditional hymnal in the Church today. To help in covering the cost of the new hymnals, parishioners are offered the opportunity to have one or more hymnals dedicated in memory of a loved one by making a donation of \$25.00 per hymnal. A special label has been created to be placed on the inside of the front cover with its dedication and by whom.

The hymnals are parish property and are to remain in the pews.

The current Pew Missals will be valid until the new liturgical year.

To have a hymnal donated, please send a note to the parish office indicating to whom the donation is made and by whom, along with your \$25.00 per hymnal. You are welcome to mail it, drop it off at the office, or simply drop it in the weekend collection with CREDO written on the envelope.



September 10, 2022—September 18, 2022

Sat. Sept 10 4:00 PM	Vigil of Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Alice, Ted, David and Dana Giguere (†) By Charlie & Janice Fletcher
Sun. Sept 11 8:00 AM	Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time For the People
10:30 AM	Eduardo Otero (†) By Elvira Otero
Mon. Sept 12 9:00 AM	Weekday Michael St. Marie (†) By Lorraine Dion
Tue. Sept 13	St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Church Doctor No Mass
Wed. Sept 14	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross No Mass
Thur. Sept 15 9:00 AM	Our Lady of Sorrows In Thanksgiving for 50 Years of Marriage By Les & Sandy St. Pierre
Fri. Sept 16 9:00 AM	Sts. Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs Rev. Gilmond Boucher, OMI By Friends
Sat. Sept 17 9:00 AM—OSM	Weekday Fr. Arockia's Mother, Victoria Mary (†) By St. Mary Parish
4:00 PM	Vigil of Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time For the People
Sun. Sept 18 8:00 AM	Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sally Michaud (†) By Her Husband, Ray
10:30 AM	Alphee, Eleanor and Thomas Deveau (†) By Family

The Rosary is prayed before each weekday Mass, beginning 20 minutes prior to the start of Mass.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK. . .

Mon. Sept 12	1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Lk 7:1-10
Tues. Sept 13	1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31/Lk 7:11-17
Wed. Sept 14	Nm 21:4-9/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17
Thurs. Sept 15	1 Cor 15:1-11/Jn 19:25-27
Fri. Sept 16	1 Cor 15:12-20/Lk 8:1-3
Sat. Sept 17	1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Lk 8:4-15
Sun. Sept 18	Am 8:4-7/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13

PARISH OFFERING

SUNDAY OFFERTORY – SEPTEMBER 4, 2022

Envelopes (52).....	\$2,085.00
Loose.....	\$749.00
Fuel.....	\$2,131.00
Grand Annual Collection.....	\$295.00

ONLINE GIVING

Offertory.....	\$1,033.39
Church Maintenance.....	\$51.00
Fuel.....	\$55.00

Total Collected for Grand Annual Collection...\$24,399.00

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

Church Maintenance September 17/18

Donations to Catholic Outreach should be made payable to "Catholic Outreach—St. Mary Parish."

New Hampshire Catholic Appeal checks should be made payable to "New Hampshire Catholic Appeal."

Grand Annual Collection now available with online giving.

PRAYER LIST

Call the parish office to add/continue a person on the prayer list

Becky Baril	David Goodwin	David Montano
Bill Beattie	David Grey	Mary Ouellette
Gloria Beattie	Jake Grey	Melvin Parker
William Beattie	Deborah Hemingway	Ron Perra
Deb Bedard	Geoffrey Houle	Lynn Raymond
Carol Braga	Timothy Houle	Andrew St. Pierre
Stephen Burlew	David Immic	Mary St. Pierre
Eleanor Dalton	Bob Jones	Mary Sullivan
Mary DiFilippo	Richard LaCasce	Peter Sullivan
Susan Doody	Claire Lessard	Christine Snyder
Erick Eaton	Matthew Limoges	Scott Sweet
Charles Eastman	Roy Lucier	Richard Tremblay
Joan Flaherty	Terry McGuire	Chee Chee Tyrrell
Charles Fletcher	Shirley McNutt	Louise Unger
Dennis Fontaine	Sylvia Michaud	George Veilleux



The Sanctuary Lamp in St. Mary Church will burn this week in memory of Fr. Arockia's Mother, Victoria Mary.

GiveOnline
easy. fast. secure.

Please consider online contributions to St. Mary Parish. Visit our website and click on the "Give Online" button.

Welcome New Parishioners...Just moved to this area? We welcome you to St. Mary Parish. Please stop by the parish office or call (603) 542-9518 for "new parishioner" information!

HYMNS—Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Processional Hymn: #131—For the Beauty of the Earth

Offertory Hymn: #79—All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Communion Hymn: #212—O Lord, I Am Not Worthy

Recessional Hymn: #146—Hail Holy Queen Enthroned Above

St. Augustine said, "Those who sing, pray twice." 🎵🎵

Join our music ministry and double your prayers.

We are looking for new members to sing at all the weekend Masses. If you are interested in joining us, please feel free to notify Joe Labrecque, music director at 603-729-6196 for further information. Looking forward to hearing from you!



St. Mary Old-Fashion Penny Sale

Saturday, October 1, 2022—6:00 PM
St. Mary Gym

The Craft Fair will be rescheduled for Spring 2023.



Catholic Daughters of the Americas Meeting

Tuesday, September 20th, 6:30 PM
St. Joseph Church Hall

If you have a desire to know Jesus more closely, a Cursillo is for you. The Cursillo weekend is a short course in Christianity. The purpose of the weekend is to facilitate a meaningful personal encounter with Christ and His body, the Church. The three day weekend is also the bridge connecting the faithful with the supportive post-Cursillo community, where we live our faith joyfully with our fellow Christians.

Cursillo weekends are being offered Oct. 13-16 for men and Nov. 3-6 for women at the Sarto Center in Hooksett. To find out more, please contact Mark Collopy at (603) 833-7341, or explore our website at www.nhcursillo.org

HOME VISITS



Fr. Sebastian visits the homebound on the 2nd Monday of each month. If you or someone you know would like to receive a visit from Father, please call the Parish Office at 603-542-9518 or email Fr. Sebastian directly at his parish email address of sebaafri@comcast.net.



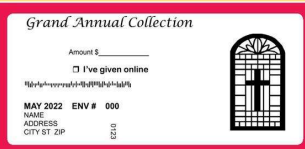
Men of St. Joseph

The Men of St. Joseph meet every first and third Wednesday of each month. The meeting is held in the Knights of Columbus room in St. Mary Gym starting at 7:00 PM. All men of St. Mary and St. Joseph Parishes are welcome to attend. Any questions may be directed to Kevin Krawiec @ 603-801-6130.

New Hampshire Catholic Appeal:

We are grateful to all parishioners who have given to the New Hampshire Catholic Appeal. As of today, our parishioners have raised **\$8,550.00** toward our goal of \$28,422.00. Remember that the Appeal replaces several diocesan 2nd collections throughout the year. Gift envelopes are available in the church entrances. We need the support of all of our parish families to reach our parish goal. Please make all checks payable to **New Hampshire Catholic Appeal**.

The Grand Annual Collection is off to a great start! This is an ongoing collection, not simply a one-time collection taken up at the weekend Masses. The purpose of the collection is to begin the process of funding the larger repair and maintenance projects on the various parish buildings, both current and future. The first priority will be structural issues and repairs of St. Mary Church. Additional envelopes are now available for all in the church. Thank you for your generosity!



Sunday Meals



Fr. Sebastian is enjoying the food being provided for him on Sundays. If you are interested in setting aside an extra plate of food or making a small meal for Father, please contact Gail Roberts at markgijoe@icloud.com or 603-543-4187.

The Sanctuary candle burning in the church may be burned as an offering in memory of a loved one or for the special intention of someone by making a \$10.00 donation to the parish. This is an offering that has been available at St. Mary Church but not given much attention over the past several years. The intention of the offering will be published in the bulletin. Offering requests made be scheduled for specific weeks of the year to commemorate special dates or anniversaries. Please contact the parish office for further information.

