

# St. Mary Roman Catholic Church

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## Pastor

Administrative Assistant

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Catholic Outreach Director

Rev. Maria Sebastian Susairaj, HGN

Mary K. Keating

Joe Labrecque

Kevin Krawiec

Moriah Lombardi

Knights of Columbus Fr. Cote Council 1820

Denny Francis

*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

## ST. MARY CEMETERY

Old Church Road

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

Thursday

6:00 - 7:00 PM

## 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

## CATHOLIC OUTREACH HOURS

Tuesday

2:00 PM

**May 21, 2023**  
**Seventh Sunday of Easter**





# Fr. Sebastian

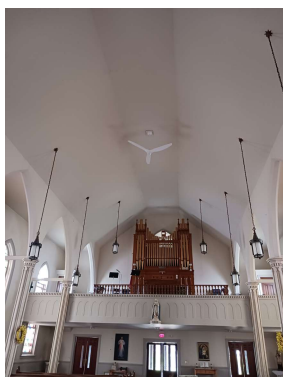
You were much missed!



Hey...look up!

Wait, is that a  
new ceiling fan?

Why, yes, it is!



Thanks to the generous donation from a parish family, new ceiling fans were installed in St. Mary Church last week. Not only are these fans extremely efficient and capable of moving the air much faster and stronger, they are much more quiet than the old ones!

The parish family wished to remain anonymous with their donation. Even so, we want to express our gratitude for such a wonderful gift to the Church!

May God bless the good people of St. Mary Parish!



**May 20, 2023—May 28, 2023**

<b>Sat. May 20</b> 4:00 PM	<b>Vigil of Seventh Sunday of Easter</b> Sally Michaud (†) By Ray Michaud
<b>Sun. May 21</b> 8:00 AM	<b>Seventh Sunday of Easter</b> For the People
10:30 AM	Roy Lucier (†) By Les & Sandi St. Pierre
<b>Mon. May 22</b> 9:00 AM	<b>Easter Weekday</b> Lillian Harvey (†), Leonard & Alma Newell (†) and Ida Bresell (†) By Deborah Harvey
<b>Tue. May 23</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b> No Mass
<b>Wed. May 24</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b> No Mass
<b>Thur. May 25</b> 9:00 AM	<b>Easter Weekday</b> Frank and Maryanne Sanders By Albert & Doris Bergeron
<b>Fri. May 26</b> 9:00 AM	<b>St. Philip Neri, Priest</b> James and Marion Denis (†) By Steve Denis
<b>Sat. May 27</b> 9:00 AM	<b>Easter Weekday—Old St. Mary's</b> Ricardo Addario (†) By Charlene Addario
4:00 PM	<b>Vigil of Pentecost Sunday</b> For the People
<b>Sun. May 28</b> 8:00 AM	<b>Pentecost Sunday</b> Emig and Mathauser Families By Frank Emig
10:30 AM	Bonnie Giampa (†) By Her Big Sister

*The Rosary is prayed 20 minutes before each daily Mass.*

*The first 9:00 AM Saturday Mass of the season at Old St. Mary Church is Saturday, May 27th.*

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK. . .

Mon. May 22	Acts 19:1-8/Jn 16:29-33
Tues. May 23	Acts 20:17-27/Jn 17:1-11
Wed. May 24	Acts 20:28-38/Jn 17:11-19
Thurs. May 25	Acts 22:30, 23:6-11/Jn 17:20-26
Fri. May 26	Acts 25:13-21/Jn 21:15-19
Sat. May 27	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Jn 21:20-25
Sun. May 28	Acts 2:1-11/1 cor 12:3-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23

## PARISH OFFERING

### SUNDAY OFFERTORY - MAY 14, 2023

Envelopes (59).....	\$2,319.50
Loose.....	\$991.00
Church Maintenance.....	\$1,005.00
Parish Craft Fair.....	\$529.00
Mother's Day Bake Sale.....	\$836.00

### ONLINE GIVING

Offertory.....	\$987.31
Church Maintenance.....	\$138.16
Fuel.....	\$71.03

Total Collected for Grand Annual Collection...\$26,328.00

### UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

Catholic Communications Campaign	May 20/21
Catholic Outreach	May 27/28

*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

Deb Bedard	Jake Grey	Melvin Parker
Georgette Boudreau	Renee Honeman	Shirley Pierce
Mary Brunet	Geoffrey Houle	Lynn Raymond
Stephen Burlew	Timothy Houle	Mary Raymond
Andy Champy	David Immic	Andrew St. Pierre
Joseph Dalton	Nancy Kingsbury	Jennifer Prentice
Mary DiFilippo	Pam LaBounty	Seth Prentice
Susan Doody	Diane Landry	Mary Sullivan
Jimmy Dunn	John Laushance	Peter Sullivan
Charles Eastman	Matthew Limoges	Christine Snyder
Chuck Ferland	Fr. John Loughnane	Richard Tremblay
Joan Flaherty	Shirley McNutt	Chee Chee Tyrrell
Dennis Fontaine	Sylvia Michaud	Louise Unger
Rev Msgr Donald Gilbert	David Montano	George Veilleux
David Goodwin	Leanne Mortell	Joe Wallace
David Grey	Mary Ouellette	



The Sanctuary Lamp in St. Mary Church  
will burn this week in memory of  
Carol Braga  
as requested by a friend.



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!

Parish registration forms are available in the back of the church or on the parish website.

Please contact the Parish Office at [stmarysclaremont@comcast.net](mailto:stmarysclaremont@comcast.net) or (603) 542-9518 if you have questions.



## HYMNS—Seventh Sunday of Easter

Processional Hymn: #633—Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Offertory Hymn: #517—For the Beauty of the Earth

Communion Hymn: *Choir*

Anima Christi: #699

Recessional Hymn: #314—Immaculate Mary



### Knights of Columbus Aluminum Can Drive

Sat. May 27th — 3:00—4:00 PM...St. Mary Rectory Garage

Sun. May 28th — 7:30—10:30 AM...St. Mary Rectory Garage

Aluminum cans only! Rinse out cans, do not crush them.  
5 cent plastic soda bottles marked VT accepted. Check markings!  
**Proceeds go to 2 seminarians and a postulant.**



## Catholic Outreach—St. Mary Parish

If you or someone you know needs assistance with food or living expenses, please call Denny Francis of Catholic Outreach at 603-543-0551

## Sacramental Preparation Classes

Classes began on Sunday, January 29, 2023. All classes will be held following the 10:30 AM Mass (approximately 11:30). These classes are designed for those baptized children, 2nd grade and above, who desire the Sacraments of First Holy Communion, First Confession and Confirmation. We will meet every other Sunday in the St. Dominic Room on the 2nd floor of the Annex building. Because this catechesis is part of the Family Faith Formation program, parents are encouraged to attend. Any questions, please contact Kevin Krawiec at 603-801-6130 or [kkrawiec26@gmail.com](mailto:kkrawiec26@gmail.com).



## Mount Royal Academy

Mount Royal Academy in Sunapee, NH, is hiring for the academic year 2023-2024. All full-time teachers must be practicing Catholics, have an understanding of classical teaching methods, an affinity for children, and the desire to help them grow into the people God calls them to be. Teaching and non-teaching positions are available, including custodial staff. Please visit our website at <https://www.mountroyalacademy.com/about/employment> for a complete listing of job opportunities.

### MOUNT ROYAL ACADEMY ENROLL NOW FOR 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR



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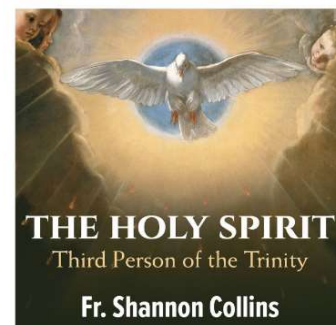
PRIORITIZED PARENT PARTNERSHIPS

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### The Holy Spirit: Third Person of the Trinity by Fr. Shannon Collins

In this captivating presentation, Fr. Shannon Collins discusses the essential character of the Holy Spirit and his role in salvation history. Drawing upon Scripture and Tradition, Fr. Collins explains the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit and how he works in the lives of believers. Listeners are sure to come to a better appreciation of this "sweet guest of our soul" who seeks to bring us closer to divine life.

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We are grateful to all our parishioners who have given to the New Hampshire Catholic Appeal. As of today, our parishioners have raised \$500.00 toward our goal of \$28,422.00. 100% of the funds raised above this Appeal goal are returned to our parish this year. If you have not made your gift yet,

please bring your envelope to Mass next weekend or make your gift online at [www.catholicnh.org/nhca](http://www.catholicnh.org/nhca). Extra gift envelopes are available at each entrance of the church. We need the support of all our parish families to reach our parish goal. Thank you for your support of these important needs and ministries of the Church.