

St. Mary Roman Catholic Church

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Music Director
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Very Rev. Shawn Therrien, V.G.
Rev. Arockia Antony, HGN
Rev. Deacon Paul Boucher
Rev. Deacon James Wilton
Mary K. Keating
Joe Labrecque
Kevin Krawiec

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday	4:00 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM / 10:30 AM
Monday / Tuesday / Friday	12:10 PM
Wednesday	7:30 AM
No Mass on Thursday	

MASSES AT OLD ST. MARY CHURCH

Saturday Morning Mass at 8:00 AM every week
(June to October) at Old St. Mary Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday and Friday	3:00 - 4:00 PM
Saturday	3:00 - 3:45 PM

VOCATIONS HOLY HOUR

Thursday	6:00 - 7:00 PM
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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

April 11, 2021
Sunday of Divine Mercy

April 2021 Apostolate of Prayer for Clergy & Religious-Manchester

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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If you or someone you know have any interest in a vocation to the Priesthood, Religious Life, or Diaconate, please contact: Rev. Matthew Mason
Diocese of Manchester/Vocations Office
153 Ash St
Manchester, NH 03104
Phone: 603-669-3100 Ext. 0196
E-mail: mmason@rcbm.org

4	Our Holy Father Francis	Rev Andrew W Cyrans	All Deceased Priests and Religious of the Diocese	Rev John Mackenzie	Rev Anthony Di Russo	Rev Jeffrey Statz	Rev Richard A Roberge
5	Gerald Cardinal Lacroix	Rev Maurice Abasilim	Rev Britto Adaikalam HGN	Rev Robert G Boitsvert	Rev Robert G Boitsvert	Rev Aaron Liebert FSSP	Rev John W Fleming
11	Bishop Peter A Libasci	Msgr Paul L Bouchard	Dc Wayne R Bolduc	Rev Daniel R Deveau	Dc Ramon Andrade	Rev Stephen F Concannon	Seminarians Rev Mr Joseph Moynahan
12	Bishop Francis J Christian	Rev Boniface Agbata	Dc John R Turner	Rev Arockia I Antony HGN	Dc Raymond Wheeler	Rev Christopher Gaffney OPM	Mr Daniel Mikolajewski
18	Bishops John B McCormack	For All Priests on Leave	Rev Ryan Amazeen	Dc John B Castelot	Seminarians Mr Rory J Traynor	Rev Patrick Gilbert	Msgr Richard B Thompson
19	Joseph J Gerry OSB	Rev Gary J Kosmowski	Rev Gary J Kosmowski	Dc Lam T Tran	Mr Cuong Van Nguyen	Rev Shawn M Therrien	Rev Richard H Dion
25	RIP Bishops Denis M Bradley	Rev Marcos Gonzalez-Torres	Rev Daniel O Lamothe	Rev Marcel M Allard	Dc Paul R Boucher	For Vocations to the Priesthood, Religious & Consecrated Life	
26	John B DeLany	Rev Marc B Drouin	Rev Steven M Lepine	Rev Volney DeKostia	Dc Kenneth J Swyer		

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Loving and gracious God, your son Jesus reminded us: "To love one another as I have loved you." (John 15:12) May we never forget Jesus' words in all that we do.

We pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life in the Diocese of Manchester.

Give us the gifts of the Holy Spirit so we can serve you more faithfully in our own vocations of married, single, religious or priestly life.

Help us to support one another in our vocations and to work together to build up your kingdom here on earth. Amen.

Prayerfully prepared for you by:

Mr. Tony Haley
153 Ash St.
Manchester, NH 03104
Phone: 603-3100 Ext. 0100
E-mail: thaley@rcbm.org

April 10, 2021—April 18, 2021

Sat. Apr 10 4:00 PM	Vigil of Divine Mercy Sunday Geraldine Palya (†) By Family
Sun. Apr 11 8:00 AM	Sunday of Divine Mercy For the People
10:30 AM	Leo and Marie Gregory (†) By Shirley Baldasaro
Mon. Apr 12 12:10 PM	Easter Weekday Theodore and Anita Rouillard (†) By the Estate
Tue. Apr 13 12:10 PM	Easter Weekday Mary and Park Goddard (†) By the Estate
Wed. Apr 14 7:30 AM	Easter Weekday Ernest Laramie (†) By John & Caroline Merchant
Thur. Apr 15	Easter Weekday No Mass
Fri. Apr 16 12:10 PM	Easter Weekday All Souls
Sat. Apr 17 4:00 PM	Vigil of Third Sunday of Easter Benoit and Antoinette Lafreniere (†) By Paul & Lorraine Lafreniere
Sun. Apr 18 8:00 AM	Third Sunday of Easter Michael Villers (†) By Family
10:30 AM	For the People

All 3 Weekend Masses are livestreamed on the parish Facebook page. The church is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available Monday and Friday from 3:00-4:00 PM.

Thank you to all who are generously sending in their weekly offertory. Please continue to support the parish weekly. It is imperative to the running of our parish. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!
- Fr. Shawn

READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

Mon. Apr 12	Acts 4:23-31/Jn 3:1-8
Tues. Apr 13	Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7-15
Wed. Apr 14	Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21
Thurs. Apr 15	Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36
Fri. Apr 16	Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15
Sat. Apr 17	Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21
Sun. Apr 18	Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 Jn 2:1-5/Lk 24:35-48

WEEKLY OFFERING . . . Stewardship
Giving of Time, Talent and Treasure in gratitude for all of God's gifts.
Thank you for your generosity!
Thank you also for those who make up envelopes!

Holy Land	\$ 252.00
Easter	\$5480.50

Upcoming Second Collections

Fuel	Apr 10/11
Buck-A-Month	Apr 17/18
St. Vincent de Paul Society	Apr 24/25

PLEASE NOTE ... All checks made payable to: St. Mary Parish.
You are welcome to indicate the collection in the memo section of your check. Checks for St. Vincent de Paul Society **should be made payable to St. Vincent de Paul Society.**

PRAYER LIST

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

Bill Beattie	Charles Fletcher	Shirley McNutt
Gloria Beattie	Dennis Fontaine	Matthew Merrill
Joan Beattie	Herb Foster	Ann Milan
Scott Beattie	David Grey	David Montano
William Beattie	Jay Grey	Mary Ouellette
Deb Bedard	Joan Grey	Mike Poirier
Jeanette Benware	Douglas Hartwell	Mary Raymond
Deacon Paul Boucher	Deborah Hemingway	Lucille Richards
Carol Braga	Renee Honeman	Gloria Santini
Gary Bromley	Gabriel Houle	Cheryl Shaimas
Pauline Buckner	David Immic	Christopher Shaimas
Stephen Burlew	Donna Kulacz	Andrew St. Pierre
Sis Corsale	Richard LaCasce	Elaine St. Pierre
Douglas Craig	Pearl Landry	Marcy St. Pierre
McKenna Day	Ray Lemieux	Mary Sullivan
Rebecca DeVoyd	Merranda Lenahan	Peter Sullivan
Claire Doe	Matthew Limoges	Christine Synder
Susan Doody	Roy Lucier	Carolyn Theroux
Thomas Eagen	Lucille Matteau	David White
Charles Eastman	Terry McGuire	Roy Winot

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY LOVED ONES

Zachary Long... US Army
Raymond F. Parizo, Jr...US Navy
Call the parish office to add your loved ones in the service.

Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions—April 2021

Universal Intention—Fundamental Rights

We pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorships, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies in crisis.

REMEMBERING DURING THE YEAR

"Memorial Candle Fund"

Candles burning in the Church/Adoration Chapel
for those who are dying.

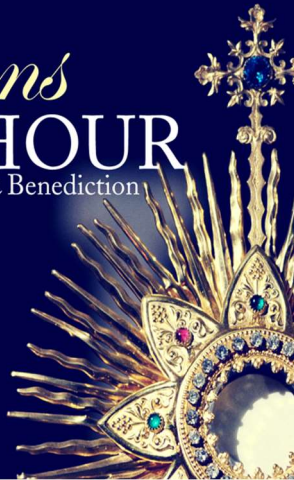


Welcome New Parishioners...Just moved to this area? We welcome you to St. Mary Parish. Please stop by the parish office or call (603) 542-9518 for "new parishioner" information!

Vocations HOLY HOUR

Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

Every
Thursday
Evening
6:00–7:00 PM



The Diocese of Manchester invites all to join in an Easter Series, "The Resurrection and the Church's Mission in the Public Square." This series is offered to help New Hampshire Catholics reflect more deeply on the Easter message and its meaning today for our state, our country, and the whole world. The full series is available in a free-eBook at catholicnh.org/Easter that contains brief written offerings and short excerpts from various church writings on the topics that are covered for each week of the Easter Season.



ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Bishop Peter A. Libasci invites couples celebrating any significant wedding anniversaries during the year 2021 to pray with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass via livestream on **Sunday, April 18, 2021 at 2:00 p.m.** All registering couples will receive a certificate from the bishop recognizing their anniversaries and a link to an at-home date night kit. Registering couples may opt to attend a virtual couple's trivia night for a small fee (\$10/couple). Please contact Alyse Hlasny at ahlasny@rcbm.org or at (603) 663-0108 with any questions. Registration deadline is April 11th.

New Online Support Group from Catholic Charities

Divorce/separation can be an uncomfortable and often misunderstood topic, and for those directly impacted, a painful process with many questions often left unanswered. Catholic Charities NH will be hosting its next online support group, "Divorce/ Separation: Why me? What can I do?" for those navigating the divorce process or trying to find their way afterward. Participants will learn more about the dynamics of divorce, better understand their options, learn helpful coping strategies, and support others on the same journey. The program will be held via Zoom for six consecutive Wednesdays (at noon) starting April 21. To register, visit www.cc-nh.org/supportgroup or call 603-752-1325.

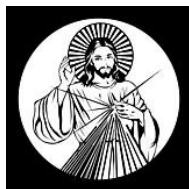
All good things come to an end. I have been diagnosed with serious health issues that prevent me from continuing my deaconate responsibilities. I have thoroughly enjoyed my almost 19 years with you. I have baptized your children, married others and performed funerals of your loved ones. Please pray for me as I go through this time of my life. A blessed Easter season to all of you. Deacon Paul



Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You are present
in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were
already there and unite myself
wholly to You. Never permit me
to be separated from You.

Amen.



Divine Mercy Sunday April 11, 2021 St Mary Church

Noon—3:00 PM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

2:00—2:45 PM

Confessions

3:00 PM

Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Dear Friends,

Would you like to learn more about the secular Third Order of St. Francis? We would like to begin a Third Order in our parish. Please email Fr. John Loughnane at allsaints3@comcast.net for more information and to sign up. Without withdrawing from the world, the Third Order carries out the principles of Franciscan life. We perform works of teaching, charity, and social service. We will give you more information and plan our first meeting in the near future.

May the Lord bless you always,
Fr. John Loughnane
All Saints Parish
PO Box 332
Charlestown, NH 03603
603-717-5603

ALL LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Fr. Shawn has decided to resume full participation of lectors, Eucharistic ministers, and altar servers for all weekend Masses beginning next weekend. If you feel comfortable serving again on the altar, please contact the parish office at 542-9518 or stmarysclaremont@comcast.net. The plan is to have a schedule in place for the summer months.