# St. Mary Roman Catholic Church



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# Sunday ~ September 15, 2019 Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor Parochial Vicar Deacons

Administrative Assistant Music Director

Very Rev. Shawn Therrien, V.G. Rev. Arockia Antony, HGN Rev. Deacon Paul Boucher Rev. Deacon James Wilton

Mary K. Keating Joe Labrecque

#### LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 8:00 / 10:30 AM Monday / Wednesday 7:30 AM Tuesday / Friday 12:10 PM 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**

Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 PM

#### **ADORATION CHAPEL**

#### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Thursday ONLY 6:00 AM - 8:00 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 - 8:00 PM
Friday	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM - 12 Noon
Sunday	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Remember the St. Mary Renovation Fund in your Will.

Church is illuminated this week for all souls.

My Queen and my Mother, I give You myself and to show my devotion to you I consecrate to you this day, and for ever my eyes, ears, mouth, heart, wholly and without reserve. Wherefore good Mother as I am your own, keep me defend me, as your property and your own possession. Amen

St. Teresa of Calcutta

#### September 9, 2019

The St. Mary's Yard Sale was a BIG success!

I wish to sincerely thank the numerous people who donated items for the annual yard sale. I would also like to extend my deep appreciation to the parishioners who worked tirelessly for weeks preparing for the event and to those who worked the day of the sale.

With these combined efforts we were able to raise \$11,163.50 for St. Mary's Parish.

God Bless,

Norma J. Limoges Chairperson



#### Treasures, Treasures, Treasures!

Treasures and bargains galore await shoppers as the final work is being completed for St. Mary's hugely popular Giantic Indoor Yard Sale at St. Mary's Gym in Claremont, scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 7, from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Proceeds will benefit St. Mary's Parish. This year's event features 125 tables and



bleachers covered with everything from dishes and glassware to toys, baskets, jewelry, china, picture frames, movies, CDs, well, you get it, pretty much anything you can think of. Organizer Norma Limoges had a crew of dozens helping on Wednesday and from the smiles around, it was clear that everyone was having a good time lending a hand. "It's like a reunion each year," she said, noting how many of the same volunteers come each time to help. Now in its 12th year, this year's event promises another fun time for shoppers as they peruse the bargains for sale. Lay away, carry out service and food/beverages will also be offered. Above: Views of the thousands of items for sale on Saturday; below: Organizer Norma Limoges offers volunteer Gary Lambert cookies as a thank you while working on Wednesday; glassware sparkles, awaiting new owners. (Phyllis A. Muzeroll photos).





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# Shoppers' Delight...

Things were hopping at St. Mary's hugely popular Gigantic Indoor Yard Sale at St. Mary's Gym in Claremont on Saturday as shoppers perused the thousands of items and left with plenty of bargains. Proceeds will benefit St. Mary's Parish (Eric Zengota photo).



My sincerest thank you to everyone involved with the Parish Yard Sale for their generous dedication and effort in pulling off another big event to support the parish. In particular, I wish to recognize and express my deepest gratitude to Norma. We would be lost without her!

God bless you all, Fr. Shawn

#### September 14, 2019—September 22, 2019

Vigil of the Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sat. Sept 14 4:00 PM Alana Carpenter (†)

By Family

Sun. Sept 15 Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM For the People

10:30 AM Joshua Head By Friends

Mon. Sept 16 Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian, Martyrs

7:30 AM All Souls

Tue. Sept 17 Weekday 12:10 PM All Souls

Wed. Sept 18 Weekday 7:30 AM All Souls

Thur. Sept 19 Weekday No Mass

Fri. Sept 20 Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Paul Chong, Martyrs

12:10 PM Anthony Sadoques (†)

By St. Mary School Class of 1954

St. Matthew, Apostle (Old St. Mary's) Sat. Sept 21

8:00 AM All Souls

Vigil of the Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM Ronald Companion (†)

By Family

Sun. Sept 22 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM **Emig and Mathauser Families** 

By Frank Emig

10:30 AM For the People

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK. . .

Mon. Sept 16 1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 7:1-10 Tues. Sept 17 1 Tm 3:1-13/Lk 7:11-17 Wed. Sept 18 1 Tm 3:14-16/Lk 7:31-35 Thurs. Sept 19 1 Tm 4:12-16/Lk 7:36-50 Fri. Sept 20 1 Tm 6:2-12/Lk 8:1-3 Sat. Sept 21 Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Mt 9:9-13 Sept 22 Am 8:4-7/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 Sun.

#### The Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions—September 2019

The Protection of the Oceans—That politicians, scientists, and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

#### PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY LOVED ONES

Zachary Long... US Army Raymond F. Parizo, Jr....US Navy Joseph Villers....US Army

Call the parish office to add your loved ones in the service.

#### 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!

September 8, 2019

Offertory \$ 3678.00 Fuel \$ 1632.00

**Second Collections** 

Buck-A-Month Sept 14/15 NH Priests Retirement Sept 21/22 St. Vincent de Paul Society Sept 28/29

PLEASE NOTE ... All checks are payable to: St. Mary Parish. If you would like to put in the memo section what collection it is that is fine, just as long as checks are made out to the church! 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

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	Jeff Albright	Earl Gregoire	Sylvia Michaud
	Doris Allen	Val Gregoire	David Montano
	Erich Baccke	Jeannine Grenier	Kerry Mulvey
	Jeffrey Baker	Brendan Gunning	Mary Murphy
	James Baljak	Marion Hamilton	Mary Ouellette
	Linda-Joy Beauregard	Bailey Hanson	Erin Cahill Pacheco
	Deborah Bedard	Hope Haworth	Rosalie Parker
	Janet Blaisdell	Deborah Hemingway	Mike Poirier
	Carolyn Bouchard	Renee Honeman	Marilyn Prever
	Joseph Bouchard	Anne Houle	Mary Raymond
	Carol Braga	Gabriel Houle	Joey Rittlinger
	James Bridges Family	David Immic	Kim Rounds
	Gary Bromley	Gary Lyle Kingsbury	Gloria Santini
	Pauline Buckner	Richard LaCasce	Linda Denis Schneider
	William Burr, Jr.	Bertha Lamarre	Andrew St. Pierre
	Ken Christy	Pearl Landry	Elaine St. Pierre
	Sis Corsale	Norman LeBlanc	Moe St. Pierre
	Sarah Davis	Ray Lemieux	Irene Stearns
	James DeTore	Merranda Lenahan	Mary Sullivan
	Jim Dilts	Matthew Limoges	Christine Synder
	Claire Doe	Roy Lucier	Helene Therriault
	Sr. Paulette Ducharme	Cassandra Mae Lufkin	Michael Villers
	Thomas Eagen	Peter McCusker	Theresa Viger
	Charles Eastman	Brayden McEnany	Bill Walsh
	Charles Fletcher	Helen McGuire	Steve Wheeler
	Donat Gagne	Terry McGuire	David White
	Alison Gagnon	Shirley McNutt	Lisa Buckner White
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If you notice people on the prayer list who may be taken off for whatever reason, please let us know so that we may keep the list updated. Also if you have someone you would like on the prayer list, please let us know that as well.

#### **Vocations Prayer Corner**



This week we pray for youth ministers. May they find creative ways to help their youth to know and to respond to their vocation. May they be strengthened and encouraged to continue the good work they do in working with the youth.

**REMINDER:** Those who attend Sunday morning Masses are asked to please not park in the Grace River Baptist Church parking lot (alongside the handicap ramp into St. Mary's). Please park in either the rectory parking lot or the school parking lot. Thank you!

**HYMNS—Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

**Entrance Antiphon: Page 236** 

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

Communion Antiphon: Page 238

Communion Hymn: #155—Here I Am, Lord

Recessional Hymn: #84—Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!

NOTE: Neither Fr. Shawn, Fr. Arockia, or any parish staff members will ever ask for money, donations, gifts cards, etc. via email. Please do not respond to such an email as it is a fraud!



### **Priesthood Sunday** September 29th

This year we will not only be praying for priests and praising God for such a beautiful gift to His Church but also providing an opportunity to spend a few moments after the Sunday morning Masses at both parishes to let Fr. Shawn and Fr. Arockia know how much we appreciate their "yes" to God! Following the 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM Masses at St. Mary's and the 9:00 AM Mass at St. Joseph's, the Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Daughters will be providing coffee and refreshments.

Also, beginning this weekend there are Spiritual Bouquet cards available at the back of each church, as well as in the parish office, for you to fill out for Fr. Shawn and Fr. Arockia. Spiritual Bouquets are simple prayer offerings for another, in this case for the priests. There are designated baskets for you to put them in, which will then be collected and given to the Fathers on Priesthood Sunday.

Priests need our prayers and support! Let us give thanks to God for the gift of His Priesthood by supporting Fr. Shawn and Fr. Arockia through our prayers, words, and deeds.



#### ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Bishop Peter A. Libasci invites all couples celebrating an anniversary in 2019 of 5, 25 or 50 years, to attend the Fall Wedding Anniversary Mass. This celebration will be held on Sunday, October 20, 2019 at 2:00 p.m., at St. Joseph Cathedral, Manchester. To register, please contact your parish office by September 20, 2019. The parish office will gather and submit all necessary information. Once registration has been completed by the parish office, all registrants will receive an invitation to this special celebration. Couples celebrating anniversaries of 10, 15, 20, 30, 35, 40, 45 or 55+ years will be asked to register later for a spring celebration. To all other married couples, congratulations and we look forward to seeing you at this fall's Wedding Anniversary Mass!



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

#### REMEMBERING DURING THE YEAR "Memorial Candle Fund"

Candles burning in the Church/Adoration Chapel for all souls.

#### **Upcoming Pro-Life Event:**

Saturday September 28

Prayer-Witness Vigil for Life Across from Planned Parenthood

136 Pleasant Street, Claremont, NH

Noon to 1:00 p.m.

All are welcome to come witness for life and pray the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy for the unborn and to convert the culture of death.

#### **PENNY SALE**

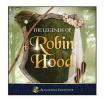
Sunday—October 6, 2019 1:00 PM (Doors open at 12 noon) St. Joseph Church Hall Elm Street—Claremont NH

100 Plus Prizes / Refreshments Sponsored by and benefit of Catholic Daughters of the Americas Ct. Virgil H. Barber #892

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## The Legends of **Robin Hood**



"My son and I thoroughly enjoyed this rendition of Robin Hood."

—Jessica S., Leslie, MI

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#### Join the Adventure

The child of a reputable family and a faithful son of the Church, Robert of Locksley became an outlaw when the relentless cruelty of England's nobility demanded that someone rise up.

