

Parish Support

JANUARY 29, 2012

Offertory Envelopes	\$5,381.00
Offertory Loose	\$715.28
Total	\$6,096.28
Maintenance	\$30.00
St. Jude Charity	\$250.00
Catholic School Education	5.00
Aid to Eastern Europe (Ash Wednesday)	5.00
Catholic Relief Services	5.00



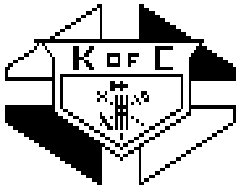
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Pledges & Memorials:	\$1,435,333
Received Against Pledges:	\$1,408,675
Total Remaining:	\$26,658
Payment for Land:	\$445,272
Balance in Account:	\$1,001,877
#Families Pledged/Memorials:	720

DIOCESAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION COLLECTION

Our Parish is assessed \$23,469.60 on an annual basis (\$1,955.80 per month) to help support our New Hampshire Catholic Schools. These funds come directly from our Offertory. In an effort to minimize the impact on our cash flow, we have included a special envelope in the envelope package which can be deposited in a second collection the Weekend of February 18th and 19th. Please consider a generous donation Fr. Bob

“A KNIGHT OF REFLECTION”



Is God on trial? Should there be any involvement by Government in matters concerning religious beliefs and faith? How do I feel about prayer in School? Should discrimination laws apply to religious institutions to protect Priest

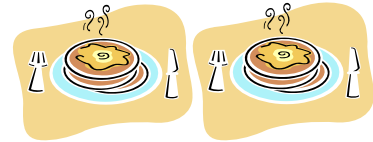
or Sisters? Come join us as we explore and discuss these questions and more in a "Knight of Reflection" on Wednesday, February 8th, at 7:30PM in the Parish Hall. The presentation will last about an hour. Refreshments will be served after the presentation. The program is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. All men in the Parish 18 years and older, and their friends, are invited to come and share their thoughts. If you are interested please contact David O'Rourke, at dworourke@comcast.net or 978-853-8661 so that we can plan accordingly. We hope you will join us.

FUDGE FRENZY



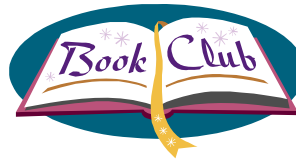
The St. Jude Senior's will be selling their famous fudge the weekend of February 11th and 12th. The St. Jude Seniors are also giving everyone the opportunity to preorder your favorite flavor. Flavors include Chocolate, Chocolate w/walnuts, Penuche, and Penuche w/walnuts. The price for the fudge will be \$8.00 per pound

and \$4.00 for half a pound. Please call Sylvia Bailey at 432-7729 to preorder or for more information.



PANCAKE BREAKFAST

On February 12th there will be a benefit Pancake Breakfast for Jace Lamarre's Eagle Project. His project is to renovate the garden and grounds of St. Jude. All funds raised will be used for the project or donated to St. Jude. The benefit pancake breakfast will be at Applebee's in Derry, 14 Manchester Road. A five dollar ticket will get you unlimited pancakes, eggs, bacon and beverage. The breakfast will run from 8:00AM-10:00AM and all are welcome. If you were unable to purchase tickets after the Masses they will be available at the door (Applebee's) on the day of the event. If anyone is interested in helping with the project in April please contact Jace Lamarre at Dmlamarre@comcast.net with the subject line Eagle Project Help.



BOOK CLUB SELECTION

The next book club selection chosen for our review is A Shepherd Looks at Psalm 23 by

Philip Keller. "The Lord is my shepherd I shall not be in want"... Travel the shepherd's path to the green pastures and cool, refreshing waters of Psalm 23. As a Shepherd, Philip Keller shares his insights into the life and character of sheep – and of the Good Shepherd who loves and cares for them. This beloved classic will give new meaning to the ageless Shepherd Psalm/ enriching your trust in and love of the Lord who watches closely over you. Your next meeting is Wednesday February 29th at 7:00PM in Deacon Marc's Office

“NEW BEGINNINGS” CONCERT



St. Mark's Knights of Columbus will present An Evening with Frederico Cardello and Friends, a benefit concert at the Stockbridge Theatre at Pinkerton Academy on Friday, March 23rd at 7:30PM. The critically acclaimed

Cardello is an Italian-American tenor who also sings adult contemporary and classical pop music. Joining Frederico will be an array of amazing local talent, including the renowned Londonderry High School Drum line. For additional information and tickets, visit www.kofcconcert.org or call the ticket office at 603-437-5210. Admission is \$17.50 for adults and \$12.50 for students/seniors. Proceeds will benefit the Rosemarie Cox Scholarship and other local charitable causes.

St. Francis of Assisi

Preach the Gospel at all times,
and, when necessary, use words.

To restore all things in Christ, that Christ might be all and in all:
2 Cor 15:28

Religious Education

Kindergarten through 8th Grade

Religious Education Director,
Trish 437-7026

SUMMER SESSION NOTES

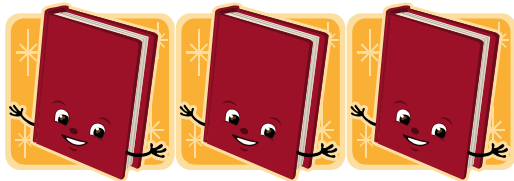
The two week Summer Session of Religious Education has been scheduled for the weeks of July 9th and 16th. Those who are interested in being involved as a Catechist or Aide in the Summer Program are asked to attend a special meeting on Wednesday, February 15th at 7:00PM in the Parish Hall. Please call 432-7026 if you have any questions.



PARENTS OF SECOND GRADE YOUTH

Please return the Mass Choice form for First Communion to the Religious Education Office, or email your choices, **as soon as possible**.

Requests for a specific Mass will be filled on a first come, first served basis and will be limited to a certain number of youth per Mass.



\$\$\$ BUCK A BOOK SALE \$\$\$

Save those books from Christmas that you've already read and donate them to our annual "Buck a Book Sale", which will be held on the weekend of February 11th & 12th between the Masses, in the Parish Hall. You may drop off your books in the Religious Education Office or the Parish Hall any time during our regular office hours. On the weekend of the sale come back and buy new books to get you through the cold dark, winter. The proceeds of the sale are donated to the Greater Derry/Londonderry Relay for Life which will be held in June.



DRESS CODE REMINDER FOR K THROUGH 10

Youth are expected to dress appropriately when attending Religious Education classes.

Appropriate dress means appropriate to the setting as well as modest, so...**Pajamas/Sleepwear** should not be worn to class, **Shorts** length should reach to your fingertips when you stand with your arms hanging by your side; **Waistbands** on your shorts/pants should cover your buttocks; **Underwear** belongs under clothing and should not be visible; **Straps** on tops should be at least two fingers wide covering underwear; Cleavage, **though** a gift from God, is not a gift you should share with everyone! **Tops** should cover cleavage and the abdomen. Parents of inappropriately dressed youth will be called to either bring appropriate clothing to youth or to take youth home from class.

Faith Formation

For Grades 6 through 12

Youth Minister,
Diane 425-1795

Signup **Sheets/Permission Slips** for these events can be found on the wall display unit outside the Youth Ministry Office.

Greater Community = Serving God and Others

Mon., Feb. 6th: Sunshine Soup Kitchen 3:00PM - 5:45PM
Thur., Feb. 9th: New Horizon Food Pantry 5:45PM - 7:15PM

ANY SATURDAY: NH Food Bank 9:00AM - Noon
Distribute food to the hungry at the JFK Municipal Ice Rink Parking Lot on Maple Street in Manchester. For more information please call 669-9725.

St. Jude = Serving God in your Parish

ANY WEEKEND: Preparing the Pews after Masses
4:00PM, 8:00AM, 10:00AM. Call Diane at 425-1795.

Youth Ministry = Growing in God

If you still need this category, please call Diane at 425-1795 for ideas and suggested readings or approved videos.



FUNTASTIC FRIDAY NIGHTS

(An evening of fun, fellowship and faith)

Next meeting: February 17, 2012, 7:00 - 9:00PM

For more information please contact Deb Johnson at 537-1073 or dananddeb39@comcast.net.

NOT ON MY WATCH REQUIRED TRAINING

All parish staff and volunteers who work with minors who completed their initial Protecting God's Children training on or prior to January 1, 2009 are required to complete the on line training program "**Not On My Watch**" on or before February 28, 2012 and to submit the Certificate of Completion to the Parish Office. Instructions: (1) Go to: www.nhchildsafety.org, (2) Click on "Register Here", (3) Enter registration code: **child safety**, (4) Click on "Next" and complete the registration information, (5) Turn off your popup blocker. Complete the online training. (Approximately 1 - 1 1/2 hours) Training must be complete before February 28, 2012. Fr. Bob

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

IMPORTANT DATES FOR SECOND GRADE YOUTH

First Penance/Reconciliation Retreat for Parents and Youth on Saturday, March 10th in the Parish Hall, 10:00AM – 12:00PM.

Sacrament of First Penance / Reconciliation will be celebrated on Saturday, May 12th 10:00AM - 12:00PM.

First Communion Retreat for Parents and Youth on Saturday, April 14th in the Parish Hall 10:00AM - 12:00PM.

Sacrament of First Communion will be celebrated on the weekend of May 19th/20th at all the Masses.

If your child will not be able to attend the above dates, please call the Religious Education Office at 437-7026 well in advance, so other arrangements can be made.



COLLEGE OF SAINT MARY MAGDALEN

Winter visitor Weekend will be held at the College of Saint Mary Magdalen; 511 Kearsarge Mountain Rd in Warner, NH on February 9th through 12th 2012. All high school students are invited to attend our winter visitor weekend and have the opportunity to attend the annual ski trip, attend and participate in classes, meet one on one with faculty and admissions representatives, etc. **Reserve a place today!** Contact the Admissions Office at admissions@magdalen.edu or call toll free 877-498-1723.

NASHUA CATHOLIC JUNIOR HIGH OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, February 12 - 12:30-2:00PM

There will be a presentation in the gym at 6 Bartlett Ave., followed by tours and an opportunity to meet the staff. Nashua Catholic offers 7th and 8th graders a rigorous, faith based curriculum and is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. There are three full seasons of Tri-County League athletic participation combined with commitment to student service activity and a full contingent of extracurricular activities round out each student's day at Nashua Catholic Regional Junior High School.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Here begins the Good News of Jesus Christ:
The Gospel of St. Mark

When: Thursday Evenings in Lent:
February 23rd, March 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd
6:30PM-8:30PM

Cost: \$25.00 includes two texts and handouts
Where: St. Pius X Parish Center
165 Sarto St; Manchester, NH

Register: online at www.srtpiusxnh.org
email: parishoffice.stpiusx@comcast.net



BLOOD AND BONE MARROW TYPING DRIVE

The Community Service Committee would like to thank all of the parish volunteers for their efforts and donations at the recent combined drive. We had 112 donors presented for the Red Cross with a grand total of 102 pints collected. **Now an apology.** Due to various reasons, our wait times were longer than usual and for this we apologize. Many donors waited almost two hours to donate. This shows a true dedication to help and for that we are truly appreciative. Please know that we are working with the Red Cross to resolve these issues. In addition, we had eight donors typed for a possible bone marrow match. These numbers are **GREAT**. Thanks to all who baked, cooked or volunteered. Each Drive we get new volunteers either baking or volunteering, and this is awesome, making these events a true parish community event. If you would like to volunteer at future events, please contact Vinny Curro: vincurro@comcast.net or 603-867-7472.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

This weekend our celebration of Catholic Schools Week ends. Although Catholic Schools Week has come to an end, the good work continues. A Catholic school education is a gift that provides strong foundation for life within the communities of faith, learning, service and belonging. Thank you for your continued prayers and support. We are grateful to the clergy, families, faculty, staff and benefactors in the diocese for placing their faith and confidence in the work we are all called to do.



We have an unanticipated vacancy for one female willing to share a room on our Greek trip in April. If you are interested please call Roland or Yvette Simard at 424-5792.

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PRAY FOR . . .

Donald Bailey, Eileen Balzer, Larry & Gwen Barker, Janet Barrows, Chloe Belanger, Annie Bienvenue, Efee Chizari, Raymond Cipoletti, Joanne & Chuck Clark, Mary Costigan, Michael Crouse, Elinor DiBernardo, Nick Doherty, . George Duquette, Ellayne Elias, Jim Finch, Tony Galluzzo, Gabriella Garver. Lucille Gauthier, Geraldine Gello, Leo Gosselin, Lenny Gratton, Sarah Habib, Michelle Hallahan, Jim Hanley, Mary Haynes, Elizabeth Houley, The Kirvin Family, Shirl Kula, Ernest Lanctot, The Laurencio Family, Chris Lott, Fred Manning, Bruce & Kathleen McArthur, Lynne McElveen, Marie McElveen, Maureen Messuri, Eugene Moskal, , Chuck Nurnberger, Sheila O'Keeffe, Daniel Omoglasso, Peggy Perkins, Linda Petterson, Faye Renfer, Cathy Richard, Derek and Trish Reilly, Louise Roscillo, Frank Russo, Sarah Scaletta, Paula Sevigny, Lorraine Smith, Paul & Sandy Stamegna, Irene Sullivan, Michael Sullivan, Susan Thibeault, John Velliquette, Susan Vlahos



In Loving Memory

Please remember in your prayers,
Salvatore Biondo
 Whose Funeral Mass was celebrated
 Saturday January 21, 2012.
 May God grant Him eternal rest and
 May our prayers and support help ease
 the loss felt by His Family.

SANCTUARY LAMP



The Sanctuary Lamp will be dedicated the week of February 4th through February 10th for Our Parish Family, by the Staff. If you would like to dedicate the Sanctuary Lamp in the name of a deceased loved one, please contact Elaine Lafond in the Parish Office at 432-3333.

February 5, 2012

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday:	1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday:	1 Kgs 10:1-10; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday:	1 Kgs 11:4-13; Mk 7:24-30
Friday:	1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday:	1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday:	Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; Ps 32; 1 Cor 10:31 — 11:1; Mk 1:40-45



Share in the
 gospel's blessings.

MASS INTENTIONS

<u>Saturday</u>	<u>04 Feb</u>	<u>Vigil</u> [G]
4:00p	✠ Eleanor Boucher by Jeanne Guilmette	
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>05 Feb</u>	<u>5th Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> [G]
8:00a	✠ Victor Ouellet by	
	Mr and Mrs Maurice Ouellet	
10:00a	✠ Philip & Jean Pantano by	
	their daughter Ann-Marie McKenna	
12:00p	❖ Our Parish Family	
<u>Monday</u>	<u>06 Feb</u>	<u>St. Paul Miki</u> [R]
8:00a	✠ Christopher Keeling by	
	David and Suzanne Barker	
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>07 Feb</u>	<u>Weekday</u> [G]
8:00a	✠ Virginia McCarthy by her Family	
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>08 Feb</u>	<u>Weekday</u> [G]
8:00a	✠ Ike Pimley by His Wife	
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>09 Feb</u>	<u>Weekday</u> [G]
	NO MORNING EUCHARIST	
<u>Friday</u>	<u>10 Feb</u>	<u>St. Scholastica, virgin</u> [W]
	NO MORNING EUCHARIST	
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>11 Feb</u>	<u>Vigil</u> [G]
4:00p	✠ Mary Hilchey	
	by Ann Marie and Dan Dennehy	
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>12 Feb</u>	<u>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> [G]
8:00a	✠ Stefan Kos by the Dubowyj Family	
10:00a	✠ Ruth Stocks by St. Jude Women's Guild	
12:00p	❖ Our Parish Family	
	SCHEDULE	
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>05 Feb</u>	
11:10a	Rel. Ed. Grds. 1-5	All Classrooms, Parish Hall, Church
2:00p	Family Program,	All Classrooms, Parish Hall, Church
5:00p	Rel. Ed. Grds. 3-8	All Classrooms, Parish Hall, Church
<u>Monday</u>	<u>06 Jan</u>	
6:30p	Rel. Ed. Grds. 6-8	Rooms #4 and #8, Parish Hall, Church
6:30p	Maiden's Meeting	Parish Hall
6:30p	Squires Meeting	Room #5
7:00p	Knights of Columbus	Room #4
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>07 Feb</u>	
12:30p	Women's Guild Crafters	Room #4
4:15p	Rel Ed Grades 1-6,	All Classrooms, Parish Hall, Church
6:30p	Baptismal Prep Class	Deacons Office
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>08 Feb</u>	
8:45a	Adoration	
12:30p	Women's Guild Crafters (Snow Date)	
1:00p	Reposition	
6:00p	Knights of Columbus	
	Night of Reflection	Parish Hall
<u>Friday</u>	<u>10 Feb</u>	
7:00p	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Choir Loft
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>11Feb</u>	
	St. Jude Seniors Fudge Frenzy after all masses	
	Buck-A-Book Sale to benefit Relay for life	
	After all Masses	