

#### **Saturday December 14**

**4pm** ~ **Julia Lawlor**, Birthday Remembrance, requested by Pat Lawlor

#### Sunday **December 15**

8am ~ Mr. & Mrs. Robert Hall requested by their family

10:30am ~ Intentions of all our Parishioners

#### **Monday December 16**

8am ~ Robert Comeau, Birthday Remembrance, requested by his wife & family

#### **December 17 Tuesday**

8am ~ Lory Dalpe requested by Lou & Si Dalpe **Barbara Baril**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary, requested by Wayne & Sue Cope

## Wednesday December 18

8am ~ Blessings for Marie & Lou Dalpe

#### **Thursday December 19**

8am ~ Norman Coombs requested by his family Rev. George A. Desjardins

#### December 20 **Friday**

8am ~ No Mass

#### **December 21 Saturday**

4pm ~ The Choquette & Loiselle Families and Rita & Jerry Trottier requested by Al & Shirley Choquette & family Phillip John Cieszynski and Robert Stanley Cieszynski, Birthday Remembrance, requested by their family

#### **December 22** Sunday

8am ~ Aldo Larese, 36th Anniversary, requested by the Raby family

The Deceased Members of the Richard **Family** requested by the Richard family

10:30am ~ Intentions of all our Parishioners



### Sunday, December 15

Christmas Pageant Practice, 9:00 AM, in the

Coffee & Donuts and Kids Craft, 9:00 AM, in the parish center

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St. Patrick Christmas Party, 11:30 AM, in the parish center

Men & Women AA, 7:00-8:00 PM, in the school

#### **Tuesday, December 17**

Women's Bible Sharing, 9:00-10:00 AM, in the vouth room at the school Food Pantry, 6:30-7:30 PM

### Wednesday, December 18

Adoration, 8:30-9:30 AM and 2:00-8:00 PM Food Pantry, 1:00-2:30 PM Women's AA, 7:00-8:30 PM, in the school

#### Thursday, December 19

Men's AA, 7:00 PM, in the school Praise Band, 7:00 PM, in the church

#### Friday, December 20

Men & Women AA, 7:00-8:00 PM, in the school



This week the Sanctuary Candle is in memory of **Tina Wurst,** 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, by her family



# SCHEDULE FOR CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S MASS

#### Christmas Eve - December 24th

Christmas Eve Mass 4:00 PM Christmas Eve Mass 7:00 PM Christmas Eve Mass 10:00 PM

## Christmas Day - December 25th

Christmas Day Mass 9:30 AM

### New Year's Eve - December 31st

The Solemnity of Mary 5:30 PM

#### New Year's Day - January 1st

The Solemnity of Mary 9:30 AM

#### **PARISH PHONE LINE**

We wanted to let you know that only one phone line is working in the office. If you call and the phone keeps ringing, please call back and keep trying until you get through. We are working on getting the phone fixed soon. Thank you for your patience!



Anyone going into the hospital for a procedure or surgery and would like to be anointed. Please talk to Fr. John after Mass and he will anoint you.



## ST. PATRICK PARISH CHRISTMAS PARTY

Guadette Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup>
Coffee & Donuts, Crafts, Cookie Swap, Games
Join us after the 10:30 AM Mass as we celebrate
the joy of anticipating Christmas!

For more information or if you would like to help volunteer, please contact Meghan Landry at <a href="mailto:youthministry@gmail.com">youthministry@gmail.com</a>

The Deadline for Christmas Memorials is this Monday, December 16<sup>th</sup>.



### St. Patrick Parish Annual Christmas Pageant

Shepherds and Angels Needed!

Join us for this year's Christmas Pageant which will be held on Christmas Eve before the 4:00 PM Mass. Rehearsals for this event will be in the Church immediately following the 8:00 AM Mass.

Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>

If you cannot make all three rehearsals, it is okay. Please let us know you can make it so costumes and roles can be assigned.

Sign up with Jennah Costa or call/email Wendy at <a href="www.iliams@srsofholycross.com">www.iliams@srsofholycross.com</a>. We hope to see you there! Thank you!



"All were questioning in their hearts." Are you considering a vocation as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life?

Contact the Vocation Office at (603) <u>663-0196 or email: cmartel@rcbm.org</u>

#### WITH PRAYERFUL SYMPATHY

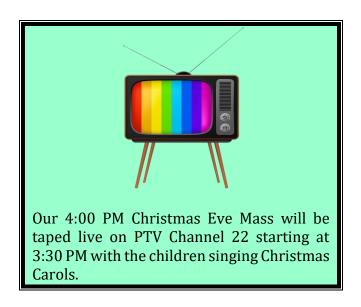
We pray for **Sandra Dery.** We extend our sympathy to her family.



**Coffee and Donuts and Children's Crafts** will be hosted by the Knights of Columbus this weekend. Please come and join us.

## The Parish Office hours for Christmas and New Years are as follows:

Monday, December 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 8:00-12:00 PM
Tuesday, December 24<sup>th</sup> closed
Wednesday, December 25<sup>th</sup> closed
Thursday, December 26<sup>th</sup> closed
Monday, December 30<sup>th</sup>, from 8:00-4:00 PM
Tuesday, December 31<sup>st</sup>, 8:00-12:00 PM
Wednesday, January 1<sup>st</sup> closed
Thursday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 8:00-4:00 PM



#### **CREATE A LEGACY**

## Be a part of ensuring the future of our Church

In dealing with the most important questions of where our resources will go after we are not around to manage them, it is important to have a plan. When making these future plans, consider making a legacy gift to St. Patrick Parish and make an impact on our future ministries and the Catholic faith. With a simple bequest in your will or estate plan, you can make a significant difference in the future of our parish for generations to come. For more information about how to include St. Patrick's Catholic Church in your will, please contact the parish office.



#### PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Here at St. Patrick we have a Prayer Shawl Ministry. These shawls are made by many volunteers and are either knitted or crocheted. If you know of someone who is sick or needs comfort, please call the parish office to receive one. We have many shawls of varying colors. The Prayer Shawls are free.

#### **PARISH COLLECTIONS**

In order for the parish to meet its regular expenses, our offertory and other designated parish collections must bring in **\$8,700** per week.

Parish Collections for the week of 12/8/24

Offertory Envelopes \$4,499
Offertory Electronic Giving \$1,984
Total Offertory \$6,483

Total Funds Collected \$6,483

Thank you for your continue support ~Fr. John~

#### **Retired Religious**

collected as of 12/8/24 \$1,792 Thank you for your generosity!



## SECOND ENVELOPES FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEKS

#### Dec. 22 Faith Life Formation

This collection helps with expenses for Faith Life.

#### Dec. 29 Evangelization

To help promote the faith in our community through Retreats, Community Dinners, Charity and so much more.

#### Jan. 5 Capital Improvements

This collection helps with projects around the Parish.

#### Jan. 12 Faith Life Formation

This collection helps with expenses for Faith Life.

Your contributions toward the support of the parish and its ministries are greatly appreciated.

#### **CHURCH & PARISH OFFICES**

12 Main St.
Pelham, NH 03076
603-635-3525 (office)
603-635-3919 (fax number)

**Office Hours:** Monday-Thursday 8:00-4:00 office is closed on Friday

PARISH WEBSITE

Website: www.stpatricks-pelham.com

**Pastor** 

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**PRAYER LINE** 

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**FORMED** 

To help you grow in your faith go to <a href="https://www.formed.org">www.formed.org</a> to register, go to <a href="pelham.formed.org">pelham.formed.org</a>

#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday 4PM

Sunday 8AM, 10:30AM

#### **WEEKDAYS MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday through Thursday8amFridayNo MassFirst Friday and First Saturday8am

**HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE** 

Holy Day 8am & 7pm

**ADORATION** 

Wednesday 8:30-9:30am

2:00-8:00pm

For more information, or to sign up call the

Parish Office at 603-635-3525

**RECONCILIATION** 

Saturday 3pm to 3:45pm

or by appointment

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK & COMMUNION TO THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Please contact the Parish Office for arrangements

#### **BAPTISM**

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule a baptism. Parents are required to meet with the pastor and participate in a baptismal catechetical session prior to the celebration of the sacrament.

#### **MARRIAGE**

Arrangements with the parish must be made at least nine months prior to the wedding. Fulfillment of a Diocesan, pre-marriage program is required.

## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Care to join the Knights of Columbus? Please contact Erick Wright at 603-635-8772 or <a href="mailto:eqwright@comcast.net">eqwright@comcast.net</a> More information online: <a href="mailto:www.kofcpelhamnh.org">www.kofcpelhamnh.org</a>