

Saturday February 8

4pm ~ Intentions of all our Parishioners Sunday February 9

8am ~ **Dick Dube,** 3rd Anniversary, requested by his wife Maureen

10:30am ~ **Joseph P. Delorfano, Sr.,** Birthday Remembrance, requested by his wife Angela **Clement Lamarre** requested by the Lemieux family

Monday February 10

 $8am \sim Dick\ Dube$, 3^{rd} Anniversary, requested by Cyndee

Noella Fischer requested by David & Maureen Groff

Tuesday February 11

8am ~ For Sr. Dorothy Stang, SND, an ecomartyr who died in Brazil hearing the cry of the earth and the poor requested by St.

Patrick Laudato Sí Circle

Wednesday February 12

 $8am \sim George Dallaire$, Birthday

Remembrance, requested by his family

Jim Borst requested by David & Maureen Groff

Thursday February 13

 $\textbf{8am} \sim \textbf{Matilde Finco,} \ 10^{th} \ Anniversary,$

requested by her family

Friday February 14

8am ~ No Mass

Saturday February 15

 $4pm \sim In \ Honor \ of \ St. \ Joseph \ requested \ by \ the Taylor family$

Frances Lawlor, Birthday Remembrance, requested by Pat Lawlor

Sunday February 16

8am ~ **Leon Bousquet,** 10th Anniversary, requested by his daughter Patty Kennedy

10:30am ~ Intentions of all our Parishioners



Sunday, February 9

Coffee & Donuts and Children's Crafts, 9:00 AM, in the parish center
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Men & Women AA, 7:00-8:00 PM, in the school

Tuesday, February 11

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

Wednesday, February 12

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, February 13

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

Friday, February 14

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

Saturday, February 15

Faith Life Community Gathering, 9:00-10:30 AM, in the school



"They left everything and followed Jesus." If you sense that Christ may be calling you to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact the Vocation Office at (603) 663-0196 or email: cmartel@rcbm.org.



The St. Patrick's Women's Guild grants three \$500 scholarships each year to graduating seniors who will be furthering their education. These scholarships are for parishioners of St. Patrick Parish and/or residents of Pelham, NH. Applications for these scholarships are now available in the Guidance Office of Pelham High School, in the Parish Office, and in the Sacristy. Applications should be turned into the Guidance Office of Pelham High School or to St. Patrick's Parish Office by Monday, May 5, 2025 by 3:00 PM.



This week the Altar Flowers are in memory of **Dick Dube**, 3rd Anniversary, by his wife Maureen



This week the Sanctuary Candle is in memory of **Dick Dube**, 3rd Anniversary, by Cyndee



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.

CREATION CORNER: This weekend's readings are about "Answering the call." The prophet Isaiah's work begins with the Lord asking "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" Isaiah responds, "Here I am," I said; "send me!" Centuries later the scene is repeated on Simon Peter's boat when Jesus says to Simon Peter, James, and John, "from now on you will be catching men." And "When they brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed him." We are all called just as surely as were the prophets and the apostles. May we answer the call to care for Creation: our brothers and sisters, the animals, and the land!

Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Poland with Fr. Volney DeRosia. In Support of St. Gianna's Place. The Pilgrimage is 10 days starting September 29th through October 8th. The cost is \$4,250 per person.

For more Information or questions, contact Canterbury Pilgrimages at 800-653-0017 or email: hello@canterburypilgrimages.com

CAMPS FATIMA AND BERNADETTE

Camps Fatima and Bernadette have openings for a Camp Counselor and Camp Nurse.

Please visit <u>catholicnh.org/employment/#camps</u> for more information.



CATHOLIC CHARITIES NH'S

The Mardi Gras Gala, Catholic Charities NH's signature fundraising event of the year, returns to Manchester on February 22! The evening will feature a festive New Orleans experience with authentic Cajun cuisine, entertainment, a live auction with exclusive getaways and sports tickets, and more. Attendees help us continue our mission to follow the footsteps of Jesus, bringing comfort, healing and empowerment to our neighbors most in need. To register or for more information, visit //www.cc-nh.org/mardigras or call Becca at 603-663-0207.

VITA NOVA Annual Catholic Men's Retreat

We warmly invite you to join us for the 38th Annual Catholic Men's Retreat, to be held from March 14-16, 2025 at the beautiful Barbara C. Harris Center in Greenfield, NH. This year's retreat will focus on the theme "Exploring the Four Last Things: Death, Judgment, Hell & Heaven." Under the guidance of Fr. Jason Jalbert, we will come together in prayer, reflection, and fellowship, deepening our spiritual lives as catholic men. Early Bird Discount: Save \$25 by registering before February 17th.

For more information on pricing and rooming, or to register, please visit:

<u>vitanova.org/catholic-mens-retreat</u>



this weekend. Please come and join us.



FAITH FORMATION

DEAR FAITH LIFE FAMILIES,

February promises to be an exciting month as we explore the important role of Mama Mary in our prayer lives. She holds a unique and honored place in our prayers, and just as we bring our petitions to the Lord in the Our Father, we can also bring them to her. Mary is a beautiful model of prayer for us all.

This month, we will also delve into the three major forms of prayer: vocal, meditative, and contemplative.

Through each of these expressions, we seek to deepen our relationship with God and grow in our understanding of Him.

As we reflect on these forms of prayer, we invite you to consider: Which form of prayer resonates most with you?

Jennah Costa | Faith Life Administrator



St. Patrick Women's Guild will be sponsoring their Annual Penny Sale, on Saturday, April 5th, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM in the Parish Center. Proceeds from this sale help support our various charities such as the Food Pantry, scholarships to graduates, Samaritans Purse, projects at St. Patrick's Church and so much more. If you would like to donate NEW ITEMS to the Penny Sale, please call the Parish Office at 603-635-3525.

THE GIFTED WOMEN'S 1-DAY RETREAT

We invite you to a special day of reflection and renewal at **The Gifted Women's 1-Day Retreat** on **March 29th**, from **8:00 AM to 3:30 PM**, at **St. Michael Parish in Exeter, NH.** This retreat is an opportunity for us to come together as women of faith, to deepen our connection with God and with one another. The day will begin with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, and from there, we will embark on a journey of spiritual enrichment. Our retreat will feature inspiring talks by women, for women, focusing on the Holy Saints who have gone before us, and the unique spiritual gifts each of us possesses as beloved daughters of God.

Fr. Matt Mason will serve as our Spiritual Director, guiding us through this sacred time of reflection. Meals-a **breakfast and lunch**-will be provided, and the cost of \$30 per person will cover both the meals and all retreat materials. We encourage you to register by **March 23**rd, as space is limited. To reserve your spot and learn more, please visit vitanova.org/womens-retreat

HEARING ASSISTANCE AT MASS

If you have trouble hearing at Mass, we have portable hearing assistants that tap into our sound system. If you would like to borrow one for Mass, please check in the Sacristy before Mass.

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 2/2/25 Offertory Envelopes \$6,339 Offertory Electronic Giving \$1,756 **Total Offertory** \$8,095

Catholic School \$1,361

Total Funds Collected \$9,456

Thank you for supporting our parish ~Fr. John~



SECOND ENVELOPES FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEKS

Feb. 16 Utility

This collection helps with the cost of utilities for the Church, Rectory, Parish Center and School.

Feb. 23 Faith Life Formation

This collection helps with expenses for Faith Life.

Mar. 2 Capital Improvements

This collection helps with projects around the Parish.

Mar. 9 Utility

This collection helps with the cost of utilities for the Church, Rectory, Parish Center and School.

Mar. 16 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.

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FORMED

To help you grow in your faith go to www.formed.org to register, go to pelham.formed.org

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 4PM

Sunday 8AM, 10:30AM

WEEKDAYS MASS SCHEDULE

Monday through Thursday 8am
Friday No Mass

First Friday and First Saturday 8am

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 eqwright@comcast.net More information

online: www.kofcpelhamnh.org