

Mass Intentions
for the Week



Saturday October 5

4pm ~ In Honor of St. Joseph requested by Donna Taylor

Sunday October 6

8am ~ Thomas Straughan, 3rd Anniversary, requested by Doug & Laura Masson

Leo Miranda, Birthday Remembrance, requested by Kevin & Karen Martin

10:30am ~ Intentions of all our Parishioners

Monday October 7

8am ~ Honoring the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi and offering gratitude for Pope Francis for helping us to hear the cries of the earth and the poor through his Exhortation Laudato Dem requested by St. Patrick the Laudato Si Circle

Tuesday October 8

8am ~ Gabriel Monette requested by the Lemieux family

Gary Dallaire requested by Pat Lawlor

Wednesday October 9

8am ~ John Comeau, Sr., 14th Anniversary, requested by his family

Thursday October 10

8am ~ Rena Cayer requested by the Bedard family

Charles Toupin, 10th Anniversary, requested by his wife & children

Friday October 11

8am ~ No Mass

Saturday October 12

4pm ~ Dr. & Mrs. Joseph Chisholm requested by the Chisholm family

Sunday October 13

8am ~ Robert Hall, 28th Anniversary, requested by his family

10:30am ~ Intentions of all our Parishioners

Sunday, October 6

Faith Life Parent Session, 11:30 AM, in the school

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

Monday, October 7

Faith Life Parent Session, 6:00 PM, in the school

Tuesday, October 8

Women’s Bible Sharing, 9:00-10:00 AM, in the youth room at the school

Food Pantry, 6:30-7:30 PM

Wednesday, October 9

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, October 10

Men’s AA, 7:00 PM, in the school

Praise Band, 7:00 PM, in the church

Friday, October 11

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

Saturday, October 12

Men of St. Joseph, 7:00-9:00 AM, in the parish center



This week the Altar Flowers are in memory of **Delia Floyd**, 1st Anniversary, by the Floyd family



This week the Sanctuary Candle is in memory of **Delia Floyd**, 1st Anniversary, by the Floyd family



HAPPY OCTOBER, FAITH LIFE FAMILIES!

As we welcome in the cooler weather, we embark on our Faith Life journey which focuses on prayer. What is prayer? What does prayer look like in salvation history? This time of year, is the perfect time to create new family routines that foster a sense of family. Maybe you can incorporate a family game night on Friday nights, have a family campfire together on the weekends or start a new bedtime prayer routine. Weave the theme of prayer into your family routines. Prayer can take many forms; you may be praying for a sick friend, praying the Rosary together as a family (October is the month of the Rosary!) or going to Adoration together. Prayer doesn't need to look or sound a certain way. **Prayer is a relationship with God and if we want to have a relationship with God, then we must be talking with Him.** I can't wait to see you all at our Community Gathering on October 26th!

Jennah Costa,
Faith Life Administrator



"We see Jesus crowned with glory and honor." Will you let the Holy Spirit lead you to be a reflection of His divine glory as a priest? Seek the opportunity to serve and lead others. Talk to your priest or reach out to Fr. Matt Mason, the Vocations Director at 603-663-0196 or mmason@rcbm.org.

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.



OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY PRAYERS FOR OUR PRIESTS

Once again, Mary's Mantle will adorn the back of the Church this October for the Month of the Rosary. However, this year, we are inviting parishioners to offer up rosaries specifically for our Pastor Fr. John and Monsignor Kelley. May we as a parish be able to fill Mary's Mantle completely with rosaries this October!



LOOKING FOR BASKETS!

As you are doing your fall cleaning and should find that you have more baskets than you need, please consider donating them to the Women's Guild for their Penny Sale. The Penny Sale is not till April 5th but we are busy getting things organized and we would greatly appreciate the baskets. If you have any now you can bring them to the parish office and we will be happy to accept them. Thank you!

CREATION CORNER: The reading in Genesis reminds us that God did not create us to be alone, but instead to be in relationship with God, each other and all of God's Creatures. In Mark, Jesus says, "What God has joined together, no human being must separate." If we harm each other and the Earth, this interconnected gift from God, are we not divorcing ourselves from this relationship? As we end the *Season of Creation*, in the spirit of St. Francis of Assisi, (whose feast was celebrated on October 4th), can we learn to see the world around us with love, respect, and mercy, and treat all people and Creation as our sisters and brothers?



Tuesday, October 1st, Women's Bible Sharing, 9:00-10:00 AM, in the Youth Room at the School

Tuesday, October 8th, Women's Bible Sharing, 9:00-10:00 AM, in the Youth Room at the School

Saturday, October 12th, Men of St. Joseph, 7:00-9:00 AM, in the Parish Center

Tuesday, October 15th, Women's Bible Sharing, 9:00-10:00 AM, in the Youth Room at the School

Tuesday, October 15th, Youth Ministry, Grades 4-6, 6:00-7:30 PM, in the Meeting Room under the Church

Thursday, October 17th, Youth Ministry, Grades 7-9, 6:00-7:30 PM, in the Meeting Room under the Church

Tuesday, October 22nd, Women's Bible Sharing, 9:00-10:00 AM, in the Youth Room at the School

Tuesday, October 29th, Women's Bible Sharing, 9:00-10:00 AM, in the Youth Room at the School

Tuesday, October 29th, Youth Ministry, Grades 4-6, 6:00-7:30 PM, in the Meeting Room under the Church

Wednesday, October 30th, Youth Ministry, Grades 7-9, 6:00-7:30 PM, in the Meeting Room under the Church

PRAYER LINE

St. Patrick Parish has an on-going Prayer Line. Many of our friends and family are going through difficulties; the loss of loved ones or personal problems and sickness. Our mission is to pray for them. If you want to pray for others or need prayer, you are welcome to e-mail Lillian Murgia at Lmurgia_871@comcast.net. Anyone wishing to serve on the Prayer Line, praying for other people, please contact, Lillian Murgia at 603-635-2634 or email at Lmurgia_871@comcast.net.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Genesis 2:18-24: "God said, it is not good for man to be alone. I will make a suitable partner for him. So, the Lord God formed out of the ground various animals and birds, and he brought them to the man. But none proved to be the suitable partner for him. So, the Lord cast a deep spell on the man, and while he was asleep, he took out one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. Then God built up into a **woman** the rib that had been taken from the man. The man said, this one, at last, is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh. That is why man leaves his father and mother and clings to his wife, and **the two of them become one flesh.**

Want to enhance your marriage and make it better? Check out a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience. You can find one by looking up WWME.org

Some of the dates to sign up are:

October 18-20, 2024, Sunapee, NH

November 1-3, 2024, Glen Rock, NY

November 4-25, 2024, (Virtual)

November 22-24, 2024, Calais, VT

Worldwide Marriage Encounter sponsors a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekends and some on seven weekdays. Couples explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration is limited; there is a \$100 application fee.

For more information or to apply, call Matt & Julie King at 978-870-5646 or <https://wwmema.org/>.

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.

“THAT ONE THING”

Parish Mission with Michael Gormley, a well-known Steubenville Conference speaker. October 20-22, from 7:00-8:30 PM each night at the Immaculate Conception Church, 216 East Dunstable Road, Nashua, NH.

Michael has been leading evangelization and ministry efforts for the past 17 years, both as a full-time parish staff member and as a speaker and consultant for parishes, dioceses, and Catholic campus ministries. He has his Undergraduate Degrees in both Philosophy and Theology and a master’s in theology and Christian Ministry from the Franciscan University of Steubenville. He currently serves as the Mission Evangelist for Paradisus Dei, a ministry dedicated to helping men, couples, and families discover the superabundance of God.

Michael is also the founder and creative director of LayEvangelist.com and the co-host to two successful Catholic podcasts: catching Foxes and Every Knee Shall Bow. For more information, please visit iccnashuanh.org

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 9/29/24

Offertory Envelopes	\$5,558
Offertory Electronic Giving	\$2,101
Total Offertory	\$7,659
Maintenance	\$1,685
Total Funds Collected	\$9,344

Thank you for your continue support
~Fr. John~



**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL
NOMINATIONS**

October is the month set aside for members of St. Patrick Parish to nominate other members or themselves to serve on the Parish Pastoral Council. Nominations forms are available in the front entrance of the Church. Please use a separate nomination form for each name submitted. Please submit your Nomination by **Thursday, November 14th**.

**SECOND ENVELOPES
FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEKS**

Oct. 13 Utility

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

Oct. 20 World Mission Sunday

On World Mission Sunday we join the Church throughout the world in fulfilling our evangelical mission to “go out to all the world.” The society for the Propagation of the Faith coordinates programs for evangelization and catechesis throughout the world.

Oct. 27 Faith Life Formation

This collection helps with expenses for Faith Life.

Nov. 3 Capital Improvements

This collection helps with projects around the Parish.

Nov. 10 Utility

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

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

PTV – SCHEDULE – CHANNEL 22

For St. Patrick Mass Schedule

Sunday – 8:00 PM

Monday – 7:00 AM & 4:00 PM

Tuesday – 9:00 AM & 8:00 PM

Wednesday – 1:00 PM & 10:00 PM

Thursday – 9:00 AM & 7:00 PM

Friday – 11:00 AM & 7:00 PM

Saturday – 6:00 AM & 2:00 PM – **4:00 PM “LIVE”**

Subject to change

CHURCH & PARISH OFFICES

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PRAYER LINE

Please contact Lillian Murgia at 603-635-2634
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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, 10am & 7pm

ADORATION

Monday-Thursday 6:30-7:40am
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