

# Saint John XXIII Parish

## Nashua ~ Hudson

### **Mission Statement:**

*Strengthened by the Holy Spirit,  
the parish family of Saint John XXIII  
lives the gospel of Jesus Christ,  
celebrates the sacraments and  
offers a community of worship  
where all are welcomed.*

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**We are not on earth  
to guard a museum,  
but to cultivate  
a flourishing garden of life.**  
Saint John XXIII

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### **Mass Schedule:**

Saturday:	4:00pm	Hudson
	6:00pm	Nashua
Sunday:	8:00am	Hudson
	10:30am	Nashua
	NOON (Portuguese)	Nashua

### **Weekday Masses:**

Monday, Wednesday, Friday	8:30am	Hudson
Tuesday	6:30pm	Nashua

**Holy Day Masses:** Please see inside bulletin.

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Tuesdays	5:30 – 6pm	Nashua
Saturdays	3 – 3:30pm	Hudson

or by appointment. Please call the parish office.

### **All other Sacraments:**

Please call the parish office.

### **Communion Calls:**

Please notify the parish office if anyone is unable to attend Mass because of illness, handicap or age.

### **Eucharistic Adoration:**

Thursday	6-7pm	Nashua
Friday (Sept. to June)	9am-11am	Hudson
First Sunday	1:30-2:30pm	Nashua

**Are you new to our community?  
Welcome! Visiting? Welcome!  
Considering joining our parish?  
Welcome! All you need to do is  
introduce yourself to our pastor,  
express your wish to join the parish  
and the process will be underway.**

### **Office:**

121 Allds Street, Nashua, NH 03060  
Phone: 603-882-2462  
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**Website:** [www.stjohnxxiiinh.org](http://www.stjohnxxiiinh.org)

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### **Clergy:**

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603-882-2462 ext. 5, opt. 2

Rev. Cristiano Barbosa, Brazilian Ministry  
Deacon Randy O'Neill

Deacon Edmund C. Hilston (retired)  
E-mail: [deaconcarl@stjohnxxiiinh.org](mailto:deaconcarl@stjohnxxiiinh.org)

**Religious Education:** 603-882-2462 ext. 2

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Fax: 603-880-4618

**Brazilian Community:** 603-882-2462 ext. 3

**Infant Jesus School:** 603-889-2649

Principal: Mrs. Kelly Veilleux

### **Outreach:**

Saint John XXIII Food Pantry: 603-882-2462 ext. 6

Corpus Christi Food Pantry: 603-882-6372

NH Catholic Charities: 603-889-9431

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday

SJE 4:00 PM

IJ 6:00 PM

### Sunday

SJE 8:00 AM

IJ 10:30 AM

IJ NOON

### Monday

SJE 8:30 AM

### Tuesday

IJ 6:30 PM

### Wednesday

SJE 8:30 AM

### Friday

SJE 8:30 AM

### Saturday

SJE 4:00 PM

IJ 6:00 PM

### Sunday

SJE 8:00 AM

IJ 10:30 AM

IJ NOON

### Sunday

SJE 4:00 PM

IJ 4:00 PM

IJ 6:00 PM

IJ 10:00 PM

### Monday

SJE 9:30 AM

### *Dec. 16 - Anticipated Sunday Masses*

Vivian Dumont (1<sup>st</sup> anniv.) by her family

Aline Beaudry (1<sup>st</sup> anniv.) by her family

### *Dec. 17 - Third Sunday of Advent*

Intentions of the parishioners

Deceased loved ones: Allen & Mitchell families

Mass in Portuguese

### *Dec. 18 - Late Advent Weekday*

Deceased loved ones of Sandra Thibault

### *Dec. 19 - Late Advent Weekday*

In memory of Fr. Tom Bresnahan

### *Dec. 20 - Late Advent Weekday*

Mary Miller by Marcia Peterson

### *Dec. 22 - Late Advent Weekday*

Deceased loved ones of Kevin Natwick

### *Dec. 23 - Anticipated Sunday Masses*

Henry St. Laurent by Dan & Ginny Dumont

Deceased loved ones: Hilston & Remillard families

### *Dec. 24 - Fourth Sunday of Advent*

Intentions of the parishioners

Dolores A. Beudet (16<sup>th</sup> anniv.) by Lachance family

Mass in Portuguese

### *Dec. 24 - Christmas Vigil Masses*

Karen Gaw by her family

Deceased loved ones of Steve & Denise Theriault

Arlindo Avelar by Jeanmarie Eckstein (*Mass in Portuguese*)

Intentions of the parishioners

### *Dec. 25 - Christmas Day*

Deceased loved ones of the Giuliani family



Make  
straight  
the way  
of the  
Lord

IJ = Infant Jesus Church  
SJE = St. John the Evangelist Church

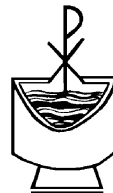


The Sanctuary Lamp at St. John the Evangelist Church will burn this week for all family and friends during this special season, requested by the Michaud family.



### WITH OUR SYMPATHY

Please keep *Shannon Allison* in your prayers. May God's promise of eternal life be a source of comfort to her family and friends.



### NEWLY BAPTIZED!

We warmly welcome *João Lucas Pereira Ribeiro*, son of Marcio & Camila, into our faith community!

## Liturgical Ministers Scheduled for Weekend Masses ~ Dec. 23 & 24, 2017

Mass	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00 PM (SJE)	Carol Rapaglia	Leona Shanholtz - Sandra Thibault Darlene Fisher - Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
6:00 PM (IJ)	Joan Hilston	Volunteer Needed - Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
8:00 AM (SJE)	Bruce Tessier	Ken Massey - Denise Beauchesne	Volunteer Needed
10:30 AM (IJ)	Ron DiStasio	Marlene Forrence - Lisa Ricard Al Poliquin - Maria Roberts - Paul Lukitsch	Volunteer Needed

# Saint John XXIII Parish News

## STEWARDSHIP REPORTS

Week Ending ~ Dec. 9 & 10, 2017	
<b>Adult Envelopes</b> (92 participants)	<b>\$2,364.00</b>
<b>WeShare (Online Giving)</b> (62 participants)	<b>\$1,128.00</b>
<b>less 5% Tithe</b>	<b>\$175.00</b>
<b>Loose Cash</b>	<b>\$409.00</b>
<b>Brazilian Community Offerings</b>	<b>\$301.00</b>
<b>Parish Youth Offerings</b>	<b>\$4.00</b>
<b>Offertory Total:</b>	<b>\$4,031.00</b>
<b>Christmas Flowers</b> (64 participants)	<b>\$1,240.00</b>
(12 participants)	<b>141.00</b>
<b>Total to date:</b>	<b>\$1,381.00</b>
<b>Immaculate Conception</b> (51 participants)	<b>\$672.00</b>
<b>Loose Cash</b>	<b>205.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$877.00</b>
<b>Retired Religious</b> (56 participants)	<b>\$1,424.60</b>
<i>May our loving God bless you for your continued generosity!</i>	

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

*Sessions held in Hudson*

**Gr. K to 6:** Sunday, Dec. 17 ~ 9:15-10:15 AM  
Parish Center

**Gr. 7-8-9:** Sunday, Dec. 17 ~ 6:00-7:00 PM  
Parish Center

*Next sessions: Sunday, Jan. 7, 2018*



### 2018 PARISH ENVELOPES

Any remaining offertory envelope boxes will come back to the parish office **this Sunday, Dec. 17**. If you have not yet done so, please pick up your box this weekend at our churches main entrances.

### STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

Please consider participating in either stewardship program below, which helps our parish to maintain a steady income to manage our budget:

#### **2018 Parish Envelopes**

If you are not currently using these weekly offering envelopes and would like to begin, we have extras! Please call us at the parish office.

#### **Online Giving**

To sign on, please go to our parish website: [www.stjohnxxiiinh.org](http://www.stjohnxxiiinh.org), then click "Online Giving."

*Thank you to all who have made  
the commitment to support our parish!*

### RECYCLE EXCESS CLOTHING

Planet Aid clothing bins are located on both parish campuses.

Items that can be deposited in these bins are:

- gently used clothing • coats • shoes
- bedding • curtains • handbags



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### This Week at Saint John XXIII...

Monday 18	Tuesday 19	Wed. 20	Thursday 21	Friday 22	Saturday 23
<b>Advent Movie</b> "My Son, My Savior & "Charting Christmas" 9:15 AM SJE Church hall  <b>SJE Church                      Decorating</b> 6 PM	<b>Reconciliation</b> 5:30-6 PM <b>Rosary~6 PM</b> <b>Prayer Service</b> 7:15 PM (Portuguese) IJ Church	<b>IJ School                      Christmas                      Sing-A-Long                      &amp; Pageant</b> 1:30 PM IJ Church	<b>Eucharistic                      Adoration</b> 6-7 PM IJ Church  <b>Advent Movie</b> "My Son, My Savior & "Charting Christmas" 7:15 PM IJ Church hall	<b>Eucharistic                      Adoration</b> 9-11 AM SJE Church  <b>Lessons &amp;                      Carols</b> 7 PM IJ Church	<b>Reconciliation</b> 3-3:30 PM SJE Church  <b>Bingo</b> 6:30 PM (Team D)



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# Saint John XXIII Parish

*Infant Jesus Church*  
*121 Allds St - Nashua NH*

*St. John the Evangelist Church*  
*25 Library St - Hudson NH*

## *Christmas Masses*

Sunday, Dec. 24 – *Christmas Eve*

4:00 PM – St. John the Evangelist

4:00 PM – Infant Jesus

6:00 PM – Infant Jesus (Portuguese)

10:00 PM – Infant Jesus

Monday, Dec. 25 – *Christmas Day*

**9:30** AM – St. John the Evangelist



## *New Year's Masses*

Sunday, Dec. 31 – *Solemnity of Mary Vigil*

4:00 PM – St. John the Evangelist

Monday, Jan. 1, 2018 – *Solemnity of Mary*

**9:30** AM – Infant Jesus



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If you have experienced abuse by someone representing the Catholic Church, you may contact the Office for Healing and Pastoral Care of the Diocese of Manchester: 603-668-0014 or 800-475-5585 ext. 233.  
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