

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.*

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

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.**

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

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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

Feb. 24 - Anticipated Sunday Masses

Deceased loved ones of Ida Rossignol

Intentions of the parishioners

Feb. 25 - 2nd Sunday of Lent

Glenn Annis by Patricia Peters

Deceased loved ones: Allen & Mitchell families

Mass in Portuguese

Feb. 26 - Lenten Weekday

Deceased loved ones of Anne Marie Bitler

Feb. 27 - Lenten Weekday

Deceased loved ones of Dan & Ginny Dumont

Feb. 28 - Lenten Weekday

Rosario Asselin by Maxwell/Guerette families

Mar. 2 - Lenten Weekday

Deceased loved ones of Joanne Charron

Mar. 3 - Anticipated Sunday Masses

Ron Boisvert (12th anniv.) by his family

Alfred Theriault by his family

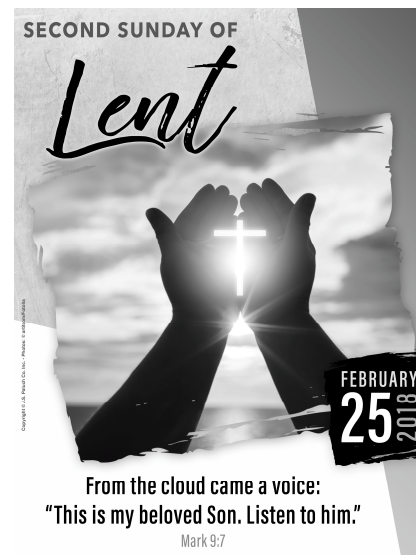
Robert Mousley (11th anniv.) by his wife, Claire

Mar. 4 - 3rd Sunday of Lent

Intentions of the parishioners

Patricia (Morin) Bores (4th anniv.) by her sister

Mass in Portuguese



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



WITH OUR SYMPATHY

Please keep *Charles Brock* and *Gerard Levesque* in your prayers. May their family and friends find comfort in knowing they are in God's eternal care.

PRAYER INTENTION BOOK

We invite you to enter your prayer requests in our Intention Books located at the main entrance of both churches. These intentions are remembered in the "Prayer of the Faithful" at all of our Masses.



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Parishioners serving in this ministry lovingly knit or crochet these shawls, which are then blessed and presented (without cost) to those experiencing illness, grief or personal struggle. To receive a shawl, contact Pam Morin at 548-0049, Dotti Reed at 275-7345 or the parish office.

Bulletin Deadline: Information is due by Noon on Mondays. Please email: office@stjohnxxiiinh.org

Liturgical Ministers Scheduled for Weekend Masses ~ Mar. 3 & 4, 2018

Mass	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00 PM (SJE)	Pauline Trubacz	Darlene Fisher - Ray Tassinari Leona Shanholtz - Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
6:00 PM (IJ)	Kathy Nichols	Julie Jean - Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
8:00 AM (SJE)	Joan Hilston	Joanne Sirois - Claudette Anger	Volunteer Needed
10:30 AM (IJ)	Ron DiStasio	Sandra Thibault - Maria Roberts David & Carol Croteau - Jackie Fair	Volunteer Needed

Saint John XXIII Parish News

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Week Ending ~ Feb. 17 & 18, 2018	
Adult Envelopes (105 participants)	\$2,775.50
WeShare (<i>Online Giving</i>) (54 participants)	\$1,117.00
less 5% Tithe	\$195.00
Loose Cash	\$731.00
Brazilian Community Offerings	\$163.00
Parish Youth Offerings	\$2.00
Offertory Total:	\$4,593.50
Cen/Eas Europe/Africa Church Aid	
Adult Envelopes (49 participants)	\$781.00
Loose Offerings	419.00
Total:	\$1,200.00
<i>May our loving God bless you for your continued generosity!</i>	

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Next sessions: Sunday, March 11

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS FOR 2017

Parish Envelopes... Parishioners using the envelope system to support our parish are asked to give us a call at the parish office to receive a summary of your donations for the past year.

Online Giving... Parishioners using ParishPay/nOW WeShare, can receive a statement of your donations for the past year by calling the parish office.

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, 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



PLEASE KEEP US UP TO DATE...

Please call the parish office to let us know of any changes (family member, phone number, street or e-mail address, etc.) so that we can keep records current and stay in touch.

This Week at Saint John XXIII...

Monday 26	Tuesday 27	Wednesday 28	Thursday Mar. 1	Friday 2	Saturday 3
Lenten Movie 9:15 AM "The Gospel of John" Part 2 SJE Church hall	Reconciliation 5:30-6 PM Rosary ~6 PM Prayer Service 7:15 PM Portuguese IJ Church Bible Study 7:15-9 PM IJ Rectory library	Lenten Movie 7:00 PM "The Gospel of John" Part 2 IJ Church hall	Eucharistic Adoration 6-7 PM~IJ Church Passion Presentation 7 PM~St. Joseph the Worker Parish	Eucharistic Adoration 9-11 AM SJE Church Stations of the Cross 6 PM SJE Church Cross Cribbage 7:15 PM IJ Church hall	Reconciliation 3-3:30 PM SJE Church Bingo 6:30 PM (Team B)

More Parish & Community News

LOTTERY RAFFLE CALENDAR AFTER MAR. 3 & 4 MASSES

to benefit Mary Gate of Heaven Orphanage

The Sisters of Holy Cross have established the *Sr. Claire Daneau Legacy Fund* in her memory to benefit the children of Mary Gate of Heaven Orphanage in Haiti. The orphanage was founded in 1986 by Sister Claire, a Sister of Holy Cross for 73 years. It is home to over 55 children. You can help gift these children with a future by purchasing a lottery raffle calendar at a cost of \$10 each, or six for \$50. From **April 1 through April 30**, a total of \$2,500.00 will be drawn. Sr. Sally Howe, CSC will have raffle calendars available after each Mass next weekend. Thank you for any help you can give to "Claire's Kids"!

Cross Cribbage Night

Friday, Mar. 2

7:15 PM

IJ Church hall (handicap accessible)

Cross cribbage is a more challenging way to play cribbage. Feel free to bring a snack to share.

**All are welcome...
come join in the fun!**



INFANT JESUS SCHOOL CORNER

DEAR PARISH FRIENDS & FAMILIES,

Come and visit Infant Jesus School, come see what over 100 years of experience has to offer. Please call the school to set up a tour at 603-889-2649 or check out our website at www.ijschool.org to see all the wonderful things that are going on at IJS.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORNER

COUNCIL 122 NEWS

LENTEN SIMPLE SUPPERS

Fridays: Mar. 9 & 23

Infant Jesus Church hall

Serving or Pick up 5:30 to 7:30 PM

Our simple supper menu includes fish chowder, rolls, hot and cold drinks. Kid's menu: Macaroni & Cheese
Cost: \$10 donation per meal. Cash or checks please:
"K of C Council 122" To go meals are also available:
To order, call David at 978-265-5853. Come early, before we run out! First come, first serve.

COUNCIL 5162 NEWS

CHOWDER SUPPERS DURING LENT

Fridays: Mar. 2-Mar. 9 & Mar. 23

St. Kathryn Parish hall ~ 5 to 6:30 PM

We are offering this light meatless meal to raise money to support our seminarians and sisters. You will have your choice of Clam or Corn Chowder or Cheddar Broccoli Soup, and salad, bread, drink and cookie for \$7.50 a person. We also offer an alternate choice of a peanut butter and jelly sandwich, drink and cookie for \$3.00. Please consider attending and bring your family and friends. No reservations required, just come and visit with friends. You may also wish to attend Mass at 7:00 PM in the church upstairs.

ST. PATRICK'S CORNED BEEF DINNER

Saturday, Mar. 17~St. Kathryn Parish hall

5:30 to 7:30 PM

Please add this to your social calendar. Tickets will begin selling at all weekend Masses at Saint John XXIII Parish, from now through Sunday, March 11. This is a BYOB function which includes Irish Step Dancers and a wonderful Corned Beef dinner, bread Irish soda bread, dessert and soft drinks. There will also be a 50/50 raffle and Fr. Joe's famous whoopie pies (for sale). This is usually a sell-out event, so please get your tickets early.

Adult tickets: \$12.50 & Children tickets: \$6.00

Lent at Saint John XXIII Parish

- **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

Friday, Mar. 2 ~ 6:00 PM SJE Church

- **FRIDAYS IN LENTEN SEASON**

Catholics are asked to abstain from eating meat on the Fridays of Lent.



2018 LENTEN MOVIES:

- **THE GOSPEL OF JOHN** (2003) Rated: PG-13 Run time: 180 minutes

Part 2: Mon., Feb. 26 ~ 9:15 AM ~ SJE Church hall & **Wed.**, Feb. 28 ~ 7 PM ~ IJ Church hall
The Gospel of John, vividly comes to life in a faithful and powerful dramatization of the biblical text and meticulously re-creates the era of Jesus during a tumultuous period that changed the course of history.

- **WONDER** (2017) Rated: PG Run Time: 113 minutes

Mon., Mar. 5 ~ 9:15 AM ~ SJE Church hall & **Wed.**, Mar. 7 ~ 7 PM ~ IJ Church hall
Wonder, starring Julia Roberts, follows the inspiring story of the Pullman family, whose youngest child, Auggie, is a boy born with facial differences. When Auggie enters mainstream elementary school for the first time, his extraordinary journey unites his family, his school, and his community, and proves that you can't blend in when you were born to stand out.

- **THE GOOD POPE JOHN XXIII** (2003) Run time: 180 minutes

Part 1: Mon., Mar. 12 ~ 9:15 AM ~ SJE Church hall & **Wed.**, Mar. 14 ~ 7 PM ~ IJ Church hall

Part 2: Mon., Mar. 19 ~ 9:15 AM ~ SJE Church hall & **Wed.**, Mar. 21 ~ 7 PM ~ IJ Church hall

*This inspiring movie about the life of Pope John XXIII **HAS NEVER BEEN SHOWN here** at the parish.*

Angelo Roncalli, born in 1881, was known for his profound spirituality as well as his extraordinary goodness from the young years of his life. Early on, many people saw marvellous talents in him, including his wide knowledge and a constant readiness for sacrifice. This patron saint of our parish served as Pope from 1958 to 1963.

SEDER SUPPER

Sunday, Mar. 25 ~ 4:00 to 6:30 PM ~ SJE Church Hall



Pre-registration Required. Deadline: Monday, Mar. 19.
Limited to 20 People.

Come learn about and participate in this communal meal, a focal point of Passover, rejoicing at the deliverance for the Hebrews, that God accomplished in the exodus. Sandy Thibault, from our Welcome Home Committee, will follow up with each participant to suggest a food item to bring to this celebration.

Contact Sandy at 943-7982 or the parish office to register for the Seder Supper.

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If you know of or suspect abuse or neglect of a minor (under 18 yrs.), you must report it to the NH Division for Children, Youth and Families: 1-800-894-5533 or 603-271-6566.

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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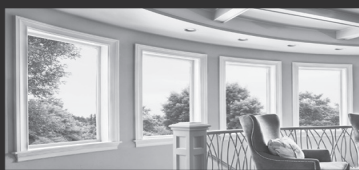
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