

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

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

May 12 - Anticipated Sunday Masses

Margaret Barrett (2nd anniv.) by her family

Lionel Paradis by his wife & family

May 13 - Seventh Sunday of Easter

Intentions of the parishioners

Gerard Nadeau by his family

Mass in Portuguese

May 14 - St. Matthias, apostle

Intentions of Patrick & family/Jackson family

May 15 - St. Isidore

Albert A. Girard by Claire L. Budro

May 16 - Easter Weekday

William M. Reilly (6th anniv.) by his son Bill

May 18 - St. John I, pope & martyr

James & Anna Conley by granddaughter Claire

May 19 - Anticipated Sunday Masses

Norman Dumais by his family

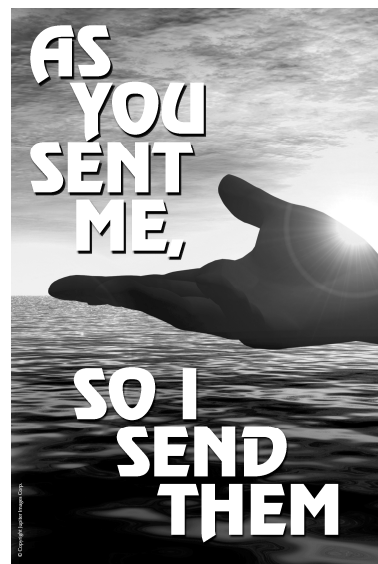
Albert & Simone Desrosiers by Irene Provencher

May 20 - Pentecost

Intentions of the parishioners

Roger Cloutier by his family

Mass in Portuguese



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

THE TWELFTH APOSTLE...In our reading from Acts, occurring after the Ascension, but prior to Pentecost, Jesus' community was disoriented and troubled. They were disoriented by their separation from Jesus, and troubled by the betrayal and loss of Judas. Having been told by Jesus to wait for the Holy Spirit, they believed it was first essential to replace Judas, the twelfth apostle. Why was this so important to them?

The twelve apostles represented the twelve tribes of Israel. Israel's unity in God had been shattered centuries earlier with the split of the nation, conquest, exile and ongoing internal conflicts. Jesus' community now served as a "new Israel." They felt they could only receive the Spirit if the wound of dissolution and distrust within Israel, echoed by the wound of Judas' betrayal, was addressed. With their unity in God restored in the selection of Matthias, they became open and ready to receive the Spirit at Pentecost.

Jesus' prayer to his father at the Last Supper, heard in today's Gospel from John, asks that the disciples be protected from evil, and that they not hide from the world, but fully engage with the world. Jesus prayer extends to us, that we his followers experience the fatherhood of God. Together with this fatherhood, we experience God's family. And we serve in the world, in our common human identity as God's children.

Today's Readings: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20;

Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19

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Liturgical Ministers Scheduled for Weekend Masses ~ May 19 & 20, 2018

Mass	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
4:00 PM (SJE)	Nicholas Bolton	Joan Hilston - Marlene Forrence Joyce Nadeau - Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
6:00 PM (IJ)	Priscille Guerette	Ron DiStasio - Sandra Thibault	Volunteer Needed
8:00 AM (SJE)	Ken Massey	Darlene Fisher - Jeannine Gagnon	Volunteer Needed
10:30 AM (IJ)	Maria Roberts	Paul Lukitsch - Rita Clark - Laurie Collins Volunteer Needed - Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed

Saint John XXIII Parish News

STEWARDSHIP REPORTS

Week Ending ~ May 5 & 6, 2018	
Adult Envelopes (122)	\$3,248.00
WeShare (<i>Online Giving</i>) (44)	\$916.00
less 5% Tithe	\$208.00
Loose Cash	\$784.89
Brazilian Community Offerings	\$254.00
Parish Youth Offerings	\$2.00
Offertory Total:	\$4,996.89
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WeShare (<i>Online Giving</i>)	
Holy Land (9)	\$175.00
Easter (14)	\$810.00
<i>May our loving God bless you for your continued generosity!</i>	

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!*

NH CATHOLIC CHARITIES DRIVE CONTINUES...

Thank you for your generosity to Catholic Charities. If you have not had a chance to give, there are envelopes available in the pews and at all church entrances. Your gift feeds the hungry, clothes the poor and provides care to those who are ill.

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

The Catholic Communication Campaign helps to connect people with Christ by providing grants to Catholic organizations that share the experience of faith, worship and witness through social media, internet, television, radio and print media. 50% of the funds we collect stay in our diocese to support local communications projects. The other 50% funds national communications efforts, as well as projects in developing countries. Please support this important work of the Church this weekend through the use of your parish envelopes or online giving.

RECYCLE EXCESS CLOTHING

Planet Aid bins are placed on both parish campuses. Items that can be deposited in these bins are:

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

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

This Week at Saint John XXIII...

Mon. 14	Tuesday 15	Wed. 16	Thursday 17	Friday 18	Saturday 19	Sunday 20
	Rosary 6 PM-IJ Church Prayer Service 7:15 PM (Portuguese) IJ Church Book Study 7:15-9PM IJ Library		Eucharistic Adoration 6-7 PM IJ Church	Eucharistic Adoration 9-11 AM SJE Church	Reconciliation 3-3:30 PM SJE Church Bingo 6:30 PM (Team A)	Prayer Shawl Ministry meeting 9:15 AM Library

More Parish & Community News

NASHUA CATHOLIC REGIONAL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL TEA AND TOURS

Wednesday, May 23 ~ 12:30-1:30 PM

A relaxed admissions event offering hot beverages, conversation with our principal and tours of our classes. Call to Reserve Your Cup Today!

603-882-7011

JESUS ACROSS THE BORDER

Monthly Gathering: Friday, May 18

7:30 PM-12 AM ~ St. Francis of Assisi Church,
325 Cambridge St., Cambridge MA

Join our umbrella organization which unites over 20 different young adult Catholic groups! The event is geared towards young adults, 18-35 years of age, but is open to anyone who would like to find out more about the JESUS aCROSS the Border mission. The evening begins at 7:30 PM with Eucharistic Adoration and acoustic Praise & Worship led by Mike Valle McDuffee and accompanied by Angelique Bolduc of LIFT Ministries. A young adult Mass will follow at 9 PM with Fr. Von DeRosia as the main Mass celebrant. Mass is followed by our signature networking pizza social and a Shalom Boston Party. This is a fantastic opportunity for over 20 Catholic young adult groups to network with one another and for YOU to get to know the many groups out there that are ready to support you in your faith journey! FREE: Parking in East Cambridge Savings Bank 292 Cambridge St., Cambridge MA - Please print Parking Pass from website.

FREE: Limited parking on Cambridge St. (after 6 PM). Please email Billy Beauchesne at JESUSaCROSS-theBorder@gmail.com or visit our Facebook Page for more information.

COURT APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATES (CASA) VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Casa of NH trains concerned citizens to advocate for abused and neglected children in the courts. There are children waiting for someone to speak on their behalf. Your common sense, commitment to children and a contribution of 10-15 hours a month will help ensure a child grows up in a safe, permanent home. To become a CASA volunteer and help the children in your community, please call 1-800-626-0622, or apply at www.casanh.org/onlineapplication.

Manchester/Southern NH training: **July 2018.**

2018 SENIOR CITIZEN ACADEMY

This program is designed to provide Nashua residents, 60 years of age and older, with a glimpse of the day to day operations of the Nashua Police Department and their community partnerships to address the complex issues that face seniors today. Registration is required due to limited seating. Call Nashua's Senior Relations Specialist, Jane Constant, at 594-3628. Classes are held at the Nashua Police Department. Topics include: Crimes against Seniors, Driving Concerns and Community Resources.

Course dates: May 16-May 23-May 30 & June 6
Time: 9 AM to NOON

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KEEP KIDS SAFE - NEW HAMPSHIRE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Did you know? In NH, it is the responsibility of all adults (not just doctors, school counselors, therapists, ministers, etc.) to report suspected abuse or neglect of a minor (a child under the age of 18) to the Division for Children, Youth and Families (800-894-5533). Failure to report suspected abuse or neglect is a misdemeanor. For more information, visit www.catholicnh.org/safety.

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MOTHER'S DAY FUNDRAISER FOR BIRTHRIGHT OF SOUTHERN NH

Carnations will be available following all Masses this weekend with a two-fold purpose: to give our mothers, grandmothers, aunts, godmothers, the gift of a beautiful flower, and to give the proceeds to Birthright of Southern NH, to help them continue their special program for girls and women distressed by an unplanned pregnancy (all Birthright services are free). Thanks in advance for your ongoing generous support of this ministry!

CORPUS CHRISTI PANTRY INVITATION CELEBRATING 20 YEARS

Corpus Food Pantry will celebrate its 20th Anniversary on Sunday, June 3rd. The celebration will take place at Saint John XXIII Parish, beginning with a Prayer Service/Presentation, at 2:30 PM, at Infant Jesus Church, followed by a blessing of our new location, on 3 Crown St., (the former Infant Jesus Convent) at 3:45 PM. Light refreshments will be served afterwards at IJ Church hall. We extend this invitation to show our gratitude for your generosity and support.

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 a personal struggle. To receive a shawl, call Pam Morin at 548-0049, Dotti Reed at 275-7345 or the parish office.

Next Meeting: Sunday, May 20
9:15 AM ~ Library



*Loving God,
as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children,
so you watch over your Church.
Bless these women,
that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers.
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.*

INFANT JESUS SCHOOL NEWS

Dear Parish Families,

Infant Jesus School is registering new students for the 2018/2019 school year. We would like to reach out to all of you and all of your friends and neighbors to let you know what an amazing school Infant Jesus School is. We also would like you to know that we are expanding and upgrading our pre-school program. Please call today at 889-2649 to schedule a tour, and please go to our website at www.ijschool.org to see all IJS has to offer. We look forward to meeting you.

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.

MOVIE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

"The Greatest Showman"

(2017) Rated: PG Run Time: 105 min.

Hugh Jackman stars in this bold, original musical inspired by the ambition and imagination of P. T. Barnum. "The Greatest Showman" tells the story of a visionary who rose from nothing to create a mesmerizing spectacle that became a worldwide sensation.

Monday, May 21

9:15 AM St. John the Evangelist Church hall
&

7:00 PM Infant Jesus Church hall

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