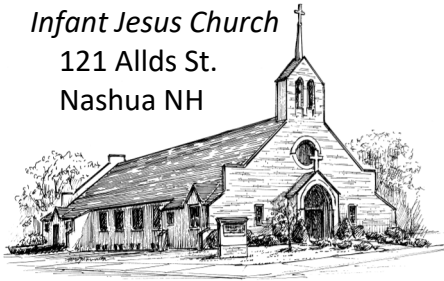
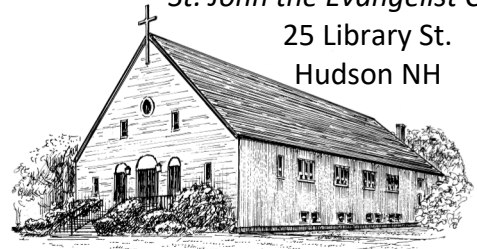


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ONE OF THE LEPERS,
REALIZING HE HAD BEEN HEALED,
RETURNED, GLORIFYING GOD
IN A LOUD VOICE.
LUKE 17:15

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October 13, 2019 • Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MISSION STATEMENT

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

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 *1:00 PM*

Tuesday

IJ 8:30 AM

Wednesday

SJE 8:30 AM

Thursday

IJ 8:30 AM

Friday

SJE 8:30 AM

Saturday

SJE 4:00 PM

IJ 6:00 PM

Sunday

SJE 8:00 AM

IJ 8:00 AM

IJ 10:30 AM

Oct. 12 - Anticipated Weekend Masses

Charles Malone (1st anniv.) by his family

Hervey & Marie Durocher by their family

Oct. 13- 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Intentions of the parishioners

Theresa Duchesne by her family

Mass in Portuguese

Oct. 15 - St. Teresa of Jesus

Intentions of the parishioners

Oct. 16 - Sts. Hedwig & Margaret M. Alacoque

Marcel Dubord by his wife & family

Oct. 17 - St. Ignatius of Antioch, martyr

For the repose of the soul of Fr. Richard Vickery

Oct. 18 - St. Luke, evangelist

Intentions of the parishioners

Oct. 19 - Anticipated Weekend Masses

Tim Sabol (16th anniv.) by his family

Lucien Fillion by his family

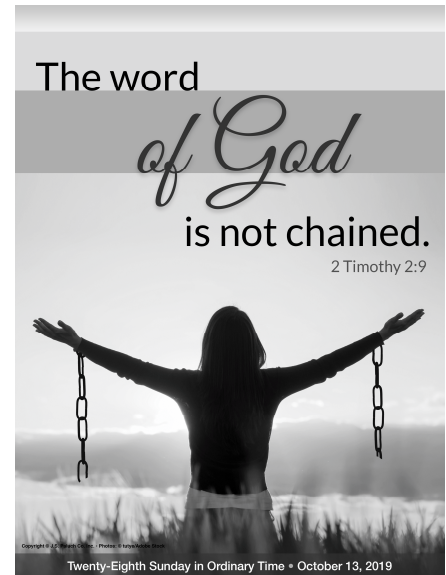
Intentions of the parishioners

Oct. 20- 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In loving memory of Rose Gardner

Mass in Portuguese

Intentions of the parishioners



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



WITH OUR SYMPATHY

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

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.

COMMUNION CALLS

FOR HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 3:00 - 3:30 PM (SJE)

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

We extend a warm welcome to new parishioners who are here to join us in prayer. We ask that you stop by the parish office to register, so that we can welcome you in person.

Liturgical Ministers Scheduled for Weekend Masses ~ Oct. 19 & 20, 2019			
<i>Mass</i>	<i>Lectors</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>	<i>Altar Servers</i>
4:00 PM (SJE)	Dan Dumont	Lisa Ricard - Joyce Nadeau	Volunteer Needed
6:00 PM (IJ)	Ron DiStasio	Jeannine Gagnon - Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
8:00 AM (SJE)	Carol Rapaglia	Darlene Fisher - Leona Shanholtz	Volunteer Needed
10:30 AM (IJ)	Joan Hilston	Laurie Collins - Jeannine T. Levesque Paul Lukitsch	Volunteer Needed

Saint John XXIII Parish News

STEWARDSHIP REPORTS

Week Ending ~ Oct. 5 & 6, 2019	
Adult Envelopes (145)	\$3,535.00
WeShare (Online Giving) (35)	\$804.00
Loose Cash	\$536.82
Brazilian Community Offerings	\$236.00
Parish Youth Offerings (1)	\$1.00
Offertory Total:	\$5,112.82
Fuel (Additional 2)	\$40.00
<i>May our loving God bless you for your continued generosity!</i>	

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Classes held at the Parish Center, Hudson

NO Session: Oct. 13
 Next Session: Oct. 20

Parent Meeting: Monday, Oct. 21
 6:15 to 7:15 PM~SJE Church hall

STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

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

2019 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 to WeShare, 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!*



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.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION

This collection next weekend for world missions, will be taken up through the use of your parish envelopes or online giving (WeShare). Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in next weekend's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

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

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

This Week at Saint John XXIII...

Sunday 13	Monday 14	Tuesday 15	Wed 16	Thursday 17	Friday 18	Saturday 19	Sunday 20
<i>Prayer Shawl Ministry meeting</i> 9:15 AM Rectory Library	 Columbus Day Parish office closed No School	<i>Rosary</i> 6 PM IJ Church <i>Prayer Service</i> 7 PM (Portuguese) IJ Church		<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i> 6-7 PM IJ Church	<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i> 9-11 AM SJE Church	<i>Reconciliation</i> 3-3:30 PM SJE Church <i>Bingo</i> 6:30 PM	<i>Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebration</i> 2 PM St. Joseph Cathedral

More Parish & Community News

ANNUAL ITALIAN DINNER NIGHT

Saturday, Oct. 19 ~ St. Kathryn Church Hall
Doors Open: 5:30 PM - Dinner Served: 6:00 PM
St. Kathryn Church hall

The Knights of Columbus Council 5162 will sell tickets for this annual event after all weekend Masses, starting Sept. 21st through Oct. 13th. There is a limit on the number of tickets to be sold, so please buy your tickets early. No tickets will be sold at the door. Key contacts are: Wayne Nadeau (St. John the Evangelist) and Ron Distasio (Infant Jesus). The dinner includes pasta, meatballs, sweet sausage, pulled pork and beef, salad, rolls/butter, dessert, coffee and soft drinks. This is also a BYOB event.

Adults: \$12.50 Children 12 & under: \$6.00

SISTERS OF HOLY CROSS FAIR

Saturday, Oct. 19, 9 AM to 3:30 PM
Holy Cross Center, 357 Island Pond Rd, Manchester
Crafters, Penny Sale, Theme Baskets, Bake Sale, Lucky Draw, and more. Free Admission, Free Parking. Lunch served from 11:00 AM on. Come join the Sisters of Holy Cross for a wonderful day!

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Sun., Oct. 20, 1:00 PM
Thurs., Oct. 24, 6:00 PM

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CRAFT FAIR & VENDOR TABLE RENTALS

Fri., Nov. 8 (5-8 PM) & Sat. Nov. 9 AM-3 PM)
Immaculate Conception Parish, Nashua

If you are interested in a vendor's table for this Knights of Columbus Craft Fair, please contact Ken at kennygoddard@comcast.net.

ROSARY COAST TO COAST

Sunday, Oct. 13 ~ 4:00 PM
Meet at South Beach, Hampton NH

“Rosary Coast to Coast” is an event happening across our entire nation. Respective of each time zone, hundreds of thousands of Americans will pray a public rosary *at the same moment* for the conversion of our country, our church and the world. Last year, there were more than 1,200 prayer groups participating nationally.

We will meet at South Beach, beginning at 4 PM. Get there early and dress WARM. We will pray the entire 20 decade rosary, which will take about 90 minutes.

Our Lady has worked miraculous wonders throughout the centuries to those who turned to her intercession. Please come and bring family members and friends.

ST. ANDREW DINNER

Oct. 18 ~ 6-8 PM: Men, ages 19-60

Joseph House, 279 Cartier St., Manchester

St. Andrew was the first of the Apostles to hear Jesus' call to follow him. We would like to invite men in our diocese, who are considering a vocation to the priesthood, or would simply like some help hearing the Lord's call for their life, to an evening of prayer, conversation with the Vocations Team and dinner. Please RSVP to Becky Vinson at rvinson@rcbm.org or 663-0153 if you would like to attend.

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SEMINARIAN BRUNCH FUNDRAISER

Saturday, Oct. 19, 10 AM-12:30 PM
Manchester Country Club

Join Bishop Peter Libasci and our seminarians for brunch. The brunch includes great food, live music, silent auction, the premier of our new diocesan vocations video, and much more. Sponsorships are available and individual tickets are \$100 per person. For more information and to purchase tickets, visit: www.liveinblackandwhite.com

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday	4:00 PM	SJE Church
	6:00 PM	IJ Church
Sunday	8:00 AM	SJE Church
(Portuguese)	8:00 AM	IJ Church
	10:30 AM	IJ Church

*Please Note:

There will be no 8:00 AM Mass in Portuguese, at Infant Jesus Church, this Sunday, Oct. 13. The Portuguese Mass will be celebrated at 1:00 PM on that day.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tuesday	8:30 AM	IJ Church
Wednesday	8:30 AM	SJE Church
Thursday	8:30 AM	IJ Church
Friday	8:30 AM	SJE Church



FIGHT HUNGER BAGS SOLD— DONATIONS RAISED TO BENEFIT SAINT JOHN XXIII FOOD PANTRY

For the month of October, every time the reusable \$2.50 “Fight Hunger” bag is sold at the Hannaford store located at 77 Derry Rd., in Hudson, Saint John XXIII Parish Food Pantry will receive a \$1 donation. Another way to help support the pantry and the environment!



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Parishioners who serve 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, or for more information about this ministry, please call Pam Morin, 548-0049, Dotti Reed, 275-7345, or the parish office.

Meeting: Sun., Oct. 13 ~ 9:15 AM
Rectory Library

CORPUS CHRISTI FOOD PANTRY & ASSISTANCE

Thank you all so very much for the generous donations this summer! We were able to give away 167 Fans this summer to our neighbors who do not have air conditioning or live in apartments. It was a hot summer! We appreciate your donations, this number has grown year after year because of your compassionate giving. Our School Socks and Underwear program was also a great success – more than 150 families came in to choose necessary items that will help clothe their children. Please give us a call or come by to visit and see how you can help us continue to make a difference to those in need. God Bless you for your support!! 598-1641

ALL GOOD GIFTS...

In the past few years, many have adopted the practice of keeping a gratitude journal. Sometimes, the journal-keeper uses a book that includes prompts that guide the user’s reflection. Others simply keep a list or write brief reflections at the end of their day or week, recognizing the many things for which they are grateful. The action of seeking out the blessings of life creates a habit of attentiveness. We see what we seek. When we look for things for which to be grateful, we realize that we are surrounded by blessings. This is not only a good practice for our emotional health and well-being; recognizing our blessings, and growing in gratitude for them, is a deeply spiritual practice through which we become attentive to God’s presence and action in our lives. Gratitude can truly be a life-changer for us. As we grow in gratitude, we view the world through the perspective of abundance rather than scarcity. Without the habit of gratitude, we take things for granted. We get caught in an endless cycle of wanting more, rather than seeing all that we have.

Naaman and the leper also grasped that their grateful faith should lead them to respond in praise and to make a change in their life. Naaman vowed to put his faith in the Lord; the leper returned, glorifying God and thanking Jesus. Not all responded in thankful praise, however. The leper who returned was one of ten. The other nine went about their merry way, happy to be healed, but failing to acknowledge or express their gratitude to the Healer. Are you one, like Naanam and the leper who returned to Jesus, whose thankfulness leads you to faith and to faith-filled living? Or are you one of the nine, who takes for granted the gifts and blessings that surround you? For what are you grateful? What is your faithful and faith-filled response?

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