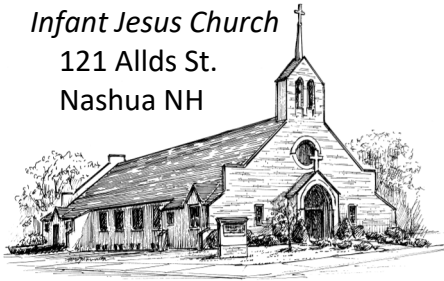
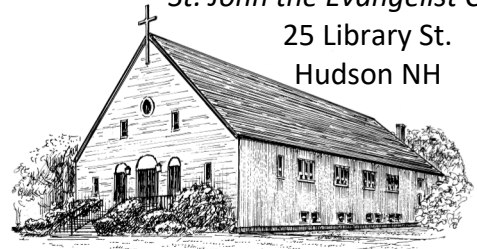


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St. John the Evangelist Church
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Saint John XXIII Parish

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ext. 3

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:

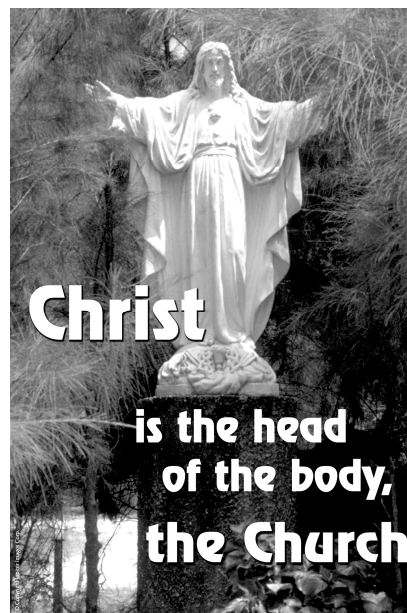
Saint John XXIII Food Pantry: 603-882-2462 ext. 6

Corpus Christi Food Pantry: 603-882-6372

NH Catholic Charities: 603-889-9431

Mass Intentions

Saturday	Nov. 23 - Anticipated Weekend Masses
SJE 4:00 PM	Intentions of the parishioners
IJ 6:00 PM	Deceased loved ones of Dan & Ginny Dumont
Sunday	Nov. 24 - Christ the King
SJE 8:00 AM	Deceased loved ones of Tom & Debbie Gagnon
IJ 8:00 AM	Mass in Portuguese
IJ 10:30 AM	Theresa Duchesne by her family
Tuesday	Nov. 26 - Weekday
IJ 8:30 AM	M/M Orvide Noel by Claire Budro
Wednesday	Nov. 27 - Weekday
SJE 8:30 AM	All Souls Day intentions
Thursday	Nov. 28 - Thanksgiving Day
IJ 8:30 AM	Intentions of the parishioners
Friday	Nov. 29 - Weekday
SJE 8:30 AM	All Souls Day intentions
Saturday	Nov. 30 - Anticipated Weekend Masses
SJE 4:00 PM	Connie Bolton by Dan Dube & family
IJ 6:00 PM	Paul Charron by his wife & family
Sunday	Dec. 1 - First Sunday of Advent
SJE 8:00 AM	Intentions of the parishioners
IJ 8:00 AM	Mass in Portuguese
IJ 10:30 AM	Deceased loved ones of Jeannine T. Levesque



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

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED ON FRIDAYS

The parish office will be closed Fridays for the rest of this year. Our office hours will continue:

Monday through Thursday: 9 AM to 4 PM

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.



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.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 3:00 - 3:30 PM SJE Church

COMMUNION CALLS FOR HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

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

Liturgical Ministers Scheduled for Weekend Masses ~ Nov. 30 & Dec. 1, 2019

<i>Mass</i>	<i>Lectors</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>	<i>Altar Servers</i>
4:00 PM (SJE)	Dan Dumont	Marlene Forrence - Lisa Ricard	Volunteer Needed
6:00 PM (IJ)	Diane Dubreuil	Juliette Jean - Jeannine Gagnon	Volunteer Needed
8:00 AM (SJE)	Kathy Nichols	Marie DeVito - Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
10:30 AM (IJ)	Jeannine T. Levesque	Priscille Guerette - Al Poliquin - Mike Morin	Volunteer Needed

Saint John XXIII Parish News

STEWARDSHIP REPORTS

Week Ending ~ Nov. 16 & 17, 2019	
Adult Envelopes (134)	\$3,297.00
WeShare (Online Giving) (44)	\$822.00
Loose Cash	\$900.52
Brazilian Community Offerings	\$219.00
Parish Youth Offerings (1)	\$1.00
Offertory Total:	\$5,239.52
Brazilian Community	
Monthly Donation	\$1,000.00
Fuel (1)	\$50.00
<i>May our loving God bless you for your continued generosity!</i>	

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Classes held in Hudson

ALL GRADES: Sunday, Nov. 24 ~ 9:15-10:15 AM
Parish Center

No Classes: Sun., Dec. 1



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.

STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

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

**2020 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!*

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



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

THURSDAYS: 6 to 7 PM, IJ Church

***FRIDAYS:** 9-10 AM, SJE CHURCH

*Please note the time change.

*Come spend time in quiet prayer
before the Blessed Sacrament.*

This Week at Saint John XXIII...

Monday 25	Tuesday 26	Wednesday 27	Thursday 28	Friday 29	Saturday 30
	Rosary 6 PM~IJ Church Prayer Service 7 PM(Portuguese) IJ Church		Thanksgiving Day Mass 8:30 AM IJ Church Eucharistic Adoration 6-7 PM~IJ Church	Eucharistic Adoration 9-10 AM SJE Church	Reconciliation 3-3:30 PM SJE Church Bingo~6:30 PM

More Parish & Community News

SAINT JOHN XXIII FOOD PANTRY



Grocery Coupons

Saint John XXIII Food Pantry continues to look for your **unused** grocery coupons to shop to fill their shelves. Coupons can be placed in the receptacles at both church entrances in Hudson and at the main entrance in Nashua. They can accept coupons that are expired (within a 6 month period) which can be redeemed by our Armed Forces at their local PX stations.

Hannaford's Helps "Fight Hunger"

Each "Fight Hunger" reusable shopping bag sold at Hannaford's, 77 Derry Rd., in Hudson, during the month of October generated a \$1.00 donation to Saint John XXIII Pantry. Sincere thanks for those purchases; the pantry donation totalled **\$24.50**.

NH CATHOLIC CHARITIES ACQUIRES PROGRAM SERVING AT-RISK VETERANS

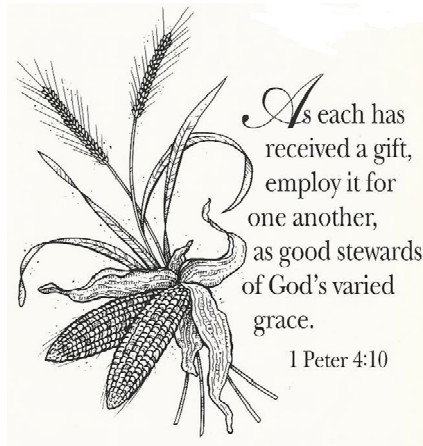
Building on our commitment to serving the poor and vulnerable across NH, Catholic Charities acquired Manchester-based Liberty House. Liberty House, now an official program of Catholic Charities, serves homeless and at-risk veterans through sober transitional housing, clothing and food distribution and various mental and physical wellness programs. Many of these veterans face immense challenges and invisible wounds, such as trauma, addiction and a lack of secure housing. It is our goal to expand on the work Liberty House has done for more than 15 years—and through your support—create more hope, independence and self-sufficiency for this extremely vulnerable and underserved population.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

"Go Light Your World This Christmas"

Wed., Dec. 4 ~ 7:00 PM (doors open 6:15 PM)
St. Kathryn Parish, 4 Dracut Rd., Hudson

Award winning singer Kathy Troccoli will present this moving concert. *Go Light Your World This Christmas* is a beloved timeless anthem that has been used to celebrate the calling on all of our lives to take our candles and "be His Light." Please visit www.stkathryns.org/kt for more information and to reserve your complimentary tickets. There will be an opportunity for a free will offering the night of the concert (suggested donation \$25/person). Please call the parish office at 882-7793 with questions.



As each has received a gift, employ it for one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace.

1 Peter 4:10

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Sat., Dec. 7 ~ 9 AM to 4 PM

St. Patrick Parish, 12 Main St., Pelham NH

Featuring local crafters, scrumptious food, bake table and coloring contest.

"A CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS: SING CHOIRS OF ANGELS" DIOCESAN CHOIRS CHRISTMAS CD

The Cathedral of Saint Joseph Parish Choir, Diocesan Festival Choir, Diocesan Children's Choir, the newly formed St. Anthony Men's Schola, Ensemble ExCathedra and the Cathedral Cantors have recorded a Christmas CD! Music includes Gregorian Chant as well as stunning choral music by Willan, Praetorius, Saint-Saëns, Handel, Darke, Titcomb, Victoria, Poulenc, Reger and Mendelssohn. It also includes beloved carol arrangements by Willcocks as well as music for solo organ and flute. The monies raised by the CD sales will directly benefit the restoration of the historic 1869 E. & G. G. Hook & Hastings (1/8) tracker pipe organ located in the Cathedral's Blessed Sacrament Chapel. CD's are \$20 per copy and \$5 for mailing. For additional information, please contact: Mr. Eric Bermani, EBermani@stjosephcathedralnh.org or call 603-622-6404, x31

Saint John XXIII Parish



BABY SHOWER FOR JESUS

For many years, baby items have been collected to assist the ministry of the Care Net Pregnancy Center, now called Real Options Pregnancy Help Services. This year, there is a great need for baby wipes, diapers (newborn and sizes 2 & 3), toiletries, sleep sacks, baby towels, wash cloths, bibs, diaper bags, girls & boys clothes (newborn to 3 months), and maternity clothes. Used baby and maternity clothes are fine; they only ask that they be clean and in good condition. New infant car seats would be greatly appreciated. Hand knit and crocheted items are treasured for their personal touch! If you can help, please place your donation on the tabernacle side of the sanctuary, at Infant Jesus Church, from **now to Sun., Dec. 8.**



THE GIVING TREE

Each year, Saint John XXIII Pantry provides families with Christmas gifts from The Giving Tree. If you can help, we ask that you pick a tag from "The Giving Tree" in the sanctuary at St. John the Evangelist Church. These tags have a suggestion for an item that could be purchased. *Be careful to secure the tag to the gift, as it has the family number on it.* Gifts for children should not be wrapped. Please return the gift (place under the tree in the sanctuary) **by Sunday, Dec. 8.**

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!



*With every good wish for a
Happy and Blessed
Thanksgiving!*



THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Mass will be celebrated at 8:30 AM on Thanksgiving Day, Thurs., Nov. 28, at Infant Jesus Church. What a wonderful way to begin the day by giving thanks to God as a community!



*2020 PARISH ENVELOPES AVAILABLE

Offertory envelopes are available (arranged alphabetically) at the main entrances of our churches. As in the past, parishioners living in Nashua and Merrimack can pick up their envelopes at Infant Jesus Church. Parishioners living in Hudson, Litchfield, Pelham and Londonderry can pick up their envelopes at St. John the Evangelist Church. If you prefer to pick up your envelopes at the parish office, or if you prefer one church over the other, please call the parish office soon to let us know.



CARING & SHARING DRIVE THANK YOU!

Sincere thanks for your donations of Thanksgiving basket items, grocery gift certificates, toiletries and non-perishable food items to help provide Thanksgiving meals, and to help keep the pantry shelves stocked! Free will offerings placed in the containers at all church entrances came to a total of **\$204.05**. Your generosity is truly appreciated by the families and individuals served by Saint John XXIII and Corpus Christi Food Pantries!



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 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:
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