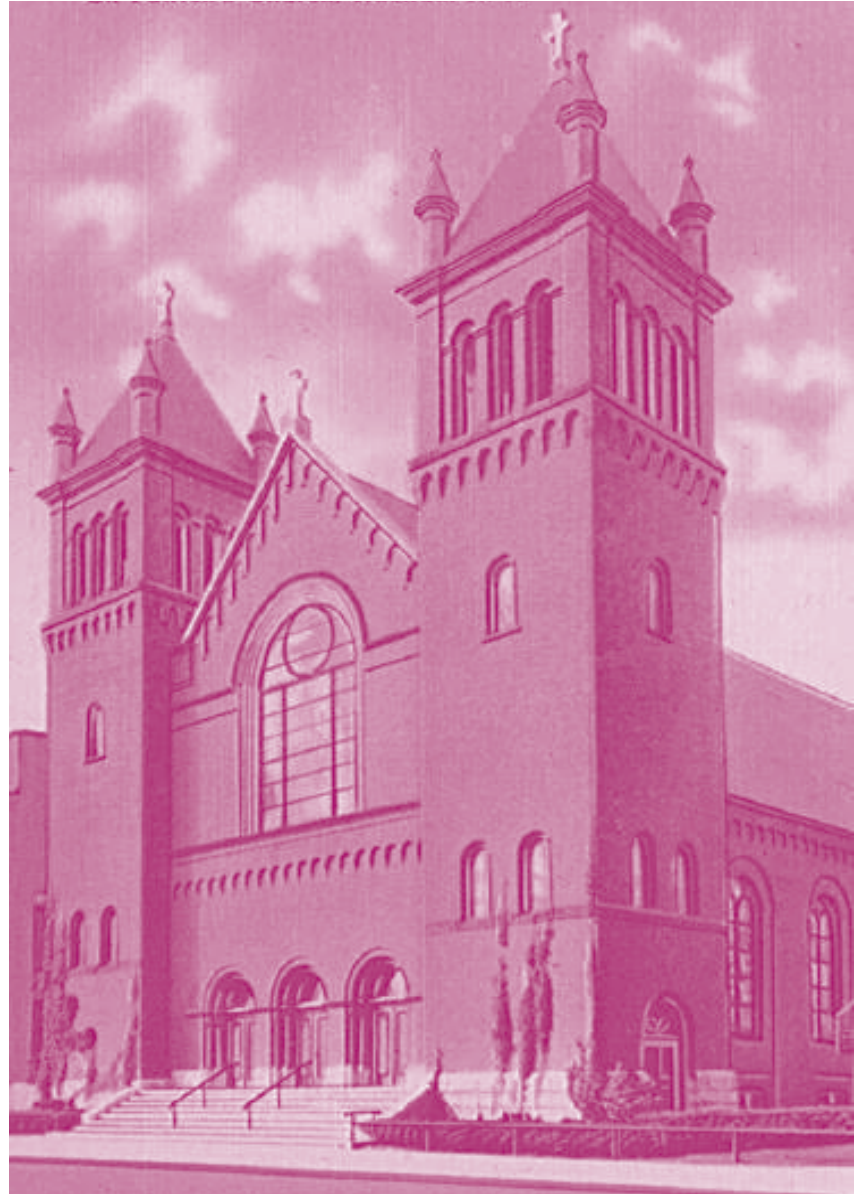


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MASSES

Saturday 4:00 PM
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Sunday 7:00 AM
9:30 AM
Organ & Cantor

12:00 Noon
Organ & Choir
2nd Sunday - *Latin Mass with Choir*

Daily 12:05 PM

Latin Mass Saturday 8:00 AM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM

11:30 AM

Tues. - Fri. 11:30 AM

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Monday ~ Thursday: 9:00 AM ~ 3:00 PM
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LITURGICAL CALENDAR & INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 21, 2014 Vigil ~ The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

4:00 PM **Rev. Martin T. Kelly**
By a Parishioner

Sunday, June 22, 2014 ~ The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

7:00 AM **Joseph G. & Eva C. Fariz**
By the Family

9:30 AM **Robert & Ruth Murphy**
By their daughter Mary Dunn

12:00 PM **People of the Parish**

Monday, June 23, 2014

12:05 PM **Pearl Nevins**
By Mr. and Mrs. Richard Levesque

Tuesday, June 24, 2014 ~ The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

12:05 PM **William Russell Moher**
(100th Birthday Anniversary)
By James Moher

Wednesday, June 25, 2014

12:05 PM **Mary Reynolds (Living)**
By Kelly Lockwood

Thursday, June 26, 2014

12:05 PM **Michael Jacques**

Friday, June 27, 2014

12:05 PM **Lorraine Drouin, 1st Anniversary**
By the Family

Saturday, June 28, 2014 ~ Vigil Sts. Peter and Paul

4:00 PM **Ellie Tong**
By a Friend

Sunday, June 29, 2014 ~

7:00 AM **People of the Parish**

9:30 AM **André Ancil**
By the Family

12:00 PM **John Belton**
By the Family

Thank you for respecting God's Holy Presence by keeping mobile phones and other electronic devices outside of this Sacred Space.

Gifts for the Lord's Work

Weekend of June 14/15

From 216 Envelope Users:	\$ 6,289.00
From All Others - Checks:	\$ 996.12
Cash:	\$ 1,530.00
Electronic Giving Users (18)	\$ 721.00
Total Collection	\$ 9,536.12

Mass Attendance : 806

St. Vincent de Paul

Week of June 14/15 \$770.00

Poor Box money is used to assist the needy who approach our parish for meals, gas and groceries. Indirect assistance is provided through funds given to several local charities, including the Corpus Christi Food Pantry and the Nashua Soup Kitchen and Shelter. None of this money is used for parish expenses. Your continuing generosity allows our parish to fulfill the Lord's command to help "the least of my brothers and sisters."

THANK YOU!

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION June 28-29, 2014

The Peter's Pence Collection unites us in solidarity with the Holy Father and his works of charity to those in need. This collection supports the charitable works of the Holy Father and provides emergency assistance to those most in need, including victims of oppression, natural disaster, and war.

Your efforts are essential to the Holy Father's work of serving the poor and suffering of the world.

Please be generous in your support of the Holy Father's charitable works.

News & Notes for St. Patrick Parish

Upcoming Latin Masses

12:00 Noon

July 13, 2014

5th Sunday after Pentecost

Saturday mornings

8:00 AM

(Church opens at 7:30 AM)

June 28, 2014

Vigil of Saints Peter & Paul

July 5, 2014

St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria

July 12, 2014

St. John Gualbert

July 19, 2014

St. Vincent de Paul

July 26, 2014

St. Anne, Mother of Our Lady

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SISTER ELIZABETH'S BIBLE STUDY

Adults: Mondays & Tuesdays ~ 7:00-8:00 PM
Teens (Youth Group): Fridays ~ 7:00-9:00 PM

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Monday, Tuesday & Thursday/12:00 noon ~ 8:00 PM
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**KNIGHTS OF
COLUMBUS NEWS**

The Knights of Columbus will hold their year-end meeting on Friday, June 27th from 6:30 to 9:00 PM in the Parish Center. The meeting will include dinner. Please plan to attend.

Understanding Catholicism

Grow in Knowledge of the Faith Over the Summer!

Summer can be a great time to relax and enjoy the beauty of God's creation, but for many people slower schedules at work and school provide the perfect opportunity to learn more about our Catholic Faith! Join the RCIA team for Sunday afternoons (1:30-3:00pm) for Understanding Catholicism - discussions about faith, the Church, and growing in our relationship with God. Questions? Topics that you would like to see covered? Email: UCath.st.patrick@gmail.com.

- 6/22 "Who Then Can Be Saved?"
- 6/29 The End Times and The Second Coming
- 7/6 Fourth of July Weekend - No Meeting
- 7/13 If We Have Jesus, Why Do We Need Mary?
- 7/20 The Real Presence: How to Receive The Eucharist Worthily

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St. Patrick Parish has two beautiful cemeteries located in Hudson, NH - St. Patrick Cemetery on Derry Road and Holy Cross Cemetery on Ledge Road. For more information on available lots, please contact Margie Gray at 881-8131.

VISIT ST. PATRICK'S NEW WEBSITE !

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PILGRIMAGE TO THE DIVINE MERCY SHRINE

Join the pilgrimage to The Divine Mercy Shrine, Stockbridge, MA on Sunday, July 13, 2014. We will depart from the Court parking lot, Spring Street, Nashua at 7:30 AM. We will return at approximately 6:30 PM. A Shrine program will be available. Cost is \$34.00 per person. Mass will be at 2:00 PM at the Shrine. There is a picnic area available as well as a Gift Shop. Devotional areas also are available. Bring your own lunch.

To register for this event, mail your check made payable to John Kiely, to The Knights of Columbus, St. Patrick Rectory, 29 Spring Street, Nashua, NH 03060. Deadline: July 6, 2014.

WANTED: ROSARIES IN GOOD CONDITION

St. Patrick Parish is collecting new, old, and unused Rosaries, crucifixes, statues and crosses in all sizes, that are in good condition, to send to the churches in Africa for free distribution to the people. These sacramentals are an important part of the prayer life of the people and mean so much to the Catholic faithful in Africa. Your donation is most appreciated. We will have a box located in the vestibule at the entry of the church for your donations.

REMEMBER ST. PATRICK CHURCH WHILE ON VACATION!

The summer months are fast approaching. Please remember that our parish depends on your regular donations throughout the year to keep things operating efficiently. So, wherever your summer takes you, be it local or far away, your continued support through the summer months is always much appreciated!

Signing up for online giving is an easy way to continue your support, whether at home or traveling. For more information about online giving options, visit us on the web at: www.stpatricksnashua.org

Community News

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS

Sept. 19-21 or Oct. 17-19

In today's Gospel Jesus said, "Receive the Holy Spirit". Do you feel the presence of the Holy Spirit in your marriage? Enrich your Sacrament of Marriage by attending one of the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on September 19 - 21, 2014 or October 17 - 19, 2014. For more information call Jim and Elaine Richard at 1-800-710-WWME or visit www.wwme.org.

HOLY HOUR FOR THE FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM

June 21 to July 4

The United State Conference of Catholic Bishops has called for a "Fortnight for Freedom," a 14-day period of prayer in support of religious freedom, from June 21 to July 4. The theme of this year's Fortnight is Freedom to Serve, and will focus on how religious freedom enables the Church's service to the poor and vulnerable in accord with human dignity and Church teaching. You are invited to join us for Adoration on June 26th from 6:00 to 7:00 PM at St. John XXIII Parish, in Infant Jesus Church, 121 Allds Street, Nashua, NH to adore Our Lord and pray for the freedom to follow Him in all that we do as Church.

SACRED HEART PARISH MANCHESTER, NH

MYSTERY & MERCY OF THE SACRED HEART
June 27th @ 7:00 PM

Please Join Sacred Heart Parish on Friday, June 27, the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, to explore the mystery and mercy of the Sacred Heart during an evening of Praise and Worship with Exposition and Benediction, an inspiring talk by Rev. Robert Smolly and refreshments to follow. 7:00 to 8:30 PM. ALL AGES ARE WELCOME! Sacred Heart Parish, 265 South Main Street, Manchester, NH 03062 For more information, go to: www.sacredheartchurch-nh.com

Corpus Christi and the Recovery of the Lord's Time

In 1264, Pope Urban IV commissioned St. Thomas Aquinas to organize the Divine Office and Mass texts for the newly-established feast of Corpus Christi, the day set aside to ponder and honor the Most Blessed Sacrament. Pope Urban acted over 700 years ago because many people had already become indifferent, neglectful, and even irreverent toward the Holy Eucharist. These habits, then, are not the fruit of our secular culture; they've been around for centuries, rooted in the human tendency to stray from the sacred because the profane has such a hold on us.

In a sermon written in the 18th century, St. Alphonsus Liguori identified one of the worst habits of practicing Catholics (and priests): the omission of any form of thanksgiving after the reception of Holy Communion. Some people at St. Patrick's have the very laudable custom of remaining after Mass to offer their thanksgiving and other prayers. At a minimum, we always have a time of silence between the purification of the sacred vessels and the final blessing. This "temporal space" serves as an opportunity to consider what has happened -- the Body of Christ has been seen and consumed -- and to express our gratitude to the Lord for His incomprehensible Gift.

The Church stressed the importance of offering thanks after Mass by printing several prayers in the back of the Roman Breviary and even in the large altar Missal. These prayers were never mandated as a part of the liturgy. Rather they served as models of what the priest should say to the Lord after Mass. The most striking aspect of these prayers is their length: To recite them devoutly would consume perhaps 15 minutes!

Today, of course, almost no one says those beautiful prayers. Why? Because even practicing Catholics have a much diminished appetite for the sacred. Last February, Pope Francis gave a remarkably blunt homily about this unfortunate trend. The Holy Father said this:

"How many times do we count the minutes? This not the right attitude that the liturgy asks of us: the liturgy is God's time and space, and we must put ourselves there in God's time, in God's space, without looking at our watches. The liturgy is precisely entering into the mystery of God; bringing ourselves to the mystery and being present in the mystery. No! You came here, we are gathered here, to enter into the mystery. And this is the liturgy, God's time, God's space, the cloud of God that surrounds all of us".

Pope Francis concluded his homily by suggesting that Catholics pray to the Lord "to give us all this sense of what is sacred, to understand that it is one thing to pray at home, to pray in Church, to pray the rosary... *but it is quite another to celebrate the Eucharist.*"

The great solemnity of Corpus Christi is the perfect opportunity to heed the Pope's call to take our eyes off our watches and to focus instead on the Mystery before us.

Fr. Michael Kerper

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