



The Communities of



St. Theresa Parish

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Mass Times

St. Theresa Parish

Monday & Wednesday

8:30am

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday 8:00 & 10:00am

Confessions:

Saturday 3:15-3:45pm

Adoration:

Wednesday

9:00am–Noon

Thursday 6:00-7:00pm

St. Mary Parish

Tuesday & Thursday

8:30am

Sunday 8:00am & 10:00am

Confessions:

Wednesday 6:00-6:30pm

Adoration:

1st Thursday of the Month

7:00-8:00pm

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

He said to her, "Your sins are forgiven." The others at table said to themselves, "Who is this who even forgives sins?" But he said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you; go in peace."

— Lk 7:48-50



June 12, 2016

Contact

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Monday—Thursday

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**Parish Office: Sarah Scalph
and Dolly Megens**

Welcome!

If you are new to our parish please complete a registration form or contact the parish office. Visitors, we're glad you joined us today!

Sacraments

Baptism: Performed on the first Sunday of the month. Please make arrangements in advance by contacting the parish office.

Marriage Preparation: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Please contact the parish office prior to making other arrangements.

If you, or someone you know, would like more information about Catholicism, please contact the parish office.

www.ShowerofRoses.org

PARISH PICNIC



When: **TODAY!** Sunday June 12, 2016
Time: 12 Noon to 4:00 PM
Serving Food: 12 Noon to 2:00 PM
Where: Lake Massasecum

Food Donations needed as follows:

Last Names Beginning: **A thru M**
Salad or Side Dishes

Last Names Beginning: **N thru Z**
Desserts

Please pick up parking tickets in the office.



SPIRITUAL ADOPTEES: We are now four months old. We are now about eight inches tall. We suck our thumbs and our mothers can feel us moving about. Our fingernails are well-formed, will continue to grow and may need to be trimmed when we are born. We are emptying our bladders every 40-45 minutes. Our placenta is fully established and provides for our nutritional needs through our umbilical cord. These nutrients are needed for the rapid growth we are now experiencing. Our umbilical cord is not attached to our mother but only to the placenta. Our individual, permanently identifying fingerprints are now evident.

AMAZING FACT: At fifteen weeks we might be startled by sudden loud noises. Our moms and dads may find quiet, soothing music played by mom's tummy, might relax and calm us down.



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Deepen Your Prayer Life; Help Others to do the Same!

Are you a man or woman of prayer?

Are you comfortable working with small groups?

On July 9th, Franciscan Guest House in Kennebunk, ME will host a Facilitator *Training-Retreat* for the "Lord, Teach me to Pray" (LTMP) prayer series. There is no charge for the training itself or the materials. It will be conducted in a retreat setting and discernment atmosphere.

Come & discern if God is calling you to become a Facilitator! Or, if you are simply in finding out more about Ignation Prayer and the "Lord, Teach me to Pray" prayer series, you are also invited!

For more info and registration: Mrs. Carol Weiler

(504) 439-5933 or carolweiler@cox.net

Or download a registration form at

www.lordteachmetoprayer.com

Free Symposium on Human Trafficking

Working with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, the National Council of Catholic Women is doing all we can to eliminate the scourge of human trafficking. Locally, the New Hampshire Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will be hosting a *free* symposium on human trafficking, **June 25, 2016 at 9:30 am to noon at St. Mary Church, Lowell St. Rochester NH.**

Presenters include: a representative from the Strafford County Sheriff's office; Basra Mohammed, a legal advocate from Catholic Charities; and Erin Albright, the Regional Director of Give Way to Freedom, who holds a BA degree in International Affairs, and a Juris Doctor from Boston College Law School. Erin has worked with the Boston Police Departments Human Trafficking Task Force. Other presenters are: Jasmine Marino, a victim of human trafficking, tells her story and how this has affected her life and Sister Helene Higgins from the Sister of St. Joseph who will speak on the efforts of the U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking. Coffee and pastries will be served. There is no cost but registration is requested to ensure sufficient refreshments and materials.

For more information and to register contact

Jo-Ann Ellison at jellison@rcbm.org or 603-663-0147.

LEARN MORE: [USCCB on Human Trafficking](#)

SAVE THE DATE: Continue the conversation during the next Public Square event on November 19, 2016

ST THERESA PARISH JUNE 12, 2016

June 5, 2016

Parish Offertory	\$	5,476.01
Stipends	\$	10.00
Votive Candles	\$	15.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

Building Debt

Building Debt (05/09/16)	\$	552,999.70
Principal Payment (06/06/16)	\$	6,999.70
4% Interest Payment (06/06/16)	\$	1,843.33
Updated Building Debt (06/06/16)	\$	546,000.00

Pledges and Donations

Total Debt Rec'd this month	\$	2,463.31
Debt Reduction this week	\$	2,463.31
Building Fund Balance 06/06/16	\$	12,257.60



Northeast Catholic College is pleased to announce its **first annual Catholic Education Conference** which will be held on June 17, 2016. This event will serve and support all those engaged in faithfully educating Catholic young people, whether through **diocesan, independent, or home schools**, and encompassing elementary, secondary, and postsecondary Catholic education. The Catholic Education Conference is a time to celebrate, acquire new knowledge and skills, and to renew your spirit. The conference is free to those who pre-register, visit the NCC website for details: www.NortheastCatholic.edu

**“iMercy: The Divine Hotspot”
Retreat/Mission**

Sunday-Tuesday, June 19-21 at 6pm

An amazing experience of God’s Love and Mercy during this Year of Mercy.

Three evenings wit Fr. William Garrott, OP
in Immaculate Heart of Mary Church,
180 Loudon Rd in Concord. All welcome!
No cost!

Coming Events

June 12th PARISH PICNIC

F.P.G.C. Volunteer Meeting
after 10am mass

June 21st F.P.G.C. Volunteer meeting 6:45pm

Men’s Prayer Group

Every Thursday 7-8pm (after Adoration)

Mass Intentions

Sat	June 11	4:00 p.m.
	✠	Wayne MacLeod by Pat and Fred Moreland
Sun	June 12	8:00 a.m.
	✠	Russell Durgin by Family
	✠	Michael Stearns requested by the Choir
Sun	June 12	10:00 a.m.
	✠	Rose Pociask by Ray and Julie Sroka
Mon	June 13	8:30 a.m.
	☼	Priests, Deacons, and Seminarians
Wed	June 15	8:30 a.m.
	✠	Diana Boucher by the Tierney Family
Sat	June 18	4:00 p.m.
	✠	Sheila Taylor Munson by her parents
Sun	June 19	8:00 a.m.
	✠	Rose Damour by Denise Damour
Sun	June 19	10:00 a.m.
	✠	Rose Pociask by Ray and Julie Sroka

Pastor's Notes:

It is another transition time as Spring activities start to wind down-hockey and basketball tournaments notwithstanding- and we move into Summer. I hope that we will all have some time this Summer for some real relaxation and rejuvenation. This is a thing that we should be mindful of in our preparations. For example, many people plan family vacations. This is the time to see whether the plan really will work for everyone. Busy days of whole group activities are great for someone who is extroverted, and yet will exhaust an introverted person. A mix of activities and quiet time will give everyone a break. Similarly, an entire week of nothing to do will drive some people crazy. For families this can be an opportunity to relax in charity for one another.

Speaking of charity-I am a bit concerned this year about our Catholic Charities collection. We originally received too few supplies to do the mailing as we normally do. I am concerned that it may have slipped people's minds if you weren't able to donate the weekend we had our speaker. Materials are still available in the pews if you have not had a chance to contribute yet. You can also go onto their web site and donate there as well. Please remember to put in our parish, as this will generate some additional money for us to use for our own local charity as well.

As I am writing this I am failing to fight off a Summer cold. I will leave off now, then, and try to follow my own advice to take some time to rest.

God Bless,
Fr Thom

Vocations Chalice

If you are a registered parishioner of St. Theresa Parish and would like to take home the Vocations Chalice for a week of dedicated prayer for vocations, please sign-up on the Vocations table in the Narthex under the stained glass window of Mary.

Dan Bailey
will pray this week for vocations.

Sanctuary Lamp Memorial



The sanctuary Lamp (the candle burning near the tabernacle) signals Jesus' Eucharistic presence in the tabernacle.

It burns constantly, 24 hours a day! If you would like to "sponsor" the burning of the Sanctuary Lamp in memory of a loved one, you are welcome to do so! Simply contact Sarah at the parish office. The offering is \$10 for any given week...from Sunday through Saturday.

This week it is burning in memory of
Rose Damour

★ JUNE 21 to JULY 4 ★

FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM WITNESSES TO FREEDOM

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The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) has called for a "Fortnight for Freedom," a 14-day period of prayer, education, and action in support of religious freedom, from June 21 to July 4. The event begins with the vigil of the Feasts of St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More and ends with Independence Day. This special period of prayer, study, catechesis, and public action is intended to emphasize both our Christian and American heritage of liberty. The theme of this year's Fortnight emphasizes the many witnesses to religious freedom, both past and present.



St. Theresa Parish Prayer Chain



June Antle, Claire Aucoin, Theresa Aucoin, Richard Aucoin, Robert Aucoin, Amanda Brown, Emma Cook Bates, Susan Bullock, Claire Carty, Lisa DeLeon, Elizabeth D'Orazio, Robert Dugas, Lillian Fortier, Ann Hasbany, Ken Hudson, Peter and LisaMarie Lind, Brianna Murdough, Sheila Miller, Pam Monaghan, Shawna Poisson, Peter Paul, Henry Rossander, Susan Smith, Deborah Jeanne Santos, Donald Le Talien, Sean and Robin Theodore



June 5, 2016

Parish Offertory	\$	2,145.00
Votive	\$	10.00
Stipends	\$	10.00
Catholic Communication	\$	25.00
Ascension	\$	26.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT



Flower Donations

If you would like to donate money for Altar flowers please contact the Parish office at 428-3325

Mass Intentions

Sun June 12	8:00 a.m.
✚	Jim Holland by the Holland Family
Sun June 12	10:00 a.m.
✚	Ray Fox by Monique Fox
Tue June 14	8:30 a.m.
✚	In Loving Memory of Gloria Mariotti
Thu June 16	8:30 a.m.
☼	Sandy and Keith Crocker on their Anniversary, by Mary Plater
Sun June 19	8:00 a.m.
✚	Joseph Lima by the Poutre Family
✚	Ray Fox by Monique and Jeffrey
Sun June 19	10:00 a.m.
✚	Joseph Lima by the Poutre family

ST. MARY
Upcoming Meetings

Chaplet of Divine Mercy for the Mercy of God on ISIS
Every Tuesday morning after Mass

Chalice of Strength Holy hour for Priests
Every Thursday after 8:30 Mass

For more information contact Belinda @ 446-3484 or
email emcoast2013@yahoo.com

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
First Thursday of the month 7:00 –8:00 p.m.

Social Committee
Meets the 1st Wednesday of the month @ 9:00 a.m.
in the rectory

For more information contact Diana Downward @
464-3199

Knights of Columbus
Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the Month at 7:00 p.m.
For information call Philip Womersley @ 428-3145

Outreach Meeting
Last Monday of the Month at 1:00 p.m.

Faith Sharing Meeting and Potluck
Next meeting July 13th, 10am
for more info call Mary Plater at 464-4034

ST. MARY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
PLANNING MEETING

Sunday, June 26th at 9:00 am

We will be switching to a Family Model of Religious Education. Families will attend together, and all parishioners will be welcome to participate. Please come find out more and especially if you are interested in teaching or facilitating.



St. Mary Prayer Chain



Vera Barone, Maureen Burger, Christina Bryer, Louise Castner, Dick Cullen, Lori & Steven Carrington, Claire Carty, Bea Cusick, Norris Dozois, Juliette Dozois, Peter Dubuque, Jim and Wendy Dumais, Roberta Pletcher, Sandy F., Lucy Gaudet, 1st Lt. Brandon Gillett, Richard Grimard, Marion Griffiin, CJ, Travis Kocur, Bonnie Lapointe, Denice & Ronnie Latouche, Alfred LeBouef, Janet LeBouef, Marlene LeBoeuf, Jordan Leishman, Joan McMinn, Roger Murphy, The Morin Family, Marsha Mills, Anne Morrissette, Brianna Murdough, Paige, Jon and Heather Plater, HM, Rosalie Mogavero, Regina Paquette, Fr. Jeff Paveglio, Betty Peek, JR, Marlies Radermacher, Deborah Jeanne Santos, Judie Trammell, Michael Weber, Carmella Vitale, CW

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