

MARCH 31, 2019 THE 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT



**SUNDAY MASS**

**Notre Dame de Lourdes, Skowhegan**

Saturday 4:00pm & Sunday 8:30am

**St. Sebastian, Madison**

Sunday 10:30am

**St. Peter, Bingham**

Saturday 6:00pm

**Reconciliation**

NDdL, Skowhegan: Sat. 3pm-3:30pm

Or by appointment with Fr. Jim

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

Monday & Friday - St. Sebastian 8AM

Tuesday & Wednesday - Notre Dame 8AM

Thursday - St Peter 5:30PM

**MISSION STATEMENT**

As committed followers of Jesus Christ, we strive to serve the greater community through worship, ministry, and hospitality.

**Office Hours**

9:00am to 12:00pm

Monday - Friday

or for appointment call 474-2039.

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**Marriage**

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**Ministry to the Sick**

Please contact the office if you or someone you know would like to be visited at home or in the hospital.

**Fourth Sunday of Lent**

"His son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you; I no longer deserve to be called your son.' But his father ordered his servants, 'let us celebrate with a feast because this son of mine was dead, and has come to life again.'" Lk 15: 21-22a, 23b-24a



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**Welcome to New Parishioners**

If you are new to the area and looking for a parish family, please introduce yourself to us before or after Mass. If you are moving, please advise us of your new address. This can also be done online at: [www.ctkparishonline.com](http://www.ctkparishonline.com).

CHRIST THE KING PARISH P.O. BOX 369, 291 WATER ST., SKOWHEGAN, MAINE 04976

**NOTRE DAME & ST. SEBASTIAN FUNERAL TEAMS** are in need of **ALTAR SERVERS**. To volunteer, please call the Parish Office at 474-2039. Thank You!



Every Friday during Lent as follows:

**St Sebastian, Madison - 3pm**

**St. Peter, Bingham - 3pm**

**Notre Dame de Lourdes, Skowhegan - 6pm**

Along with his regular schedule Fr. Jim will hear confessions:

**St. Sebastian** on **April 12th**

**St. Peter** on **April 5th**

**Notre Dame de Lourdes** on **Fridays**

#### QUESTION OF THE WEEK

**Key Passage:** "Then the father said to him, 'Son, you are always with me and all that is mine is yours. But we had to celebrate and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life. He was lost and has been found.'" Luke 15:31-32

**For Adults:** When have you been generous enough to forgive someone who hurt you deeply?

**For Children:** Is there someone you need to forgive or ask forgiveness of?

#### MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sun Mar 31, 2019</b>	<b>4th Sunday of Lent</b>
8:30am Charles Goodine By His Wife	NDdL
10:30am Our Deceased Parishioners	St. Sebastian
<b>Mon April 1, 2019</b>	<b>April Fools' Day</b>
8:00am No Scheduled Intentions	St. Sebastian
<b>Tues April 2, 2019</b>	<b>St. Francis of Paola</b>
8:00am No Scheduled Intentions	NDdL
<b>Wed April 3, 2019</b>	
8:00am NO MASS	NDdL
<b>Thurs April 4, 2019</b>	<b>St. Isidore</b>
5:30pm Tabettha & John Saucier By Their Family	St. Peter
<b>Fri April 5, 2019</b>	<b>St. Vincent Ferrer</b>
8:00am No Scheduled Intentions	St. Sebastian
<b>Sat April 6, 2019</b>	
4:00pm Ron Lalibert By Jo & Jess	NDdL
6:00pm Jackie Poulin By A Fellow Parishioner	St. Peter
<b>Sun April 7, 2019</b>	<b>5th Sunday of Lent</b>
8:30am Phillipe & Nora Morin By Raymond	NDdL
10:30am Our Deceased Parishioners	St. Sebastian

#### OFFERTORY

Sunday 3-24-2019 \$ 4265.00  
Easter Flowers \$ 1628.00

*Thank you for your generosity and support.*

*All checks payable to: Christ the King Parish*

*Remember the Parish in Your Estate Planning*

**Special Collections:** March 31st Catholic Relief

April 7th for CTK Fuel Fund



**Thursday April 18th** Mass of the Lord's Supper 6:30pm at **Notre Dame de Lourdes, Skowhegan.**

**Friday April 19th** Good Friday Service 6:30 at **Notre Dame de Lourdes, Skowhegan.**

**Saturday, April 20th** Easter Vigil 8:00pm at **Notre Dame de Lourdes, Skowhegan.**

**Sunday, April 21st** Easter Service is as follows:

8:30am **Notre Dame de Lourdes, Skowhegan**

10:30am **St. Sebastian, Madison**

5pm **St. Peter, Bingham**

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**The Maine Catholic Women's Conference** featuring Kitty Cleveland as keynote speaker will be held Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup> from 9am-4pm at the Portland Marriott at Sable Oaks, South Portland. Cost (includes two breaks & lunch) \$65. The Early Bird Discount by March 18<sup>th</sup> is \$59. Students (16-22) is \$40. Online registration begins February 1<sup>st</sup> & closes April 1<sup>st</sup>. portlanddiocese.org/MCWC2019

#### LENT

*Hebrews 10: 23-25 says, "Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful; and let us consider how to stimulate one another to love and good deeds, not forsaking our own assembling together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the day drawing near."*

With the Lenten season upon us, Fr. Jim lovingly encourages parishioners to use this holy time of Lent to draw nearer to God by receiving the sacraments during daily mass.

#### DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

**Monday:** St. Sebastian Church Madison – 8 am

**Tuesday:** Notre Dame de Lourdes Skowhegan 8 am

**Wednesday:** Notre Dame de Lourdes Skowhegan 8am

**Thursday:** St. Peter's Church, Bingham 5:30 pm

**Friday:** St. Sebastian Church, Madison 8 am

## ST. ANTHONY'S SOUP KITCHEN

Matthew 25:35 "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me..."

Let us gather in fellowship and enjoy a hot meal together.

Thursday at 4:30 pm in the Parish Hall  
Notre Dame de Lourdes Church, Skowhegan.  
Invite your family and friends!

Would you, your agency or group like to sponsor a meal? One-Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) will cover the cost of food for one meal. You may donate in your name, in memory of a loved one, or in the name of your community or civic group. Please call Nora at 474-2039 for more details.

The St. Anthony's Kitchen meal, April 4th, is sponsored by Fr. Jim Nadeau in Memory of Reginald Nadeau.

## SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Notre Dame de Lourdes Sanctuary Candle burns for the week of:

**March 31st** in Memory of **Charles Goodine** at the request of Betty Foster

**April 7th** in Memory of **Stuart Goodine** at the request of Betty Foster

*Sanctuary Candles are available for purchase at the Parish office for \$10 each and are lit for one week at a time in memory of or to pray for healing for your loved one.*

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### Sunday March 31, 2019

Jos 5:9a, 10-12; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

### Monday April 1, 2019

Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54

### Tuesday April 2, 2019

Ez 47:1-9, 12; Jn 5:1-16

### Wednesday April 3, 2019

Is 49:8-15; Jn 5:17-30

### Thursday April 4, 2019

Ex 32:7-14; Jn 5:31-47

### Friday April 5, 2019

Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

### Saturday April 6, 2019

Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53

### Sunday April 7, 2019

Is 43:16-21; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11

"Isn't it interesting that all of those people who support the choice of abortion have already been born?" President Ronald Reagan

## CHRIST THE KING PARISH FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

**DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA #631** Please join us **Sunday, March 31st at 12 pm** in the St. Sebastian Hall for a **Fellowship Luncheon** of Soup and Sandwiches.

## NOTRE DAME - SKOWHEGAN

**DAUGHTER OF ISABELLA #441:** Will lead the Church in Praying the Rosary half hour before Mass every Sunday during Lent. Please join us.

**MONDAY FAITH SHARING** Will meet April 1st at 10am.

**DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA #441** is selling mass cards for Mother's Day at all NDdL weekend masses starting April 13th. They may be purchased at the door or by calling Karen Hayden at 474-6831

## ST PETER'S - BINGHAM

**ST. PETER'S ALTAR GUILD** Will receive communion in a body the weekend of March 31st.

**ROOM TO ROOM COMMUNION** Sundays at Rehab and Living Center at 10am with Linda Longley and Richard Gondeck.

**ST PETER'S FOOD PANTRY** is open 10am - 1pm the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month.

**ST PETER'S THRIFT SHOP** Main St., Bingham is open Thursdays and Saturdays, 10am - 2pm.

**ST. PETER'S ALTAR GUILD MEETING** Will be held April 1st 6pm.

## ST. SEBASTIAN

**FIRST EUCHARIST/CONFIRMATION CLASS** Will meet immediately after Mass Sunday.

**MONDAY FAITH SHARING** Directly after mass in the church conference room.

**TUESDAY:** We will be bringing communion to the Catholic residents of Mapplecrest.

**WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY** 3pm "No Greater Love" 2nd Session in Elisabeth's office.

**ST SEBASTIAN THRIFT SHOP** 16 Pleasant St., Madison open Thursdays 10am-4pm and Saturdays 10am-2pm.

**Volunteers Needed.** Stop by the shop & speak to Carol about our volunteer incentive program.

**PEOPLE WHO CARE FOOD CUPBOARD** is accepting Peanut Butter for the month of April.

**DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA #631:** Will lead the Church in Praying the Rosary at 10am on Sunday and one half hour before daily mass on Monday & Friday at St. Sebastian Church. Please join us.