

18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
5TH ANNIVERSARY MASS OF DEDICATION
August 1, 2010

“If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.”

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 31, 4:00 p.m. – Claire Sweeney, 2nd Anniversary, req. by the Sweeney Family
Sunday, Aug. 1, 7:00 a.m. – Ron Lariviere req. by Mr. & Mrs. Leeds
Sunday, Aug. 1, 8:30 a.m. – Jack Kiley req. by his family
Sunday, Aug. 1, 10:30 a.m. – Loretta Burnham req. by the Family
Monday, Aug. 2, 8:00 a.m. – Peter (T Bone) Finethy
Tuesday, Aug. 3, 8:00 a.m. – William Higgins req. by his wife
Wednesday, Aug. 4, 8:00 a.m. – All Souls
Thursday, Aug. 5, 8:00 a.m. – Charles Heintz req. by Jack & Cathy Heintz
Friday, Aug. 6, 8:00 a.m. – May H. & J. Norvale Terrio req. by Joan & Don Terrio
Saturday, Aug. 7, 4:00 p.m. – Ron Lariviere req. by Ralph & Martha Horton
Sunday, Aug. 8, 7:00 a.m. – All Parishioners
Sunday, Aug. 8, 8:30 a.m. – Jerry Maus req. by Bob & Joan Wade
Sunday, Aug. 8, 10:30 a.m. – Agnes Lynch req. by the Levengoods

NEXT WEEKEND

August 8th, the second collection is for the Fr. Ham Memorial Youth Ministry Fund.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS
PRIOR YR COMPARISON

Offertory	\$9,240
Prior Year	\$7,752
Free Will Stewardship	\$3,148

DIOCESAN LOAN BALANCE

July 27, 2010:	\$1,525,034
September 1, 2008	\$2,258,000

INTERCESSORY PRAYER CHAIN

If anyone has prayer requests that he or she would like to give to the Intercessory Prayer Chain, please contact one of the following: Carol O'Rourke, 569-8224 or Laura Lovett, 569-8866.

WEEKEND FLOWERS

Parishioners are welcome to have flowers or a flowering plant donated in memory of a loved one. Please call the office at 875-2548 at least 2 weeks in advance of the date to arrange this memorial. You may take the flowers after the 10:30 Mass.

FLOWER DONATION

This weekend the flowers have been donated in memory of Margaret Reinhard. Thank You!



NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome you to St. Katharine Drexel Church! Visiting? We hope you'll enjoy all the area has to offer. If new, we invite you to register with us. Please pick up a registration form at the church entrance or go to our website www.stkdrexel.com and download the form. You may place it in the offertory basket or return it to the parish office. Please be sure to introduce yourself to Father after Mass. We are pleased to have you worshipping with us today!

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY



Anyone of you who knit or crochet, please join us in the fall. Every stitch is “A Prayer”. God bless you all. Any questions, call Pauline Thumm 875-5239.

ADORATION

Come and respond to his invitation to “Watch one hour with me.” Come on Friday from 8:30 to 3 PM and visit in response to his invitation. It will be the most illuminating and peaceful hour of your week. Will you answer? He loves you so very much.

HOUSEBOUND

If you have a housebound or ill member of the family who cannot get to Mass, please call the office at 875-2548. We will arrange a visit from a Minister of Communion.

RCIA

Are you interested in exploring the Catholic Faith? Do you have questions regarding our Church? For these and other facts, call 515-4108.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2010-2011

Registration forms for youth faith formation 2010 – 2011 have been mailed to families who participated in classes in the 2009 – 2010 year. If you are participating in youth faith formation classes for the first time, you will need to pick up an application from the kiosk in the narthex of the church or call the office and we will mail the registration to you.

Please note, that when you register for classes we are requesting copies of your child(rens) Baptismal Certificate. This is unnecessary if your child has been baptized at St. Katharine Drexel, St. Cecilia's, St. Joan of Arc or the Barnstead Mission.

GIFT SHOP

The gift shop is open every Sunday after the Masses. Come and see the many new books and items.

OFFICE HOURS

Please note that the office hours have changed for the months of July and August. The office will be open from 9:00 to 2:00 PM Monday thru Friday.

FLIP TOPS

Save your Flip Tops!

THE COAT RACK

Watch for the re-opening of Coat Rack August 21st & 22nd in its renovated space. Details to follow.

LIGHTHOUSE PREGNANCY CENTER

As always, the Lighthouse Pregnancy Crisis Center greatly appreciates the loving donations from the members of St. Katharine Drexel Parish. The Lighthouse helps all moms and their babies. The baby booties on the dresser have been updated and there is a copy of the wish list next to it. Diapers are always needed. Currently there is a need for sizes newborn and 6. A special request has been placed for a double stroller. Thank you.

BREAKFAST BUFFET

Please join us on Sunday morning from 7:30 to 10:00 for a delicious breakfast.

LADIES OF ST. KATHARINE DREXEL

The winners of the calendar raffle prizes continue:

July 21	- Paul & Lorraine Ryan	\$50
July 22	- Anne Masse	\$50
July 23	- Lauren Fleet	\$50
July 24	- Michael Akstin	\$75
July 25	- Carl Contois	\$100
July 26	- Sis Lee	\$50
July 27	- Florence Blake	\$50

Congratulations & watch for additional winners.

NEXT WEEKEND August 7 - 8 IS:

UNDY SUNDAY COLLECTION WEEKEND.

Bright yellow bulletin inserts were placed in the Church bulletin two weeks ago stating the items being requested. Basically, it is socks, t-shirts and underwear for boys and girls sizes S-M-L-XL and normal back to school supplies. **There are extra yellow sheets in the Narthex under Fr Ham's portrait** if you desire one. Collection containers will be in the Narthex next weekend and will be there through Friday, August 13. Any questions please call Anneleen at 859-4695 or Martha at 776-1046.

Thank you

“Justice ceases to be just when it ceases to be human.” – St. Katharine Drexel

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Bishop John McCormack invites all couples who are celebrating their 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or beyond Wedding Anniversary anytime during the year 2010, to attend a Special Anniversary Mass. This celebration will be held on October 10, 2010 at 2:00 p.m., at Saint Anselm Abbey Church, Manchester. If you are celebrating your 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or beyond anniversary, please call or mail to the rectory by August 20, 2010 your last name, first names and address. Please also indicate your special anniversary year.

ARTS ON THE EDGE CONCERT

Wolfeboro 250th Anniversary Concert – presented by Arts on the Edge Wolfeboro, will be held August 17th at 7:00 pm at St. Katharine Drexel. Tickets are \$20 per person and are available at Black's Store in Wolfeboro and online at www.artsedgewolfeboro.org.

SAVE THE DATE

Monday, August 23, 2010

Mt. Washington Scenic Cruise

For Catechetical Leaders, Pastoral Associates, Pastors, Parish Staff, and Youth Ministers, help welcome the three ECHO Apprentices who will be serving in our diocese. The day will begin with registration 9:00 am St. Charles Borromeo Church Hall in Meredith followed by prayer and reflection. Then lunch and cruise on the Mount, returning to Meredith at 2:45 pm. Please send in registration and payment, \$40.00, by August 6, 2010. Registration forms may be found at www.catholicnh.org/media/images/enews.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Fr. Richard Dion, Pastor of St. Anthony of Padua Parish in Manchester, NH chaplain of the trip.
Date: April 25 – May 5, 2011
Where: Jerusalem—Bethlehem—Nazareth—Galilee. Cost: \$3,990 Air Fare and ALL-Included
Contact: Anthony Nacheff, PHD (Theology)
Phone (508)340-9370 Fax (508)854-800
Email Anthony@Proximotravel.com

HARMAN GAS HEATER

The parish owns a Harman direct vent gas heater that was installed at the rectory of St. Joan of Arc in 1996. The current rectory does not have a use for this stove. Any parishioner who would like this stove may contact the office 875-2548.

NH CATHOLIC CHARITIES UPDATE

The New Hampshire Catholic Charities has notified us that our parish has donated \$29,554 so far. If you have not donated and wish to do so envelopes are available in the Narthax.

ST KATHARINE DREXEL MENS GROUP

Our meeting will take place August 7th at 7:30AM with Mass and then followed by a discussion by Fr. Cole on his trip to Medjugorje. His slides should give us a view of the area and his great oratory should spark an interest in traveling there. All men of the parish are invited. Jay Meehan's famous coffee and donuts will be provided. Here is a website for Medjugorje: www.medjugorje.com.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

“Wait for the Promise of the Father! You Will be Baptized in the Holy Spirit!” Acts 1:4-5: This is a promise that is made to us and all of God's promises are true! The Mercy of Jesus Charismatic Prayer Group will be holding a Life in the Spirit Seminar on Aug. 27-29, at Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, Rochester. Come be filled and renewed in the Holy Spirit. Come to know Jesus in a more personal way. Join us as we access the promise made to us by our loving Father. Doors open Fri. evening at 6:30. Cost of the weekend is \$25 and includes light meals and all necessary supplies. To register or for more information, call Jackie at 332-3576.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT

For those interested in attending the Rochester “LIFE IN THE SPIRIT” weekend on August 27-29, we will be car pooling there. This is a great spiritual experience, bringing peace and joy. It can change your life. Call 515-4108.

CALLED TO SERVANT LEADERSHIP

Would you like to gain leadership skills in order to help our Parish or a Catholic School? Would you benefit from learning in greater depth what the Church teaches? *Called to Servant Leadership* is a lay ministry formation program offered by the Diocese of Manchester. For more information contact Patricia Gabree at pgabree@rcbm.org or 669-3100.

CALLED TO DISCIPLESHIP

Would you like to learn more about your faith? Are you a volunteer at our parish? Would you like to be certified as a catechist? *Called to Discipleship* is also offered by the Diocese. For more information contact Patricia Gabree at pgabree@rcbm.org or 669-3100.

SOULFEST AT GUNSTOCK

Soulfest is a New England Music Festival, August 4-7 in Gilford NH including 5 stages and 100 artists and speakers. These four days are packed full of amazing Christ centered messages and music! Great discounts are available for parishioners. Go to www.thesoulstore.com. Be sure to use the promo code JILLIAN1 to pay a flat fee of \$95 for a multi day pass or JILLIAN3 for group tickets for \$90.