Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time June 26, 2022

# Saint Rose of Lima Parish

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# Saint Joseph Parish

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#### **Sunday Mass Times**

St. Rose of Lima: Saturday 4:00 PM and Sunday 8:30 AM

St. Joseph: Sunday 10:30 AM and 5:00 PM

#### **Daily Mass**

See daily Mass schedule in bulletin.



#### 13<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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And another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but first let me say farewell to my family at home." To him Jesus said, "No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God." - Lk 9:61-62

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#### Parish Office Hours:

St. Rose of Lima: Monday 8:00 AM-2:00 PM, Tuesday 8:00 AM-Noon and Thursday 8:00 AM-2:00 PM St. Joseph: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 9:30 AM-10:30 AM

#### Website: www.stroseandstjosephmaine.org

#### **Parish Staff**

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**Catholic Funerals:** Every baptized Catholic has a right to the prayers of the church at the time of life threatening illness and death even if they have not been practicing their faith up until that time. The parish provides a guide for funeral planning and is prepared to assist at the time of a death in the family. Ordinarily the funeral home will contact the parish to schedule a funeral though families are always welcome to contact the office. Customarily a Catholic funeral has three distinct moments: the vigil prayers, funeral and rite of committal at burial.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** The Catholic custom of baptizing infants is founded upon the testimony of Scripture and Tradition and demonstrates the priority of grace as a gift in the Christian life. Customarily baptism occurs as soon as possible after birth. Please contact the parish office with requests for dates prior to selecting godparents for whom there are some requirements that need documentation.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Please contact the parish office at least six months prior to a desired wedding date and prior to committing to a reception facility. Parish wedding dates can only be confirmed after meeting with the priest and completing initial documentation establishing a person's freedom to marry as a Catholic. The parish offers marriage preparation which is required in anticipation of the wedding.

#### 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Saturday, June 25 4:00 PM - St. Rose For parishioners of St. Rose & St. Joseph Sunday, June 26 8:30 AM - St. Rose Adrian "Drig" Legere by Peter & Susan Legere 10:30AM -St. Joseph 3rd Anniversary Mass for Tom Caton by wife & daughters 5:00 PM -St. Joseph Kathy Wells by her husband Monday, June 27 11:0 0AM - St. Joseph Funeral - Maurice Comeau Tuesday, June 28 8:30 AM -St. Rose Norman Paradis by Tom & Mariette Castonguay Wednesday, June 29 8:30 AM -St. Joseph Doris & Claire by Lionel & Louise Thursday, June 30 8:30 AM -St. Rose Adrian "Drig" Legere by Peter & Susan Legere Friday, July 1 - 1<sup>st</sup> Friday at St. Rose Parish Camp 6:00 PM - Parish Camp Mary Moreau by Julien Moreau Saturday, July 2 - 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday 8:30 AM-St. Rose Suzanne Hebert by Dolores Turmel 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time Saturday, July 2 4:00 PM - St. Rose 1st Anniversary Mass for Joyce Hebert by Sonny Hebert

Sunday, July 3

8:30 AM - St. Rose Richard Yeager by Mike & Diane Tyne 10:30AM -St. Joseph Kathy Brackett by Cynthia Brackett-Vincent & Eddie Vincent 5:00 PM -St. Joseph For parishioners of St. Joseph & St. Rose



#### SANCTUARY LAMP IN MEMORY OF St. Rose:

Andy Tardif by Dick & Gloria Tardif

#### St. Rose 8:30 AM Mass Texts

Entrance Antiphon: The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world, alleluia; and that which contains all things, knows every language spoken by men, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered; and let those who hate him flee before his face.

Responsorial Psalm: "Send forth your Spirit, Lord, and renew the face of the earth."

Eucharistic Prayer IV is currently being used at all Masses Communion Antiphon: Suddenly, a sound came from heaven like the rush of a mighty wind, in the place where they were sitting, alleluia; and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and announced the great things God had done, alleluia, alleluia.

#### **Marian Antiphon After Communion**

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy, hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve: to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy towards us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus, O merciful, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary! Amen.



Contemplating God we learn the secret of community, wonderfully defined by St. Augustine as a multitude united by agreement about the things they love. Speaking with God—the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit-reveals God to us and us to us. Entering into the mystery of God reveals something of the nature of the human

community. We are united by loving the same things. When we love God and the mysteries of God we are drawn into the communion of charity.

The analogy of train travel in a recent bulletin is meant to suggest certain characteristics about common life. Something about traveling by train seems particularly humane given its combination of leisure and efficiency. People, in my limited experience, seem more comfortable and congenial which contributes to conversation as people make their way. A common though not identical destination allows for a shared sense of purpose and sparks conversation. Train travel also allows for a sense of accompaniment.

As we emerge from the seasons of Lent and Easter, in the present context, it would be wise to revisit quality and norms of common life—within families, among neighbors and friends as well as within parish life.

The Benedict Option by Rod Dreher has sparked a lively conversation since it was published in 2017. David Brooks of Harvard University refers to the book as "the most discussed and most important religious book of the decade." Others have followed with the aim of articulating common norms for resilience within communities. Dreher draws on the historical context of the founding of Benedictine monasteries as resilient communities based on principles of order, hospitality, stability and prayer. From these principles Dreher suggests we can draw from history lessons that inform the present moment. If you are in the habit of summer reading, you are encouraged to take a look. Also, if you are inclined you are encouraged to reach out to participate in reading and discussion with others.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation



St. Joseph: Usual location at the front left of the church Sunday 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm and after 10:30 AM Mass monthly as announced. St. Rose: Usual location back left of church Saturday 3:00-3:45 pm and Sunday 8:00-8:20 am.

Scheduling a time for confession as an appointment is also available.

#### Next Weekend (July 3): No second collection

Expenses:

St. Joseph: Singing Rooster - \$198.75 St. Rose: Maine Hardware - \$107.22



Online Giving is available through WeShare through the following links: stjoefarmington.weshareonline.org strose.weshareonline.org

## Parish Social Ministry

### COMMUNITY MEALS AT ST. ROSE

Saturdays, July 2 & July 16

Use Church Street Entrance of Community Center Options for both sit down community style as well as take-out

Meals will continue on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays of the month from 4:30 - 6:00 PM

#### TRI-TOWN MINISTERIAL FOOD CUPBOARD

Use Horan Street Entrance of Community Center Hours: Tuesday 2:00-4:00 PM and 6:00-8:00 PM, Wednesday and Thursday 2:00-4:00 PM Item for June: **Canned Fruit** 

Please call 897-2441 for any information regarding the Tri-Town Food Cupboard.

#### Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health



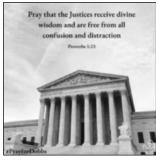
#### What can individuals do:

- View the websites www.respectlife.org, www.walkingwithmoms.com, and www.prayfordobbs.com

- Choose a time during the day (ex: 6 PM) to say a prayer for the case

PRAY FOR

- Fast once a week: For example, skip a meal; limit yourself to two small meals that do not equal a third, regular meal; or abstain from food for a day. Or, fast from something else, like your schedule, by offering an hour of your time to God in prayer, or fast from videos, television, or social media for a day.



#### PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY AND HOMELESSNESS

As we begin to engage, as parishes, with issues of housing and homelessness, I have been thinking about how we frame our conversation and how we think about all the people we serve – those who are hungry, ill or in prison, strangers...

In the Gospel of Matthew (chapter 5: 43-48), Jesus dismisses the notion that it is sufficient to merely love our neighbor – the folks we know. Instead, He instructs us to "love your enemies, and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your Heavenly Father..." By this instruction, Jesus effectively does away with the false dichotomy of *us* (neighbors) and *them* (enemies, persecutors). He goes on to say that our Heavenly Father "makes His sun to rise on the bad and the good, and causes rain to fall on the just and the unjust." What Jesus is saying, clearly, is that there is no *them*; there's just *us*. We are all God's children. We don't all look the same, come from the same backgrounds, have the same opportunities, make the same choices, but we're still neighbors; we're still *us*. While sometimes it seems easier to notice differences, I believe Jesus wants us to be attentive to (and even search for) what we have in common, what makes us neighbors, what makes us *us*. And when that's difficult (and it often is), let's remember that the Father causes the same sun to shine on all of us. *Janet Brackett* 

#### **Parish Social Ministry Staffing**

Stephanie has resigned from her position as Parish Social Ministry Coordinator. After conversations with Stephanie and Liz Allen, the diocesan Human Resource Director, I have accepted her resignation effective July 1st. Stephanie steps away with our gratitude and the assurance of our prayers. Thank you, Stephanie, for your service to the parishes and communities in the work of Parish Social Ministry priorities and goals. I am especially grateful for your self-sacrificing service during the long days of the pandemic. Fr. Paul

#### **ST. ISIDORE CORPS**

The parishes in collaboration with the Catholic Company are partnering to create an opportunity for young people to serve as lay missionaries in rural America. And why not start in Maine and within our parishes! Last summer we welcomed four young adults to live and serve with the staff and volunteers. Christopher who was among them has remained with us throughout the academic year and served well in a variety of contexts. Christopher will remain with us for the summer and host other summer missionaries: Andrew, Alessandra who are arriving this week. Thomas and Grace who will arrive in July.

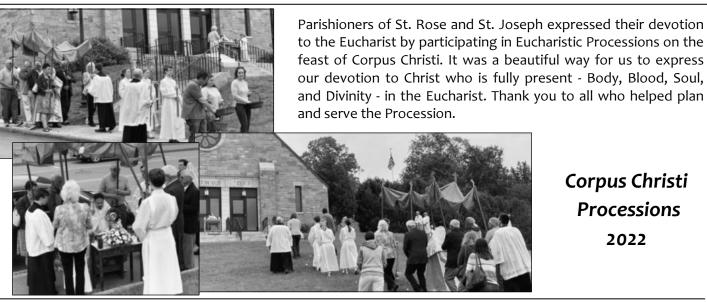
Meet the Summer Missionaries at St. Joseph's this weekend

Join us on June 26<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 am Mass in the GAB for meet and greet with the summer missionaries or after the 5:00 PM Mass in the GAB for a lite social and welcoming!



**THRIFT STORE** Use Horan Street Entrance of Community Center Tuesdays 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm and Saturdays 10:00 am to 2:00 pm Donations being accepted when the thrift store is open!

## Liturgy and Devotions



**Corpus Christi** Processions 2022

#### UPDATES TO EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Joseph- Weekly Eucharistic Adoration: Monday mornings after the 8:30 AM daily Mass until 10:00 AM. Sunday afternoons from 3:00 PM until Benediction at 4:45 PM.

Mornings of Recollection: On the last Monday of every month, a Morning of Recollection will be offered after the 8:30 AM daily Mass from 9:00 until 10:30 AM. Fr. Paul will offer a reflection and there will be an opportunity for confession.

Upcoming dates - June 27 cancelled, July 25, August 20, September 26

St. Rose- Weekly Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesday mornings after the 8:30 AM daily Mass until 10:00 AM.

Evenings of Recollection - On the second Tuesday of every month, an Evening of Recollection will be offered from 6:00-7:30 PM, with Eucharistic Adoration, a reflection offered by Fr. Paul, and an opportunity for confession.

Upcoming dates - July 12, August 9, September 13

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH - Saturday, July 2

In addition to Mass at 8:30 AM at St. Rose there will be an opportunity for confession starting at 8:00 AM, the rosary will be recited before Mass and the Litany of Loreto will be recited after Mass.

#### FRANKLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

The current visiting hours at FMH are from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. Masking is required and a screening process is in place at the main entrance. Requests to see a priest should be made by families to the clinical and pastoral care staff of the hospital. Pastors from local churches are not as yet able to make routine pastoral care visits as has been the case for many months.

#### Clean out the cellar yard sale thank you

We had a successful sale sending many items languishing in the Church cellar to new homes to be used and loved. We raised \$1139.50 for Parish Social Ministry self-service food pantry at St. Joseph Center. Thanks to the following parishioners for their work setting up and making it happen: Dennis O'Neil, Bruce Turcotte, Gary Hedstrom, Dennis and Leah Croteau, Mark Andrews and Paul Brown as well as Ruth and Randy Gauvin who worked Friday evening and Saturday.

#### Federation of North American Explorers Yard Sale

Families involved in FNE are hosting a yard sale at the St. Joseph parish center, July 2nd from 9am-2pm, as a fundraiser to send our Timberwolves to summer camp in Boydton, Virginia, with other east coast Timberwolf dens. To donate items for the sale, call Joe Clark 207-307-1457 or drop off at 155 Middle Street, Farmington. Or come on July 2nd for some shopping!



#### PRAYER REQUESTS Lord, Hear Our Prayer



ADORATION

Please call the parish office if you would like to be added to the prayer chain or have your name or someone's name added to "Prayer Requests" in the bulletin.

- Alfred Dufour-Fournier - Philip Dufour
  - Dawn Butler - Craig Viotto
- Linda Recktenwald
- Ronald Alward "Ronnie"



Thank you to the parishioners who have participated in the 2022 Catholic Appeal. Your generous gift will be felt by people all across our state.

www.portlanddiocese.org/give

GOAL for St. Joseph: \$28,369 Pledge Total as of 6/16/22: \$13,764 - 49% of Goal Number of Donors: 41

GOAL for St. Rose: \$50.690 Pledge Total as of 6/16/22: \$36,335 - 72% of Goal Number of Donors: 53

## Faith Formation

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

Congratulations to Paris Howes, the second recipient of the 2022 Knights of Columbus Scholarship. Paris is a graduate of Spruce Mountain High School. She plans to continue her education at the University of Maine at Farmington majoring in elementary education. The council wishes Paris the best in her future endeavors.

#### Check out Aleteia.org a Catholic website for Catholic news and information!

You will find Catholic News, Inspiring Stories, Voices & Views, and Issues & Implications as part of this website and much more.

#### CATHOLIC PODCAST TO LISTEN TO

#### **Catholic Sprouts**

The Catholic Sprouts Podcast has one goal: to plant one little seed of faith each and every day.

The daily five minute episodes are perfect for young listeners. Each episode discusses an important aspect of our Catholic Faith in a way that appeals directly to children and ends with a daily challenge to help them apply what they learned.

New episodes are available each weekday and for children of all ages.

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## COLLEGE GRADUATES Class of 2022

### AMELIE CROWE



**St. Anselm College** Honors Bachelor of Arts in Great Books.

Honors Bachelor of Arts in Great Books, with minors in English and Music

Child of: Stephanie Crowe

Activities: Alpha Lambda Delta Honors Society; Honors Program; Road for Hope walk; Service and Solidarity mission trip to Mississippi; founded the Oxford Companions Literature club; Campus Ministry Leader; English, Philosophy, and Academic Advisement Student Worker

Future Plans: Take a gap year to discern between different interests while working full-time, eventually pursuing a graduate degree in a field of study related to my undergraduate coursework

### SARA ROGERS



University of Maine at Farmington Bachelor's in Psychology

Activities: Catholic Club, InterVarsity, and Ultimate

> Future Plans: Explore my vocation

### ALEX HAGGAN



University of Maine at Augusta

BS in Applied Science with a double minor in Aviation-Flight and UAS (Unmanned Aircraft Systems)

Child of: Jon and Patty Haggan

Activities: Worked full time, flying, and drone building

Future Plans: I am currently studying for 4 FAA written exams and will be heading off to Flight Instructor school this summer to complete my CFI & CFII Instructor licenses. I may also get my float plane endorsement for fun later in the fall.

## **AUGUST THORNTON**



University of Southern Maine

Bachelor of Arts in Theatre-acting

Child of: Julie and Larry Thornton

Activities: Performers at Work

Future Plans: Pursue a career in acting for film or theater



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