

# Good Shepherd Parish

March 14, 2021

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## 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God. - Jn 3:20-21

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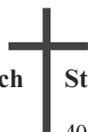
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**G**ood Shepherd Parish mission | to call people to celebrate the life of Christ through Roman Catholic liturgy, education and acts of social justice throughout our diverse communities, fostering unity and making the Body of Christ visible to all.

**Most Holy Trinity Church  
Parish Office**  
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Saco, ME 04072



**St. Margaret Church**  
6 Saco Ave.  
OOB, ME 04064



**St. Philip Church**  
404 Goodwins Mills Rd.  
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**St. Joseph Church  
St. Anne Chapel**  
178 Elm St.  
Biddeford, ME 04005

## Series | Saints of the 20th Century, Frontline Heroes of the Faith

### Blessed Artemide Zatti

By Fr. Brad Morin

Blessed Artemide Zatti was born on 12 October 1880 in Italy, and died on 15 March 1951 at Viedma, Argentina. As a Salesian religious brother, he became a saint by running a hospital and pharmacy for the sick poor for 40 years in Viedma, Argentina. In 1897, when Artemide was 17 years old, his family emigrated from Reggio Emilia to join Artemide's uncle who had a good job in Bahía Blanca, Argentina. There they found steady work and a livelihood. In his "new life" in Argentina, Artemide worked in a hotel and then in a brick factory. On Sundays the Zatti family faithfully assisted at Mass and other activities in the parish of the Salesian Fathers who in 1890 set up a community in Bahía Blanca. With true apostolic spirit, Artemide used his free time to help the Salesian parish priest in his parish activities and, especially, in visiting the sick.

He was inspired by the life of Don Bosco and by the Salesian priests and felt called to imitate him. In 1900 when he was 19, the Salesians accepted him as a student for the priesthood. But he had great difficulty with the studies since he had left elementary school long before.

Also, during the novitiate, Artemide contracted a severe case of TB from taking care of a young priest who was a TB victim. In 1902 Artemide was forced to leave the house of studies to seek a cure in the pure air of Viedma, a city located high in the Andes. Little did he realize that Viedma was going to be his city for the rest of his life. Along with the healthy climate, in Viedma there was a hospital and pharmacy attached to the Salesian College run by Fr. Evaristo Garrone, a priest and physician who was known for his empirical approach to medicine. Fr. Evaristo was also known for his trust in God's Providence; he never turned away the poor who could not pay. Under the



guidance of Fr. Garrone, Artemide made a promise to Our Lady, Help of Christians, that if she would obtain a cure for him, he would serve the sick poor for the rest of his life.

When he was cured, he promptly continued his training as a Salesian religious brother. In 1908 he was professed and began his mission alongside Fr. Garrone. When Fr. Garrone died in 1911, Artemide was put in charge of the pharmacy and the hospital. He was a trained pharmacist, nurse, operating-room assistant, as well as juggler of finances and head of personnel. He followed Fr. Garrone's rule that "he who has little, pays little and the one who has nothing pays nothing". In running the hospital, Artemide also depended entirely on Providence and the generosity of the people. In his 40 years of dedicated service, he found in his religious life with its periods of prayer and community life the secret of balancing the daily tasks of administering the hospital and pharmacy, taking care of patients inside and outside the hospital. Despite the demands of the sick and the needs of the hospital, Artemide was known for his "Salesian joy", a sign of his holiness for those around him. He was "not only provider of medicine, but was himself a medicine for others by his presence, his songs, his voice ...".

In 1913 he was the force behind the building of a new hospital which was demolished in 1941 when the spot was taken as the residence of the bishop of the newly-founded diocese.

In July 1950, after falling off a ladder that he was climbing to get on the roof to fix a leaky water tank, Artemide was forced to take a period of rest and recovery. After a few months the doctors diagnosed his livid skin colour as a serious cancer of the liver. He was sick from January to March. He died on 15 March 1951. His mortal remains repose in the chapel of the Salesians at Viedma.

Blessed Artemide lived what St John Bosco said to the first Salesians leaving for America:

*"Take special care of the sick, the children, the elderly, the poor, and you will receive God's blessing and the respect of those around you."*

### LET US PRAY

**Rest in Peace** | Norma Pelletier (born 1944)  
Patricia Dubois (born 1951) | Roger J. Gagne (born 1931)  
Cecile Dery (born 1928) | Phyllis Franck (born 1931)  
Cecilia Berube (born 1933)

**The Sanctuary Lamps are burning this week at St. Margaret, Most Holy Trinity and St. Joseph** | *In memory of John D. McGourthy, Bill Fitzpatrick, and Rita Beaulieu.*

**Livestream Prayer Opportunities** | The parish continues to livestream the 4pm mass at Most Holy Trinity on Saturday evenings and makes that mass available afterwards for viewing on the parish website,  
[www.goodshepherdparish.us/livestreamedmasses](http://www.goodshepherdparish.us/livestreamedmasses).

#### Apostolate of Prayer for Priests | March 2021

14. Bishop Robert P. Deeley, JCD
15. V. Rev. Richard C. Malo, Msgr. Andrew Dubois
16. Rev. Antonio A. Amato, Msgr. Marc B. Caron
17. V. Rev. Claude R. Gendreau, Rev. John D. Dickinson
18. Rev. John C. Bacevicius OFM, Rev. Augustine G. Nellery
19. Rev. Gregory P. Dube, Rev. Roger P. Chabot

#### Clergy

**Fr. Timothy Nadeau, Pastor** | Rev. Brad Morin,  
Parochial Vicar | Rev. Dominic Tumusiime, AJ, Parochial Vicar  
Deacons Robert Parenteau | Kevin Jacques | Rick Huot

20. Rev. Kevin M. Upham, Rev. Emile H. Dube

*Let us also pray for our Deacons and Seminarians.*

**Vocation** | God loves the world so much and blessed us with the gift of his son, Jesus. How do you receive and share this gift of love? (John 3:14-21). Do you think God is calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Seamus Griesbach: 207-773-6471; email: [seamus.griesbach@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:seamus.griesbach@portlanddiocese.org);  
Website: [www.portlanddiocese.org/vocations](http://www.portlanddiocese.org/vocations);  
Facebook: [VocationsME](https://www.facebook.com/VocationsME).

**Intercession** | That God, who is rich in mercy, will bless those called by Jesus to serve him and his Church as priests, deacons, and in the consecrated life with faithfulness to their vocations, we pray to the Lord.

### COLLECTIONS

**Special Collection This Weekend** | Catholic Relief Services Collection. CRS - initials that are world-renowned for giving to those in need. Your donation to this Diocesan collection helps to reach people around the globe.

**Second Collection This Weekend** | **Repair and maintenance.** Donations will provide support for maintenance of parish buildings and properties. We work all spring, summer and fall repairing and improving aging systems burdened by harsh winter conditions. Your donations are greatly appreciated.

**GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH | FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT | MARCH 14, 2021**

**PARISH LITURGIES | MASS INTENTIONS**

*Weekend Mass registration is required. You can register online through our website, <https://goodshepherdparish.us/register-for-mass>, or call 282-4812 and a member of our staff will help you. Weekday Mass registration for St. Joseph is not required, except for Holy Days. Holy Day weekday Masses do require registration.*

*Priests are honoring all Mass intentions previously scheduled. Mass intentions will be celebrated on the date indicated but not necessarily at the requested time and location. We will announce changes on our website. We need and appreciate your understanding during this unusual time.*

**Saturday, March 13**

**4:00 pm Most Holy Trinity Mass (Livestreamed):** Albert & Jeannette Guillerault

**4:00 pm St. Margaret Mass:** Dorothy & Thomas Leavitt

**4:30 pm St Philip Mass:** Paul E. Lambert (9<sup>th</sup> Ann.)

**Private Mass Intentions:** David Farley

**Sunday, March 14 | Fourth Sunday of Lent**

**8:00 am St. Joseph Mass:** En honneur de St. Joseph

**8:30 am St. Margaret Mass:** For All People in Good Shepherd Parish

**9:00 am St. Philip Mass:** Lucien & Jeanne Camire

**10:30 am Most Holy Trinity Mass:** Cecile Bisson

**11:00 am St. Joseph Mass:** Leonel Sylvain (23<sup>rd</sup> Ann.)

**Private Mass Intentions:** Kent, Gerry & Richard Saunders

**Monday, March 15**

**6:00 pm St. Joseph Mass:** Normand LaBranche (6<sup>th</sup> Ann.)

**Tuesday, March 16**

**9:00 am St. Joseph Mass:** Rita Huot

**Wednesday, March 17**

**6:00 pm St. Joseph Mass:** In honor of St. Therese

**Thursday, March 18**

**9:00 am St. Joseph Mass:** Anita Pelchat

**Friday, March 19**

**9:00 am St. Joseph Mass:** Edwin William Meyer, Jr. (1<sup>st</sup> Ann.)

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**Saturday, March 20**

**4:00 pm Most Holy Trinity Mass (Livestreamed):** Roger & Carmen Cote

**4:00 pm St. Margaret Mass:** Priscilla Rousselle (4<sup>th</sup> Ann.)

**4:30 pm St Philip Mass:** For All People in Good Shepherd Parish

**Sunday, March 21 | Fifth Sunday of Lent**

**8:00 am St. Joseph Mass:** Mme. Eva Spénard Carrier

**8:30 am St. Margaret Mass:** Emma Thibodeau

**9:00 am St. Philip Mass:** Lillian M. Gardner

**10:30 am Most Holy Trinity Mass:** Phoebe Legare (48<sup>th</sup> Ann.)

**11:00 am St. Joseph Mass:** John Cushing

**Private Mass Intentions:** Ozea & Lydia Houde

**OFFERTORY**

Month Ending February	YTD21*	YTD20*	\$ Diff	% Diff
Parish Offertory	748,978	899,608	(150,630)	
Parish 2nd Collections	49,987	89,131	(39,145)	
<b>TOTAL Offertory</b>	<b>798,965</b>	<b>988,739</b>	<b>(189,775)</b>	<b>-19.2%</b>

\* Diocesan Collections are not included in the above totals.  
 \* Good Shepherd Parish Fiscal Year begins July 1 and ends June 30.  
 \* FY TD 2021 includes 34 vs 34 wks thru FEB 2020

**NOTICES**

**SAFE footing** | We are in the season when daytime temperatures can lead to melting of snow and ice, but sunset and overnight freezing can create hazardous conditions for the next morning. This is a real challenge for maintenance staff. We want everyone to avoid any undue risk. Please be careful and watch your step!

**SHEPHERDS OF HOPE**

**Shepherds of Hope pledges** | For parishioners who have not made a pledge, we need your help. Please pray about taking that step. There are cards at each church or the parish office to fill out or take home for prayerful consideration. Bring pledge to the office or mail to: Good Shepherd Parish, 271 Main St., Saco.

Note | Any checks, cash can be dropped in collection basket, inside a blank envelope and must have a name and ID number to receive credit. Check payments should be made out to: Good Shepherd Parish; "Shepherds Of Hope" in memo line.

**Current totals | 783 household gifts | \$1,487,012 | 74% of goal Cash collected, available for projects as of Jan. 31 | \$782,979**

**Shepherds of Hope Pledge Payments** | Please note that if you intend to use ACH or credit card for payment and/or installments on pledge, you must do so by signing into the parish's online giving service, WESHARE. Please do not include bank account information or credit card number on pledge card. Go to the parish website to sign up and make a payment or set up a recurring payment schedule. If you decide to use WESHARE, mark that on your pledge card so we handle the pledge properly.

We have created a link with the Shepherds of Hope logo at [goodshepherdparish.us/](https://goodshepherdparish.us/). For assistance, call Amy Loring at 282-3321, ext. 105.

\* **ACH withdrawals from bank account:** Fee is 10 cents per transaction plus 1%, calculated as follows: For example, a \$50 donation will include a 50-cent charge, plus 10 cents, for a total fee of 60 cents. The \$50 donation results in a net donation to the parish of \$49.40.

\* **Credit, Debit Card Transactions:** Fee is 3.25%, calculated as follows: A \$50 donation will include a 3.25% transaction fee and amount to a charge of \$1.63. The \$50 donation results in a net donation to the parish of \$48.37.

Since the credit/debit card fees are more than double ACH fees, we prefer use of ACH. Please consider this when deciding your source of payment. Thank you for your generosity.

**SUNDAY READINGS**

**First Reading:**

Their enemies burnt the house of God, tore down the walls of Jerusalem, set all its palaces afire, and destroyed all its precious objects. (2 Chr 36:19)

**Psalm:**

Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you! (Ps 137)

**Second Reading:**

For we are his handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for the good works that God has prepared in advance, that we should live in them. (Eph 2:10)

**Gospel:**

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. (Jn 3:16)

LENT

**Rice Bowls** | Due to COVID and the cancellation of Masses last year at this time, many of you may still have Rice Bowls from last year. You may continue to collect with last year's Rice Bowl as well. They are usually collected on Holy Thursday, April 1. You may also bring on Easter Sunday and place in the baskets marked "Rice Bowl Collection" at all churches or drop off at the main office: 271 Main St., Saco. If you prefer to make out a check for the amount



in your Rice Bowl, please make check payable to Good Shepherd Parish, and note "Rice Bowl" on the check. Thank you!

**Lenten Opportunities for Healing** | Instead of the normal Light is On for You Week that is normally done during Lent, we will be offering the Sacrament of Reconciliation on each Sunday of Lent in-doors at two parish locations from 2-3pm. These will follow the same safety protocols that were done during Advent:

- Penitents waiting for confession are to stand 6 feet apart
- Penitents and confessor need to wear a face covering mask for the entire time
- Please sanitize your hands before entering the confessional
- Penitents will stand during confession with a screen between them and the confessor

March 14: St. Joseph  
St. Margaret  
March 21: MHT  
St. Philip  
March 28: St. Joseph  
St. Margaret

Saturday Confessions in the St. Joseph's parking lot at 1pm will resume the Saturday after Easter (April 10).



**The Stations of the Cross** | Beginning Feb. 19, the Stations of the Cross will be prayed each Friday after the 9am Mass at St. Joseph Church and at 6pm at Most Holy Trinity Church. The Stations will also be prayed on Good Friday at 3pm at each of our worship sites. The Stations of the Cross, which follow the path of Christ from Pontius Pilate's praetorium to Christ's tomb are a popular devotion in parishes during Lent. In the 16th century, this pathway was officially entitled the "Via Dolorosa" (Sorrowful Way) or simply Way of the Cross or Stations of the Cross.

**Haddock Supper** | Take out only, MHT Hall parking lot; March 19, 26; 4:30 - 6:30pm; \$11.00 Adults, Children \$6.00; Call 207-618-7662 on Fridays no earlier than 4:30pm to order.

**Children's Liturgy of the Word online video during Lent** | Each Sunday during Lent we hope that you will join us for the Gospel Reading, THE GOOD NEWS OF THE LORD! You will hear the same Gospel reading at Mass, but we will read from the Children's

1st Sunday of Lent 2021



Lectionary. We will read, discuss, and pray together so we can better understand how Jesus is talking to us and how much he loves us. There will be downloadable activities for the week that are not only FUN, but help us to better understand Jesus' Gospel message!

Watching each Sunday is a great way for us to grow closer to Jesus this Lent! Goodshepherdparish.us, Liturgy & Prayer, Children's Liturgy of the Word.

GOSPEL MEDITATION

March 14 | Fourth Sunday of Lent

Is there something to Lent that goes beyond our own spiritual house cleaning and spiritual refinement? Yes, there is! It has to do with listening and learning so that we can take up the task of the Gospel with greater clarity and fortitude. While the spiritual refocusing of Lent is necessary, the fruit of this Lenten conversion has much more to do with learning how we can be a better Church than it does about our eternal salvation. Salvation is a gift that flows out of God's unconditional Mercy and cannot be merited. The spiritual maturity we can experience as a result of our Lenten disciplines serves to reduce the anxiety and apprehension we may experience as messengers of good, but very challenging, and unsettling, news.

St. Oscar Romero said that, "a church that doesn't provoke any crises, a gospel that doesn't unsettle, a word of God that doesn't get under anyone's skin, a word of God that doesn't touch the real sin of the society in which it is being proclaimed, what gospel is that?" When we listen to those descriptive and provocative words, do they resonate with anything in our experience? As messengers of the Gospel, we are called to bring an unsettling message to the world. If our main concern is protecting our self-interests, then we are missing something huge! Many really struggle with being rejected, dismissed,

or perceived as someone who is speaking out of turn. There is a counter cultural message that must be preached that clearly sides with the poor, marginalized, victimized, oppressed, neglected, disregarded, and lost souls throughout the world. There is a widespread misery among the peoples that is all too often allowed to fester with no one coming forward to offer a change or resolution.

The Church can speak to the needed structural changes that will allow people to earn just wages, feed their families and share abundantly and equally in the gifts of God's good earth. Such a vision is not some optimistic fairy tale, but the vision of the Creator himself. Lent reminds us, as St. Oscar Romero also states, that, "we are workers, not master builder, ministers, not messiahs. We are prophets of a future not our own." We are not called to labor simply for the benefit of the here and now but of the "what is to come." Our myopic vision can be replaced by a more far reaching Lenten vision that is much greater and deeper in scope. As long as we are carrying the right blueprints with us and our thoughts extend beyond ourselves, then even the little things we do and the simplest prayer we utter go a long way. They give witness to our preference for the light of Christ and not the darkness of error and sin.

SAINT JAMES SCHOOL

# Students ready for March Madness

"March is always a long month in schools," said Nancy Naimey, principal of St. James School in Biddeford. "So, we thought, 'Let's try to plan a month-long initiative that promotes our S.A.F.E. mission each day!'"

The result? "March Madness" and a schedule of events and activities that celebrate the school's commitment to S.A.F.E. (Service, Academics, Faith, Excellence).

Highlights include:

**March 1** | Zero Discrimination Day that will promote the school's commitment to inclusiveness.

**March 2** | Dr. Seuss' birthday will be celebrated with a special reading event and students wearing red and white.

**March 3** | On World Wildlife Day, students will take a virtual field trip to view animals in their habitats.

**March 4** | Music will fill the school with musical themes the order of the day in the classrooms. Students will also honor the Star-Spangled Banner, which was declared the national anthem this week in 1931.

**March 5** | National Unplugged Day will find the students not watching any television or using computers the entire day and night.

**March 8** | On International Women's Day, the student will learn about famous women in history.

**March 9** | Students will write letters of appreciation to staff members on St. James Staff Day.

**March 10** | Students will participate in door decorating and focus on positive words to commemorate National Words Matter Week.

**March 11** | Students will participate in bubble-themed activities to celebrate National Bubble Week.

**March 12** | The Casual for a Cause day, in which students bring donations for charitable organizations in exchange for dressing casually, will raise money for the Maine Cancer Foundation.

**March 16** | Extra recess and the chance to dress in "something that

makes you happy" will help students celebrate "Act Happy Week."

**March 17** | Students will wear green and learn about St. Patrick in honor of St. Patrick's Day.

**March 18** | Staff members and teachers will write notes and messages to the students on "Absolutely Incredible Kid Day."

**March 19** | "Let's Laugh Day" and "Red Nose Day" as jokes are told off the school intercom and students will tell jokes in classes. In addition, students can draw a red nose on a disposable mask and bring in a monetary donation to end children's hunger.

**March 22** | Spring and tree activities and projects are set to celebrate the start of spring, including the planting of flowers.

**March 23** | Extra recess to enjoy the outdoors will honor World Meteorologist Day.

**March 24** | On the eve of Feast of the Annunciation, students will write class letters to the priests of Good Shepherd Parish, of which St. James School is a part.

**March 25** | The students will celebrate 88 days until summer by dressing for summer (appropriately), enjoying a picnic lunch, and bringing beach towels.

**March 26-28** | No weekend homework.

**March 29** | For National Cleaning Week, students will help clean their classrooms, the school halls, and outside in the schoolyard.

**March 30** | On National Take a Walk in the Park Day, classes will enjoy special walks.

**March 31** | On National Crayon Day, special activities will be held in each classroom.

"St. James isn't just a school, it's a family," said Naimey. "This initiative is just another fun and creative way to bring the community together."

For more information about the school, call 282-4084.

## FAITH FORMATION

**Marriage Preparation** | Marriage is a beautiful gift from God and it gives us great joy to help couples prepare for a joy-filled marriage in the church. If you are engaged to be married, or are married civilly and wish to marry in the Catholic Church, please contact us to begin your preparations by calling Liz at 282-3321.

**Baptism Preparation** | Are you presently expecting a child or seeking Baptism for your infant? We rejoice with you who are preparing for the Baptism of your child! FMI, contact: Donna Caron at 207-282-3321 x113, donna.caron@portlanddiocese.org, or www.goodshepherddparish.us. Sacraments/Baptism Baptisms are scheduled after the preparation process is completed by the parents.



**Becoming Catholic, Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** | Are you or someone you know ... Experiencing God's call but not sure how to respond? Participating in Mass but have never completed Sacraments of Initiation? Interested in knowing more about the Catholic faith? We invite you to explore and learn more about the Catholic faith. FMI, call Donna Caron at 282-3321 x113.

### Family Faith Formation Grades 1-5

Meets 2 Sundays a month at Most Holy Trinity Hall, 9-10am; Upcoming in-person sessions: March 21. Children attend grade level classes while parents participate in adult teaching and discussion. FMI: michelle.philbrick@portlanddiocese.org | 282-3321 x115

### Junior High Formation/Ministry Grades 6-7-8

Meets Tuesdays at St. Joseph Hall, 6:30-8pm, March 16 and 23. EDGE program, including community building activities, hands on learning of Catholic tradition, small group discussions on issues and teachings, and prayer. FMI: michelle.philbrick@portlanddiocese.org | 282-3321 x115

### High School Youth Ministry

Meets Sundays at Most Holy Trinity, 6-7:30pm, March 14, 21, 28. Journey to Emmaus program, social activities, discussion and application of Catholic traditions and teachings, and prayer. FMI: emily.amann@portlanddiocese.org | 282-3321 x117

### Nor'easter Catholic UNE

CATHOLIC UNDERGROUND Sundays 7-8:30 PM via Zoom for this semester. Join us for an evening of prayer & fellowship. FMI: elliot.hachey@portlanddiocese.org for Zoom link.

MISCELLANEOUS

**Holy Hangouts** | In a time of decreased opportunities for gathering together to discuss their common faith, young adult Catholics in Maine are invited to join each other for “Holy Hangout” every Wednesday, at 7:30 p.m.

“The sessions will be held on Zoom and are meant to bring together young adults to engage in conversation,” said Hannah Gonneville, an assistant coordinator in the Diocese of Portland’s Office of Lifelong Faith Formation. “We are simply getting together to enjoy each other’s company and the conversation that the Holy Spirit inspires us to have, whether it’s a conversation about favorite movies and television shows or a more serious conversation about our Lenten journeys.”

The “hangouts” will last about an hour and then conclude with a prayer. Any Maine Catholic in their 20s or 30s are encouraged to attend.

“This idea came up as I thought about how many young adults, including myself, have missed being able to connect and converse with each other before social distancing protocols were put in place,” said Hannah.

Those interested in participating in “Holy Hangouts” can email Hannah at [hannah.gonneville@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:hannah.gonneville@portlanddiocese.org) or go to the Young Adult Catholics in Maine Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/YoungAdultCatholicsMaine](http://www.facebook.com/YoungAdultCatholicsMaine)) and go to the “Holy Hangouts” event page. Click “going” or “interested” to receive the meeting ID and password.

**A Day with St. Ignatius: Shadow Self-Image as an Attachment** | 10am-3:30pm, March 23, 2021, with Deacon Fran Burke, Marie Jo-

**Parish Donations** |

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Conveniently, WESHARE donors may also self-serve from their account to obtain giving/donation records directly without parish assistance. Be advised: All Souls donations are non-deductible since a Mass is given for those intentions.

To receive envelopes, please contact the parish office. **THANK YOU ALL** in advance for your cooperation and generosity

seph Spiritual Center. As we approach the end of Lent 2021, we will take an Ignatian look at two subjects: What have we learned recently about ourselves in relation to God? And how well does our self-image correlate with the person Jesus sees in us? We will seek insight into the shadow elements of our self-image and healing from our wounds. FMI, or to register, visit [www.mariejosephspiritual.org](http://www.mariejosephspiritual.org). or call (207) 284-5671.

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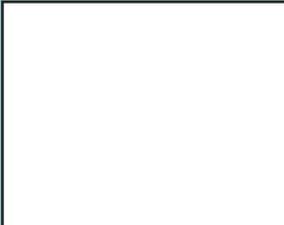


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