



All Saints Parish

A Roman Catholic faith community on the coast of Maine

December 26, 2021

Our Lady Queen of Peace

82 Atlantic Avenue
Boothbay Harbor 04538
Office: 633-2680
Hours: Monday-8:00AM –3:30 PM,
Tuesday & Thursday-8:00PM-3:00PM
Pastoral Hours- By appointment
Tuesdays & Thursdays

St. Ambrose

29 Kimball Street, Richmond 04357
Office at St. Charles (see below)

St. Charles Borromeo Parish Main Office

132 McKeen Street
Brunswick 04011
Office: 725-2624 Fax: 725-4436
Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

St. John the Baptist

39 Pleasant Street
Brunswick 04011
Office at St. Charles (see above)

St. Katharine Drexel

419 Mountain Road, Harpswell
04079
Office at St. Charles (see above)

St. Mary's Parish Bookkeeping Office

144 Lincoln Street, Bath 04530
Office: 443-3423
Secretary/Bookkeeping Hours:
Monday - Friday 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

St. Patrick's

380 Academy Hill Road
PO Box 598, Newcastle 04553
Office: 563-3240 Fax: 563-3218
Hours: Friday 8:00AM - 4:30 PM

St. John's Catholic School

37 Pleasant St, Brunswick 04011
School Office: 725-5507

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THE HOLY FAMILY

He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them; and his mother kept all these things in her heart. And Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and favor before God and man.

- Lk 2:51-52

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY

PASTORAL STAFF

Msgr. René Mathieu - Interim Pastor
Rev. Patrick Agbodi, SMA - Parochial Vicar

RETIRED PRIESTS

Rev. J. Joseph Ford
Rev. Richard Rice
Rev. Peter Uhde

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Deacon John Murphy
Deacon Robert Curtis
Deacon Tom Blatz
Deacon Edwin Robinson

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

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Martha Corkery - 725-2624

Pastoral Associate

Angela Boivin-725-2624

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Main Office

St. Charles Borromeo Church)

Sheila Finamore - 725-2624

Bookkeeping Office (St. Mary's Church)

Jeannine DeRosby, Sr. Bookkeeper
Dorothy Peters - 443-3423

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Our Lady Queen of Peace:

Laura Kowacki - 633-2680

St. Mary's: Ann Carlton - 443-3423

St. Patrick's: Dorothy Peters - 563-3240

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Principal-Mrs. Shelly Wheeler - 725-5507

FAITH FORMATION

Children's Faith Formation

Amy Ford - 725-2624

Youth Ministry—St. Charles Borromeo

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Anne Theriault

Coordinator of Lay Ministries/

Rite of Christian Initiation Coordinator

Marcy Brenner - 725-2624

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Amanda Armstrong

Jeannette Belanger

Louine Gagnon

Jennifer McIver

Sheila Murphy

Nan O'Sullivan

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A Message from Msgr. Mathieu

Saturday, January 1st, the **Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God** (New Year's Day) is not a day of obligation this year because it falls on a Saturday. Nevertheless, we have scheduled several Masses for the convenience of parishioners on Friday evening and Saturday morning; the schedule is printed elsewhere in this bulletin. On Saturday evening and Sunday, January 1st January 2nd, we will observe the **Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord**.

During these Advent and Christmas seasons, I am especially mindful of the many parishioners who generously devote themselves to our spiritual needs by contributing to the quality of our worship. I express a special heartfelt Christmastime "thank you!" to those who decorate the environment of our churches with such care and to donors who make such beauty possible, to those who unlock and secure our church buildings, to ushers and others who greet you before and after Mass, to sacristans who arrange and keep careful watch over the sacred items and persons needed for our liturgies, for the picker-uppers who keep our churches neat, our adult and youth altar servers (including those who serve funeral & daily Masses), deacons, readers, extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist (including those who serve the sick and homebound), music ministers (especially the cantors who got us through much of the pandemic), worship commission members, those who permit us to broadcast Masses, parish staff and other volunteers who organize our liturgies and who insure that our public worship is reverent and well planned. I also thank those who prepare the rites of initiation, those who see to it that our offertory receipts are safely deposited & counted, and the retired priests who live in the community and frequently help the priests assigned to the parish. On behalf of all parishioners, I thank you from the bottom of my heart for all you do for us day after day, week after week.

Smile: A Kansas Highway Patrol trooper turned on his car's flashing red light to stop a woman motorist who was speeding. The woman didn't notice the flashing signal, but her young daughter did.

She exclaimed, "Look, Mommy. A Christmas tree is following us." (Msgr. Arthur Tonne – *Jokes Priests Can Tell*).



Feast of the Holy Family

Families can be very difficult things to negotiate. This is true not only of our families of origin, the current family of which we are a part, the family of our Church, our society, and our global family as well.

Everything human can be found in family stories. Those stories speak of wonderful life-giving successes as well as painful spirit-robbing abuses. Our greatest joys and our greatest wounds are usually connected with the experience of family. Our needs, experiences, and unresolved baggage often color what we bring to our familiar relationships. They contribute to our level of defensiveness, how guarded and protected we become, and what prejudices we believe.

In order to break the cycle of dysfunction we have to remember that it is not only by human effort that we negotiate the difficult and challenging events of our lives. There is a Divine Effort at work as well. For sure, the human effort can create quite a mess and easily destroy lives. This is true of any family with which we are associated. Today's Feast of the Holy Family serves to help us understand that there is a Divine Story being told as well. It is a story of perseverance in the face of hardship, determination in the face of despair, healing when we see nothing but wounds, and light where there is darkness.

Do we believe that God is always working, guiding, restoring, and leading? Unless we do, we will never be free from the imperfections and wounds that bind us and never be able to understand what it really means to forgive. Pope Francis tells us that the "light which comes from the Holy Family encourages us to offer human warmth to other families." While this is most certainly true, we can only really begin to do this when we realize that we are still works in progress, not anchored to the wounds and sins of our past, and still a leading star in God's continually unfolding story of love. The Holy Family persevered and radiated warmth because they knew they were not alone. We can too.

SANCTUARY LAMP

This week's Sanctuary Lamp burns

Our Lady Queen of Peace Church

"Birthday Blessings" in memory of my father
by Suzette

St. Charles Borromeo Church

For Olga & Hand Reischl
by Gaby Niffka

St. Mary's Church

For Renate & Ludwig Bauernfeind
by Gaby Niffka

ALTAR BREAD

This week's Altar Breads are given

St. Charles Borromeo Church

In memory of Mr. & Mrs. Michael Toth, Sr.
by son David

Mass Intentions, Sanctuary Lamps, and Altar Breads are available at all churches and may be scheduled at the church offices.

Suggested Donation:

Mass Intentions - \$10.00
Sanctuary Lamp - \$10.00
Altar Bread - \$35.00



Mass Intentions

Our Lady Queen of Peace Church • Boothbay Harbor

Sun	Dec. 26	9:00 AM	Florence King by Antoine & Helen Atallah
Tues	Dec. 28	12:00 PM	Sylvia Carlton by Paul & Laura Kowacki
Thurs	Dec. 30	12:00 PM	OPEN

St. Ambrose Church • Richmond

Sun	Dec. 26	8:00 AM	For the Parishioners of All Saints Parish
Thurs	Dec. 30	10:00 AM	Dale McNamara by Nick & Lenore Armellino

St. Charles Borromeo Church • Brunswick

Sun	Dec. 26	11:00 AM	Rev. Thomas Murphy by Beth Levesque
Mon	Dec. 27	8:00 AM	Paul Labbe by Mom & Dad

Fri Dec. 31 6:00 PM Joan Wilson by the Kilfoil family

St. John the Baptist Church • Brunswick

Sun	Dec. 26	8:00 AM	Fr. Donald Gagne by the Kilfoil family
Sun	Dec. 26	11:00 AM	Cathy Luce (1 st Anniv.) by her family
Tues	Dec. 28	8:00 AM	Janel Harrington by her sister Claircy

St. Mary's Church • Bath

Sun	Dec. 26	9:30 AM	Fred Dorcus (2 nd Anniv.) by his family
Wed	Dec. 28	8:00 AM	Mercedes Haines (1 st Anniv.) by her family
Thurs	Dec. 30	8:00 AM	Konstantino Adoumianakis by Elizabeth & David Huntley
Fri	Dec 31	6:00 PM	Joan Frances Roberts by Elizabeth & David Huntley

St. Patrick's Church • Newcastle

Sun	Dec. 26	11:00 AM	Eleanor O'Donnell (1 st Anniv.) by her family
Wed	Dec 29	12:00 PM	Anthony Loconto by Trudy & Joe Reilly
Fri	Dec. 31	6:00 PM	Robert Reynolds by Vickie & Mike Cunningham

NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday, January 1, 2022-Mary, The Holy Mother of God

9:00 AM	St. Ambrose	All Souls Day Intentions (ASDI) of Robert & Kim Lydon
9:00 AM	St. Mary's	ASDI of Edward & Gloria Moreau & Daniel & Jeanne Harrington
10:00 AM	St. John the Baptist	Roger Duquesnoy (1 st Anniv.) by his family
10:00 AM	St. Patrick's	All Souls Day intentions of Kathleen Morris

Saturday, January 1, 2022-The Epiphany of the Lord

4:00 PM	St. Charles Borromeo	All Souls Day Intentions of Robert & Eleanore Berry
4:00 PM	St. Mary's	Christopher A. Gibb (4th Anniv.) by Ken & Peggy Gibb
4:00 PM	St. Patrick's	All Souls Day Intentions of James & Rosalie Leavitt

Sunday, January 2, 2022 – The Epiphany of the Lord

8:00 AM	St. Ambrose	For the Parishioners of All Saints Parish
8:00 AM	St. John the Baptist	Joan Wilson by Anne & Mike Olivo
9:00 AM	Our Lady Queen of Peace	Florence King by Antoine & Helen Atallah
9:30 AM	St. Mary's	Aline Ouellette by Smokey & Adele Suggs
11:00 AM	St. Charles Borromeo	Joan Ament by Marilyn Flanagan
11:00 AM	St. John the Baptist	Joseph Lucas by his daughter Joanne
11:00 AM	St. Patrick's	Edith Dietrich by Dorothy Peters

Praying the Rosary at St. Mary's Church & St. Patrick's Church

The reciting of the Rosary begins at 3:30 pm on Saturdays before the 4 pm mass. May our Blessed Lady guide us.

Reconciliation (Confession)

Our Lady Queen of Peace

Tuesdays
11am

St. Charles Borromeo

Saturdays before Mass 3:00-3:45pm
and by appointment

St. Mary's

In Confessional
Saturdays-3pm-3:45pm

St. Patrick's Church

In Confessional
Saturdays 3-3:45 pm
and

Wednesdays as requested.

FMI: Visit us at allsaintsmaine.com

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BUSINESS

PARISH OFFERTORY REPORT

FY 2022	FY 2021	Change
Week 24		
\$25,875	\$11,825	+\$14,050
Electronic Giving		
\$6,129	\$7,830	-\$1,701
Total		
\$32,004	\$19,655	+\$12,349
Year to Date Weeks 1-24		
\$691,982	\$657,442	+\$34,540
Thank you for your generosity.		

2021 Catholic Appeal. The appeal funds several ministries in our parish and your commitment to the appeal is critical for these ministries to continue their work. Make your gift today to support these vital ministries!

Click here to give:
<https://portlanddiocese.org/give>

Brochures are available at all churches. Thank you for your support!

All Saints Parish Goal - \$176,789
 To Date - \$130,178
 74% of our goal with 14% participation.

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<https://allsaintsbrunswick.weshareonline.org>

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WORSHIP & SPIRITUALITY

Solemnity of Mary the Holy Mother of God Schedule

<p>December 31st - 6pm St. Charles Borromeo St. Mary's St. Patrick's</p>	<p>January 1st 2022 - 9am St. Ambrose St. Mary's</p> <p>January 1st 2022 - 10am St. John the Baptist St. Patrick's</p>
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Eucharistic Adoration at St. John's Community Center

Hours for Eucharistic adoration will be:

Sun. 6 P.M. closing at 9 P.M.	Mon. 5 A.M. closing at 3 P.M.
Tues. 5 A.M. closing at 4 P.M.	Weds. 5 A.M. closing at 3 P.M.

Hours can expand in the future to accommodate needs.

For more information or to commit to a weekly Holy Hour of Adoration call: Joann: 443-9343 or Mike 721-0396

Fr. Patrick Agbodi, SMA has adoration one hour before the noon Masses at **Our Lady Queen of Peace Church on Thursdays** and **St. Patrick's Church on Fridays.**

All Saints Parish Local Cable TV Mass Schedule

View last weekend's Mass on the following local TV stations on Sundays.

Bath TV - 8 am ~ Brunswick TV - 9:01 am
 Harpswell TV - 9 am ~ Lincoln County TV - 11 am

All Saints Parish Brunswick Choir

☀

We are REBUILDING our choir and need your help. We need more voices - will you join us? - Please talk to any of us, you will be happy you did!

SPEAK TO ONE ANOTHER WITH PSALMS, HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS. SING AND MAKE MUSIC IN YOUR HEART TO THE LORD, ALWAYS GIVING THANKS TO GOD THE FATHER FOR EVERYTHING.

EPHESIANS 5:18-20

PRACTICE

at St. John the Baptist Church
 Wednesday evenings 6:30 - 8:00pm.
 Please join us!

Lend your voice and spread the cheer in our community!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT GIL PETERSON
 ALL SAINTS MUSIC COORDINATOR (207) 725-2624
 OR SPEAK WITH ANY CHOIR MEMBER

SOCIAL JUSTICE & PEACE

Help the Needy and Double Your Donation

Winter and cold are here and some in our community need our help with heat and shelter. Corporal Works of Mercy of St. Mary's Church is working to help those in our community who have emergencies for heat and shelter. If you wish to support this effort, your gift will be matched by our four local financial institutions (Bath Savings, First Federal Savings, Five County CU, Midcoast FCU). Make gifts payable to: Corporal Works of Mercy and Mail attention: Craig Burgess, 48 Cottage Lane, Brunswick, ME 04011. Those needing assistance should contact Midcoast Maine Community Action. Phone: (207) 442-7963 or Email: mmcainfo@mmcacorp.org.

Calling all Knitters from St. Patrick's Church

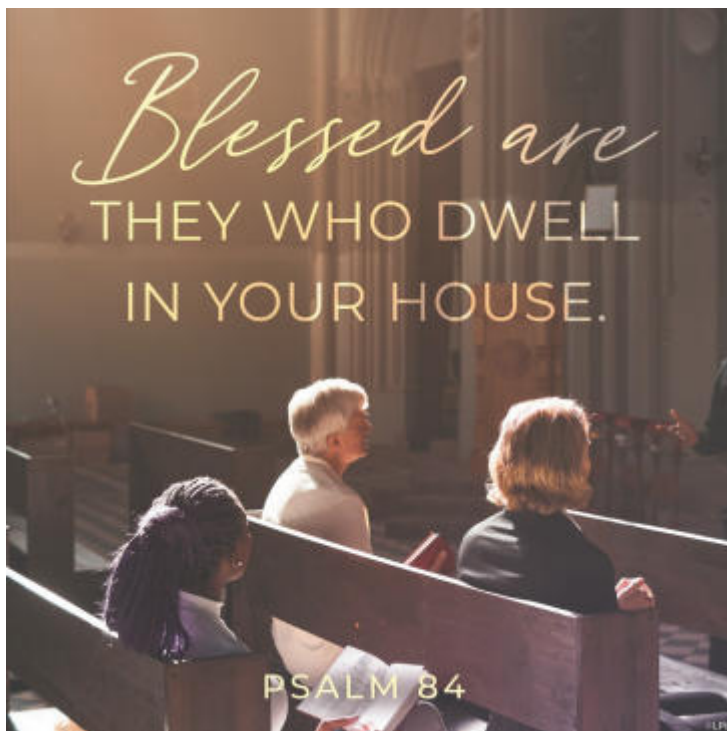
Would you like to help knit mittens and caps to donate to area elementary schools? Mittens can be dropped off in the bin outside the parish office at St Patrick's Church anytime. IF YOU CAN HELP, need an easy mitten or cap pattern or have any questions, please email : Dorothy.Peters@portlanddiocese.org or call me at (207) 563-3240.

Thanks for your knit 1, purl 2 help!



"At a time when so much is asked of us, you continuously show your generosity towards those who are in need of help. The Salvation Army, Catholic Charities, and Tedford Housing want to offer their sincere THANK YOU for your generosity. Know that you have made a difference in the life of an individual or family during the season of Christmas."

CHURCH & FAMILY LIFE



Our Endowments

Social Justice Endowments

Rev. Stephen F. Concannon Endowment for Social Justice and Peace (Code 6051)

Education Endowments

St, John Catholic School Endowment (Code 6036)

J.F. Dillon Pre School Endowment Fund (Code 6148)

Robert J. and Betty L Masse Fund for St. John's School (Code 6159)

Scholarship Endowment for SJS in memory of Grace M.J. Brescia (Code 6018)

Parish and Church Endowments

All Saints Parish Endowment (Code 6149)

St. Charles Borromeo Church Endowment (Code 6013)

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ADULT FAITH FORMATION

What's life all about?

To find clues as to the meaning of life, we first look at ourselves.

Who am I? Is there more to us than meets the eye? Where am I going, where is this journey taking me and what am I looking for in this life? We all want to be happy, but where are we looking for it right now? Check out our All Saints Parish website and Facebook for information on episodes called THE SEARCH.

Contact Marcy at 207-725-2624 –

Marcy.brenner@portlanddiocese.org for more information on Catholicism and our Initiation Process.



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Enter our parish name **All Saints** or better use the zip code **04011**.

Enter your name and email.

Check that email account for the link to begin using FORMED.

That's it.

HEART

And his mother kept all these things in her heart.

LUKE 2:51

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1999, 1970 CCC.

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FAITH FORMATION

PK through GRADE 5 FAITH FORMATION

Please contact the following people for information:

St. Patrick's

Sarah Buchwalder 563-3240

Sarah.Buchwalder@portlanddiocese.org

Our Lady Queen of Peace

John O'Connell 633-2680

St. Mary's, St. John the Baptist, St. Charles Borromeo, and St. Ambrose

Amy Ford 725-2624

Amy.Ford@portlanddiocese.org

Parents interested in partnering with the Parish in the Faith Formation of their children with special needs are invited to contact Amy Ford.



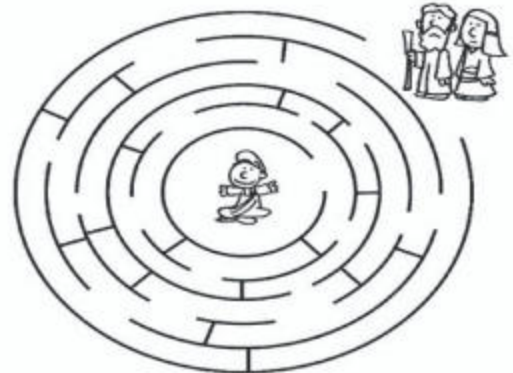
Sharing the Gospel: When Jesus traveled to Jerusalem as a 12-year-old young man, he felt completely at home in the Temple.

He enjoyed talking to the teachers about his Father in heaven. His questions and his answers showed how much he loved God.

Prayer: Dear God, help me to feel at home in my church like Jesus did.

PUZZLE

Help Mary and Joseph find Jesus.



MISSION

Help visitors to your church feel welcomed. As a family or as a class, make cards for visitors, asking them to come back.

LPI BECAUSE VIBRANT CHURCHES MATTER

FAITH FORMATION (cont.)

SOCK DRIVE

We all know how important warm socks are this time of year! The St. Charles Borromeo Grade 3-5 Faith Formation Families are holding a **SOCK DRIVE** the weekend of January 8th & 9th to benefit **THE GATHERING PLACE** of Brunswick and the **REFUGEE & IMMIGRATION SERVICES** of Catholic Charities Maine. Needed are **NEW & WARM** socks for **BABIES, TODDLERS & ADULTS**. If you don't have time to shop, let us shop for you: **money donations accepted! Bring all contributions to St. Charles Borromeo Church on January 8th or 9th.**

Questions? Please contact **Amy.Ford@portlanddiocese.org**. Thank you!

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Join Our Faith Filled Team

Learning Center Aide

St. John's is looking for an energetic candidate who is patient, kind, and passionate about working with children to assist in our aftercare program (The Learning Center). This is a paid position ; Monday - Friday, 2:15-5:30pm. Interested candidates should email a letter of interest to Shelly Wheeler, Principal, at shelly.wheeler@portlanddiocese.org.

Substitute Teachers

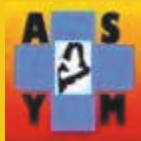
St. John's is searching for professionals to substitute teach starting immediately. The substitute teachers will work in a faith-filled and dynamic environment. Interested candidates should email references and a letter of interest to Shelly Wheeler, Principal, at shelly.wheeler@portlanddiocese.org.

St. John's Catholic School is an Equal Opportunity Employer and does not discriminate in employment opportunities or practices (consistent with those religious exemptions provided in statutory and constitutional law) on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, or any other characteristic protected by law. The position will remain open until filled.

Must be 18 years old to apply.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday Night Youth Ministry
St. Charles Borromeo Church



December 19th: Mass 5:00pm, Combined junior high and high school Christmas celebration 6:00-7:30pm

December 26th: No 5:00pm Mass, No meetings

January 2nd: No 5:00pm Mass, No meetings

Readings for the week of December 26, 2021

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:41-52 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/
Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 [cf. 5a]/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/Lk 2:41-52

Monday: 1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12]/Jn 20:1a, 2-8

Tuesday: 1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 [7]/Mt 2:13-18

Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6 [11a]/Lk 2:22-35

Thursday: 1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [11a]/Lk 2:36-40

Friday: 1 Jn 2:18-21/Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 [11a]/Jn 1:1-18

Saturday: Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/Gal 4:4-7/
Lk 2:16-21

Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/
Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-1

Merry Christmas

&

Happy New Year

from

St. John's

Coming Up:

Now - January 2 - No School, Christmas Vacation

January 12 - Lockdown Drill, 2:00pm

January 17 - No School, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

January 24-28 - Winter NWEA Testing

January 31-February 4 - Catholic Schools Week

February 21-25 - No School, Winter Vacation

March 2 - Ash Wednesday Mass, 8am

March 9 - Spring Concert & Art Walk 5:30pm

March 11 - Second Trimester Ends

Open Enrollment 2021-2022

Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 8

Please see our website sjcsbme.org to inquire and apply, or call 207-725-5507 today to schedule a tour or get more information!

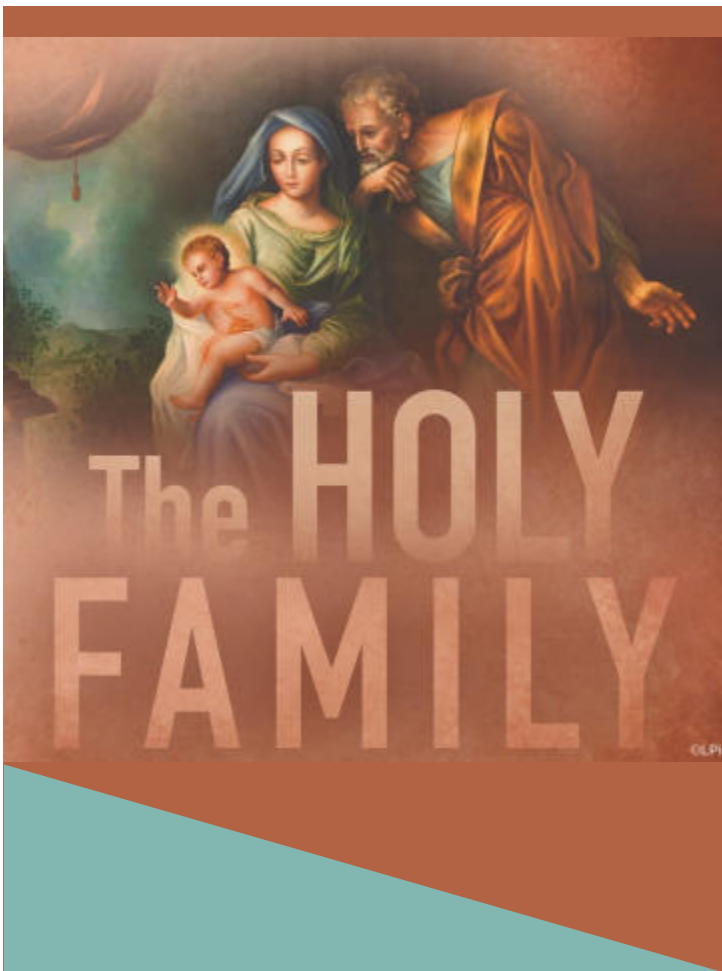
Enrollment for 2022-2023 Coming Soon!

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COMMUNITY & DIOCESE

Men's 18+ Christmas Discernment Retreat (January 7-9 in Biddeford Pool)

Join Fr. Greg Dube, director of vocations and seminarians, and other priests from the Diocese of Portland in praying for discerners and each other from Friday, January 7, to Sunday, January 9, at the Marie Joseph Spiritual Center in Biddeford. Sponsored by the Office of Vocations, this gathering is for all Catholic college-aged (18+) men or older who are striving to live out their faith and to follow God's will. To sign up or for more details, visit the events section on the Vocations website: www.portlanddiocese.org/vocations/content/upcoming-activities-and-events. Please register by **December 27**. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Bernier, ministerial services assistant for the Diocese of Portland, at (207) 773-6471 or jennifer.bernier@portlanddiocese.org.



SFC Casey Ballard, US Army/SF; Private Madison Beck, US Army; Kyle Bird, US Air Force; Lt. Col. Matthew Crosman, US Air Force; SGT Benjamin Davis, US Army; John Henry Eddyblouin Petty Officer 3rd Class, US Navy; ENS Katherine Finnegan, US Navy; LT Elyzabeth I.M. Fortis, Lt. Jr. Grade US Navy; LTJG Gray Glaubitz: US Navy; Captain Stephanie Hasenfus; Nathaniel Jackson, W. O.1; Private 1st Class Shaun Kamataris, US Army; CSM Christopher G. Lewis, US Army; CPT Jacob H. Liedman, US Army; Capt Edward Liston, USMC; LtCol Mark Liston, USMC; Patrick Lockard, US Navy; AO3 John M. LoSchiavo, US Navy; Sgt. Michael Pajak US Army; Matthew Pecoraro 2nd Lt. US Army; Warrant Officer Patrick Pecoraro, US Army; Amber Pelletier US Navy; SSGT Jamie T. Rosenberg, USAF; BM1 Thomas Ross; 2dLt Wunderly Rote, US Air Force ; SPC Tyler B. Spencer, US Army; LTJG Lukas Temple, US Navy; Nicholas P. White, US Army; Corp. Taylor Whitman, USMC; CTR1 Jon Wilson, US Navy; FCA2 Chase Woolman, US Navy

All the families thank you for your prayers.

(Please call the parish office at 725-2624 to add/remove names.)

"Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in time of need. I ask this in the name of JESUS our Lord and Savior. Amen."



Coming after the Holidays...

Holy Whispers-Praying in Tongues for Catholics

Would you be interested in a quiet and relaxed examination of praying?

This offering is a casual, low-key seminar and discussion designed to shed some light on this particular form of prayer (what it is, what it is not, what it's good for, where it fits in with other forms of prayer, how it works and so forth...). This is guaranteed to be informative, positive and safe for Roman Catholic consumption.

Where: St. Charles Borromeo Parish Hall

When: Beginning-Saturday-January 8, 2022 at 10am

Offered by Lance Reidy (M. Div.), a lay member of All Saints Parish.

Come if you are curious....

DECEMBER 26, 2021

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The *St. Mary's Knights of Columbus, Council 249*, meet the second Wednesday of each month at 6:30 pm. Thinking of joining the Knights? All are welcome to attend our meetings. Also, please speak with any of our members wearing the blue name badges at any of the Masses.

The *St. Patrick's Knights of Columbus* meet at 7:00 pm on the first Thursday of each month in Cheverus Hall. Men thinking of joining the Knights are welcome to our meetings.

The *Boothbay Harbor Council #10356* meet the first Sunday of each month after the 9:00 am Mass.

The *Brunswick Sekenger Council #1947* meet the 1st Wednesday of the month.
January Officers meeting, January 5th at 6 pm in the St. John the Baptist Church Hall
January Members meeting, January 5th at 7pm in the St. John the Baptist Church Hall



The *Daughters of Isabella* wish all members and friends a very Merry Christmas and a joyous New Year! Our next meeting will be in February. Enjoy the holidays and we look forward to seeing you in the New Year.

SHAMROCKS

The Shamrocks of St. Patrick's Church invite you to join us. Our meetings will be held the first Wednesday of each month in Cheverus Hall at 1 PM following the noon mass. Our January 5th meeting will be a pot luck lunch social to celebrate the New Year. Do come; we look forward to seeing you.

Read Bishop Deeley's Inspirational and Moving Letter



"Do This in Memory of Me"

A PASTORAL LETTER ON THE EUCHARIST

By the Most Reverend Robert P. Deeley,
Twelfth Bishop of Portland

To the clergy, religious, and faithful of the Diocese of Portland

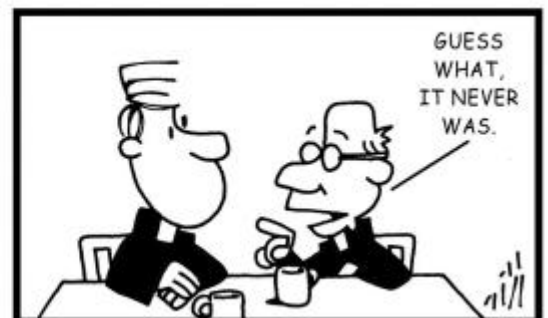
<https://portlanddiocese.org/in-memory-of-me>

"GOD IS LOVE.
WHOEVER LIVES IN LOVE LIVES IN GOD AND GOD IN HIM."

ST. JOHN, APOSTLE



HOLY FAMILY





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