

## SAINT DENIS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Dominican Friars, Province of Saint Joseph

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#### WORSHIP AT SAINT DENIS

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM Sunday: 9:00 and 11:30 AM

Weekday Mass: Monday-Friday: 7:30 AM;

Saturday: 9:00 AM

Confessions: Wednesdays 4:00 - 4:30 PM,

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 PM (and by

appointment).

**Eucharistic Adoration:** 

Wednesdays 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM;

First Fridays of the month 8:00 AM - Noon

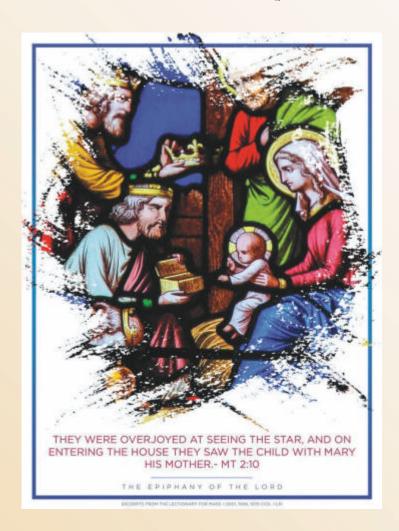
#### PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Welcome to Saint Denis Parish! We are grateful for your worshipping with us. If you regularly attend Mass here at St. Denis, you are encouraged to register in the parish at the office during the week. Parish Office hours are Tuesday-Thursday 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM. Office is closed on Mondays and Fridays. Please note that a family must be registered at St. Denis in order for their children to be enrolled in our religious education program.

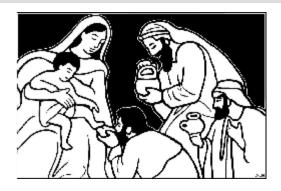
INFANT BAPTISM: Takes place normally following the 11:30 AM Mass on Sundays. Families have the option of scheduling a baptism during the 9:00 AM Mass on Sundays. First-time parents are required to attend a pre-baptismal session; please call the parish office to schedule.

MARRIAGE: Engaged couples must contact the parish office at least six months in advance of scheduling a wedding.

VISITING THE SICK: Please call the parish office to arrange for Communion or for the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.



#### THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankingense, and myth. = # + 2 : + 0 - 1

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

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Sat., Jan. 1	5:00 pm – For the People of St. Denis
Sun., Jan. 2	THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
	9:00 am – †Carola Sandoe
	11:30 am – †Trudy Daley
Mon., Jan. 3	Christmas Weekday
	7:30 am – Holy Souls
Tues., Jan. 4	Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton
ŕ	7:30 am – †Edward Goldrick
Wed., Jan. 5	Saint John Neumann
	7:30 am – Jessica Kemp
Thurs., Jan. 6	Christmas Weekday
	7:30 am – Elizabeth and Alex Wood
Fri., Jan. 7	Saint Raymond of Penyafort
	7:30 am – †Maria Szczepiorkowska
Sat., Jan. 8	Christmas Weekday
,	9:00 am - †Bill and Ann MacDonald
	5:00 pm – For the People of St. Denis
Sun., Jan. 9	THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD
ŕ	9:00 am – For those baptized in 2021
	11:30 am – †Arlene Gensler
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#### PRAYER LIST

Please remember the following people in your prayers: Holly Sateia, Gordon Gensler, Aren Maltez, Judy Bleakney, Maura Jones, Louis Stimmel, Bjarne Skjetne, Sr., Barbara Batt, Eddie Bloom, Cay Volpe, Laura Boyajian, Heather Pedersen, Jeannette Kendall, Daniel Markwood, Jivat Thadani, Susan J. Price, Ada Brown, Max Bryant, Elizabeth Murphy, Jim Horan, Steven Ward, John and Patricia Huss, Annastacia Akiti, Rich Royce, Michael O'Leary, Grace Manna, Fernando Ferraz, Helen Quinn, Sandy Bondis, Carl Fogliano, Patricia Fowler, Jason Aaron, Perry Chase, John Hofmann, Denise Carlin, Stephen Horan, Edward Kory, Jennifer Reed, John & Margaret Mahoney, Allison Carr, Shannon Munnerly.

Anyone wishing to receive Communion and/or the Sacrament of the Sick, please call the Parish office.

#### PASTOR'S CORNER

Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Denis,

A blessed and healthy New Year 2022 to all of you!

Long before the U.S.-originated figure of "Santa Claus" (think Clement C. Moore's *The Night before Christmas* and Coca-Cola ads and commercials) became widespread throughout the world, many Christian cultures and countries had other figures who were more symbolic of the Christmas Season. In many Hispanic countries, the Three Wisemen who arrived at the Feast of the Epiphany were the ones who brought gifts to children, just as they had brought gifts for the Newborn King of Israel.

My first year of school in Rome, Italy was when I was in sixth grade. (Yes, I went off to boarding school for the first time when I was 11 years old!) My brother, Kevin, was a freshman at Notre Dame International School, run by the Brothers of Holy Cross, that year. My brother, John, had graduated from NDI in the Spring of 1973. All three Mulcahy boys graduated from NDI, but the three of us were never at the school all at the same time.

Every year in Rome, the Christmas market is held in Piazza Navona. I don't know what the global pandemic has done to that tradition. The whole oval-shaped piazza (it was a racecourse in ancient Rome) is lined with stalls selling food, gifts, crafts, and trinkets. The dormitory prefect for us younger kids, Brother Joseph Ashe, CSC, took us down to visit the Christmas market in Piazza Navona, probably on a Friday or Saturday evening before the semester ended and we went home to spend Christmas with our families. We sixth and seventh grade boys were most interested in the stalls that sold gag gifts – things like itching powder, stink bombs, and whoopee cushions. You get the picture...



But in many of the stalls, instead of Santa Claus and his elves, was the figure of an old witch, sometimes astride a broom. I had no idea what her significance was, but that evening I learned that that was Befana. Her name is derived from the word for Epiphany in Italian: Epifania. Traditionally, for the peoples of the Italian peninsula, she was the one who kept an eye out throughout the year on which boys and girls were "being naughty or nice," not Santa Claus, and on the Feast of the Epiphany, she would fly on her broom to bring gifts to the good little children, but to the naughty ones, she would bring, not coal, but "switches", thin tree branches that were to be used in "disciplining" bad children (when that was considered acceptable behavior.)

What other Christmas and Epiphany traditions did you and your family grow up with?

Fr. Brian, OP

#### Save the Date - Winter Lecture

#### **God and Evolution**

Wednesday, January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022 7:00 pm via Zoom Fr. Nicanor Austriaco, O.P. Professor of Biology and Professor of Theology Providence College



#### **Upcoming Schedule:**

- **PreK4, K, and 1**<sup>st</sup> **grade** meets again Sunday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, at 10:15 am in the parish hall. Parents meet in the rectory.
- **2<sup>nd</sup> grade** (Reconciliation Prep) meets again the weekend of January 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup>.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> grade (Confirmation and Communion Prep) meets again the weekend of January 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup>.
- 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> graders meets again Sunday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, via Zoom.
- 7<sup>th</sup> **grade and older** meets again Sunday, January 9<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm in the parish hall.

Faith at Home emails continue to go out each week.

#### MOMS' MINISTRY

**Moms' Ministry** is a group of moms of all ages who meet informally each Tuesday from 9:30-10:30 am at Frassati House. We meet again January 4<sup>th</sup>,. If you would like more information or would like to be added to our email list, please contact Jessica at faithformation.stdenis@gmail.com.

#### CREED STUDY GROUP

Want to learn more about our faith? We will be beginning a small 7 week study group utilizing Bishop Barron's new series on the Creed. We will meet Thursday evenings from 7:30 - 8:15 pm via Zoom from January 13<sup>th</sup> through February 24<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Jessica Cole at faithformation.stdenis@gmail.com.

#### ROSARY GROUP



Please join our Women's **Rosary Group** on Friday mornings at 9:00 am for fellowship and to pray the rosary together for all our intentions. We join on Zoom whenever we are able. We usually have six or so on Zoom for the scriptural rosary and are always happy to welcome newcomers!

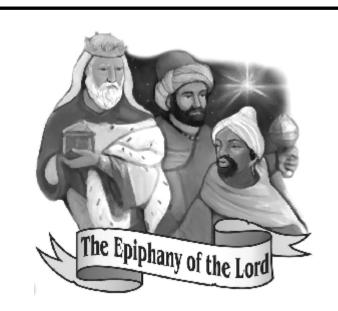
To sign up, please contact Mitsu Chobanian at <a href="mitsu.chobanian@gmail.com">mitsu.chobanian@gmail.com</a>.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The St. Denis Knights of Columbus is a fraternal organization dedicated to supporting Catholic charitable activities in the Parish and Diocese. In the last year K of C Council 16697 has raised significant funds to support scholarships for seminarians and local charities as well as assist in physical plant repairs to Parish Properties. Catholic gentlemen who are interested in joining this worthwhile endeavor should contact the Knights at eabrine@gmail.com.

#### FAITH AND LITERATURE GROUP

The January meeting of *Faith and Literature* will be on Tuesday, January 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm via zoom. We will be reading and discussing selected writings by Dorothy Day. She was a journalist by trade as well as a strong social advocate. We will discuss both the content and the literary style of the selected writings. The Church has opened the cause of her canonization and has given her the title "Servant of God." For more information or to obtain an PDF of the writings, please contact Sharon Weaver at <a href="mailto:sharon.ramey.weaver@gmail.com">sharon.ramey.weaver@gmail.com</a>.



A traditional way of doing this is to use chalk to write above the home's entrance:

20 + C + M + B + 22. The letters **C**, **M**, **B** have two meanings. They are the initials of the traditional names of the three Magi: Caspar, Melchior, and Balthazar. They also abbreviate the Latin words *Christus mansionem benedicat*, "May Christ bless the house." The "+" signs represent the cross and 2022 is the year.

Using the blessed chalk, mark the lintel of your front door (or front porch step, if it's impossible to write above the door) as follows:

$$20 + C + M + B + 22$$

while saying: The three Wise Men, Caspar, Melchior, and Balthazar followed the star of God's Son who became human two thousand and twenty-two years ago. May Christ bless our home and remain with us throughout the new year. Amen.

Then offer the following prayer: Visit, O blessed Lord, this home with the gladness of your presence. Bless all who live or visit here with the gift of your love; and grant that we may manifest your love to each other and to all whose lives we touch. May we grow in grace and in the knowledge and love of you; guide, comfort, and strengthen us in peace, O Jesus Christ, now and forever. Amen

"Chalking the door" is a way to celebrate and mark, literally, the occasion of the Epiphany and God's blessing of our lives and home. With time the chalk will fade. As it does, we let the meaning of the symbols written sink into the depths of our heart and be manifest in our words and actions the Latin words, *Christus mansionem benedicat*, "May Christ bless the house."



Access to Bishop Barron's Word on Fire—Our parish has a subscription to Bishop Barron's Word on Fire ENGAGE. All of Bishop Barron's Word on Fire content is available to you in short video segments through St. Denis's Flocknote page. Take a few minutes to check it out and see the wealth of resources

at your fingertips!

If you are part of our Flocknote email list you have access to Word on Fire (WoF), but may not have known that. It is easy to access once you know how. You must first create a Flocknote login.

- 1. Go to flocknote.com/login
- 2. Enter your email address (the address that already received Flocknote emails)
- 3. Click "Reset or create a password" below the big blue" Sign In" button.
- 4. After that, click the yellow "Rest my password" button, and follow the prompts from there. Flocknote will send you a link to create a password.

Once you have your Flocknote login and password, log in to Flocknote. Once in Flocknote on the St. Denis dashboard you will see a large picture block of Bishop Barron that says, "You've got Word on Fire ENGAGE." Click on the orange button that says "Visit WoFDigital.org" and you have arrived!

If you would like to be added to Flocknote to receive emails and/ or to have access to Word on Fire, please contact Jessica at the office or at <a href="mailto:faithformation.stdenis@gmail.com">faithformation.stdenis@gmail.com</a>.

If you encounter any difficulties, please call the office and we are happy to help you.

#### **DIOCESAN EVENTS and NEWS**

The 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Vita Nova Men's Retreat January 7<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Out of the woods - Into the water Living our Baptism daily!

Once again the annual Men's Retreat will be held at the beautiful Barbara C. Harris Center in Greenfield, NH. All of the lodging is designed to provide guests with a beautiful natural setting that encourages a sense of community, a feeling of relaxation and opportunities for reflection and renewal.

Friday. January 7<sup>th</sup>, registration 6:00 - 7:00 pm
Retreat starts promptly at 7:15 pm
Ends with Lunch on Sunday, January 9<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 pm and check out is by 2:00 pm.
Meals start with Breakfast on Saturday.
Please eat dinner before arriving on Friday.

For more information or to register visit <a href="https://vitanova.org/catholic-mens-retreat">https://vitanova.org/catholic-mens-retreat</a>.

**Register to Receive Catholic Citizenship News:** Are you looking for an easy way to stay informed about public issues in New Hampshire? The Diocese of Manchester offers an e-mail newsletter with updates on important public policy matters facing our elected officials. Register at <a href="mailto:catholicnh.org/ccn.">catholicnh.org/ccn.</a>



Congratulations to the following child who has received the Gift of New Life in Christ through the Sacrament of Baptism: **December 19<sup>th</sup>**, **2021:** Céline Isabella Hirsch, daughter of David Hirsch and Marlene Diaz.

#### **Replacing the Parish Hall Tables**

Have you ever helped set up for a parish event? Have you helped move the old laminate tables we currently have? If so, you know first hand the condition of the current tables (not to mention their weight!). They have served us well over the years, but they are long past their prime.

We are hoping to replace the old tables with new, lighter, durable plastic folding tables. We can't do this without your help and so are gratefully accepting donations to make this happen.

We are hoping to purchase fourteen (14) 8' rectangular tables, at \$220/each, as well as fourteen (14) 5' rounds at \$300/each. Whether you can give the amount for one table or more, or even a small fraction of the cost, your donation will help our parish community enjoy many years of future events.

Please note that as we replace them, the old tables are available to anyone who may want them or be able to use them. If you know of an organization, school, etc., that could use them, please let us know.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions, please contact Jessica at faithformation.stdenis@gmail.com.



Wednesdays 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Benediction at 4:50 pm

All are invited to stop into church for quiet prayer and adoration

We are often in need of people willing to sit and pray at designated times for a half hour window throughout the day on Wednesdays. If you would be interested in being added to the regular schedule or even just the sub list, please contact Martina at admin.stdenis@gmail.com.

#### **Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary**

Pray the Rosary with fellow parishioners and members of the Confraternity after daily Mass. We welcome your participation.

What does the Epiphany of Jesus celebrate? Jesus – the Messiah of Israel, the Son of God, the Savior of the World



The magi, guided by the messianic light of the star of David found and adored the newborn king of the Jews believing that Jesus would also be the king of the nations.

Through the mystery of Thy holy Incarnation, Jesus, deliver us.

Mary, Mother of our Savior, pray for us.

St. Dominic, pray for us.

New members to the Confraternity are always welcome. Please contact: Diane Palac by leaving a message with: Martina Daley-St. Denis admin assistant: email: <a href="mailto:admin.stdenis@gmail.com">admin.stdenis@gmail.com</a> or phone the parish office: 603-643-2166.



Please join Fr. Brian virtually in prayer

We will continue to live stream all three weekend Masses, as well as our weekday Masses, for anyone who chooses to or who must remain at home at this time. Simply visit <u>saintdenisparish.org</u> and click on the box entitled "Live Streaming" to access St Denis Masses from home.

We are now able to record the Masses, and post them on YouTube. When you have clicked on "Live Streaming", listed underneath is: "Watch Mass, or past Masses, on Youtube" Click on that and you will be routed to our YouTube link for the Masses available.

**Vocation Corner:** "Opening their treasure chests, they offered Him gifts." Are you beginning to see your life as a gift to be given to the Lord as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Contact the Vocation Office at (603) 663-0196 or email: mmason@rcbm.org.

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday:** Is 60:1-6; Ps 72; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12 **Monday:** 1 Jn 3:22—4:6; Ps 2; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

**Tuesday:** 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72; Mk 6:34-44 **Wednesday:** 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72; Mk 6:45-52 **Thursday:** 1 Jn 4:19—5:4; Ps 72; Lk 4:14-22a

**Friday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147; Lk 5:12-16 **Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149; Jn 3:22-30

**Sunday:** Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 104; Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16,

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Worldwide Marriage Encounter: To support married couples during this time of social distancing, Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring virtual marriage experiences. Some are on weekends and are seven sessions on weekdays from 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm. Couples will explore their individual personality styles, improve listening and communication skills, understand God's plan for their marriage, and learn how to keep their relationship a priority. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call at or visit them at <a href="https://wwwmema.org/">https://wwwmema.org/</a>.

Natural Family Planning: The Creighton FertilityCare System is a highly effective and morally acceptable natural method of family planning. It is healthy and strengthens pre. It is used to achieve a pregnancy or avoid a pregnancy and can be useful in the diagnosis and treatment of reproductive disease. Online introductory classes will be held on the first Wednesday and third Thursday at 7:00 pm of each month. For more information contact Mary Menendez, CFCP, St. Gerard Majella FertilityCare Services, at <a href="mailto:CreightonFertility@yahoo.com">CreightonFertility@yahoo.com</a> or (603) 642-8050. You can also visit the website at <a href="mailto:https://fertilityisnotadisease.com/">https://fertilityisnotadisease.com/</a>.

The word *Retrouvaille*<sup>TM</sup> is a French word meaning rediscovery. The Program offers tools needed to rediscover a loving marriage relationship. The program consists of a weekend experience combined with a series of 6 - 12 post-weekend sessions over 3 months. It provides the tools to help put your marriage in order again. The main emphasis of the program is on communication in marriage between husband and wife. It will give you the opportunity to rediscover each other. For more info, call 1-800-470-2230 or visit <a href="https://www.HelpOurMarriage.com">www.HelpOurMarriage.com</a>.

The Women's Wellness and Fertility Center of New England at CMC is the first and only practice in New England wholly dedicated to providing OB/GYN care and restorative reproductive medicine consistent with the Religious and Ethical Directives of Catholic Healthcare Standards. Women and couples finally have a local resource for reproductive care that honors their practice of the faith. At the Women's Wellness & Fertility Center of New England, you are the most important member of your care team! Here, you'll find family-centered, holistic obstetric and gynecologic care grounded in alternative, evidence-based medical practices including NaProTECHNOLOGY. Go to <a href="https://www.catholicmedicalcenter.org/womens-wellness/">www.catholicmedicalcenter.org/womens-wellness/</a> for more information or call 603.314.7595 today!

**Support for Separated & Divorced:** Divorce and separation can be painful experiences. Support groups are available to those who are seeking healing, comfort, and empowerment. Visit <a href="www.catholicnh.org/support">www.catholicnh.org/support</a> for a listing of groups. Do you know someone who is going through a separation or divorce? Please consider passing this information along to them.

### OUTREACH



By the Numbers: 2020

Over the past year, you provided a better life for more than 130,700 New Hampshire residents. This includes:

#### **Creating Pathways Out of Poverty**

**2,836** individuals on paths to long-term success through support services and emergency assistance. (Community Services)

#### Finding Emotional Healing

305 individuals gaining the skills to better cope with life's difficult situations, find a greater sense of peace and improve their overall quality of life. (Mental Health Counseling Services)

#### Supporting Homeless & At-Risk Veterans

144 struggling and homeless veterans are healing, gaining meaningful employment and getting their lives back on track because of substance-free transitional housing, a supportive environment and other assistance. (Liberty House)

#### Helping Seniors Live Independent & Fulfilling Lives

- 995 seniors living their live to the fullest everyday through compassionate care in a faith-based environment. (Healthcare Services)
- 586 homebound and disabled seniors with preserved wishes to remain living independently - and knowing they aren't alone - through delivery, rides to medical appointments and emotional support. (The CareGivers)
- 81 seniors living independently and thriving within their because communities of volunteer-driven transportation, social opportunities and assistance with everyday home needs. (Monadnock at Home)

#### Giving Children the Resources to Heal

23 children better connecting with others and beginning through specialized services and a unique learning environment. (St. Charles School)

#### **Building Loving & Stable Families**

- 105 young mothers and parents, creating a nurturing and safe environment for their children and be the parents they aspire to be. (Our Place)
- 61 individuals provided with a wide range of placement and post-adoption services that build, strengthen and unify families. (Adoption & Maternity Services)

#### **Welcoming Newcomers**

486 newcomers achieve their goal of being proud and productive United States citizens through advocacy and high -quality, affordable legal services. (Immigration Legal Services)

#### Feeding the Hungry

17.2 million pounds of food distributed to more than 425 agencies statewide to help food-insecure families and communities. (New Hampshire Food Bank)

Our Parish Goal is \$48,300.00. So far we have raised \$42,071.00.



#### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

at Dayspring's Pregnancy Centers and Grace House

Calling Women in the Church: We have an urgent need to fill various positions. Many different shifts available.

Call Anne @ 603-298-6123 to learn more



We are again looking for volunteers to help provide and serve meals to the needy and it is time once again to set the schedule for the upcoming year. For several years members of the St. Denis Community Dinner Program have provided meals to the needy on the second Wednesday of every month.

Due to Covid we were on hold for more than a year but, thankfully, started up a slightly modified program last summer. We are part of a larger program run by the Listen Community Center and our job is to prepare and serve approximately 90 meals each month at the Listen Center in White River Junction. Each volunteer family works with a team of fifteen to sixteen St. Denis families preparing and serving these meals. About sixty families are currently involved in this project and, as a result, each team is responsible for three meals per year. We are in the process of setting the schedule for 2022. If you would like more information or want to volunteer to be part of this fun and worthy effort, please contact the parish office or Bob Snyder at 603-252-2914 (cell), 603-643-3230 (home) or bob@snydernh.com.

The next Listen Community Dinner will be served on Wednesday, January 12th, 2022 at River Point in White River Junction by Team #2 from 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.



**Helping Hands:** A great big THANK YOU to all who contributed, participated in, and delivered our Christmas gift bags of cheer this Season. With your assistance, 51 bags were distributed this year, bringing a whole lot of joy to many. The Christmas cards made by our children are always particularly treasured

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by the recipients. Once again, thank you to all who made it

#### STEWARDSHIP and FINANCE

Offertory December 18 <sup>th</sup> & 19 <sup>th</sup>	\$5,945.94(total)
Retired Religious	\$360.00
Christmas	\$1,095.00
Hearts Open to the World	\$333.25
Helping Hands	\$2,575.00

Thank you for your continued generosity to St. Denis! In order for donation records to be complete, make sure that you are registered and that your donation is in an envelope with your full name and the amount on it.

#### **Supporting Our Parish Through Electronic Giving**

Now you can use your credit card or electronic check to support the mission of Saint Denis. Using electronic giving is easy to do. Go to our website www.saintdenisparish.org and click on the Online Giving button. In a few minutes you can be sure that your gift will work every day of the year to help our parish.

You can now contribute to Saint Denis with a quick text message! Simply send a text to 603-931-3467 with the amount you wish to contribute. Make sure to include the dollar sign before the amount. Example: \$25. Within a few minutes, you'll be sent a text with a link to register. Click on the link and enter your cardholder name and credit or debit card information. Once your registration is complete, you will receive a text verification and a receipt via email. For future giving, simply send a text with the amount you wish to give, and it will process automatically!



If you are using personalized offertory envelopes kindly remember to pick your box for 2022 in the church vestibule.

#### LITURGY and WORSHIP

#### Ministry Schedule

SAT	Communion Minister: Berna Rexford			
Jan. 8	Lector:	Diana	Kimball-Anderson,	Joseph
5:00 pm	Schwend	ler		-

Sacristan: Susan-Maria Craven

Sun	Communion Minister: Charles Wira
Jan. 9	Lector: John Carroll, Agnieszka Perdrizet
9:00 am	Sacristan: Mitsu Chobanian

Sun Communion Minister: Ralph Hammock JAN. 9 Lector: Faith Beasley, Isaac Welch 11:30 am Sacristan: Gwendolen Gensler



Parish Pictorial Directory: There are a limited number of copies of the 2020 St. Denis Parish Photo Directory available in the parish office, for a suggested donation of \$20. If you are interested in getting PHOTO DIRECTORIES a copy, please contact the office at 603-643-2166.



Welcome to all new families/individuals. We invite you to introduce yourself, register, and become a part of our parish community. Since registration is our only means of certifying parish membership, all parishioners are urged to register.

There are several options:

- Come by the office during business hours.
- Pick up a registration card from the tables in the church entrances and mail it in.
- On-line logging onto website bv our (www.saintdenisparish.org), scroll down and click on, "Online Registration," follow the instructions.

If you registered online and need offertory envelopes please call e-mail 603-643-2166 or the office at admin.stdenis@gmail.com.

We hope you will favor our parish with your prayers, your presence, your talents, and your financial assistance according to your means.

Parishioners who are changing addresses or phone numbers, etc. within the parish, please notify the parish office or log on to our website (www.saintdenisparish.org), scroll down and click on, "On-line Registration," follow the instructions to create an account. If you are moving from the area please contact the parish office.

Would you like to be added to the parish email list? Consider being added to the parish email list if you are not already? This will be used to send email updates about parish happenings, notes from Fr. Brian, and other resources. To be added to the list email Jessica Cole at faithformation.stdenis@gmail.com.

Looking for some daily routines to grow in faith? How about a mini meditation on a saint of the day? Check out Franciscan Media's resource at: https://www.franciscanmedia.org/sodcalendar/



Children's Resources: We have returned the children's reading materials and weekly bulletin/worksheets to the vestibule of the church. Your children are welcome to help themselves if you think it would be helpful for them during Mass.

Find St. Denis on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/ saintdenisparish/ We hope this can be another means by which we can stay connected virtually as a community. Please share with other parishioners and friends so that we can begin to grow this online community.

Please feel free to take a small book located by the doors of the church Catholic Prayers for Catholic Families. It is a beautiful little book with simple ideas of ways to add prayer to your family life, as well as a compilation of many traditional Catholic prayers. We hope you find this resource helpful.

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