

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY PARISH



AUGUST 1, 2021 18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10 AM

Daily Mass

Monday & Thursday 9:00 AM

Tuesday & Wednesday 6:30

Friday: No Mass

WELCOME!

If you are new to the area, we hope that you would consider making us your spiritual home. If you would like to register, please introduce yourself to the pastor after Mass.

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18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave the bread from heaven; my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." - Jn 6:32-33

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PARISH & CALVARY CEMETERY OFFICES

Office Telephone: 978-297-0280 | Fax: 978-297-3577

Parish Office Hours

Mon, Tues, Wed - : 9:00 AM—1:00 PM

Offices are closed on Thursday & Friday

Sacrament of Baptism:

Call the Parish Office in advance to schedule.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:

Those who are preparing for surgery, homebound, diagnosed with an illness, or advancing in years, are asked to contact the Parish Office for this Sacrament of God's healing, mercy, and grace.

Sacrament of Matrimony:

As part of Diocesan requirement, preparations should be made at least six (6) months in advance. Please contact the Parish Office for more details.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Each Saturday at 3:00 PM, & by appointment.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 31: Vigil of 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. +Gregory (Scotty) Hunt (55th ann)

Requested by: The Hunt Brothers

Sunday, August 1: 18th Sunday in Ordinary

8:00 AM +Cecile Carrier(6th ann)

Requested by David, Tom & Juanita

10:00 AM +Dana Lupien (12th ann)

Requested by: Isaac & Dylan

Monday, August 2: Ordinary Weekday

9:00 a.m. +Genevieve DiFava

Requested by: Alan & Laurie Hallquist

Tuesday, August 3: Ordinary Weekday

6:30 p.m. +Our Beloved Ones

Wednesday, August 4: St. John

6:30 p.m. +Our Beloved Ones

Thursday, August 5: Ordinary Weekday

9:00 a.m. +Our Beloved Ones

Friday, August 6: Transfiguration of the Lord

No Mass on Friday's

Saturday, August 7: Vigil of 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 p.m. +Rachel Priest

Requested by: The Priest Family

Sunday, August 2: 19th Sunday in Ordinary

8:00 AM +Ann Mathieu

Requested by Mansfield Family

10:00 AM +Jeanette Jaillet

Requested by: Her Nephew



Flowers at Fatima

Mary, as you have watched over me so many times, please watch over Jerry and all those with medical issues who need your prayers at this time

Flowers at the Shrine of Mary

In memory of Gregory "Scotty" Hunt
55th anniversary

With Love,

Peter Hunt

STEWARDSHIP OFFERTORY

Weekend of July 18 & 19 and July 24 & 25

Sunday Offering & Mailed In	\$5527
Online Giving	\$810
Monthly & Fuel	\$263
Total	\$6600

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS:

Religious Education Registration Fee: \$40-1 student, \$60-2 students, \$80 for 3 or more students

Checks can be made out to Immaculate Heart of Mary. Please write Religious Education in the memo line. Checks can be mailed in or dropped off at the parish office.

Classes will start September 12, 2021 and run until May 8, 2022.

Classes will take place on Sundays after the 10:00 Mass. Classes will end at 12:15. Please contact Tasha Gamble with any questions:

religiouseducation@heartofmary.net

RELIGIOUS ED TEACHERS & SUBS

We are in need of teachers and substitutes for Religious Education for September. Would you consider helping out? Please call the rectory Tasha Gamble at religiouseducation@heartofmary.net for more information. God bless you!

NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE AND POPE FRANCIS

With the continued lessening of the pandemic, Bishop McManus has given permission for the restoration of choirs and the exchange of the sign of peace, beginning September 1, 2021. At the same time, due to the continuing spread of COVID-19, pastors are advised to postpone the restoration of the distribution of Holy Communion under both kinds and to keep in mind the continuing presence of the COVID-19 variants and the vulnerability of un-vaccinated individuals.

Pope Francis, responding to the advice of Bishops throughout the world, has published his Apostolic Letter Traditionis Custodes ("Guardians of the Tradition"), by which he places the celebration of the older or "extraordinary form" of the Mass under the authority of diocesan Bishops. From now on, the Bishop of each Diocese will decide when and by whom these Masses will be celebrated in each diocese. The Pope has taken this decision in the interest of fostering unity in the Church

Pope Francis has refined the course set by Pope Benedict XVI on how the Church can show "paternal solicitude" toward those persons who have a special affection for the form of the Mass celebrated before the Second Vatican Council. All Popes since the Council have sought to respond with compassion and truth to the legitimate desires of the faithful.

The occasion of the publication of the Holy Father's Apostolic Letter provides each of us with an opportunity to humbly renew our appreciation of the Sacred Liturgy as a gift which we unworthily receive from the Church.

The Church gives us the words and rites to praise the Triune God. It is our job to pray them with our whole heart and soul, placing the sacrifice of our lives upon the altar where it will be joined to the perfect sacrifice which Christ, offered for us on the altar of the Cross. The celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of unity in the Church.

Blessings

Summarized by **Fr. Henry Ramirez**

OUR NEIGHBOR'S KITCHEN:

August 12: Pasta & Meatballs

Thank you Dawn & Juanita

If anyone is interested in helping with Our Neighbor's Kitchen, please contact Fr. Henry. Thank you in advance for your help!

THANK YOU:

Thank you to the Bob & Sue Polcari for generously offering to pay for the cleaning of the rugs in the church! Your kindness is greatly appreciated by all of us here at IHM!

FOOD DRIVE

The Otter River Council Knights of Columbus will be holding a food drive for the Templeton Food Pantry on Saturday August 7th from 8am until noon at St. Martins Church parking lot. Non perishable items as well as monetary contributions are welcome.

YARD SALE NEWS:

Thank you to Bob Betourney and all of his workers for setting up the yard sale.

It was a true success, profiting \$934!!

Thank you to all of you that came to support IHM!

THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

Tuesday, August 3

2:00 PM — Heal Winchendon

7:00PM — Bible Study (Library)

Wednesday, August 4

4:30-6:30 PM — Adoration (Church)



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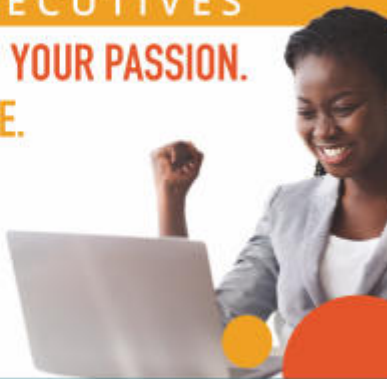
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