

ST. BERNARD



ROSARY – 1/2 HR. BEFORE MASS

MONDAY MARCH 22, 2010

8 AM DONALD RAY by his wife and family

TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2010

8 AM BETH HETHERMAN, in honor of her birthday, by the family

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2010

8 AM MASS AT ST. MARGARET MARY

THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 2010

8 AM RONALD FRISCHKORN by Catherine Dee

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 2010

8 AM ARTHUR H. TROMBLEY by the KofC #5414
6:30 PM Lenten Mass with Stations to follow

SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 2010

8 AM FRED and FRANCIS WILKOS by Austin and Mary Frain
4 PM SCOTT BALL by the family

SUNDAY, MARCH 28, 2010

8:00 AM TODD C. WALIER by the Bob Clark family
9:30 AM MADELINE JOBIN by the Jobin family
11:15 AM PAUL SULLIVAN by Bill and Liz Hetherman



ETERNAL LIGHT

burning this week in loving memory of

JOE IACOBUCCI

by Diane and Jon Farina

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Clairvaux Chapel: Sun 3-7PM, Mon-Fri 9AM-8PM

We pray for more Guardians, 2 for each hour

Contact: Pat Crisman 847-9596; Ernie Walsh 358-5515; Jo Johnson 352-8707; Peggy Hussey 352-8648

“Let us cry out to the Lord our God: in mercy, He will hear us!”



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL
SANCTUARY LAMP

burning this week for

Katherine Buraczynski 6th Anniversary
by her daughter, Jozefa Johnson

The World Youth Day Pilgrims will sponsor Coffee & Donuts after the 8 AM and 9:30 AM Mass on Palm Sunday with Krispy Kreme doughnuts for sale - \$.75 each or \$7.00 per dozen. Please come join us and support our World Youth Day Pilgrims. Doughnuts are also available for pre-order (Palm Sunday delivery) for \$6.00 per dozen.

CD Ministry

Great Catholic CDs are available at the entrances to St. Bernard, St. Margaret Mary, and St. Joseph Churches. This week's featured CD is Searching the Scriptures – The Gospel of John – Stephen Ray. Join biblical expert and Catholic apologist Stephen Ray on a personal pilgrimage through the pages of St. John's Gospel. Stephen draws from his extensive scholarship and his time spent in the Holy Land filming documentaries to bring forth many of the profound theological truths that lie beneath the surface of this gospel, and bring to light the many levels of revelation contained within. This exciting presentation will ignite your heart and soul with a burning passion for Christ and a deep conviction to zealously defend the Faith that has been handed down to us **\$3.00 donation requested to pay for CD and allow us to order new titles!**

Thank you to everyone who gave of their time, talent, and treasure in helping out at our spring cleaning day at St. Bernard's. We as a parish are so blessed by your generosity in preparing God's House for the Easter Season. Thank you for all that you do and continue to do. God bless you. Fr. Paul

LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 2010, 7:00 PM
ALL ARE WELCOME!

Children of Hope – Children and parents are encouraged to join us on the first and third Wednesdays of each month for 30 minutes of Eucharistic Adoration at St. Bernard Church. The next opportunity will be **Wednesday, April 7th, from 3:30-4 PM**. Children of all ages with parents are welcome to come! Please consider taking a break at the end of a busy school day to spend some time with the Lord in adoration.

PARISH SUPPORT

St. Bernard Church and Immaculate Conception Church
Combined

March 14, 2010

Envelopes \$6,884.00
Loose 1,328.00
TOTAL \$8,212.00

295 envelopes, average \$27.84

Catholic Relief Services/Home Missions: \$3,399.00

Thank you for your support. Thank you also to those who mailed in their contributions.

ST. MARGARET MARY



ROSARY-WEDNESDAY - 1/2 HR. BEFORE MASS

SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 2010

4 PM LEON AND MARY BERGERON by the Family

SUNDAY, MARCH 21, 2010

9 AM JOSEPH POISSON by the Knights of Columbus

3 PM PRIESTS AROUND THE WORLD AND THE HOLY FATHER

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2010

8 AM MR. AND MRS. DAY

SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 2010

4 PM SOULS IN PURGATORY

SUNDAY, MARCH 28, 2010

9 AM J. ROBERT VAIL by Richard and Irene Kreissle



ETERNAL LIGHT

burning this week in loving memory of:

JIM O'CONNOR

By his loving wife Dale

PARISH SUPPORT

March 7, 2010

Envelopes	\$2,300.00
Loose	<u>\$1,434.00</u>
Total	\$ 3,734.00

97 envelopes average \$23.71

Thank you for your support. Thank you also to those who mailed in their contributions.

Meetings: St. Margaret Mary

Knights of Columbus Officers Meeting April 1 cancelled

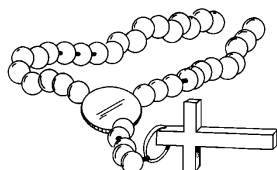
Knights of Columbus April 15 at 7:30 PM

Regular Meeting

Coffee Ministry March 21 Robert and Sharon Bedard

April 18: Ed and Helen Wilson

May 12: Pastoral Council



Please join us every
Wednesday Evening at 7:00pm
in the Chapel for Rosary.

Sponsored by the
K of C and NH CDA

Come join St. Margaret Mary, 35 Arch St., Keene, NH every Friday evening at 5:30 during Lent thru March 26 for the Stations of the Cross After the Stations, Knights of Columbus #5414 is hosting the chowder dinner starting at 6:00. The donation will be \$4 per person.

Mass and Men's Breakfast to Celebrate

Feast of St. Joseph

Bishop McCormack is inviting men of the Diocese of Manchester to Holy Mass and breakfast at St. Joseph Cathedral to celebrate the Feast of St. Joseph, patron of our diocese on Saturday, March 27, 2010 at 8:00 a.m. Please respond to Steve Tetreault for carpooling options by calling 762-4382

Knights of Columbus

Pancake Breakfast

March 28 Palm Sunday

Scrambled eggs, sausage, pancakes, orange and apple juice, donuts, coffee and tea will be served

Donation: Adults \$6, Children \$3, Family \$15

Holy Adoration at St. Margaret Mary will be cancelled on Good Friday, April 2 and will resume on May 7.

There will be a small meeting for the original chairs of the Holly Fair after the 9AM Mass on March 21.

OUR LADY OF HOPE- HOUSE OF PRAYER

400 Temple Road New Ipswich, NH 03071

603-878-2346

Jesus Quest April 16-18, 2010

A Women's Scripture Retreat. Come delve into the Word of God and allow God's Word to live in your heart. This retreat will focus on a particular Gospel passage and allow time for conferences, small group sharing, quiet reflection time, and silent meals. All women 18 and over are welcome. Treat yourself and take this opportunity to deepen your relationship with the Lord.

Presenter: Sister Lorraine Aucoin p.m.

Registration deadline: April 9, 2010

Court Josephine #319 of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas will have their annual layette collection at St. Margaret Mary and St. Bernard on the weekend of April 17 and 18. Members will be collecting baby clothing and related items all of which will be given to Cheshire Medical Center. Cash donations will be gratefully received and given to Care Net. We do ask that no baby furniture be donated because of the liability issue.

LATIN MASS

Sunday, March 21, 2010

3:00 PM

St. Margaret Mary Church

Rosary begins at 2:30 PM

MARY, QUEEN OF PEACE



SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 2010

4 PM PARISHIONERS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, MARCH 21, 2010

9AM PARISHIONERS INTENTIONS
 10:30AM STANLEY AND CECELIA AKSAMIT
 By Michelle Piurkowski Turner

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2010

8:30 AM MR. AND MRS. ERNEST DOLBEC
 By Michael Dolbec St. Joseph

SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 2010

4 PM PARISHIONERS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, MARCH 28, 2010

9AM CATHERINE AMIDON by Catholic Daughters
 Court Joseph 1773
 10:30AM BRADLEY J. GRIFFIN by the Sisters of Mercy

The committee co-chairs would like to give a huge thank you to the 25 volunteers that shopped, peeled, sliced, cooked, served, washed dishes/pots and pans, did trash detail, mopped, dusted, ran bingo and the 50/50 raffle, baked the dessert, and cleaned up. The word around our parish is that the evening was a huge success and we owe it to those willing volunteers who gave so much of their time to make this special St Patrick's Dinner such a fun evening for all. We also have to once again recognize the K of C and the Catholic Daughters of Mary Queen of Peace for their generous donations that allowed for most of the food purchases. Thank the Lord for volunteers and God bless you all! Sandy M and Judy B

On Holy Thursday, there will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the hall of St. Joseph Church from end of Mass until midnight. We are placing a sign-up sheet at the back of both churches for those who wish to spend an hour with the Lord.

CHURCH CLEANING AT ST. JOSEPH: March 27th, Coffee and donuts at 8:30; cleaning starts at 9:00. Bring buckets, mops, Murphy's soap, vacuums, and rags. 20 people are needed!



ETERNAL LIGHT

burning this week in loving memory of:
 FRANCES MILLER
 By Ted and Family

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION



SUNDAY, MARCH 21, 2010

11:00 AM ALTON SHOLES
 by Alberta Sholes

<u>PARISH SUPPORT</u>	
March 7, 2010	
Envelopes	\$1,295.00
Loose	\$ 418.00
Total	\$ 1,713.00
Development Fund: \$65.00	
87 envelopes average \$14.89	
<i>Thank you for your support. Thank you also to those who mailed in their contributions.</i>	

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Knights of Columbus: St. Joseph: April 5, 7:15PM
 Adoration: May 7: St. Joseph 3-6PM (Friday)
 May 7 St. Stanislaus 5-7 PM (Friday)
 NH Catholic Daughters: St. Joseph: April 6, 7:00 PM
 Catholic Society: St. Stanislaus April 7 7PM
 Pastoral Council: April 7

CORPORAL ALMS GIVING

As we did last year during Lent, I would like to call upon all of you to participate in a Corporal Alms Giving of food/personal items for the Helping Hand Pantry for those in need. Fasting helps us to identify with those less fortunate who go hungry and calls upon us to care for them. – Mimi Lafond

Readings for the Week of March 21, 2010

Sunday: Is 43:16-21/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11
Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Jn 8:12-20
Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9/Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Jn 8:31-42
Thursday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Friday: Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42
Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56
Next Sunday: Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14---23:56 or 23:1-49

HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULE

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 2010

St. Bernard Church: 7:00 PM

Mary, Queen of Peace at St. Joseph Church: 7:00 PM

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 2010

St. Margaret Mary Church: 7:00 PM

Mary, Queen of Peace at St. Stanislaus Church: 7:00 PM

EASTER VIGIL, APRIL 3, 2010

(The service takes place at sunset)

St. Bernard Church: 7:30 PM

Mary, Queen of Peace at St. Joseph Church: 7:30 PM

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 4, 2010

St. Bernard: 8:00, 9:30, 11:15 AM

St. Margaret Mary: 9:00 AM

Immaculate Conception: 11:00 AM

St. Joseph: 9:00 AM

St. Stanislaus: 10:30 AM

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE WALK FOR HUNGER: The interfaith annual walk for Hunger will take place Sunday, April 18. Please save the date. Details will follow in next week's bulletin.

LITTLE FLOWERS GIRLS CLUB

The Little Flowers Catholic Girls Club will be holding a little flower pen sale and raffle. We will be selling raffle tickets and pens after all the Masses at both St. Margaret Mary and St. Bernard this weekend, March 20 and 21, and the drawing will be on Palm Sunday. We have a variety of "Easter baskets" for raffle---come to the parish hall after the Masses to check them out! Proceeds raised from the sale of the pens and raffle will go towards supporting the girls on their pilgrimage to Stockbridge, Massachusetts for Divine Mercy Sunday, to purchase medals for their sashes, and to help pay for a Little Flowers day of prayer and fun in April. Thank you for your support

Evangelization Corner - "God seeks us where we are, not so that we stay there, but so that we may come to be where He is, so that we may get beyond ourselves." Pope Benedict XVI

The Knights of Columbus of the Fourth Degree John F Kennedy Assembly 0629 will hold a roast beef dinner on Saturday, April 24, 2010 at 6:00pm at St. Margaret Mary Church Hall. Tickets are \$10.00 each. **ONLY 100 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD.** Deadline for tickets is April 11, 2010. You can contact RICHARD C HAIGHT AT 603-357-9702. Tickets will be available at the Chowder Suppers at St Margaret Mary Church Hall and after Masses.

JOIN US IN ITALY! There are a few spaces left for a trip to Italy September 10-18, 2010. We will be visiting Rome (including Vatican City), Venice, Verona, Florence and Assisi. The cost is \$2,369, which INCLUDES roundtrip airfare, 7 buffet breakfasts, 3 three-course dinners, accommodations in 4-star hotels, various sightseeing tours, travel by luxury air-conditioned coach with reclining seats, services of a professional multi-lingual Tour Director, specialized local guide in Rome and Florence, stylish wallet, tour documents and a Welcome on Tour Book. If interested, contact Deacon Arnold at 767-1940 or JoAnn Fenton at 491-4042 as soon as possible.



EASTER FLOWERS: As in the past we are asking for your assistance in purchasing Easter flowers to decorate our churches. If you are interested, checks made payable to your church can be mailed to 161 Main Street, Keene NH 03431 or placed in the collection basket with your intentions (in memory or in honor of loved ones). Please use the Flower Offering envelopes at the entrances of the churches or a white envelope marked "EASTER FLOWERS". The names of those you wish to have remembered will appear in the Bulletin after Easter.

ANNUAL PRO-LIFE SEMINAR. The N.H. Knights of Columbus Pro-Life Seminar will be held on Sunday 04/18/10 at St. Joseph Cathedral church hall(Pine Street in Manchester) from noon until 4:00 P.M. Our guest speaker is Jeffrey Karls, President of Magdalen College in Warner N.H. The topic of his presentation is "Promoting Faith and Family in New Hampshire. All are welcome to this event which begins with a light luncheon and short talks by representatives from various respect life organizations in the state. Written and audio-visual materials will be available from these groups. For further information and to register you need to either call Ron Di Stasio at 595-7837 or send an e-mail to rddistasio@comcast.net. The deadline is Tuesday 04/13

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



Jesus bent down and began to write on the ground with his finger. But when they continued asking him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let the one among you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." - Jn 8:6b-7

Catholic Faith Formation Center

603-352-7662

Address: Clairvaux Center, 161 Main St., Suite 118
Keene, NH 03431

E-mail: cffc-keene@myfairpoint.net

www.catholicfaithformationcenter.org

Regular Hours - Monday through Friday 10:00am to 5:00pm (weather permitting). If school is cancelled, the Center will be closed, but we will take phone calls. Evening programs will depend on the road conditions.

Praying the Lenten Sunday Gospels – continues at...

St. Margaret Mary Church – light breakfast provided
Wednesday mornings (Mar 24, and 31) – 8:45-10:15 am

Needed: Book – Conversing with God in Lent by Stephen Binz

Catholic Moral Theology – A course based on the Catechism of the Catholic Church and the writings and teachings of Popes John Paul II and Benedict XVI continues at the Clairvaux Center on Thursdays (March 18, 25) – 7:00-8:30pm.

Presenter: Fr. Paul Boudreau, Associate Pastor

Fee: \$10.00

Upcoming Program – Bible Basics – A three-session introduction to the Sacred Scriptures. During the study, we will learn about the basic structure of the Bible, how the Bible came to be in its current form, the literary genres represented in the Bible, and how to read the Bible as a Catholic. Please bring a Catholic Bible to class – and if you don't have one, Bibles will be available for purchase at reasonable prices.

Presenter: Joy Davis

Location: Catholic Faith Formation Center

Schedule:

Session 1: either Tues Mar. 23 or Wed Mar. 24 7-8:30pm

Session 2: either Tues Apr. 6 or Wed Apr. 7 7-8:30pm

Session 3: either Tues Apr. 13 or Wed Apr. 14 7-8:30pm

PENANCE SERVICE FOR LENT

March 21 2:00 PM Immaculate Conception, Troy

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

St. Margaret Mary: Fridays, 5:30 PM, followed by chowder supper

St. Bernard: Fridays, Mass at 6:30 PM followed by Stations of the Cross

Mary, Queen of Peace: St. Joseph, Wednesday March 24 at 7:00PM

Immaculate Conception: Sundays after Mass

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Our parishes will begin a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Atrium (classroom) in September 2010 at St. Margaret Mary Church. Initially this will be Level I-for ages 3-6-but eventually we hope to be able to offer Levels II (ages 6-9) and III (ages 9-12). Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori method of religious education. Seven members of our parishes have been participating in 90 hours of training to become CGS Catechists, and we are excited to begin this program in the fall. In order to begin a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Atrium, we need help from YOU – the parish community – as well. Many items are needed to furnish the classroom. If you are good at crafts, woodworking, sewing, working with clay, etc. we need your gifts and talents! Please contact Joy Davis at 352-2861 or email at stbernardyouth@myfairpoint.net to see how you can help!

OUTREACH MEETING: Wednesday, April 14th, 9:00 AM, Clairvaux Meeting Room for ALL Eucharistic Ministers who serve the sick and homebound in their homes, hospitals or nursing homes, and volunteers in the DISMAS and Bereavement ministries.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE to join a special Holy Week Choir that will provide the music for the three Holy Week Services, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday. We will be rehearsing on Thursdays during Lent, from 7:00-9:00 PM at St. Bernard Church. Come join us and help make the Holy Week services special.

TRAVELING LIGHT PRAYER GROUP: welcomes all in our community to come to sing, to praise, to share Scripture and fellowship, and to intercede for your own or others needs and our churches' needs. March's intention is the community of St. Bernard in Keene. We meet Thursdays, 7pm, in the St. Bernard Parish Hall. Spiritual Director: Deacon Arnold Gustafson; contact person: Joy Davis, 352-2861.

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Pilgrimage To the Holy Land November 8-17, 2010
\$2775 (excluding taxes and tips). Take this wonderful journey that will immerse you into the sights and sounds of the Holy Land with Father Michael Gendron. Some highlights include: Caesarea Maritima, Mount of Beatitudes, Cana, Nazereth, Mt. Tabor, Jericho, The Jordan River, Bethlehem, Mt. of Olives, Garden of Gethsemane and The Church of The Holy Sepulcher. Leaving from Manchester Airport. For a flyer or more information, contact, Rita and Lew Goody at 800-332-4659 or randlgoody@unitours.com

