

# Saint Anthony of Padua Parish

Paroisse Saint Antoine de Padoue  
172 Belmont Street Manchester, NH 03103

## PALM SUNDAY



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### Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am (français)

9:30am

11:00am

### Weekday Masses:

Mon.- Thurs.: 8:00am

### Confessions:

Saturday: at 2:30pm and by appointment

### Holy Days:

Day: 8:00am -7:00pm

### Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 8:00am – 4:00pm

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# PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSIONS OF THE LORD MARCH 25, 2018



**SAT: MARCH 24** Blessed Oscar Romero, Bishop & Martyr Ez 37:21-28 Jn 11:45-56

**4:00PM** GERALD LASCELLE by Raymond Brisette  
LORRAINE BISSONNETTE by her sister Ghislaine  
MARY HUGGETT from daughter & family  
CECILE COUTURIER (1<sup>st</sup> anni) by the family  
ROSE LAPLANTE (15<sup>th</sup> anni) by Roger & Jeannette

**SUN: MARCH 25** PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (red) Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Mk 14:1 15:47 or 15:1-39

**8:00AM** SADIE OUELLET (23<sup>rd</sup> anni) by the family  
MONIQUE BARRIERE by Gaston & Jeanne D'Arc  
LAURETTE BILODEAU by Bob & Simone Goulet

**9:30AM** GEORGE UPHAM by his family  
CHARLES & MURIEL THIBODEAU by Carl & Marilyn  
IN THANKSGIVING TO ST. JOSEPH by DGC

DAN LEMARIER by his mother  
WILLIAM F. (BILL) KELLEY JR. (1<sup>st</sup> anni) by his sister Sheila & family

**11:00AM** PAULINE BULLARD by Jeannette & Roger  
HENRY GAGNE (33<sup>rd</sup> anni) by Claire & Richard

**MON: MARCH 26** (purple) Is 42:1-7 Jn 12:1-11

**8:00AM** THE BOUCHARD FAMILY

**TUES: MARCH 27** (purple) Is 49:1-6 Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

**8:00AM** JOSEPH & LORETTE RZASA

**WED: MARCH 28** (purple) Is 50:4-9a Mt 26:14-25

**8:00AM** JOSEPH & RITA MARTEL

**THURS: MARCH 29** Mass of the Lord' Supper (white)

**NO 8AM MASS OR ADORATION**

(white) Ex 12:1-8, 11;14/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15

**7:00PM** FOR PEACE IN OUR WORLD

**FRI: MARCH 30** Good Friday The Passion of the Lord  
**NO 8AM MASS**

(red) Is 52:13 53:12 Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9 Jn 18:1 19:42

**7:00PM** PASSION OF THE LORD

**SAT: MARCH 31** Holy Saturday

**NO CONFESSIONS**

**NO 4PM MASS**

(white) Gn 1;1-2:2 or 1;1, 26-31a Ex 14:15 15:1 Is 55:1-11

**7:30PM** EASTER VIGIL

**SUN: APRIL 1** Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord (white)

Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8 Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7

**8:00AM** DANIELLE ROY by her husband Rejean

**9:30AM** RITA PROVENCHER (21<sup>st</sup> anni) by the family

GERARD & GISELE LAVOIE by Danielle

ROSAIRE DODIER by the family

ERIN & LILY UPHAM by Barbara Upham

**11:00AM** BILL MOQUIN by the estate

MARGUERITE DAMERAN by the D'Souza family

BLANCHETTE FAMILY ANNIVERSARIES by the family

## Week-end of 3/18/2018

|  |            |
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| Offertory                                      | \$ 4962.00 |
| Catholic Education                             | 30.00      |
| Easter Flowers                                 | 630.00     |
| Catholic Relief Services                       | 39.00      |
| Holy Land/Good Friday                          | 40.00      |
| Fuel   | 60.00      |
| 60/40 Net                                      | 25.80      |
| Nickels for Neighbors                          | 1.34       |
| 60/40 Winner: Florence LeMarier                | \$17.20    |
| Tithing St. Anthony School                     | \$74.43    |
| <b>Thank you for your continued generosity</b> |            |

## THE WEEK AHEAD

**SUN: March 25**

**8:00-9:15AM** Religious Education -School

**MON: March 26** Diocesan Day of Reconciliation

**8:30-10AM** Confession Church

**5-7PM** Confession Church

**TUES: March 27**

**7:30PM** Rosary Chapel

**7:00PM** Choir Church

**THURS: March 29**

**NO 8AM MASS NO ADORATION**

**SUN: April 1**

**NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

## DIOCESAN DAY OF RECONCILIATION Monday March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018

The Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation (also known as confession) is one of two sacraments of healing. The Sacrament of Penance is God's gift to us so any sin committed after Baptism is forgiven. It gives us the opportunity to repent and return to good graces and friendship with God and the Church.

St. Anthony will have confession from  
8:30-10AM and 5-7PM.

**ST. VERONICA'S ALTAR LINEN GUILD**  
Week of March 25<sup>th</sup> Cecile Lamere



The **Sanctuary Lamp** will be lit the week of **March 25<sup>th</sup> – March 31<sup>st</sup>** for **Rev. Fr. Thomas Lawless**



## HOLY WEEK

**Holy Thursday: March 29<sup>th</sup>**  
NO 8am Mass  
NO ADORATION  
Mass of the Lord's Supper at  
7pm

Adoration to follow until 10pm

**Good Friday: March 30<sup>th</sup>**  
NO 8am Mass  
Stations of the Cross at 3pm  
Passion of the Lord at 7pm

**Easter Vigil: March 31<sup>st</sup>**  
NO 4pm Mass  
Easter Vigil at 7:30pm



**Easter Sunday: April 1<sup>st</sup>**  
Masses 8am (French)  
9:30 & 11am

### GOOD FRIDAY: HOLY LAND COLLECTION

Provides funding for support of the Holy Places. Above all, for those pastoral, charitable, educational and social works which the Church supports in the Holy land for the welfare of their Christian brethren. Thank you for your generosity!

### LADIES OF ST. ANNE

#### Recruitment Weekend:

Ladies...You're Invited to join the St. Anne Society at their April 10<sup>th</sup> meeting! Come check us out. We will have representatives at all masses the weekend of April 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> to talk to..

#### Regular Meeting: St. Anne Society

Date: Tuesday April 10<sup>th</sup>

Mass: 6pm

Meeting: 7pm followed by a night of whist  
Communion Supper at Belmont Hall: Tickets will be available. Cost \$23 (Baked Stuffed Chicken, Baked Stuffed Haddock, Country Baked Ham)

### CHRISTIAN SERVICE COMMITTEE

Will have coffee and refreshments after the Easter Vigil on Saturday March 31<sup>st</sup> in Tetu Hall.

## Palm Sunday



### A TIME TO FOLLOW JESUS

*"If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me." Luke 9:23*

Holy week begins with the festive procession with olive branches as all the people welcome Jesus. But this week continues to the mystery of Jesus' death and resurrection. But what does living Holy Week mean to us? What does following Jesus on his journey to Calvary on his way to the cross and the resurrection mean? In his earthly mission Jesus walked the roads of the holy land. He called 12 regular people to stay with him, to share his journey and to continue his mission. He chose them from among the people full of faith in God's promises. He spoke to all without distinction: the great and the lowly, the rich young man and the poor widow, the powerful and the weak. He brought God's mercy and forgiveness. He healed, comforted, understood, gave hope, brought to all the presence of God who cares for every man and every woman, just as a good father and a good mother care for each of their children. God does not wait for us to go to him but it is he who moves towards us, without calculation, without quantification. That is what God is like. God always takes the first step, God comes towards us.

*What cross might Jesus be asking me to take up now in my life?*

### PARISH NURSE RESUMES

Thursday April 5<sup>th</sup> 9-11AM in Tetu Hall  
Massage Thursday April 12<sup>th</sup> 9-11AM.  
Please call 663-8004 to schedule your massage. A 15 minute massage is \$10

### BIBLE STUDY

There is NO Bible Study this week.

The next session is  
April 4<sup>th</sup> at 6pm in Tetu Hall.

**All are Welcome!**



## School News 2018

### Peeking Into Pre-Kindergarten...

Pre-K has been busy getting ready for the Science Fair. We are learning about the four seasons of the year. We are doing arts and crafts, reading books and making puzzles for each season. The kids are having fun visiting the different seasons and living through the special events of apple picking, Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

In religion we have been preparing for Easter. The children have enjoyed reading Bible Stories about Jesus' life. The children are in awe of Jesus' Miracles.

In Math we are working on numbers 6 - 10 and numerical order. The children continue to practice writing their numbers and letters.

We are all looking forward to the season of spring!

Mrs. Halle and Mrs. Raymond

### Box Tops for Education

So far we have collected \$500.50 for the 2017/18 school year. For being a small school, we think that is great! Please keep clipping and saving! Our next submission deadline will be November 1, 2018.



### CONTRIBUTION REPORT

If you receive parish envelopes and would like paperwork with your contribution information for tax purposes for last year, please fill out the form below, and place it in the collection basket. The report will be sent to you.

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### MASS in support of those suffering from INFERTILITY, MISCARRIAGE, OR LOSS

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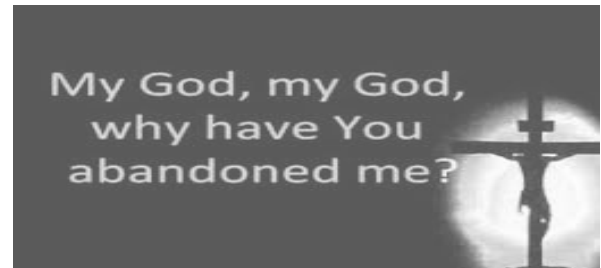
When: April 24, 2018 @ 6pm

Where: St. Joseph Cathedral Chapel

A lite reception will follow mass

### WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"Morning after morning he opens my ear that I may hear." As we celebrate Palm Sunday, let us keep our ears open to the love from our spouses and God by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are April 21-22, 2018 in Brewster MA and May 19-20, 2018 in Warner, NH. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>.



We at St. Anthony Parish extend our hearts in a warm welcome to you, whether a long term resident or newly arrived in the Parish. We thank God that you are with us. If you have not registered, or would like to update registration information, please fill out this form. Kindly place in the collection basket or mail it to the Rectory Office.

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