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Richard Brown

Sunday, June 15, 9:15 a.m.

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Trinity Sunday

For the soul (†) of Fr. Stanley J. Piwowar
requested by Alizabeth and Tim Roberts

Wednesday, June 18, 2025, 5:00 pm

For the People

Sunday, June 22, 9:15 a.m.

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Corpus Christi Sunday

For the souls (†) of John and Lucille Merchant
requested by their daughter and family

Today's 2nd collection is for
Father Sebastian's Order, Heralds of Good News



The Most Holy Trinity

Sunday, June 8, 2025	79 souls
Offertory	\$543.00
Fuel	\$403.00
Father's Day Intentions	\$122.00
Votive Candles	\$8.00
TOTAL at Mass 6-8-25	\$1,076.00
Parish Giving Online	
Offertory	583.06
Church Maintenance	\$75.36
Fuel	\$49.58
TOTAL ONLINE	\$708.00
TOTAL at Mass and Online	\$1,784.00

**New Hampshire Catholic Appeal:
Future of Our Faith II, Jesus, I trust in You**

Our parish continues to work toward our parish goal for the NHCA of **\$9,116.00**. To date, thanks to the generosity of so many, we have raised **\$3,501.00** with a **pledge of \$200.00** for a **total of \$3,701.00**. The NHCA supports the ministries such as the increasing needs of parishes, our community, Catholic schools, retired clergy, seminarians, and much more. If you have not donated yet to the appeal, please consider donating, as 90% of every dollar raised above the goal will be rebated to the parish to be used for the needs of our parish. Thank you for your support as we continue to show God's mercy to all who are impacted by these ministries and beyond. Thank you for your support of these important needs and ministries of the Church.

**Please make checks payable to NHCA
and that they are correctly written.**



We need the support of all our parish families to reach our parish goal. To donate or learn more, go to www.catholicnh.org/nhca



**PLEASE MAKE SURE
all checks are correctly
written.**

Check the date, the amount of the check (both words and numerals) and that it is signed. Thank you!

**UPCOMING 2nd COLLECTIONS
June 22: Church Maintenance**

June 29: Peter's Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including the charitable works of Pope Francis. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters.

www.obolodisanietro.valen.html

Grand Annual Fund

**October 2024 - October 2025
\$2,553.50**

**We thank the donors who
contributed to this year's Fund
since October 1, 2024.**

The Sanctuary Lamp burns 24/7 near the tabernacle in all Catholic Churches in honor of the True Presence of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

**It burns this week for the deceased
members of St. Mary's Class of '65**
requested by Larry and Jean Duval.



Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet

Envelopes are available in the back of the church. Intentions may be made for living and deceased fathers. They will be placed on the altar for Father's Day and will remain throughout the month of June.

**Mass, Sanctuary Lamp &
Candelabrum Intentions**

Schedule with Sherri Smith
in the Church Hall after
Sunday Mass or by email to
stjosephsclaremont@gmail.com

**The Month of June is Dedicated to the
MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS.**

The Sacred Heart Candelabrum will be lit on the side altar on Sundays in June.

It is lit today for

Cliff Bonneville and Robert Duval
requested by Larry and Jean Duval



Feast Days and Memorials

June 19: St Romuald, Abbot 950-1027

This future saint's life was dramatically changed after he witnessed his father's killing of a family member in a duel over property. Horrified, he rejected his previously dissolute and wasted youth by fleeing to a monastery in northern Italy. For thirty years he travelled throughout his native land, founding monasteries and hermitages. The most famous was the monastery of the Camaldoli in Tuscany where he began the Order of the Camaldolese Benedictines. In later life Romuald's own father became a monk, and was kept faithful by the encouragement of his son.

June 21: Memorial of St Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

Growing up in Italian courts and army camps, Aloysius was expected to inherit a princely title and perhaps even become a military hero. But at a very young age he experienced a spiritual awakening and was determined to lead a life of religious service. Both churchmen and laypeople tried to convince him to abandon that choice and accept his royal birthright. His determination prevailed and he entered the Society of Jesus. In 1591, a plague struck Rome and Aloysius helped to nurse the patients in the Jesuit hospital. He eventually caught the disease himself, with a lingering fever and weakness that made it difficult for him to even get out of bed. He remained prayerful up to the time of his death at the age of 23.

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Sunday, June 15, 2025

Prv 8: 22-31; Ps 8: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9;
Rom 5: 1-5; Jn 16: 12-15

Monday, June 16, 2025

2 Cor 6: 1-10; Ps 98: 1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4;
Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday, June 17, 2025

2 Cor 8: 1-9; Ps 146: 2, 5-6ab, 6c- 7,
8-9a; Mt 5: 43-48

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

2 Cor 9: 6-11; Ps 112: 1bc-2, 3-4, 9;
Mt 6: 1-6, 16-18

Thursday, June 19, 2025

2 Cor 11: 1-11; Ps 111: 1b-2, 3-4, 7-8;
Mt 6: 7-15

Friday, June 20, 2025

2 Cor 11: 18, 21-30; Ps 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7;
Mt 6:19-23

Saturday, June 21, 2025

2 Cor 12: 1-10; Ps 34: 8-9, 10-11, 12-13;
Mt 6: 24-34



MARY QUEEN OF APOSTLES PROVINCE HERALDS OF GOOD NEWS

(A Missionary Society of Apostolic Life of Pontifical Right)



Heralds of Good News

An indigenous Missionary Society

Founded in Eluru Diocese in India in 1984, it became an Institute of Pontifical Right on May 5, 1999.

The specific aim of the society is the promotion of vocations to the priesthood, the training of seminarians and the supply of zealous and hardworking missionaries to parishes that experience a shortage of priests due to the lack of local vocations.

Right from its inception, the society was sending missionaries both to dioceses in India and abroad.

Fr. Sebastian serves as Mission Superior for *Mary, Queen of Apostles Province* here in the United States.

He is in charge of over forty priests. This weekend St. Joseph Church is having a special collection for HGN Seminarians, as was done for the last two years. Our parish, as well as many others in New Hampshire, are blessed by

HGN priests' willingness to come to our state and serve Our Lord here.

Please be as generous as you can to St. Joseph Church's contribution

to the work of Father Sebastian's religious brothers.

If you prefer to write a check, please make it out to St. Joseph Church with HGN in the subject line

and the parish will write a check for our total donation.

Unkaluku Nanri Thank you!

**NEW HAMPSHIRE CATHOLIC APPEAL:
FUTURE OF OUR FAITH II:
JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU!**

The New Hampshire Catholic Appeal (NHCA) is a combined campaign and fundraising effort for the parishes and ministries of the Church in New Hampshire.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Does the money raised by the NHCA pay for financial settlements in cases of abuse?

No. Funding for financial settlements has come from insurance policies, a specific non-restricted insurance fund, diocesan savings, and diocesan investment income. All funds raised from the NHCA will be used to support the ministries listed in last week's bulletin.

How much does it cost to run the Appeal?

The Office of Development and Communications will make every effort to keep costs down in marketing and managing the NHCA. Good stewardship of donations is essential to any Catholic fundraising program. The first years' administrative costs were 10% which included first year set up costs and fixed costs of bringing all 88 parishes into the appeal and is on a downward trend to 9% and hopefully further. The intent of the Diocese is to keep the costs at 5-7% or lower in future years. Expenses are accounted for in the publication of an annual report for the NHCA –this report includes an accounting of how all dollars raised were used. All NHCA donors receive this report and copies are sent to parishes. The expenses include the cost of producing and mailing the informational materials for the Appeal, as well as for the processing of all gifts to the NHCA.



THANK YOU
to everyone who
helped with last Sunday's
Coffee Hour, to those who
brought something to
share, and all who came
to enjoy the food and
fellowship!

PARISH REGISTRATION

To make sure our Parish Records are up to date for 2025,
please check after Mass to make sure your registration form is in the green notebook in the Church Hall.
You can download and print out a Registration Form from our website or get one from Sherri Smith after Mass.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Halford Jones whose funeral was held here last Wednesday.

Roman Catholic Homebound Ministry

**Homebound visits:
2nd Monday of every month**

If you or someone you know would like to receive a visit from Father Sebastian, call Steve Denis at 603-558-5209. Father is assisted by one of the Lay Ministers of the Holy Eucharist.

SAFETY AND SECURITY

Please remember to lock your car doors when attending any event in the church. Once Mass begins on Sunday morning, the side door of the Church facing the Rectory will be locked. The front door will remain unlocked for any late arrivals. An Usher will be inside the Church to assist you.



HAPPY FATHERS DAY

**to all the fathers, grandfathers, uncles, and family friends
who nurture the children in our parish family!**

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

**WELCOME ALUMNI OF ST. MARY and STEVENS
HIGH SCHOOLS!**

MAY GOD BLESS YOU AT THIS SPECIAL TIME OF YEAR!

PRAYER LIST



Rev. Msgr. Donald Gilbert
Fr. John Loughnane
Mandy Albanese
John Arsenault
Ashley Booher
Brooke
Jean Brown
John Casey
Elissa Coburn
April Colle
Jean Drena
Emma
David Farrar
Carol Girard
Isabella Gowell
Gianna Gregorutti
Stephen Grogan
Deborah Hemingway
Christine Hunter

Samuel Januszewski
Kallie Knight
Tina Lange
Carol Logan
The Lord family
Karen Ouellette
Linda Patch
Brenda Ruest
Janet Ruest
Sonya Sheehan
Bob St. Aubin
Darlene St. Aubin
Barbara Trask
Becky Trombley
Chee Chee Tyrrell
Janice Vilgats
Joshua White

**Hymns for
Trinity Sunday**

Entrance Hymn: #281
"Holy, Holy, Holy!
Lord God Almighty"

Gloria (English)
Supplement 106

Offertory Hymn: #278
"How Wonderful the
Three-in-One"

Communion: (Choir)

Recessional Hymn: #279
"O God, Almighty Father"



**CHOIR
REHEARSAL**

Wed. June 18
6:30 pm
All are welcome to

**MASS READINGS:
C/574**
Memorial
Acclamation:
**"Save us, Savior of
the World"**

CONFESSIONS
St. Mary Church
Fridays:
After 9:00 am Mass
Saturdays:
Before 4pm Mass

Diocesan Vocation Awareness
"We boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God."
How do you hope to share in God's glory...
as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life?
Contact the Vocation Office
(603) 663-0196 cmartel@rcbm.org

Spanish Mass
St Mary Church
TODAY
Sunday June 15
5:00 pm

JUBILEE YEAR 2025
NEW HAMPSHIRE EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE

Pilgrims processing with the Blessed Sacrament are shown here on Hampton Beach, June 6, Day 20 of the NHEP.

You may recognize Sister Mary Agnes Dombroski on the right carrying a candle in the procession. She and her fellow Sisters from their order, Daughters of Mary, Mother of Healing Love, are among the Pilgrims making the 33 day journey throughout our state.

More information and photos can be seen on their website. <https://www.motherofhealinglove.org/news/nh-pilgrimage>

Photos taken when the NHEP reached Claremont will be shared in next week's bulletin.



PLEASE BE WARY OF SPAM EMAILS & TEXTS

that claim to be sent by Fr. Sebastian.
Father does not generally contact parishioners this way. Please delete them and definitely do not open any attachments.

Copies of past bulletins are on a small table as you enter the church hall.
Ask Sharon Wood if you'd like an issue older than what is there.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Please send information for the June 15 bulletin by Tues. June 10 to stjosephsclaremont@gmail.com or call Sharon Wood at 603-542-6454.

St Joseph Church Bulletin can be seen at <https://church-bulletin.org/?id=9021> or at the link on our website at stjosephclaremont.org

If you use email and would like to be placed on the Parish email list to receive timely updates to our church schedule, please send us an email. stjosephsclaremont@gmail.com

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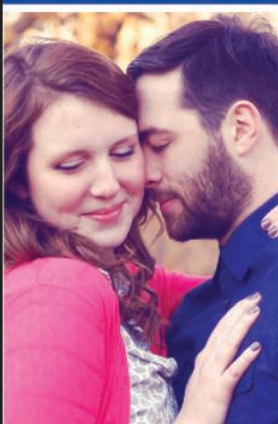
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