

## Sacred Heart Parish

2 Hough Street, Lebanon, NH

### Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00pm Vigil  
Sunday 8:00 and 9:30am

Monday 8:00am  
Tuesday 5:30pm  
Wednesday 12:10pm  
Thursday 8:00am

### Confession

Saturday 2:45 - 3:30pm

### Eucharistic Adoration

First Tuesdays 4:15 - 5:15pm  
Third Wednesdays following 12:10pm Mass

### Rosary

Monday 8:30am in church & 6pm on Zoom  
Tuesday 5:15pm (First Tuesdays at 4:30pm)  
Thursday 7:30am  
First Saturdays 3:30pm

# Fifth Sunday of Lent

## April 6, 2025



*“She said, ‘No one, Lord.’ And Jesus said,  
‘Neither do I condemn you;  
go, and do not sin again.’”*

## St. Helena Parish

36 Shaker Hill Road, Enfield, NH

### Mass Schedule

Sunday 5:30pm

### Confession

Sunday 5:00 - 5:15pm

## St. Mary's Mission Church

1157 US Route 4, Canaan, NH

### Mass Schedule

Sunday 10:00am

### Confession

Sunday 9:30 - 9:45am

### Rosary

First and Third Sundays 9:30am

# Mass Intentions

## *Sacred Heart* *April 5 - 13, 2025*

*The Sanctuary Candle Burns for*  
*Mary Agnes Hudson*  
*by Des and Shirley Hudson*

**Saturday Vigil / Sunday: April 5 / 6**  
*Fifth Sunday of Lent*

4:00pm The Intentions of Charmaine Martin  
by Herman and Sharon Martin  
8:00am Steve and Madeleine Marchewka  
9:30am Earl Jette  
by Tom Elverson and Deb Carney

**Monday: April 7**

*St. John Baptist de la Salle, Priest*

8:00am Celebrant's Intention

**Tuesday: April 8**

5:30pm The Intentions of Timothy Ashe  
by Herman and Sharon Martin

**Wednesday: April 9**

12:10pm Becky Flynn by The Isabelles

**Thursday: April 10**

8:00am James and Mary Mottola, Mom and Dad  
by Carol Quirk

**Saturday Vigil / Sunday: April 12 / 13**  
*Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*

4:00pm The Intentions of Elizabeth Hardt  
by Mom and Dad

8:00am Mary & Ignaczy Swieszkowski  
by Sophie and Bernie Konicki

9:30am George Maleski by Alice Maleski

## *St. Helena and St. Mary's Mission* *April 6 and 13, 2025*

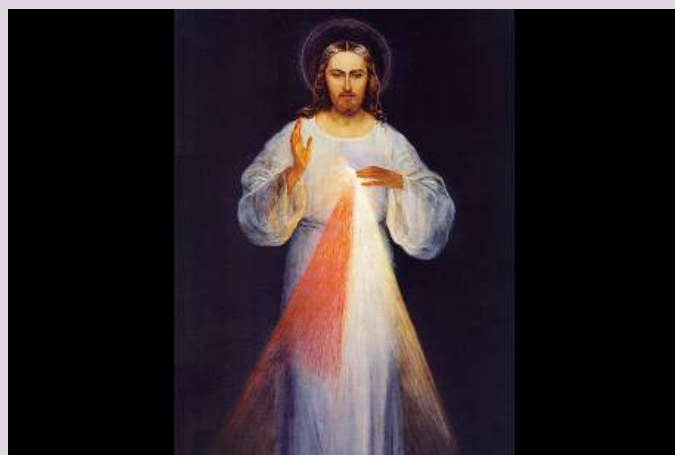
**Sunday: April 6**  
*Fifth Sunday of Lent*

10:00am (St. Mary's) Wilfrid Dauphinais  
by Rene Dauphinais  
5:30pm Pro Populo

**Sunday: April 13**

*Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*

10:00am (St. Mary's) **NO MASS**  
5:30pm Pro Populo



## **THE DIVINE MERCY NOVENA** **begins Good Friday, April 18**

Prayer booklets are available at all Sacred Heart entrances beginning this weekend. Please consider spending just ten minutes a day for nine days preparing your heart to receive the outpouring of our Lord's unfathomable mercy.

*Jesus, I trust in You!*



## **NIGHT PRAYER** **(COMPLINE)**

Join us for Night Prayer at Sacred Heart every Tuesday in Lent and Eastertide following our 5:30pm Mass.

*Now at the daylight's ending, We turn, O God,  
to You: Send forth your Holy Spirit,  
Our spirit now renew.*

*With watchful eyes, O Shepherd, Look down  
upon your sheep; Stretch forth your hands  
in healing and close our eyes in sleep.*

*Pray* FOR THE SICK  
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# HOLY WEEK

## **Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord - April 13**

Vigil Mass at Sacred Heart, April 12 - 4:00pm

Mass at Sacred Heart - 8:00 and 9:30am

Mass at St. Helena - 5:30pm

## **Monday of Holy Week - April 14**

Mass at Sacred Heart - 8:00am

Adoration - 8:30 to 9:30am

Confession - 8:45 to 9:15am

## **Tuesday of Holy Week - April 15**

Chrism Mass at St. Joseph Cathedral, Manchester - 11:00am

*All are invited.*

## **Spy Wednesday - April 16**

No daily Mass this day.

## **Holy Thursday - April 17**

Mass at Sacred Heart 7:00pm

Adoration at Altar of Repose following Mass until 9:00pm

## **Good Friday - April 18**

*Stations of the Cross:* Sacred Heart - Noon, St. Helena - 6:00pm

*Good Friday Service:* Sacred Heart - 3:00pm

## **Holy Saturday - April 19**

*Blessing of the Easter Foods:* Sacred Heart - 9:30am

*Easter Vigil Mass:* Sacred Heart - 7:35pm

## **Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord - April 20**

Mass at St. Helena - 7:30am

Mass at Sacred Heart - 8:00 and 9:30am

## **Easter Brunch Sponsored by the Sacred Heart and Canaan / Enfield Knights of Columbus**

Sacred Heart Parish Hall following 9:30am Mass

*All are welcome!*



# Parish Ministries



**K - 8 and RCIA  
CLASSES meet this  
Sunday, April 6.**

## THIRD ORDER of MARY

We meet this Sunday, April 6,  
at noon in Sacred Heart's vestibule.  
All are welcome!



## MONDAY NIGHT ROSARY on ZOOM, 6:00pm

Join your prayers to those  
of others as together we pray  
the Sorrowful Mysteries.

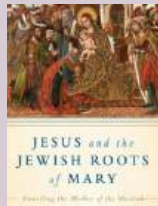
Zoom sign-in information can be found on our  
parish website. Don't forget to join our Flocknote  
group to receive all updates!

## BOOK GROUP

Tuesday, April 8

Join us from 6 - 7pm  
in the Parish Office.

We'll be discussing Brant Pitre's  
*Jesus and the Jewish Roots of Mary*. Be sure to sign  
up on Flocknote to see all messages including last  
minute changes.



## MEN of ST. JOSEPH

*All men are welcome to join us!*

Next Saturday, April 12  
8:00 to 9:30am

Youth Ministry Room  
Lower Level of Parish Office Bldg.

**BIBLE STUDY**  
meets next on April 27.



**PRAYER SHAWLS** are available  
at the entrances of all our churches.  
Please take a shawl to someone who  
could use a physical reminder that he  
or she is being prayed for.



Most of us are blessed to recall consecrated sisters, priests, and/or deacons who have inspired us, encouraged us, comforted us, and led us to trust in Jesus and His Church. We are grateful — rightly so. It is traditional in Lent to pray for those consecrated people, especially if they are deceased.

Scriptural basis for praying for the dead is found in 2 Maccabees, Matt 12:32, Luke 23:43, 1 Peter 3:11-15, 2 Tim 1:18, and Hebrews 12:29. 2 Maccabees, quoted by our Lord, was written around 300 BC after the events it describes and was part of the Septuagint Hebrew canon until it was putatively removed by rabbis, out of fear and anger. This occurred after the rabbinical Council of Jamnia around 90 AD amid Roman violence.

Luther removed both 1 and 2 Maccabees from his version of the Bible. He did not believe that prayer for the dead mattered. Further he protested that paying a stipend for candles or Masses was an attempt at “paying” for salvation. The Catholic Church, however, believes that the deceased are alive, albeit in a non-earthly form. It is our solemn obligation to pray for those souls in Purgatory as we do on All Souls Day or whenever we ask that a Mass be offered for the soul of a loved one, like the aforementioned sisters, priests, or deacons. We can and should pray for them as we pray for our friends still on earth.

Furthermore the Catholic Church proclaimed in two Church documents as early as 413 AD that nobody can “earn” salvation. Earning implies a contract wherein God is “required” to save a person who has fulfilled an act of the law. The Church refutes that. Rather, the Church talks about being “in God’s Favor” for the probability of receiving grace if we place our hearts and actions into forms that God has specifically stated He values — such as humility as well as other dispositions noted in the Beatitudes. It is not a “deal” with God. It was NOT originally meant to designate “contractual earning” but it has evolved into that concept erroneously, becoming a source of confusion among Christians. The Catholic Church has tried to clarify that paying for prayers and Masses DOES NOT EARN fulfillment of those prayer or Mass requests. We can only ask and hope for grace that comes from God’s voluntary will in His own time, place, and manner.

Therefore let’s pray for priests and consecrated religious people who inspired our Faith. Consider requesting Masses for them, NOT to pay for their salvation, but to support the Church and her leaders. Remember your leaders, those who spoke to you the word of God; consider the outcome of their life, and imitate their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Do not be led away by diverse and strange teachings; for it is well that the heart be strengthened by grace... from Hebrews 13.

# Parish Announcements

## WELCOME, THOSE NEWLY BAPTIZED at SACRED HEART!



Anabeth Lucy Noble,  
daughter of Jacob and Shelly Noble



Harrison Hatch Gibbs,  
son of Chad and Bethany Gibbs

## PATRONIZE OUR BULLETIN SPONSORS!

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Community Dinner  
at St. Mary's, Canaan



Our next Community Dinner will take place on  
Divine Mercy Sunday, April 27.

## EASTER FLOWERS MEMORIAL



If you would like to remember a loved one by name on our Easter Flowers poster, those names must be submitted to the office by **this Monday, April 7**. Extra envelopes are available at most church entrances.

**PARENTS ... Do you wish your family talked to each other without phones or other devices competing for your attention? Do you want your children to feel closer to God?**



## THE ENFIELD / CANAAN KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS COUNCIL 8027

invite you to join the *Family Fully Alive* devotions.

At all entrances to St. Mary's and St. Helena you will find the *Family Fully Alive* booklet, a series of monthly devotions providing themes, reflections, meditations, family projects, and Scripture verses designed to help each family place God and the Catholic faith at the center of its life. Please bring one or several home and share them with your family, wherever they may be, and perform that month's devotion.

Council 8027 hosts a Coffee and Donuts Discussion Session each month after the 10am Mass at St. Mary's to review the previous month's devotion together! Come join us and see how the Lord can bless your family.

Contact Albert Vanasse for details:  
[a.vanasse712@gmail.com](mailto:a.vanasse712@gmail.com).

## THE ENFIELD / CANAAN KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS COUNCIL 8027 ...



... wish to thank all who came to honor and pray for our departed brother Knights. We're grateful for the good turnout last Sunday in spite of the nasty weather. God bless.

*Grand Knight Albert Vanasse*



# The Annunciation & Lenten Friday at Sacred Heart



*Thank you to Fr. Josh and all who helped make this evening a lovely tribute to Our Lady.*



*Fr. Josh Livingston spoke about and then celebrated the Novus Ordo Latin Mass.*



*Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to Thee!*



**STATIONS of the CROSS and FILIPINO NIGHT with the Sacred Heart Knights of Columbus**



**Thank you to all who cooked, served, and helped clean up!**



**Hope to see you all soon at one of our upcoming dinners!**

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## ST. HELENA PARISH

36 Shaker Hill Road, Enfield, NH

## ST. MARY'S MISSION

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Office Assistants



We extend a warm welcome to you and thank God that you are with us.

If you wish to register or would like to update your registration information, please complete this form and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office.

\_\_\_\_\_ Sacred Heart \_\_\_\_\_ St. Helena/St. Mary's

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- \_\_\_ Request monthly envelopes
- \_\_\_ New Address and/or Phone Number

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## KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS

### SACRED HEART COUNCIL 2656

Council Grand Knight, John Pomeroy  
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Meets the second Monday of the month  
at 6pm, Sacred Heart's Parish Hall

### CANAAN / ENFIELD COUNCIL 8027

Council Grand Knight, Albert Vanasse  
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Meets the third Wednesday of the month  
at 7pm, St. Mary's Parish Hall in Canaan.