

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH

The Fifth Sunday of Lent — March 13, 2016

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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

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

4 p.m. Kennebunk
4 p.m. Wells

Sunday

8 a.m. & 11 a.m. Kennebunk
9 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wells

Weekdays 8 a.m. Wells, 9 a.m. Kennebunk

St. Mary's Church—236 Eldridge Rd.
Wells, ME 04090

(207) 646-5605 — FAX (207) 646-9437

St. Martha's Church—30 Portland Rd.
Kennebunk ME 04043

(207) 985-6252 — FAX (207) 985-7740

All Saints' Church—45 School St.
Ogunquit, ME 03907

Closed for the Season

Rev. Thomas Murphy, Parish Priest

Deacon Darrell Blackwell

Mrs. Diane W. O'Neil, Office Manager

Mrs. Carolyn F. Houston, Director of Faith Formation

Mrs. Rosanne Smith, Coordinator of Adult Ed.

Mark Reeth, Music Coordinator

Mr. Timothy Cilley, Facilities Manager, Wells

Mr. Timothy Gallant, Facilities Manager, Kennebunk

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

March 19/20

4:00 p.m. St. Martha's (K) Fr. Tom Murphy
4:00 p.m. St. Mary's (W) Fr. Lebel

8:00 a.m. St. Martha's (K) Fr. Manship
9:00 a.m. St. Mary's (W) Fr. Tom Murphy
11:00 a.m. St. Martha's (K) Fr. Manship
11:00 a.m. St. Mary's (W) Fr. Tom Murphy

Schedule subject to change

Reconciliation on Saturdays

3:00-3:30 p.m. St. Martha's & St. Mary's

And at 6 p.m. March 14 (W), March 15 & 16 (K)

Penitential Service March 20 at 2 p.m. (W)

SACRAMENTS

Baptism — Please call for an appointment.

Reconciliation — Saturdays 3:00 p.m. at St. Martha's Church and Saturdays 3:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Church. Anytime upon request—please call the office to make an appointment—(207) 646-5605.

Matrimony — Please contact the pastor six months prior to the desired date.

Sacrament of the Sick — Please call anytime. If you know that you will be admitted to the hospital, please call the office to make arrangements to receive the Sacrament after a daily or Sunday Mass. Please advise the office when a parishioner is hospitalized.

Seeking to join the Church or would like to know more about the Catechism of the Catholic Church? FMI call Fr. Tom at 646-5605.

Prayer Line Requests: May be made to: Aline Saunders at alinesaunders@roadrunner.com or 985-9214.

Homebound Parishioners: Any homebound parishioner wishing to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion at home please call the office at 646-5605.

Parish Registration/Update

Name (s) _____

Street: _____

City: _____ Zip _____

Phone (s) _____

Phone (s): _____

E-mail Address: _____

____ New Registration _____ Change of Address

____ Change of E-mail Address

____ Moving out of Parish _____ Want Envelopes

If you are new to the parish, or have a new address or phone number, please complete this form and drop it in the collection basket or mail it to Holy Spirit Parish, 236 Eldridge Road, Wells, ME 04090.

MASS INTENTIONS

March 14 — March 20

Monday:	8:00 a.m.	Eileen Grace by Timothy O’Leary
	9:00 a.m.	Jane & Joe Sharkey by their Family
Tuesday:	8:00 a.m.	Anna O’Toole by Janice Krasco
	9:00 a.m.	Patrick Galligan by his Grandparents
	10:30 a.m.	Communion Service at River Ridge
Wednesday:	8:00 a.m.	David Cain by the Bozak Family
	9:00 a.m.	Dorothy Cilley by Rosanne & Royal Smith
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	Maureen McEvoy by Albert & Joanne
	9:00 a.m.	Health & Blessings upon Rev. James Himmelbach by Mary Foster
Friday:	8:00 a.m.	George Martin by Jennifer
	9:00 a.m.	William Taggart & Frank Len by their Families
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	John Morgan (K) by Tracy & Joe Ryan
	4:00 p.m.	Henry Bucci (W) by his Family
Sunday:	8:00 a.m.	For the People
	9:00 a.m.	William O’Brien by his nephew Kevin
	11:00 a.m.	Doi Mai (K) by the Mai Family
	11:00 a.m.	John Callaghan (W) by Ellie Grover
Daily Mass:		Wells (W) 8 a.m. Kennebunk (K) 9:00 a.m.

Rest in Peace

Joseph Bush
Marie Mullen

Stewardship

February 27/28	
Offering	\$ 12,776.67
Tithe	\$ 894.00
Envelopes (425)	\$ 9,048.05
Loose	\$ 3,728.62

Many thanks for your continued generosity!

Donation Letter

If you use envelopes and wish a tax statement for your 2015 donation, please call Rosanne at 985-6252.

HELP!!!!!!

Several months ago, the Diocese of Portland changed the Parish Management system. In the transfer from the old system to the new system, two envelopes, #479 & 478 were lost. If you have one of those envelope numbers, please call Rosanne at 985-6252, so we can credit your account.

Food Pantry News

St. Martha’s Community Pantry is in need of canned hams, mayonnaise, canned ravioli, canned spaghetti-O’s and instant mashed potatoes..

St. Mary’s Ecumenical Food Pantry is in need of baked beans, tomato paste, jelly, jam, salad dressing, canned hash and instant coffee.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

All inserts for the bulletin must be submitted by 12 noon Friday. All holidays change the deadline, please call Diane O’Neil at 646-5605 or email stmarywells@myfairpoint.net

Victoria and Tom Mills along with their family would to thank Father Tom, Deacon Darrell, Mark Tuttle, Carmine Dolce, all the Knights, and the members of Holy Spirit parish for their many acts of kindness, generosity and especially all the prayers for our daughter Debby during her illness and after her passing. There are no words to truly express our appreciation and gratitude for all the selfless acts and help during this difficult time other than to say thank you and May the Lord Bless you all.

THE WEEK AHEAD

March 13– March 20

St. Martha's Church

Sunday: Coffee & Donuts 9 a.m.
Faith Formation 9:45 a.m.
Recovery Couples 5:30 p.m.
S Anon 7 p.m.

Monday: Centering Prayer 6 p.m.
Faith Booth Chairs 6 p.m.

Tuesday: Red Cross Blood Drive 1 p.m.
Cursillo 3:45 p.m.
The Light is On (reconciliation) 6 p.m.

Wednesday: Spiritual Exercises 8:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
Weight Watchers 6 p.m.
The Light is On (reconciliation) 6 p.m.

Thursday: Cursillo 6 p.m.
Faith Sharing 7 p.m.

Friday: Produce Pantry 9 a.m.

Saturday: Reconciliation 3 p.m.

Sunday: Coffee & Donuts 9 a.m.
Faith Formation 9:45 a.m.
Recovery Couples 5:30 p.m.
S Anon 7 p.m.

St. Mary's Church

Sunday: Faith Formation 10 a.m.

Monday: Faith Formation 3:45 p.m.
Parish Social Life 5 p.m.
The Light is On (reconciliation 6 p.m.)

Tuesday: Hope your week is good!

Wednesday: Bible Study 10 a.m.
Prayer Shawl Ministry 11 a.m.
K of C Officers 7 p.m.

Thursday: Gospel of Matthew 1 p.m.
Food Pantry 1 p.m.
Finance Council 6:30 p.m.
Divorce Care 6:30 p.m.

Friday: Live Stations of the Cross 6:30 p.m.
followed by a simple supper
AA 7:30 p.m.

Saturday: AA 8 a.m.
Reconciliation 3 p.m.
K of C St. Patricks Day Dinner Dance 5 pm

Sunday: Faith Formation 10 a.m.
Penitential Service 2 p.m.

March 19/20

St. Martha's Church

Lectors: 4:00 p.m. J. Sciarra
8:00 a.m. K. Saunders
11:00 a.m. E. Spas

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
4:00 p.m. Host: J. Carragher, K. Carragher, L. Gombar
Cup: J. Enis, B. Hennessy, R. Inniss, D. Enis
8:00 a.m. Host : D. Mahoney, J. Fowler, W. Grady
Cup: J. Maloney, M. Ney, E. Pierce, M. Monroe
11:00 a.m. Host: G. Lynch, D. Murphy, D. Gomez
Cup: K. Olise, G. Shairs, F. Gomez, C. Ward

Altar Servers: 4:00 p.m. E. Enis
8:00 a.m. D. Mahoney
11:00 a.m. J. & K. Morris

Gift Bearers: 4:00 p.m. C. & D. Falconer
8:00 a.m. D. & B. Wirtes
11:00 a.m. S. & T. Connors

Greeters: 4:00 p.m. Priscilla & Alice
8:00 a.m. Nancy & Theresa
11:00 a.m. Colleen & Doris

St. Mary's Church

Lectors: 4:00 p.m. G. Putnam
9:00 a.m. E. Flavin
11:00 a.m. E. Koeninger

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:
4:00 p.m. Host: M. Allain, R. Lambert, P. Lizotte
Cup: V. Franceschini, S. Koeninger, L. Cilley, A. McEvoy
9:00 a.m. Host: A. Anderson, C. Anderson, M. Fulford
Cup: P. Mamone, B. Marlowe, M. Provencher, B. Toomey
11:00 a.m. Host: P. Goyette, P. Moses, S. Spinosa
Cup: S. Freeman, E. McCullen, A. Pulsifer, A. M. Roy

Greeters: 4:00 p.m. C. & L. Hickman
9:00 a.m. B. Marlowe & D. Cheney
11:00 a.m. P. Moses & D. Kreppein

Parish Fair: We have started to collect items for our Fair.

Booth Chairs — Meeting on Monday, March 14 at 6 p.m., St. Martha's in Kennebunk.

Maggotty Jamaica trip

The group of Holy Spirit Parish Youth Ministry teens and chaperones had an amazing mission trip to Maggotty, Jamaica February 16 - 22. The identified goals for the group were (a) to educate the parish about this mission and involve parishioners in support of the mission, (b) to spend a week in service and fellowship with the people of Maggotty, (c) to create loving relationships with those we serve, (d) to remain open to the movement of the Holy Spirit and to the lessons offered by those we serve and work with (e) to collect enough donations to send two Maggotty children to school for the next academic year, and (f) to identify our gifts and God's grace in relationship to our call to live a life that asks, "What does God want me to do with these gifts/talents and grace I am blessed with?"

The 2016 mission project has exceeded all goals and expectations. In preparation for the trip, our teens conducted lessons on the mission project, and the corporal works of mercy, for all of the children in faith formation here at Holy Spirit Parish. The teens also spoke at all of the Masses on the weekend of December 5th & 6th to provide education to all of the adults of the parish. The mission team members learned first-hand what is involved in organizing a mission trip, and were well-prepared for the actual trip. Each team member entered into relationship with the children and adults they met through Holy Spirit Church in Maggotty, and worked together to complete necessary projects, repairs, improvements, and education. We scraped and painted the church and storage containers, led faith formation classes, ran a vacation Bible school program, harvested honey, and did building repairs. We made friends with many of the children and adults of Maggotty, and learned from them as well. We were graciously welcomed, and lovingly fed and cared for by the people we traveled to serve. We worshipped with them, played with them, and worked with them. The Holy Spirit Parish-Maggotty pastoral team, Fr. Marek, Marta, Sr. Emila, Sr. Claire-Marie, Sr. Rita, Sr. Gabriella, and Dr. Jeff, welcomed us, befriended us, and provided all of us with stellar examples of what it means to be Christ to others. The work they do every day at the parish, in the medical clinic, and throughout the Maggotty community, makes a huge impact on so many lives, and their dedication and faith have inspired our team members to continue on in service and ministry. The mission team asks that all parishioners here at home keep these holy people, and all of the people in Maggotty, in your prayers.

The mission team would like to thank the parish for all of the support, prayers and contributions. The parish contributed funds that greatly defrayed the cost of the trip for each participant, and enough donations have been received by individual parishioners to send SEVEN Maggotty children to school next year!

Over the past couple of weeks, the group held presentations and slideshows about the trip for parishioners and all of the children in faith formation. Members of the mission team gave an overview of the trip, shared pictures, and provided suggestions on how we can all continue, in this year of mercy, to extend a helping hand to our impoverished brothers and sisters.

Photos of the trip can be found on our parish website and on the Holy Spirit Parish Youth Ministry Facebook page. An excellent YouTube video about the Maggotty church may be found at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hcZYzzevEXc>. If you have any other questions, please feel free to contact mission team and parish staff member, Carolyn Houston at 985-6252 or 646-5605.

Catholic Women's Conference – Saturday, April 9

Join us for the 5th Annual Catholic Women's Conference on Saturday, April 9, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Hilton Garden Inn in Auburn – "Feed My Lambs". Our keynote speaker is Fr. Leo Patalinghug, host and creator of "Grace before Meals," an international apostolate which helps strengthen families and relationships through God's gift of a family meal. He has been featured on EWTN, FOX, PBS, ABC, Food Network, and NBC. Registration is \$50 on or before March 13, and \$60 afterwards. **Registration deadline is April 4.** For more information, call **321-7898** or visit <http://www.portlanddiocese.org/olff/womensconference>

Live Stations of the Cross

Please join us at St. Mary's, this Friday, March 18th, as our young people lead us in the Live Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m. And, please join us in the hall immediately following for a simple supper.

(Please note, this will be the only Stations of the Cross this Friday, March 18th)

On **Good Friday**, March 25th, the Stations of the Cross will be at 3 p.m. at St. Martha's (K) and 3 p.m. at St. Mary's (W).

Holy Week Schedule

March 21—March 27, 2016

Monday: Masses 8 a.m. (W), 9 a.m. (K)
Tuesday: Masses 8 a.m. (W), 9 a.m. (K)
Wednesday: Masses 8 a.m. (W), 9 a.m. (K)

Holy Thursday: Mass 7 p.m. (K)

Good Friday: Stations of Cross 3 p.m. (W & K)
Service 7 p.m. (K)

Holy Saturday: Vigil Mass 7:30 p.m. (W)

Easter Sunday: Masses 8 a.m. & 11 a.m. (K)

Masses 9 a.m. & 11 a.m. (W)

NO 4 P.M. Mass in (W or K) on Holy Saturday

**The Light is On and
the Door of Mercy is
Open for You!**

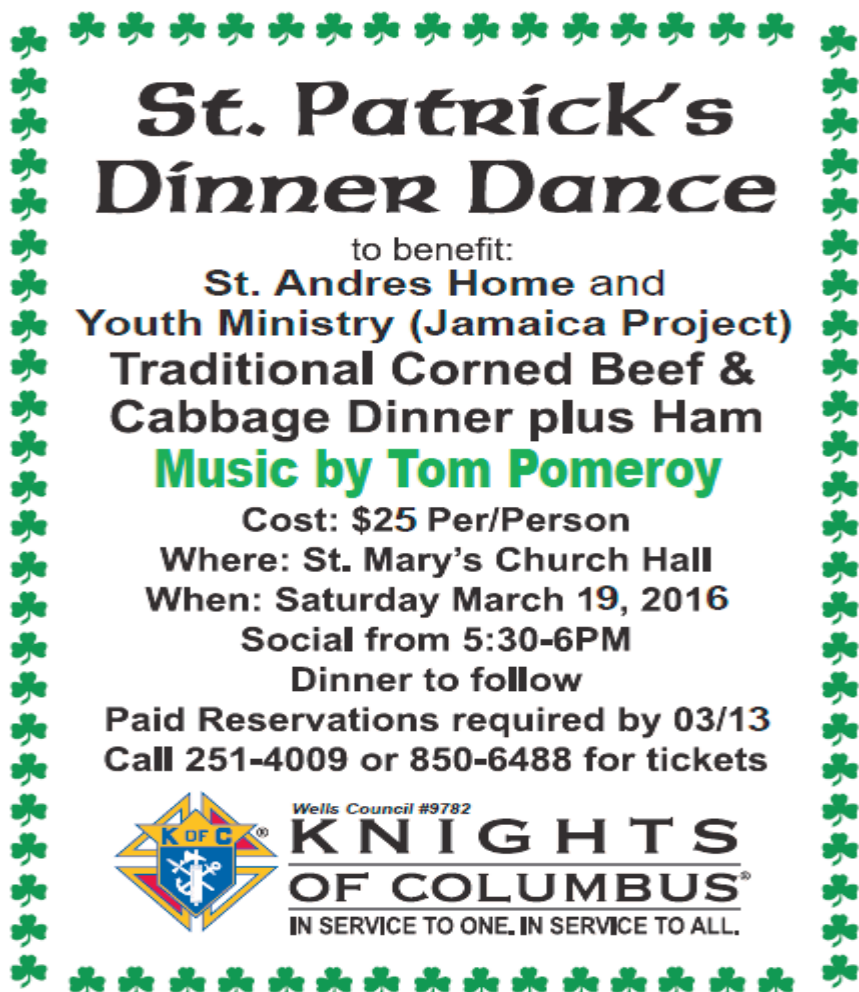
**The Sacrament of Penance
(confessions) will be available:**

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday
March 14 at 6 p.m.—St. Mary's (W)
March 15 at 6 p.m.—St. Martha (K)
March 16 at 6 p.m.—St. Martha (K)

Sunday Afternoon
Penitential Service on Sunday
March 20 at 2 p.m.—St. Mary's (W)


*Confessions always available on
Saturdays at 3 p.m.
at St. Martha and St. Mary's.*

Steppin' Out in Faith
Pray with someone
privately or in a
small group.



**St. Patrick's
Dinner Dance**

 to benefit:
**St. Andres Home and
Youth Ministry (Jamaica Project)**
**Traditional Corned Beef &
Cabbage Dinner plus Ham**
Music by Tom Pomeroy
Cost: \$25 Per/Person
Where: St. Mary's Church Hall
When: Saturday March 19, 2016
Social from 5:30-6PM
Dinner to follow
Paid Reservations required by 03/13
Call 251-4009 or 850-6488 for tickets



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