

Holy Spirit Parish

August 20, 2017

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20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And the woman's daughter was healed from that hour. - Mt 15:28

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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Now available for \$10 each.
\$6,000.00 in prize money
drawn every day in September!
You could be a winner!



FREE & FUN!
Sunday, September 10, 2-4 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

4 p.m. Kennebunk
4 p.m. & 6 p.m. Wells
5:30 p.m. Ogunquit

Sunday

7 a.m., 9 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wells
8 a.m. & 10 a.m. Kennebunk
8:30 & 10 a.m. Ogunquit

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

Rev. Frederick Morse, Pastor

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

Parish Registration/Update

Name (s) _____

Street: _____

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Phone (s) _____

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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 to Holy Spirit Parish, 236 Eldridge Road, Wells, ME, 04090 or e-mail to stmarywells@myfairpoint.net

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

August 26/27

Table with 3 columns: Time, Location, Celebrant. Rows include 4:00 p.m. St. Martha's (K) Fr. Morse, 4:00 p.m. St. Mary's (W) Fr. Manship, 5:30 p.m. All Saints' (O) Msgr. C. Murphy, 6:00 p.m. St. Mary's (W) Fr. Manship, 7:00 a.m. St. Mary's (W) Msgr. Murphy, 8:00 a.m. St. Martha's (K) Fr. Mellone, 8:30 a.m. All Saints' (O) Msgr. Sniezyk, 9:00 a.m. St. Mary's (W) Fr. Morse, 10:00 a.m. St. Martha's (K) Fr. Mellone, 10:00 a.m. All Saints' (O) Msgr. Sniezyk, 11:00 a.m. St. Mary's (W) Fr. Morse.

Schedule subject to change

Reconciliation on Saturdays
3:00—3:30 p.m. St. Martha's & St. Mary's

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

SACRAMENTS

Baptism — Please call for an appointment.

Reconciliation — Saturdays 3 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. at St. Martha's Church and Saturdays 3 p.m. - 3:30 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. Fred 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.

MASS INTENTIONS

This WEEKEND August 19/20

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Mary Kalder by the Spas-Faul Family (K)
 4:00 p.m. Adele Franceschini by her Family (W)
 5:30 p.m. Donald Foley by Dick & Theresa Martin
 6:00 p.m. Irene Burpee by Jennifer, Steve & Elizabeth
 Sunday: 7:00 a.m. Richard & Geraldine Johnson by Cheryl & Fred Willett
 8:00 a.m. Charles Mullin by Kathy & Joe Mackiewicz
 8:30 a.m. For Our Parishioners
 9:00 a.m. Jean Dion by his Family
 10:00 a.m. Alan Foster by Mary Foster (K)
 10:00 a.m. Dione Boecker by Paul Breen (O)
 11:00 a.m. John Kearney by Ann Reed

WEEKDAYS August 21-25

Monday: 8:00 a.m. Joe Sheehan by Joanne Colley
 9:00 a.m. Joanne Wrba by her Sister
 Tuesday: 8:00 a.m. Fr. Daniel Simibaldi by Harvey Bernier
 9:00 a.m. Rosemond Waters by Jim Pastorelli
 10:30 a.m. Communion Service at Atria
 Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. Robert Powers by Mary & Jim Heenan
 9:00 a.m. Peter Minihane by Jack & Dee Drake
 Thursday 8:00 a.m. Patricia Walsh by Pat & Moe Maroney
 9:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus
 Friday: 8:00 a.m. Lawrence D. Halpin by Pat & Moe Maroney
 9:00 a.m. Paul Bourassa by Lorraine & Priscilla

NEXT WEEKEND August 26/27

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Ron Hemenway by Kathy & Russ Smith (K)
 4:00 p.m. Emile Bedard by Mariette & Norm Hebert (W)
 5:30 p.m. Donald Foley, Sr. by Elsa & Michael Quinn
 6:00 p.m. Alice Koeninger by Steve, Jennifer & Elizabeth
 Sunday: 7:00 a.m. Walter E. Nichols, Jr. by the Nichols Family
 8:00 a.m. Doi Mai by Y Thi Cao
 8:30 a.m. For Our Parishioners
 9:00 a.m. Joe Sheehan by Jean McAdoo
 10:00 a.m. Mass of Thanksgiving for Arthur & Angela—58 yrs! (K)
 10:00 a.m. Dione Boecker by Diane O'Neil (O)
 11:00 a.m. Jonah Cook by Carol & Larry Hickman

Daily Mass Key: (W) 8 a.m. (K) 9:00 a.m.

Rest in Peace

Elizabeth O'Gara, Ruth Ravelson, and Robert Theriault.



Altar Flowers & Sanctuary Lamps

The Flowers at the altar at St Mary's are in loving memory of Adele Franceschini by her Family.

The Flowers at the altar at St Martha's are in loving memory of Alan Foster by Mary Foster.

The Flowers at the altar at All Saints are in loving memory of Dione Boecker by her Family.

The Sanctuary Lamp at St. Martha's burns this week for health & blessings upon Jim Pastorelli on his 97th birthday by Delphine & Frank Budreau.



August 5/6

Offering \$ 19,685.50
 Tithes \$ 1,377.00
 Envelopes (408) \$ 9,599.10
 Loose \$ 10,086.40

Peter's Pence Offering \$6,861.00
 Envelopes (267) \$3,407.00
 Loose \$3,454.00

Many thanks for your generosity!



How to create your We Share account:

1. Visit holyspiritme.org and click Give Online
2. Click on the collection you wish to donate to.
3. Click Recurring Donation, enter your donation amount and frequency.

Your account will be created & you can start giving online. Questions? Please take a hand-out that is available in the Nar-thex, or call the office.

THE WEEK AHEAD

August 20—August 27

St. Martha's Church

Sunday: K of C Picnic
S Anon 7 p.m.

Monday: Hope your day is good.

Tuesday: Cursillo 4:00 p.m.—All are Welcome!

Wednesday: Weight Watchers 6 p.m.

Thursday: Faith Sharing 7 p.m.

Friday: Produce Pantry 9 a.m.
Office closes 12 noon

Saturday: Reconciliation 3—3:30 p.m.

Sunday: S Anon 7 p.m.

St. Mary's Church

Sunday: See you in Church!

Monday: Hope your week is healthy.

Tuesday: Red Cross Blood Drive 12 noon

Wednesday: Bible Study — Matthew 10 a.m.

Thursday: Food Pantry 1 p.m.

Friday: Office closes at 12 noon
AA 7:30 p.m.

Saturday: AA 8 a.m.
Reconciliation 3—3:30 p.m.

Sunday: K of C Cookout 12 noon!

Steppin' Out in Faith

Watch EWTN (Eternal Word Television Network) and tell others.



Thank You!

CURRENT RESULT: \$117,021.00
\$114,417.00 102% OF GOAL!!

Roman Catholic Diocese of Portland

Blue Mass in Bangor—9/10, at 10:30 a.m., St. John Church recognizing all firefighters, law enforcement officers and emergency personnel.

Red Mass in Lewiston —10/13 at 11 a.m., Basilica of Ss. Peter & Paul blessing those who serve in the legal profession and public service.

Harvest Ball—10/20 at the Holiday Inn by the Bay, Portland.

FMI visit www.portlanddiocese.org

First Catholic Women's Breakfast in Maine on 9/9 from 9 am.—12 noon at Fireside Inn & Suites, Portland. Award winning inspirational author, Katherine Valentine is the guest speaker. She will share her faith journey that began after a healing from cancer. Deadline is 8/25 to register: Call Shirley 838-8309. or email magnificatscarborough@gmail.com.

Food Pantry News

St. Martha's Community Pantry needs pancake mix, pancake syrup, peanut butter, jelly and mayonnaise.

St. Mary's Ecumenical Food Pantry needs small detergent, pancake syrup, tomato paste, jelly, jam, small laundry detergent and tissues.

"An Invitation from Jesus"- Jesus is inviting you to live a Cursillo. Weekend with HIM.

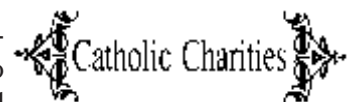
This is a spiritual weekend you'll remember for the rest of your life. Jesus wants you to know the great love that HE has for you. The weekends are held at Camp Mechuwana in Winthrop, Maine. The dates are:

- ◆ Men's September 28th-October 1st
- ◆ Women's is October 26th -29th

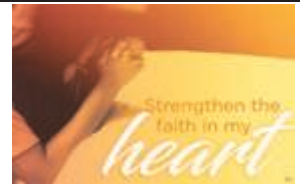
Marriage & Blessings

Vanessa Driscoll & Brennan Mulcahey 8/26/17 K

Bring us your old TV's, Computers, Computer Parts, Stereo and Electronic Equipment! 3rd annual E-Waster Collection day, **Saturday, August 26th, from 8 am until noon at St. Martha's Church.** Drop off is free, but donations are gladly accepted! Proceeds benefit Catholic Charities Maine.



CYCLE A AUGUST 20, 2017 — 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



"O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." This woman was an outsider. She was a Canaanite, not an Israelite, and as such she would have been considered ritually unclean. But she approached Jesus nonetheless and asked for his help. And Jesus used this opportunity to teach his disciples an important lesson. In the verses directly before today's passage, Jesus had told Peter that what defiles a person comes from the heart, not from ignoring external purity practices. Then, Jesus traveled with his disciples from Galilee to the region of Tyre and Sidon where they were much more likely to encounter someone considered to be unclean. At first it appeared that Jesus wasn't going to acknowledge the woman who begged for help. His comment, "It is not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs," was a common comparison between Jews (the children) and Canaanites (the dogs). But, in fact, Jesus said this only to go right ahead and break this social code! He showed by his actions that it did not matter whether someone was Jewish or not, what mattered was the faith in a person's heart. And this woman proved to Jesus and the doubting disciples that she had great faith. How many others would have even approached Jesus to ask for his help? How many others would have persevered when he appeared unresponsive? By pausing in his response, and first mentioning the standard reply, Jesus gave this woman the opportunity to demonstrate her great faith. And then, he answered her request and praised her extraordinary faith. What a lesson for his prejudiced disciples! And what a lesson for us, both to persevere in faith, and never to judge others on mere appearances.



HOLY SPIRIT PARISH FAIR — November 11/12, 2017

PENNY AUCTION: Thank you to all who took an item to donate to the Penny Auction. You may bring your items in to either the St. Mary's or St. Martha's office. Please remember to **sign the tag and attach it** to the item when you bring it in. **THANK YOU**

STUFFING ENVELOPES: We will be stuffing envelopes for the raffle tickets to go out to parishioners on Tuesday, August 15th after the 9 a.m. Mass at St. Martha's church. Please come and join us. Many hands make work light.

Time is drawing near for the Fair, so keep checking those closets, attics & garages for unwanted , Books - NO MOLD OR MISSING PAGES, Christmas items, Dishes, Jewelry - NO PURSES OR SCARFS, Linens - NO TORN OR STAINS, & Toys. Everything clean and in good condition. The craft booth is no longer in need of yarn or material.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE PARISH FAIR

CASH  **CALENDAR**

HOLY SPIRIT PARISH CASH CALENDAR IS BACK! The Pastoral Council is sponsoring it this year. Proceeds will be going directly to Holy Spirit Parish for future major capitol projects, and for operating expenses. **There is \$6,000 dollars in prize money, one prize drawn every day in September. Prizes are: two \$1,000.00 winners, four \$500.00 winners, four \$125.00 winners, ten \$100.00 winners and ten \$50.00 winners. If you live away, the prize will be mailed to you!**

"Father Wm. J. Kelly K of C Council #9782 will be conducting the Annual "Tootsie Roll" Drive on the weekends of 9/2-3 and 9/9-10 to solicit funds to support local organizations that provide services for those who suffer from intellectual or physical disabilities."



The Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Assembly # 3194 is hosting a Meatball & Pasta Dinner on Saturday, September 9th, 5-7 pm, at St. Martha's Church Hall in Kennebunk. A Value meal for \$10 pp to benefit Maine Veterans Organizations. FMI: 646-6870, or 850-6488.

HOLY SPIRIT



Sunday, Sept. 10th, 2-4 PM

Wells Harbor Rotary Pavilion

Located at the end of Harbor Road in Wells, about 5 miles from St. Martha and 4 miles from St. Mary.

Turn off Route 1 at Wells Fire Station.

FUN



THIS AREA HAS 16 PICNIC TABLES UNDER COVER AND A GREAT PLAYGROUND RIGHT NEXT TO IT!



FOOD

THE PARISH WILL PROVIDE HAMBURGERS
BEEF & TURKEY HOT DOGS
REGULAR & GLUTEN FREE ROLLS
VARIOUS DRINKS & CHIPS!

WE ASK PARISHIONERS TO SIGN UP TO
BRING A SALAD OR DESSERT