

**ST. BERNARD**

*Mass + Intentions for the Week*



**ROSARY – ½ HR. BEFORE MASS**

**MONDAY JANUARY 25, 2010**

8 AM JOHN WHITE by Catherine Dee

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2010**

8 AM JOSEPH and IRENE BRUCE by the family

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2010**

8 AM MASS AT ST. MARGARET MARY

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2010**

8 AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 2010**

8 AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 2010**

8 AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

4 PM SCOTT BALL by the family

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 31, 2010**

8:00 AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

9:30 AM CHARLES O'NEILL (33<sup>rd</sup> Anniv.) by his daughter, Peggy Hussey

11:15 AM ROSANNE JOHNSTON by Anne and Tom Burke



**ETERNAL LIGHT**

burning this week in loving memory of

**HELEN DI TULLIO**

by Albina King, Gary and Annette, Susan and Steve

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Clairvaux Chapel: Sun 3-7PM, Mon-Fri 9AM-8PM

We pray for more Guardians, 2 for each hour

Contact: Pat Crisman 847-9596; Ernie Walsh 358-5515; Jo Johnson 352-8707; Peggy Hussey 352-8648

*“Let us go to see Mary’s Son,  
that we may be consoled.”*

St. Bridget of Sweden



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL SANCTUARY  
LAMP

burning this week  
for the intentions of those who worship here

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

This Sunday, January 24, we will have Praise and Worship for all interested Middle School, High School, and College-aged students in the Clairvaux Chapel from 6-7:00PM. Please join us!

Dead Theologians Society will meet next Sunday, January 31, from 6-7:30 PM.

**ARE YOU HAVING TROUBLE AGREEING  
WITH YOUR SPOUSE ABOUT FINANCIAL  
GOALS AND MANAGING MONEY?**

**7 Steps to Becoming Financially Free, A Catholic  
Small Group Study**

We are all called to be faithful stewards of the gifts God has entrusted to us. The only way to achieve true financial freedom and peace is to recognize that God has a plan for our lives, including our finances. This program helps us to achieve balance between our faith and finances and to deal with our consumer-oriented, me-first society. This seven-session program will help couples and individuals get their finances on track and to make the most of God’s gifts through group discussion and peer support. Facilitated by Ken Swymer, who earned his “Certified Financial Planner” designation in 1981 and was an adjunct faculty member at Bentley College in Waltham, Mass. teaching financial planning courses prior to moving to Keene. For more information, please contact Ken at 357-9604.

Tuesdays, 7:00-8:30 PM

Clairvaux Center, 161 Main Street, Keene  
February 16, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, April 7

Cost: \$34.95/couple or individual

Please make your check payable to: Our Sunday Visitor  
and mail to the church office at 161 Main Street, Keene  
NH 03431.

Register by February 1, 2010

**PARISH SUPPORT**

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Combined

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## ST. MARGARET MARY

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**ROSARY-WEDNESDAY – ½ HR. BEFORE MASS**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 23 2010**

4 PM CATHERINE BOYCE, dear friend by Mildred  
"Mike" Doody

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 24, 2010**

9 AM BILL THERIEAU by "WINGS"

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2010**

8 AM VIRGINIA WILSON by Margaret Bailey

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 30 2010**

4 PM MRS. RITA COLLATUS by John and Claire Burk

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 31, 2010**

9 AM CHRISTOPHER CONGDON by the Farrington  
Family



### ETERNAL LIGHT

burning this week in loving memory of:

**GRACE LACH**  
6<sup>th</sup> anniversary

By her loving daughter Joanne Marchand

### PARISH SUPPORT

January 10, 2010

Envelopes	\$ 2,833.00
Loose	\$ 603.20
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,436.20</b>

Seminary: \$704.00

116 envelopes average \$24.42

*Thank you for your support. Thank you also to those  
who mailed in their contributions.*

**Meetings: St. Margaret Mary**

**Knights of Columbus February 4 at 7:30PM**

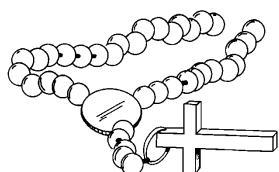
**Officers Meeting**

**Knights of Columbus February 18 at 7:30 PM**

**Regular Meeting**

**Coffee Ministry. January 31**

Marie Therieau and Helen Glover



**Please join us every  
Wednesday Evening at 7:00pm  
in the Chapel for Rosary.**

**Sponsored by the  
Knights of Columbus  
NH Catholic Daughters**

April 17-18<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**Diocese of Springfield Catholic Women's Conference  
Springfield, MA** Key note speaker will be **Johnnette Benkovic**,  
Founder and President of Living His Life Abundantly International  
Inc. seen on EWTN and the Founder of Women of Grace an  
apostolate for Christian women. Music will be by **Sarah Hart**,  
who is a recipient of multiple Unity Awards including songwriter,  
producer, and Female Vocalist of the Year. She is also a founding  
member of Daughters of God.



**Knights of Columbus  
Pancake Breakfast  
January 24  
8:00am – 11:00am**

Scrambled eggs, sausage, pancakes, orange and apple juice,  
donuts, coffee and tea will be served.

Donation: Adults \$6, Children \$3, Family \$15

**Luncheon on Feb. 28th --**

**The St. Margaret Mary Social Committee is planning a  
mid-winter luncheon on Sunday, Feb 28th. Mark the  
date on your calendar and watch for more information  
soon.**

**Holy Adoration:** Would you like to spend an hour the first  
Friday of every month at Adoration. This is a wonderful  
time to reflect and pray between the hours of 9:00am to  
3:00pm. Please call the office at 352-3525 if interested

**Next Holy Adoration will be**

**February 5 at St. Margaret Mary Chapel**

Come join St. Margaret Mary, 33 Arch St., Keene, NH every  
Friday evening 6:00PM during Lent starting February 19  
thru March 26 for the Stations of the Cross. After the  
Stations of the Cross you're welcome to join us downstairs  
for our annual chowder dinner. Knights of Columbus #5414  
is hosting the chowder dinner every Friday at 6:30PM during  
Lent. The menu will consist of corn or clam chowder, egg  
and tuna salad sandwiches, chips, cold/hot drinks, and  
dessert with ice cream. The donation will be \$4 per person.

### Christmas Flower Donations:

**In Memory of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Forrest  
Mike and Betty Forrest**

**Family Program:** St. Margaret Mary Family Program  
Adult Education will be held this Monday, January 25,  
7:00PM, at St. Margaret Mary Church.

MARY, QUEEN OF PEACE

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 2010

4 PM JENNIE BRUCE by Dennis and Carol Bruce and Norman and Mary Whittle

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9AM PARISHIONERS INTENTIONS
10:30AM RITA LEBLANC by Joe

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St. Joseph

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burning this week in loving memory of:
IRENE ROUILLARD
by her cousins Val and Vangie Ruskowski

PARISH SUPPORT

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Envelopes (\$1,255.00), Loose (\$336.00), Total (\$1,591.00).

Fuel: \$20.00

Development Fund: \$40.00

92 envelopes average \$13.64

Thank you for your support. Thank you also to those who mailed in their contributions.

Knights of Columbus: St. Joseph: February 1, 7:15PM
Adoration: Feb 5: St. Joseph 3-6PM (Friday) winter hrs
Feb 5 St. Stanislaus 5-7 PM (Friday)
NH Catholic Daughters: St. Joseph:
February 2, 6:30PM
Catholic Society: St. Stanislaus February 10 7PM
Pastoral Council: February 10 at St. Joseph 7PM

March 20, 2010

The 10th Anniversary

Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference

The DCU Center Worcester, MA

Ticket order form is on the bulletin board or visit

www.worcesterdiocese.org

OUR LADY OF HOPE- HOUSE OF PRAYER

400 Temple Road

New Ipswich, NH 03071

March 19-21 Walking in the Steps of Esther,

Presenter: Sr. Claire Vanasse, p.m.

Our Lady of Hope - House of Prayer is available for day(s) of recollection. We are offering a few suggestions as prayer weekends but the House of Prayer is available for daily worship and for personal day/weekend retreat time. Please contact Sister Jacqueline LeBlanc, p.m. for further information or for reservations at 603-878-2346,

CURSILLO

Cursillo is a "movement of the Catholic Church that, with its own method, makes it possible to live what is fundamental for being a Christian." The method helps to create communities of Christians who are interested in bringing the Good News to their environments as they grow and become authentic Christians themselves. This goal is accomplished by the Cursillo method of fostering holiness, formation, and evangelization (formerly piety, study, and action) through the various groups and structures of the movement

- #267 Men: March 18-21, 2010
#268 Women: April 15-18, 2010

Application on nhcursillo.org

The meeting for Court St. Joseph will be a Pot Luck at 6:30 February 2nd in the parish Hall. Family members are invited and we will play Bingo. A short business meeting will need to take place to choose delegates to the CDA National Convention in Buffalo, NY this July.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

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**Readings for the Week of January 24, 2010**

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/1 Cor 12:12-30 or  
12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Monday: Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22/Mk 16:15-18

Tuesday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: 2 Sm 7:4-17/Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Mk 4:21-25

Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/1 Cor 12:31---13:13 or  
13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30

**Catholic Faith Formation Center**

603-352-7662

Address: Clairvaux Center, 161 Main St., Suite 118  
, Keene, NH 03431

E-mail: cffc-keene@myfairpoint.net

[www.catholicfaithformationcenter.org](http://www.catholicfaithformationcenter.org)

**REGULAR HOURS** - Monday through Friday 10:00am to  
5:00pm (weather permitting). Gift shop is open during our  
regular business hours.

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS:**

**Bible Study – The Gospel Parables** – in this study, we will  
look at some parables interpreting them in the context of the  
individual Gospels and deriving possible meanings for our  
contemporary lives. The program will be held at three  
different locations:

Divine Mercy Parish, Peterborough – Mondays (Jan. 25 –  
Feb. 22) from 7:00 to 9:00 pm;

St. Margaret Mary Church, Keene – Wednesdays (Jan. 20 –  
Feb. 17) from 8:45 to 10:45am;

Catholic Faith Formation Center, Keene – Wednesdays (Jan.  
20 – Feb. 17) from 6:30 to 8:30pm.

Presenter: Anita Plourde Fee: \$10.00

Needed: a Bible or New Testament

**Preparation of Adults for Confirmation** – will be held at  
two different locations:

St. Patrick’s Church, Jaffrey – 1<sup>st</sup> session is Mar. 3 – 7:00 to  
9:00pm

Catholic Faith Formation Center, Keene – 1<sup>st</sup> session is Feb.  
25 – 6:30 to 8:30pm

Fee is \$25.00 (which will include of copy of the U.S.  
Catholic Catechism for Adults)

Please see your pastor for a registration form or call 603-  
352-7662 for more information.

**SPECIAL OFFERING THIS WEEKEND**

Bishop John B. McCormack is calling for New Hampshire  
parishes to hold a special collection on January 23-24, 2010 to  
support Haiti following the recent earthquake.

“This earthquake is devastating to the people of Haiti,” said  
Bishop McCormack. “I know our first reaction is, ‘How can  
we help?’ We offer our prayers and our material support.  
Although we are still unsure of the extent of the loss of human  
life following this disaster in Haiti, we do know the damage is  
great and our support is needed. Haiti is the poorest country in  
the Western Hemisphere and was still recovering from a  
previous earthquake last year. This disaster could not have  
happened at a worse time. It is our responsibility, as people of  
faith, to offer whatever aid we can to our brothers and sisters  
in need. As Catholics we are further saddened to learn of the  
death of Archbishop Joseph Serge Miot. He and many other  
members of the Church have been killed and injured. I ask for  
special prayers for them and their families.”

The special free will collection will benefit the efforts of the  
Catholic Church’s international disaster relief program,  
Catholic Relief Services. All monies collected will be sent to  
CRS. By visiting [www.crs.org](http://www.crs.org), supporters can learn how to  
help support CRS’s ongoing work in Haiti.

**OUTREACH MINISTRY** will meet on Wednesday  
February 3, 2010, 9:00 AM, in the Clairvaux Center  
Large Meeting Room.

**TAX STATEMENTS:** If you are in need of a statement  
for your tax preparations concerning your contributions  
to your Parish during 2009, please fill out the following  
form. Detach it and return it to the Parish Office at 161  
Main Street, Keene NH 03431. Pledges/payments made  
to Catholic Charities, St. Vincent de Paul and/or  
Missionary appeals should be obtained from these various  
groups and/or charitable organizations.

CHURCH \_\_\_\_\_

ENVELOPE# \_\_\_\_\_

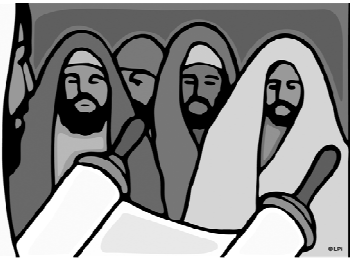
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ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/TOWN \_\_\_\_\_



**WELCOME** to the Catholic Community of Southwest  
New Hampshire. We extend a warm welcome to all who  
have joined us this weekend. We are happy to have you  
here and pray that you will have a safe and happy visit!



*"He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord." Jesus said to them, "Today this*

*Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." - Lk 4:18b-19, 21*

**TRAVELING LIGHT PRAYER GROUP:** welcomes all in our community to come to sing, to praise, to share Scripture and fellowship, and to intercede for your own or others needs and our churches' needs. January's intention is the community of St. Margaret Mary in Keene. We meet Thursdays, 7pm, in the St. Bernard Parish Hall. Spiritual Director: Deacon Arnold Gustafson; contact person: Joy Davis, 352-2861.

**CD Ministry**

Great Catholic CDs are available at the entrances to St. Bernard and St. Margaret Mary Churches. This week's featured CD is **Life-Changing Stories of the Eucharist – Jesse Romero**. In this talk, Jesse Romaro shares numerous encounters of the stunning power of Christ's presence in the Eucharist in his own life and in the lives of others, and a convincing presentation of history and theology as witnesses to this most incredible mystery and gift! Jesse is a renowned professional Catholic apologist with a Masters in Theology, a former L.A. police officer, and a former boxing and kickboxing world champion. He speaks on the radio and at conferences around the country with a refreshing, straightforward, pull no punches, high-energy style, and with passion for the Catholic Faith and our Eucharistic Lord. **\$3.00 donation requested to pay for CD and allow us to order new titles!**

**Children of Hope** – Children and parents are encouraged to join us on the first and third Wednesdays of each month for 30 minutes of Eucharistic Adoration at St. Bernard Church. The next opportunity will be **Wednesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>**, from **3:30-4 PM**. Children of all ages with parents are welcome to come! Please consider taking a break at the end of a busy school day to spend some time with the Lord in adoration.

**Evangelization Corner** - "God is going to take care of us, whether or not we can see down the road. He will not let us walk in darkness and leave us there alone. He will not let us walk to a place and abandon us." Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR

**NEWS FROM SAINT JOSEPH REGIONAL SCHOOL**

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK SCHEDULE 2010**

Weekend of January 30/31 – Students reading at Masses and students/families speaking at end of Mass in the five area churches.

Sunday, January 31 – Open House–Book Fair–Tours–Materials – from 9:00 a.m.-Noon. Sister Laura available for Tours, answer questions and distribute material.

Monday, February 1 - Please join us for prayer and a light breakfast treat of doughnuts/milk/coffee at 8:30 a.m. in the school gym.

Tuesday, February 2 – School Mass- 9:15 a.m. (Parishioners and parents invited to join us.)

Tuesday, February 2 – Family Dinner, Open House and Book Fair. Open House from 5:00-6:30 p.m., followed by SJRS Talent Show.

Wednesday, February 3 – (Open House for interested new families. Please call 352-2720 to sign up for a tour.) School Tours and information by Principal 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Friday, February 5 – Grandparents'/Special Friends' Day – 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 2 – Family Dinner during Catholic Schools' Week is scheduled for 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. The Knights of Columbus, Keene Council will be putting on our Spaghetti Dinner with proceeds going to Grades 3-8 Class Trips. We will provide drinks and desserts only. They will provide the spaghetti, salad, bread and friendly cooking and serving! Thank you, Knights of Columbus for your generous and helpful community/parish support!

**Cost: \$5.00/person**

**Maximum cost per Family: \$20/Family**

**(Small children may split a meal.)**

**SJRS Talent Show – 6:30-7:30 p.m. Free Admission**

This year the entertainment will feature our very own SJRS Talented Performers. Students (individual or groups) will need to audition for a slot on stage. Students will audition for Sister Laura and Jennifer Fields, Grade 7, for approval of all aspects of their performance, including costumes.) Detailed information will follow for students wishing to audition.

**Congratulations!**

Ezra Cushing, Baritone – 2<sup>nd</sup> Chair

Emily Morenz, Alto Sax – 2<sup>nd</sup> Chair

They will be participating in March in the Middle Level Honors Band.

Congratulations to our six students who auditioned. Thank You!

