

HOLY CROSS PARISH, SOUTH PORTLAND



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
 This Sunday, May 30th
 3:00 - 4:00PM at Holy Cross Church
To Pray for Vocations

Saturday **May 29**
 4:00PM Roland A. Violette by
 His Wife Dorothy Violette

Sunday **May 30**
 7:00AM Intentions of the Parishioners
 10:00AM The Whalen Family by the Family
 5:30PM Norman Cribby by Wife Elaine &
 Family

Monday **May 31 (Memorial Day)**
 9:00AM Outdoor Mass at Calvary Cemetery
 (If rain, Mass at St. John's)

Tuesday **June 1**
 7:30AM Mona Nee by Mrs. Robert Bachelder

Wednesday **June 2**
 7:30AM Communion Service

Thursday **June 3**
 12 Noon Mass at St. John's

Friday **June 4**
 7:30AM Ernest MacVane, Sr. by
 Mrs. Robert Crabb & Family

Saturday **June 5**
 4:00PM J. Frederick Simpson by
 Wife Agnes & Family

Sunday **June 6**
 7:00AM John F. Haley by Family
 10:00AM James Bilodeau by Carolyn Anderson
 5:30PM Rosemarie Flaherty by the Holy
 Cross Youth Group

LECTOR, EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULES: Please pick up your June schedules in the church sacristy this weekend. Schedules are posted on the parish website at www.hcsj.org.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION: Friday, June 4, Eucharistic Adoration will be held at Holy Cross Church from the close of the 7:30AM Mass until 5:00PM. All are welcome to make a visit during the day in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

ARMATA BIANCA: A group of boys and girls (grades K-6) gather during Eucharistic Adoration to pray the rosary together. To join or for more information, call Maureen Wittmer at 883-5594.



NEXT SUNDAY, June 6, is Holy Cross night at the Wayside Evening Soup Kitchen. FMI please contact Margo or Tom Hill @799-5753. Thank you for your support!

Acolyte Ministry Any adult parishioners who are available during the day to serve at funeral Masses are invited to become an acolyte. Men and women are welcome to serve in this ministry. If you are only available on Saturdays, summer vacation, or certain days of the week your help is still welcome in this ministry. For more information contact the Parish Office at 772-7489. Thank you.



DEVOTIONAL LIGHT

A devotional light is burning this week in loving memory of:

Dorothy E. Maroon

Requested by husband, Michael

Maroon Sr. and Children, Michael Jr. & Pamela

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday, May 30
 3:00PM Eucharistic Adoration – HC Church

Monday, May 31
(Office/School Closed For Memorial Day)
 9:00AM Outdoor Mass at Calvary Cemetery

Tuesday, June 1
 7:00PM Majesty of Mary Cenacle Prayer
 Group – HC Chapel

Wednesday, June 2
 6:00PM Brownie Meeting – HC Café

Thursday, June 3
 9am-Noon Food Cupboard – SJ Church Hall
 7:00PM Holy Cross School Graduation – HC
 Church & School

Friday, June 4
 8AM-5PM First Friday Adoration – HC Church

Saturday, June 5
 8AM-1PM HC Gym In Use
 (HC Gym in use Mon.-Fri. 4:00-8:00PM)

Envelopes used	352	\$4627.75
Loose money		\$2099.78
Total Collection for W/E 5-23-04		\$6727.53
Ascension	\$615.80	
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.		

PLEASE NOTE: Coffee Hour and the 400 Club are not being held this weekend in observance of the Memorial Day Holiday Weekend. (If you have any questions regarding the 400 Club call Susan Gillis @ 799-8879. Thank you.)



BISHOP'S APPEAL TO DATE: \$4,850.00.



ANNUAL OUTDOOR MEMORIAL DAY MASS

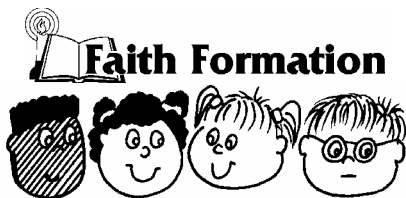
The annual outdoor Mass for deceased Veterans and family members will be held at **9:00AM on Monday, May 31st** at its usual location in New Calvary Cemetery, South Portland. Rev. James L. Nadeau will be the celebrant and homilist. (Limited chairs are available at the cemetery so bring lawn chairs if you wish.) In the event of rain, the Mass will be held at St. John's Church, Main Street, South Portland at the same time.

This event is sponsored by Conroy-Tully Funeral Homes in cooperation with St. John the Evangelist Church.

MARIAN HOLY HOUR to pray for non-believers, religious vocations, world peace and right to life issues. To be held at St. John the Evangelist Church, **Wednesday, June 2, from 5:00AM – 6:15AM. PLEASE ENTER BY PARKING LOT BACK DOOR.** Those who cannot join us at Church are urged to pray an Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be for these intentions sometime during the day.

VOCATIONS

“Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love.” Send forth workers into your vineyard. May some of our parishioners choose to serve you by becoming priests, brothers and sisters. If you feel God is calling you to serve Him, contact Fr. Frank Murray at 782-6911,



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

It's almost here!!! **Lava Lava Island: Where Jesus Love Flows.** V.B.S. will be held June 21 – 25 from 9:00 – 12 Noon at St. John Parish Center for children **Preschool – Grade 5.** The fee is \$40 and scholarships are available. We are seeking High School youth and Adults to minister as group or station leaders. This is a wonderful way to minister to the children in our parish community. Please call 773-8710 if you would like more information.

Readings for the Week of May 30, 2004

Sunday:	Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23
Monday:	Zep 3:14-18; Lk 1:39-56
Tuesday:	2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Mk 12:13-17
Wednesday:	2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Mk 12:18-27
Thursday:	2 Tm 2:8-15; Mk 12:28b-34
Friday:	2 Tm 3:10-17; Mk 12:35-37
Saturday:	2 Tm 4:1-8; Mk 12:38-44
Next Sunday:	Prv 8:22-31; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15

400 CLUB WINNERS FOR MAY, 2004

- 1st Prize \$200.00 #107 Ellen Lombardi
- 2nd Prize \$100.00 #384 William Tracey
- 3rd Prize \$100.00 # 4 Helen Keating
- 4th Prize \$100.00 #168 Francis Cook
- 5th Prize \$ 75.00 #227 Alice Flaherty
- 6th Prize \$ 25.00 # 66 Colleen DiPierro
- 7th Prize \$ 25.00 #396 Jim, Dan & Laura Harrington
- 8th Prize \$ 25.00 #201 Roland Adams
- 9th Prize \$ 25.00 #215 Laurie Thiboutot
- 10th Prize 25.00 # 48 Linda & Doug Hogue

\$100.00 Profit for Holy Cross School
Thanks to all of you for your support!

MEET DAVID TWOMEY

Our Pastoral Council invites you to attend a meeting with David Twomey sponsored by Voice of the Faithful-Maine on June 9 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center at St. John's. Mr. Twomey is the Chief Financial Officer for the Diocese of Portland and will be speaking about and answering your questions on the finances of the Catholic Church in Maine. He will also review the 2003 Diocesan Annual Financial Report. Everyone is invited. For more information contact Scott Ewing at 799-3520 or email sewing1@maine.rr.com.

THORNTON HEIGHTS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH BEAN SUPPER
June 5TH 2004- Time 5:00pm-6:30pm. Eat in or take out. Adults: \$6.00 and Children \$3.00

CALVARY CEMETERY ALERT

Calvary Cemetery has had a rash of several purses stolen from cars parked in the cemetery in the last few weeks. Please be aware and please feel free to report anything that looks suspicious including license numbers of suspicious vehicles to the office.

LOCK YOUR VALUABLES IN YOUR TRUNK!

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST PARISH, SOUTH PORTLAND



(Jesus) said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." -Jn 20:21-23

- Saturday** **May 29**
 5:30PM William Towsey by
 Rosemary Towsey
- Sunday** **May 30 (11:30-Baptism)**
 8:30AM Philip Shevenell by
 Terri & Don Bourassa
 11:30AM Laurence Maguire by
 David & Laura Stevens
- Monday** **May 31 (Memorial Day)**
 9:00AM Outdoor Mass at Calvary
 (If rain, Mass at St. John's)
- Tuesday** **June 1**
 7:30AM Mass at Holy Cross
- Wednesday** **June 2**
 12:00Noon Communion Service
- Thursday** **June 3**
 12:00Noon Philip Shevenell by
 Sue Poulin
- Friday** **June 4**
 7:30AM Mass at Holy Cross
- Saturday** **June 5**
 5:30PM Carmino Puopolo
- Sunday** **June 6**
 8:30AM Charlotte Corrigan by
 Jerry & Pat Shea
 11:30AM For the Intentions of the Parishioners



Please join us after the 8:30 Mass for donuts, bagels, & coffee in the Church Hall. Our host this week will be the Choir. Next week our host will be the Church Life Commission.

WOMEN'S COUNCIL SUPPER/MEETING

The Women's Council would like to remind you to make your reservations **by June 1st** for the Supper/Meeting. This supper is being catered and an accurate count must be given.

1ST FRIDAY ADORATION

First Friday adoration Friday, June 4th St. John's Church 1-5PM. All are invited to spend time in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.



DEVOTIONAL LIGHT

A devotional light is burning this week in loving memory of:

Barbara Welch

Requested by Gordon Welch.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday June 6

5:00-7:00PM Center in use

Monday, June 7

12:00Noon Bridge – SJ Center.
 6:30PM Women's Council Dinner/Ctr.

Wednesday, June 2

4:00PM Church Kitchen/Hall in Use
 7:00PM Rosary- Church

Thursday, June 3

9AM-12Noon Food Cupboard – SJ Church Hall
 9:00AM Quilters' – SJ Center
 6:30-9:00PM Church Hall in Use- A

Friday, June 4

1-5PM First Friday Adoration- SJ

Envelopes used	165	\$2476.00
Loose money		\$ 896.00
Total Collection for W/E 5/23-04		\$3372.00
Ascension	\$479.95	
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.		

BISHOP'S APPEAL TO DATE: \$2,820.00

