

**WEEKEND SCHEDULE MARCH 27 & 28****Saturday:**

4:00 PM @ SAG Mass: † William Greene by Jim & Pat Ouellette
 4:00 PM @ STA Mass: For All Parishioners
 6:00 PM @ SA Mass: † Douglas Gilbert by Mrs. Florence Allard

Sunday: Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

8:30 AM @ SAG Mass: † Katherine Weber by Her Family
 9:00 AM @ STA Mass: † Deceased Members for the Michaud & Flewelling Families by Mr & Mrs David Michaud
 11:00 AM @ SFX Mass: † Alyssa Buzzard by Her Family

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE MARCH 29 – APRIL 2**Monday: Monday of Holy Week**

8:30 AM Mass @ STA: † Sheila Fuller Floyd by Cathy Beaudry

Tuesday: Tuesday of Holy Week

8:30 AM @ SA Mass: † Douglas Gilbert by Mr & Mrs Robert Quirion

Wednesday: No Mass Wednesday of Holy Week

8:30 AM @ SA Communion Service

Thursday: Holy Thursday

7:00 PM @ STA Mass: † Anna McManus, Elsie McArthur & Leona Drossel by Miriam McArthur
 7:00 PM @ SAG Mass: † William Greene by Jim & Pat Ouellette

Friday: Good Friday Services

6:30 PM @ SFX
 6:30 PM @ STA
 6:30 PM @ SAG

EASTER SCHEDULE APRIL 3 & 4**Saturday: Vigil of Easter**

7:30 PM @ SAG Mass: † Barbara M. Kenniston by Madelyn K. Given & Family
 7:30 PM @ SA Mass: † Kelli Jane Hutchinson by the Beaudry Family

Sunday: Easter Sunday: the Resurrection of the Lord

8:30 AM @ SAG Mass: † Dale Champagne by the Champagne Family
 9:00 AM @ STA Mass: For the Intentions of Elizabeth Young by Terry & Jane Young
 10:00 AM @ SA Mass: † Joanne Hibbard by Theresa A. Gilbert
 11:00 AM @ SFX Mass: † John & Margaret Allen by Tom & Terrie Allen & Family

Worship & Spirituality

Fr Innocent Okozi

Thank you for joining us for Holy Week

**Sanctuary Lamp:**

St. Anne's March 28th Burns In Memory of Douglas Gilbert by Mr & Mrs Robert Quirion

Please pray for our sick

Chris Ames, Bonnie B., Richard Bergevin, Nick Caivano, Roland Clukey, Leona Crawford, Martha Danforth, Patrick DeCesare, Vernetta Dechaine, Eugene DeLorenzo, Mary Drew, Brenda Edgerly, Jim Favolora, Mary Flynn, Raymond Fortin, Gail Goulette, John Greaney, Eva Hejducek, Marguerite Laflamme, William Jennings, Robert Kelly, Nancy Kerwin, Gayle Kiernan, Barbara Laferriere, Hilda Lankist, Reuben Lumbra, Donald Martin Jr, Jim Matthews, Miriam McArthur, Peggy Meakin, James Morrison, Josephine Morrison, Barbara Munsell, Gloria Nadeau, Rae-ann Paradis, Ray Paine, Suzanne Pearson, Jane Reid, Angelo Rizzo, Elizabeth Ronco, Timmy Ryan, Todd Supka, Dick Sylvia, Matthew Troy, Tom Welsh

REST IN PEACE: John Greenier, Velma Walker

Readings for the week of: March 29th

Monday: [Is 42:1-7](#); [Jn 12:1-11](#)

Tuesday: [Is 49:1-6](#); [Jn 13:21-33, 36-38](#)

Wednesday: [Is 50:4-9a](#); [Mt 26:14-25](#)

Thursday: [Ex 12:1-8, 11-14](#); [Jn 13:1-15](#)

Friday: [Is 52:13—53:12](#); [Jn 18:1—19:42](#)

Saturday: [Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a](#); [Lk 24:1-12](#)

Sunday: [Acts 10:34a, 37-43](#); [Lk 24: 13-35](#)

In preparation for Mass, open your Bible or logon to United States Conference of Catholic Bishops website www.nccbuscc.org and click on Daily Readings.





The Cluster Office will be closed on Friday April 2nd in observance of Good Friday

Vocations:

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion -- March 28, 2010

"The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious." Docility in prayer is essential to vocation discernment. Are you open to a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate or the consecrated life? Call Fr. Bob Vaillancourt @ 207-773-6471 robert.vaillancourt@portlanddiocese.org or Sr. Rita Mae Bissonnette @ 207-773-6471 ritamae.bissonnette@portlanddiocese.org.

PALM SUNDAY - March 28, 2010

YEAR FOR PRIESTS 2009 ~ JUNE 19 ~ 2010

Since the priesthood is rooted in Christ, it is by its nature in the Church and for the Church. ... Likewise, obedience to Christ, who made amends for Adam's disobedience, is in practice expressed in ecclesial obedience, which for the priest in daily life means first and foremost obedience to his Bishop. In the Church, however, obedience is not something formalistic; it is obedience to the one who, in turn, obeys and personifies the obedient Christ. All this neither frustrates nor even attenuates the practical requirements of obedience, but guarantees theological depth and its Catholic tone: in the Bishop we obey Christ and the whole Church which he represents in this place. (Benedict XVI - 5/13/2005)

FOOD COLLECTION BOXES

At St. Anne's and St. Thomas



The item for next week is:

Tuna fish or mayo

Food Collection at Sts Francis & Paul

is taken to the Ecumenical Food Cupboard. Thank you for your donations.



Last chance for Cabot Cheese orders. Checks can be made payable to OLOTS.

Activities for this Week

- Sunday 3/28** K-6 Religious Ed 9:30 AM @ SFX
K-5 Religious Ed 10 AM @ STA
Parent Breakfast 10 AM @ STA
Our Lady's Kitchen 12-1 PM @ SA
Living Stations of the Cross 7 PM @ STA
- Monday** RCIA 6:30 PM @ STA
- Wednesday** Praying of the Rosary 8:05 AM @ SA
Matthew 25 3 PM @ MUYDC
SA Choir 7 PM @ SA
- Sunday 4/04** Easter Egg Hunt following Mass @ STA
Our Lady's Kitchen 12-1 PM @ SA

Finance and Administration Weekly Collection Report

Offertory for: March 21, 2010	Our Lady of the Snows	
Weekly Budget Goal	\$4,731.00	
Envelopes	151	\$3064.55
Non-envelopes	\$468.65	
Total Collected	\$3533.20	
Overage (Deficit)	(\$1197.80)	
YTD Budget Goal	\$179,778.00	
YTD Collected	\$156,272.47	
YTD Overage (Deficit)	(\$23,505.53)	
Attendance	391	
2 nd collection (if any)	\$	

Next week's 2nd collection:
Clergy Health & Pension Program



This week's
2nd collection

**FUEL
COLLECTION**



Let us all pray for peace. Please keep our service women and men in your prayers.



Faith Formation

Reflection of the Week



If you have never taken part in the question of the week, Lent would be a perfect time to start. A small addition to your faith life that can be done as a family, it could add to your Disciples in Mission program as well.

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

(The Passion and Death of Christ)

March 28, 2010

Reading I: [Isaiah 50:4-7](#)

(I Shall Not Be Put to Shame)

Reading II: [Philippians 2:6-11](#) (Christ Humbled Himself)

Gospel: [Luke 22:14—23:56](#) (The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ)



Adults

How does the personal forgiveness of sins, extended to me by Jesus, fill me with a deep sense of the mercy of God?

Children

How do I know that Jesus forgives my sins?



Our parish youth are busy decorating Easter Eggs to beautify our churches for Easter. Christians view the eggs as symbols of joy and celebration, because they were forbidden during Lent, and of new life and Resurrection. Just as a chick breaks open its shell when it is hatched and begins its life, so Christ comes forth living from the apparently lifeless tomb. Please take a moment to admire our youth's artwork.



Knights of Columbus

Easter Egg Hunt @ St Thomas worship site

Children, please join us on Easter Sunday after Mass for an Easter Egg Hunt on the front lawn.

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus



Cluster 7 Parish Council

There are four (4) positions open on the Cluster 7 Parish Council for the upcoming year. The term of office is for three (3) years commencing on the first day of June immediately following appointment in May and ending on the last day of May in the year the term expires. Your commitment is to attend one meeting (the council meets on the second Tuesday of the month) six times a year.



If you are interested in serving and providing your stewardship for Cluster 7, please call one of the following nominating committee members no later than April 18, 2010. The members are - Liz Breault (938-2678), Kathie Lombard (938-3307), John Waluk (568-3578), or Dave Michaud (564-7494).

Won't you give of your time and talents to your Cluster by serving on the Council? Please call today!

Vianney

PERFORMED BY
LEONARDO DEFILIPPIS

FOR THE YEAR OF THE PRIESTHOOD

VIANNEY, the new live production performed by Leonardo Defilippis, the director and star of the feature film THÉRÈSE, will be presented in the Diocese of Portland at the following locations:

St. John Vianney Parish @ St. Louis Church, Fort Kent

Tuesday, April 6 – 207-834-5656

St. Mary's Church, Bangor

Wednesday, April 7 – 207-945-5018

Good Shepherd Parish @ St. Joseph Church, Biddeford

Thursday, April 8 – 207-773-6471

McAuley High School, Portland

Friday, April 9 – 207-773-6471

Franco American Heritage Center, Lewiston

Saturday, April 10 – 207-689-2000

All Performances Begin at 7:00 p.m.

Admission: Free Will Offering

Sponsored by: Diocese of Portland

Come experience the gripping story of the remarkable priest who battled the devil to save souls. This performance is suitable for ages 9 and up. Visit www.vianneydrama.com or call the hosting location directly for complete details.

View the video preview for the drama!

www.vianneydrama.com

Social Justice & Peace

Our Lady's Kitchen Korner



...for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me... (Matt 25:35)

**A hot meal will be offered between 12 and 1 PM at St. Anne's Parish Hall
60 Free Street in Dexter every Sunday.
A great way to get out of the house and share a meal with others. All are welcome.**

Team 3, March 21st

To all members of Team 3, well done again! It doesn't seem like a hardship for them, although it is, they take time on Sundays, they work with such enthusiasm, love and energy. It amazes me that doing what Jesus wants us to do in his name can be so enlightening. Our faith is strengthening through one another.

I thought we would be helping others only. But its not the case. Each one that participates feels the surge of grace into us as members of Christ's family. Its such a good feeling.

*So faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead.
(James 2:17)*

THANK YOU: Buds Shop & Save & P&L Market, all the parishioners who donate non perishables, those who make pastry, to the person who donated baked macaroni, American chop suey, pastry and bread, and to all who pray for us.

Please pray for Steve Hopkins who had an accident with his tractor. Steve has been very generous to OLK donating fresh produce.

Prayer to the Blessed Mother Mary

We humbly pray to you to ask for your intercession, for the hungry that they be fed, for the lonely that they be comforted, for the depressed that they be enlightened, for the stressed that they be relieved, for the turned away that they be returned, for the faithful that they be aware, for Our Lady's Kitchen to supply the bread of life to all.

Amen

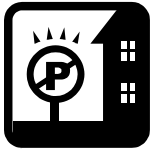
Parking at St. Thomas worship site:

Please do not block the (2) driveways at the church and rectory. Please do not park your cars on High St. so as to block cars in the parking lot. Emergencies have arisen and people were unable to get their cars out because they were blocked in.

We have permission to use the parking lot of the old superintendent's building at the end of High Street. Please note – the area nearest the Advent Christian Church is for their members use. May we suggest, if our parking lot is full, and you are physically fit, you can drop off members of your party at St Thomas then utilize that lot.

We have also noticed a sign on the lawn of the house on the corner of High & Court streets, asking that people please not park on their lawn. The ground is very soft now and it is causing damage.

Thank you for your consideration.



Shrimp and Pasta Cheddar-Alfredo

Makes 6 servings



- 2 tablespoons butter
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 tablespoon **King Arthur** Unbleached All-Purpose Flour
- 1 1/2 cups 2% reduced-fat milk
- 6 ounces Cabot 50% Reduced Fat Cheddar, grated & divided (about 1 1/2 cups)
- 1 ounce 1/3-less-fat cream cheese
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 4 cups hot cooked fettuccine (about 8 ounces uncooked pasta)
- 1 1/2 pounds peeled and deveined cooked shrimp
- 1 teaspoon Old Bay seasoning

1. Melt butter in a small saucepan over medium heat. Add garlic; cook 1 minute, stirring frequently. Whisk in flour until well blended. Gradually add milk, stirring with a whisk.
2. Bring to a boil; reduce heat and simmer 3 to 5 minutes or until mixture thickens, whisking frequently. Reduce heat and add cream cheese, stirring until well blended. Gradually whisk in 1 cup cheddar and salt, stirring until well blended.
3. Toss sauce with hot pasta and cooked shrimp. Sprinkle with remaining cheddar and seasoning; serve immediately.