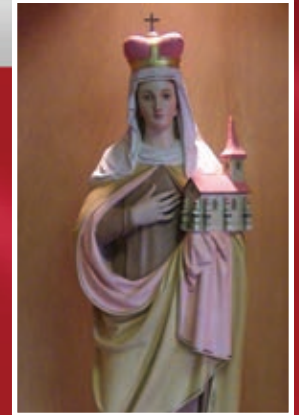


St. Hedwig Parish

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August 16 Sierpien 2020

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday 4:00 pm. / Sunday 10:00 am. Holy Days as announced

Confessions Saturday 3:00 - 3:30 pm or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration Thursdays 10:00 am.

Divine Mercy Devotion Fridays 3:00 pm.



20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dwudnasta Niedziela Zwykła

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Parish Information

St. Hedwig Cemetery

Old Bedford, Bedford, NH 03103

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Sacraments:

Baptism

Please contact the parish if you wish to have your child baptized. Baptisms are celebrated after the 10 am Mass on Sundays, except during the Lenten season.

Marriage

Marriages are booked six months in advance.

Convent

Sr. Mary Thomas Lesniak, CSSF

Sr. Jacqueline Mary Kazanowski, CSSF

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Welcome

Are you new to the parish?

We are glad you can worship with us at St. Hedwig Parish. Please register at the rectory or in the Sacristy after Mass. If you haven't already, please take a parish registration form at the entrance of the Church and fill it out. On the reverse side of the form, you can make a choice of joining any of the Parish Ministries available at St. Hedwig. When complete, please drop the form in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office at:

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Weekly Giving

Donations received 8/ 1-7 2020

Weekly giving **\$1,636**

Online giving **\$157.50**

Total: \$1793.50

Thank You!

Bóg Zapłać!



Sunday Readings

Twentieth Sunday of Ordinary Time.

Reading I: Isaiah 56: 1, 6-7

Foreigners, or Gentiles, living within Palestine were given limited rights by the Jews. This arose because a certain universalist tendency now held sway among the Jews of this prophet's time.

Reading II: Romans 11: 13-15, 29-32

God's gifts and calling are given both to Jews and Gentiles. Paul definitely believes this. For him, who was always conscious of his Jewish origins, it became a clear belief that Jews and all others will be saved through God's mercy.

The Gospel: Matthew 15: 21-28

The Canaanite woman is doubly marginal: she is a woman in a man's world and a Gentile. She uses Our Lord's "dog" imagery to make a frank but humble reply. He recognizes the universality of His Father's call; admires the woman's faith, and immediately heals her daughter.



Pastor's Corner

Hello Everyone,

I am happy to report that the closing on the sale of the former St. Casimir school will occur in about a month. The school was sold to an organization called Cafe 1269. It is a city based, Christian outreach organization that serves to help the homeless by providing additional shelter, along with New Horizons. Cafe 1269 also provides counseling services for those who are struggling with addictions, and is a resource for health and emergency care with the city hospitals. I am very happy that Cafe 1269 will be occupying the building as it will continue to serve as a place of safety, love, and care, as it did for the students of St. Casimir School for so many years. Please join me in congratulating Cafe 1269 in their purchase of the school building and to pray for the good works they do for the less fortunate in making the quality of their lives a little better, and bringing hope to the hopeless, and shelter to the homeless.

We continue to work with the Currier Gallery of Art as we are hammering out some details for an agreement and a very possible purchase of the house. The Currier desires to acquire the house so as to restore it to its Victorian charm and make it a part of the museum display.

Fr. Eric



Święta Jadwigo
Módl się za nami.



“Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who prowl through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.”



Readings of the Week

Monday: Ez 24:15-23; Deut 32:18-19, 20, 21; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10; Deut 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30

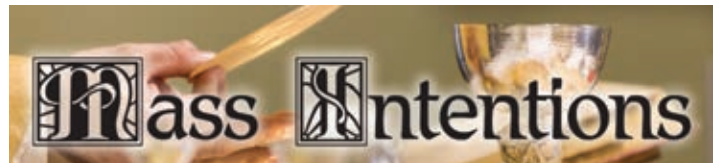
Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab; Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 23:1-12

Sunday: Is 22:19-23; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8; Rom 11:33-36; Mt 16:13-20



Sobota / Saturday August 15, 2020

4:00 pm. **S+p. Raymond Menard, 20th Anniversary**
from Deena & David LaChance

Niedziela / Sunday August 16, 2020

10:00 am. **S+p. Joseph M. Bajdek, Birthday Remembrance**
from Anthony & Cynthia Bajdek

S+p. Elyse Lange
from the Szulc Family

Sanctuary Lamp

August 15 - 21

Joseph M. Bajdek

Sobota / Saturday August 22, 2020

4:00 pm. **S+p. Emlen Betley Cote**
from Lyndi Cote

Niedziela / Sunday August 23, 2020

10:00 am. **S+p. Mildred Kazanowski, Birthday Remembrance**
from the Family

Guidelines to follow as we return to the public celebration of Mass.

For your safety:



Please Use Hand Sanitizer when entering the church.



Masks are strongly recommended. They are to be removed when receiving Holy

Communion and replaced afterwards. If you don't have one, spare masks are available at the entrance of the church. Please discard after use.

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Maintain 6 Feet Social Distancing In Line and in the pews.

Congregational singing is discouraged at this time. There is no Exchange of Peace. When exiting the church after Mass, please leave your kneeler down so we know where to clean and disinfect the pews. We can only hope and pray that this will be for only a little while longer and return to some sense of normalcy.



Home Visits

If you know of anyone, family or friend, who is sick/homebound, please let us know so that we may add them to our prayer list or to make arrangements for a home visit for Holy Communion, and the Anointing of the Sick.



Please pray for the sick and homebound of our parish:

***Frederick Ejdownski, Shirley Stemska,
Rita Haskins, Nancy Roy***

If you know of any other members of St. Hedwig's who are homebound and could be added to this list, please let Fr. Eric know or leave a message on the parish voice mail. Thank you.

A Prayer for the Sick of our Parish

May you be wrapped up in God's love found deep in His everlasting wings. Carried and kept, safe and cherished. May the healing power of Christ breath across your being now.



Please note as I mentioned in a mailing I sent out a few weeks ago that I am making the distribution of Holy Communion available after the weekend Masses for those who are still a little weary of attending Mass due to Covid-19 concerns. I will be available in the church after the Saturday Mass from 4:45 - 5:15 pm., and Sunday 10:45 - 11:15 am. The necessary precautions are in place, social distancing, hand sanitizers, and masks, for our safety and protection. Hope to see those whom I haven't seen in awhile.



Online Giving: Help grow and sustain our parish! Online giving allows you to make donations, payments, and pledges to your parish via your computer or smart device. Just go to sainthedwigparishnh.org, click on **online giving** to set up an account. It's very easy.



Humor



"So where do you see yourself in five months?"



Parish Devotional Life



Every Fridays at 3:00 pm.
join us for the recitation of
the Divine Mercy Devotions
as we pray for God's mercy
on the world.

Eucharistic Adoration on Thursdays

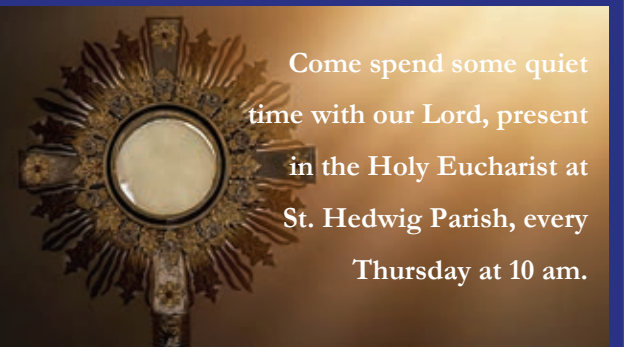


Weekday Masses

I am thinking about introducing weekday masses at St. Hedwig Parish beginning in the Fall.

For starters, Masses would be Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, but I would like your input as to what time would work best. I am thinking perhaps a **9:00 am**. Mass, as there are many earlier morning Masses throughout the city, this one would be a little later. Or a **5:00 pm**. (evening) Mass. Very few parishes offer a weekday Mass at that time. This will also make for more available dates for Mass Intentions.

Let me know what you think. Give us a call at **603-623-4835** or e-mail me at **parishoffice@sthedwigparish.comcastbiz.net**.



Come spend some quiet
time with our Lord, present
in the Holy Eucharist at
St. Hedwig Parish, every
Thursday at 10 am.

When we spend time in the presence of the Eucharist, it is as if we place ourselves in front of a master sculptor and we are an unfinished or even damaged block of marble. During this time, He shapes our rough edges, mends our cracks, listens to our prayers, and strengthens us for the journey. This will be particularly helpful as we move forward in uncertain times. The future, especially over the next several months, is unpredictable. However, we know that Jesus, who is truly present in the Eucharist, is longing for us to find stability in Him. He is waiting for us on every altar and in every tabernacle and monstrance. So whether we remain here in Manchester or are guided to other places, Jesus is pulling us toward Himself. In doing so, we will all be united in prayer regardless of time, place and circumstances.

Deacon David Gagnon

Please remember in your prayers

Julia Palys McManus



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