

Our Lady of the Lakes Parish

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Rev. Philip Clement

Parish Administrator



Parish Worship Sites

St. Luke's Church: 19 Lake Street, Rangeley, ME

St. John's Church: 76 Main Street, Stratton, ME

Our Lady of the Lakes Church: 43 Rangeley Avenue, Oquossoc, ME
(Seasonal - Memorial Day Weekend to the Second Weekend in October)

Bell Chapel at Sugarloaf: 5085 Access Road, Carrabassett Valley, ME
(Seasonal - December Through March)

Welcome!

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 13, 2022

Scripture Readings for the Weekend

Malachi 3:19-20a

Psalms 98:5-6, 7-8, 9

2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

Gospel – Luke 21:5-19

[Click Here](#) to view the weekly readings online or go to <https://bible.usccb.org>.

Mass Schedule **Weekend Masses**

Saturday

St. John, Stratton 6:00 PM

Sunday

St. Luke, Rangeley 8:00 AM

St. Luke, Rangeley 9:30 AM

Weekday Masses:

Wednesday St. John, Stratton 6:00 PM

Thursday St. Luke, Rangeley 9:00 AM

Friday St. Luke, Rangeley 9:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday St. John, Stratton 5:00 to 5:45 PM

Thursday St. Luke, Rangeley 8:15 to 8:45 AM

Saturday St. Luke, Rangeley 3:00 to 3:45 PM
and

By Appointment – Please call the rectory

Cluster Mass Schedules

St. Rose in Jay Saturday at 4:00 PM
Sunday at 8:30 AM

St. Joseph in Farmington Sunday at 10:30 AM
Sunday at 6:00 PM

Confessions at 4:00 PM on Sunday at St. Joseph

Sacraments

Baptism – Please contact the Rectory Office to schedule a baptism. Parents are required to participate in a baptismal catechetical session prior to the celebration of the sacrament.

Marriage – Arrangements with the parish must be made at least six months prior to the wedding. Fulfillment of a Diocesan, pre-marriage program is required.

Anointing of the Sick - The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is one of the healing sacraments of the Church and is not meant only for those who are at the point of death. An illness, a serious injury, impending surgery or advanced age is sufficient reason for the celebration of the Sacrament. Requests for the Anointing of the Sick should be made by calling the rectory at 207-864-3795.

Mass Intentions

To request a Mass, please submit the name of the intention, indicating whether they are living or deceased. Also, include your name, a telephone number and the date you would like the Mass to be celebrated. The usual offering is \$10.00. Please place the information in an envelope and mail it to the rectory or hand it to Father Clement. There are openings for Mass intentions on the parish calendar.

Bulletin Submissions

Submissions for publication in the bulletin must be given to Father Clement ten days before the date publication.

Contact Information

If you are new to the parish, WELCOME, or if you have been a member of Our Lady of the Lakes Parish for a number of years, please help us update contact information by filling out a registration form. These forms can be found in the Welcome Packets that are available at the entrance of the church.

Mass Intentions For The Upcoming Week

Saturday, November 12, 2022

6:00 PM St. John Church in Stratton
+ Stanley Hodyka by Tom O'Hara

Sunday, November 13, 2022

8:00 AM at St Luke Church in Rangeley
People of Our Lady of the Lakes Parish
9:30 AM at St. Luke Church in Rangeley
Sandy Sauer by her family

Monday, November 14, 2022

No Mass

Tuesday, November 15, 2022

No Mass

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

6:00 PM St. John Church in Stratton
+ Deceased members of the Schnorr Family by Lynn Schnorr

Thursday, November 17, 2022

9:00 AM St. Luke Church in Rangeley
Pete Smith by Dianne Brown

Friday, November 18, 2022

9:00 AM St. Luke Church in Rangeley
Sandy Sauer by her family

Saturday, November 19, 2022

6:00 PM St. John Church in Stratton
+ John Mahon by his family

Sunday, November 20, 2022

8:00 AM at St Luke Church in Rangeley.
Special Intention
9:30 AM at St. Luke Church in Rangeley
People of Our Lady of the Lakes Parish

Mass is livestreamed from St. Luke Church every Sunday at 9:30 AM on YouTube. To access the livestream, [CLICK HERE](#) or type "Our Lady of the Lakes Oquossoc" in the YouTube search bar.

Please Pray For Our Sick

Lisa & Michael Beaulieu, Roy & Carol Henrickson, Kit & Linda Caspar, Pete Smith, Patty Simpson, Marie Sutherland, Sheila Williams, Kandi Cuples, Lily Pratt, Rolande Begin, Eva McMillan, Joanne Blais, Jazmine Rivera, Joan & Chet Masse, JoAnn F. Lund, Jan Schum, John Richards, Barry Stanton, Allison Mansmann, Roger Mislove, Patrick Connolly, Howard Myers, Caleb Derosier, Jasmine Glidden Brown, Brian Moroney, Melissa Pare, Ryan Dougan, Tony Marcellino, Don Factor, John Brinkman, Leah Devine, Alex Amaral, Matt Marino, Sandi & Angelo Chipouras, Barbara Basta, Jean Nutile, Daniel Conrad, Irene Swanton, Claudette Dumas, Peter Devine, Carol Andrews, Ed Andrews, Julie Bolduc, Debbie Graul, Katie Devine, Sheila Raymond, Martha Lesnick, Michael Lesnick, Sam Levesque, Charles Bartlett, Sandy O'Neill, Lee Henderson, Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera.

Adding a Name to the Prayer List

If you would like to add a name to the prayer list, you must first obtain the person's permission to include them. Please place their name, along with your name and your telephone number in an envelope and mail it to the rectory or hand it to Father Clement.

Stewardship: Offertory

Second Collections:
This week is for winter heating fuel and snow removal.
Next week is for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD).

Thank you for the support of our parish and the propagation of our Faith.



Please [CLICK HERE](#) to be taken to the online portal for Our Lady of the Lakes Parish. Or by typing the following address into your search engine:

<https://ollme.weshareonline.org>

From the Pastor

In today's first reading, the prophet Malachi speaks a word from God that draws a stark contrast between the way those who fear the Lord will be treated and the way those who offend the Lord will be treated. Those of us who are mindful of our sins are well versed in what it means to offend the Lord, but what does it mean to have "fear the Lord."

Fear of the Lord is one of the (7) Gifts of the Holy Spirit. This gift enables a person to avoid sin and attachment to created things out of reverence and love of God. Primarily, this gift entails a profound respect for the majesty of God who is the supreme being. It is not to be understood as the servile fear of God where we tremble if we do something wrong out of fear that God will send us to hell. Rather, true fear of the Lord, as a gift from the Holy Spirit, is based on love, not fear of punishment.

Our relationship with God is one based on love, and fear of the Lord is an apprehension toward doing anything wrong because — out of love — we fear offending God and losing or damaging our relationship with Him. To have the fear of the Lord, as Proverbs 9:10 states, "is the first stage of wisdom." Let us pray to exercise this special gift of the Holy Spirit.

With prayers for your holiness and God's abundant blessings,

Fr. Philip

Book of the Names of the Dead

November is the month when we dedicate special prayers for our deceased loved ones. In each church during November, there is a copy of the Book of the Names of the Dead. Feel free to add the names of your deceased loved ones to the Book of the Names of the Dead to be prayed for in this special way.

Parish Book Club

On Tuesday, November 29th at 4 pm, we will be talking about the novel "American Dirt" by Jeannine Cummins (an Oprah Book Club selection).

Forced to flee, Lydia and her son, Luca, find themselves joining the countless people trying to reach the United States. Lydia soon sees that everyone is running from something. But what exactly are they running to?



If you would like to participate in these discussions, contact Carole Hoffmann 864-5658 or carole2f2n@aol.com to receive the Zoom invitation information.

The 7 Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Wisdom
Understanding
Knowledge
Fortitude
Counsel
Piety
Fear of the Lord