

SAINT STANISLAUS KOSTKA CATHOLIC CHURCH

A personal parish of the Diocese of Manchester entrusted to the Institute of the Good Shepherd



"In obedience all is secure; out of it all is to be suspected." Saint Francis de Sales

Sundays

Low Mass at 8:30 a.m. • High Mass at 10:30 a.m. • Vespers at 1:00 p.m.

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Rectory hours: Tuesday to Friday 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.
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Weekday Masses Summer Schedule

Monday 9:00 a.m., Tuesday and Thursday, 8:00 a.m. Wednesday 11:30 a.m.
Friday 8:00 a.m., Saturday, 9:00 a.m.

August 30, 2026 • XIV after Pentecost

Mass Calendar & Intentions

Sunday, Aug 30: XIV after Pent.

8:30 a.m. Low Mass, Intention of the Donor
10:30 a.m. High Mass, Intention of the Donor
1:00 p.m. Vespers & Benediction

Monday, Aug. 31: Saint Raymond Nonnatus

9:00 a.m. No Mass

Tuesday, Sept. 1: Feria

8:00 a.m. Low, Intention of the Donor

Wednesday, Sept. 2: Saint Stephen

11:30 a.m. Low, Intention of the Donor

Thursday, Sept. 3: Saint Pius X

8:00 a.m. No Mass

Friday, Sept. 4: Feria, 1st Fri.

9:00 a.m. Low, Intention of the Donor, Benediction

Saturday, Sept. 5: Saint Lawrence Justinian, 1st Sat.

1:00 p.m. Wedding

Sunday, Sept. 6: XV after Pent.

8:30 a.m. Low Mass, Intention of the Donor
10:30 a.m. High Mass, pro populo
1:00 p.m. Vespers & Benediction

Sacristy

Sacristy is a place of silence where the priests need to recollect before Mass and liturgy.

In the Morning, priests are not available to talk before 9:00 a.m. as they do thanksgiving & Meditation. Thank you for understanding!

FROM THE PASTOR

Saint Peter Julian Eymard, the "Apostle of the Eucharist," famously taught that Jesus remains truly present in the Blessed Sacrament, waiting to fill our hearts with His peace. He urged the faithful to make Christ the center of their daily lives, declaring: *"You take communion to become holy, not because you already are."*

When we step away from our busy schedules to sit quietly before the Monstrance, we answer a direct, personal invitation from our Savior. Saint Peter Julian reminded believers of the profound intimacy found in these quiet moments, writing: *"Hear Mass daily; it will prosper the whole day. All your duties will be performed the better for it, and your soul will be stronger to bear its daily cross."*

This week, answer His gentle call. Spend a few quiet moments in Eucharistic adoration. Allow His presence to renew your spirit, change your heart, and give you the strength to share His love with everyone you meet. As Saint Peter Julian beautifully promised: *"Look upon the hour of adoration assigned to you as an hour in paradise."*

Friday after Mass Benediction and all Sundays as usual.

Parish Announcements

Sanctuary Lamp: offered by the Rita Skiffington up to October 26th, 2026. Thank you very much!

Donate and manage your Sunday donation through Flocknote

<https://saintstanislaus.flocknote.com/give>

NHCA 2026 goal: 20,350.00

Up to date: \$19151.46; to goal: \$1198.54

Homeschool co-op: Register for this Fall. Coordinators: Michelle Filipi, Christine Bryan

Summer Parish Campfire: Once a Month during Summer: bbq, Potluck, homemade Smore's... Last one Sept. 19th

Volunteers: we need Ushers and Collection counters. Thank you.

2026-27 Catechism registration: Sign up for children and adult catechism using the flocknote link you received in your email box.

Upcoming:

- Keenan Morin and Anastasia Saginario Wedding scheduled Sept. 5th.
- Sept. 8th: Homeschool co-op resumes.
- Sept. 8th: 20th Anniversary of the Institute of the Good Shepherd.
- Last Summer Campfire: Sept. 19th at 5:30 pm.
- Youth Group: Oct. 3rd at 5:30pm
- Oktoberfest: Oct. 17th at 5pm: Black Forest contest, German food, potluck...

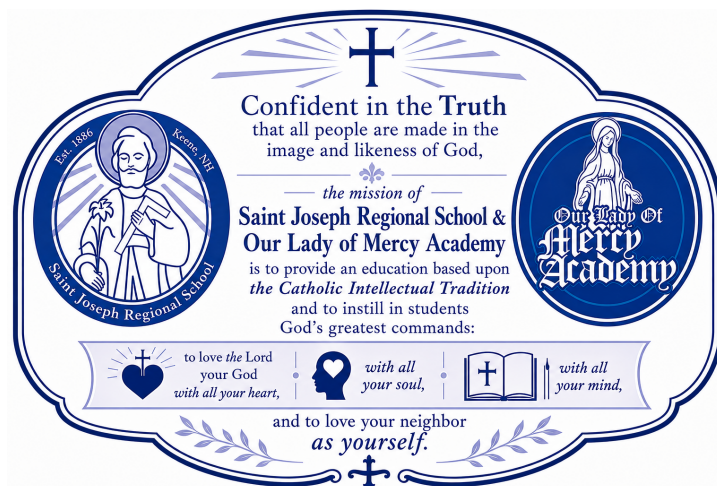
Saint Raymond Nonnatus was a thirteenth-century Spanish friar whose life was defined by miraculous survival and radical self-sacrifice. Born in Catalonia in 1204, he received the surname Nonnatus, meaning "not born," because he was delivered via an early form of Caesarean section after his mother had tragically passed away during labor. This extraordinary survival later led to his traditional patronage of pregnant women, unborn children, and midwives.

As a young man, Raymond felt a powerful religious calling and joined the Mercedarian Order, a community strictly dedicated to ransoming Christian captives taken by Moorish raiders. He journeyed to North Africa to negotiate the release of hundreds of slaves. When his financial resources were completely exhausted and many captives still remained in chains, he willingly offered his own body as a hostage so that the prisoners could go free.

Even while enduring brutal captivity in Algiers, Raymond refused to be silenced. He continuously ministered to his fellow slaves and preached the Gospel to his captors, successfully converting several guards. In a cruel attempt to stop his evangelism, his torturers bored holes through his lips and secured them with an iron padlock, unlocking it only to allow him to eat a meager portion of food.

Eventually ransomed and recalled to Spain, he was named a cardinal by Pope Gregory IX for his heroic virtue. However, his body was completely broken by years of physical torment and starvation. He died in 1240 at the young age of thirty-six before he could reach Rome. His legacy of profound charity, empathy, and courage is celebrated globally on his feast day, August 31st.

"It is not hard to obey when we love the one whom we obey." Saint Ignatius of Loyola.



Saint Joseph Regional School and Our Lady of Mercy Academy in Keene, NH is currently OPEN FOR ENROLLMENT.

Serving students in grades Pre-Kindergarten through 12th grade, we are committed to forming students in truth, goodness, and beauty while nurturing both minds and hearts for lives of faith, wisdom, and service. At **Saint Joseph Regional School**, grades Pre-K-8, our vision is to be a vibrant and authentic school community that wholeheartedly celebrates our Catholic faith, offers rigorous academics, and unites passionate teachers in the mission. At **Our Lady of Mercy Academy**, grades 9-12, we recognize that every student's educational journey is unique. That being said, we have our brick-and-mortar school located next to SJRS, where we offer our Classical Curriculum, and we are also committed to working with families to explore flexible learning opportunities that support each student's individual goals while remaining rooted in our Catholic classical mission. Flexible opportunities may include supplemental coursework, online learning options, potential dual enrollment, or other individualized academic pathways. Two Catholic Schools, one mission united in faith, forming saints and scholars.

Please contact us today to find out more about our schools. Contact information: hcarlson@stjosephkeene.org / 603-352-2720 / stjosephkeene.org / mercyacademykeene.org

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

THE WEEKLY GOAL IS \$3215.00

AUG. 23RD COLLECTION: \$1468.00

ONLINE GIVING: \$454.02

TOTAL: \$1922.02

FUEL: \$25.00 FLOWERS: \$25.00 BUILDING FUND: \$20.00

LITURGICAL NEEDS: \$60.00

Prayer in adopting a dying Soul.

Heavenly Father, through the loving intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, I humbly offer my prayer today by adopting a dying soul, known or unknown to me. May they be reconciled with You through an act of perfect contrition and be strengthened by the Sacraments of the Church, with the assistance of their loved ones. Amen.

One Our Father, One Hail Mary, and One Glory Be.