



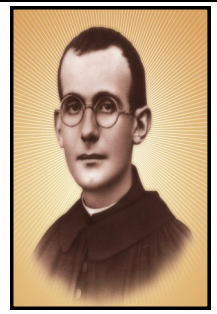
# Mater Dei Parish

St. Mary Star of the Sea    St. Edward the Confessor  
St. James the Greater      St. Benedict Labre

06/20/2020 through 06/28/2020

## Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Welcome Back to Mater Dei Parish!



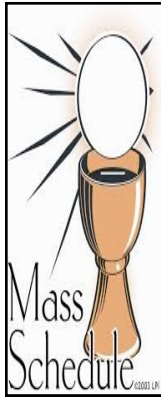
### DAILY & WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

#### DAILY MASSES:

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY AT  
9:00 AM & 4:00 PM AT ST. MARY'S  
& AT 9:00 AM ON SATURDAY  
MORNING AT ST. MARY'S

#### WEEKEND MASSES:

SATURDAY: 4:00 PM @ ST. JAMES  
4:00 PM @ ST. MARY  
5:30 PM @ ST. BENEDICT  
SUNDAY: 8:30 AM @ ST. EDWARD  
9:30 AM @ ST. MARY  
11:00 AM @ ST. MARY



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE ARE AVAILABLE ON THE TABLE IN BACK OF THE CHURCH. PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT (802) 334-5066 IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SCHEDULE A MASS FOR A LOVED ONE OR TO MARK A SPECIAL OCCASION.

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY TO THE CHURCHES OF MATER DEI PARISH

Week of June 6, 2020

Offertory:            \$ 4,816.75  
Family Formation   \$ 912.00  
TOTAL                \$ 5,728.75



Weekly Budget:     \$11,010.00  
Surplus / Deficit: - \$ 5,281.25

**YOUR DONATIONS HELP!**

*We sincerely thank all who continued to support our parish financially while our Churches were closed. May God continue to bless you and your families for your generosity.*

### NEW AND IMPROVED ONLINE GIVING WEBSITE

Online Giving is updating their program. New look - same easy process as always. Parishioners already utilizing online giving do not have to change anything or do anything different. The program will simply look different. The change will take place June 22nd. It's easy to begin using online giving to make your contributions. Just query; <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com1266> or call the Rectory at (802) 334-5066, X 3 for assistance.



### Confessions Now Available by Appointment

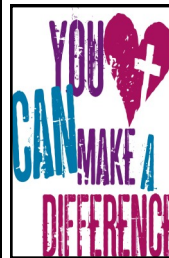
Confessions are available Monday through Friday at 10:00 am, 10:30 am & 11:00 am and 4:30 pm, 5:00 pm & 5:30 pm Please call the Parish Office at (802) 334-5066 to schedule your appointment.

### NEWS FROM ST. JAMES

ST. JAMES IS PREPARING TO REPAIR THE STORM WINDOWS IN THEIR CHURCH.

ANY DONATIONS TO HELP WITH THE COST OF THE REPAIRS WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED.

CONTRIBUTIONS CAN BE SENT TO THE MATER DEI PARISH OFFICE AT 191 CLERMONT TERRACE, NEWPORT, VT 05855



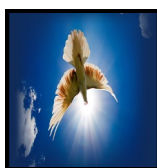
### St. Mary's Roof Update

WE ARE STILL ACCEPTING DONATIONS FOR OUR PHASE I ROOF REPAIRS. OUR BILLS TOTALED **\$188,756.55** FOR THE COMPLETED REPAIRS. SO FAR SINCE JANUARY 1ST OF THIS YEAR, WE HAVE RECEIVED **\$8,600.00** IN DONATIONS, BRINGING OUR TOTAL TO **\$132,396.76**. WE NOW HAVE **\$55,359.79** LEFT TO RAISE FOR PHASE I REPAIRS.

**If you have not yet donated, please prayerfully consider making a contribution now. You can place your donation in the collection basket, bring it to the parish office, or mail it to Mater Dei Parish, 191 Clermont Terrace, Newport, VT 05855**

*Thank you for your continued support.*

*Please pray for the repose of the souls of † Elizabeth Azur & † Ghislain Fauteux and for their grieving families.*



**“So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows.”**

God is always looking out for what is best for us. If He is calling you to be a priest, sister or brother, there is nothing to fear. Take a risk and contact the Vocation Office at: **(802) 658-6110 X 1175** or visit **vocations@vermontcatholic.org** for more information.



### VOCATIONIST'S CORNER

The Vocationist Fathers would like to wish all our parish fathers and those who are a father figure in someone's life, a very happy Father's Day! May God bless you and the Holy Spirit guide you through this most important and difficult challenge of raising your children.



### Diocesan Protocols for Attending Mass During the Pandemic

- † Please stay home if you are sick or not feeling well.
- † **Wear a mask at Mass.**
- † Sanitize your hands when you enter the Church - Due to shortages of sanitizer, please bring your own if possible.

- † Sit only in designated pews and respect social distance between others of 6 feet or more unless you are a family unit.
- † Refrain from congregating in tight areas or entering cordoned off areas.
- † Follow the protocols to receive Holy Communion as directed at Mass.
- † Follow your Church protocols concerning the 25% capacity limit.

While these protocols are intrusive, they are necessary as they allow us to celebrate the Sacraments in person while doing our part to stop the spread of the coronavirus.



### www.materdeivermont.com

Log into our **new & improved Parish Website** and **Facebook page** to keep up to date with upcoming Parish events & happenings here at Mater Dei.

You will find the 9:00 daily Mass streamlined online, opportunities to pray the Rosary, weekly reflections by Fred Barker, "almost daily messages" from Deacon Ward, online Bible classes, and so much more!

You won't believe all the parish news, pictures & videos you will find along with the latest info from the Diocese.

*Thank You for Our Fathers  
Heavenly Father, we thank  
you for our fathers.*

*They gave us life and continue  
to give us the wisdom to live  
our lives.*

*By their examples of love, we  
know ourselves.*

*By their examples of faith,  
we know You better.*

*Invigorate our fathers with the love and  
respect of their children so that they may  
be encouraged, inspired and greatly blessed.*

*Amen.*

A Father like you  
is a gift from God.

*I give thanks  
for the blessing  
of you Dad!*

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

K of C 4th Degree Exemplification will be held at St. Mary's on Saturday, July 25, 2020.

All 3rd Degree Knights who are interested in obtaining their 4th Degree, please call George Piette at (802) 323-2470.



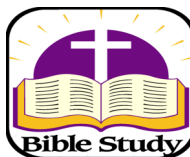
### Diocesan Chrism Mass

The Chrism Mass is usually held just before Easter each year. In every diocese, sacred oils - the Oil of the Catechumens, the Oil of the Sick, and the Oil for the Holy Chrism - are newly

prepared, blessed by the Bishop and distributed to all Churches in the diocese. The Chrism Oil is mixed with fragrant balsams, and because of its prominent place in the rites of Christian Initiation and Holy Orders, it is blessed with a prayer of Consecration.

Because of Covid-19, the Chrism Mass had to be postponed this year. It has been rescheduled for **Tuesday, June 30th at 2:00 pm** at St. Joseph's Cathedral in Burlington.

If you would like to attend this special Mass, please contact the parish office at 334-5066 with your name and phone number. The diocese is preparing a sign-up sheet for lay people who would like to attend.



### Mater Dei's Weekly Bible Study

Mater Dei's weekly Bible Study continues Online and at St. Mary' Rectory each Wednesday at **6:00 pm**. All are welcome!



**You are invited to reserve the  
Tabernacle Vigil Light in any of our  
Churches in memory of a loved one or to  
celebrate a special occasion.  
Call the rectory at 334-5066.**

*St. Edward's  
Tabernacle Vigil Light  
burns this week  
in memory of  
Gaston & Marielle  
Morin*



*St. Mary's  
Chapel Light  
burns this week  
in memory of  
Walter Barton*

