

THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH



The Faith Community of
The Most Holy Name of Jesus Parish shares
the Living Word of Christ with all God's people
to foster peace, unity, hope and spiritual guidance.



MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am & 10:30 am
Wednes., Thurs., and Fri. 9:00 am
Adoration One hour before Daily Mass

PARISH STAFF:

Fr. Jon Schnobrich, Pastor
Fr. Joseph Ikegbunam, Parochial Vicar
Deacon Thomas Cooney
Mary Elfer, Parish Ministries Coordinator
Betty Taylor, Bookkeeper
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Office Hours:

Mon—Friday 8:00am to 1:00 pm

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Bishop Marshall School

Mrs. Carrie Wilson, Head of School
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Adult RCIA Program

If you are interested in becoming a Catholic or wish to deepen your understanding of the faith, call the Parish Office.

SACRAMENTS:

Reconciliation:

Saturdays 3:15 pm to 3:45 pm
or by appointment, call 888-3318.

Baptism:

Please call Parish Office to register your child for Baptism.

Marriage:

Please call Parish Office at least 6 to 8 months ahead of time to allow for the required pre-marriage course.

Anointing of the Sick:

Please contact the Parish Office.

Preparation for First Communion

Children, grades one and two. The preparation process for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and Eucharist involves participating in our parish's first and second grade religious education classes. Both sacraments are celebrated during the second grade year. Please contact Mary Elfer at the Parish Office.



Preparation For Confirmation

This two year program is designed to help candidates learn more about their faith, our Catholic Church and what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ. Prepared youth in grade eight and above will be confirmed in 2020.

Please contact Mary Elfer at the Parish Office.

Visits to the Home Bound:

Please notify the office of anyone unable to attend church because of illness, age or handicap.

		
Saturday, March 7 Second Sunday Of Lent	4:00PM Mass For Michelle and Jean Paul Boudreau By their children AND For Shawn Marcoux by Monique Marcoux	
Sunday, March 8 Second Sunday Of Lent	8:00AM Mass For the intentions of Susan and Kenneth By Mom	K o C Coffee Hr. Rel Ed
	10:30AM Mass For /Arthur Menard by the Eisenhardt family AND For Tasha Lehouillier by Roseanne	
Monday, March 9 St. Francis	NO Mass	
Tuesday, March 10	NO Mass at Most Holy Name	RCIA
Wednes., March 11	8:15AM Mass at BJAMS Office closed for staff retreat.	
Thursday, March 12 NOTE: Changed MASS Time today	11:00AM Adoration 12:00 Noon Mass For the intentions of Roger & Eugenia	
Friday, March 13	8:00AM Adoration 9:00AM Mass For Shawn Marcoux by his family	5:00 Confession 6:00 Stations
Saturday, March 14 Third Sunday Of Lent	4:00PM Mass For Mary Page by the Taylor family AND For Jenna Tatro by her parents	
Sunday, March 15 Third Sunday Of Lent	8:00AM Mass For Michelle & Jean Paul Boudreau By their children AND For Thomas Philbrook by Jim	K o C Coffee Hr. Rel Ed
	10:30AM Mass For Souls in Purgatory AND For Daniel Rodrigue by Vona and family	

Dear Parishioners,

A reminder to all parishioners that confessions are being held on FRIDAYS during Lent from 5-6pm at Most Holy Name (Stations to follow) and Blessed Sacrament (Stations begin at 430pm).

In the winter edition of the Vermont Catholic Magazine Bishop Coyne named 2020 "A Year with the Saints," for the Diocese of Burlington, noting how "the saints lived their lives not only within the Church, but within the world" and "sought to make a difference in the time and place in which they lived."

Recently, both parishes have held viewings of the movie, *Padre Pio: Miracle Man*, (if you missed it you can watch it on Amazon) showing his life, his humility, and his sanctity as he endured both great physical and spiritual struggles. Padre Pio's life (1887-1968) and witness show how powerful faith in Christ can be when we follow him without reservation, in humility and obedience. Aside from his mystical gifts of supernatural knowledge (he could read souls), bi-location (be in 2 places at the same time), and the stigmata (the wounds of Christ's crucifixion), St. Pio had great compassion for those who were suffering. With donations he built a hospital in Italy called, "The Home for the Relief of Suffering," that still exists today.

Sometimes the Saints choose us! As a child, I always had an interest and curiosity in the stigmata, and remember hearing about Padre Pio; but it wasn't until my years in seminary that my devotion to him - because of the stigmata - became important. He came into my life in ways I wasn't expecting, and as I began to read more about him and ask for his intercession, Jesus granted beautiful graces to me which assured me that Pio wanted to be a bigger part of my life and how I live my priesthood.

Lent is a time to allow the Lord to work deeper in our souls to purify and sanctify us. In this "Year of the Saints," to honor the heart and compassion that St. Pio showed to the physically and spiritually afflicted, I would like to invite you to a night of prayer, hope and healing.

Thursday, March 12 at 6pm at Blessed Sacrament in Stowe and Friday March 13 at 7pm at Most Holy Name of Jesus in Morrisville, one of the gloves that St. Pio wore over the stigmata will be present for us to venerate, pray with and to ask for his intercession for healing. Venerating relics is not magic, nor is it worship, but rather allows the faithful to practice their belief in the doctrine of the Communion of Saints. I hope to see you there!

St. Padre Pio...pray for us!

With Mary, In Christ,

Fr. Jon

February 29 & March 1

	2020	2019
Weekly Offertory	\$ 2889.50	\$ 2,858.10
Special Collections	\$ 2232.92	\$ 775.59
Quarterly tax on Offertory	\$ -462.32	\$ 471.59 -
Total	\$ 4660.10	\$ 3,162.10
Attendance	235	258

Specials 2020:

Energy: \$616 SAM: \$,705.36
Ash Wednes: \$911.56
Church/Eastern Europe: \$3



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Classes meet Sundays 9:15AM to 10:15AM.
Call Mary at the office 888-3318
if you have a question.

Classes: March 8, 15, 22, 29

First Reconciliation

March 14 at 10AM; celebration after

First Communion

May 3, 2020 at 10:30AM

3rd Annual Catholic Men's Conference—Saturday, March 28

St. Anthony's Church— White River Jct.
The keynote speaker is retired Air Force Captain, Guy Gruters. Captain Gruters is a decorated Vietnam War veteran who spent 5 1/2 years as a POW in Vietnam, and a lifetime Catholic. Other speakers include Monsignor John McDermott and Mr. Paul Kendall. There will be opportunities for confession, Eucharistic Adoration, lunch, fellowship, and Mass with Bishop Coyne. Registration and more information at www.vermontcatholic.org/men

FROM SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY (SAM)

Thank you so much for your very generous donations in January and February for SAM totaling \$1223.00 We are most appreciative and happy to serve the poor and needy in our community. May God's goodness and love be with you and your families.

Blessed Sacrament Mass Schedule

Monday	8:30AM	Thursday	5:30PM
Tuesday	12:00PM	Friday	8:30AM

PLEASE PRAY FOR



Earline, Chrissy and Dave Monahan
Linda Sweeney
Muriel Paquette
Baby Simon

Jan Ryan
Stephanie Robarge

And everyone on the prayer chain

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Tom Cosgrove — Amy Thompson
Makayla Cookson - Roland Depot
John Monette - Brian Monahan
Cathy Stannard - Mary Page
Amy Tatro —Jane Spaulding
Shawn Marcoux

		LECTORS	
3-7-4PM	Alan	Sandy	Tracey Sheila, Karen
3-8-8M	Jocelyn, Zachary	Mary	Marc Richard, Jean
3-8-10:30AM	Sydney, Gracie	Jeane	Deacon Connie, Sara
3-14-4PM		Eileen	Tracey Betty, Sheila
3-15-8AM		Mary	Kathy Marc, Richard
3-15-10:30AM		Jeff	Deacon Peg, Jeane

DON'T GIVE UP CHOCOLATE FOR LENT THIS YEAR

At Dynamic Catholic, they are passionate about energizing Catholics and their parishes. **BEST LENT EVER** is one of their most popular free programs. This coming Lent, the program will feature short daily videos that will take you through Matthew Kelly's *Rediscover the Saints*, chapter by chapter. Visit DynamicCatholic.com/BestLentEver to register and learn more.

The **Magnificat Candle** is the perpetual candle next to the statue of Mary. You may light this candle in memory of someone or a special intention.. As with the Sanctuary Candle, this is by donation and will be offered from Saturday to Friday.

The **Magnificat Candle** is being offered
This week 3/7/2020 to 3/13/2020

For those who battle with addiction; for those who have taken their own life; for the families and loved ones of both.

The **Sanctuary Candle** is being offered
this week (3/7/2020 to 3/13/2020)
For **Marthe Valcour** by Denise Marcoux

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

- 11 Gilles Paquette
- 12 Louise Chauvin
- 13 Connie Cooney, Elvira Loyola
- 15. Jennifer Isabell, Noreen Prive
Michael Hayden
- 16. Karen Jaquish, Aggie West

