Saturday, January 26th to Sunday, February 3rd

SAT: 4PM — Howard Trombley – 2nd Anniversary (by Family)
SUN: 8AM — The Parishioners of St. Michael and Their Intentions

10:30AM — Arlene Bergeron (by Chris Carter)

MON: NO MASS

TUES: 5:15PM — Shirley Wells (by her Family)

WED: 8:45AM — Nick & Catherine Christmas (by Bill Christmas) **THURS: 5:15PM** — Zachary Bender & His Intentions (by Kerry Morton)

FRI: 7:30AM — Kathleen Altobell (by Fr. Justin)

SAT: 4PM — The Parishioners of St. Michael and Their Intentions

SUN: 8AM — Arlyne Hancock (by Alison Sullivan)

10:30AM — Yvonne & Joseph LaFortune – 30th year Anniversary of Death (by the LaFortune Family)

Sanctuary Lamp Candle is lit this week for Richard and Catherine Morton Blessed Virgin Mary Candle is lit this week for Frank Bartis

Events This Week

Sat. (1/26): St Timothy and St. Titus, Bishops

11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK) 2:45-3:30PM — Confessions (church) 5PM — Take-A-Bag Program (SBK)

Sun. (1/27): Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:10-10:10AM — Religious Education (SMS & YC) 9AM & 11:30AM — Take-A-Bag Program (SBK)

Mon. (1/28): St. Thomas Aquinas 11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK)

Tues. (1/29):

8AM-5PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)

6PM — Bible Study Group (YC)

6PM — Vocation Ministry Meeting (PC)

7PM — Great Books Group (SMS)

Wed. (1/30):

9:15AM-5PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)

10:30AM — Rosary at Pine Heights

11:30AM — Hot Meal served (SBK)

6:30PM — RCIA Class (PC)

Thurs. (1/31): St. John Bosco

8AM-5PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)

10AM — Mass at Pine Heights

11:30AM — Hot Meal served (SBK)

1:30PM — Rosary at Thompson House

<u>Fri. (2/1)</u>:

8AM-2:45PM — Eucharistic Adoration (church)

2:45PM — Benediction (church)

Sat. (2/2): The Presentation of the Lord

11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK)

Sun. (2/3): Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:10-10:10AM — Religious Education (SMS & YC)

Weekly Stewardship Report:

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Adult Choir Members

All current and former choir members are invited to sing weekly at the 4PM Mass each Saturday. We rehearse from 2:30-3:45PM in the back room near the sacristy. If you have any questions, please email Breton, the Music Director at Breton@stmichaelvt.com. Come and join us!



Nehemiah 8:2-4, 5-6, 8-10; Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 15; I Corinthians 12:12-30; Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Since many have undertaken to compile a narrative of the events that have been fulfilled among us, just as those who were eyewitnesses from the beginning and ministers of the word have handed them down to us, I too have decided, after investigating everything accurately anew, to write it down in an orderly sequence for you, most excellent Theophilus, so that you may realize the certainty of the teachings you have received. Jesus returned to Galilee in the power of the Spirit, and news of him spread throughout the whole region. He taught in their synagogues and was praised by all. He came to Nazareth, where he had grown up, and went according to his custom into the synagogue on the sabbath day. He stood up to read and was handed a scroll of the prophet Isaiah. He unrolled the scroll and found the passage where it was written: The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord. Rolling up the scroll, he handed it back to the attendant and sat down, and the eyes of all in the synagogue looked intently at him. He said to them, "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."

Parish Prayer List

Meghan Berger, Mary Lou Buchanan, Alexa Busia & Family, Beverly Defossis, Anthony Church, Christina Ferguson, Debbie Hebert, Megan & Alex Kinlock, Mike Lavender, Matt & Heather R., Hilda Cleary, Mildred Maloskie, James Pascal, Teddy Rauh, Terry Rauh, Carson Rhodes, Howard Richardson, Nancy Rogers, Mike & Gail Stankiewicz, Arlene Tarantino, Michael Vose, Andy Westphal, Barbara Wojcik, and Parishioners in Homes & Hospitals

Harris Hill Ski Jump Fundraiser

St. Brigid's Kitchen and Pantry will again be participating in the Harris Hill Ski Jump Tournament on *Saturday, February 16th and Sunday, February 17th* by selling food to help raise funds to feed people throughout the winter. If you would like to help set up or serve in any capacity, please contact Carolyn at 802-558-6072.

Take-A-Bag

St. Brigid's Kitchen & Pantry is sponsoring the Take-A-Bag Program *January 26th & 27th*. If you, or someone you know, need food, stop by St. Brigid's Kitchen & Pantry after the *4PM*, *8AM*, *or 10:30AM Mass*.

Help for St. Brigid's Kitchen

St. Brigid's Kitchen needs a small desk with one or two file drawers. Can you help? Please call the rectory.

2nd Annual Vermont Catholic Men's Conference

Saturday, March 23rd from 9AM-3PM

St. Anthony Church in White River Junction (Includes Mass with Bishop Coyne)

Keynote Speaker: Eric Sutulovich, Former NFL Coach Guest Speakers: Msgr. John McDermott & Paul Kendall Cost is \$40 (\$20 for those 21 and under) Registrations will open soon online. For more information, contact Deacon Phil Lawson at (802) 658-6110 ex.1453 or email plawson@vermontcatholic.org

Michael James Mette and Family in Concert

All are welcome to join us for a concert with national performer Michael James Mette, *Friday, March 15th*, at St. Michael School, from 7-8:30PM. Michael James Mette travels all over the country with his family spreading the Gospel through music and personal witness. A father of six, the entire family is part of the musical performance. The evening will be uplifting and inspiring and we hope you will bring the whole family. There is no cost, though a good will offering will be taken to defray the cost. Please register on the Diocesan website: www.vermontcatholic.org/event/michael-mette-concert-event

Hope & Healing Workshop Video Online

The November 8th workshop with Lisa Duffy was recorded and has been made available online at: www.vermontcatholic.org/ministries-programs/marriage family/separated-or-divorced. Video sessions include the keynote, a short testimony from a Vermont Catholic woman, and a presentation on the basics of the annulment process with Father Luke Austin, J.C.L., Judicial Vicar. Please use this resource if you, or someone you know, has been affected by divorce.

World Marriage Day Celebration

The Diocesan recognition of milestone (5, 10, 15, etc...) wedding anniversaries will be on *Sunday*, *February 3rd at the 10AM Mass*, celebrated by His Excellency Bishop Christopher Coyne, at St. Joseph Cathedral in Burlington. If you are celebrating a milestone wedding anniversary in 2019 and would like to participate in this celebration, or be recognized in our parish on the weekend of *February 9th/10th*, register online at www.vermontcatholic.org or sign the sheet on the back table by Friday, January 25th.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Let Jesus proclaim the good news to you in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are *February 8-10, 2019* in Huntington, NY and *Mar 15-17, 2019* in Isle La Motte, VT. For more information, call John & Diane Forcier at 802-657-3083 or visit them at https://wwmevtw.org/.

Requiescat in pace:

Frank Elwell and Sr. Bernadette Lemoine

"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace."

Retrouvaille of New England

Retrouvaille is a Christian peer ministry for hurting and struggling marriages. There is a couple's weekend coming up on *February 8-10*, *2019* in Framingham, MA. For more information, please contact Allison and Ted at 508-271-7155 or visit helpourmarriage.org.

Did you know there is a Catholic Youth Group in the Local Area?

The St. John Paul II Youth Group serves the high school youth of the local Catholic community—all are welcome. Our next monthly gathering is on *January 27th* from *6:30-8:30PM*. To learn more about what God is doing in the life of the teens and for a more complete schedule, email stjpiiyouthgroup@gmail.com or call Suzi & Ed Cottrill at 413-772-6062. "Love God, Love Others, Love Life."

High School Small Group for Young Ladies

A small group for young ladies is beginning on *Thursday, January 31st at 5-6:15PM*. We will be reading "Go Bravely: Becoming the Woman you were Created to Be" by Emily Wilson Hussen. We will meet weekly and read a chapter out loud and discuss it over tea or coffee. Come as you can. The chapters are self-contained so you can miss a week and not be behind. There is no long term commitment, but coming regularly helps us grow in relationships. Please contact Suzi Cottrill at 413-772-6062 for more information.

Youth Rally for 7-12th Graders & Parents The winter youth rally will be held at St. Monica Parish

The winter youth rally will be held at St. Monica Parish in Barre on *Sunday, February 10th from 4-8PM*. The cost is \$10 per person or \$20 per family. This event is for families and will include sessions for parents and teens featuring speaker Taylor Schroll (www.forte catholic.com) and the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal. For more information, contact Bill Gavin, Director of Youth Ministry at: 658-6110 ext.1130.

6th Annual Catholic Literature Conference

Saturday, April 27, 2019 from 9:30AM – 4PM
You may purchase tickets at litcon6.eventbrite.com or call 603-224-2328.

Parish Registration & Parish Group Email List

To register with the parish, update your address, or to be added to the parish group email list, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket.

Registration	Change of address
PLEASE PRINT Name:	
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	
Telephone:	Please send envelopes:
Email:	