Saturday, February 15th through Sunday, February 23rd

SAT: 4PM Michael Wilson (by Helen Wilson)

SUN: 8AM Gail and Seth Christmas (by Bill Christmas)

10:30AM St. Michael Parishioners and Their Intentions

MON: NO MASS

TUES: 5:15PM Julian Mikijaniec (by the Mikijaniec Family)
WED: 8:45AM Walter & Sandra Dadik and Their Intentions

(by the Pilgrims of St. Mary & St. Joseph)

THURS: 5:15PM Sophie Konchalski and Alma Prusak

(by Dolores Konchalski)

FRI: 7:30AM Susan Lares and Rita-Jo Panten

(by Thomas & Tricia Lares)

SAT: 4PM Jack Flynn (by Christine and Bertie Sprague)
SUN: 8AM St. Michael Parishioners and Their Intentions

10:30AM Howard Richardson (by Family)



Events This Week

Sat. (2/15):

11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK)

2:45-3:30PM — Confessions (church)

3PM — Adult Choir Rehearsal (church)

Sun. (2/16): Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

No Scheduled Activities

Mon. (2/17): The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK)

6:30PM — Third Order Franciscans (SBK)

Tues. (2/18):

8AM-5PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)

4:15PM — Rosary at Planned Parenthood (Pliny Park)

4:45PM — Rosary (church)

5:15PM — Mass (church)

6PM — Bible Study (YC)

6PM — Young Adult Dinner (SBK)

6:30PM — K of C Social (PC)

Wed. (2/19):

9:15-6PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)

10AM — Rosary at Pine Heights

11:30AM — Hot Meal served (SBK)

8:10AM — Rosary (church)

8:45AM — Mass (church)

6:30PM — RCIA (PC)

6:30PM — Ultreya (YC)

Thurs. (2/20):

8AM-5PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)

10AM — Mass at Holton Home

11:30AM — Hot Meal served (SBK)

1PM — Mass at Gathering Place

4:45PM — Rosary (church)

5:15PM — Mass (church)

6PM — Women's Book Club (YC)

<u>Fri. (2/21)</u>: St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

7AM — Rosary (church)

7:30AM — Mass (church)

8AM-7PM — Eucharistic Adoration (chapel)

11AM — Funeral Mass for John Bartis

Sat. (2/22): The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle

11:30AM — Hot Meal Served (SBK)

2:45-3:30PM — Confessions (church)

3PM — Adult Choir Rehearsal (church)

Sun. (2/23): Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Weekly Stewardship Report:

Offertory This Week

\$4,357.50

Parish Prayer List

Baby Ellis Reed Kasper, Blake, Philip Bloch, Michael Carey, Anthony Church, Carol Condon, Matt & Heather R., Hilda Cleary, Mary Jane Giroux, Rodney Howe, Tony Iannarone, Ruth Lapan, Mildred Maloskie, Karen Ortlieb, Keagan Puffer, Carson Rhodes, Arlon Rice, Jenna Ross, Chip Runge, Carol (Honey) Seymour, Peter Smyth, Mike Stankiewicz, Lisa Vose, Shannon Wladyka and Parishioners & Their Families in Homes & Hospitals

Scripture Readings

Sirach 15:15-20; Psalm 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; I Cor. 2:6-10; Matthew 5:20-22, 27-28, 33-34, 37

Jesus said to his disciples: "I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven." You have heard that it was said to your ancestors, You shall not kill; and whoever kills will be liable to judgment. But I say to you, whoever is angry with brother will be liable to judgment. "You have heard that it was said, you shall not commit adultery. But I say to you, everyone who looks at a woman with lust has already committed adultery with her in his heart. "Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors, do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all that you vow. But I say to you, do not swear at all. Let your 'Yes' mean 'Yes,' and your 'No' mean 'No.' Anything more is from the evil one."

Take-A-Bag

St. Brigid's Kitchen & Pantry is sponsoring the Take-A-Bag Program *February 22 and 23*. If you, or someone you know, need food, stop by St. Brigid's Kitchen & Pantry after the *4PM*, 8, or 10:30AM Mass.

Do You Like to Sing?

St. Michael's Adult Choir is looking for new members. We rehearse on Saturday afternoons at 3PM and sing at the 4PM Mass. Although weekly attendance is preferable, we are quite flexible if you have a busy schedule. We also especially need singers for our Holy Week and Christmas Masses. Separate rehearsals are held during the week for these special Masses. Even if you are only able to help us out for Holy Week, please contact Breton at breton@st michaelvt.com or at the Rectory at 802-257-5101

3rd Annual Catholic Men's Conference

Saturday, March 28th

St. Anthony's Church - White River Junction. Price is \$40.00 per person, under the age of 21, \$20.00 per person. The keynote Speaker is retired Air Force Captain, Guy Gruters. Cpt. 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 also be opportunities for confession, Eucharistic Adoration, lunch, fellowship, and Mass with Bishop Coyne. Registration and more information at www.vermontcatholic.org/men



Catholic Life Conference

Coming *March 21, 2020* to the Mass Mutual Center in Springfield! The Catholic Life Conference is

preparing a fabulous day for all Catholics, men and women, young and old, alike. Featuring speakers Scott Hahn, Hudson Byblow, and Trish Short, plus a full children's program including the performance of the famously wacky duo, Popple. Conference cost is \$50.00 for adults and \$15 for students and children, with a household maximum of \$150. Register at www.catholiclifeconference.org or pick up a brochure in the church to mail in your check. Get ready for a day to fill you up and change you forever!

Adoration Chapel

"Private time spent in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament is one of the most effective ways of drawing closer to Jesus. The world is filled with noise. We all need quiet time to gather our thoughts, to speak to God and to listen to Him....Jesus is present in the Most Blessed Sacrament to complete the work which His Father entrusts to Him. He is there to fill our soul with the love which led Him to die on the Cross for us. He is there to take over our hearts and to lead us to the love of God and neighbor. He is there to make us stronger and more resolute in loving Him." ~Bishop Thomas Daily We invite you to make a visit to our adoration chapel open every Tuesday through Friday from the end of morning Mass until 5PM to spend some intimate time with Our Lord Jesus.

"Let the serenity of your spirit shine through your face. Let the joy of your mind burst forth. Let words of thanks break from your lips.

~St. Peter Damian

Frassati Fellowship

Young adults (ages 18 to 39) are invited to join us for dinner on Tuesday, February 18th. We'll meet at St. Brigid's Kitchen at 6 p.m. Bring a Rosary and a prayer intention. Contact Dan Berger with questions: dan. berger@protonmail.com, 802-451-0247

Christ Our Hope Campaign

Coming Soon: The Christ Our Hope campaign will raise funds to help our parish realize its vision and provide endowment funding for faith formation efforts and Catholic Charities emergency services throughout the state. Our parish will take part in the campaign beginning this spring. We are currently looking for people to be a part of our campaign team. You will receive training and be asked to attend a couple of brief meetings. Your primary focus as a volunteer is to visit with other parishioners about the campaign and help them complete their commitment cards. If you are interested, please contact the rectory.

Lenten Retreat ~ Accompanied on the Way

Retreat day for all Parish Ministers **9:30AM** to **3PM**. A Lenten Retreat day for anyone who works for or volunteers in the Parish. The retreat will be facilitated by the Diocesan Department of Evangelization & Catechesis.

Sat., Mar. 7, Immaculate Heart of Mary Williston Wed., Mar. 11, Ascension, Georgia Wed., Mar. 18, St. Stanislaus, West Rutland

Stations, Soup & a Movie: "Unplanned"

Please join us for our Friday Night Lenten Stations and Soup beginning Friday, February 28th. Stations will begin at *5:30PM* followed by soup at St. Brigid's Kitchen & Pantry at *6PM*. Soup will be provided by our Rectory Staff. After a time of food and fellowship, all are welcome to join us for a movie in the youth center called "*Unplanned*" (Rated R) at *6:30PM*. Snacks and drinks will be provided.

Online Giving

Online Giving is a web-based application that allows you to start, stop and change your contributions at any time. If you would like to sign up, go to our parish website at www.stmichaelvt.com and scroll down to click on the Online Giving image.

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:	
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