



Remember your loved ones in the Holy Mass; they will be ever grateful to you!

Saturday, January 16

St. E ♦ 3:00 PM – Adoration/Confessions
 St. E ♦ 4:00 PM Mass – Susan Knight (by Rosemary Brown)

Sunday, January 17

OLA ♦ 9:00 AM Mass – Sandy Barry+ (by Mom & Dad)
 St. A ♦ 11:00 AM Mass – Intentions of Our Parishioners

Monday, January 18

St. A. ♦ 7:00 AM – Adoration
 St. A. ♦ 8:00 AM Mass – Healing of Matteo Piano (by Jim & Debbie Ford)

Tuesday, January 19

St. A. ♦ 5:00 PM – Adoration
 St. A. ♦ 6:00 PM Mass – Healing of Philip Lynch (by Bill Lynch)

Wednesday, January 20 – St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr

St. A. ♦ 7:00 AM – Adoration
 St. A. ♦ 8:00 AM Mass – Healing of Philip Lynch (by Bill Lynch)

Thursday, January 21- St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr

NO Mass

Friday, January 22 – St. Vincent, Deacon & Martyr

NO Mass

Saturday, January 23

St. E ♦ 3:00 PM – Adoration/Confessions
 St. E ♦ 4:00 PM Mass – Chet Baxter+ (by Ziggy & Jolanta Labejsza)

Sunday, January 24

OLA ♦ 9:00 AM Mass – Intentions of Our Parishioners
 St. A ♦ 11:00 AM Mass – Mimi Ladato+ (by Jim & Deb Ford)



MASS INTENTIONS

We have open slots for Mass intentions for your loved ones

Mass stipends for your intentions are wonderful remembrances and tributes to loved ones, both living and deceased. Please call the parish office to have a Mass celebrated for the souls of the ones that you love (802-728-5251).



PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HURTING

especially for Marion Casarico, Stanislaw Kosiorek, Judy McCullough, Phyllis McCullough, Janice Brown, Pam Corcoran, Sophia Scicutella, Helen Rulon, Rita Morin, Frank Mojzesz, Bobby Perez, Richard Perez, Cathy Bigelow, Paul & Sue Field, Samantha Field, Sophie Weden, Nancy McNally, Blanche Rea, Joe Farkoski, Peg & Phil Mollitor, Frank Russell, Shirley Dumont, Mark LeFebvre, Alfred Jarvis, & Kitty Scott

PARISH HAPPENINGS...

SAVE THE DATE – January 27th:

AMERICAN RED CROSS is holding a **BLOOD DRIVE** at Our Lady of the Angels Parish Hall, 1:30 pm to 5:00 pm. Go online at www.RedCrossBlood.org or call 1-800-RED-CROSS (1-800-733-2867) to make an appointment.



to all our visitors at Mass! If you would like more information about our Parishes or would like to learn more about the Catholic Faith, please ask your neighbor or call the parish office (802-728-5251)



Now you can join the **Knights of Columbus** online: www.kofc.org/joinus Check out the website—you have nothing to lose, and everything to gain! For more information please contact

the parish office (728-5251), or Jim Kirkpatrick (OLA, Randolph), or Doug Parr (St. A/St. E.). Remember: God always rewards us when we take a risk for Him!

Catholic Daughters of the Americas is one of the



oldest and largest organizations of Catholic women in the Americas. Come join some amazingly faithful women in our parishes and grow closer to God by serving those most in need! For more information, please call the parish office at 728-5251.

OLA/OLV Pilgrimage to Italy 2022?! Fr. Gratton is

hoping to lead a 10 day pilgrimage to Italy in September/October 2022, after he returns from deployment. We will celebrate Mass in some of the holiest places known to our Faith. We will visit Assisi, Orvieto, Siena, and Rome. It will be a time to remember, as we draw closer to our Faith and in union with the Universal Church. The trip will include flights, most meals, lodging, and transportation around Italy. More details to come after Fr. Gratton returns!

40 Days for Life: Please consider supporting this beautiful movement to help support vulnerable mothers/fathers and the protection of unborn babies by your prayers. If you would like to get involved with this powerful, prayerful movement, please contact Thomas Kelly as St. Monica Parish in Barre at 224-6309 or Diane Byrne at 498-5638.

Christ Our Hope Campaign: The **Diocesan Capital Campaign** will raise funds to help our parishes realize their vision and provide endowment funding for faith formation efforts and Catholic Charities emergency services throughout the state.

60% goes directly to our Parish
 20% goes to evangelization around the diocese
 20% goes to the poor (VT Catholic Charities)

Donations: Please consider giving a gift by donating here: <https://www.christourhopevt.org/>

Thank you to Lisa Preston for her many volunteer hours in the Parish Office and for her assistance in training Elizabeth as she assumes the position of Parish Secretary!

Thank you to Richard & Mary Ann Church for their incredibly generous donation of \$84,000+ to Our Lady of the Valley Parish!!! The gift was a trust that was left to Richard's brother, Robert. May he rest in the Lord's loving embrace for all eternity.

Goodbye: Fr. Gratton's Vermont National Guard deployment is coming up. This will be the last weekend that he will be celebrating Mass with us before taking on his fulltime duties as Military Chaplain. We pray that he and the Soldiers in his care stay safe and remain close to the Lord during their deployment to the Middle East. He will be leaving after Mass on Wednesday, January 20th.

Welcome: Next weekend, please welcome Fr. John Carroll. He will be celebrating all of our weekend Masses with us in Fr. Gratton's absence.

Bulletin Ads: Please take notice of the various local businesses that support our Parish by advertising in the Bulletin. Please support them if you can, and know that additional spots are still available.

Eucharistic Adoration: On Thursday, January 14th, a training session for parishioners interested in assisting with the Exposition of the Eucharist was held at OLA. If you were unable to attend but want to receive this training, please contact Elizabeth at the Parish office.

Saturday, January 23 - Annual Rally for Life:

There will be two church services, both praying specifically for increased respect for human life. Both services are open to participants before the March to the State House:

- 9:30AM ~ Saint Augustine's Church, Respect Life Mass, 16 Barre Street, Montpelier, Vermont, 05602

Immediately following, participants will gather behind City Hall for the annual March to the Capitol. Those who do not wish to participate in the March are welcome to go directly to the State House steps for the remaining portions of the event.

There will be a short ceremony on the steps of the State House in recognition of the unborn.

We march because we believe in the sanctity of life. We march in remembrance of the millions of unborn babies who were aborted before their birth. And we march in the hope that one day abortion will end.

2020 Bishop's Annual Appeal Update:

- OLA Progress: **\$10,398.00** pledged of \$10,132.00 (**103%** of our goal—Great job everyone!)
- OLV Progress: **\$13,154.00** pledged of \$16,983.00 (**77%** of our goal, up from 71% as of the last report)

Sunday Collection (January 10, 2021):

OLA: \$820 + \$200 (Gift) + \$255 (Online Giving)
 Sunday Total: ...\$1,275.00
 2nd Collection – Energy Fund:...\$206.00

OLV: \$1,655+ \$125 (Online Giving)
 Sunday Total: ...\$1,780.00
 2nd Collection - Energy Fund:...\$282.00

Thank you to everyone who has supported our Parish with financial gifts in 2020. Tax statements were mailed on January 8, 2021. If you have not received your statement or if you have any questions about a statement that you have received, please contact Elizabeth at the Parish Office.

Padre Pio: "Ite ad Joseph. Go to Joseph with extreme confidence, because I do not remember having asked anything from St. Joseph, without having obtained it readily."