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MASS INTENTIONS

Aug. 24 – Sept. 1

SAT 7:30 pm Bernard and Larry Clark
-by *Craig and Joan Lumbra*

SUN 9:00 am Deceased members of John and
Alice Paquette -by *Helen Spencer*

11:00 am Jessica Brigham
-by *her family*

Daily Mass:

MON 8:30 am For the Parishioners

TUES 8:30 am Donald and Margaret Steven
-by *Louise Covi*

WED 8:30 am Amanda and Henry Furkey
-by *their estate*

THUR 8:30 am Ronald Giroux
-by *John and Mary Schreindorfer*

FRI No Mass

Next Weekend:

SAT 7:30 pm Wilfred and Doris St. Pierre
-by *Andrew and Susan Rainville*

SUN 9:00 am Jerry Yates
-by *Ken Raymond*

11:00 am For the Parishioners

Please pray for those who are ill: Chris Rondeau,
Helen Spencer, Kristina Marcotte, and Maurice
Jettie

Diocesan Pastoral Ministries Conference: This
conference, on September 28th at the Lake Morey
Resort in Fairlee, is a day-long opportunity for
Catholics around the Diocese to gather for
formation, prayer, and networking. Keynote
speaker Ron Huntley from *Divine Renovation* will
focus on parishes moving from òmaintenance to
mission.ö Morning and afternoon breakout sessions
will focus on: religious education, youth ministry,
marriage and family life, worship, RCIA, and
communication. Everyone is invited, especially
those involved in parish ministry, with a heart of
evangelization, interested in vibrant parishes or
seeking to be more involved. Please register at
www.vermontcatholic.org/MinistryConference2019

NEXT WEEK'S MINISTERS

Greeters **Lectors** **Eucharistic
Ministers**

Sat., Aug. 31
7:30 pm Rose Peno Susan Magnan Jeanne Persons
Frank Persons

Altar Servers: Laura Persons, Kaitlyn Schoembs

Sun., Sept. 1
9:00 am Lisa Stone John Bouchard Mary Schreindorfer
Patti Reynolds

Altar Servers: Anthony Andrews, Bailey Williams, Lyla Williams

Gift Bearers: Ben Toof Family

11:00 am Joy Kane Jane Brigham Mary Ovitt

Altar Servers: Samantha Churchill

Gift Bearers: Don and Helen Bushey

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Collection last weekend: Aug. 17 - 18

	St. Patrick	St. Anthony -St. George
Offertory:	\$1,231.00	\$252.00
7 Week Average:	\$1,172.00	\$362.00
Weekly Goal:	\$1,275.00	\$390.00
Projects/Food Shelf:	\$ 485.00	\$129.00
Assumption:	\$ 278.00	\$ 36.00

Second Collections:

August 31- September 1: **Energy Needs**
Thank you for your continuing generosity!

Energy Needs Collection: One of our two annual
collections for "Energy Needs" will be taken at
all Masses next weekend. The total for the two
collections last year was about \$7,200. We spent
\$17,752 for heating oil, and \$3,631 for electricity, total
of \$21,383. Once again, we encourage you to make as
large a donation as your means allow in order to help
off-set this significant expense. If you are not able to
contribute next weekend your donation will be
welcomed at any later date.

"The Sins of the Past" is the title of a statement
issued by Bishop Coyne regarding the publication of the
report this past week listing the names of diocesan
clergy who, since 1950, have had a credible and
substantiated allegation of sexual abuse of a minor made
against them. Please take a moment to read this
statement by the Bishop inserted in today's bulletin.



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ake a Aug. of our pledge goal (\$10,620 toward goal of \$15,179), and St. Anthony-St. George is now at 114% of pledge goal (\$4,190 toward goal of \$3,686). Your gift supports many Diocesan efforts that improve communication and spread the Good News throughout the Diocese. If you have not yet made a pledge, please prayerfully consider a donation of any size. Gifts to the appeal this year are focused on discipleship and engaging laity to help build more vibrant parishes. Pledge cards may be found at the church entrances for those who wish them.

Presbyteral Assembly:

On the Tuesday through Thursday after Labor Day the priests of the diocese will gather at Lake Morey for their annual meeting. This gathering each year affords the bishop and his priests the opportunity to meet for business, prayer, and fraternity. Meeting, praying, eating, drinking, socializing, golfing, cribbage, swimming, hiking, and other activities are enjoyed. It's always good to get together with the other priests for this time together.

Young Adult Retreat:

A retreat for young adults (ages 19-35) is being offered by the Diocese of Burlington on September 13-14 at the Dumaine Retreat Center in Jacksonville, Vermont. For more info visit: www.vermontcatholic.org/event/young-adult-retreat/dumaine

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Allow Jesus to transform your marriage and show you how to truly love your spouse by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekend is September 13 ó 15 in Huntington, NY. Call John and Diane Forcier at 802-657-3083.

Word of Life

öWithin the `people of life and the people for life, the family has a decisive responsibility. This responsibility flows from its very nature as a community of life and love, founded upon marriage, and from its mission to `guard, reveal, and communicate love.ö

Religious Education News:

Registration for Classes: Yellow registration forms for the coming school year are available at the back of the church. Please fill out one form per child and return the form along with the \$10 fee **by September 1st**. It is important that all children have a form on file so that emergency contact information is readily available should the necessity arise.

Teachers will meet Monday, August 26 at 7:00 pm in the parish hall to begin preparations for this year's classes.

Religion Teachers (Catechists) and Class Aides are needed: As always, we rely upon the help of parents to teach and assist in the program. We already know that we will need some new teachers for this year. Also, we are supposed to have a second adult in each class and substitutes who could fill in when needed, would be very helpful. Please think about these needs and speak to Father Bill if you can help.

Confirmation Program: This year eighth and ninth graders will be in the preparation class for the sacrament of Confirmation. There will be a meeting for both students and parents on Sunday, September 22nd. Parents will be receiving a letter in the mail about this meeting.

Classes for all students: Grades 1-9 will begin on September 15th and 18th provided we have teachers to teach.

Summer Reflection Series: at St. Anne's Shrine, Isle LaMotte. 11:15am ó 1pm, begins with Mass at 11:15am Our final date is August 28th, with Rev. Richard Berube, S.S.E., Surprising Conversions: Peter, Paul and the Woman at the Well.

St. Mary's Breakfast: Breakfast at St. Mary's will be on Sunday, September 1st from 8 ó 11:00 am at the Parish Center on Fairfield Street. Menu includes ham, eggs, fried potatoes, pancakes, fruit, juice and coffee. Cost is \$7.00 per person or \$25.00 per family.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Sunday: Louise Callan, Lauren Clark
Monday: Jennifer Chalifoux
Tuesday: Bruce Branon, Margaret Ryan
Wednesday: Griffin Corey
Thursday: Jason Bapp, Alexandra Nesbitt
Friday: Jason Callan, Eli Edelson, Kelly Sargent
Saturday: Linda Watson

