

ay in Ordinary Time

ary 26, 2020



MASS INTENTIONS

January 25 – February 2

SAT 7:30 pm Patty Cross
-by Pete and family

SUN 9:00 am Andrew Mawn
-by Bridget and Jerry Rivet

11:00 am For the Parishioners

Daily Mass:

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

TUES 8:30 am Joseph Drain
-by John and Mary Schreindorfer

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

THUR 8:30 am Albert and Jacqueline Tetreault
-by their family

FRI No Mass

Next Weekend:

SAT 7:30 pm Amanda and Henry Furkey
-by their estate

SUN 9:00 am Alma Girard Kennidy
-by Mary Yates

11:00 am For the Parishioners

Please pray for those who are ill:

Kristina Marcotte, Dan Schreindorfer, Shawn Branon, Diane Berthiaume, and Bert Pion.

Energy Needs Collection:

Next weekend, February 2nd, we are having our second **Energy Needs Collection** for the fiscal year. Each year the expense for fuel and up-keep of the furnaces is one of the largest items in our operating budget. These two annual Energy Needs collections allow you to help us defray these costs. Your generous donation of \$3,589.00 in September was most welcome. We ask that you make as large a donation as your means allow once again. Please note: If you are not able to give this weekend, your donation will be welcomed at any later date.

Meetings:

Mon. Feb. 10th, 7:00 pm – Liturgy Committee
Mon. Feb. 10th, 7:00 pm – St. Patrick Credit Union

NEXT WEEK'S MINISTERS

Greeters	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat., Feb. 1		
7:30 pm Real Therrien	Beth Branon	Susan Rainville Andrew Rainville
Altar Servers: Noah Foley, Nolan Howrigan		
Sun., Feb. 2		
9:00 am Lisa Stone	Al Capone	Mary Schreindorfer Libby Norris
Altar Servers: Anthony Andrews		
Gift Bearers: Gino Farinaccio Family		
11:00 am Don Watson		
Darlene Symons	Mary Ovitt	
Gift Bearers: Steve and Margaret Doe		

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Collection last weekend: Jan. 18 ó 19

	St. Patrick	St. Anthony -St. George
Offertory:	\$1,094.00	\$257.00
29 Week Average:	\$1,279.00	\$395.00
Weekly Goal:	\$1,275.00	\$390.00
Catholic Education:	\$ 258.00	\$ 56.00

Second Collections:

January 26: Church in Latin America
February 2: Energy Needs

Thank you for your continuing generosity!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Sunday, Jan. 26 ó **Grades 1, 2, 6, 7, 8-9**

St. Patrick Church, 6:00-7:00 pm

Tuesday, Jan. 28- **Grade 4**

Fairfield Center School, 3:20-4:20 pm

Wednesday, Dec. 29 - **Grades 3 and 5**

St. Patrick Church 3:20-4:20 pm

First Reconciliation: Two of our second-grade students, Ezra Barney and Alaina Williams, celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time this past Saturday. They will be making their First Communion on Sunday, May 3, 2020. Please keep them in your prayers.



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door after Mass today.

Parish Website: Our new parish website was recently launched. The diocese has required all of the parishes to redesign their websites using the assistance of e-Catholic. They should be easier to access and use. **We are looking for a parishioner to take on the responsibility of “parish webmaster.”** This person would be responsible for maintaining, and implementing occasional changes to the site. Initial training of approximately 30 minutes would be required. Please speak to Father Bill or call the parish office if you are interested or want more information.

A Note About Cold and Flu Season:

The sign of Peace has been an integral and valued part of the worship of the church for centuries in the form of a kiss of peace or handshake. As we enter this cold and flu season, it is important to recognize that some people are especially susceptible to the viruses that can be spread by contact and that some immune systems are very sensitive. Please understand that some people may choose not to shake hands during the Sign of Peace, but might simply greet you with a smile. Also, please use common sense and good judgment concerning Mass attendance if you are ill. If you do decide to come to church for Mass, please remember that frequent and thorough hand-washing, refraining from physical contact during the Sign of Peace, and refraining from receiving communion from the Chalice can help prevent the spread of germs.

Word of Life

Abortion affects countless marriages, more than many people recognize. But God’s grace can bring true healing in relationships.

St. Mary’s Breakfast: Breakfast at St. Mary’s will be on Sunday, February 2nd, from 8:11:00 am at the Parish Center on Fairfield Street. Cost is \$7.00 per person or \$25.00 per family.

Coming Soon: The *Christ Our Hope* campaign will raise funds to help our parishes realize their visions and provide endowment funding for faith formation efforts and Catholic Charities emergency services throughout the diocese and state. Our parishes will take part in the campaign beginning this spring. We are currently looking for people to be part of our campaign team. You will receive training and be asked to attend a meeting. 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 speak to, or contact Father Bill at 827-3203.

World Marriage Day Mass with Bishop:

Married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (e.g. 5, 10, 15, 20 to 55) who wish to be recognized at the Diocese Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Burlington, on February 2, 2020, at the 10:00 am Mass. Please contact Valerie Parzyck at (802) 658-6110 Ext. 1131 to register. (please include couples names, Anniversary year being celebrated, date married, and where married-church w/ location) by Monday, January 27, 2020.

Third Annual Catholic Men’s Conference:

Saturday, March 28th, 2020 at St. Anthony’s Church-White River Junction. The keynote speaker is retired Air Force Captain, Guy Gruters. Guy is a decorated Vietnam War veteran who spent 5 ½ years as a POW in Vietnam, and a lifetime Catholic. Other speakers will include Msgr. John McDermott and Paul Kendall. There will also be confession, Eucharistic Adoration, lunch, fellowship, and Mass with Bishop Coyne. Registration and more info at: www.vermontcatholic.org

Greeters and Gift Bearers:

We are seeking more individuals and families who would be willing to serve as greeters and/or gift bearers at the weekend Masses. If you are interested or wish to know what is involved please speak to Father Bill. Thank You.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Tuesday: Maureen Adams, Evan Branon, Jane Laundry, Sandra Soucy - Capone

Wednesday: Candi Branon, Eva Howrigan **Friday:** Mary Leroux, Russell Stone, Michelle Tiffany

Saturday: Norm Menard, Lourdes Dudley

