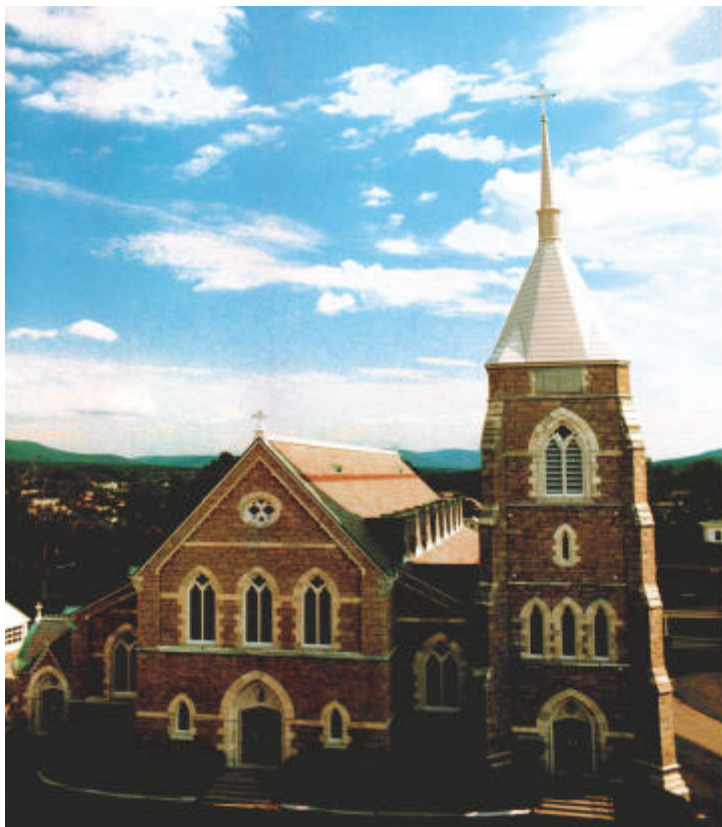


**Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time—October 20, 2019**

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Sunday – 11:00 AM

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### **Weekday Masses**

Chapel of our Lady

**Monday**—4:45 PM—**Except Holidays**

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

### **Sacrament of Matrimony**

Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance to make arrangements.

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 3:00 PM—or by appointment

### **New Parishioners**

Please call Parish Office to register.

### **Religious Education**

Parish Website-[www.StPeterRutland.org](http://www.StPeterRutland.org)

Or contact Michael Audette:  
[maudette@msjvermont.org](mailto:maudette@msjvermont.org)

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**ST. PETER MASS SCHEDULE:**

**Saturday, October 19**

4:15 Mem: Eleanor Wasik by Catherine Taggart & the Cioffi Family

**Sunday, October 20**

11:00 Mem: Maria & Alberico Ciccotelli by Family  
and Mem: Donna Bullock by Joe & Carol Barbagallo

**Monday, October 21**

**NO 4:45 PM MASS TODAY**

**Saturday, October 26**

4:15 Mem: Louis DiBlasio by Joanne & Karen Barry  
and Mem: Eleanor Wasik by Tom & Mary Lou Carlson

**Sunday, October 27**

11:00 Mem: Gaetano & Maria Tedesco and Dorothy Fabian by Family



**CANDLES FOR THIS WEEKEND:**

Mem: Frank J. Cioffi by the Cioffi Family

**ST. PETER'S OCTOBER MONTHLY MAINTENANCE & UPKEEP COLLECTION**

Thank you to all who so generously contributed towards October's Monthly Maintenance & Upkeep Collection last week. Your offerings for this collection help the Parish so much, and so we are very grateful for your generosity.

**CALLING ALL CHILDREN OF ST. PETER PARISH TRICK OR TRUNK!!!**

On Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, the Faith Formation Program invites all families of St. Peter Parish with young children to come to the Godnick Adult Center on Woodstock Avenue at 3:30 PM to "Trick or Treat" from car to car. Adult members of the parish will be parked in the parking lot and will be handing out Halloween candy to every child! Children will go car to car to "Trick or Treat" in a safe and fun environment. Children are encouraged to wear their Halloween costumes! Families are then invited to join the parish for a Pot Luck dinner inside the Godnick Center beginning at 4:00 PM. We hope to see everyone there!!!!

**OFFICE CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30<sup>TH</sup>**

Both Linda and Eileen must attend a mandatory meeting called for by the Diocese on Wednesday, October 30<sup>th</sup>, therefore the office will be closed on this day.

**ST. PETER COLLECTION REPORT WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 12/13**

77 Envelopes (242 sent out) plus \$893.00	4,047.00
Need	4,500.00
Difference	- 453.00
Last Year—Same Date	3,931.00
Monthly Upkeep Collection	868.00

**FR. TOM AWAY ON RETREAT**

**OCTOBER 20-24**

Fr. Tom will be attending the annual Capuchin friars' retreat from Sunday evening, October 20<sup>th</sup> till Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup> in Wappinger Falls, NY. Please be assured that you will all be remembered in my prayers in a special way during this week.

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

**OCTOBER 20, 2019**

TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY. We celebrate this day by remembering the revitalizing mission at the heart of our Christian faith—to bring the Gospel to all! The special envelope in your packets for this collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith ensures the work and service of the Mission Church, as it supports priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity.

**CLERGY APPRECIATION DAY**

Thank you Parishioners of St. Peter for the nice ad in The Rutland Herald last week on the occasion of Clergy Appreciation Day. It was very thoughtful and kind to be remembered so fondly.

**ST. PETER'S ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE**

"Do you like a good party"? Then maybe you'd like to help us create them. Join the activities committee! We are looking for Parishioners to help form an activities committee here at St. Peter's. Your participation in the committee can vary based on your interest, but we are looking for all types of volunteers to help us enrich our Parish life by planning and organizing Parish events. If you are interested in learning more please join us on Wednesday, November 6<sup>th</sup> starting at 7:00 PM in St. Peter's Friary. If you have questions please email Nichole and Joe Peterson at timbercraft98@gmail.com or call (802) 773-0370.

**MASS OF REMEMBRANCE**

On Sunday, **November 3<sup>rd</sup>**, at the 11:00 AM Mass, we will be remembering our deceased brothers and sisters who have died from our parish since November of last year. We read their names and light a candle in remembrance. This year we will also have a Book of Remembrance, in which you may write the names of departed loved ones. We will not read those names at Mass, but we will place the book before the Altar at the beginning of Mass. It does not have to be someone who died within the past year. The Book will be available in the back of the church throughout the month of October.

**St. Peter's TD Bank's Affinity Membership Program—Code = AF605**

**DEADLINE FOR THE BULLETIN**

There is a deadline each week for information to be put into our bulletin. It is Monday by noon. Holiday bulletin deadlines may vary.

## TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### **Sunday, October 20**

10:00 AM—Faith Formation Classes today

10:30 AM—Choir rehearsal today

#### **Monday, October 21**

**NO 4:45 PM MASS TODAY—FR. TOM IS ON RETREAT**

#### **Wednesday, October 23**

9:00 AM—MSJ School Mass in St. Peter's Church

#### **Sunday, October 27**

**NO** Faith Formation classes today. Next session is on 11/3

**NO** Choir Rehearsal today

3:30 PM—Trick or Trunk—Godnick Center

4:00 PM—Pot Luck Dinner at Godnick Center

#### **Monday, October 28**

7:00 PM—Liturgy Committee Meeting in Friary. Anyone is welcomed to attend.

#### **Wednesday, October 30**

**THERE WILL BE NO 9:00 AM MSJ MASS TODAY**

#### **Friday, November 1—HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

12:15 PM—Mass

6:00 PM—Mass

### MOUNT ST. JOSEPH ACADEMY NEWS

#### MSJ OPEN HOUSE

There will be an Open House on Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> from 12:00—2:00 PM. This will include Student-Led Tours and Teacher-Student Presentations. Families will be greeted by a student ambassador who will lead them through a guided tour of the school. Faculty and staff will be on-hand to answer questions and share insights into joining the MSJ family. Light refreshments will be provided.

#### BE A MOUNTIE FOR A DAY

On Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup> MSJ welcomes area students, currently in grades 7 and up, to visit Mt. St. Joseph Academy for a school day. Middle and High School-aged prospective students who are interested in learning more about MSJ are invited to meet our students, faculty and staff and to participate in our school day, from 8:00 AM to 2:15 PM. Lunch will be provided.

#### MSJ AT A GLANCE

- More than 95% of Mount St. Joseph Academy graduates go on to College.
- MSJ welcomes students of ALL faiths.
- MSJ offers a variety of AP courses, including English, History, Biology, Calculus and Chemistry.
- Every Mount St. Joseph Academy student is provided with a Chromebook that stays with the student both at school and at home.
- Financial assistance is available for families who qualify.

#### 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

**SEPTEMBER 25~NOVEMBER 3, 2019**

40 Days for Life is a nationwide event consisting of 40 days of **prayer** and **fasting, peaceful vigil** and **community outreach** that began Wednesday, September 25<sup>th</sup> and continues until November 3<sup>rd</sup>, by volunteers who stand and pray outside Rutland's local abortion clinic—Planned Parenthood at 11 Burnham Avenue.

### MONDAY NIGHT DISMAS HOUSE DINNERS

A few years back, St. Peter's accepted the invitation to prepare and serve a dinner at Dismas House on the first Monday of every month. There is a small group of dedicated parishioners who contribute their time, talent and all ingredients in putting together a wonderful meal. The residents and Staff are ever so grateful. Sue Ahearn writes up a little blurb after each dinner and sends that via e-mail to those on the list of volunteers. I would like to share Sue's last blurb for the dinner that took place on October 7<sup>th</sup>:

*"What a great night we had Monday night at Dismas for dinner. There were many new residents to meet. One of the residents had invited his girlfriend who is ready to have their baby girl in a couple of weeks. They seemed so happy and the baby really liked the dessert...so her mom said! There were also a couple of people from Alliance Community Fellowship that will be part of the cooking group for Dismas. It is always wonderful that more people contribute. As always, we had a really great meal—roasted chicken, scalloped potatoes, corn, a super salad, a very exciting soup, wonderful dessert and excellent conversation hearing about residents who have started a new job, some that have spent time with their families and children, and just appreciating the weather. It is always time well spent at the dinner table and sharing what we are all so appreciative for. Sometimes we take for granted what others do not have and it is something we should all think about."*

Anyone who would like to be a part of this group please contact Sue Ahearn at [susanahearn@isvt.com](mailto:susanahearn@isvt.com) or 802-345-8882.

### PRIEST BENEFIT ANNUAL COLLECTION

You will notice in your packet of envelopes there is a special offering envelope for the Priests' Benefit Fund for the weekend of October 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>; this collection works to support priests of the diocese, especially those who are retired, sick and aged, so that they can be properly cared for, in a dignified manner for their many years of ministry. Let us bless those who have blessed us in so many ways throughout their ministerial services.

### DIOCESAN PRIESTS VARIETY SHOW

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup>, 2019 at 7:00 PM**

Back again by popular demand, the Challengers for the Catholic Faith presents THE VARIETY SHOW—Friday, November 15, 2019 at 7:00 PM, at the McCarthy Arts Center, St. Michael's College. See a range of performances BY OUR DIOCESAN PRIESTS from music to juggling to comedy—a Family-Friendly evening of entertainment all to benefit our diocesan seminarians. Tickets are \$15/ea online at <http://vtchallengers.org> or on facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/events/786426041808001>, or call 802-233-9603, or \$20/ea at the door. There will be a Silent Auction. Don't miss out!

### CALVARY CEMETERY ENVELOPES

Thank you to those who have already used the Calvary Cemetery envelopes. We hope that many will use these envelopes. Whatever you can afford and can spare, is a big help for the cemetery.

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