

Some of his disciples were remarking about how the temple was adorned with beautiful stones and with gifts dedicated to God. But Jesus said, "As for what you see here, the time will come when not one stone will be left on

another; every one of them will be thrown down." "Teacher," they asked, "when will these things happen? And what will be the sign that they are about to take place?" He replied: "Watch out that you are not deceived. For many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am he,' and, 'The time is near.' Do not follow them. When you hear of wars and uprisings, do not be frightened. These things must happen first, but the end will not come right away." Then he said to them: "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be great earthquakes, famines and pestilences in various places, and fearful events and great signs from heaven. "But before all this, they will seize you and persecute you. They will hand you over to synagogues and put you in prison, and you will be brought before kings and governors, and all on account of my name. And so you will bear testimony to me. But make up your mind not to worry beforehand how you will defend yourselves. For I will give you words and wisdom that none of your adversaries will be able to resist or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents, brothers and sisters, relatives and friends, and they will put some of you to death. Everyone will hate you because of me. But not a hair of your head will perish. Stand firm, and you will win life. *Luke 21:5-19*

Mass Intentions

This Weekend

Saturday	3:30 PM	Recitation of the Rosary
November 16	4:00 PM RIP	Francis Coyne By: Anthony Jurkoic
Sunday	9:30 AM	Recitation of the Rosary
November 17	10:00 AM RIP	Ernest & Mary Bashaw By: Charlie & Betsy Bashaw

Daily Masses

Monday	7:00 AM RIP	Michael Shaughnessy By: Fran Gallagher
November 18		
Tuesday	7:00 AM RIP	Elizabeth Manning By: Mary Folsom
November 19		
Wednesday	7:00 PM RIP	Vincenzo Ruggiero By: K of C
November 20		
Thursday	7:00 AM RIP	Anthony Jurkoic By: Obuchowski Family
November 21		
Friday	No Mass	
November 22		

Next Weekend

Saturday	3:30 PM	Recitation of the Rosary
November 23	4:00 PM RIP	Clara B. O'Connor By: Bill & Marlene O'Connor
Sunday	9:30 AM	Recitation of the Rosary
November 24	10:00 AM RIP	Ed Podgurski By: Ellen Podgurski

Readings for the Week of November 18, 2019

Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-9/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19
Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158/Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-7/Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15/Lk 19:11-28
Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Lk 19:41-44
Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/(Ps) 1 Chr 29:10b-12/Lk 19:45-48
Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16b, 19/Lk 20:27-40
Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-5/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

Parish Support

WEEKLY GOAL \$2000.00

Weekend of November 9, 2019 & November 10, 2019

Weekly Offertory:	\$ 1577.00
Envelopes	\$ 1151.00
Loose Donations	\$ 426.00
Votive Candles	\$ 23.50
	\$ 1600.50

Archdiocese for Military Services USA \$302.00

Last Year's Offertory Collection
October 28, 2018 \$ 1177.00

LITURGICAL ROLES

Saturday, November 23, 2019

Lector: Terry Ryan
 EMHC: Bernie Hindes
 Greeters: Marlene O'Connor, Mary Griswold & Karen Brodeur

Sunday November 24, 2019

Lector: Chris Hodsdon
 EMHC: Julie Sines
 Greeters: David & Julie Sines & Ellen Podgurski

Collection for Veterans

We are collecting for the Veterans again this year, there is a box in the vestibule with a list of items that are needed. Please have all donations in by the **8th of December.**



During the month of November, a "Book of the Dead" will list all the souls of your loved ones, which when we pray the rosary before Mass they will be included as well as during the regular Mass, there are papers for you to write these names on and put them in the baskets provided in the back of the Church and the sacristy. Thank you.

Organ Recital

On Sunday, Nov. 17, at 3 p.m., Donald McMahon will perform a recital at the organ of Sacred Heart Saint Francis de Sales Church, 238 Main Street, Bennington, VT. The performance is free and open to the public. This offering of music is a personal expression of thanksgiving and praise as he celebrates 25 years of service to the parish.



Pray for Healing and Comfort

Especially for: Deacon John Blicharz, Georgette Savoy, Doreen Aldrich, Mary Frances Branch, Daniel Bryant, Monica Luedtke, Norman LaCoille, Lois Woodard, Joseph Marion, Jr. Fr. Al Dagnoli, Paul Desruisseaux, Betsy Bashaw, Betsy Anderson, Frances Gallagher, Mary Damon, Grace Shelc, Tom Shelc, Ed Hindes, Maria Coyne, Mary Grippo, Madison Bills, Armande Boright, Robert Brown, Mary Folsom, Peggy Lafave, Lorraine Reynolds, Bob Hanold, Marilyn Lemoine, Patrick Barry, Robert Fogg, Bernie Hindes, Nick Deistler, Ted Waryas, Peter Bodner, Fred Waryas, Ellah Williams, Maybelle Long, Joseph Mitchell, Heather Rodger, Patricia Jones, Frances Hackett, Colleen Paquet, David Robarge, Frank Anderson, Kathy Mearthy, Tom Burns, Mary Lou Fogg, Jim Nyberg, Cheryl Elyse Garrett, Ed Atkins, Conner Glover. **Please contact the rectory (463-3128) if you wish Father Maria Lazar to make a sick call or bring Holy Communion to someone who is unable to attend Mass.**

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

In the context of Luke, today's Gospel appears near the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem, just prior to the events that will lead to his crucifixion. His warnings and predictions are ominous but can be read in many ways. To those who first heard Luke's Gospel, those may have been words of encouragement. The destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem by the Romans was history (70 A.D.); Luke's Gospel, Catholic scholars propose, was written between 80 and 90 A.D. His audience was probably Gentile Christians. Luke here tries to interpret the fall of Jerusalem for them and to locate it in God's plans for humankind (salvation history). At the same time, Luke is suggesting to his audience that there will be a considerable elapse of time before Jesus' final coming. Luke's listeners have likely seen much upheaval and are anxious to know if these are the signs of Jesus' coming. Luke is urging greater patience. In the second part of today's Gospel, Jesus warns that his followers will face persecution for their beliefs. Luke presents persecution as an opportunity for the followers of Jesus for "It will lead to your giving testimony" (Luke 21:13). In persecution God's wisdom and power will be shown in the example of followers of Jesus. Perseverance in the face of persecution will lead to their salvation. Here Jesus is assuring his followers that God is present to all believers, even in times of trouble. Ultimately, Jesus will witness to this with his own death. As disciples of Jesus, we try to follow his example, trusting in God's mercy and protection, even when we are facing difficulties. (Copyright © 2019 Loyola Press. All Rights Reserved. Used with permission. www.loyolapress.com)



Annual Event. Messiah Sing
December 8 @ 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm, Free Event, On Sunday, December 8, at 4pm, Our Lady of the Snows in Woodstock will host the annual Messiah Sing, our parish's contribution to Woodstock's Wassail Weekend. There will be a professional orchestra and soloists; but anyone who wishes to sign may join the Chorus. Just bring a libretto. The event is open to the public, and is a truly enjoyable Advent tradition.

**Bishops Annual Appeal 2019**

Thank you for supporting the Bishop's Annual Appeal in the past and in this 2019 Campaign! We have met our pledge goal! As of November 4th we are at **134.00%**. Please prayerfully consider donating to the Bishops Annual Appeal, Please either write on your donation or on the donations slip St. Charles Parish.

Knight of Columbus #753

We would like to thank members of our Military:

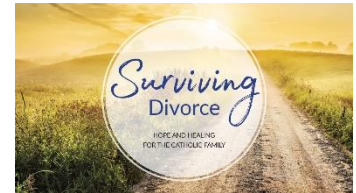


KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

All branches, past, present, living and deceased, for their sacrifices made to defend our country. During the month of November, we will be hosting two contests: **The Knights of Columbus Citizenship Essay Contest** (open to all Catholic students in Grades 8-12) and a **Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest** (ages 5 to 14). Information regarding these contests may be found in the back of the Church, the Knight's website, or by calling Tom Ronning at (603) 313-8839. We encourage **ALL Catholic students** to participate. All entries must be submitted no later than December 1st. Prizes will be awarded. For more information about how to join the Knights of Columbus, please call Grand Knight, Tom Ronning (603) 313 - 8839.

Surviving Divorce

November 21st, 6:30-8:00, St Peters Parish Hall, 85 S. Maple Street, Vergennes, VT.



Hope and healing for men and women struggling with being separated or divorced. This small group will meet over several weeks to cover topics such as shock and grief, anger and forgiveness, money issues, dealing with children and a former spouse, and annulment and remarriage. This program is based on the teachings of the Catholic Church. Participants will find answers to their questions, restore their hope, and begin authentic healing. For further information please contact Sharon at 802-877-6585.

St. Charles Parish Annual Coat Drive

Annual Coat drive started on **November 9th** and will run through **December 14th**. Please donate your gently used coats.

This year, like we did last year, we are working with Sara Chard from Springfield Turning Point. The coats that you donate help in the Windham/Windsor County area. Thank you all in advance for helping to keep those in need warmer this winter!

Please pray for the soul of Helen Cryan who has passed, she is the sister of Shirley Denno. May she rest in the peace of Christ's love.
Funeral arrangements will in the paper.