



I will remain in the world no longer, but they are still in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them by the power of your name, the name you gave me, so that they may be one as we are one. While I was with them, I protected them and kept them safe by that name you gave me. None has been lost except the one doomed to destruction so that Scripture would be fulfilled. “I am coming to you now, but I say these things while I am still in the world, so that they may have the full measure of my joy within them. I have given them your word and the world has hated them, for they are not of the world any more than I am of the world. My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one. They are not of the world, even as I am not of it. Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth. As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world. For them I sanctify myself, that they too may be truly sanctified. *John 17:11b-19*

**Mass Intentions**

**Next Weekend**

<b>Saturday</b> <b>May 15</b>	RIP 4:00 PM	August & Deborah Gaspardino By: their family
<b>Sunday</b> <b>May 16</b>	RIP 10.00 AM	Vincenzo Ruggiero (death rem) By: his family

**Daily Masses**

Monday May 17	RIP 9:00 AM	Fr. Al Dagnoli By: Parishioners of St. Charles
Tuesday May 18	INT 9:00 AM	Fr. Maria Lazar By: A Parishioner
Wednesday May 19	RIP 9:00 AM	Anthony Jurkoic By: Parishioners of St. Charles
Thursday May 20	RIP 9:00 AM	Carole Zinter By: Parishioners of St. Charles
Friday May 21	No Mass	

**Next Weekend**

<b>Saturday</b> <b>May 22</b>	RIP 4:00 PM	Blicharz & Ponck families By: Deacon John & Jane Blicharz
<b>Sunday</b> <b>May 23</b>	RIP 10.00 AM	Dermot Daley By: Phyllis Daley

**Readings for the Week of May 17, 2021.**

- Sunday:** Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20/Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19
- Monday:** Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-5d, 6-7b/Jn 16:29-33
- Tuesday:** Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21/Jn 17:1-11a
- Wednesday:** Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-36b/Jn 17:11b-19
- Thursday:** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11/Jn 17:20-26
- Friday:** Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20b/Jn 21:15-19
- Saturday:** Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4-5, 7/Jn 21:20-25
- Sunday:** Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

**Parish Support**

**Weekend of May 8, 2021 & May 9, 2021**

Weekly Offertory:	\$ 1602.00
<i>Envelopes</i>	\$ 1028.00
<i>Loose Donations</i>	\$ 574.00
<b>Votive Candles</b>	<b>\$ 39.50</b>
	<b>\$ 1641.50</b>

**Last Year's Offertory Collection**  
**May 10, 2020 \$ 1546.00**

The obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains lifted until further notice, especially if you are part of a vulnerable population and/or have an underlying health condition. Please approach the celebration of Mass with charity and love for our clergy and faith community by following the protocols:

- Stay home if you are sick or not feeling well.
- **Wear a mask in Mass, must cover your nose and mouth.**
- **Sanitize your hands upon entry.**
- Sit in designated pews and respect social distance between others of **6 feet or more** unless you are one family unit.
- Refrain from congregating in tight areas or entering cordoned off areas.
- Follow the protocols to receive Holy Communion as directed at Mass. For more details about church protocols visit: [vermontcatholic.org/covid-19](http://vermontcatholic.org/covid-19). **Bishop Coyne**

**St. Charles is open for daily and weekend mass.**

**Monday – Thursday 9:00 AM**

**Saturdays 4:00 PM / Sundays 10:00 AM**

**Confessions Saturday 3:00 – 3:30 PM**

**St. Joseph the Provider, Feed the Hungry**

On Dec. 8, 2020 Pope Francis declared a “Year of St. Joseph” to commemorate the 150th anniversary of St. Joseph being named patron of the Universal Church. The year began that day and will end this year on Dec. 8, 2021. Love and devotion to St. Joseph are particularly close to us here in the Diocese of Burlington as our cathedral is named for him and places us under his protection. There is much to consider and ponder concerning St. Joseph and his importance to the Church. Much will be offered for our devotion to him during this patronal year St. Joseph, patron of the Church, pray for us.” – Bishop Christopher Coyne For more information please go to: <https://www.vermontcatholic.org/about/year-of-st-joseph/feed-the-hungry/>

Please pray for the soul of John James who has passed. His funeral will be on 5/17/21 May he rest in the peace of Christ's love.

*Pray for Healing and Comfort* Especially for: Dan Green, Deb Etheridge, Ron Etheridge, Carter McKeen, Frances Vaine, Richard Whitcomb, Barbara Stickney, Mary H. Smith, Constance Burns, Deacon John Blicharz, Doreen Aldrich, Warren Peschl, Theresa Nauceder, Monica Luedtke, Lois Woodard, Joseph Marion, Jr., Paul Desruisseaux, Betsy Bashaw, Betsy & Bob Anderson, Frances Gallagher, Mary Damon, Grace Shelc, Tom Shelc, Ed Hinds, Maria Coyne, Madison Bills, Robert Brown, Mary Folsom, Peggy Lafave, Lorraine Reynolds, Bob Hanold, Marilyn Lemoine, Patrick Barry, Robert Fogg, Bernie Hinds, Nick Deistler, Ted Waryas, Peter Bodner, Ellah Williams, Fred Waryas, Maybelle Long, Joseph Mitchell, Heather Rodger, Patricia Jones, Frances Hackett, Colleen Paquet, David Robarge, Kathy Mearthy, Tom Burns, Mary Lou Fogg, Jim Nyberg, Cheryl Elyse Garrett, Ed Atkins. **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.**

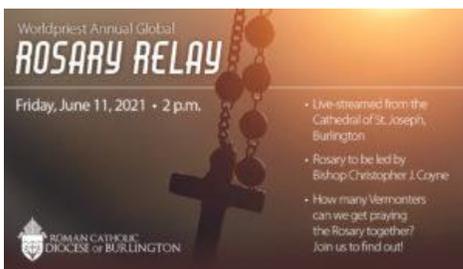


**Christ our Hope Campaign**

You can return your completed pledge form or go online to [christourhopevt.org/donate](http://christourhopevt.org/donate) to make a gift. As of 3/31/21 we are at \$8389.00 which is 8% of our goal.

**Bishop's Annual Appeal**

Our Goal for this year's appeal is \$21,263.00 as of 3/31/21 we are at **\$9955.00** which is **47%** of our goal. If you would like to make a pledge, please go to <https://www.vermontcatholic.org/donate/bishops-annual-appeal/give-online/annual-appeal-pledge-2/>  
**Please select St. Charles Parish**



In 2002 Pope John Paul II announced the Annual World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests to be held on the Feast of the Sacred Heart of

Jesus. World priest was first established for the evangelization and strengthening of the Catholic faith with the main goal of uniting priests and laity to come together into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ. On June 11, 2021, there will be livestream prayer locations from all over the globe praying the Rosary. By midnight the entire world will have been praying for our priests and our Catholic faith. Join Bishop Coyne in praying the Rosary virtually at 2:00 pm.

**Notice:** St Charles cares about our Parishioners safety, we continue our stringent cleaning after every Mass. We would like to re-assure our parishioners that we are taking every measure possible in continuing to keep our Church clean and disinfected. Please remember that properly wearing masks, hand washing/sanitizing, and social distancing are our best defense against the virus.



**Seventh Sunday of Easter**

This chapter of John's Gospel comes at the conclusion of Jesus' farewell discourse delivered to the disciples at the Last Supper. This entire chapter is a prayer by Jesus, commending himself to the Father and expressing his care and concern for his disciples. At the end of this prayer, Jesus and his disciples depart for the garden, and Jesus is arrested. Jesus' prayer reaffirms the complete union between himself and the Father. Throughout John's Gospel, Jesus has been presented as the one who preexisted with the Father and as the one sent by the Father to do his work on earth. In today's reading, we hear Jesus include all his disciples in this union with the Father. In this prayer, Jesus describes part of his mission in the language of protection. He has protected those who were given to him by the Father. In Jesus' presence, his disciples have been protected from Satan. Now that Jesus is returning to the Father, he prays that his disciples will continue to be protected from the evil one. We can't help but note here the echoes of the prayer that Jesus taught his disciples, the Lord's Prayer. The disciples are in the world, but they do not belong to the world. Yet like Jesus, they are sent into the world for the world's salvation. As Jesus' teaching and ministry was a source of consternation for some, Jesus knows that the world may not accept his disciples with open arms. Reading this prayer of Jesus during the Easter Season, through the lens of his Resurrection, we know that the light of Christ has overcome the darkness of sin and death in our world. In the opening line of this prayer, we hear Jesus pray that his disciples will be kept in the name that he was given by God. We know that the salvation is given to us in the name of Jesus, and that his name —“God saves”— announces his mission on our behalf. (Copyright 2021 Loyola Press. All Rights Reserved. Used with permission. [www.loyolapress.com](http://www.loyolapress.com))

**Walk to Mary, May 22, 2021 / 9:00 am**

Celebrate our Blessed Mother on a journey of faith and fellowship! On May 22, 2021, we will be making a 2.3 mile walk from St Joseph's Church, 23 St Joseph Lane, Isle La Motte, to St Anne's Shrine starting at 9 a.m. We will be praying the Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet while we walk for the sanctity of life from conception to natural death. Mass will be at 11 a.m. at St Anne's Shrine. After mass, we will have lunch. Please bring a light lunch of your own. Stations of the Cross for Life. Closing prayers will be at 3 p.m. in the Lady of Lourdes area at the Shrine. Please follow any Vermont COVID guidelines with masks and social distancing. Please contact Janice at 802-848-3834 or [janicegodin@myfairpoint.net](mailto:janicegodin@myfairpoint.net) or Renee at 802-370-2231 or [rjpatterson1962@gmail.com](mailto:rjpatterson1962@gmail.com) with any questions.

