



*Next Sunday's Readings* **The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time** -- Malachi 3:1-4 (524); Psalm 24:7, 8, 9, 10; Hebrews 2:14-18 ; Luke 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

### Mass & Intentions February 1 – February 9

Sat.	1	3:15 p.m.	St. Norbert	<b>Reconciliation</b>
		4:00 p.m.	St. Norbert	The Adelard & Marie Paquette Family by Wilfred Paquette
Sun.	2	8:30 a.m.	St. Norbert	Parishioners Living & Deceased
		10:30 a.m.	St. Michael	
Mon.	3	8:30 a.m.	St. Norbert	
Tue.	4	8:30 a.m.	St. Norbert	
Wed.	5			NO MASS
Thu.	6	8:30 a.m.	St. Norbert	Parishioners Living & Deceased
Fri.	7	8:30 a.m.	St. Norbert	First Friday/Adoration following Mass
Sat.	8	3:15 p.m.	St. Norbert	<b>Reconciliation</b>
		4:00 p.m.	St. Norbert	Arthur Olney (8 <sup>th</sup> anniversary) by Adrienne
Sun.	9	8:30 a.m.	St. Norbert	Deceased Members of CDA Court St. Veronica
		10:30 a.m.	St. Michael	

#### CDA SOCK DRIVE

**Wanted:** All types and sizes of new socks to be distributed locally to schools and charities and nursing homes as we get them.

If you have new socks that you do not like, or they are too small or too big, or a color you do not like, just bring them in and drop them in the box. This is a simple, charitable and much appreciated act of kindness.

**Next week's second collection: Special Needs**

**Our goal each week is to collect \$2,756.25 in ordinary income to meet our expenses.**

Jan. 25 & Jan. 26

Offertory  
Donations  
Total Funds

*Information in next week's Bulletin*

#### Prayer for Married Couples

Almighty and eternal God,

You blessed the union of married couples so that they might reflect the union of Christ with His Church: Look with kindness on them.

Renew their marriage covenant, increase your love in them and strengthen their bond of peace so that, with their children, they may always rejoice in the gift of your blessing.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **Mass Count**

**Jan. 25 & Jan. 26**

SN	4:00 p.m.	[38]
SN	8:30 a.m.	[35]
SM	10:30 a.m.	[34]

**Blessing of the Candles:** This weekend the Blessing of Candles will take place before Mass. As mentioned last weekend, all are invited to bring candles to Mass to have them blessed for personal and family use.

**Blessing of the Throats:** In memory of St. Blaise, the Blessing of the Throats will take place at all Masses this weekend.

**Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, is first Friday.** Adoration will follow immediately after the 8:30 AM Mass.

**Bishop Marshall School:** Since the Campbell Soup Labels for Education program ended in 2017 and the Box Tops for Education program is transitioning to a digital redemption program using a cell phone scan app, the Catholic Daughters will be discontinuing these collections as well as the can tab collections which we have been conducting since 2006. Please drop off any box tops or can tabs during the next few months so we can bring them to the Bishop Marshall School for their programs. Thank you.

If you wish to reserve a Mass or Masses, weekday or weekend, you may call the rectory to do so. The cost to have a Mass said is still \$10.00.

#### March Upcoming Events:

**Lenten Retreat Day** for anyone who works for or ministers in the parish including, administrative assistants, bookkeepers, religious education leaders, maintenance personnel, parish music, volunteers, and other parish staff. Lunch provided. Cost: Free. Location nearest MQAS is Immaculate Heart of Mary, Williston, Saturday, March 7, 9:30 AM-3:00 PM. To register or for more info go to [www.vermontcatholic.org/retreats](http://www.vermontcatholic.org/retreats) or call Valerie Parzyck 802-846-5813.

**Third Annual Catholic Men's Conference**, Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM – 3:15 PM, at St. Anthony's Church in White River Junction. Keynote speakers, opportunity for confession, Eucharistic Adoration, lunch, fellowship and Mass with Bishop Coyne. Registration and more info at [www.vermontcatholic.org/men](http://www.vermontcatholic.org/men).

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