



Next Sunday's Readings **28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**-- Isaiah 25:6-10a (142A); Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20 ; Matthew 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

Mass & Intentions October 3–October 11

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| Sat. | 3 | 3:15 | p.m. | St. Norbert | Reconciliation by appointment only |
| | | 4:00 | p.m. | St. Norbert | Reggie Ferland by His Sister and Brothers |
| | | 6:00 | p.m. | OLF | Wendell Shepard by the Family |
| Sun. | 4 | 8:30 | a.m. | St. Norbert | Mildred Gendron (birthday remembrance) by Ron & Debbie Brown |
| | | 10:30 | a.m. | St. Michael | David Brochu, Sr. by Georgette & Family |
| Mon. | 5 | | | | NO MASS |
| Tue. | 6 | 4:00 | p.m. | St. Norbert | Ashley & Bernadette Gray (birthday remembrance) by Gertrude |
| Wed. | 7 | 8:30 | a.m. | St. Norbert | |
| Thu. | 8 | 8:30 | a.m. | St. Norbert | Souls in Purgatory |
| Fri. | 9 | 8:30 | a.m. | St. Norbert | |
| Sat. | 10 | 3:15 | p.m. | St. Norbert | Reconciliation by appointment only |
| | | 4:00 | p.m. | St. Norbert | Charles & Esther Fontaine by Gary & Barb |
| | | 6:00 | p.m. | OLF | Parishioners Living & Deceased |
| Sun. | 11 | 8:30 | a.m. | St. Norbert | Local Law Enforcement, Firefighters, & EMT's |
| | | 10:30 | a.m. | St. Michael | Helen B. Renaud by Marc & Doris DeLaricheliere |

National Faith & Blue Weekend October 9 – 12

This is a nationwide initiative between communities of faith and members of our local Law Enforcement, Firefighters, and Emergency Medical Technicians. All are welcome to pray for and with them as we celebrate a **Blue Mass on Sunday, October 11 St. Norbert's 8:30 AM**

If you know of anyone in any of these fields or assist in any of these areas please invite them to come and participate.



Check out some of the interesting and informative articles in the new Vermont Catholic Magazine.

- The Saints
- Catholic Schools
- Parishes and their patron saint
- Catholics around the world
- Catholics in our Diocese

And much, much more!

Mass Count Sept. 26 & Sept. 27

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| SN | 4:00 p.m. | [21] |
| OLF | 6:00 p.m. | [23] |
| SN | 8:30 a.m. | [44] |
| SM | 10:30 a.m. | [28] |

Next week's second collection: Special Needs

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

| | Sept. 19 & 20 | Sept. 26 & 27 |
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| Offertory | \$1,180.05 | \$1,259.25 |
| Donations | <u>731.00</u> | <u>305.00</u> |
| Total Funds | \$1,911.05 | \$1,564.25 |

Thank you for your generosity.

Christ Our Hope – Building a Vibrant Church

Isaiah 6:8: "Then I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, 'Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?' Then I said, 'Here am I. Send me!'"

Please do not forget you can join Bishop Coyne on Monday, October 5th, from 7 – 8 PM or Wednesday, October 14, from 3 – 4 PM for a virtual chat to learn more about the campaign and its importance. To register for the Zoom event please visit <https://www.christourhopevt.org/events>.

A Thank you Note:

Thank you for your kind welcome last weekend. It was a joy to be with you! Let us continue to pray for each other as we come to encounter the Lord more fully, accompany each other, and joyfully share the Gospel in our world. God bless you!

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Catholic Financial Life Chapter St. Jean: The quarterly meeting will be held on October 13th, 1:00 PM, at St. Michael's Hall. Please remember to bring your mask. For more information, contact Jeannine at 586-2899 or cfl443@gmtmom.com.

The Orleans County Annual LIFE CHAIN will be held on Sunday, October 4, from 2 – 3 PM in Newport, at 100 Main Street, next to the Emory Hebard State Office Building. Life Chain is the largest peaceful, prayerful, pro-life, public witness in the world. More than 2,000 cities across North America are expected to participate for this 33rd annual prayer witness. We will follow social distancing and please wear a mask. This is an international hour of prayer for our nation and a peaceful, legal and compassionate public witness on behalf of the unborn at risk of abortion. Life Chain applies a Code of Conduct and is entirely prayerful and peaceful. Since its beginning, no illegal act by a participant has ever been reported to Life Chain's national office. For more information, contact Jeannine at lifecchain4Newport@gmtmom.com or phone 586-2899. More info is also available at www.LifeChain.net, contact Shannon Maloney 616-834-7576.

Our Lady of Fatima will celebrate its last Mass for the season next Saturday, October 10th, at 6:00 PM. It will reopen again Memorial Day weekend 2021.

The fall edition of the Vermont Catholic magazine is here and can be found on the table in the lobby.

Parish Council Members: Jeannine Young (Chair), Tod Delaricheliere, Adrienne Olney, Denise Picard, David Shepard, Gertrude Barnes, Paul Frederick
Finance Council Members: Mike Brochu (Chair), Paul Frederick, Mary Jane Fradette, Mike Morin, Cathy Menard, Robyn Molleur