



Next Sunday's Readings **24th Sunday in Ordinary Time**-- Sirach 27:30 - 28:7 (130A); Psalm 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Romans 14:7-9 ; Matthew 18:21-35

Mass & Intentions September 5–September 13

Sat.	5	3:15	p.m.	St. Norbert	Reconciliation by appointment only
		4:00	p.m.	St. Norbert	Sam Bernadino by Lorraine Hill, Gertrude Barnes & Adrienne Olney
Sun.	6	6:00	p.m.	OLF	Arthur Menard by the OLF Altar Society
		8:30	a.m.	St. Norbert	Deceased Members of CDA Court St. Veronica
		10:30	a.m.	St. Michael	Claude Molleur (birthday remembrance) by his Sister
Mon.	7				NO MASS
Tue.	8	4:00	p.m.	St. Norbert	
Wed.	9	8:30	a.m.	St. Norbert	For the Souls in Purgatory
Thu.	10	8:30	a.m.	St. Norbert	For the Sick of the Parish
Fri.	11	8:30	a.m.	St. Norbert	
Sat.	12	3:15	p.m.	St. Norbert	Reconciliation by appointment only
		4:00	p.m.	St. Norbert	Laureat Demers by Antoinette & Family
		6:00	p.m.	OLF	Victor & Marie Dufresne & Descendants by the Dufresne Family
Sun.	13	8:30	a.m.	St. Norbert	Noel Lussier (5 th anniversary) by the Family
		10:30	a.m.	St. Michael	Parishioners Living & Deceased

Christ Our Hope 2020 Bishop's Annual Appeal Update:

As we kick-off the the campaign to renew our parishes, strengthen our faith formation programs and increase emergency aid to people in crisis, we ask you to please first consider a gift to the Bishop's Appeal. We are grateful for whatever you can offer and ask for your continued prayers for the success of the campaign. As of August 26 we are \$1,647,811 to goal.

Challenges to Grow Your Marriage September 6 – September 12

What Is Love?

Explore 1 Corinthians 13: 1-13 by taking turns reading each verse. After you read, take time to share which verse or verses reminded you of your married love. Share why. Vermontcatholic.org/marriagechallenge

Spiritual Resources for Covid-19:

You can find spiritual resources, including ways to "Keep Sunday Holy", on the Diocesan Website www.vermontcatholic.org

Mass Count Aug. 29 & Aug. 30

SN	4:00 p.m.	[26]
OLF	6:00 p.m.	[26]
SN	8:30 a.m.	[33]
SM	10:30 a.m.	[24]

Next week's second collection: Fuel & Heat

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

	<u>Aug. 29 & Aug. 30</u>
Offertory	\$1,404.00
Donations	_____ 32.00
Total Funds	\$ 1,436.00

Thank you for your generosity.

Christ Our Hope – Building a Vibrant Church

Deuteronomy 15:10 "You shall surely give to him, and your heart should not be grieved when you give to him, because for this thing the Lord your God will bless you in all your works and in all to which you put your hand."

The campaign is now underway. This fundraising effort is our call to follow the earthly ministries of Christ – healing, preaching and teaching. Our parish will receive 60% of the funds we raise so we may address our church's needs. God asks us as stewards to give with generosity and sacrifice in mind. Your sacrificial gift will be used for the glory of God, who has given us everything we need. **Don't forget you can join Bishop Coyne September 9 at 3:00 PM for a virtual coffee hour as he discusses the campaign.** Just click the link to register: christourhopevt.org/events. We, our faith family, will define campaign success. Let us join as one as brothers and sisters in Christ to reach our goal.

Parent Café: Virtual discussion series for Catholic parents.

Join other Catholic parents in Vermont for virtual discussions about life and faith. Each session includes a brief prayer and presentation, setting the stage for open and honest conversation on that week's topic. Join us for any or all sessions.

-What Prayer Life? – Tuesday September 15

-Life is a Balancing Act! – Tuesday, September 29

-Your Habits – The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly! – Tuesday, October 13.

All sessions begin at 7:30 PM and end at 8:15 PM.

You may register at www.vermontcatholic.org/events/parentcafe

40 Days for Life: From September 23 to November 1, our community will once again unite through fasting, prayer and peaceful vigil with many others from coast to coast for major simultaneous pro-life mobilization – the 40 Days for Life Campaign. The Fall Campaign will be held daily at Planned Parenthood (Barrie Health Center, sidewalk right-of-way, from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM. There will be a Barre Kick-off Rally on Sunday, September 20m at 3:00 PM at the sidewalk right-of-way in front of Planned Parenthood. For more information go to <https://www.40daysforlife.com/barre>.

Blue Mass Sunday, September 13, 11:00 AM: St. Mary Star of the Sea Church, Newport & James Cardinal Gibbons Assembly 1157 Knights of Columbus, will celebrate Mass and pray for and with members of our local Law Enforcement, Firefighters, and Emergency Medical Technicians. All are welcome.

Parish Council Members: Jeannine Young (Chair), Tod Delarichelie, 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