

# Church Bulletin for November 1st, 2020



## *Church of the Annunciation*

Ludlow, VT

## *Holy Name Of Mary*

Proctorsville, VT



**Father Thomas Mosher, Pastor**

### Lord's Day Mass Schedule

Saturday ..... 4:30 P.M.

Sunday ..... 8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M.

**Holy Days and Daily Masses:** As scheduled in the bulletin

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 3:45 to 4:15 P.M.

Tuesday 6:00 to 7:00 P.M.

**Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage:** By appointment

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Please call the Parish Priest at 802-228-3451

**New Parishioners: Welcome!** *Please pick up the registration forms  
at the Church entry ways, fill in your information and mail to the Parish office.*

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM; Friday 8 AM - 12:00 PM

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ANNOUNCED MASSES  
FOR THE WEEK

<b>SATURDAY</b> 4:30 PM	<b>October 31</b> <b>Seamus Armstrong</b> <i>By the Armstrong Family</i>	<b>ABVM</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b> 8:00 AM	<b>November 1</b> <b>For Deceased Knights</b> <i>By Knights of Columbus</i>	<b>ABVM</b>
<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>Special Intention for Healing</b> <i>By a Parishioner</i>	
<b>MONDAY</b> 8:00 AM	<b>November 2</b> <b>All Souls Intentions</b>	<b>ABVM</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b> 5:30 PM	<b>November 3</b> <b>Helen Parrish</b> <i>By Jim Parrish</i>	<b>ABVM</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 8:00 AM	<b>November 4</b> <b>Pro Populo</b>	<b>ABVM</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b> NO MASS	<b>November 5</b>	
<b>FRIDAY</b> 8:00 AM	<b>November 6</b> <b>Patrick Devine</b> <i>By Clorinda Noonan</i>	<b>ABVM</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b> 4:30 PM	<b>November 7</b> <b>Nancy Collins</b> <i>By the Family</i>	<b>ABVM</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b> 8:00 AM	<b>November 8</b> <b>Leta Hudgings</b> <i>By Clay Hudgings and Family</i>	<b>ABVM</b>
<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>Stanton and Ann Parrish</b> <i>By Jim Parrish</i>	

*Parish Support*

	<u>ABVM</u>	<u>HNM</u>
October 18, 2020 (Offering)	\$1,208	\$250

**Monthly Food Collection**

This weekend we will have our monthly Food Collection for our local Food Shelf. Non-perishable items may be left in the baskets at the church doors. Our needy neighbors will be most grateful.



**Please pray for our Sick Members (Note: If you are wanting a name added or removed from the sick list, please let the Parish Office know via email or phone).**

Robert Martin, Maurice Doucette, Jack Miller, Mike Ahern, Mary Pat Mulholland, Daniel Adler, Bill Roddy, Lou Ann Leary, Mary Ellen Ahern, Rita Higgins, Jeannie Findling.

**Please remember our Faithful Departed**

Charlene Kolenda, Patricia Kirkbride, Michael Pember, Frank Romano, John Montgomery, Patricia O'Connell, Robert Kirkbride, Ellen Parrish, Seamus Armstrong, John O'Neil, Daniel Sullivan, Elizabeth McPartland.

**Lectors at Annunciation Church**

**This weekend:** I. Montgomery, K of C, TBA

**Next weekend:** D. Simmons, A. Cherico, J. McLaughlin

**Ushers at Annunciation**

**This weekend:** D. Sheehan, J. Nicoll, T. Gurdak-Carter

**Next weekend:** D. Sheehan, J. Nicoll, T. Gurdak-Carter

**Eucharistic Ministers**

**This weekend:** S. Bixby, D. Simmons, C. Hudgings

**Next Weekend:** D. Simmons, C. Hudgings, M. Barton

**ALL SOULS' DAY COMMEMORATION**

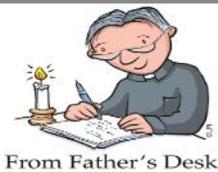
It is the ancient tradition of the Church to offer prayers for the deceased, especially on All Souls' Day, November the 2nd. The positioning of this day is providential in that it immediately follows All Saints' Day. This gives us an opportunity to honor and pray for those who, as we pray in the Eucharistic Prayer, "have gone before us, marked with the sign of faith," but who have not been canonized, that is, named saints by the Church. Envelopes are at each church entrance. Fill out the envelope with the names of the persons you would like us to remember, and then drop it in the Collection. Names given to us will be inscribed in the Book of the Dead, which will remain in the Church throughout the month of November. Mass on all Souls Day and on varying days in November will be offered for these intentions.

**HOW TO PUT OUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL :**

After providing for your families and loved ones, parishioners may want to include the Parish in your wills, thus helping to assure the long-term future of the Parish and the work that must continue in generations to come. Bequests are free of estate tax and can substantially reduce the amount of your assets claimed by the government. You can give needed support to either of our Parishes by simply including the following words in your will: "I give, devise and bequeath to Church of the Annunciation Parish Charitable Trust in Ludlow, Vermont... or... Holy Name of Mary Parish Charitable Trust in Proctorsville, Vermont (insert amount being given here) to be used to support the ministry of the Parish".

A bequest can be a specific amount, a specific piece of property, a percentage of an estate, or all or part of the residue of an estate. You can also name the Parish as a contingency beneficiary in the event someone named in your will is no longer living. It is recommended that a lawyer help in drafting or amending a will.

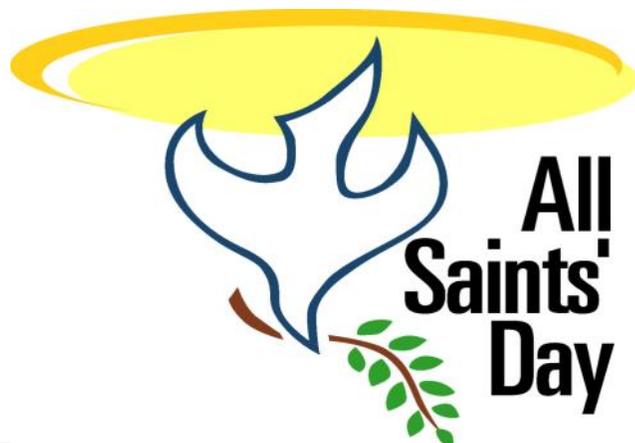
The month of November is observed in the Church beginning with the twin feasts of All Saints and All Souls. The first recalls those who have been canonized by the Church and thereby set before us as examples of living the Faith for us to emulate. The second feast recalls those whom, as we pray in the Eucharistic Prayer, "... have gone before us marked with the sign in faith," but have not been canonized. All Saints Day has a Vigil, of sorts, in Hallowe'en, whose name is derived from "hallowed evening," since it was once observed with some solemnity before the ghosts and goblins got hold of it.



From Father's Desk

There are more than 10,000 canonized Saints in the Church, as well as a great number of "Blesseds," those who are recognized for their lives of faith and heroic virtue, but are still on their way to canonization. While we tend to think of Saints as having lived long ago and far away, there are many saints who have lived in our own lifetime as well as a small cadre of Saints from here in North America. Here is a limited list of some better-known saints of our lifetime, along with the year of their death:

Andre Bessette	+1937 Canada
Faustina Kowalska	+1938 Poland
Maximillian Kolbe	+1942 Poland
Teresa Benedicta	+1942 Germany
Franz Jägerstätter	+1943 Austria
Josephine Bakhita	+1947 Sudan
Katherine Drexel	+1955 USA
Bl. Solanus Casey	+1957 USA
Gianna Molla	+1962 Italy
Pope John XXIII	+1963 Italy
Padre Pio	+1968 Italy
Josemaria Escrivá	+1975 Spain
Pope Paul VI	+1978 Italy
Bl. Stanley Rother	+1981 USA
Bl. Jerzey Popieluszko	+1984 Poland
Teresa of Calcutta	+1997 India
Pope John Paul II	+2005 Poland



**FUNERAL PRAYER FOR THE DEAD**

With November being the month that the Church sets aside for praying for the Dead, reviewing the Prayer recited for them will come in handy:

Priest: Eternal rest grant unto him/her, O Lord  
 People: **And let perpetual light shine upon him/her.**

Priest: May he/she rest in peace.  
 People: **Amen.**

Priest: May his/her soul and the souls of all the Faithful Departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace  
 People: **Amen**

**Nicene Creed**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation He came down from heaven,  
*(Here we bow for the next line.)*

... And by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake, He was crucified under Pontius Pilate, He suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and His kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the Prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church, I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

**Prayer to Saint Michael**

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.