

St. John the Evangelist

<b>SATURDAY (1/30):</b>	5:30PM — <i>Logan Prior</i> (by Zachary McGinnis).
<b>SUNDAY (1/31):</b>	8:30AM — <i>For the Parishioners of St. Edward and St. John the Evangelist.</i>
<b>MONDAY (2/1):</b>	12:00PM — <i>Janice V., J. Williams &amp; Mabel Maynard.</i>
<b>TUESDAY (2/2):</b>	12:00PM — <i>Jimmy Flynn &amp; Family</i> (by dear friends).
<b>WEDNESDAY (2/3):</b>	8:00AM — <i>Janice V., J. Williams &amp; Mabel Maynard.</i>
<b>THURSDAY (2/4):</b>	5:00PM — <i>For the Parishioners of St. Edward and St. John the Evangelist.</i>
<b>FRIDAY (2/5):</b>	<i>No Mass</i>
<b>SATURDAY (2/6):</b>	5:30PM — <i>David Murtagh</i> (by the Holy Family Prayer Circle).
<b>SUNDAY (2/7):</b>	8:30AM — <i>Frieda Richardson Crandall</i> (by Kathy Wawrzyniak).

Calendar of Events**1/31: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:10AM — Rosary (St. John)

8:30AM — Mass (St. John)

**2/1: Monday of the 4<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

12:00PM — Mass (St. John)

**2/2: The Presentation of the Lord**

12:00PM — Mass (St. John)

**2/3: Wednesday of the 4<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

8:00AM — Mass (St. John)

**2/4: Thursday of the 4<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time**

5:00PM — Mass followed by Exposition (St. John)

5:30PM — Confession (St. John)

**2/5: St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr***No Scheduled Events***2/6: St. Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs**

5:30PM — Mass (St. John)

6:30PM — Confession (St. John)

**2/7: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:10AM — Rosary (St. John)

8:30AM — Mass (St. John)

10:00AM – Confirmation Class (Zoom Call)

Parish Prayer List

*Theresa Ahern, Bill Asbell, Helen Babonis, John Benoit, Courtney Bernhardt, Maggie Byrne, Michael Carey, Louise D, Terri D, Rebackah Duprey-Jones, Gary Elzerman, Kay Erff, Terry Gray, John Holland, Dan Jodoin, JoAnn Keenan, Michael Knight, Francis Lampart, Clark Leonard, Fred List, Tim Longchamp, Normande Messier, Mary Millay, Nelly Millay, Michelle Mondor, Norma Ryan, Norma Smith, The White Family, Lesley Werner & Parishioners in Homes & Hospitals.*

Requiescat in pace***For all the Unborn, Charlotte Tallman***

*“Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.”*

Sunday Scripture Verses

Deuteronomy 18:15-20; Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9; 1

Corinthians 7:32-35 &amp; Mark 1:21-28

*Then they came to Capernaum, and on the sabbath Jesus entered the synagogue and taught. The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes. In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, “What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!” Jesus rebuked him and said, “Quiet! Come out of him!” The unclean spirit convulsed him and with a loud cry came out of him. All were amazed and asked one another, “What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him.” His fame spread everywhere throughout the whole region of Galilee.*

Best Lent Ever

Which one do you think will help you become a-better-version-of-yourself:

A. Stop eating chocolate for 40 days

B. Praying every day for 40 days

Join Matthew Kelly for BEST LENT EVER this year as we take a 40-day journey through his new book *I Heard God Laugh: A Practical Guide to Life's Essential Daily Habit*. Giving up chocolate could be helpful. Learning how to pray will be life changing!

Feed Your Soul with Prayer this Lent!

Nothing will transform your life so completely, absolutely, and forever like really learning how to pray. That's why this year's BEST LENT EVER journeys through Matthew Kelly's latest book, *I Heard God Laugh: A Practical Guide to Life's Essential Daily Habit*.

Beginning on Ash Wednesday and continuing through all forty days of Lent, you will receive a daily email with a short video to help you reconnect with yourself and your God.

If you choose to throw yourself into this experience, we promise you that you will be surprised by what God can do in your life with just an email, a short video and an open heart. So this year, don't just sign up for BEST LENT EVER, have your best lent ever!

Sign up today at [DynamicCatholic.com](http://DynamicCatholic.com).

**2020 Bishop's Annual Appeal****St. John:****Goal:** \$24,623**Pledged:** \$18,820**Percent to Goal:** (76%)*\*Numbers reflect amounts as of January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021***Christ Our Hope Campaign****St. John:****Goal:** \$133,558**Actual:** \$61,124**Percent to Goal:** (46%)*\*Numbers reflect amounts as of January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021***Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup> ~ Envision Life-** via Zoom • 6 - 8

pm Join us for a virtual pro-life event livestreamed from Saint John Vianney Church in S. Burlington. The evening will begin with prayer and adoration and will be followed by two presentations, by Molly Sheahan, Associate Director for Respect Life Advocacy at Maryland Catholic Conference and Krista Corbello, Founder of Even This Way. Register: [vermontcatholic.org/event/envision-life/](http://vermontcatholic.org/event/envision-life/)

**Religious Education & Confirmation for 2020/21****February Zoom Class Schedule**

Confirmation class Sunday February 7th @ 10am

Parent Session Wednesday February 10th @ 7pm

Family of Faith Sunday February 14th @ 10am

Confirmation Virtual Retreat February 28th 1-4 pm

**Daily Mass Intentions & Votive Candles**

There are openings available for weekday & weekend Mass intentions. The stipend for a Mass intention is \$10. Call the Rectory Office to set these up. Votive Candles to burn during the week may be scheduled, too, with an offering of \$5 per candle.

**Vocation Chalice**

Call the Rectory Office to sign-up for a week to receive the Vocation Chalice and pray for vocations. Upon return, the chalice, etc will be cleaned and disinfected before it's given to the next person.

*"Listen with the ear of your heart."**~ St. Benedict of Nursia~*

*Sanctuary Candle (St. John) ~ For all the People in the World Suffering with the Corona Virus and for a Cure Sacred Heart ~ For the Protection of the Unborn, Vulnerable Adults and the Elderly*

*Blessed Mother (St. John) ~ For the Protection of the Unborn*

*St. Joseph ~ For the Protection of the Catholic Church*

*St. Thérèse of Lisieux ~ Special Intention*

*St. Patrick ~*

**Stewardship Report****St. John:****Sunday Offertory (1/23/21 & 1/24/21):** \$ 1,870**Month Ending:** \$**Building Fund:** \$ 182**Month Ending:** \$**Liturgical Ministers*****St. John the Evangelist:*****Saturday February 6, 2021****Ushers** — Ann Colgan, Karlene Langley**Lector** — Cathy Asbell**EM** —**Sunday, February 7, 2021****Usher(s)** — Anne Donahue**Lector** — Kathy Wawrzyniak**EM** — Kathy Wawrzyniak**World Marriage Day Mass**

Married Catholic couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (e.g. 5, 10, 15, 20...55, 57) in 2021, who wish to be recognized at the Diocese Anniversary Mass with Bishop Coyne, at the Cathedral of St. Joseph in Burlington, February 7, 2021, at the 10:00am Mass.

Given the health restrictions this year, there will be a limit of 20 couples to be recognized in person at this Mass. Couples can bring up to 6 family members with them (a total of 8). Registrations will be accepted through January 28, 2021,

at <https://www.vermontcatholic.org/event/marriage-day-mass-with-bishop-coyne-2/>

Please contact Valerie Parzyck

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**Northfield Grocery Shopping Survey**

As part of a community effort seeking to enhance grocery shopping behavior data and suggestions from our community, we are soliciting shopping behavior data and suggestions from our neighbors. This is a community driven effort, and the results will be forwarded both local merchants and municipal authorities in the interest of improving our food purchasing options. A copy of the paper survey can be found in the entrance of the church and an envelope for completed surveys. Or scan the code and use SurveyMonkey. You can also drop the completed survey off at Art, Etc., Kenyon's Hardware; Brown Public Library, Northfield Pharmacy, Common Café, O'Maddi's Deli. This is an anonymous survey. No personal information is required in order to have your response taken into account.