

St. John the Evangelist

- SATURDAY (3/20):** 5:30PM — *Charlotte Tallman* (by Bob & Dorothy Tucker).
SUNDAY (3/21): 8:30AM — *Charlotte Tallman* (by Bob & Joan Piekarski) & *John A. Davison* (by the Smith Family) & *Clark Leonard* (by Cathy & Mark Diego).
MONDAY (3/22): 12:00PM — *For the Intentions of Nia Prentis* (by the Smith Family).
TUESDAY (3/23): 12:00PM — *For the Parishioners of St. Edward and St. John the Evangelist*.
WEDNESDAY (3/24): 8:00AM — *For the Success of the 40 Days for Life Campaign & For the Souls of the Faithfully Departed & Jimmy Flynn & Family* (by dear friends).
THURSDAY (3/25): 5:00PM — *Dan Holland* (by his family).
FRIDAY (3/26): *No Mass*
SATURDAY (3/27): 5:30PM — *Pat Baldasaro* (by Arthur & Jackie Miller) & *Donat Campbell* (by Wayne & Denise King).
SUNDAY (3/28): 8:30AM — *Clark Leonard* (by Bob & Joan Piekarski).

Calendar of Events**3/21: Fifth Sunday of Lent**

- 8:10AM — Rosary (St. John)
 8:30AM — Mass (St. John)
 10:00AM - Confirmation Parent Meeting (Zoom)

3/22: Monday of the 5th Week of Lent

- 12:00PM — Mass (St. John)
 6:00PM – Parish Council Meeting (Zoom)

3/23: Tuesday of the 5th Week of Lent

- 12:00PM — Mass (St. John)

3/24: Wednesday of the 5th Week of Lent

- 8:00AM — Mass (St. John)

3/25: Annunciation of the Lord

- 5:00PM — Mass followed by Exposition (St. John)
 5:30PM — Confession (St. John)
 5:30PM – Adoration Prayer Group

3/26: Friday of the 5th Week of Lent*No Scheduled Events***3/27: Saturday of the 5th Week of Lent**

- 5:30PM — Mass (St. John)
 6:30PM — Exposition & Confession (St. John)

3/28: Palm Sunday

- 8:10AM — Rosary (St. John)
 8:30AM — Mass (St. John)
 6:00PM - Confirmation Class (Zoom)

Parish Prayer List

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

Requiescat in pace**For all the Unborn**

“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

Jeremiah 31:31-34; Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15;
 Hebrews 5: 7-9 & John 12:20-33

Some Greeks who had come to worship at the Passover Feast came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, “Sir, we would like to see Jesus.” Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. Jesus answered them, “The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Amen, amen, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit. Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will preserve it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me. “I am troubled now. Yet what should I say? ‘Father, save me from this hour’? But it was for this purpose that I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name.” Then a voice came from heaven, “I have glorified it and will glorify it again.” The crowd there heard it and said it was thunder; but others said, “An angel has spoken to him.” Jesus answered and said, “This voice did not come for my sake but for yours. Now is the time of judgment on this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw everyone to myself.” He said this indicating the kind of death he would die.

Holy Thursday – Adoration/Exposition

Fr. Julian would like to have Adoration/Exposition until approximately 8:30pm following the 5:00pm Holy Thursday Mass. There is a signup sheet in the front entrance of the church. We are looking for 1 or 2 individuals to volunteer to stay/come back to take care of shutting off the lights and locking the church doors as Fr. Julian is unable to stay until 8:30pm.

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.

2020 Bishop's Annual Appeal**St. John:**

Goal: \$24,623

Pledged: \$18,690

Percent to Goal: (76%)

Numbers reflect amounts as of February 9th, 2021*Christ Our Hope Campaign****St. John:**

Goal: \$133,558

Actual: \$61,124

Percent to Goal: (46%)

Numbers reflect amounts as of February 9th, 2021*40 Days for Life Vigil**

SAVE the Date: Final Rally – Sunday, March 28 @ 3 p.m., sidewalk right-of-way, 90 Washington Street, Barre. For more information contact Diane Byrne 802-498-5638.

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

Confirmation Parent Meeting Sunday March 21st at 10am

Confirmation Class Sunday March 28th at 6pm

Adoration Prayer Group

Please join me on Thursday, March 25th, after the 5:30 Mass, during the month of March, for 1 hour (or for however long you can stay) to pray and be with The Lord in Adoration. This is your time to experience His Comfort, Love, and Strength. Adoration booklets, with prayers and reflections, will be provided. These are yours to keep! After adoration, I hope that we may build our prayer community with a brief sharing of our prayer experiences. For questions or more information, please contact Diane Byrne at dianebyrne607@gmail.com, or 802-498-5638.

Exposition on Saturday Nights during Lent

Following the 5:30pm Mass on Saturdays during Lent, Fr. Julian will have Exposition immediately following Mass. Everyone is welcome to stay and pray. He will continue to offer to hear Confessions following Exposition.

*Sanctuary Candle ~**Sacred Heart ~ For the Success of the 40 Days for Life Campaign**Blessed Mother ~ For the Protection of the Unborn, Vulnerable Adults and the Elderly**St. Joseph ~ Special Intention**St. Thérèse of Lisieux ~ Special Intention**St. Patrick ~ In Memory of Lorraine Day***Stewardship Report****St. John:**

Sunday Offertory (3/13/21 & 3/14/21): \$824

Month Ending: \$

Building Fund: \$ 31

Month Ending: \$

Liturgical Ministers*St. John the Evangelist:***Saturday March 27, 2021**

Ushers — Ann Colgan, Karlene Langley

Lector — Jack Hall

EM —

Sunday March 28, 2021

Usher(s) — Nancy Clements

Lector — Paul Milne

EM — Nancy Clements

*** Kathy is working on the next 3 months rotation Ministry schedules for Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers (for those currently reading/serving). If there are any dates you are not available, please let Kathy know as soon as possible. *** Also for Holy Week/Easter ***

Stations of the Cross at St. John

Father Julian will be saying the Stations of the Cross at 12 Noon each Friday during Lent. Booklets are available to use. We ask that you keep them with you to use each week and then return them after Lent. Fr. Julian is also asking for volunteers to lead the Stations. It can be one volunteer per week or several individuals.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER SCHEDULE**St. John the Evangelist ~ Northfield***Chrism Mass ~ Tuesday, March 30th 11AM**Cathedral of St. Joseph*****Holy Thursday, April 1st ~ 5PM**(followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 8:30PM)**Good Friday Liturgy, April 2nd ~ 5PM**Holy Saturday Easter Vigil, April 3rd ~ 5PM**Easter Sunday Morning Mass, April 4th ~ 8:30AM*

***For the Chrism Mass, because of the limited capacity in the cathedral, seating for the general public will be limited. Those wishing to attend in person must RSVP online (vermontcatholic.org/events), and reservations will be on a first-come, first-served basis. The Mass also will be live-streamed on the diocesan website and Facebook page.