

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 23, 2017



MASS INTENTIONS

July 22 - 30

SAT 7:30 pm Deceased members of the Charles

Branon Family – *by the estate*

SUN 9:00 am Neva Howrigan

-by the family

11:00 am For the Parishioners

Daily Mass

MON 8:30 am Gertrude Sweeney

-by Loretta and Henry Magnan

TUE 8:30 am Amanda and Henry Furkey

-by the estate

WED 8:30 am No Mass today

THU 8:30 am Margaret and Donald Stevens

-by Louise Covi

FRI No Mass

Next Weekend:

SAT 7:30 pm Lucille Lemnah

-by John and Anne Baxter

SUN 9:00 am John and Alice Paquette

-by the family

11:00 am ,For the Parishioners

<u>Please pray for those who are ill</u>, particularly: Mary Ann Hranek, Gabriella Laubisch, Cole Paquette, Jerry Yates, Alex Rocheleau, Joseph Magnan, Don Connor, Paul Baker, Kathy Alarie, Victoria Thompson, Mary Gebo, and June Morin.

Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 8:30 am. to 12:30 pm.

<u>Financial News</u>: We will be giving you year-end financial reports soon. Both parishes had good years, ending the fiscal year with surpluses. We have begun to work on the new budgets and are hoping to project balanced budgets for fiscal year 2017-2018. Based on those projections, we have decided to keep the Sunday Offertory Goals for both parishes the same as last year.

Next Week's Ministers:

Lectors Greeters Eucharistic Ministers

Sat., July 29

7:30 Candi Branon Real Therrien Marty Magnan Frank Persons

Atar Servers: Leah, Hannah and Kayleigh Branon

Sun., July 30

9:00 Wilson Capone Mike, Gina, and Sarah Menard Keegan Norris Norman Menard

Altar Servers: Ben and Tate Archambault

Gift Bearers: Bridget Rivet

11:00 Jane Brigham Joy Kane Linda Watson

Altar Servers: Hunter Harris, Samantha Churchill

Gift Bearers: Don & Linda Watson

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Collection last weekend – July 15 - 16

St. Patrick St. Anthony -St. George

 Offertory:
 \$ 891.00
 \$ 242.00

 3 week average:
 \$ 992.00
 \$ 269.00

 Weekly Goal:
 \$ 1,275.00
 \$ 385.00

 Projects:
 \$ 268.00
 \$ 94.00

Thank you for your continuing generosity!

2017 Bishop's Annual
Appeal: We are progressing toward the final stages of the Bishop's Annual Appeal.
As of today, we are at 95% at St. Patrick's and 68% at St. Anthony-St. George of our annual goal.



For those families who have been unable to participate in the Appeal thus far, you will be receiving a request from Father Bill or Monsignor John Mc Dermott, Vicar General of the Diocese of Burlington. Also, pledge forms may be found at the church entrances. The website for the Appeal is www.bishopsappealvt.org.

WORD OF LIFE

"A society will be judged on the basis of how it treats its weakest members; and among the most vulnerable are surely the unborn and the dying."

Pope John Paul II, "Address to the New Ambassador of New Zealand to the Holy See."

Holy Orders: The Diocese has produced a 12-page, full color, special issue on the recent ordination to priesthood of Father Joseph Sanderson, courtesy of Vermont Catholic. Pick up a copy if you'd like one.

St. Joseph's Level III Residential Care Home, Burlington, VT. Rooms and Suites available: St. Joseph's Residential Care Home, operated by Vermont Catholic Charities, is a small home-like community that provides personal care, medication home cooked meals, management, overview, and a wide array of activities. Our dedicated staff supports the needs of the whole person - physical, emotional, social and spiritual. For more information or to schedule a tour of the home, please call (802) 864-0264.

Year of Creation: "Action for Ecological Justice" At Saint Michael's College on Saturday, September 30. Keynote Speaker: Dr. Carolyn Woo, former CEO and President, Catholic Relief Services. For further information, contact Stephanie Clary at sclary@vermontcatholic.org or 802-846-5822.

Camp Guggenheim: The Diocese of Burlington invites youth from Vermont to take part in this week long (two sessions available) experience with a mix of faith, fun, and adventure. Sponsored by the Diocese of Ogdensburg, the camp is located 2.5 hours from Burlington in the beautiful Adirondack Mountains on Lower Saranac Lake. Transportation will be provided from Burlington for the weeks of July 30^{th} – August 4^{th} for (13 - 15 year olds) and August 6^{th} – 11^{th} for (16 - 18 year olds). For information registration and go to www.rcdony.org/camp.

Cursillo Renewal Weekend: "Our Commitment to Christ" will be held September 15-17 at Mountain Meadows Lodge in Killington. For further information contact Tom Kanya at 802-878-6152 or kanyat@comvcest.net. Also, A Men's Cursillo Weekend is being planned. Tentative dates are October 6-9, location to be determined. Interested men should contact Bonnie Day at 802-988-1075 or 802-863-4106 X11 or e-mail spiknit@gmail.com.

Going on Vacation? Our weekly collections are often lower during some of the summer months. People take vacations or are away on weekends. It is appreciated when you are away that you make up your weekly offering upon your return. support during the summer months helps to sustain our parishes and can make a big difference!

Changes to Delivery Of Vermont Catholic Magazine: Starting with the 2017 Fall issue, Vermont Catholic Magazine will be mailed as a gift to those who make a donation of \$24 or more to the Bishop's Annual Appeal: bishopsappealvt.org/give. To ensure you receive all four issues (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer), donate by July 30th. A limited number of copies of each issue will also be available at your parish.

Day of Hope: Will be held in the Burlington area, on Saturday, October 21, from 9am–4pm. The Day of Hope is a one-day retreat designed to help women hurting from past abortions experience the personal love of Christ and find hope for healing. The retreat offers a loving and confidential environment with a committed team of 5-6 members including trained Diocesan Staff, a professional counselor, a priest and a woman who has experienced post–abortion healing. All team members are committed to absolute confidentiality.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat: Will be held in Northern Vermont On Friday, April 6 – Sunday, April 8, 2018. A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat offers an opportunity for healing to anyone struggling with the emotional and spiritual pain of an abortion – mother, father, sibling or grandparent. Spiritual exercises focusing on God's forgiveness, compassion, and mercy help participants work through grief, anger and other emotions that may be unresolved. The retreat is grounded in the Catholic faith, and welcomes men and women of all denominations.

BIRTHDAYS **THIS** WEEK: Saturday: Luke Howrigan **Tuesday:** Rubv Dasaro. Frank Marshall Thursday: Jessica Brown, Aaron Clark,

