



# Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## October 15, 2017



### MASS INTENTIONS

*Oct 14-22*

**SAT 7:30 pm** Grady Howrigan  
*-by Marc and Patti Reynolds*

**SUN 9:00 am** Patty Cross  
*-by John and Mary Schreindorfer*

**11:00 am** For the Parishioners

**Daily Mass**  
**MON-FRI** No Daily Masses

**Next Weekend:**  
**SAT 7:30 pm** Leo and Veronica Ryan  
*-by the Ryan family*

**SUN 9:00 am** For the Parishioners

**11:00 am** Marie and Francis Brumbach  
*-by Don and Linda Watson*

**Please pray for those who are ill:** particularly: Mary Ann Hranek, Gabriella Laubisch, Jerry Yates, Alex Rocheleau, Don Connor, Paul Baker, Kathy Alarie, Victoria Thompson, Mary Gebo, June Morin and Cecile Garrett.

**Prayers For Deceased:** Marie Minor

**Living Faith:** The booklet of Daily Devotions for October, November, December 2017, is available at the church entrances. Pick up a copy if you would like.

**The Word Among Us:** Copies of the October edition of *The Word Among Us*, a booklet of daily meditations for Catholics, may be found at the entrances of the church. These are free for those who would like one.

**St. Patrick Christmas Bazaar:** The *Work Bee's* for the Annual St. Patrick Christmas Bazaar will take place on *Tuesday October 17, 24, and November 7, and Thursday November 2, and 16*, from 6-8 pm in the parish hall. We really need new people to come and help. Even if you aren't "crafty", there are lots of little jobs that need to be done. Please come and join us.



### Next Week's Ministers:

	Lectors	Greeters	Eucharistic Ministers
<b>Sat., Oct. 21</b>			
<b>7:30</b>	Candi Branon	Real Therrien	Marty Magnan Frank Person
<b>Altar Servers:</b> Leah, Hannah, and Kayleigh Branon			
<b>Sun., Oct. 22</b>			
<b>9:00</b>	Al Capone	Mike, Gina and Keegan Norris	Sarah Menard Norman Menard
<b>Altar Servers:</b> Ben and Tate Archambault			
<b>Gift Bearers:</b> Gino, Joshua and Karina Farinaccio			
<b>11:00</b>	Jane Brigham	Joy Kane	Linda Watson
<b>Altar Servers:</b> Hunter Harris, Samantha Churchill			
<b>Gift Bearers:</b> Todd Brown Family			

### WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Collection last weekend – Oct.7- Oct.8

	St. Patrick	St. Anthony
		-St. George
<b>Offertory:</b>	\$ 1,302.00	\$ 281.00
15 Week average:	\$ 1,202.00	\$ 379.00
Weekly Goal:	\$ 1,275.00	\$ 385.00

*Second Collections:*

*October 14-15: Projects and Food Shelf*

*October 21-22: World Mission Sunday*

**Thank you for your continuing generosity!**

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Sunday, Oct. 15 - **Grades 2, 6, 7, 9, and 10**  
 6-7 pm. at St. Patrick Church

Wednesday, Oct. 18 – **Grades 1, 4, and 8**  
 3:20 – 4:20 pm. at Fairfield Center School

Wednesday, Oct. 18 – **Grades 3 and 5**  
 3:20 – 4:20 pm. at St. Patrick Church

### St. Anthony-St. George Christmas Bazaar:

We will be having a meeting to plan our Annual Christmas Bazaar, after Mass on Sunday October 22. We need new people to help. We welcome anyone who would like to join us for this event. Come join the fun.



### **WORD OF LIFE**

“We must listen to God, who speaks to us. Having a well-formed conscience doesn’t mean we have all the answers to the complex problems in the world, but it does mean that we are sensitive to the needs and struggles of other people.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

### **Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

“On this mountain he will destroy the veil that veils all peoples.” Learn how to put aside the veils and masks that prevent true intimacy with your spouse by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Oct. 21-22, 2017 in Contoocook, NH and Mar 16-18, 2018 in Isle La Motte, Vt. For more information, call Gary and Lynn Root at 802-456-8114 or visit them at <https://wwmevt.org>.

**Respect Life Month:** October is “Respect Life Month.” Each year Catholic parishes throughout the United States offer prayer, public education and pastoral care initiatives in recognition of Respect Life Month. This year’s theme is “Be Not Afraid,” taken from Matthew 28:20.

**Book Study:** “The One Thing is Three” Book Study about the Holy Trinity will be starting on October 22, 2017. All are welcome to attend the Sunday morning discussion sessions at the Fairfield Community Center at 9:45 am. If you are interested in attending or want more information please call Margaret Doe at (802) 933-6341.

**Policies on Ethics and Integrity in Ministry:** The Diocese of Burlington is publishing a revised 2017 edition of the Policies on Ethics and Integrity in Ministry, which comes out of the Office of Safe Environment Programs. These policies outline the standards that Church personnel (as defined in the policy) must follow to comply with diocesan child safety guidelines relating to child abuse training, background checks, reporting procedures, and more. This policy revision also includes updated versions of the two Codes of Conduct. These new policies and Codes of Conduct are incorporated into all Safe and Sacred training courses. You can find the revised policies, including the updated Codes of Conduct, and Bishop Coyne’s Letter of Promulgation on the diocesan website: [www.vermontcatholic.org](http://www.vermontcatholic.org).

**Father Bill Away:** Father Bill is on vacation and away from the parishes until October 27<sup>th</sup>. Father Thomas Nadeau, Senior Priest and former pastor of the four parishes in Grand Isle County, will be here for the weekend Masses. Rose will be in the parish office three mornings a week and you may call if you have a need. In an emergency, or if you need a priest you may call Holy Angels in St. Albans at (802) 524-2585.

**All Souls Intentions:** All Souls Day is Thursday, November 2. Each year on All Souls Day and throughout the month of November we pray for and remember family members and friends who have died. You are invited to submit your All Souls Intentions so that they may be remembered at the Masses during November. For those who use envelopes, the names of those you wish remembered may be written on the envelope for All Souls found in your boxes. Non-envelope users will find envelopes at the church entrances for this purpose. These envelopes may be dropped into the collection basket at any time before November 2 or during November.

**Priest’s Benefit Fund Annual Appeal:** The Priest’s Benefit Fund works to support our priests throughout their ministry, but especially seeks to provide senior and disabled priests with sufficient financial means to lead a prayerful and dignified life. The Priest’s Benefit Fund was established as a means to care for the ill and aged priests with healthcare needs, and support a pension program providing a modest pension and health insurance coverage. The Annual Appeal will be taken up on the weekend of October 28-29. Your support is greatly appreciated.

### **BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:**

**Sunday:** Mary Burnor, Christopher Chicoine, Amy Howrigan, Kathleen Hungerford  
**Monday:** Kevin Lawyer  
**Wednesday:** Susan Rainville  
**Thursday:** Oliver Manning, Robert Boylan  
**Friday:** Peyton Dukas, Shaun Montague, Michael Tiffany  
**Saturday:** Jim Carpenter



**Office Hours:** Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday  
From 8:30 am–12:30 pm.

