



Mass Schedule & Intentions

May 27th – June 4th, 2023

5/27 SATURDAY

Pentecost

4:30pm Mass: Giovanna and Franco Toffolo

5/28 SUNDAY

Pentecost

8:00am Mass: People of the parish &

Intentions of Crystal Edmondson

10:30am Mass: O'Donnell and Anderson families

5/29 MONDAY

11am Adoration

12pm Mass: Lambert Family

5/30 TUESDAY – NO MASS @ BSC

5/31 WEDNESDAY – NO MASS @ BSC

6/1 THURSDAY

4:30pm: Adoration

5:30pm Mass: Robert A Lepito, Sr.

6/2 FRIDAY

7:30am Adoration

8:30am Mass: Intentions of Tracy Roth &

Deny Lambert

6/3 SATURDAY

Trinity Sunday

4:30pm Mass: Mary Duperre

6/4 SUNDAY

Trinity Sunday

8:00am Mass: Carol Scheurlein

10:30am Mass: People of the parish &

Jackson Seivwright

MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS MASS SCHEDULE

Monday – No Mass

Tuesday – 4pm Adoration, 5pm Mass

Wednesday – No Mass

Thursday – 11am Adoration, 12pm Mass

Friday – 8am Adoration, 9am Mass

Saturday – 4:00pm

Sunday – 8am, 10:30am



Dear Parishioners,

"The LORD has done great things for us, and we are filled with joy." Psalm 126.3

I'm so grateful to God, Fr Jon, my helping crew, and you all for successful fundraisers that we had in the past. We did cook well every time, but we used to say very gladly that God added taste to the food. I'm thankful to you all for your support and generosity towards every fundraiser. I was very much surprised to know that we made \$33,013.52 after expenses between BSC & MHNJ parishes. (To send Aulani Morris to the Benedictine monastery - \$7896; to St Louis Institute for Deaf and Blind, Chennai, India - \$5048; to hurricane relief - \$4131.84; to Percy farm, Stowe - \$3205; to Religious Education - \$1443.01; to help Abigail for cancer treatment - \$1568; to Fr Selvam and Sr Helen family in India - \$4252.91; to build bathroom for the girls at St Paul's Higher Secondary School in my native parish - \$5468.71). I really admire and appreciate your generosity. I'm thankful to God for He blessed us to be able help others in need.

I recently planned to do another fundraiser for my diocesan seminarians at 4pm on 7th of June 2023 in both of our parishes. There are 42 seminarians who are studying in different levels of formation to become priests for my diocese of Palayamkottai, India. My diocese needs your help because it is expensive to feed, pay for tuition and provide lodging for all seminarians. Many adult men want to join the seminary but because it is expensive, the diocese is not able to choose all who aspire to become priests. I remember gladly of my maternal grandpa Mr Irudayaraj, a catechist in his hometown, who was also went blind from his young age, right after his marriage. He used to lead morning and evening prayers form his memory at least 30 minutes every time. He sang all songs from his memory. He was very helpful to all pastors of his parish. The priests liked him much because of his spirituality and faith. I had to pay less than \$5 every month to the seminary but my parents couldn't do that. In order to help me continue my formation in the seminary, my grandpa used to take me to visit with his previous pastors to ask for help. I used to lead him holding his hand and the priests were generous to help me.

While I was studying in the major seminary, the seminary asked me to write a letter requesting for help to the propagation of faith which would forward that letter to a donor in any country. Some of my friends who had European last names, were gifted with 8 to 10 benefactors who would send money to the Propagation of Faith to help their studies, but I didn't get one for at least 9 to 10 months. Paul Gravina from Malta, Europe chose my name to sponsor because I'm also Paul. He was a carpenter who spared his money to pay for my studies. I'm so grateful to him that he himself made a missal stand with beautiful carvings, and gifted it to me for my first Mass. It is still in my parish in India. I have received much help from many people throughout my formation and I want to pay it back. This is why I started the fundraisers. I wish I do at least 3 fundraisers every year; one for my school where I studied, the second one for my diocesan seminarians, India and the third one for St Louis Institute for Deaf and Blind, India. With all your help and through the grace of God, we can do many great things like these. I pray that God bless you all abundantly. May your generosity and kindness become a blessing for your family.

With sincere thanks,
Fr Paul



Bishop Marshall School

Mrs. Carrie Wilson, *Head of School*
(802) 888-4758 www.bjams.org

Chicken Curry Takeout—Wednesday, June 7

All proceeds to benefit Fr. Paul's home diocese and their seminarians. There are currently 42 seminarians, at various levels and the Diocese is responsible for covering the cost of their food, lodging, and tuition (\$3,000/yr). Donations and sponsorships are absolutely necessary for them to make ends meet. Fr. Paul was sponsored by an individual donor, which made the pursuit of his vocation possible. Because he was the recipient of such generosity, he would like to pay it forward and fundraise for them. **Deadline to order is Wednesday, May 31st.** Meal includes: Chicken curry, tomato rice, paratha, and potatoes. \$15/meal. Pickup available 4pm, June 7th, at either MHNJ, mhnj@vermontcatholic.org, or at BSC, blessedsacrament@vermontcatholic.org.

Addressing Poverty in Lamoille: An Interfaith Teach In + Fundraiser - Saturday, June 3, 6-8pm:

This year, the Lamoille faith communities come together in direct action against economic injustice in a night of learning and giving. All donations go to support the Interfaith Benevolence Fund, a new partnership with United Way of Lamoille County, that will support community members who are experiencing severe economic hardship. Come hear the stories of those directly impacted, alongside experts, clergy, and community members as we work together towards a society that provides for everyone's basic needs and respects the dignity of all. Light refreshments to follow the program. In-person at BSC or online via Zoom. To learn more and to register (in-person or Zoom) and/or donate, please visit [this page](#).

Special thank you to all our Religious Education teachers, parents, and students for a wonderful year!



Blessed Sacrament Church Tuition Assistance Grant (BSCTAG)

For years, Blessed Sacrament Church has encouraged our parish families to attend Catholic Schools (K-12). To that end, the Blessed Sacrament Church Tuition Assistance Grant (BSCTAG) was established with the purpose of providing a level of financial aid to help offset the cost of a Catholic education to those who need assistance. The BSC Finance Council is presently working with Fr. Jon to update and revise BSCTAG, which will now include an application for those desirous of participating in the program. Applications will be available mid-June. Please contact Megan Hand at me-gan.t.hand@gmail.com for more information.

Please note the adjusted Mass schedule this coming week.

The second collection next week will be for the Social Action Ministry.

TOTUS TUUS 2023

"Jesus Saves" - Sorrowful Mysteries
Sunday, July 23-27 (9th-12th Graders 6:00-8:30pm); July 24- 28 (1st-8th Graders 9:00-3:00pm). Registration forms are available in the back of the church, in the bulletin, or online [here](#).

Lamoille County Food Share has seen an increase in people asking for help. Please donate to the basket in the back of the church. Please be mindful of the expiration dates as donating something that has expired helps no one. You may also send a check to LCFS, P.O. Box 173, Morrisville, VT, 05661 or visit their [website](#) to donate online.

UPCOMING Events

- * **ALIVE!:** Wed, May 31, 6pm, MHNJ
- * **SoulCore:** Fri, Jun 2, 9:15am
- * **Benevolence Fund Awareness Fundraiser:** Sat, Jun 3, 6pm
- * **Chicken Curry Dinner Pickup:** Wed, Jun 7, 4pm
- * **SoulCore:** Fri, Jun 9, 9:15am
- * **Altar Server Outing:** Sun, Jun 11, 1-5pm
- * **SoulCore:** Fri, Jun 16, 9:15am

Blessed Sacrament Venmo



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NEWS FROM The Inland See

May 27 – June 2, 2023

FOR THE DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON

170 Celebrating 170 years of the Diocese of Burlington 1853–2023

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In St. Paul's Letter to the Corinthians, he writes: "You will be enriched in every way to be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God."

Saint Paul is answering a question that many of us may ponder when asked to give a contribution: Why should we, willingly and cheerfully give money, or time, or energy, or effort to meet the needs of others? Because when we do so, we are acting as disciples of Jesus and putting our Catholic faith in action. We are acting as stewards of the graces and blessings that God has given us.

When you offer a gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal, you are fulfilling the call of discipleship by sharing the blessings you have received from our Heavenly Father. When you give, you act in support of raising critical funds needed by our 20+ statewide ministries, services, and programs at the heart of the mission of our Diocese. You also support the dedicated workers within these ministries who compassionately respond to the material and spiritual needs of individuals and families through emergency aid, prison ministry, counseling, spiritual retreats,

lay formation and Catholic education.

This year marks the 170th anniversary of our diocese. As we celebrate this milestone, let us gratefully remember the many sacrifices of the bishops, priests, religious and countless laypeople who built our diocese, grew our diocese, and embraced our diocese with generosity, love, and commitment. Inspired by their example, may we humbly continue this same legacy of dedication to the Catholic Church in Vermont.

Join me and together we will move forward in our mission to serve another 170 years as disciples of our Lord. Please, prayerfully consider making a gift to the 2023 appeal by responding to the mailing that you received, or by offering a sacrificial gift next week end at your church.



Sincerely yours in Christ,

Christopher J. Coyne

The Most Reverend Christopher J. Coyne
Bishop of Burlington

Ways to give



Give Online
vermontcatholic.org/giveonline
or scan the QR code to the left.

Donate By Mail
Bishop's Annual Appeal
Diocese of Burlington
55 Joy Drive
South Burlington, VT 05403

Stock Gifts/Planned Gifts
802-658-6110 ext.1226
ekane@vermontcatholic.org



Upcoming Events



05|29 MONDAY
**Memorial Day Mass
at Holy Family Cemetery**
Holy Family Cemetery, Essex Junction
8:30 - 10 am

In case of inclement weather Mass will be held at Holy Family Church. The Celebrant will be Fr. Charles Ranges, S.S.E. The Post Communion Reflection will be delivered by Jane Davis. The topic is "The Joys and Challenges of being a Military Wife." Jane grew up in a military family, is married to an active-duty member of the military and her son served in Afghanistan. The Knights of Columbus will once again graciously provide refreshments after Mass. If you wish to have a deceased member of the military remembered during the Prayers of the Faithful, please contact Mike Goodrich directly at mpgoodrich1026@gmail.com or 802-735-5595 no later than Saturday, May 27. Include the individual's full name, dates of service and branch of the military in which he/she served.



05|31 WEDNESDAYS
Good News Bootcamp
St. John Vianney, S. Burlington
6:45 - 8:30 pm

Please join us in discussing how we as Catholics can bring healing, transformation, virtue, and enthusiasm to our world. See topics on our website at stjohnevianneyvt.org/good-news-bootcamp.



06|02, 09 FRIDAYS
The Chosen Season 3
St. Elizabeth Parish Hall, Lyndonville
5 - 7:30 pm

Join us for dinner at 5; the show will start at 5:30. If you can't make it for dinner, no worries — just come for the show! Note: June 9 is the last date of the series.



06|03 SATURDAYS
First Saturday Devotions
All Saints, Richford
7:30 - 9:30 am

Confessions from 7:30 to 7:50, followed by Mass at 8 am, then devotional prayers. All are welcome!



06|03 SATURDAYS
First Saturday Devotions
St. John Vianney, S. Burlington • 8 am
Mass at 8 am, Rosary & Confessions at 8:30 am.



06|03 SATURDAYS
First Saturday Devotions
Holy Family, Essex Junction • 8 am
Every first Saturday starting with Confessions and the Rosary at 8 am followed by Mass at 8:30 am.



06|03 SATURDAY
First Saturday Devotions
Our Lady of Ephesus, Jamaica • 10 am
Confessions followed by a Mass at 10:30.



06|03 SATURDAY
**Rutland Dismas House
Dinner and Auction**
Spartan Arena, Rutland • 5 pm

Tickets are \$75 and may be purchased by calling (802) 775-5539 or emailing geraldine@dismasofvt.org. No tickets will be sold at the door. Doors open at 3:30 pm. and the program begins at 5 pm. There will be live music and awards.



06|04, 07|02 SUNDAYS
Eucharistic Healing Service
St. John the Evangelist, St. Johnsbury • 3 pm
Benediction and Exposition of the Most

Blessed Sacrament, offered the first Sunday of the month, with Fr. Lance Harlow.



06|11, 07|09 SUNDAYS
**Monthly COSP KofC Fund Raising
Breakfast**
Christ Our Savior, Manchester • 9 am - 12 pm

Supporting Parish and Community outreach programs.



06|16 FRIDAY
Worldpriest Rosary Relay
Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington • 11:30 am
Join people around the world in praying the

Rosary. Bishop Coyne will lead the Rosary and it will be live-streamed on the Diocesan website as well as aired on Our Lady of Perpetual Help radio.



06|18 – 08|04 MONDAY – FRIDAY
Totus Tuus

Totus Tuus is one week long, with the grade school (grades 1-8) session during the day from 9am to 3pm, and a session for high school students each evening. The week is led by our enthusiastic team of Totus Tuus missionaries! To download a registration form, visit: vermontcatholic.org/totustuus.

June 18–23 St. Michael, Brattleboro

St. Mary, St. Albans

June 25–30 St. Peter, Vergennes

St. Monica, Barre

July 9–14 Sacred Heart-St. Francis deSales, Bennington

Christ the King, Rutland

July 16–21 Mater Dei, Newport

St. John Vianney, South Burlington

July 23–28 St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls

Blessed Sacrament, Stowe

July 30–Aug. 4 Corpus Christi, St. Johnsbury

Ascension, Georgia



07|09 SUNDAY
Annual Diocesan Family Day Mass
St. Anne's Shrine, Isle La Motte • 12:15 pm
Msgr. John McDermott will be the celebrant.

The shrine will be providing a free-will-donation barbecue after the Mass. Visitors are welcome to bring their own picnic as well as lawn chairs and lawn games.

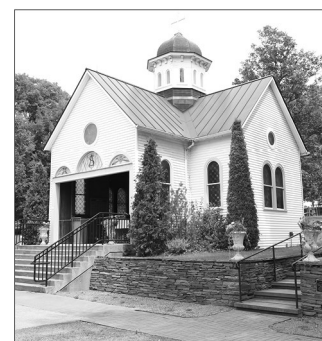
DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON CAREERS

Diocesan Central Offices:

Marriage and Family Life Coordinator

Diocesan Central Offices: Senior Accountant

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5-Day Silent Retreat • St. Anne's Shrine, Isle La Motte

Retreat begins Sunday, June 11 at 7 pm and concludes Friday, June 16 at 1 pm.

The Society of St. Edmund will be conducting a 5-Day Directed Retreat in the Ignatian tradition. Using principles from the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola, retreatants are invited

to contemplate scripture passages in a silent environment, celebrate daily Eucharist and meet with a Spiritual Director each day. Spiritual Directors are specifically trained for this type of retreat and will serve as companions

and co-discerners of the Spirit during the retreat. Applicants should be comfortable maintaining an atmosphere of silence and be able to share their prayer experience with a Spiritual Director in a daily meeting of about forty-five minutes.

The cost is \$550 per person which includes a private room and all meals. A \$250 non-refundable deposit is due with application which can be obtained by calling Joe Gallagher at (802) 928-3362 or via email at jgallagher@sse.org. Space is limited due to private bedroom accommodations and married couples attending will be assigned to separate cabins.