Most Holy Name of Jesus Parish



MASS TIMES

Saturday 4 pm

Sunday 8 am & 10:30 am

Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9 am Wednesday 12:00PM Noon

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held one hour before daily Mass and before 4:00PM Saturday Mass

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Jon Schnobrich, Pastor jschnobrich@vermontcatholic.org

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 8am to 1pm

CONTACT INFORMATION

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SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays 3:15pm to 3:45pm or any time by appointment, call 888 -3318.

BAPTISM: Please call the Parish Office to inquire about Baptism for your child.

<u>MATRIMONY:</u> Please call the Parish Office at least 6-8 months in advance to allow for marriage preparation.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND VISITS TO THE HOMEBOUND: Please call the Parish Office if you know of anyone unable to attend Mass because of illness, age, or disability.

FAITH FORMATION / PREPARATION FOR HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION:

Please contact Mary Elfer, the Parish Life Coordinator, to inquire about the faith formation program and the requirements for First Communion and Confirmation.

EVER THOUGHT ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC?

If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, completing your Sacraments of Initiation, or just desire a deeper understanding of your faith, check out the Adult RCIA Program: contact the Parish Office for more details.

Knights of Columbus Council #5041

Meetings: Second Wednesday of the Month Grand Knight Mike Noonan—802-318-1761 kofc.council5041@gmail.com





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

	H. Mass INTENTIONS	LECTOR
Saturday, November 6 Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	3:00 PM Adoration 4:00 PM Mass For +Bud Ploof by Cathy and For +Marion Taylor (birthday anniv) by Betty	Melissa
Sunday, November 7 Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:00 AM Mass For Deceased children and spouses of Charles and Alvine Cote by family 10:30 AM Mass For Linda Foss by Judi Womack	Mary Roland
Monday, November 8	No Mass	
Tuesday, November 9	No Mass	
Wednes, November 10	No Mass	
Thurs., November 11	No Mass	
Friday, November 12	No Mass	
Saturday, November 13 Thirty Third Sunday In Ordinary Time	3:00 PM Adoration 4:00 PM Mass For +Jean A Godin by Barbara And For +Arlita Racine by Sandy Harris	Anne
Sunday, November 14 Thirty Third Sunday In Ordinary Time	8:00 AM Mass For +Denis Cote by Marc and Diane 10:30 AM Mass	Marc Shannara
	For +Leonard and +Joyce Leblanc by Julie Bourne	
October 30 and 31	2021 \$ 1,877.33	2020 \$ 2,239.00

Energy: \$25, World Missions \$15, All Soul's: \$105, SAM: \$120

All Saints: \$75, Priest Benefit Fund: \$152

Dear Parishioners,

It is with great joy that I write this column. I wish to begin on a note of gratitude. I am grateful to God for all His blessings: the gift of life, good health, the gift of people like you and for many other things in life. It has been close to five months since I left you in June 30th 2021, after successfully completing my mission in Vermont. Indeed, whenever I look back, I remember Vermont with gratitude and joy. Vermont remains the door through which God brought me into this great nation. The Americans I know are Vermonters; the America I am proud to know is Vermont.

Ever since I left you, life has not been the same? Why? Vermont is like a home away from home. I felt at home while I was there, and whenever I remember it, I have that nostalgia of one's home. No matter how far I have moved away, I am still drawn as one who is on a journey. Why do I feel this way? It is not just about the beauty of Vermont, not about the mountains, but about the people I have met in Vermont: Fr. Maurice Roy, who nurtured me when I was beginning life in America; Fr. Jon Schnobrich, who even today I see as a brother from another mother. I cannot put down your names one after the other, lest I will miss anyone. My beloved, wonderful and amazing parishioners from St. Albans, Stowe and Morrisville, you have no equals, if I should compare you with others.

Many are worried about my wellbeing, and many have been asking about how life has been for me. In all, I will tell you that the beauty of life is not about how well things are, but about how well we live it. I do not have all the things in the world, but I live well to the glory of God. I have toured round some of the States in the Midwest of the country, and I will say, "America is beautiful." My home bishop expressed his desire for me to further my education, which is the major reason why he chose to leave me behind. On second note, security is not at its best now in my country.

What I need most now is your prayers for my country. With this spiritual support, the physical will fall in shape. I will keep you posted as things turn around. God bless you!

Yours in Christ, Mary and Joseph, Fr Joseph C. Ikegbunam

COVID GUIDELINES

With Covid cases on the rise in our community, it is each of our responsibility to protect those around us. While not mandated at the present time, we support and respect each other in their personal decisions to wear a mask, social distance from others, and refrain from shaking hands at the sign of peace and other expressions of welcome and greeting. Thank you.

BECOME THE MAN GOD CREATED YOU TO BE

MEN'S RETREAT - December 3-5 at St. Anne's Shrine, Isle La Motte, VT. The cost of retreat is \$100 and the deadline for registration is November 20, 2021.

PLEASE JOIN US

November 24, 2021 Wednesday THANKSGIVING MASS

No Adoration—5:30PM Mass



Fr. Boivin Council, Knights of Columbus

Will be conducting their first ever Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity on Wednesday, Nov. 17 at 6:30 PM at Holy Name Parish Church. This event is the new initiation for new members and replaces the former first three degrees of the Order. Any man who is a practicing Catholic in good standing with the Church and 18 years of age or older who would like to join the Knights on that evening should contact Grand Knight Mike Noonan (802-318-1761) or Financial Secretary Dennis Smith (802-888-3281) before November 7.

All parishioners are invited to witness the event on November 17th.

YOUTH GROUP

Open to all youth, grades 8 and up. Crosby Center 5-7pm

Nov 7th,

Care Packages for College students and a visit to St. Theresa's Cemetery with Fr. Jon.

Nov 21st,

What do the Eucharist, unleavened bread, and Thanksgiving have in common?

Dinner served at every gathering!



CLASS SCHEDULE Sundays 9:15–10:15 AM

November 7, 14, 21 No class November 28

See you Sunday!

We are at 89% percent of our **Bishop's Appeal** Goal! Thank you for all those who have made a gift or pledge. If you have not yet done so, please consider a gift today.

Envelopes are in the church for your use.