



Saint Anthony's Parish

founded in 1869

Reverend Fr. Cyrain G. Cabueñas
Very Reverend Msgr. John J. McDermott, J.C.L.
Diocesan Administrator

15 Church Street, White River Junction VT 05001

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday 9:00 AM

Friday 9:00 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:15-3:45 PM

First Friday 9:30-10:30 AM

or by appointment

Baptism

Please contact the office
one month in advance.

Marriage

Please contact the office
six months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick

Contact the office.

Eucharist Adoration

First Fridays 9:30-10:30

Rectory Chapel Hours

Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday and Friday
10:00 AM to 3:00 PM



March 3rd, 2024

Third Sunday of Lent

"I, the LORD, am your God, who brought you out of the
land of Egypt, that place of slavery." Exodus 20:1

Parish Contacts

Office Hours: 11 - 4 Monday, Tuesday & Thursday

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Email:

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Father is available for appointments on Monday and Friday. He is at St. Francis in Windsor on Tuesday and Thursday. The phone number at St. Francis is 802-674-2157.

Parish Secretary: Meghan Rushton

Religious Education: Diane Usher

Email: dmgu70@icloud.com

Parish Life: The Week in Overview

Sunday, March 3rd

Religious Education after 8:30 Mass

Monday, March 4th

NO MASS

RCIA in the rectory 6 PM

Tuesday, March 5th

Wednesday, March 6th

Thursday, March 7th

Friday, March 8th

NO MASS

Stations of the Cross & Soup Supper 5 PM

Saturday, March 9th

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Saturday, March 2nd 4:00 pm

For Raymond Plante† by Elizabeth Plante & family

Sunday, March 3rd 8:30 am

For Seminarian Giang Vu by Knights of Columbus

Monday, March 4th NO MASS

Friday, March 8th NO MASS

Saturday, March 9th 4:00 pm

For the souls in purgatory by Jean - Louis Desrochers

Sunday, March 10th 8:30 am

For Dr. Vijay Thadini by J. Thadini

Sanctuary Candles

will burn this week for

Brandi Wilson

Parishioners to Lift Up in Prayer

Charlotte King

Virginia Philbin

Roger Tatro

Elizabeth McArthur

Heidi Whidden

Dan McKenney

Diane Reilly

Frank Klymn

Dianne Hopkins

Doug Albanese

Jay Bement, RIP

Rob (Bob) Mattson

Cindy McCarthy

✿ If you would like to request a Mass intention, please call or email the parish office or place your intention in the collection basket. The suggested donation for a Mass is \$10.

🕯 To sponsor a Sanctuary candle for your intentions, contact the parish office. A donation to defray the cost of the candle is appreciated but not necessary.

Giving Report

Weekly need to meet expenses.....\$4,250

Last week's collection.....\$3,581

If you'd like to receive donation envelopes, contact the parish office.

Coffee
& fellowship
after
Sunday Mass



A Message From Father Cyrain

In the bible, we rarely see Jesus angry. But in today's Gospel, we see him making a whip out of cords and driving all the vendors and moneychangers away from the temple for they were making it a marketplace. A marketplace is dirty, chaotic, noisy – the exact opposite of a temple: clean, orderly, quiet. Jesus gives deep respect and devotion to the temple because it is the house of God.

In the spiritual realm, we are not far from being like the unruly vendors and moneychangers. We don't desecrate houses of worship but people's hearts, which are also the temples of God's Spirit. When we criticize people, laugh at their mistakes, accuse them falsely, respond sarcastically, ignore them, or inflict emotional and physical pain – we are actually desecrating the temple of God in others.

Deeply rooted in our hearts is an unruly “vendor-like” attitude that sees others as things that can be used or abused. We don't see them as our brothers and sisters, much less temples of the Holy Spirit.

We should be more careful with our words and actions. Thoughtful words and actions could console and uplift a heart, whereas harsh words and actions could destroy a soul. We are not unruly vendors and moneychangers by nature. We are children of God, born to love, and destined to care.



Welcome!

If you are new to Saint Anthony's Parish, welcome! Thank you for joining us in the celebration of the Mass. If you would like to register, fill out one of the forms at the entrance to the Church and return it to the parish office.

Catechumens and Candidates desiring to learn more about the Catholic faith, please contact the parish office for more information about the formation process.

Can't Make It to Mass?

Mass streams at several times on Sunday:

- 5:30 am - WCAX-TV (Channel 3)
- 10:00 am - WNNE-TV (Channel 13)
- 10:00 am - CATHOLIC TV NETWORK (Channel 166)
- 8:00 am & Noon - EWTN (Channel 38)
- 10:00 am Sunday & 12:05 weekday - BURLINGTON

(<https://www.vermontcatholic.org/news/communication/tv-mass/>)



Parish & Diocese

Stations of the Cross & Soup Supper Every Friday during Lent 5:00 pm

Come pray this ancient devotion to Christ's Passion that grants a plenary indulgence to participants. A simple soup supper will follow in the Parish Hall.

Soup & bread donations welcome! To donate, call Karen or Richard Powell at 802-295-2078.



Class is this Sunday, March 3rd.
The next class Sunday, March 17.
Religious Education Families will host Coffee Hour on March 17 after Mass.



**St. Patrick's Dinner
Saturday, March 16th
4:45-6:15 PM**



Live music,
corned beef and
cabbage, and a
raffle for a 65"
Smart TLC ROKU
TV! Hosted by
the Knights of
Columbus.



Register now for Totus Tuus, hosted here at St. Anthony's from June 16-21. Look for the bright green registration forms in the back of the Church. Or register online at vermontcatholic.org

Your donation to the second collection helps restore the Church and build the future in more than 25 countries still struggling to recover from former communist rule and now the war in Ukraine. Funds support reconstruction, education, formation, and poverty outreach.

Second Collection: The Church in Central & Eastern Europe

Parish Assistance Fund

Your generosity enables our parish to live the corporal works of mercy. This past month, the Parish Assistance Fund covered two month's rent for the mother of two children. A check made out to Saint Anthony Church **marked "Assistance"** will ensure your donation is used to continue to feed, clothe and shelter those who reach out to us in need. Thank you for your generosity.

Lenten Retreat in Springfield
Wednesday, March 20th at Holy Family NMC
30 Pleasant Street, Springfield
9:30 - 3:00 pm

The retreat include a presentation, Mass, Adoration and Confession. Sponsored by the Diocese; free but require pre-registration. Register with Nicole Hamilton at nhamilton@vermontcatholic.org or 802- 846-5813.

Front Two Pews Now Reserved for Eucharistic Ministers

Father Cabuanas has requested that **the front two pews in both of the center aisles be reserved for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and their families.**

Kids' Corner

Saint Dominic Savio, Feast Day March 9th



Here are the Ten Commandments that God gave to Moses for His people. The only problem is that they are in the wrong order! Can you put the right numbers in the spaces?

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Prayer Corner

Pope's March Intention

For the new martyrs
We pray that those who risk their lives
for the Gospel in various parts of the
world inflame the Church with their
courage and missionary enthusiasm.

First Friday Devotion

Jesus makes 12 promises to those who consecrate
their hearts to Him on the First Friday of the
month. Five of the promises are:

1. I will give them all the graces necessary for their state of life.
2. I will give peace in their families.
3. I will console them in all their troubles.
4. I will be their refuge in life and especially in death.
5. I will abundantly bless all their undertakings.

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love thee.

March 2024

PRAY FOR PRIESTS

Please join us in praying for all our the priests in our diocese.

A PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

Gracious and loving God,
we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them,
we experience your presence in the sacraments.



Help our priests to be strong in their vocation.
Set their souls on fire with love for your people.

Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength
they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus.
Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom.

Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel.
Allow them to experience joy in their ministry.

Help them to become instruments of your divine grace.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns
as our Eternal Priest. **Amen.**

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| | | | | | 1 Pope Francis | 2 Pray for a new bishop for the diocese. |
| 3 Fr. Brian Cummings, S.S.E. | 4 Fr. Charles Danielson | 5 Msgr. Michael DeForge | 6 Fr. James Dodson | 7 Fr. Francis Eksterowicz | 8 Fr. Richard Eneji, CSSp. | 9 Fr. John Feltz |
| 10 Fr. Patrick Forman | 11 Fr. Henry Furman | 12 Fr. Bernard Gaudreau | 13 Fr. William Giroux | 14 Fr. Scott Gratton | 15 Fr. Karl Hahr | 16 Fr. John Hammond, O.S.B. |
| 17 Fr. Lance Harlow | 18 Fr. Jay Haskin | 19 Fr. Paul Houde | 20 Fr. Richard Iaquinto, O.S.B. | 21 Fr. Romanus Igweonu | 22 Fr. Rijo Johnson, S.D.V. | 23 Fr. Daniel Jordan |
| 24 Fr. Thomas LaRussa, S.D.V. | 25 Msgr. Richard Lavalley | 26 Fr. James Lawrence | 27 Fr. Raj Kumar Madri, HGN | 28 Priests who are having difficulty | 29 Priestly and religious vocations | 30 All our seminarians |
| 31 All deceased priests | Follow Diocese of Burlington Pray for Priests on social media:  facebook.com/dioburlington  ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON | | | | | |

NEWS FROM The Inland See

March 2–8, 2024

FOR THE DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON

Annual diocesan spring retreats 2024

The Diocese of Burlington will be hosting three retreats over the next two months and invite you to join us! These include the Annual Men's Conference, a Women's Retreat and a Young Adult Retreat. The Young

Adult Retreat is aimed at creating community and spiritual nourishment for those in our diocese aged 20-39. For questions about any of the retreats listed, please contact Nicole Hamilton at nhamilton@vermontcatholic.org or 802-658-6110 x 1131.



Annual Vermont Catholic Men's Conference

Saturday, March 16

9 am to 2:15 pm

Our Lady of the Angels Parish Hall, Randolph

Cost: \$30 for Adults, \$15 for College Students, and Under 18 years old is FREE with a paying adult, lunch included.

Register at: vermontcatholic.org/men

This year's theme is 'Band of Brothers' with Dcn. R J Dourney

Annual Vermont Catholic Women's Retreat

Saturday, April 6 • 9 am to 3 pm

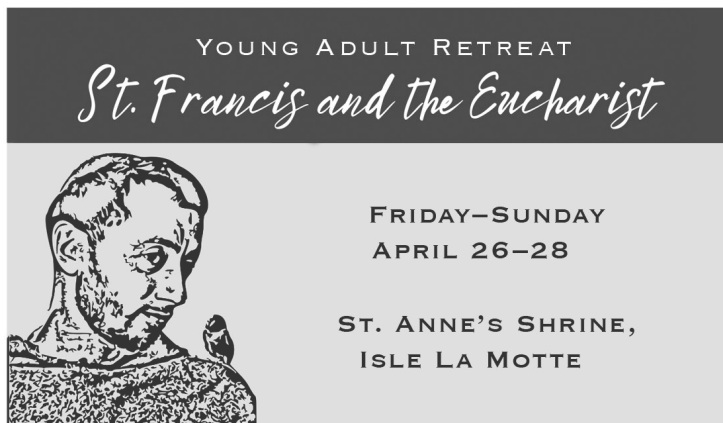
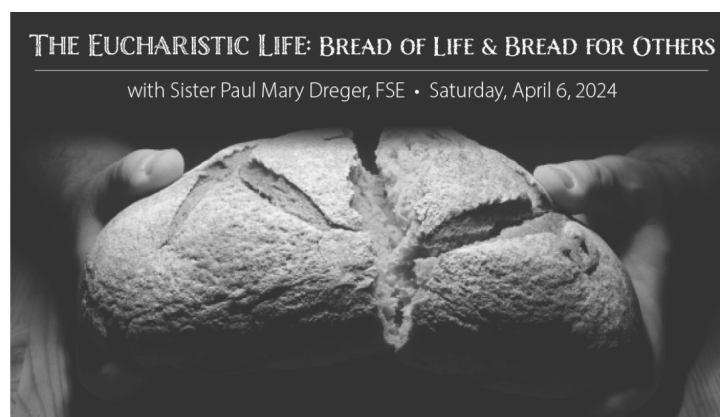
Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Springfield (Holy Family Parish)

Cost: \$30 with lunch included

Register at: vermontcatholic.org/womens-retreat/

Keynote Speaker is Sr. Paul Mary Dreger, FSE.

The Theme of the Retreat is The Eucharistic Life: Bread of Life & Bread for Others.



Young Adult Retreat

Friday, April 26 (Evening) – Sunday, April 28

Saint Anne's Shrine, Isle La Motte

Cost: \$75 (includes lodging and meals)

Register at: vermontcatholic.org/young-adult-retreat

This retreat is an opportunity for Catholic Young Adults (both married and single) to gather with others from around the state. The retreat will also include members of the Franciscan Sisters of the Eucharist and will feature time for Mass, Adoration, and Confession. Intended for ages 20 through 39.

Upcoming Events



03|04, 05, 06, 07 MON–THURS
Lenten Mission with the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal
Monday, March 4 & Tuesday, March 5
Most Holy Name of Jesus, Morrisville
Wednesday, March 6 & Thursday, March 7
Blessed Sacrament, Stowe

The theme is "Eucharistic Mercy." Join us for adoration, confession and preaching each evening at 6 pm.



03|05 TUESDAY
Our Lady's Kitchen Luncheon
St. Anthony, Bethel • 11 am
 Free meal! Come one, come all!



03|05, 12, 19 TUESDAYS
Weekly Lenten Taize Prayer
Sacred Heart St. Francis de Sales, Bennington
5:30 pm

Everyone is warmly invited to attend.



03|07, 14 THURSDAYS
Lenten Lecture Series: Eucharistic Miracles, Marian Apparitions & Interesting Saints
Our Lady of the Angels, Randolph • 6 – 8 pm

A potluck dinner and an interesting lecture highlighting, each evening, one Eucharistic Miracle, one Marian apparition, and one interesting Saint.



03|08, 15, 22 FRIDAYS
Stations & Soup Supper
St. Anthony, White River Junction • 5 – 6:30 pm
 Lenten Friday Stations of the Cross followed

by a supper of soup and bread.



Stations of the Cross
St. Isidore, Montgomery Center • 5 pm
 We will be offering the Stations of the Cross for all interested parties.



03|08, 15, 22 FRIDAYS
St. Paul's Catholic School Fish Fry
Barton Memorial Building, Barton • 5–6 pm
 Proceeds to benefit St. Paul's Catholic School

in Barton. Adults: \$15, Kids: \$10.



03|08, 04|12 FRIDAYS
Essex Community Dinners
Holy Family Parish Hall, Essex Jct. • 5:30 pm
 Essex Community Dinners are intended to

feed the hungry, lonely and needy amongst us. These meals are free to all but donations to cover parish expenses are appreciated. Take out dinners are also available.



03|09 SATURDAY
Spaghetti Dinner & Raffle
St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls • 5 – 7 pm
 Raffle prizes include a 12 ft inflatable beach island, 2 greens fees at Enosburg Falls Country Club, gift cards, gift bags and more! Fundraiser benefits St. John the Baptist Youth Group.



03|10 SUNDAY
K of C Breakfast Buffet
St. Peter, Vergennes • 8 – 10 am
 Cost is \$12 for adults, \$7 for children 8 to 12yrs., \$38 immediate family maximum.



03|11, 18, 25 MONDAYS
SJV Book Group: "Mercy In The City"
St John Vianney, S. Burlington • 9 am OR 6 pm

This Lent, the St John Vianney parish Book Group will read "Mercy In The City: How to Feed the Hungry, Give Drink to the Thirsty, Visit the Imprisoned, and Keep Your Day Job," by Kerry Weber.



03|14 THURSDAYS
Spanish Mass
St. Peter, Vergennes • 7 pm
 Fr. Timothy Danaher, O.P., Campus Minister at Dartmouth will be offering the monthly Spanish Mass.



03|16 SATURDAY
Annual Vermont Catholic Men's Conference
Our Lady of Angels, Randolph
9 am – 2:15 pm

Keynote speaker Deacon R J Dourney. Includes lunch. Registration: adults \$30, college students \$15, 18 and under are free with a paid accompanying adult. Register online at vermontcatholic.org/men.



03|15, 6, 17 FRI, SAT, SUN
Rice Memorial High School's Performance of Into the Woods
Christ the King School, Burlington

Friday 7 pm, Saturday 7 pm, Sunday 2 pm
 Come watch Rice's students perform the musical, *Into the Woods*. It's an epic fairytale about wishes, family, and the choices we make. Ticket prices: Adult \$15, Seniors \$10, Students \$5, Children under 11 free.



03|17 SUNDAY
St. Patrick's Day Sing Along
St. Andrew, Waterbury • 3 – 5 pm

Join us for an Irish music sing along with Fr. Matthew Rensch and Sergio Torres. There will be Irish stews, corned beef and all the fixings, door prizes, cash raffle drawings to be held. \$10 per person with family discounts.
FOR MORE INFO: (802) 244 7734 or www.rccwvm.org.



03|25 MONDAY
Chrism Mass
Cathedral of Saint Joseph, Burlington • 11 am
 The Chrism Mass will be celebrated by

Archbishop Coyne. The Oil of Chrism is consecrated, the Oils of Catechumens and the Sick are blessed, and the priests within the Diocese of Burlington recommit themselves to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ. A reception will follow in the parish hall.
The Chrism Mass is celebrated on Monday this year.



03|26 TUESDAY
Scripture and Song for Holy Week
Sacred Heart St. Francis de Sales Church, Bennington • 7 pm

Join us for a special service of scripture and song. Everyone is warmly invited to attend.



08|20 TUESDAY
One-day Pilgrimage to the St. Kateri Shrine
Bus Trip

Join us for a one-day pilgrimage to the St. Kateri Shrine in Kahnawake, Quebec, just outside of Montreal. Pickup and dropoff will be in Middlebury and South Burlington. For further details and the Registration Form, please contact Fr. Schneider (bschneider@vermontcatholic.org) or (802) 388-2943.

Universal Synod Update



Following the Synod Assembly of Bishops in October 2023, each diocese around the world has been asked to continue the conversation by reflecting upon the synthesis report. The US Synod Team is asking each diocese to hold 2-3 listening sessions during Lent to reflect upon two guiding questions. A 3-5 page document synthesizing what was heard at the diocesan listening sessions will be incorporated into a summary from the USCCB to the Secretariat due in April 2024. Synod Zoom meetings for parish delegates and parishioners have been scheduled bi-monthly on the second Tuesday of the month at 6 pm. The second Lenten meeting to reflect upon the two guiding questions is March 12, with additional meetings planned for May 14, July 16, Sept. 10, and Nov. 12.

Registration required: vermontcatholic.org/universalsynod.