



August 16, 2020
20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 (Year A)



Eucharistic Celebrations

August 8 – August 15, 2020

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| 8/15 | Sat | 5:00 pm Mass (Sacred Heart) |
| | | <i>† Dora & Haward Deatte by Denis Deatte</i> |
| 8/16 | Sun | 8:00 am Mass (St. Vincent) |
| | | <i>† Theresa MacCallister by Patricia Sawyer</i> |
| 8/16 | Sun | 9:30 am Mass (St. Ignatius) |
| | | <i>Open for Intention</i> |
| 8/18 | Tue | 4:00 pm (Sacred Heart) |
| | | <i>† Philip Gonyaw by Alice Gonyaw-Piette</i> |
| 8/19 | Wed | 8:30 am Mass (Sacred Heart) |
| | | <i>Open for Intention</i> |
| 8/20 | Thu | 8:30 am Mass (St. Vincent) |
| | | <i>Open for Intention</i> |
| 8/21 | Fri | 8:30 am Mass (Sacred Heart) |
| | | <i>Pauline Lawrence by Ray and Pat LeMay</i> |
| 8/22 | Sat | 5:00 pm Mass (Sacred Heart) |
| | | <i>Open for Intention</i> |
| 8/23 | Sun | 8:00 am Mass (St. Vincent) |
| | | <i>Intention of Leland and Diane Forbes</i> |
| 8/23 | Sun | 9:30 am Mass (St. Ignatius) |
| | | <i>Open for Intention</i> |

This Week's Prayer Intentions

For all who are sick, for the homebound of our parishes and for those who have asked for our prayers, especially Bonnie Day, Casey Bonneau, Michelle Warman, Edward Quintal, Denise (Laramie) King, Lise & Conrad Coulombe, Craig Hansen and Donald St Onge.

"Lord, look upon all the above with Mercy. May Your Healing Hand rest upon them. May Your life-giving powers flow to the depths of their souls, cleansing, purifying, restoring them to health of mind and body".

For our recently deceased family, friends and community members especially Noella Berthiaume and Anne Leonelli. "Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace."



Submit bulletin intention/announcements to:
st.andrebulletin@gmail.com



Papal General Intention (August) **The Maritime World**

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen and their families.

St. Vincent's August Steeple Cross Memorial

Dedicated to Mark Choquette
By: Ernest & Louise Choquette

Prayer for the Dead

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Message from Bishop Coyne

I announce the second phase of the reopening of our churches to celebrate daily and Sunday Mass. The obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains lifted until further notice, especially if you are part of a vulnerable population and/or have an underlying health condition. Please approach the celebration of Mass with charity and love for our clergy and faith community by following the protocols:

- Stay home if you are sick or not feeling well.
- Wear a mask in Mass.
- Sanitize your hands upon entry. Due to shortages of sanitizer, please bring your own if possible.
- Sit in designated pews and respect social distance between others of 6 feet or more unless you are one family unit.
- Refrain from congregating in tight areas or entering cordoned off areas.
- Follow the protocols to receive Holy Communion as directed at Mass.

While these protocols are intrusive, they are necessary as they allow us to celebrate the sacraments in person while doing our part to help stop the spread of coronavirus.

**Sincerely yours in Christ,
 – Bishop Christopher Coyne**

Notice from the Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington regarding Face Masks/Coverings

In consideration of Governor Scott's August 1st order requiring facial coverings/masks for indoor public gatherings and outside gatherings, Bishop Coyne is directing all parishioners to wear facial coverings/masks when entering and leaving church buildings, including for the celebration of Holy Mass. The Bishop directs all priests to share this protocol with their parishioners and at the same time offer encouragement to fight against "Covid fatigue." The Diocese must remain committed to taking steps to curb/eliminate the spread of Covid-19. This directive will remain in effect until the Governor's order is modified or rescinded, or the Bishop updates our liturgical norms and protocols. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Noteworthy Days - 18th Week of Ordinary Time

- August 19 – St. John Eudes, Priest
- August 20 – St. Bernard, Abbot, Doctor
- August 21 – St. Pius X, Pope
- August 22 – Our Lady, Mother and Queen

This Week's Parish Events/Youth Programs Calendar

8/19	Wed	6PM-7PM	SI	Holy Hour
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SIT Group

Our new Saints in Training (S.I.T.) Team will be meeting every 2nd and 4th Friday of the month at 6:00 PM in SHJ Parish Hall. This new team is made up of post confirmation teens. If interested, please contact the Parish Office at (802) 744-4066.

Please Sign Your Children Up for Religious Education

All sign ups are done online at svshsi.com. Hover over "Religious Education" and click on "Family Formation (K-8)". Scroll down and click on "Register Your Family Here!"

August Devotion

The month of August is dedicated to the Blessed Sacrament, and increased adoration of the Eucharist is encouraged. August is also dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and on August 15th, the church celebrates the Assumption of Mary into heaven.

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### **SAVE THE DATE! - END OF SUMMER GET TOGETHER!**

**August 30<sup>th</sup> at Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish Hall**

**Bring a dish to share or bring your own picnic lunch. Drinks will be provided.**

**Please wear a mask. We will be social distancing.**

**Please RSVP to Thérèse at (585) 857-6870**

**(text message or voicemail).**

**Hope to see everyone there!**

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Capital Campaign Project Proposals for St. Andre Bessette Parish

St. Ignatius Hall:

- Repair/refurbish hardwood floor

St. Ignatius Church:

- Painting
- Repairing the railing

St. Vincent de Paul Rectory:

- Multiple window replacement
- Exterior Painting
- Insulation/winterization

St. Vincent de Paul Church:

- Replacement of basement windows
- Repairing the railing

Sacred Heart Church:

- Handicap entrance door replacement
- Sidewalk replacement in front of church

Sacred Heart Hall:

- Replacement of steps at Fire Exit

Note the Dates:

<u>First Holy Communion</u>	<u>08/29/2020, 5pm</u>	<u>SHJ</u>
<u>Confirmation</u>	<u>10/25/2020, 4pm</u>	<u>Mater Dei</u>

Parish Stewardship Reports

Weekend of 8/8/20– 8/9/20

St. Andre Bessette Parish

Offertory	\$ 2,664
\$Budget/Week	\$ 1,771
Difference +/-	\$ 893

Bishop's Annual Appeal Update (as of 8/11/2020)

The Bishops Annual Appeal for the diocese of Burlington is at 60%. St. Andre Bessette Parish is at 17% of our overall goal of \$15,800 with \$2,699 in donations. Please contact the office for an addressed envelope to the Bishop's Annual Appeal. Thank you for your generosity.

Preparation for the Christ Our Hope: Building a Vibrant Church campaign is in the final stages.

As you know, Saint Andre Bessette Parish will enjoy campaign benefits, too, by receiving 60% of the funds we raise. Parish leadership will use those funds for Saint Andre Bessette

Parish. The other 40% of campaign funding will strengthen our faith formation programs (evangelization, education, and youth ministry), as well as outreach through emergency assistance delivered by Vermont Catholic Charities. To watch the campaign video and learn more about the goals visit: www.christourhopevt.org

We understand this is a difficult time for many who may not be able to financially contribute above their annual Bishop's Appeal gift. We ask that you first consider an annual appeal gift and, if you are not able contribute to the campaign at this time, please pray for its success and support our volunteers and leadership. With Christ at the center of this campaign, we know whatever we raise will be used for His glory.

Below is the campaign communication plan over the next few weeks:

- 8/15: Bishop Coyne campaign kickoff during 10am Mass livestreamed
- 8/17: Eblast about the campaign
- 8/22: Most parishes kick off the campaign
- 8/21: FAQ and letter to all households about the campaign
- 8/29: packet mails to households with case statement and individual parish goals requesting a gift
- Bishop Coyne virtual chats about the campaign
 - Aug. 31 – 7 p.m.
 - Sept. 1 – 7 p.m.
 - Sept. 9 – 3 p.m.

Registration required: <https://christourhopevt.org/events>

- Parish volunteer follow up calls NOT asking for a specific gift but to answer questions
- Ongoing social media and The Inland See communication

Catholic Tid-bits

St. Pius X (Giuseppe Melchiorre Sarto) was born On June 2, 1835, in Venice. On 18 September 1858, Sarto was ordained a priest, and became chaplain at Tombolo. While there, he restored the church and expanded the hospital, the funds coming from his own begging, wealth and labor during the cholera plague that swept into northern Italy in the early 1870s. As a priest and later bishop, he often struggled over solving problems of bringing religious instruction to rural and urban youth. On 4 August 1903, Sarto was elected to the pontificate. Pius X promoted daily communion for all Catholic. "Holy Communion is the shortest and safest way to Heaven." St. Pius X was devoted to the Marian Way. He viewed Mary in the context of "restoring everything in Christ". He wrote: "Spiritually we all are her children and she is the mother of us, therefore, she is to be revered like a mother."

Pius X died August 20, 1914. Two of the most outstanding accomplishments of this saintly Pope were the inauguration of the liturgical renewal and the restoration of frequent communion from childhood. He also waged an unwavering war against the heresy and evils of Modernism, gave great impetus to biblical studies, and brought about the codification of Canon Law. His overriding concern was to renew all things in Christ.

Prayer to St. Pius X: May I copy your love for the Sweet Virgin Mary, the mother of our Lord Jesus Christ, so that I may also fill my heart with utmost love and tender devotion for her. Amen.

NEWS FROM The Inland See

August 15-21, 2020

FOR THE DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON

Dear Friends,

This weekend Bishop Christopher Coyne officially kicks off the Diocese of Burlington's first-ever *Christ Our Hope: Building a Vibrant Church* campaign managed by the Vermont Catholic Community Foundation. After two years of planning, and based on the outcomes of the Diocesan Synod, this campaign is centered on the works of Jesus:

"And he went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and preaching the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every infirmity among the people" (Mt 4:23).

We cannot have a vibrant church if we do not have vibrant parishes. Parishes are the heart of our church where the preaching occurs. That is why 60 percent of donations raised by each parish will go back to support its urgent needs. Twenty percent will be used to strengthen our faith formation programs or teaching ministries, such as Catholic education and youth and lay ministries. The final 20 percent will support the healing works of Christ by expanding emergency aid to the most vulnerable among us through Vermont Catholic Charities.

I invite each of you to please watch the campaign video and read the "Frequently Asked Questions" flyer to learn more about why now, more than ever, we need to move forward with this statewide campaign: www.christourhopevt.org.

Many parishes have seen significant downturns in funding and they need our help. Others have urgent projects that must be addressed. Each parish has created its own goals based on its specific needs and has recruited tremendous volunteer leadership teams.

Over the next several weeks, you will receive communications about the campaign through multiple platforms, and a packet of information with your specific parish goals will be mailed to your household with an invitation to prayerfully consider a sacrificial gift to the campaign over a three-year period. This is an invitation not an expectation.

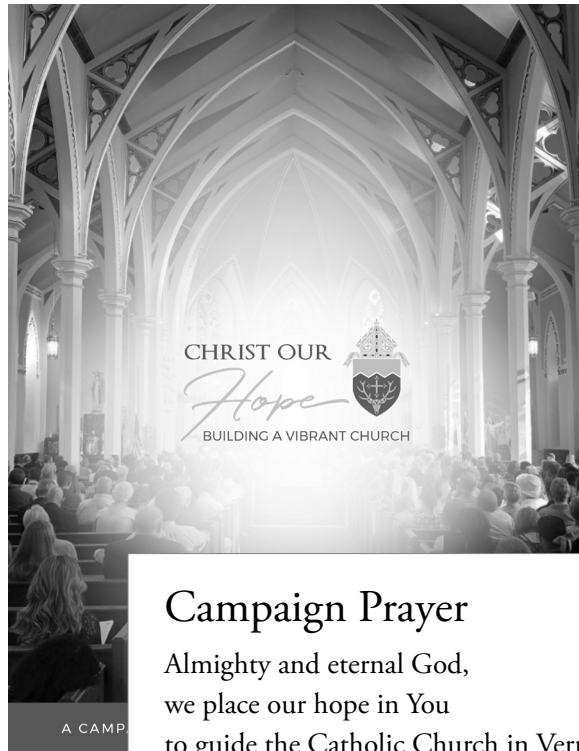
Due to the pandemic, some families will not be able to make a gift above their annual parish and Bishop's Appeal support. But all are invited to participate by praying the campaign prayer (below or to the right?) and supporting your pastor and volunteer leadership team in this effort.

With Christ as our hope, whatever we receive will be used to glorify Him and spread the Good News.

With gratitude,

Ellen Kane

Ellen Kane
Executive Director, Development and Communications



Campaign Prayer

Almighty and eternal God,
we place our hope in You
to guide the Catholic Church in Vermont
to renew our parishes,
and engage our youth;
to form lay leaders and serve the most
vulnerable among us.
In the power of the Holy Spirit,
help us build a vibrant Church
in this time and place and for
generations to come.
Seeking the intercession of our first bishop,
Louis deGoesbriand,
we pray this through Christ Our Lord,
Amen.
Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.



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To see more events or to submit your event to the diocesan calendar:
vermontcatholic.org/events

Upcoming Events



09|05, 10|03 SATURDAY

Our Lady of Fatima Devotions

Holy Family, Essex Junction • 8 am

First Saturday of every month. Rosary and reconciliation at 8 am and Mass at 8:30.



09|05-07 SATURDAY-MONDAY

WWME-VT Community Family Camp-out and Picnic

St. Anne's Shrine, Isle LaMotte

Accommodations include Cabins, Tent, and RV sites. This event is open to Encountered couples, their families, and anyone who wants to know more about Marriage Encounter and our community. For more info: <https://sites.google.com/view/wwwmevtcamp>



09|26 SATURDAY

Ordination to the Permanent Diaconate

Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington • 10 am

The Diocese of Burlington celebrates with great joy the Ordination of the Permanent Diaconate of five men to serve the Catholic Church in Vermont. More information will be posted soon.



01|21 WEDNESDAY

VCP Networking Event

Venue TBD • 8 - 9:30 am

Our October guest speaker is John Reuwer, MD — Retired Emergency Physician and Adjunct Professor, Saint Michael's College.

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Diocese: Respect Life Coordinator

St. Andrew's Parish, Waterbury:

Secretary/Bookkeeper

St. Joseph's Residential Care Home,

Burlington: Full-Time LPN or Med Tech

— \$1000 Sign-On Bonus

St. Joseph's Residential Care Home,

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For More Info:

vermontcatholic.org/careers

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2020 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL



We are so grateful to announce that we received \$22,583 in One-Time Gifts on July 29 Founder's Day of Giving, meeting our challenge match in one day! We also received an additional \$33,325 in pledges which well exceeded our expectations. God is good. Thank you to all those who were able to give. If you would still like to make a gift please visit: www.bishopsappealvt.org.

2020 Bishop's Annual Appeal Goal: **\$2,651,157**

57%

As of August 5, 2020: **\$1,511,541**



Is your family participating in the Catholic Family Summer Challenge?

Do you have a favorite activity to share?

If you haven't joined the Catholic Family Summer Challenge Facebook group to check out your competition, it's not too late!

Check in with Michael Hagen, mhagen@vermontcatholic.com or Terri McCormack, tmccormack@vermontcatholic.com by Aug. 15.



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www.vermontcatholic.org/summerchallenge



AUGUST 16 – 22, 2020

CHALLENGES TO GROW YOUR MARRIAGE

TIME TO SHARE

Take time this week to reflect personally on these statements and then share with your spouse. Decide which two to explore and the nights you will share together (both of you make this plan):

One thing I liked best about you when we first met was... | Before I die, I'd like to go to these 3 places... | One way I'm glad our kids are like you... | I know you love me when you...



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