



ST. ANDRE BESSETTE PARISH
YEAR B
SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
FEBRUARY 25, 2024



**EUCHARISTIC
CELEBRATION**



Sat:	2/24/2024	4:00 PM † Roger Raboin By Marie Gagne Raboin
Sun:	2/25/2024	9:00 AM For the People of SABP
Tue:	2/27/2024	9:00 AM
Wed:	2/28/2024	9:00 AM
Thur:	2/29/2024	9:00 AM
Fri:	3/1/2024	9:00 AM
Sat:	3/2/2024	9:00 AM
Sat:	3/2/2024	4:00 PM For the Deceased Members of The Ladies of Saint Andre Bessette By The Ladies of SABP
Sun:	3/3/2024	9:00 AM

Candle Intentions

Sanctuary Lamp: Louise Berthiaume & John Bathalon



Sanctuary lamps/candles in front of the statues of Sacred Heart of Jesus and Mary are available to be lit in honor/memory of your loved ones.

Each candle cost \$10.00.

The candle will be lit for one week.

Contact the office with your intentions.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Will be organized by the following groups:

Feb 16 Ladies of Saint Andre Bessette
Feb 23 Knights of Columbus
March 1 Parish Council
March 8 Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers
March 15 Families and
Children Faith Formation
March 22 Choir
Friday evenings at 7:00 PM



March 29 3:00 PM Priest and Deacon

March 1,8,15,22, there will be Stations of the Cross after morning Mass for those who can not make it here for 7:00 PM

Do It Grandly Seminar



Below is the schedule for our seminar for grandparents and those who work with youth. Walk in registration is welcomed. Sessions are on Mondays from 10:30-12pm (with soup lunch provided), or 6-7:30pm. Call Theresa McAvinney with any questions at 744-6272 or tmcavinney@outlook.com

2/26 Session 1: A Bold Vision for Grandparenting
3/4 Session 2: Renewing Hope
3/11 Session 3: Grandparenting and Youth Work: The Perfect Partnership
3/18 Session 4: The Strategic Grandparent
3/25 Session 5: Faith to Move Grandchildren

FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH



Ladies of SABP welcome you to join in a social after Mass
Next Sunday.

ALL ARE WELCOME

**SECOND
COLLECTION**

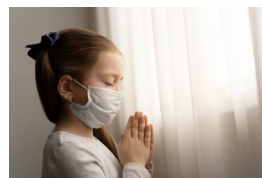
Next Week is for: Church in Central
and Eastern Europe



Prayer for the Sick

*Dear Jesus, Divine Physician and healer of the sick, we turn to You in this time of need. Alleviate our worry and sorrow with Your gentle love and grant us the strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in Your hands. We place our sick under Your care and humbly ask that You restore Your servant to health. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge and accept Your will.
Amen*

Please call the parish office
at (802-744-4066)
if you would like to add a name to the list

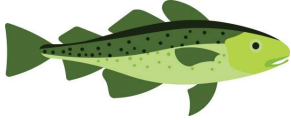


**Randy Wells, Matthew Hilliker
and his family, Kristi LeBlanc,
Kimberly Thibault, Brian
Bonvechio, Rose Blais, Abigail
Jackson, Wilma Therrien, Rita
Taylor, Purie Mesina,
Rick Bouchard**

Knights of Columbus Fish Dinners are Back!

Join us for our famous fish dinner during Lent at Sacred Heart Parish Hall on March 1st, 15th and 22nd serving from 4:30 to 6:30 pm

Menu



Soup – Mimi's Corn Chowder served with Oyster Crackers Entrée - Parmesan and Herb Baked Cod or Haddock (Catch of the Day) served with fresh Cole Slaw, Savory Rice

Pilaf, Vegetable, dinner rolls w/ butter.

Coffee, tea and soft drinks and dessert.

Prices remain the same as last year. Adult (13 and older) - \$15.00 Ages 7-12 \$5.00, Under 6 Free. Reservations are required for each dinner Sign-up sheets will be available after Mass or

E-mail dmcavinney@outlook.com

Call or text 802-793-4380 Call 802-744-6272



James Cardinal Gibbons Assembly 1157

Knights at the Races

**Proceeds: Fr. McGivney Military Chaplain Scholarship
Paul's Sugarhouse**

1928 Us-5, Derby, VT

March 16, 2024

9 Races – 6 Horses each!!!!

\$5.00 Donation Entry Fee \$2.00 Donation per Horse per Race

Doors open at 5:00 PM Races at 6:00 PM

Paul's Sugarhouse Ala Grille Menu

Soda, Coffee, Beer & Wine 50/50 Raffle

Sugar on Snow at end of races

Parish Stewardship Report

Weekend of February 17 & 18, 2024

Offertory \$1216.00

Home Missions \$199.00



Weekly Budget \$2000.00

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY BREAKFAST



The Knights of Columbus Council 7943 would like to thank everyone who donated, worked, and participated on the Monthly Breakfast.

The 50-50 was won by Greg Star from Troy and basket raffle was won by the Pepin twins (Kendra and Cadence) from Troy

**May God bless you all.
Thank you again for your
continued donations and support!**

We hope to see you all at our next breakfast on March 24, 2024



If you have any questions, please contact:
Deborah @ 802-673-7510 or
George @ 802-323-2470.

Hour of Adoration

Every Monday:

9:00 - 10:00 AM

Exposition

Daily Readings

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Benediction



First Fridays

Holy Mass 9:00 AM followed by

Adoration—Praying The Sacred Heart of Jesus Litany



**Friends of Fr. Justin
EVERY
Wednesday Morning
9:30 AM**

Will include a song or hymn, the Flame of Love Rosary and prayer petitions from the faithful.

Reflections

Shared from **God's Word**

Feb 25, Sunday

Peter, James, and John went up the mountain and were invited to witness the Lord in all His glory as he talked to Moses and Elijah, probably about his impending passion. It was a preparation for them as they would soon see Jesus their Master suffer on another mountain – Mount Calvary. 'Master, it is good for us to be here,' exclaimed Peter. The Tabor experience was so captivating for Peter, James, and John that they wanted to stay there forever. Can we identify with their experience? Do we praise God both in our peak moments and in our weak moments, in our Tabor moments and in our Calvary moments? Abraham, our father in faith, was commanded to go up a mountain to sacrifice his only son Isaac. He listened, trusted, and obeyed and God blessed Abraham by saving his son Isaac. Lord Jesus, prepare me for both the good and the bad times ahead.



NEWS FROM The Inland See

February 24 – March 1, 2024

FOR THE DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON

May we hallow your name

Intentionality: We should be praying with intentionality, with our mind on what we are doing and saying. But do we? Weekly we routinely repeat, “In the name of the Father,” “Hallowed be Your Name.” When we come into church and bless ourselves with holy water, is it with attention? When the priest summons us, “In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit,” is our “Amen” truly our affirmation and response to our baptismal call? When we come to the Our Father, do we truly hallow His name? We talk the talk, but do we walk the walk? In other words, do we reverence God when we call upon his very name?

‘I AM’

God Himself knows His name is important. In the Old Testament, when God revealed His name to Moses, YHWH, “I AM,” no one ever heard it except Moses. It was so sacred that no Jew ever dared to try to pronounce it.

When Jesus came, “YHWH” had not been spoken on earth for 1,500 years. When He reclaimed it as his own — “Truly, truly I say to you, before Abraham was, I AM” (see John 8:31-59) — the Jews picked up stones and tried to stone Him for blasphemy.

But Jesus repeated that He is “YHWH;” He is the “I AM.” Again and again He states, “I AM” the bread of life, the light of the world, the door of the sheepfold, the good shepherd, the way, the truth, and the life, and the true vine and, most importantly, “the resurrection and the life.” 1

When asked by the Apostles how to pray, by His very wording, “hallowed be your name;” He requires us to take His and His Father’s Name as seriously as do the Jews.

The Trinitarian version

But Jesus didn’t stop there. He gave us the full Trinitarian version of God’s name in the Great Commission: “Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name

of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit” [Matthew 28:19]. This triune expansion of “YHWH” unveiled the inner mystery of God, three persons in one God, Relationship, Love’s eternal dynamic, an overwhelmingly momentous gift.

This was our baptismal call. We begin all our prayer with this same hallowed triple declaration: “In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.” By the grace of God, we are called upon to live each moment of our lives in His name, to know that He is with us and that we are to do His will.

Let Us Hallow His Name

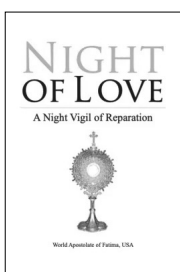
Yet, although we have incorporated this revelation into our liturgical and daily prayer, we often do not give it the attention, the reverence, the hallowing, the intentionality God Himself has shown us is important. He tried to get our attention when He revealed it to Moses, when He included it as the Second Commandment, when Jesus bids us to hallow His Name in His prayer. He calls us to be intentional in our reference to His name in all we think, do and say. But are we?

As His adopted children, let us return to that initial fervor. May we learn to hallow His name not only in our prayers but in all our actions. Let us remind ourselves that when we promise to act “in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit,” we are ultimately saying, desiring, committing ourselves to do all things from our first breath as a newborn to our last breath before we meet Him face to face as He wills and in His name.

Let us begin: “In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.”

1 6:35, 48, 51/8:12; 9:5/10:7, 9/10:11, 14/11:25/14:6/15:1 respectively.

— *Paul Turnley served on the Diocesan Worship Commission and has written on the topic of reverence in the liturgy and at prayer during the Eucharistic Revival.*



First Event for the *Night of Love* in Vermont

St. Francis Xavier, Winooski — Friday, March 1 — Saturday, March 2

The **Night of Love** service will be held at St. Francis Xavier in Winooski on the evening of March 1, beginning with First Friday Mass at 5:30 pm, and concluding with First Saturday Mass at midnight on March 2. In addition to the two Masses, the evening will include Msgr. Lavalley’s reflection on the Way of the Cross, Eucharistic Procession and Adoration, time to share in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, praying all four Mysteries of the Rosary, and quiet time for prayer and reflection.

Learn more about the Night of Love program at: bluearmy.com/night-of-love.

Upcoming Events



02|25 SUNDAY Music Festival: *a cappella* liturgical music

Holy Family, Essex Junction • 4:30 - 8:30 pm

Organized by Father Matthew Rensch and Sharon Trani, in collaboration with Holy Family parish and Matthew Santos and a schola group from Thomas Aquinas College. Our goal is to warm our hearts and souls with some great music. Schedule for the evening: 4:30 – small group sharing, 5:30 – dinner, 6:30 – whole group together, 7:30 – sing at Mass, for those willing and able. RSVP and questions: Sharon Trani, sltrani@verizon.net.



02|27, 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.



02|29, 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|01, 02 FRIDAY & SATURDAY First Event for the Night of Love in Vermont

St. Francis Xavier, Winooski
5:30 pm – 12 am

The World Apostolate of Fatima's Night of Love service will begin with First Friday Mass at 5:30 pm, and conclude with First Saturday Mass at midnight, March 2. In addition to the two Masses, the evening will include Msgr. Lavalley's reflection on the Way of the Cross, Eucharistic Procession and Adoration, time to share in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, praying all four Mysteries of the Rosary, and quiet time for prayer and reflection. Learn more about the Night of Love program at: bluearmy.com/night-of-love.



03|02 SATURDAY Free Community Dinner

St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls • 5 - 6:30 pm
Please join us for a free community dinner

open to all on the first Saturday of the month.



03|05, 04|02 TUESDAYS Our Lady's Kitchen Luncheon

St. Anthony, Bethel • 11 am
Free meal! Come one, come all!



03|07 THURSDAY Mount St. Joseph Academy Open House

Mount St. Joseph Academy, Rutland • 5 - 7 pm

Come and meet teachers, staff coaches, administration, and students. Guided tours and light refreshments will be provided.



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 THURSDAY St. Padre Pio Prayer Group

Holy Family, Essex Junction • 8 - 9 am

The Padre Pio group meets the second

Saturday of each month. We begin with the Rosary at 8 am followed by Mass at 8:30 am. Special Intentions for the intercession of Saint Padre Pio and then learning about Padre Pio's life, ministry and spiritual gifts. If you have any questions, please contact Laura Duquette at (802) 557-1593.



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|14 THURSDAY 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|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|21 THURSDAY BINGO

St. John Vianney, S. Burlington
6:30 - 9:30 pm

The St. John Vianney Knights of Columbus have restarted a monthly bingo at the St. John Vianney Parish Center. The bingo is held on the third Thursday of each month with a chance of winning a \$1000 jackpot. Doors open at 4:30 and the first game begins at 6:30. Come join the fun with friends and family. Bring a non-perishable food item(s) and receive two free game sheets for the "winner take all" game. All food items are donated to the local Food Shelf.



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. All are invited to join in celebrating this special Mass. Parish representatives may pick up holy oils for their parish after the Mass. A reception will follow in the parish hall. Carpooling is highly encouraged. **PLEASE NOTE: The Chrism Mass is celebrated on Monday this year.**



03|26 TUESDAY Lord, Let Me Walk That Lonely Road With You: 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.



04|06 SATURDAY Annual Spring Vermont Catholic Women's Retreat 2024

Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
Springfield • 8:30 am - 3:30 pm

Keynote Speaker is Sr. Paul Mary Dreger, FSE. The Theme of the Retreat is The Eucharistic Life: Bread of Life & Bread for Others. Registration Fee: \$30, lunch included.



04|14 SUNDAY Organ Concert

Sacred Heart St. Francis de Sales Church in
Bennington • 3 pm

Organist Donald McMahon will perform a special concert to commemorate his 30 years of service to the parish as organist and music director. Everyone is warmly invited to attend.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES Diocesan Central Office

- Diocese of Burlington: Chief Financial Officer
- Diocese of Burlington: Staff Accountant

For More Info: visit:
vermontcatholic.org/careers

St. Anne's Shrine, Isle La Motte

- Kitchen Steward
- Housekeeper

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