

Christ The King - St. Anthony Parish

Website: www.christandanthony.com



Christ the King Mass Schedule

136 Locust Street

Sunday: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:15 PM

Weekdays: Monday through Friday
8:30 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:15-4:00 PM at St. Anthony

Sunday: 4:30-5:00 PM at Christ the King

Thursday: 6:00-7:00pm at Christ the King

Adoration

Thursday: 6:00 - 7:00 PM
at Christ the King

Baptism

Families wishing to schedule the baptism of their children are asked to contact the rectory in order to arrange a baptism preparation meeting with one of the priests.

Marriage

Please call Parish Office
for Appointment

Christ the King School

Grades Pre-School through 8

Telephone: 862-6696

Fax: 658-6553 www.cksvt.org

Principal: Mr. Craig Dwyer, Ph.D.

Office Support: Ms. Sally Douglas



St. Anthony Mass Schedule

305 Flynn Avenue

Saturday: 4:15 (English)

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM Extraordinary Form
(Latin)

Wed, Fri, Sat: 7:15 AM (Latin)

Tues, Thurs: 5:30 PM (Latin)

Parish Staff

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Monday-Friday 9am-4pm

Parish Website

ChristandAnthony.com

Thrift Shop

Telephone: 658-4059

Hours: Tue 10 - 1, Thurs 10 - 4

2nd Sat of the month 10 - 1

Burlington Area Catholic Cemeteries:

St. Joseph and Mount Calvary
Cemeteries
Wayne Lefebvre 802-658-4333

Resurrection Park
South Burlington
802-862-1530



Fourth Sunday of Lent

Saturday, March 13

7:15 (STA-L) Special intention By: the Hester family
4:15 (STA) Stella Bednar By: a Christ the King friend

Sunday, March 14

8:00 (STA-L) Private intention
9:00 (CTK) John Socinski By: the Socinski family
10:00 (STA-L) Mr. & Mrs. Marshall Cole By: Carmen Sibley
11:00 (CTK) Theresa Greenough
5:15 (CTK) All Souls

Monday, March 15

8:30 (CTK) Mary Barewicz By: Family

Tuesday, March 16

8:30 (CTK) Bob Gasser† (2nd anniv.)
5:30 (STA-L) Dr. Robert Emmons By: Mary Dove Herrera

Wednesday, March 17

7:15 (STA-L) Special intention By: Robert Cade
8:30 (School Mass) Our parishioners By: Msgr. McDermott

Thursday, March 18

8:30 (CTK) Joyce Rouille By: Jack & family
5:30 (STA-L) Intentions of Sean Jenkins By: Adam & Katy Hochschild

Friday, March 19

8:30 (CTK) For those with mental illness & dementia
By: David & Patricia Danehey-Lalime
6:00 (STA-L) Warren Miller By: Missy Farber

Saturday, March 20

7:15 (STA-L) Special intention By: the Hester family
4:15 (STA) David Boucher By: Family

Sunday, March 21

8:00 (STA-L) Private intention
9:00 (CTK) Viola Bove By: Family
10:00 (STA-L) Intentions of the Evelyn Agamie family
By: Albert & Janet Robitaille
11:00 (CTK) Richard Couture By: Family
5:15 (CTK) For vocations

THRIFT SHOP—WARMING UP

The shop is full of Spring and Summer items! We are now accepting clean summer clothing.

Visit us on Facebook! Search for St Anthony Thrift Shop. Please like and share our Facebook posts with your friends; they will thank you for it!



Christ the King –St. Anthony Contributions

Weekend Offertory: \$ 4,811.00
Latin Mass Chaplaincy: \$ 1,762.05

Parishioners are asked to continue their financial support of the parish even with the obligation to attend Mass still suspended. Please consider making up contributions to the parish via mail, online giving, etc. As always, your generosity is greatly appreciated.

CANDLE MEMORIAM

Christ the King Church:

Sanctuary Candle — *For an end to the coronavirus pandemic*

Blessed Virgin Candle — *For all those who are sick*

St. Anthony Church:

Sanctuary Candle — *For the poor*

Blessed Virgin Candle — *For the unborn*



For Mass intentions or candle memorial requests, please call or email the parish office.

COVID-19 UPDATE—VACCINES

There has been a great deal of excitement over the recent roll-out of vaccines to help put an end to the pandemic. The production of vaccines can have moral implications. For those preparing to receive the vaccine and wondering about the position of the Church on the morality of the different vaccines, I encourage them to review the statement of the bishops of the USA, <https://www.usccb.org/news/2020/us-bishop-chairmen-pro-life-and-doctrine-address-ethical-concerns-new-covid-19-vaccines>; the statement of the Holy See, http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/congregations/cfaith/documents/rc_con_cfaith_doc_20201221_nota-vaccini-anticovid_en.html; and this new statement regarding the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, <https://www.vermontcatholic.org/uncategorized/a-statement-regarding-the-janssen-johnson-johnson-covid-19-vaccine/>. The Pfizer and Moderna vaccines are considered morally licit; other vaccines present greater moral issues. If parishioners have specific questions on the vaccines, please feel free to contact Msgr. McDermott.



Pastor's Notes

My dear family in Christ,

We don't often hear this during Lent, but this week we do: REJOICE! The fourth Sunday of Lent is traditionally called Laetare Sunday. Laetare is one of the Latin words translated as "rejoice." Similar to Gaudate Sunday in Advent, Laetare Sunday gives us a brief respite from the discipline of Lent, because our journey to Easter is no more than half way through. The vesture for the Mass is once again Rose (not pink!), and the prayers of the Mass are just a bit more hopeful as we move into the even more solemn portion of Lent leading up to Holy Week and the celebration of the Sacred Triduum (Three days, Mass of the Lord's Supper, Liturgy of the Lord's Passion, the Great Easter Vigil).

We should enjoy this brief rest, because we are asked to embrace the discipline of Lent even more fervently as we move into the final weeks of this season of preparation. If we have been fasting, then perhaps we add a bit more to the fast. If we have been praying, then perhaps we add more time to our prayer. If we have been seeking opportunities to perform works of mercy and service, perhaps we double our efforts to assist the hungry, the homeless, and the poor in our midst.

Looking forward to Holy Week and the Triduum, know that we will be able to distribute palms this year on Palm Sunday, which is a good thing. The Triduum will also be celebrated as usual. The schedule for Holy Week is found in the bulletin this weekend. These liturgies are the high point of the Church's liturgical year, and I invite you all to consider joining us for one or all of them. Looking ahead to Easter Sunday morning, we may still have to limit the number of attendees; stay tuned for further details. One final note about Easter Sunday: we will not have a 5:15 PM Mass.

Let's continue to pray for one another and ask the Lord to sustain us throughout the rest of Lent. And, as many of us await our vaccination, let's pray for those who have suffered so much during this pandemic.

Stay well and God bless,

Msgr. John J. McDermott, VG

PUBLIC MASS PROTOCOLS

There are some essential requirements as we ease back into gathering as a community of faith:

- *The obligation to attend Sunday Mass is still suspended until further notice.* No one is obligated to attend Mass for now.
- If someone is not feeling well, out of love of neighbor, they should remain at home and watch Mass on TV.
- Those in higher risk categories, over 65, pre-existing health issues, are encouraged to stay home.
- Social distancing must be maintained in Churches. Family members may sit together, others must maintain 6 foot spacing, including in the communion line.
- Masks are to be worn in churches as an act of charity toward others.
- We ask parishioners to please use hand sanitizer and *sign the guestbook as they arrive.*
- Holy Communion will usually be distributed in the hand. Those wishing to receive on the tongue are asked to approach for reception at the end of the communion procession or right after Mass.
- We ask that people bring their own wipes to wipe down pews after each Mass.

CHRIST OUR HOPE CAMPAIGN DISTRIBUTION

The parish has received its first distribution from the Christ Our Hope Campaign, amounting to just over \$83,500.00. This will be used to update the heating plant for Christ the King Church and School this coming Spring/Summer. Many thanks to those who contributed to the campaign so far.

For those who have not yet contributed, we will have further opportunity to do so later this year.

Our next goal is to receive enough to be able to

perform needed upgrades to the St. Anthony parking lot, to maximize parking spots, improve drainage, and landscaping. It is hoped we can receive another \$100,000 - \$150,000 in cash and pledges to accomplish this next capital project.





Thank you for your continued support of the school using Amazon Smile and collecting box tops. *Please remember to look for the “Box Tops for Education” logo (pictured) on your box tops.*

GUIDELINES FOR LENT

The time of Lent is to be observed by Catholics as a special season of prayer, penance, and works of charity.

*Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, in particular, are the most important penitential days of the liturgical year. They are days of both fast and abstinence. All Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence.

*The rule of fasting states that only one full meal a day can be taken. Two small meals, “sufficient to maintain strength”, are allowed, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals breaks the fast, but drinking liquids does not. The rule of fasting obliges all Catholics from 18 to 59.

*Abstinence refers to the eating of meat. The common estimation of the community is used to determine what falls under the category of meat. The rule of abstinence binds all Catholics 14 years or older.

*The substantial observance of the laws of fast and abstinence is a serious obligation.

*Self-imposed fasting on the other weekdays of Lent is recommended. Abstinence on all Fridays of the year is also highly recommended.

*Parents and teachers should see to it that, even those who are not bound by the laws of fast and abstinence because of age, are brought up in an atmosphere that is conducive to a sense of penance.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS—CHANGE



This Friday, March 19th, Stations will begin at 5:00 PM. Monsignor McDermott will host Stations of the Cross at St. Anthony on Fridays during Lent.

RELIGIOUS ED—HOME STRETCH

The next classes for grades 1-4 will be this Sunday, March 14th. The next 5-8 and Confirmation classes will be on Sunday, March 21st. The calendar is available online, or you can email Mrs. Cade for a copy. As always, if you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out to Mrs. Cade at 703-772-7917 or mcade@vermontcatholic.org.

LENTEN SERIES ON PRAYER—FINAL SESSION

Msgr. McDermott's final discussion on prayer will be on Monday, March 15th, at 6:30 PM. We will review different kinds of prayer, beginning a life of prayer, and furthering a life of prayer. Please contact the parish office if you are interested in participating.

AWAKEN—A NEW CHAPTER

Our first group of Awaken participants are entering their final weeks of the program. Please continue to pray for them, that their experiences be fruitful. *Are you interested in trying Awaken? We will be starting the program anew on Mondays at 6:30 PM, beginning Monday, April 5th. Contact the parish office or visit the Awaken page at www.christandanthony.com to sign up!*

TRIDUUM LITURGIES

April 1st - Holy Thursday:

Mass of the Lord's Supper - **7:00 PM** at CTK

April 2nd - Good Friday:

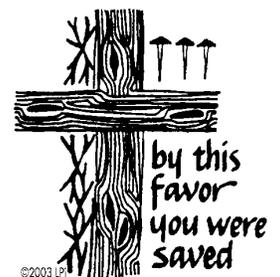
Liturgy of the Lord's Passion -

12 Noon at STA

7:00 PM at CTK

April 3rd - Easter Vigil:

8:00 PM at CTK



FILL-THE-VAN—THANK YOU!

We filled the van from bottom to top, including the passenger seat, and the back of another pickup truck! We provided Feeding Chittenden a total of **1,400 pounds** of food! The generosity of our parishioners and neighbors has overwhelmed our hearts and humbled us. On behalf of the Social Outreach Committee and Feeding Chittenden, *thank you, thank you, and thank you again.* This was also a much-needed positive response to the Bishop's St. Joseph the Provider Feed the Hungry Initiative. We hope to do this again in May.

The Inland See

NEWS FROM

March 13–19, 2021

FOR THE DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON



St. Joseph the Provider Feed the Hungry Initiative

Food insecurity in Vermont has reached record levels during the Covid-19 pandemic with nearly 30 percent of Vermonters experiencing food insecurity since March, new University of Vermont research has found.

In this Year of St. Joseph, Burlington Bishop Christopher Coyne has announced a new coordinated effort to increase the Catholic Church's capacity to feed the hungry in Vermont in response to the increasing need. This initiative launches on St. Joseph's Feast Day on March 19.

In the Diocese of Burlington, there are 68 parishes, most of which have formed a partnership with their local food shelf or operate their own pantry. "From operating their own food shelf, to partnering with local food shelves to hosting regular food drives, our Catholic community is already actively engaged in feeding the hungry," he said. "I began this initiative to increase our efforts across our Diocese to meet the growing need for food in the community."

Eileen O'Rourke, former executive director of human resources for the Diocese, volunteered to help launch this effort in collaboration with diocesan staff and the Vermont Foodbank to increase the Church's capacity to feed the hungry by increasing volunteerism and food donations through local parish partnerships and foodbank initiatives throughout the state.

"The Vermont Foodbank is experiencing an unprecedented demand for food due to the pandemic," she said. "They expressed a dire need for volunteers for several food distribution events that they host monthly and seasonally as well as in the local food shelves."

The Vermont Foodbank is the state's largest hunger-relief

organization, providing nutritious food through a network of more than 300 community partners — food shelves, meal sites, senior centers, after-school programs, schools and hospitals. The Vermont Foodbank, a member of Feeding America, provides about 12 million pounds of food annually to people throughout Vermont.

"Throughout the year, the Foodbank hosts VeggieVanGo, gleaning and other food distribution events that are supported by our amazing network of volunteers," said Kate Steward, volunteer manager for the Vermont Foodbank. "The Covid-19 pandemic has made it harder for many of our community members to access the food they need to thrive. In fact, Foodbank volunteers helped to distribute over 19 million pounds of food last year to Vermonters facing hunger — a dramatic rise from 2019. We're grateful that members of the Diocese are willing to step forward and fight hunger by volunteering with the foodbank; it truly makes a difference in the lives of our neighbors."

The St. Joseph the Provider Feed the Hungry Initiative is largely a communication effort to connect the Catholic community with organizations that feed the hungry and increase capacity.

"All our parishes are involved in multiple social ministries to help the most vulnerable among us. This initiative will harness the goodwill of the Catholic community to increase our capacity to ensure no one goes hungry by partnering with existing organizations and meeting the need," Bishop Coyne said.

To learn more visit: vermontcatholic.org/feedthehungry.

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