

SAINT AUGUSTINE PARISH

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CONTACT INFORMATION

Phone Number: 223-5285 (Rectory/Parish Office)

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rel_ed_sta@vermontcatholic.org

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:15 pm

Sunday: 9:15 am

Mon, Tues, Fri: 8:15 am

Wednesday: 12:10 pm

Thursday: No Mass

Please see inside bulletin for exceptions/changes

Holy Days and Holidays

Please see Mass schedule inside bulletin.

Confession

Friday: 8:45–9:45 am

Saturday: 4:00–4:45 pm
(or by appointment)

Office Hours

Monday – Wednesday: 8:00am – 5:00pm

Thursday: 8:00am – 4:00pm

Friday: 8:00am – 12:00pm

(Monday – Thursday: Closed Noon–1:00 pm)

Saturday–Sunday

RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grades K-6: Sunday 10:30–11:30am

O.C.I.A.

A program for those interested in becoming Catholic and Catholics who would like to learn more about their faith.

Wednesdays 7:00pm–8:30pm † September – April

Alternating weekly between St. Augustine and St. Monica

EMMAUS JOURNEY

Exploring the Christian Faith Vision

Adult Continuing Education

With Dcn Regis Cummings and Joseph Gainza

Thursdays 6:30–8PM on Zoom † Join Any Time

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Patrick J. Forman

Parochial Vicar: Rev. Fr. Luan Van Tran

Deacons: Rev. Mr. Regis Cummings (S.S.)
Rev. Mr. Gesualdo Schneider

Parish Secretary/Office Manager: Liz Kilmurry
Custodian/Cemetery Director: Michael Bottiggi

Parish Council Chair:

Conor Cook, conor.p.cook@outlook.com

Finance Committee Chair:

Open at this time

Catholic Daughters of America Regent:

Denise Parry, parrya@myfairpoint.net

Knights of Columbus:

Grand Knight: William Toborg, wlt1@caa.columbia.edu

Deputy Grand Knight: Conor Cook, conor.p.cook@outlook.com



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Weddings: Contact the Pastor before setting a date; a minimum of six months notice is required.

Baptisms: By appointment; please call the rectory.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please notify us of people who are ill and/or hospitalized.
We will respond as soon as possible.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Anyone who cannot celebrate Mass with us in church, who wishes to receive the Sacraments (Confession, Communion, Anointing of the Sick), please call the Rectory: 223.5285

MASS INTENTIONS

Requests for Mass Intentions should be made in person at the Rectory office, or by phone.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS & GUESTS

We are delighted that you have joined our parish family. As we worship together, we hope you will feel at home here. We invite you to participate in the many parish ministries that provide opportunities for prayer, service and outreach.

By registering as a parish member, we can get to know and serve you better.

Being inspired by the Gospel to live with faith, hope and love, we aspire to build God's Kingdom.

Please register by calling the rectory at **802-223-5285**, or email: staugustine@vermontcatholic.org

July 6, 2025 - FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

READING 1

Deuteronomy 30:10-14

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11

READING 2

Colossians 1:15-20

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Cf. John 6:63c, 68c

GOSPEL

Luke 10:25-37

LITURGY

July 13
15th SUNDAY
Ordinary
Time

ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Jul 5 Saint Anthony Zaccaria, Priest

5:15 PM All Parishioners of St. Augustine

Sunday, Jul 6 - 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:15 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory

Monday, Jul 7

8:15 AM Aurelio Gallegos by Liz

Tuesday, Jul 8

8:15 AM Special Intentions of Tommy Vivian
by his family

Wednesday, Jul 9 Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest

12:10 PM Philip Guare by Paul & Lynn Guare

Thursday, Jul 10

NO MASS

Friday, Jul 11 Saint Benedict, Abbot

8:15 AM All Parishioners of St. Augustine

Saturday, Jul 12

5:15 PM Gillian Henderson
by Mama, Dad and Brother Ian

Sunday, Jul 13 - 15th Sunday Ordinary Time

9:15 AM Michael Bliss by Rachael Bliss

Ordination Anniversary Blessings



Fr. Michael Augustinowitz

July 11

50th Anniversary

BISHOP'S APPEAL

Throughout the summer, hundreds of elementary and middle school students will participate in the Totus Tuus program across 12 parish locations. Totus Tuus is an energetic and fun Catholic youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic faith through evangelization, catechesis, Christian witness, and Eucharistic worship. Faith formation and catechesis programs like this are only made possible by your support of the Bishop's Annual Appeal.

To learn more or make a gift online visit:

bishopsappealvt.org.

IMPORTANT DATES

July 6-11 - Totus Tuus at St. Monica

Fri, Jul 11 - St. A Community Lunch 11:30-1:00pm

Fri, Jul 18 - St. A Community Lunch 11:30-1:00pm

Support for Jun 29

Online Giving:	\$.00
Saint Augustine Offertory:	\$.00
Building & Grounds:	\$.00
Cemetery:	\$.00
Fuel:	\$.00
Religious Ed:	\$.00
School:	\$.00
Soup Kitchen:	\$.00
Vigil Candles:	\$.00
Non-Off. Misc. Donations:	\$.00
Eastern Europe:	\$.00

Thank you for your continued support!

NO 2nd Collection July 13

TOTUS TUUS: July 6th-11th, 2025

St. Monica is hosting Totus Tuus this week!

Totus Tuus is a high-energy Catholic youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic faith through games, evangelization, catechesis, Christian witness, and Eucharistic worship. Each summer, missionaries travel all over Vermont to celebrate the faith! Grades 1-8 gather during the day and grades 9-12 gather in the evening.



CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

Following the teachings of Dom John Main OSB,
founder of the Benedictine Priory, Montreal, Quebec

For details please Contact: Dcn Regis Cummings - 802.223.6043



Knights of Columbus

If you are interested in becoming a Knight of Columbus, check out our local website at:

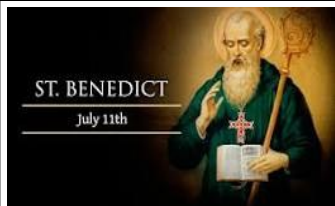
<http://kofc399.org> or <https://kofc.org/JoinUs>

*monthly meetings in-person @ St. Monica Parish
on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7pm in the parish hall.*

REBOOT, A Life Changing Event

This high-energy, 2-hour event with internationally acclaimed speaker **Chris Stefanick** will awaken your faith, reignite your joy, and equip you with tools to live life God created you for: A life of **JOY!**

It will help you rediscover the JOY you were created for, and is perfect for everyone.....even friends, family, and children (12+) who may not be actively practicing their faith. Wednesday, September 24, 2025 from 7:00-9:00 pm @ St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, 3 St. Peter St., Winooski, Vt..

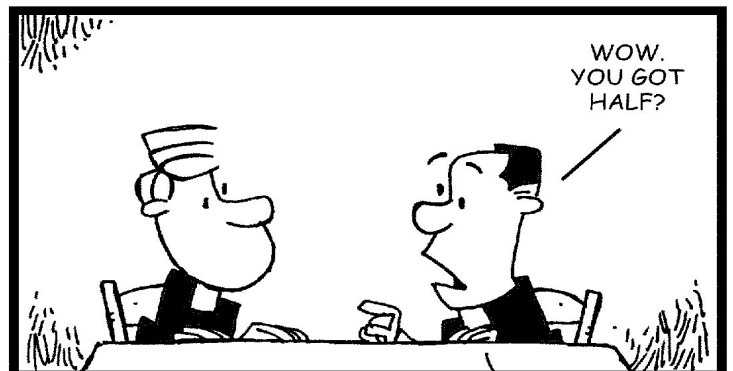


ST. BENEDICT
July 11th

Feast of St. Benedict, July 11

Have you ever wanted to change the world? 5th century Europe was a dark place. The Roman Empire had fallen, and barbarian tribes were picking over the scraps of what remained. Faith hung on, but there was no consistent, coherent Christian culture in the world around. Young Benedict began his life with education and privilege but became disillusioned by a life pursuing material success. He withdrew to a monastery and spent much time in solitude. He began attracting followers, whom he organized over time into 12 monasteries, with a 13th established to train young monks. He wrote a rule of life including basic principles for living as Christ. His monks took three vows: conversion to Christ, obedience to the local abbot, and stability to remain with the community. Benedictine monasteries became lights in the darkness, secure centers of Christian culture enlivening the faithful beyond their walls. When the world around us seems complicated and contrary to the Gospel, how will you be a light?

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME





LET US PRAY FOR... *our church, our parishes in Vermont and all over the world, our Catholic Schools, our communities, our families, those who are sick and infirm, those who are lonely, those who suffer from mental illness and addiction. Let us pray.*

HOLY FAMILY PRAYER CIRCLE: If you would like to have prayers said for a loved one, friend, or neighbor, please call Cathy Asbell (802.279.7957).

PLEASE PRAY... For all the men and women from our Parish, State, and Country who serve in the military, and for the sick of our Parish,



Especially for:

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GBJ
Raylene Hedges
Greg Ibey
Matthew Khouri
Jan Koval
Olivia Leibold
Lee Curtis Lilly
Matthew Percy
Jeannette Quinn
Timothy Scandale
Thomas Vivian

PRAYERS

**Call 223-5285 (Rector)
To add someone to this list**

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul
of those who have died in our Parish



Montpelier Food Pantry

89 Main St. (Alleyway off E. State to right of Parking Garage)

Not accessible through the City Center Main Entrance.

Open: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, 10am-12pm

Questions: dylan@justbasicsvt.org

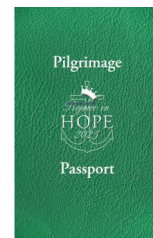
THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY!

Jubilee Pilgrimage Passport

The Diocese of Burlington has created a simple passport that is available to any parishioner who may wish to keep track of their pilgrimage to the 4 Jubilee Churches in our diocese. The passport has 6 visits, so it can be filled for the Lenten Season and culminate during Holy Week.

This project can be accomplished anytime throughout the Jubilee Year, as your schedule allows.

Information on the Jubilee Churches and the Indulgence can be found here: www.vermontcatholic.org/about/jubilee-year-2025/



St. Joseph's Level III Residential Care Home, Burlington, VT

Rooms and Suites available: St. Joseph's Residential Care Home, operated by Vermont Catholic Charities, is a small home-like community that provides personal care, medication management, home cooked meals, nursing overview, and a wide array of activities. Our dedicated staff supports the needs of the whole person - physical, emotional, social and spiritual.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Galatians 6:14-18: Saint Paul says, "May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. Peace and Mercy be to all who follow this rule and to the Israel of God." We can have peace and mercy in our marriage. The Holy Spirit can help and guide you in your relationship. Check out and sign up for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience. It can help you in your communication, teach you many skills, and also help you to grow in intimacy and in faith with one another. **In W.M.E., married couples, priests and religious enrich, support, and learn from each other at all stages of life.**

Some of the dates to sign up are:

August 15-17, 2025 at Holy Family Retreat Center, West Hartford, CT

September 19-21 in Huntington, NY



Registration is limited; there is a \$100 application fee.

Apply for this weekend or other in-person and virtual experiences at WWME.ORG.

Or Contact **Gary & Lynn Root** at 802-456-8114, vtroot@together.net

or <https://www.mevtw.org/>

BISHOP'S APPEAL as of 6/17/2025

GOAL: \$32,676.00 ACTUAL: \$18,177.50.00 Recurring Estimate: \$3,888.00

ACTUAL (Including Recurring Est): \$22,065.50 % OF GOAL: 68%

Pope's Monthly Prayer Intention

June

That the world might grow in compassion

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

A Window into Our Stained Glass Windows

This week we look at a unique detail in the windows of St. Augustine that was brought to my attention by Ginny Garand. "Why do St. Augustine and the other doctors have marks on their hands? Did they all have stigmata?" She was referring to the four Doctors of the Church in the southern transept: St. Augustine, St. Ambrose, St. Jerome, and St. Gregory the great. Stigmata are the wounds of Christ that God gives to some mystics (Interestingly, about 80% of the verified cases are women).

I had wondered about this detail before but Ginny got me to research the meaning. What I found is that the windows portray not stigmata (none of these saints had them) but episcopal gloves (sometimes called pontifical gloves) and are a type of vestment worn only by bishops or prelates with a special privilege, such as an abbot. They are made of silk and have a monogram or symbol on the top of the glove where the wound of Christ would be. In the windows, Gregory has a circle, while the other three have diamonds. Episcopal gloves seem to have originated in France and became customary in Rome around the 10th Century. While this means that none of the Doctors in our windows would have worn episcopal gloves as they lived centuries before their use, it is an accepted artistic practice to depict saints with vestments that developed after their death.

Vestments are never just clothes but rich with symbolism. When putting on the gloves during the vesting rite, the celebrant prays: "Place upon my hands, Lord, the cleanliness of the new man, that came down from heaven; that, just as Jacob Thy beloved, covering his hands with the skins of goats, and offering to his father most pleasing food and drink, obtained his father's blessing, so also may the saving victim offered by our hands, merit the blessing of Thy grace. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who in the likeness of sinful flesh offered Himself for us."

<https://www.liturgicalartsjournal.com/2018/07/pontifical-gloves-brief-history-and.html>

