



Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 2, 2016



MASS INTENTIONS

October 1 - 9

This Weekend

SAT 7:30 pm Amanda & Henry Furkey
-by the estate

SUN 9:00 am Dr. Tom Howrigan
-by his estate

11:00 am For the Parishioners

Daily Mass

MON – FRI No Daily Masses

Next Weekend

SAT 7:30 pm Leo & Veronica Ryan Family
-by the Ryan Family

SUN 9:00 am Raymond & Francis Howrigan
-by the family

11:00 am For the Parishioners

Please pray for those who are ill, particularly:
Mary Ann Hranek, Bishop Kenneth Angell,
Gabiella Laubisch, John Maynard, Patty Cross,
Wilfred St. Pierre, June Morin, Ruby Minor, Tom
St. Pierre and Joseph Magnan.

Father Bill Away: Father Bill will be away from the parishes until October 20th. Father Roger Charbonneau, Senior Priest and former pastor in Enosburg Falls and Sheldon, will be here for the weekend Masses. Cheryl will be in the parish office three mornings a week and you may call if you have a need. In an emergency or if there is a need for a priest, you may call Holy Angels in St. Albans at 524-2585.

Married Couples: Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on 11/18 – 11/20 at St. Anne’s Shrine in Isle La Motte. For info or to apply, contact Gary & Lynn Root @ vtroot@together.net or call 802-456-8114 or go on-line @ www.wmvevt.org. Application deadline is November 1, 2016.

Next Week’s Ministers:

Lectors	Greeters	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat., October 8		
7:30 Candi Branon	Linda Callan	Susan Rainville Andrew Rainville
Altar Servers: Leah, Hannah and Kayleigh Branon		
Sun., October 9		
9:00 Wilson Capone	Libby Norris Cecile Callan	Patti Reynolds Libby Norris
Altar Servers: Anthony Andrews, Nicolas Farinaccio		
Gift Bearers: Mark & Judy Magnan and Family		
11:00 Steve & Margaret Doe		
Helen Bushey Mary Ovitt		
Altar Servers: Hunter Harris, Samantha Churchill		
Gift Bearers: John & Carleen Musick		

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Collection last weekend – September 24 - 25, 2016

	St. Patrick	St. Anthony -St. George
<u>Offertory:</u>	\$ 1,100.00	\$ 284.00
Online Giving:	\$ 660.00	\$ 240.00
13-week average:	\$ 1,288.00	\$ 391.00
Weekly Goal:	\$ 1,275.00	\$ 385.00
Catholic Univ.:	\$ 192.00	\$ 74.00
Louisiana:	\$ 551.00	\$ 337.00

Second Collections:

October 1 – 2: Vermont Catholic Magazine

Thank you for your continuing generosity!

Diocesan Support: As reported earlier, we recently completed numerous projects at both of our parishes. Upon request to the diocese for financial assistance for St. Patrick’s, we received a gift of \$5,000 this past week. This gift came from the Parish Support Fund, a fund which is provided for from a portion of the annual Christmas collection and from donations of parishioners throughout the Diocese. We are most grateful to Bishop Coyne and the Diocese for this gift which enables us to meet the needs of the parish.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Sunday, Oct. 2 - **Grades 1, 2, 6, 7, 9 and 10**
6 – 7 pm at St. Patrick Church
Wednesday, Oct. 5 – **Grades 4 & 8**
3 - 4 pm at Fairfield Center School
Wednesday, Oct. 5 – **Grades 3 & 5**
3 – 4 pm at St. Patrick Church

REMINDER: *If you have not completed registrations for your child(ren), please do so right away.*

Jubilee Year of Mercy: The Jubilee Year of Mercy Celebration will be held for the Sick (Healing Service) at St. Joseph Co-Cathedral at 3:00 pm on October 16th. Confessions will be available to gain the Jubilee indulgence before and after the celebration and light refreshments will be served. Please join us!



Beth Branon: Congratulations to Beth Branon who was recently recognized by the diocese and the parish for her 52 years of service as a catechist. Beth has faithfully served the children and families of our parish for more than half a century and we are most grateful for all she has done. She has agreed to continue serving when needed as a substitute in our religious education program.



Respect Life Month: October is Respect Life Month. Catholic parishes throughout Vermont will offer prayer, public education and pastoral care initiatives in recognition of Respect Life Month. The theme this year is “Moved by Mercy” in keeping with the Year of Mercy declared by Pope Francis.

33 Days to Merciful Love Study Group: If you are interested in a "Do-It-Yourself Retreat" or want to join a study group on Divine Mercy for 33 days please call Margaret Doe @ 933-6341. We will be starting in October. The book will cost \$15. We will meet together six times at the Community Center at 10:00 for reflection and discussion time. Start date will be determined by those who choose to participate.

St. Patrick Christmas Bazaar: Work Bees for the Annual St. Patrick Christmas Bazaar will take place on Tuesdays, October 11, 18, and 25 and November 8 and 15 from 6 – 8 pm in the parish hall. We really need new people to come and help. Even if you aren't “crafty”, there are lots of little jobs that need to be done. Anyone wishing to donate items to the raffle is asked to contact Janice Adams (524-6419). Gift cards for grocery stores and gas stations are welcomed items.



Flowers and More Flowers: Our thanks to Rita Winegar, Patti Reynolds, and Mary Schreindorfer for planting and maintaining the flowers and flower beds at our churches this summer. Your hours of work helped to beautify our parish properties. Thank you!

Fall Youth Rally: The Annual Fall Youth Rally will be held at Christ the King in Burlington on October 15–16. The High School Rally is on Friday night from 4–8:30 pm and the Middle School Rally is on Saturday from 10 am–4:30 pm. Cooper Ray, a very dynamic and inspirational speaker/musician will present at both rallies. For more information, see the poster on the bulletin board or go to kalderman@vermontcatholic.com.

Breakfast at St. Mary's: Sunday, October 2 from 8:00 – 11:00 am at St. Mary's Parish Center. Menu includes ham, eggs, fried potatoes, pancakes, fruit juice and coffee. Cost is \$6 per person or \$20 per family.



Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 8:30 am – 12:30 pm.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Saturday: Stephen Branon, Rene Garceau
Monday: Lawrence Edelson
Tuesday: Fr. Bill Giroux
Wednesday: Robert Lavalley, Meagan Oliver
Thursday: Candace Dasaro, Jessie Forand
Friday: Callee Chicoine, Roland Garceau, William Golden
Saturday: Sean Beaugard, Lynn Dickinson, Kris Remillard, Jordan Stone

