



# Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## January 29, 2017



### MASS INTENTIONS

January 28 – February 5

#### This Weekend

**SAT 7:30 pm** For the Parishioners

**SUN 9:00 am** Fitch Baxter

*-by John & Mary Schreindorfer*

**11:00 am** Margaret Maynard

*-by John Maynard*

#### Daily Mass

**MON 8:30 am** Amanda & Henry Furkey

*-by the estate*

**TUE 8:30 am** Special Intention

**WED 8:30 am** Mr. & Mrs. George Ste. Marie

*-by Louise & John Covi*

*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

*9:00 am – 6:00 pm*

**THU 8:30 am** Henry & Clara Raymo

*-by the Amanda Furkey Estate*

**FRI** No Mass

#### Next Weekend

**SAT 7:30 pm** For the Parishioners

**SUN 9:00 am** Mary Connor & André Brosseau

*-by the family*

**11:00 am** Norm Garrett

*-by John Maynard*

**Please pray for those who are ill**, particularly:  
Mary Ann Hranek, Gabriella Laubisch, Patty Cross,  
June Morin, Ruby Minor, Cole Paquette, George  
Jenkins and Jerry Yates.



#### Next Week's Ministers:

Lectors

Greeters

Eucharistic  
Ministers

**Sat., February 4**

**7:30** Susan Magnan

Susan Howrigan

Frank Persons

Jeanne Persons

**Altar Servers:** Liam, Nolan, & Gabe Howrigan

**Sun., February 5**

**9:00** Robert Norris

Libby Norris

Mary Schreindorfer

Cecile Callan

Henry Magnan

**Altar Servers:** Wilson Capone, Jade Garceau

**Gift Bearers:** Bob & Libby Norris

**11:00** Darlene Symons

Helen Bushey

Mary Ovitt

**Altar Servers:** Hunter Harris, Samantha Churchill

**Gift Bearers:** Don & Linda Watson

#### WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Collection last weekend – January 21 - 22, 2017

St. Patrick

St. Anthony

-St. George

**Offertory:**

\$ 959.50

\$ 378.00

30-week average: \$ 1,254.00

\$ 395.00

Weekly Goal:

\$ 1,275.00

\$ 385.00

*Second Collections:*

*January 28 – 29: Catholic Education*

*February 4 – 5: Energy Needs*

**Thank you for your continuing generosity!**

#### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

Sunday, Jan. 29 – **Grades 1, 2, 6, 7, 9 and 10**

6 – 7 pm at St. Patrick Church

Wednesday, Feb. 1 – **Grades 4 & 8**

3 – 4 pm at Fairfield Center School

Wednesday, Feb. 1 – **Grades 3 & 5**

3 – 4 pm at St. Patrick Church

**Contribution Statements:** Father Bill passed out the annual statements of contributions last weekend for those who used envelopes or online giving in the past year. If you did not receive yours, please see him after Mass today and he will give you your statement.

**Online Giving:** In November 2014, we initiated for both of our parishes the option of making weekly contributions online. In the past two years, a number of parishioners have chosen to utilize this option which is a convenient and secure way to give to the parish. It is an automated process which allows you to authorize transfer of funds from your checking or savings account weekly or monthly. It frees you from having to remember to search out your envelope, write your check, and bring it to church with you each week. It doesn't forget to make a contribution when you are away or on vacation, allowing the parish to have a steady flow of funds throughout the year. It is easy to set up and you can make changes as often as you want.

To begin using this option for your giving, visit our parish website at [www.stpatricksvt.org](http://www.stpatricksvt.org) and click on the "Online Giving" link. If you are not familiar with the internet or are confused by the process, you may call the parish office and speak to Cheryl. She will be happy to assist you in facilitating this set up. Once this has been done, your offertory gift will be automatically deducted from your checking or savings account weekly or monthly. Using this method of giving will benefit both you and your parish.

**World Marriage Day 2017:** The celebration of World Marriage Day in the Diocese of Burlington will take place on Sunday, February 5th, 2017 at the 10:00 AM Sunday Mass at St. Joseph's Co-Cathedral in Burlington with recognition being given to those couples celebrating their Milestone Anniversaries in the year 2017 (5, 10, 15, etc....). Please find the forms to sign up at the church entrances.

**Married Couples:** The car needs a tune-up, the house needs a fresh coat of paint, the grass needs cutting and the garage desperately needs to be cleaned out. The list of things to do seems to never end. What about your marriage? Isn't it time to place your relationship at the top of the list of things that need tending to? Make a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and give your marriage a tune-up. The upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on 3/17 – 3/19 at St. Anne's Shrine in Isle La Motte. For info or to apply, contact Gary & Lynn Root @ [vtroot@together.net](mailto:vtroot@together.net) or call 802-456-8114 or go on-line @ [www.wmvevt.org](http://www.wmvevt.org). *Note that the application deadline is February 24, 2017.*

**Parent Meeting:** There will be a meeting for parents of children making First Communion in May on Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall. At least one parent of each child is expected to attend.



**Coffee Hour:** There will be a coffee hour on Sunday, February 5 following the 9:00 am Mass. All are invited to attend. Please bring a snack to share.

**St. Patrick Credit Union:** The annual meeting for the St. Patrick Credit Union will be held on Monday, February 13 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall.

**Parish Website:** Our parish website, [www.stpatricksvt.org](http://www.stpatricksvt.org), contains parish information such as the current bulletin (and past bulletins), parish addresses and phone numbers, sign up for online giving, links to the Diocese of Burlington, and daily Mass readings. Take a moment and check it out.

**Breakfast at St. Mary's:** The monthly breakfast at St. Mary's will be held on February 5 from 8–11 am in the parish center on Fairfield Street. Menu includes, jam, eggs, fried potatoes, pancakes, fruit, juice and coffee. Cost is \$6 per person or \$20 per family.

**Bingo:** Saturday, February 4th, beginning at Noon until 4PM (Doors open at 11:30AM) at Dorian Hall, All Saints Catholic Church, 152 Main Street, Richford, VT. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Council 2610. Come join us for great fun, refreshments and fine fellowship. Bingo proceeds to be used to purchase AED units for the local schools.

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

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:**

**Saturday:** Maureen Adams, Evan Branon, Patty Cross, Jane Landry, Sandra Soucy  
**Sunday:** Candi Branon, Eva Howrigan  
**Tuesday:** Mary Leroux, Russell Stone, Michelle Tiffany  
**Wednesday:** Norm Menard, Lourdes Dudley  
**Thursday:** Eric Persons  
**Saturday:** Kyle Branon

