

NEWS FROM The Inland See

March 30 – April 5, 2019

FOR THE DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON



Lay FORMATION

Leadership Program

Next Lay Formation Leadership Class Now Accepting Applications

“The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few.”
— Luke 10:2

The next Lay Formation Leadership Program is now taking applications. This program, as part of the Institute for Missionary Discipleship, seeks to form laity to assist in leadership roles in their parishes. Key to this formation is inspiring and equipping the laity to serve and evangelize their parishes and communities as missionary disciples.

This 2-year program is designed to provide lay men and women with the spiritual, theological, human and pastoral skills to minister in their communities.

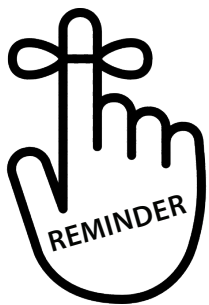
This formation is accomplished through monthly Saturday formation days, online courses, readings, assignments, spiritual direction, an annual retreat and a capstone project.

Prerequisites include the pastor’s approval, being in full communion with the Catholic Church, ability to do college-level academic work and ability to minister faithfully and joyfully within the Catholic Church.

The application deadline is June 1 or until the class is full. Additional information, as well as the application form can be found online at: vermontcatholic.org/layformation.

Interested individuals may contact Deacon Phil Lawson at plawson@vermontcatholic.org or 802-448-5813.

— *Deacon Phil Lawson is the executive director of evangelization, catechesis, divine worship, marriage and family and respect life for the Diocese of Burlington*



Survey Updates

Disciple Maker Parish Survey

The Disciple Maker Parish Survey, conducted by Catholic Leadership Institute to help parishes develop individual pastoral plans that will lead to vibrant parishes, is due **March 31**: disciplemakerindex.com.

Feasibility Study Survey

Due to several requests from parishioners, the deadline to complete the Feasibility Study Survey has been extended to **April 4**. This survey will inform plans for a campaign to support parish and synod priorities. You can access this survey online at steiergroup.com/survey. Click on Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington and enter the password Burlington.



To see more events or to submit your event to the diocesan calendar: vermontcatholic.org/events

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UPCOMING EVENTS



04|02, 09 TUESDAYS
Bishop Barron's 'The Mass'
St. Pius X, Essex Center
 7 - 8 pm

We will view one episode each week in this six-part series. There is no cost to attend this event and all are welcome. Refreshments and materials provided by the Knights of Columbus. This week will be part 5 of the series.
RSVP: call St. Pius X office (802) 878-5997 or email John Ludden vtluddens@gmail.com



04|04 THURSDAY
Bishop Robert Barron's Catholicism Series
Holy Family, Essex Jct.
 9:30 - 10:30 am

Join us for Episode 5 - The Indispensable Men. We will play one episode each week, ending on May 16. Series began on March 7.



04|05, 12 FRIDAYS
IHM Rutland Lenten Fish Dinners
Immaculate Heart of Mary, Rutland
 5 - 6:30 pm

Menu includes baked fresh haddock, mac and cheese, scalloped potatoes/rice, coleslaw, chowder/soup, salads, and beverages. \$10 per person and Free for children under 5 years old. Please join us after dinner for Stations of the Cross at 6:30.



04|12 FRIDAY
St. Ambrose Lenten Fish Frys
St. Ambrose, Bristol
 5 - 7 pm

Meal includes fried or baked haddock, french fries, coleslaw, beverage & dessert. Adults: \$12.50, children 9 and under: \$6, immediate family of 5: \$37.
FOR MORE INFO: call St. Ambrose (802) 453-2488



04|12 FRIDAY
Lenten Soup Supper for Haiti
St. John Vianney
 6 - 7 pm

The Haitian Partnership is sponsoring Friday Soup Suppers during Lent. Come have some meatless soup, enjoy some fellowship, and learn about our parish-twinning efforts with the rural community of Boc-Banic, Haiti. We will also be collecting school supplies, clothing, soccer balls, and other goods for the parish schoolchildren. No charge, but free-will donations are gratefully accepted.



04|13 SATURDAY
Padre Pio Devotions
Holy Family, Essex Junction
 8 - 10 am

The Padre Pio Prayer Group meets the second Saturday of each month. Rosary at 8am followed by Mass, special intentions for the intercession of Saint Padre Pio, and then learning about Padre Pio's life, ministry and spiritual gifts will follow in the Holy Family Parish Hall after Mass.



04|14 SATURDAY
Knights of Columbus Breakfast
St. Peter, Vergennes
 8 - 10 am

Come join us for a delicious breakfast of eggs, omelets (to order), hot cakes, french toast, sausage, bacon and more. Bring your family and friends!! Adults \$8.50; Seniors over 60 \$7.50, Kids 6-12yrs. \$6, children under 6 Free, and immediate families of five or more \$28.



04|14 SATURDAY
All You Can Eat Maple Breakfast
St. Amadeus Parish Center, Alburgh
 9 am - 12 pm

Join us for eggs, pancakes, french toast, bacon, ham, sausage, hash browns, fruit cup, beverage and Maurice's maple dumplings! Adults \$10, Children 7-12 \$5, 6 and under FREE.



04|16 TUESDAY
Chrism Mass
St. Joseph Cathedral, Burlington
 11 am - 12:30 pm

Join Burlington Bishop Christopher Coyne and the priests of the Diocese of Burlington for the annual Mass at which priests will renew the promises they made at their ordination and the holy oils used throughout the year in the sacramental life of the Church will be blessed. A reception follows in the church hall.



04|16 TUESDAY
Holy Week Taize Service
Sacred Heart Saint Francis de Sales, Bennington
 7 pm

Join us for the annual Holy Week Service of Silent Prayer, Song and Adoration of the Cross in the tradition of Taize. Music of the late Jacques Berthier (1923-1994), who composed for the Taize community, will be sung. Throughout the Adoration of the Cross, Samuel Barber's celebrated composition, Adagio for Strings, will be performed at the church organ. Those who wish to do so may submit prayer intentions to be sung by a cantor during the service. People of all faiths are warmly invited to attend.



04|18 THURSDAY
Mass of the Lord's Supper with Bishop Coyne
Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington
 7 pm



04|19 FRIDAY
Good Friday Service with Bishop Coyne
Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington
 3 pm



04|19 SATURDAY
Easter Vigil with Bishop Coyne
Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington
 8 pm



04|18 THURSDAY
Easter Sunday Mass with Bishop Coyne
Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington
 10 am

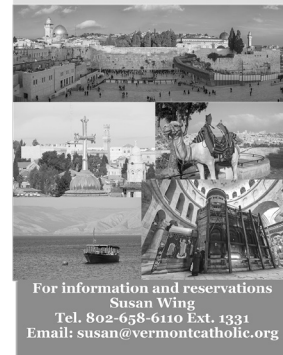


04|23 WEDNESDAY
VCP Networking Breakfast
Pomerleau Center, Saint Michael's College
 8 - 9:30 am

Free event featuring networking and refreshments, and a talk by Lisa Ventriss, President & CEO of Vermont Business Roundtable. To register or for more information: vermontcatholic.org/vcp

Msgr. Routhier & Fr. Gaudreau Holy Land Pilgrimage

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