January 23–26, 2020
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Life is Precious Trip

“The future is in your hearts and in your hands. God is entrusting to you the task, at once difficult and uplifting, of working with Him in the building of the civilization of love.”

— John Paul II

Annual Diocesan Respect Life Mass with Bishop Coyne
Saturday, January 18, 2020 9:30 a.m.
St. Augustine, Montpelier

Annual Montpelier Rally for Life
10:45 a.m.
City Hall to State House
UPCOMING EVENTS

01|12 SUNDAY
Burlington K of C Pancake Breakfast
St. Mark, Burlington • 8:30 - 11:30 am
Sponsored by the DeGoebriand Council 279 Burlington, supporting our seminarians and postulation in the diocese. Ages 6 to 89. Suggested $7 maximum per family $25.

01|18 SATURDAY
Diocesan Mass, VT Rally for Life
St. Augustine, Montpelier • 9:30 am - 12 pm
Join us for Mass at St. Augustine. Following Mass Vermont Right to Life will sponsor a prayerful walk to the Statehouse with a program to follow inside.

01|21 TUESDAY
Nicholas Black Elk: Oglala of the Lakota Sioux, Servant of God
St. Augustine, Montpelier • 7 - 9:00 pm
Cousin of Crazy Horse and subject of the famous book, “Black Elk Speaks,” Nicholas Black Elk became a Catholic in 1904. As a catechist he credited with bringing over 400 people to the Faith. In 2017, the Vatican authorized his cause for canonization. Dr. Damian Costello is a vice-postulator of Black Elk’s cause for canonization and the author of “Black Elk: Colonialism and Lakota Catholicism.”

01|22 WEDNESDAY
VCP Networking Breakfast
Pomerleau Alumni Center, St. Michael’s College, Colchester • 8 - 9:30 am
This free event will begin with networking and refreshments, followed by words from a professional development speaker, and followed by more networking and discussion. Our January guest speaker is Mike Smith — Interim president and CEO of the Vermont Information Technology Leaders, Inc.

01|23-26 THURSDAY-SUNDAY
Life is Precious Washington D.C. Trip 2020
Trip will include Rally for Life with thousands of other teens, March for Life with hundreds of thousands, National Mall Museums, National Basilica and more! Cost: $175 — submit $50 non-refundable deposit by November 1. Submit full deposit by January 1, 2020 (non-refundable after January 1).

01|31, 02|01, 02|01 FRI, SAT, SUN
Discernment in Daily Life
Our Lady of Life Spiritual Center, St-Paul-d’Abbotsford, QC
Retreat for students and young professionals, 18-35 years old, with teaching given in French/English (simultaneous translation as needed) by a team of Our Lady of Life members.

02|01 SATURDAY
Our Lady of Fatima Devotions
Holy Family, Essex Junction • 8 - 9:30 am
First Saturday of every month, come to Our Lady of Fatima Devotions. Rosary and reconciliation begin at 8 am and Mass at 8:30.

02|01 SATURDAY
French Canadian Dinner
Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, Richmond • 5 - 7:00 pm
Delicious homemade traditional cuisine: pea soup, tourniere (meat) pie, mashed potatoes, rolls, desserts, beverages.

02|02 SUNDAY
World Marriage Day Anniversary Mass
St. Joseph Cathedral, Burlington • 10 - 11 am
Join us as we celebrate World Marriage Day by honoring in a special way those celebrating a milestone wedding anniversary. Mass with Bishop Christopher Coyne.

02|26 WEDNESDAY
Ash Wednesday
Come to Mass and receive your ashes!

02|22 & 03|21 SATURDAYS
Marriage Preparation Retreats
10 am - 5:30 pm
Spend time in prayer, sharing and fellowship with your fiance and other engaged couples. February 22 at Sacred Heart St. Francis de Sales Parish Hall, Bennington, and March 21 is at Blessed Sacrament in Stowe.

03|09 MONDAY
Lenten Series
Holy Family, Essex Junction • 7 - 8:30 pm
“The Journey of the Magi for Lent: A Parable, A Poem, and a Painting” presented by Fr. Richard Berube, SSE.

03|21, 22 SATURDAY & SUNDAY
Young Adult Retreat at Saint Anne Shrine
Shrine of Saint Anne, Isle la Motte • 9:30 am - 2:00 pm
For Young Adults ages 18-39 (out of high school). Cost: $75 — includes meals and lodging. Led by sisters from the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal (New York). Learn more at: vermontcatholic.org/event/young-adult-retreat-saint-ann-shrine/

03|28 SATURDAY
Diocesan Catholic Men’s Conference
St. Anthony, White River Jct. • 9 am - 3:15 pm
Diocesan Catholic Men’s Conference featuring Guy Gruters

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