

NEWS FROM The Inland See

September 16–22, 2023

FOR THE DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON

Founder of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Radio to address Vermont Catholic Professionals



Wednesday, October 18, 2023, 8:30 am (speaker at 9 am)
Donna McSoley,
President and founder of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Radio

Register at: vermontcatholic.org/vcp

Donna McSoley, founder of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Radio, will be the keynote speaker at the next meeting of Vermont Catholic Professionals.

The first Catholic radio station in Vermont, OLPR 105.5 FM was established five years ago by McSoley with the support of Archbishop Christopher Coyne and the Diocese of Burlington.

“Radio was something entirely new to me so each step was a challenge, but I learned to turn to prayer and to have great faith in God to sort it out,” she said. “With faith, we can do anything.”

In prayer and gratitude to God for helping her through a difficult time, McSoley wanted “to return the favor,” she said. She had received a letter from the Catholic Radio Association to spread the word that the Federal Communications Commission had announced an opportunity to apply for space on the FM dial. “As I read the letter, I was 100 percent clear that the Lord wanted me to do this. Radio was brand new territory, but God led me through every detail.”

McSoley will speak to members of Vermont Catholic Professionals on Oct. 18. The group will gather at 8:30 a.m. at diocesan headquarters at 55 Joy Drive in South Burlington; the speaker will begin her presentation at 9 a.m.

The purpose of Vermont Catholic Professionals is to join Catholic men and women and others with shared values from the business and professional communities to encourage intellectual discussions, to foster professional and faith-based relationships, and to inspire service and charity to the community in Vermont. The group hosts quarterly events that offer networking and a professional development speaker that is relevant to the business and professional communities in Vermont.

Past speakers have included doctors, businesspeople, educators, and non-profit directors.

The meetings take place in person and on Zoom.

For more information, go to vermontcatholic.org/vcp.

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Archbishop Coyne, we will miss you!

Come say farewell to Archbishop Coyne on Sunday, September 24:

Mass of Farewell

Sunday, Sept. 24, 10 a.m.

Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington

All are welcome.



Farewell Reception

Sunday, Sept. 24, 12-3 p.m.

Doubletree Hotel, South Burlington

Please register at (3 options):

- vermontcatholic.org/farewell
- scan the QR code to the left
- call (802) 658-6110 ext. 1452

Upcoming Events



09|18 – 10|30 MONDAYS
"The Chosen"

St. John Vianney Parish Hall, S. Burlington
AM: 9–10:30 am • PM: 6:30–8 pm

Join us to view "The Chosen". This series began on Monday, Sept. 11. Two options, AM or PM, for the eight episodes of season 1, followed by a discussion about that week's episode, led by parishioners. **FOR MORE INFO: Email Connie at sjvgoodnews@gmail.com.**



09|20, 27, 10|04 WEDNESDAYS
St. Michael Church Lecture Series

Saint Michael, Bennington • 5 - 7 pm

The stained-glass lecture series continues:

Sept. 20 — Dcn. Christopher Dougherty, Deacon at Saint Michael, Brattleboro will discuss Saint Brigid

Sept. 27 — Fr. Henry Furman, Pastor of Saint Michael, Brattleboro will discuss Saint Michael

Oct. 4 — Fr. Beaugard, Pastor of Saint Stanislaus in Winchester, NH will discuss the Holy Spirit



09|20 – 10|27 WEDNESDAYS or FRIDAYS
Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible

Our Lady of Angels, Randolph

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm • Fridays at 9:45 am

This eight-session study program includes video presentations that explore all twelve time periods of The Bible Timeline Chart. This series began on Sept. 6.



09|21 THURSDAY
Letter for Artists Zoom Study

via Zoom • 9 - 10 am

Fr. Henry Furman will lead this discussion. We will be reading on Pope John Paul's 1999 Letter to Artists. The letter is addressed to all who are dedicated to the search for new epiphanies of beauty. To join this study, please send your email address to stmichael@vermontcatholic.org. You don't need to be an artist to take part!



09|21 THURSDAY
Our Lady's Kitchen & Catholic Movie Night

Our Lady of the Angels, Randolph • 6 - 8:30 pm

Free meal and a movie! Come one, come all!



09|23 SATURDAY
Spiritual Retreat: A day of Prayer and Fellowship for Catholic Women

Our Lady of the Angels, Randolph • 9:30 am - 2 pm

Led by Fr. Patrick Forman, sponsored by the Vermont Catholic Daughters. All Catholic women 18 and over are invited, because we would love to have you join us there is no registration fee. Lunch will be provided for a free will donation. RSVP to: RosePelchuck,brcoal@myfairpoint.net.



09|24 SUNDAY
Farewell Mass and Reception for Archbishop Coyne

Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington • 10 am

Join us for this special Mass with Archbishop Coyne as

celebrant. A reception will follow from 12 to 3 pm at the Doubletree Hotel, South Burlington. Please RSVP for the reception at: vermontcatholic.org/farewell.



09|27 WEDNESDAY
Taize Prayer Service

Sacred Heart St. Francis de Sales, Bennington
6 pm

Join us for a Taize prayer service to pray for the work and success of their parish ministries, programs, committees, and catechists, as well as the students, faculty, staff and helpers of The School of Sacred Heart St. Francis de Sales in Bennington.



09|29 – 10|02 FRI, SAT, SUN, MON
Light of the World Retreat

Holy Family Parish Hall, Essex Junction
Parishioners from all parishes are welcome.

Information and registration available at essexcatholic.vermontcatholic.org/light-of-the-world-retreat or email ecc.engage@gmail.com. There is no registration fee.



10|01 SUNDAY
Eucharistic Healing Service

St. John the Evangelist, St. Johnsbury 3 - 4 pm
Benediction and Exposition of the Most

Blessed Sacrament at 3 pm on the first Sunday of every month with Fr. Lance W. Harlow.



10|02, 11|06 MONDAYS
Spanish Mass at St. Michael's College Chapel

St. Michael's College, Colchester • 7:30 pm

If you wish to be placed on our mailing list, please email Fr. Marcel Rainville, S.S.E at mrainville@smcvt.edu.



10|08 SUNDAY
Harvest Dinner Fundraiser

St. Anne's Shrine, Isle La Motte • 11:30-2:30
In the main building, cafeteria. \$20 per plate.



10|08 SUNDAY
Fourth Annual St. John Henry Newman Night

Holy Family, Essex Jct. • 4 - 8 pm

An Evening in Honor of St. John Henry Newman, featuring solemn sung vespers, a first class dinner and dessert catered by Bill Rensch and the Knights of Columbus, and two presentations on the life and works of St. John Henry Newman. RSVP required: vermontnewman@gmail.com.



10|18 WEDNESDAY
Vermont Catholic Professionals Networking Breakfast

Diocesan Offices, S. Burlington • 8:30 - 10 am

Donna McSoley, founder of Our Lady of Providence Radio, will be the speaker. Join us for networking and a light breakfast. Presentation begins at 9. Zoom option available.

Register here: vermontcatholic.org/vcp



10|19 THURSDAY
Spanish Mass

St. Peter, Vergennes • 7 pm
With Fr. Timothy Danaher, O.P.



10|21 SATURDAY
The Chosen — Movie Night and Potluck

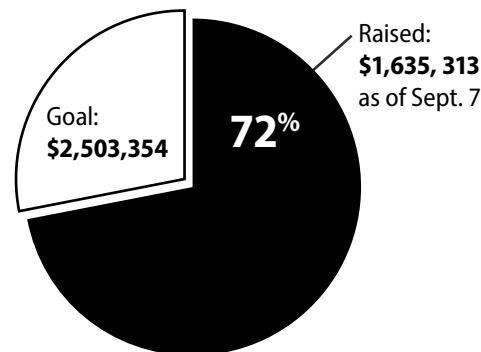
St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls • 5 - 6:45 pm

Come join us for a movie night and potluck dinner every third Saturday of the month.



BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

Progress: 72% to goal



A MESSAGE FROM THE



U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking
Ending Slavery Is Everyone's Work

September — Children make up a quarter of people in forced labor. Millions of children around the world will never go to school because they are working to help provide for their families.

U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking is a 501 c (3) organization, 7575 Grand River Rd., Suite 109, Brighton, MI 48114 (sistersagainstrafficking.org)