

NEWS FROM The Inland See

October 12-18, 2024

FOR THE DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON

Annual Priests' Benefit Fund COLLECTION



“... whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.” — Matthew 26:40

Caring for our priests is caring for Christ Himself.

October 12-13, 2024



Priests' Benefit Fund Office 802-658-6110 ext. 1216

Upcoming Events



10|15, 22, 29, 11|04 TUESDAYS
The Chosen Season 4

St. Pius X, Essex • 6 - 8 pm

Please join us Tuesday evenings for our group viewing and discussion of season 4 of The Chosen. This series of 8 sessions began on September 10. The optional episode viewing will be from roughly 6 to 7 pm followed by the group discussion from 7 to 8 pm. Coffee and light snacks will be provided. All are welcome!



10|16 – 11|06 WEDNESDAYS
Spiritual Growth, With the Teachings of St. Teresa of Avila

Holy Family, Essex Junction • 8:30 - 11:30 am

Pope Francis wrote of St. Teresa that, "having her as a friend, companion and guide in our earthly pilgrimage confers security and tranquility." This series began on October 2. We start the session after the 8:30 Mass. Presented by Louise Boisvert. This experience will be, in the words of Pope Francis, "for all those who wish to progress on the path of purification from all worldliness, which leads to union with God, to the lofty abodes of the interior castle."



10|16 WEDNESDAY
Vermont Catholic Professionals Networking Breakfast

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

Join us for the next VCP Networking Breakfast. The presentation will begin at 9 am. The speaker will be Attorney Adam Hochschild, of Hochschild Law Firm, LLC. Register at: vermontcatholic.org/vcp



10|16 WEDNESDAY
Spanish Mass

St. Peter, Vergennes • 7 pm

Spanish Mass with homemade Mexican meal to follow. All are welcome! Bilingual Missalettes are available.



10|17 THURSDAY
BINGO

St. John Vianney, S. Burlington • 6:30 pm

Chance of winning a \$1000 jackpot. Doors open at 4:30 and the first game begins at 6:30. Come join the fun with friends and family. Bring a non-perishable food item(s) and receive two free game sheets for the "winner take all" game. All food items are donated to the local food shelf.



10|19 SATURDAY
St. Peter's Cemetery Committee Craft Fair

St. Peter, Vergennes • 9 am - 3:30 pm

Craft fair, bake sale and luncheon. Please stop by!



10|19 SATURDAY
Men's "Cor" Formation

St. John Vianney, S. Burlington • 10 - 11:30 am

Calling all men to fellowship, prayer and a deeper faith! You are invited to participate in COR Formation. Cor is Latin for Heart. Through fraternity, prayer, and the study of God's pursuit of souls, we intend to grow closer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. All men are welcome. Coffee and donuts provided.



10|20 SUNDAY
Bereavement Ministry

Corpus Christi, St. Johnsbury • 1 pm

An opportunity to pray and share with others who have lost a loved one, in a comfortable setting. We meet on the third Sunday of every month for about an hour, in the rectory.



10|26 SATURDAY
Echoes of Grace: Heavenly Lessons from the Saints

St. John Vianney, S. Burlington • 6:45 - 9 pm

Step into Resurrection Park and sacred silence for a one-of-a-kind evening of grace and reflection. Encounter saints and holy people who share their wisdom as well as the stories that shaped their journey into sainthood! After the walk, you can continue your experience by finding solace and peace in Eucharistic Adoration or the Sacrament of Confession. Afterward, relax with fellow pilgrims over light refreshments.



10|27 SUNDAY
Sensory-Friendly Mass Welcoming Individuals with Disabilities

Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington • 10 am

This Sunday Mass will have several sensory-friendly adaptations, such as softer lighting and calm music, communal prayers recited at a slower pace, and an ASL interpreter (if available). Mass will be celebrated by Bishop McDermott. All individuals with intellectual or physical disabilities and their families and caregivers are invited. Reception in the parish hall following Mass. Open to all.



10|27 SUNDAY
Oktoberfest Dinner

St. Stanislaus, West Rutland • 4 - 6 pm

Join in a fun afternoon of food and fellowship at Oktoberfest! Enjoy a German-inspired dinner of ham, bratwurst, sauerkraut, Himmel und Erde (a.k.a. mashed potatoes), kielbasa and more. Tickets for dinner are available for purchase in advance only. Seating is limited. Take-out tickets are available as well. A pie sale will also be part of the festivities, taking place for a half hour prior to the dinner. For information, or to purchase tickets, call the parish office at (802) 797-8520. \$18 for adults, \$10 for children under 10.



11|01 FRIDAY
The Night of Love Service

Christ the King, Burlington • 5:30 pm

Beginning with All Saints Day/First Friday Mass at 5:30 pm, and concluding with First Saturday Mass/All Souls Day at midnight, November 2. Barb Ernster from the World Apostolate of Fatima national office will join us as a Guest Speaker for a short part of the program. The evening will also offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation with visiting Priests, a Procession with Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Investiture of the Brown Scapular, praying the various Mysteries of the Rosary as a Community of Faith, moments of prayer and reflection, songs and hymns of praise, and quiet times for individual prayer.



11|02 SATURDAY
St. Peter's Penny Fair

St. Peter, Vergennes • 10 - 6:30 pm

Doors open at 10 am Drawings begin at 6:30 pm. Come for a fun-filled day! Chances to win a variety of great prizes for pennies a chance. Great fun for all ages!



11|02 SATURDAY
Free Community Dinner

St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls • 5 - 6:30 pm

Please join us for a Free Meal. Open to anyone who would like a hot meal.



11|02 SATURDAY
Eucharistic Healing Service

St. John the Evangelist, St. Johnsbury • 3 - 4:30 pm

Father Lance Harlow will conduct a Eucharistic Healing Service with Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament and praying over by Father Harlow.



BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

Progress

83%

\$2,087,881

\$2,503,354

as of October 2

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