



Upcoming Marriage Enrichment Programs

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

(Non-Residential)

March 21–23 (Friday - Sunday) Mater Christi School, Burlington

Apply for this weekend or other in-person and virtual experiences at WWME.ORG. Or Contact Gary and Lynn Root at 802-456-8114, vtroot@together.net

Marriage Encounter Valentine's Dinner Dance

Saturday, February 15 • 5:30 p.m. Cathedral of St Joseph Parish Hall, Burlington

Open to all married couples. Dinner, Dancing, and a short couple's enrichment. RSVP: Andrea and Aaron at 802-223-6561 or abrassvt@gmail.com.

For Couples: Just as driving a car without routine maintenance can lead to problems, a marriage needs attention to stay on track. The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience is an enrichment, where husbands and wives build skills and learn how to be the best couple they can be. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience is not counseling. The Experience consists of presentations followed by private time between husband and wife.

For Priests/Religious: Just as married couples give their lives to each other, a priest or religious gives their life in service to the Church, finding ups and downs in their journey. In Worldwide Marriage Encounter, married couples, priests and religious enrich, support, and learn from each other at all stages of life.

Find us on the web WWME.ORG or Facebook.com/WWMEVT.



Progress 60,

GOAL: \$2,503,354

92%

\$2,306,981

as of January 22



Website:

vermontcatholic.org/ giveonline **Call:** 802.658.6110 x 1102

Mail:Bishop's Annual Appeal
55 Joy Drive
South Burlington, VT 05403

Upcoming Events



02|02 SUNDAY

Eucharistic Healing Service

St. John the Evangelist, St. Johnsbury • 3 pm Healing service with Adoration of the Most

Blessed Sacrament and praying over by Fr. Lance Harlow.



02|04, 05, 11, 12, 18, 19 TUES OR WED

Discussion on Papal Encyclical, Dilexit Nos (He Loved Us)

St. Pius X. Essex Junction

Louise Boisvert will lead a discussion of this encyclical, which includes reflections from Sacred Scripture and previous magisterial teachings, reintroduces the Church to the spiritually profound devotion to the Sacred Heart. Offered on Tuesdays 7 - 9 pm or Wednesdays 9 - 10:30 am.



02|05, 12, 19, 26 WEDNESDAYS

Bible Study

Holy Cross, Colchester • 12 - 1 pm Interested in joining an informal bible study group? Our bible study meets weekly to discuss and discern how to put God's Word into practice in our lives. If you have questions, please call the parish office at (802) 863-3002. All are welcome to join.



02|06 THURSDAY

Winter Warmup Bible Study

via Zoom • 5:15 - 6:15 pm

him at tnaples@vermontcatholic.org to receive the Zoom link.

Fr. Tim Naples will lead Zoom sessions using the text, Bible Basics for Catholics by John Bergsma; contact

02l07 FRIDAY

Alpha Film Series

St. John Vlanney, S. Burlington • 6:30 - 9 pm Alpha is a series of interactive sessions to

discuss life and faith in an informal, fun, and friendly environment. Each of the sessions begins with a meal, followed by a brief video on a broad question of the Christian faith.



02|09 SUNDAY

Vergennes Knights of Columbus Breakfast Buffet

St. Peter, Vergennes • 8 - 10 am \$12 adults, \$7 children 8 to 12 years old.



02|09 SUNDAY

Pancake Breakfast

Cathedral of St. Joseph, Burlington • 9 - 11:30 am Take-out available. \$10 per person, \$5 for kids,

and \$25 for family of four or more.



02 12 WEDNESDAY

Grief Ministry and Support

All Saints, Richford • 6 pm Led by Deacon Armand Auclair.



02|13 THURSDAY

Spanish Mass

St. Peter, Vergennes • 7 - 9 pm We will celebrate the Mass in Spanish, with a

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



02|14 FRIDAY

Essex Community Dinner

Holy Family, Essex Junction • 5:30 - 7 pm Intended to grow and promote our community, as well as to feed the lonely and needy among us. These meals are free to all but donations are appreciated to cover

parish expenses.



02|14 FRIDAY

The Joy of Marriage Date Night

St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls • 6 - 8 pm Join us for "The Joy of Marriage" series of date

nights. These events are for married and engaged couples, featuring fellowship and presentations. These events will be held on: February 14, March 14, April 11, May 9, June 13, and July 11. Register by emailing: aauclair@vermontcatholic.org

> 02l15 SATURDAY **Men's Spiritual Development**

Immaculate Heart of Mary, Williston • 8 - 10:30 am Deacon Phil Lawson will give a presentation

on "Fatherhood in These Times". All men are invited to share fellowship and encouragment that will make great use of your Saturday morning.

02|16 SUNDAY

World Marriage Day Mass

Holy Cross, Colchester • 10 am

A reception follows in the parish hall. To register for the World Marriage Day Mass, please contact Nicole at (802) 658-6110, ext. 1131 or nhamilton@vermontcatholic.org.

Pilgrimage to Rome April 28 – May 8, 2025

Consider joining Fr. Matthew Rensch on a pilgrimage to Rome, Assisi, Orvieto, Cascia, and Norcia, among other sites. The pilgrimage will visit the Eucharistic Miracles and three incorrupt saints. A ProRome tour manager will accompany the group. Private bus transportation, four-star hotels, Catholic tour guides, all tours and tickets, daily breakfast are all included in the price.

www.prorometours.com/fr-matthew-rensch/

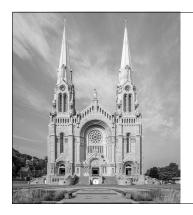


for the District of Vermont In re Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington, Vermont, Case No. 24-10205-HZC

United States Bankruptcy Court

Claims Notice for Survivors of Sexual Abuse and Others With Claims Against the Roman Catholic Diocese of **Burlington**, Vermont

If you were sexually abused by any person connected with the Diocese, a Catholic parish, or Catholic school within the geographic area of the Diocese, or have any claim against the Diocese, you must file a claim by April 4, 2025.



Quebec Pilgrimage

June 16-18, 2025

Fr. Schneider will be leading a three-day pilgrimage to St. Annede-Beaupré and other shrines around Quebec City.

Contact Fr. Schneider for more info: (802) 388-2943 or bschneider@ vermontcatholic.org.

Deposit due in March.

For more diocesan information: visit vermontcatholic.org

For the bankruptcy docket: visit https://case.stretto.com/dioceseofburlington

For U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Vermont information: visit vtb.uscourts.gov

For advice about your rights: contact an attorney