

The Inland See



News from the Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington

October 25–31, 2025

Bishop's Calendar — November 2025

**Bishop McDermott is scheduled to be at the following locations in November.
Please check with the parish or school for Mass times or schedule changes.**

*Saturday,
November 1*

Mass and lunch at the Women's Retreat,
Holy Cross, Colchester
Mass at Our Lady of Grace, Colchester

*Sunday,
November 2*

Mass at St. Andre Besette, Troy
Mass at St. Mary Star of the Sea, Newport

*Friday,
November 7*

Mass at the Catholic Center at the
University of Vermont, Burlington

*November
7–8*

Visiting the seminarians at Mount St. Mary's
Seminary, Emmitsburg, Maryland

*November
9–13*

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops
(USCCB) Fall Meeting, Baltimore, Maryland

*Friday,
November 14*

Mass at Mount St. Joseph Academy, Rutland
(Mass held at St. Peter)

*Sunday,
November 16*

White Mass at St. Monica, Barre

*Thursday,
November 20*

Catholic Variety Show, McCarthy Arts Center
at Saint Michael's College, Colchester

*Saturday,
November 22*

Mass at St. Charles, Bellows Falls



Vermont Catholic Professionals Networking Event

Wednesday, November 19 • 5:30 PM
(presentation at 6 PM)

Diocese of Burlington Offices
55 Joy Drive, South Burlington

Speaker
Will Cahill

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

Topic
Social media and our Catholic faith

Registration
vermontcatholic.org/vcp

Snacks and beverages will be provided.

CATHOLIC VARIETY SHOW



*A fun, family friendly evening
presented by our gifted
diocesan priests.*

*Every dollar raised
helps Vermonters
facing food insecurity,
utility shutoffs, and eviction
threats. The need is urgent,
and your presence makes
a real difference.*

Presented by:



Thursday, November 20 • 7 p.m.

McCarthy Arts Center, St. Michael's College, Colchester
Tickets \$20 each • www.VTchallengers.org
All proceeds to benefit Vermont Catholic Charities.



10|27 MONDAY
The Chosen – Season 5 Screening

St. John Vianney, S. Burlington • 6 pm

From September 8 through October 27, we will watch sessions of Season 5 every Monday evening at 6 pm in the church hall, followed by a discussion about that week's episode led by parishioners.



10|27, 11|24 MONDAYS
Cor Formation

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

Spiritual Development for men (Cor Formation)

is held every fourth Monday in the church basement at 6:30 pm. This is an opportunity for men to grow closer to Jesus' through prayer, formation, and fraternity. Light snacks provided.



10|28 - 01|04 TUESDAYS & FRIDAYS
Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother by Edward Sri

Tuesdays • St. Anthony, Bethel • 3 pm

Fridays • Our Lady of the Angels, Randolph • 9:45 am

Filmed on location in the Holy Land, this study will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of Mary's earthly life, taking you through her joys and her sorrows. You will learn how she works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her Divine Son. Seeing Mary in this way will change you forever.



10|28 TUESDAY
The Chosen, Season 5

St. Pius X, Essex • 6 - 8 pm

Similar to past season discussion groups, we will show each week's episode at approximately 6 pm (depending on the length of each week's episode) followed by our group discussion at 7 pm. Come for both or just the discussion group!



10|29, 11|05, 12, 19 WEDNESDAYS
Alpha Film Series

St. John Vianney, S. Burlington • 6:15 pm

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions to discuss life and faith in an informal, fun, and friendly environment. All are invited, no matter their background or beliefs. Each of the sessions begins with a meal, followed by a brief video on a broad question of the Christian faith. It's a place to connect with people and a place where you can say anything you like or nothing at all.



11|01 SATURDAY
VT Catholic Fall Women's Retreat

Holy Cross, Colchester • 8:30 am - 3 pm

Keynote speaker Deacon Bob Begley will present "Living as Instruments of Hope & Loving Kindness." Adults \$40, college students \$15, under 18 free with a paying adult. Register at: vermontcatholic.org/womens-retreat/.



11|08 - 12|20 SATURDAYS
SoulCore

St. Andrew parish hall, Waterbury • 9 am

Activate your mind, body, and soul: stretch, strengthen, and pray. SoulCore is an integrated faith and fitness class to the prayers of the rosary with a self-paced workout. Everyone is welcome, no experience

needed. Please bring a mat and water bottle. The cost is by freewill donation, suggested \$10.



11|01 SATURDAY
Penny Fair

St. Peter, Vergennes • 10 am - 7:30 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|01 SATURDAY
Free Community Dinner

St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls • 5 pm

Come enjoy a hot meal and fellowship!



11|02 SUNDAY
Eucharistic Healing Service

St. John the Evangelist, St. Johnsbury • 3 pm

Father Lance Harlow will conduct a

Eucharistic Healing Service, with Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament and praying over by Father Harlow.



11|02, 16 SUNDAYS
Life Teen Life Night

Fr. Lively Center, St. Johnsbury • 5 - 7 pm

The Life Teen program leads teens into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church. All teens in grades 6-12 are invited to gather for dinner, games, teachings, and prayer.



11|08, 12|13 SATURDAYS
Bingo at All Saints

All Saints, Richford • 11:30 am - 3 pm

Doors will open at 11:30 am and the games will begin at 1 pm. Homemade lunch, desserts & beverages will be offered. Pull tickets will be available! Proudly sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, Council #2610.



11|08 SATURDAY
St. Peter's Cemetery Association Bingo

St. Peter, Vergennes • 5 - 8 pm

Doors open at 5 pm, Bingo starts at 6 pm. This is a family friendly event. All cash prizes, 50/50 raffle. Refreshments sold. This event is sponsored by St. Peter's Cemetery Committee to benefit the on-going efforts for cemetery improvements.



11|11 TUESDAY
Veterans' Day Mass

St. Pius X, Essex • 6 pm

Fr. Charles Ranges S.S. E. will be the celebrant,

and Lt. Col. Matthew Wignall of the Vermont National Guard will be the post communion speaker. The Knights of Columbus will serve refreshments afterwards in the Fr. Murray Room. If you know a veteran please invite him/her to join us.



11|14 FRIDAY
Essex Community Dinner

Holy Family, Essex Junction • 5:30 - 7 pm

Intended to feed the lonely and needy among us, these meals are free to all but donations are appreciated to cover parish expenses. Take-out dinners available at 6 pm.



11|15 SATURDAY
Christmas Crafts and Bake Sale

St. Anthony, White River Jct. • 9 am - 1:30 pm

Enjoy Holiday shopping at our 38th annual

Christmas crafts and bake sale in the parish hall.



11|15 SATURDAY
Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Ephesus House of Prayer

Our Lady of Ephesus House, Jamaica

10:30 am - 3 pm

Sponsored by Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish, Charlotte. There will be Mass, a presentation, Adoration, and opportunities to do a walking rosary or Stations of the Cross. Please bring your own lunch. Light refreshments provided. Registration required as space is limited: www.signupgenius.com/go/70A094DA4A62FA7FC1-58918202-pilgrimage. Donations accepted that day. For more info contact Tricia Sulva at psmajac@gmail.com.



11|20 THURSDAY
Catholic Variety Show

St. Michael's College, Colchester • 7 pm

Join us for an unforgettable evening as our

beloved clergy take the stage in a heartwarming Catholic Variety Show, showcasing their hidden talents, humor, and spirit — all for a vital cause. Proceeds go directly to Vermont Catholic Charities' Emergency Aid Program, helping Vermonters facing food insecurity, utility shutoffs, and the threat of eviction. Tickets are \$20 per person and can be purchased at vtchallengers.org/.



BISHOP'S
ANNUAL APPEAL

Goal: \$2,200,000

95%

Current: \$2,098,075.71
as of 10/15/25

How to Give:

Online:
vermontcatholic.org/giveonline

Call:
802.658.6110 x 1102

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