

# The Inland See

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## Vermont Catholic Quiz



Welcome to the third *Vermont Catholic* Quiz. Please submit your answers to be entered into a drawing to receive a box of chocolates from our prize sponsor, Snowflake Chocolates in Jericho and South Burlington! We will publish the answers in the Spring 2026 issue (out in March) along with statistics on the entries. The deadline to enter is February 15, 2026. You may enter online or via mail.

Enter online at: [vermontcatholic.org/quiz](http://vermontcatholic.org/quiz)

Mail your completed quiz to:

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1. The promotion of unity between Christian churches is known as:

- a. Interfaith dialogue.
- b. Reformation.
- c. Ecumenism.
- d. Evangelization.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

2. When a priest seeks to exercise his faculties in a diocese other than his own, he must first obtain written permission in the form of a:

- a. Apostolic dispensation.
- b. Letter of suitability.
- c. Writ of acclamation.
- d. Missionary assignment.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

3. A candidate seeking admittance into a religious order is known as a:

- a. Postulant.
- b. Novice.
- c. Acolyte.
- d. First order.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

4. All of the following are requirements to join the Pontifical Swiss Guard, except:

- a. You must be a male Swiss citizen between the ages of 19 and 30.
- b. You must be a practicing Catholic.
- c. You must be at least five feet, eight and a half inches tall.
- d. All of the above are requirements for joining.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

5. The Diocese of Burlington was erected by this Pope:

- a. Pius VIII.
- b. Gregory XVI.
- c. Pius IX.
- d. Leo XIII.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

6. The Latin Mass is sometimes referred to as the Tridentine Mass, because:

- a. It is broadly divided into three parts.
- b. It was the first liturgy to use the three-part Agnus Dei chant.
- c. The first priest to celebrate it was martyred with a trident.
- d. Its rubrics were codified and promulgated at the Council of Trent.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

7. A discalced order is a religious order whose members:

- a. Observe a unique version of the Liturgy of the Hours.
- b. Do not wear a specific habit or other distinguishing attire.
- c. Do not wear shoes, besides sandals.
- d. Take a vow of silence, speaking only to pray or sing hymns.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

8. The last Extraordinary Jubilee (so far) to be declared was the:

- a. Jubilee of Redemption.
- b. Jubilee of the Second Vatican Council.
- c. Jubilee of Peace.

d. Jubilee of Mercy.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Rice Memorial High School was originally known as Cathedral High School, founded in:

- a. 1917.
- b. 1919.
- c. 1932.
- d. 1959.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

10. The ordained bishop of a diocese within the Church is formally known as the of that diocese.

- a. Executive.
- b. Adjudicator.
- c. Primarch.
- d. Ordinary.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Note, we ask for either an email or phone number to contact you if you win the drawing.*



01|25 SUNDAY  
**Healing Prayer Service**

*St. Anthony, Burlington • 2:30 - 4 pm*

This event begins with the Rosary at 2:40 pm dedicated for families, communities, and world peace. Healing Prayers and blessing with St. Raphael oil from 3 – 4 pm. There will be Adoration, Confession, and praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Learning about the Saints and their Relics is an important part of the Catholic faith. Bring medals or rosaries to touch to the relics to create a third-class relic to bring home with you. This event is dedicated to those in need of physical and spiritual healing.



01|26, 02|02, 09 MONDAYS  
**SVJ Book Group — Praying for Our Adult Sons and Daughters**

*St. John Vianney, S. Burlington • 9:30 - 11 am*

Please join us for our book group on Praying for Our Adult Sons and Daughters: Placing them in the heart of God, meeting in the Fellowship Room of the Parish Center. Books will be \$10 each; sign up by January 4 to order yours. Learn more at: [stjohnvianneyvt.org/svj-book-group](http://stjohnvianneyvt.org/svj-book-group).



02|01 SUNDAY  
**Eucharistic Healing Service**

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

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



02|07 SATURDAY  
**Free Community Dinner**

*St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls • 5–6:30 pm*  
Come enjoy a hot meal and fellowship with us!



02|07 SATURDAY  
**St. Peter's Cemetery Association Bingo**

*St. Peter Parish Hall, 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.



02|07 SATURDAY  
**Annual French Canadian Tourtiere Supper**

*Holy Rosary, Richmond • 5 - 6:30 pm*

Join us for a delicious traditional French Canadian Tourtiere Supper including: Pea Soup, Tourtiere (meat) Pie, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans and Desserts. Reservations suggested — online: [KK1L.com/KnightsMeatPieDinner2026](http://KK1L.com/KnightsMeatPieDinner2026) or call/text Ron (470) 588-5515. Sit down or Take-Out available. \$17 per person. Hosted by the Knights of Columbus Council 4684.



02|11 WEDNESDAY  
**Relics: St. Bernadette and St. Catherine Laboure**

*Christ the King, Burlington • 6 - 7 pm*

Join us on the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes for a presentation on the relics of St. Bernadette and St. Catherine Laboure by the diocesan archivist, Kathleen Messier.



02|13 FRIDAY  
**Essex Community Dinner**

*Holy Family Parish Hall, Essex Jct. • 5:30 pm*

Provided to grow and promote our community, and 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 are also available, starting at 6 pm.



02|14 SATURDAY  
**St. Padre Pio Prayer Group**

*Holy Family, Essex Junction • 8 am*

The Padre Pio group meets the second Saturday of each month, at Holy Family. We begin with the Rosary at 8 am followed by Mass at 8:30 am. Special Intentions for the intercession of Saint Padre Pio and then learning about Padre Pio's life, ministry, and spiritual gifts.



02|14 SATURDAY  
**Lenten Retreat**

*St. John the Baptist, Enosburg Falls • 8:30 am - 12 pm*

Join us for a morning of good food, prayer, reflection, and spiritual renewal as we prepare to journey together through the season of Lent. The presenters will be Father Luis Barrera and Dcn. Armand Auclair. A donation is asked to assist with food costs only.



02|14 – 03|21 SATURDAYS  
**Grieving with Great Hope**

*St. Catherine of Siena, Shelburne • 10 am - 12 pm*

Grieving With Great Hope is a bereavement program based on Catholic teachings, developed by Good

Mourning Ministries (GMM) and presented on the FORMED website. The program consists of five weekly sessions. Each session will include watching a video, time for personal reflection, and small group sharing. All conversations are confidential and no one may share in discussion outside of session. This offering will be limited to 25 participants. Note that no new participants will be added after the second session.



02|21 SATURDAY  
**St. Peter's Church Preservation Committee BINGO**

*St. Peter Parish Hall, Vergennes • 5 - 8 pm*

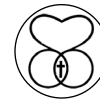
Doors open at 5 pm and games start at 6 pm. This is a family friendly event. All cash prizes, 50/50 raffle. Refreshments sold. This event is sponsored by the St. Peter's Historic Preservation Committee to benefit the on-going restoration efforts for the bell tower and the church. Please join us!



02|23, 24, 25 MON, TUES, WED  
**Lenten Retreat with Msgr. Lavalley**

*Holy Family, Essex Junction • 8:30 am*

Start this important season by attending the 8:30 am Mass on these three days. Monsignor will be here to give the homilies and for personal counseling and Confession after Mass.



03|13, 14, 15 FRI, SAT, SUN  
**Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend Experience**

While faith is a powerful part of this process, the focus of the Marriage Encounter experience is on married life. For more information, email: [wwmevt.camp@gmail.com](mailto:wwmevt.camp@gmail.com).

Join us for a pilgrimage  
in the footsteps of St. Paul  
**Greece & Ephesus**

*August 24 – September 5, 2026*

Under the spiritual direction of Fr. Dwight Baker of St. Catherine of Siena Parish, Shelburne. This pilgrimage is open to all parishes. All inclusive price is \$5,995 per person. Learn more at: [vermontcatholic.org/event/a-catholic-pilgrimage-tour-to-greece-ephesus/](http://vermontcatholic.org/event/a-catholic-pilgrimage-tour-to-greece-ephesus/)



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