

January 13, 2019

The Baptism of the Lord



MASS SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	SAINT	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Mon. Jan. 14	8:30		Roland Boisvert	K of C
Tue. Jan. 15	8:30		Jack Haley	John Ryan
Wed. Jan. 16	5:00		Al Gravelin	Rick Gravelin
Thu. Jan. 17	8:30	St Anthony	Johanna McKenna	Pat Viens
(Gazebo N.)	10:00			
Fri. Jan. 18	8:30		Intentions of Jessica LaCross	Great Aunt

SUNDAY MASSES

Sat. Jan. 19	4:30		Michael Flaherty	Paula Flaherty & Family
Sun. Jan. 20	8:00		Parishioners & Benefactors	
	9:30		Michael Flaherty	Paula Flaherty & Family
	11:30		Connie Shea	Beverly & Rollin Shea

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grades 1 – 6

The next Family Faith Formation session is on Tuesday, February 5th at 6:00 PM in the Parish Center Hall.

Grades 7 – 8

The next meeting will be on Sunday, Jan. 20th at 6:00 PM in the Parish Center.

ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERS

To our many “snow-bird” parishioners, please consider supporting St John Vianney with electronic-funds transfer donations while you are away. It’s very easy to set up. Call the office and Dave can walk you through it.

CALCUTTA TICKETS ON SALE

Our 2nd annual Calcutta Night will be on Saturday, March 2nd in the Parish Hall. Dinner, a silent auction, and raffle will be included. Tickets are on sale now at \$100 per number which includes dinner for two. Beer and wine will be available for purchase. Please call or stop by the office to buy one. This is the parish’s one big fundraiser for the year. Your support is appreciated.

FOOD SHELF

The next Food Shelf Sunday is the weekend of January 19th.

PRESENT AT MASS

Patrick Leduc's next *Present at Mass* session will be on January 13th at 1:30 in the Parish hall. The first two discussions have been fruitful and engaging for everyone and others are welcome to join at any time. While registration is not required please do let Patrick know if you're planning on attending or feel free to reach out with any questions about the sessions. He can be contacted at 598.4246 or email at pleducvt@gmail.com. More information can be found on the bulletin board on the ramp entrance.

SEVEN THEMES OF CATHOLIC TEACHING

This seven-part series will look at the Seven Themes of Catholic Social Teaching. The next theme will be: "Call to Family, Community, and Participation: Dorothy Day and Loving Those You Don't Always Like." We'll meet on Tuesday, February 5th at 7 PM in the church hall. For more info: josh-mcdonald@comcast.net or 857-8841.

SALVATION ARMY

Our next Salvation Army dinner is on Tuesday, January 22. We will be serving stew (beef or chicken). Please see the sign-up sheet at the ramp entrance of the church to sign up for donations of stew, salad, rolls, cookies and brownies, and milk. Dishes should be in disposable containers and brought to the Parish Center kitchen before 3:30 pm on the 22nd. If you have questions or would like to volunteer to serve the dinner, please call or email Kate Boucher at 863-2588 or kateboucher@comcast.net.

**CARE FOR ONE ANOTHER DURING
THE FLU SEASON**

We remind everyone to be careful in shaking hands and sharing Holy Communion from the Chalice during the flu season. If you have symptoms of the flu you should refrain from physical contact during the Sign of Peace and taking Communion from the Chalice. If you are nervous about catching/giving something you can use a wave for the sign of peace.

TOWN MEETING WITH THE BISHOP

An excerpt from a message from Bishop Coyne-
...I am calling for our own Catholic Town Meetings to take place in January. I will come to the meeting, begin with a prayer, offer a few remarks about where we are as a Diocese and the Church here in Vermont, and then I will listen and respond as I can to what other "citizens" of the Church have to say. The meetings will start at 6:00 PM and end at 7:30 PM and they are open to anyone to attend.

2019 Town Meeting Schedule, 6-7:30pm

Jan 22: Holy Family Church, 4 Prospect St, Essex Junction

Jan 23 St. Theresa Church, 44 East St, Orleans

Jan 28: Sacred Heart Church, 238 Main St, Bennington

Jan 29: Christ the King Parish, 66 South Main Street, Rutland

Jan 31: St. John Vianney Church, 160 Hinesburg Rd, S.B.

**WORLD MARRIAGE DAY
WITH BISHOP COYNE**

The celebration of World Marriage Day in the Diocese of Burlington will take place on Sunday, February 3, 2019, at the 10:00 AM Mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral in Burlington with recognition being given to those couples celebrating their milestone anniversaries in the year 2019 (5, 10, 15 etc...). Please register through the Office of Evangelization & Catechesis, Marriage and Family Life online at www.vermontcatholic.org.

LUND HOME THANK YOU

To all that donated to the Giving Tree..."*St John Vianney Church, a note to say thank you once again for your generosity of gift cards and toys to Lund's Holiday Giving! We so appreciate the support! Wishing all a safe and special 2019*". – Julie Richards

**ANNUAL RIGHT TO LIFE
MASS AND MARCH**

Bishop Coyne will celebrate Mass at St Augustine Church in Montpelier on Saturday, January 26 at 9:30 AM. Mass will be followed by a march to the State Capital, where a program will be held inside featuring a presentation by Ann McEliheny. After lunch, at 2:30 PM, the film *Gosnell* will be shown at the Capital Theater, near the Statehouse.

Admission to the movie is \$10.00. Everyone is invited to attend all or part of these pro-life events as we stand up for the dignity of human life.

EPIPHANY BLESSING

You can bless your home by using a piece of chalk to write 20+C+M+B+19 over the inside frame of your main door. The letters are the initials of the traditional names of the kings.

PASTORAL CARE FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Just a gentle reminder that due to institutional privacy requirements, it is important that parishioners advise the office or staff when a fellow parishioner or loved one is homebound, in the hospital, nursing home or Respite House. We can then ensure timely pastoral care is provided. Thank you.

ST FRANCIS XAVIER SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Saint Francis Xavier School is hosting an Open House on Wednesday, January 30, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Location: 5 St. Peter Street, Winooski. Walk-ins are welcome, but we encourage RSVPs by calling 655-2600.

REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

Lacey, Michael, Nathan and Paul Baer, Alice Boivin, Andrew Bolognani, Betty Bouchard, Jeanne Bright, Ruth Custeau, Jeffrey Claude Danis, Jeannine Dattilio, Ernest Dorey Jr., Yvonne Gravelin, Aimee Marti, Carla Miller, Ed Olszewski, Corienne Pasqual, Bill and Edie Robenstein, Janet Stackpole, Kathleen Trono, Kim Wilbur and Damien Williams.

FINANCE FOR LAST WEEK

Offertory - \$5842.00

Dev. Fund - \$800.00

Attendance – 494

The second collection next week is for snow removal and salt applications.