Mass Schedule
Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 9:15am
Confession: Saturday 3:00pm
Pam King DRE 393-3438 or stmarystalbansre@gmail.com
Religious Ed Office 524-9416
Parish Hall 524-9416
Cemetery Denise Messier 524-2494
SAYMORE: Bart Tatro 524-9466
Email for St. Mary’s
Email: stmarystalbansre@gmail.com

Immaculate Conception of Mary
Rev. Maurice Roy 524-2585
Dcn. Mr. Gabe Gagne 524-4357

Holy Angels
AYERS, SAWYER
BONNETT, NEVAN
BOYLE, MAYA
DENIS, CONNER
JENNETTE, MEGAN
MESSIER, THEODORE
NELSON, AMAYA
POLACK, OLIVIA

BENOIT, RYAN
BOYLE, MALERIE
CUSHING, GRADY
DENIS, MICHAEL
MCGINN, MATTHEW
MULHERON, ISABELLA
POLAK, FRANKLIN
THERRIEN, JACOB

2019 FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
Holy Angels Parish, St. Albans

~HOLY ANGELS~

ROSARY BEFORE MASS: Come join us in praying the Rosary on Saturdays @4pm & Sunday mornings @7:30am.

Saturday, May 18 “Armed Forces Day!”

8:00am: Andrew Hamblin
10:00am: 2019 First Holy Communion
4:30pm: Anna Cross & Karen Mulheron by the Family

LECTOR: Gene Quick

Sunday, May 19

8:00am: Intentions of Holy Angels & St. Mary’s Parishioners
10:30am: Richard Bushey by Rose Lawton

LECTOR: Charlene Bourdeau

Monday, May 20 “Victoria Day!” (Canada)

8:00am: Bob St. Pierre by M & S Boulerice
5:15pm: Bob & Kathleen Smith by Geraldine & Gary LaFlam & Family

Tuesday, May 21

8:00am: Diane Sweet by K of C #10417
5:15pm: Bob Johnson

Wednesday, May 22

8:00am: Bob St. Pierre by Mark & Nancy Senesac
5:15pm: Roger Royer

Thursday, May 23

8:00am: Thanksgiving Blessing & Good Health for Fr. Roy by Lillian Rainville
5:15pm: Wayne Nolan by Pat & Andy Vincent

Friday, May 24

8:00am: Gloria Hemond by Anonymous
5:15pm: Brenda Kelly

Saturday, May 25

8:00am: Fabio & Lucille Choiniere by Michelle & Family
4:30pm: Anita Murphy

LECTOR: Cynthia Stutler

Sunday, May 26

8:00am: Intentions of Holy Angels & St. Mary’s Parishioners
10:30am: Carmen Chabot By Paul Chabot

LECTOR: Bill Bressette

Holy Angels' Religious Education News:

2019 ~ Dre * Please contact the Rectory or see our Face Book page for more info.

First Holy Communion ~ Sat., 05/18/19 @10am

AYERS, SAWYER  BENOIT, RYAN
BONNETT, NEVA  BOYLE, MALERIE
BOYLE, MAYA  CUSHING, GRADY
DENIS, CONNER  DENIS, MICHAEL
JENNETTE, MEGAN  MCGINN, MATTHEW
MESSIER, THEODORE  MULHERON, ISABELLA
NELSON, AMAYA  POLAK, FRANKLIN
POLACK, OLIVIA  THERRIEN, JACK

Congratulations to 2019 Saymore Confirmicants!!

ST. MARY’S

BAPP, EMMA  LECLAIR GENEVIEVE
BAPP, SAM  MATARAZZO, LUCIA
BEAUREGARD, SEAN  REED, JARRETT
DIEHL, CORIN  REMILLARD, THOMAS
GAVIN, ABRAHAM  SHARP, AMIYA
GAVIN, NATHANAEL  SMITH, ZACHARY
KING, ZERIMA  VALLEE, CHRISTIAN

Holy Angels

ADAMS, MATTHEW  MCGINN, MAREN
BECHARD, CASEY  MONTGOMERY, JAYDEN
BRULEY, ETHAN  REYNOLDS, JAKE
COTIGNOLA, CHRISTOPHER
FOURNIER, LUC  RICHARD, REAGAN
GONZALEZ, MATTHEW  SLOAN, HAILEE
GRAVELIN, JAROD  ST. FANCIS, LIANNA
JEWETT-JONES, LOGAN  TROMBLAY, JACOB
KOVAL, ADAM  WARD, JOSEPH
KOVAL, DYLAN  WARD, ORION
LAVALLIE, JENNIFER  WARD, SETH

Saymore: Questions, Please call Bart Tatro at 802-524-9466

Martha’s Kitchen: Holy Angels will have a sign up sheet in the back of the church this weekend. Our week begins May 27.

Prayers for Healing: A few people gather to pray for healing for themselves & others in the Holy Angels Chapel Tues. @2pm & Fri. @11am. All are invited to join prayerful individual healing & for healing in our country.

Champlain Valley Agency on Aging (CVAA): Is now “AGE WELL”; & provides services to seniors. Call 1.800.642.5119 or website: www.agewellvt.org

Benediction: Is observed in the chapel of Holy Angels Fri., @3pm-4pm. You may offer this hour for vocations.
PRAY FOR:


BISHOP’S FUND

“Jesus calls each one of us to discipleship—to live a life that proclaims Jesus Christ as Lord & Savior by embodying His love & mercy in our words & actions. We do so, not as individual who stand alone, but as members of the larger community of faith within the Diocese of Burlington who are nourished at our local parishes.”-Bishop Coyne. The Bishop’s Appeal supports new initiatives to prepare laity for leadership positions that will strengthen evangelization (a synod priority) & revitalize our faith community. The 2nd cycle of lay ministry & diaconate formation classes has begun with a committed cohort of men & women dedicated to 2yrs of study & prayer to become parish leaders. Thanks to your support to the Bishop’s Annual Appeal, we are able to offer programs like these while sustaining key ministries. To make a gift or learn more, visit: https://bishopsappealvt.org

~You may still use the pledge forms in the pews. Filled out forms may be put in the regular collection. By filling out the donor form, you are saving a lot for the Bishop’s fund campaign. You do not need to have a check when you fill out the form. If you do, the check should be made out to “The Bishop’s Fund.” Usually there are 3 mailings of printed material for the Bishop’s Fund. By using the in-pew forms, there is less printed material, mailing & handling costs. Also, less stuff in you mail box.

~Anything on the pledge form is better then nothing, i.e. updated household information, unable to give, a smiley face for the development office, etc.

~To the faithful of the Diocese of Burlington, “Love is always a gift from God.”-Pope Francis. Thank s to all donors, the 2018 Bishop’s Annual Appeal was a great success. We hope that you are able to continue you’re generous support during the 2019 Appeal. Helps us recognize the VT Catholic Church that you are able to continue you’re generous support during the 2019 Appeal. Helps us recognize the VT Catholic Church.

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LADIES OF ST. ANNE MAY 2019 RUMMAGE SALE!

Was a fantastic sale!! The Ladies raised $3727.00. 50/50 raffle was Melissa Tatro $140. LSA would like to thank everyone who worked & donated items for the sale. A Thank you for everyone who help pack-up Sat. & brought food for the workers. Thank you Monique Gravelin, Beauf Coon, Theresa Wilcox, Sally Lemnah & Monique Brosseau for taking the left over items away. I, Pat Vincent express my great appreciation to the workers for their amazing & continuous generosity. Thank you all!!... Pat Vincent, LSA President.

2019 Totus Tuus!: A Diocesan-sponsored, week long Summer Catholic Youth {open to all children} program dedicated to sharing the Gospel & promoting our Catholic Faith & returning to St. Albans at St. Mary’s. For more info.: Pam King @802-393-3438 or smarysvre@gmail.com. Scholarships available if needed. Registration forms are at the entrance of St. Mary’s & Holy Angels. Elementary School Program (1st-8th grade): $60 per student-$150 per family max. Mon., 06/17-Fri., 06/21; 9am-3pm. High School Program (9th-12th): $25 per student-$150 per family max. Sun., 06/16-Thurs., 06/20; 7:30-9:30pm

FR. MAURICE ROY’S RETIREMENT

Since Father is the Pastor of both Churches in St. Albans, arrangements were planned by a combined committee derived from both Parish & Finance councils to occur in both parishes while not duplicating the efforts of all involved in planning. The events are as follows:

SUNDAY, JUNE 2ND, 2019

11:30am-2:00pm
Open House at St. Mary’s Parish Hall w/refreshments.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5TH, 2019

5:15pm Mass of Thanksgiving at Holy Angels Church
6:30pm Reception & Dinner at the American Legion

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For more info. or questions, call Rick Trombley @802-868-4840. ~Planning Committee

MEMORIAL DAY Our Memorial Day mass will be on Monday, 05/27/19 at 9am at Holy Cross Cemetery, Fairfax St. Bring chairs. If the weather is bad, the Mass will be at Holy Angels Church.
Mass for the Intentions of the Week

St. Mary’s Parish, St. Albans

New Time: The Rosary before the 9:15 will start at 8:45am. Please join us!!

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4:00pm: Fr. Leonidas Larocby by Beverly Chapple
LECTOR: Kathy Tabor
SERVERS: Nathanael & Martin Gavin

Sunday, May 19
9:15am: Fr. Larocby by John & Teresa Manahan & Family
LECTOR: Judy Smith
SERVERS: Karina & Nathan Early

St. Mary’s Church Second or Special Collection (s)
~Special Offering-Holy Cross Cemetery ~ May 26th, 2019 ~The Ascension ~ May 30th, 2019

Saturday, May 25
4:00pm: Herman & Bernice Cota by the Estate
LECTOR: Kathy Tabor
SERVERS: Aiden & Abraham Gavin

Sunday, May 26
9:15am: Carlton Bartlett by the Family
LECTOR: Judy Smith
SERVERS: Grace & JD Raleigh

Advanced Directive for Health Care: A few years ago the diocese gave us forms for advanced directive for Catholics. Contact the office if you need one.

Anyone interested in Lectoring or if you have changes in scheduling & preferences, please call the Rectory @524.2585

Tootsie Rolls: The Knights of Columbus will have their annual “Tootsie Roll Drive,” on the weekend of June 1st & 2nd at Holy Angels & St. Mary’s. All proceeds help children go to summer camp.

Camp Fatima for boys & Camp Bernadette for Girls:
Now accepting registrations for the 2019 season. For info. or to request a brochure, contact Brendan Stackhouse at 603.364.5851/Brendan@bfcamp.com.

Special Class for Adults: Know anyone who wishes to become Catholic? See Fr. Roy / Fr. Joseph.

Saint Francis Xavier School is hosting an Open House on Friday, May 24, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Members of our school community will be available to give tours and answer questions you may have about St. Francis. Walk-ins are welcome, but we also encourage RSVPs by calling 655-2600 or e-mailing info@sfxvt.org. If you are unable to visit on May 24, please feel free to call or e-mail to set up another time to meet with our principal, Eric Becker, and take a school tour. We always welcome visitors! Saint Francis Xavier School serves students from Pre-School (age 3) to 8th grade. Our goal? Developing the whole person... academics, faith, community and character. Check out www.sfxvt.org for more information about our school.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter
Jesus says “I give you a new commandment: love one another.” Learn how to love your spouse more by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are Nov 15-17, 2019 in Isle La Motte, VT and Jun 8-9, 2019 in Medway, MA. For more information, call John & Diane Forcier at 802-657-3083 or visit them at www.wmfmtw.org/.

Summer Program at Northeast Catholic College offers students to study theology, philosophy, literature, political science, daily mass, enjoy sports, day trips, hiking, canoeing, social activities & more. All 2 week session.

Register & info. @www.NortheastCatholic.edu or for more info., admissions@northeastcatholic.edu or 603.456.2656.

NORTHWEST FAMILY FOODS: Parishioners are encouraged to donate the 2nd Sunday of the month for Holy Angels & St. Mary’s. “I was hungry & you gave me food Amen!”

Save the Babies! ~ Roast Beef Dinner @ St. Mary’s Hall to Benefit the born & unborn babies of “Aspire Together,” sponsored by Knights of Columbus Fri., 05/31/19, 5:30pm 24 Fairfield St., St. Albans, VT. Menu: Roast Beef, Mashed Potato, Veggie, Toss Salad, Dessert, Coffee. {Vegetarian option avail.}. Price: $12.00/person. ~50/50 Raffle, Prizes & Donation Bucket available. *For tickets call 802-658-8046, 802-524-2585 or 802-524-5115

FOR MORE INFORMATION: D.R.E., Pam King (802)393-3438 or smarystalbansre@gmail.com

May Crownings & 1st Communion Holy 05-12-19 @9:15am.

Congratulations to our 2019 1st Communicants & their families! ~May the Good Shepard carry you & help you remain in Him always! ~

Cooper Lynch Henrik Toof
Isabella Trombley Karlos Garibay
Matthew Cusson Nellie Smith
Nora Pelletier Scarlett Larocby Thomas Malboeuf

~ Special Offering ~
St. Albans Youth Group Night, is open to ALL children 7th-12th grade. We hope your children can join us & bring a friend or more.

Located at St. Mary’s Parish Hall Youth Group Room a.k.a. “The Upper Room!” [dates TBA] For info., please contact: Bill & Gina Gavin @mamagavin13@gmail.com or wgavin@vermontcatholic.org & (802)658-6110 xt:1240

A sincere & heartfelt thanks to all of those who support our youth ministry fundraiser. The money continues to support our youth outreach here in the St Albans area. If you would still like to contribute, please contact the parish office. Much thanks again!

HOMESHARE: Seeking housemates in various towns in Franklin county. Info: @ 802.263.5625 homesharevermont.org

**NO CLASSES 05/14/19 Due to Atrium Restoration.**
Dear Padre

May 19, 2019

Can people with celiac disease take substitutes for the wheat host?

This is becoming an increasingly important pastoral issue. In some cases, food allergies are so toxic that even a bit of the allergen can lead to death.

Attention was drawn to this issue when a bishop refused a mother’s request to allow her child to receive first Communion with a wafer made from rice. The bishop suggested the child receive Communion only from the cup. Not satisfied by this recommendation, the entire family joined a Christian denomination that allowed the use of rice wafers.

The Vatican has decreed that there must be at least some gluten to make the host valid bread for Communion and that men who have celiac disease shouldn’t be admitted to the priesthood because the priest must be able to eat and drink the Body and Blood of Christ.

So how much is some gluten? The Vatican was not specific. A group of US Benedictine nuns took on the challenge of making a wheat host that would contain .01 percent gluten. Their recipe was approved by the Vatican in July 2003. Since that approval, the nuns have been amazed at the number of requests they receive for these low-gluten wafers.

Low-gluten hosts are usually purchased by the parish and consecrated at the same time as the gluten hosts, with the low-gluten hosts placed in a separate container. Communicants who can’t tolerate even the low-gluten hosts may choose to share only in the cup of Communion.

—Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

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