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Sacrament of Reconciliation
Tuesday, 5:45-6:30 pm, St. Mary's Sacristy
Saturday, 4:30 pm-5:00 pm, Knights Council Room (Parish Hall)

Anointing of the Sick
Do not hesitate to call Fr. Luke at the parish

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday, April 17
4:30-5:00 pm - Confession, Parish Hall / 4:40 Rosary
5:15 pm - *pro Popolo*
7:30 pm - (St. Bernadette) Margaret Graven ((First Ann.) by Jennie Brinkman

Sunday, April 18
8:00 am - Personal Intention by Princess Montpelier
10:00 am - Tom Lovett by Mark Mooney & Fr. Luke
7:00 pm - Newman Mass

Monday, April 19 - No Mass
5:30 pm - Adoration

Tuesday, April 20 - No Mass or Confession

Wednesday, April 21
5:15 pm - Wally Mosurick by Janet

Thursday, April 22
8:00 am - Fr. Vincent Coppola, C.S.C. by Fr. Luke

Friday, April 23
8:00 am - Helen Betourney by her daughter, Peggy

Saturday, April 24
4:30-5:00 pm - Confession, Parish Hall / 4:40 Rosary
5:15 pm - Jane DesMarais by sister, Marie Garbacz
7:30 pm - (St. Bernadette) - *pro Popolo*

Sunday, April 25
8:00 am - Ruby Antonelli (2nd Anniv.) by Cheryl & Jerry Connor
10:00 am - Thomas Kim by Nicholas Shin
7:00 pm - Newman Mass

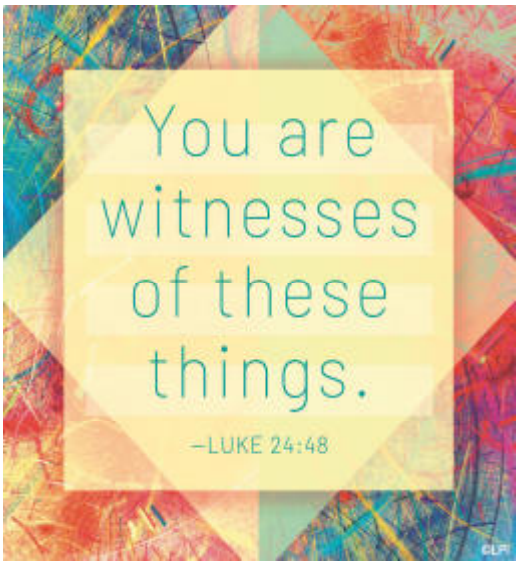
Requiescat in Pace

Please pray for the repose of the souls of the departed, and for the consolation of their families: **Daniel Ahearn, Francis Dupoise, Stephen Howlett**

V/. *Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord.*
R/. *And let perpetual light shine upon them.*
V/. *May their souls, and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.* ***R/.*** *Amen.*

ST. MARY'S, ST. BERN./ST. GENEV. CHRISTIAN SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

The CSC will be meeting by Zoom on Wednesday, April 28, 2021 at 12:15 pm. Please contact Debbie Kirby, 759-2592, mdkirby@gmavt.net if you wish to join the meeting.



Reflection

You know what are some of my favorite moments in Scripture? The little "Easter eggs" of Jesus' humanity, things like Jesus falling asleep, Jesus drawing in the sand, Jesus playing with kids. And how about Jesus rising from the dead, appearing to his disciples and saying, "So, have you got anything to eat?"

It's right for us to always keep in mind that Jesus is God. But we also have to remember that he was man. He got hungry. He cried when he felt sad and laughed when he felt happy. He got tired. He got bored.

Because he was God, none of those feelings ever led him into sin, like they do us. He never spent a car ride trying to pass the hours by seeing how annoyed he could make his older sister. He never smacked Peter over the head for saying something really stupid. But he did unleash some Biblically righteous anger on those traders in the temple, didn't he? And he wasn't shy about calling Peter "a Satan" when his friend tempted him to take the easy way out.

It's the tightrope walk we all try to balance every day, honoring our human emotions while still answering God's call to be better. Being perfect isn't the domain of the Christian — that's the domain of Christ only. Trying and failing, then trying again (and failing again) and again and again? That's the domain of the Christian.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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Totus Tuus - July 26-30 - Youth Day Camp
The camp is led by two young women and two young men who tour the Diocese. The hosting parish provides for their needs. Could you please consider the following:

- Offering housing to our men's team or women's team: ideally with a separate entrance at your house, or a nearby camp or apartment.
- Offering to provide team dinners (via gift certificates to local restaurants)
- Preparing cookies for the daily cookie-break

Please contact Nicholas Maille at the parish office if you are able to assist.

40 Cans for 40 Days
The K of C is so grateful to all who contributed to the 40 Cans for Lent. The final total was 1308 lbs. of food and $1100 in cash donations! God Bless you all.
Thanks
Steve FN PGK

Parish Support
April 3 - 4, 2021

St. Mary's Cont./Easter: $4,860.00
Fuel: $75.00
Flowers: $40.00
Holy Land: $537.00
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Total St. Mary's: $5,567.00

St. Bern./Gene.'s Cont./Easter: $1,075.00
Flowers: $20.00
Fuel: $750.00
Holy Land: $60.00
Total St. B/G: $1,905.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Pregnancy Resource Center
2021 Walk For Women & Families will be held on Saturday, May 8 from 9:30 am-12:30 pm as a fundraiser for the Pregnancy Resource Center of Addison County. Get your sponsor sheet and register, or contact the Center to learn more by calling 388.7272 or emailing info@addisonpregnancenter.org. Walk as an individual or as a team! Prizes, snacks, light lunch, balloons, tours to see new décor and NEW ultrasound in center.

Eucharistic Adoration News
Eucharistic Adoration will now be held **every** Monday at St. Mary's beginning April 5th. Please note the **new time: 5:30 -6:30**. Come for an hour of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, or come for 10, 15 , or 30 minutes.
"Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament has His hands full of graces and He is ready to bestow them on anyone who asks for them."

~ St. Peter of Alcantara

St. Joseph the Provider Project
HOPE
The need for volunteers to make home deliveries of food
The need for volunteers to pick up food at grocery stores, and bring it to HOPE
Please contact HOPE's volunteer coordinator at 388-3608, or via their website.

Charter House
The need for volunteers to deliver meals to the homeless housed at motels *(will likely end in May)*
Contact Charter House at 989-8621.

Thank You to the Bishop's Appeal Donors
I want to thank those who gave to the Bishop's Appeal last year. Despite the pandemic, and the Diocesan *Christ our Hope* campaign, you still assisted the day-to-day operations of our Diocese. It was such a pleasant surprise, and a reminder of your generosity. -Fr. Luke

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