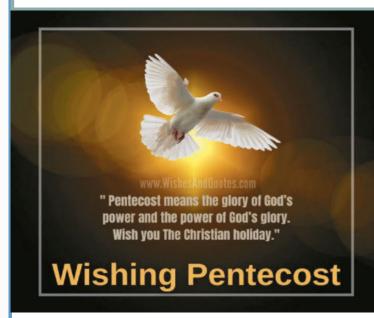
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#### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:15PM

Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00AM & 4:15PM

Weekday Mass Schedule

(See Mass Intentions on page 2)

Adoration: Wednesdays 9:00AM—10:30AM

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#### **SACRAMENTS**

#### **Baptism**

Contact the Rectory. One preparation meeting with the parents is required.

#### Sacrament of Marriage

Contact the Rectory at least one year in advance of the proposed wedding date. A program of marriage preparation is required.

#### Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00PM to 3:45PM Sunday: 3:15PM to 3:45PM

Or call the Rectory for an appointment

#### Home Visits

Please contact Georgette Coleman (802) 522-8083

#### Anointing of the Sick

Contact the Rectory

New Parishioners - Welcome!

Please contact the rectory to register.

## **Mass Intentions**

SATURDAY, June 4,

4:15 pm - Maurice and Clair Couture (Vigil)

SUNDAY, June 5, Pentecost Sunday; St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

8:00 am - All Parishioners

10:00 am - Roy Somaini

For the Intentions of Fr. Pat & Fr. Robert John & Yvonne Couture

4:15 pm - Paul Carbonneau

MONDAY, June 6, Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church; St. Norbert, Bishop

7:00 am - Henry LaGue

TUESDAY, June 7,

5:00 pm - Souls in Purgatory

WEDNESDAY, June 8,

8:15 am - Richard Paquet

THURSDAY, June 9, St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church

5:00 pm - Curtis Bevington

FRIDAY, June 10,

7:00 am - Gilles Trepanier

SATURDAY, June 11, St. Barnabas, Apostle

4:15 pm - Maria Galli (*Vigil*)

Bernie Juskiewicz

Diane Paulger

**SUNDAY, June 12, The Most Holy Trinity** 

8:00 am - Tyler Abare

10:00 am - Jennie & Gerry Boisvert

4:15 pm - All Parishioners

### The week ahead

**Monday June 6th** 

Liturgy Committee Meeting @ 6:30 pm

Tuesday, June 7th

CDA reception in PH from 6:30 to 7:30 pm

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#### Wednesday, June 8

Adoration from 9:00 am to 10:30am School Graduation @ 5:00 pm

Thursday, June 9

Bible Study @ 3:00 pm



The offering for a Mass is \$10, please call the Rectory
@ 479-3253 or stop by from 8am to noon
M-F with your request.

#### Traveling Chalice

Parishioners are reminded that they can receive a Traveling Chalice into their home for a week. The chalice is a way of praying for vocations to the Priesthood, Permanent Diaconate, and Religious Life. The Person/Family who hosts it, promises to pray daily around the chalice. To sign-up or for more information, call the parish office.

## Rest in Peac

Please remember in your prayers those who have passed away.

Deceased Members of St. Monica Parish

May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace

Responsorial Psalm for June 4 - 5, 2022

104:1, 24, 29 - 30, 31, 34

"Lord send our your spirit, and renew the face of the earth."

#### Readings for week of June 5, 2022

**Sunday**: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31,

34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/

Jn 20:19–23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

<u>Monday</u>: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 6, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt

5:13-16

<u>Wednesday</u>: 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19

<u>Thursday</u>: 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26

*Friday*: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc,

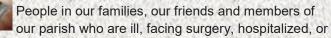
13-14/Mt 5:27-32

<u>Saturday</u>: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mt 5:33-37

Next Sunday: Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/

Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

## Please pray for our sick and home bound.



experiencing difficult times have asked for our prayers.

During the course of the week, please take a few moments to offer a prayer of healing and strength for:

Laurie Alzaga Lind, Karl Boisvert, Garett Peace, Jimmy Morgan, Daniel Duggan, Lorraine Olson, Scott Leslie, Rinaldo Conti, Patty Lu, Pat Coutermarsh, Tim Long-champ, Henry Laperle, Edith Chatot, Audry Dargon, Terry McNamara, Theresa Olson, Bernadette Wass, Gage Pelletier, Lynn Lajeunesse, Paul Gingras, Dick Polonski, Joyce Hastings, Fr. Joseph Lively, Jason Fewer, Joe & Anne Egry, Roland Pepin, Thomas Gariboldi, Leo, Marcus, Louise Whitcomb



Once again we are asking for your help with the parish records. If you have changed your address or phone number in the past 5 years,

please let us know. Also if you have an email we would appreciate you giving us that also. We want to be sure that we have the correct information for our home visits, check-in calls, Communion and year end statements.

<u>Thank you</u> so much for all your help in this matter. Please send the information to:

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or call the Religious Ed office @ 802-476-4020 from 10am-2pm or leave a message.

Thanks again!

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Open to a child or grandchild of a member in good standings of the K of C, Bishop Brady Council 399. Children and/or grandchildren of the deceased members of the Council in good standings at the time of death are also eligible. Applicant must be a student entering their 1st year of any accredited school or college of his/her choice. The scholarship award will be given at the beginning of the 2nd semester. Scholarships range from \$300-\$500. The scholarships are available for the Parishes of St. Monica, St. Sylvester, St. Augustine, North American Martyrs, and St. Edward.

#### **Deadline is June 15th**

For more information & application, please call:

Bill Robie @ 802-476-8961

#### **Saint Monica Candles**

June 5 - 11, 2022

Tabernacle Candle - Eric Hutchins Left Tabernacle Angel - Corey Right Tabernacle Angel - Couture & Riendeau

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If you would like to light a candle for a special intention, please call the rectory at 802-479-3253

The offering is \$4.00 for each candle for a week.



### Offertory Collection

Parish - \$5764.65 School - \$162.00 Others - \$155.00

#### A clarification:

Due to the publication schedule of our weekly bulletin, the collection amount reported in the bulletins may come from two weeks earlier, not the previous weekend. Also, donations that we receive in the mail are included in the collection totals for the following weekend.

Thank you for your generosity



#### Congratulations to the Classes of 2022!

SM/SM 8th graders
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Good luck to you all!

## Bishop's Fund 2022

With the *Christ Our Hope* campaign in its final year, the Bishop's Annual Appeal (BAA, the Bishop's Fund) will return to a normal schedule.

An in-pew appeal will be made at the June 11-12 Masses. A letter from Bishop Coyne will be read, and some time will be used to give the congregation an opportunity to fill out a pledge card and hand it back in. All names from this in-pew phase will be removed from the Diocesan mailing list when the pledge cards are mailed out, to avoid as much as possible, a duplicate solicitation.

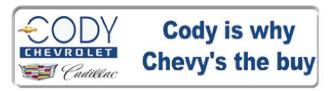
Checks should be made payable to *Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington*. Even if you are not able to give this year, putting a \$0.00 and returning the card is a big help.

Campaign materials will be put out as it arrives and the Diocesan website will have information as well. Unlike the capital campaign money, which is being used for special projects or endowment funds, Bishop's Fund money supports all of the Diocesan programs and offices for the next year.

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### **Religious Education Director**

The Parish Finance Council has recommended to Fr. Pat that the parish should hire a part-time religious education director. Assisted by Carolyn Raycraft, this person will be responsible for grades K-12 religious education and youth ministry programs, coordinating Totus

Tuus, First Communion and Confirmation Programs, Religious Education classes, Middle School and High School social events, primarily. The amount of hours will vary weekly and an overall number of hours and salary will be discussed with the successful candidate. The candidate should have a vibrant Catholic faith, organizational skills, and be able to be present at events on weekends and evenings. Resumes and letters of intent should be sent to Fr. Pat at 79 Summer St., Barre, Vt., 05641. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

#### **High School Seniors Baccalaureate Mass**

All graduating high school seniors are invited to the 5:00 pm Mass on Thursday, June 16, 2022, at St. Monica Church. This is an opportunity for your parish family to bless you as you begin a new chapter in your life and thank God for the persons you've become. If you would like to wear your cap and gown, it would make it extra special. After Mass there will be a pizza and dessert reception in the parish hall if you can attend. Your family members are certainly welcome to attend.

#### **Priest Jubilee Celebration**

On Tuesday, June 7, Bishop Coyne will celebrate Mass with the priests of the Diocese at 11:00 am at St. John Vianney Church. This annual event is a celebration of priests marking their 50<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> anniversaries of priesthood.

All of the priests offer prayers of gratitude for their own priestly vocation. Parishioners are asked to continue to pray for their priests and are invited to attend the Mass.

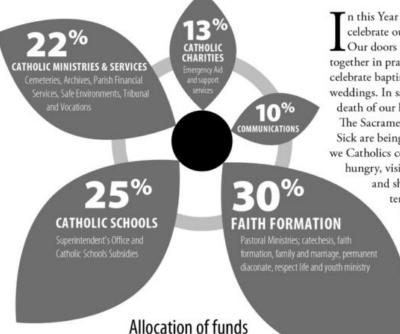
#### **Totus Tutus**

During the week of June  $27^{th}$  to July  $1^{st}$  daily Masses will take place at 11:30 am. Similar to our St. Monica-St. Michael School Masses, the Totus Tutus participants will sit in the front pews of the church. From 11:00 am - 11:30 am the participants will be going to confession and be receiving instruction on the Mass.

#### **Parish Council Positions**

Annually, 3 members of the Parish Council have their terms expire. Some may opt for a second term or go off the council. If you would like to be considered for an open seat on the Council, please write down on paper, your name, contact info, and why you would like to serve on the parish council and send them in. The Parish Council meets monthly from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm in the parish hall 9 times a year.

# The Inland See



'n this Year of "Communion: Creed, Worship & Life," we celebrate our unity in faith as one Catholic community. LOur doors are once again wide open, and we are gathering together in prayer, song and worship. With great joy we celebrate baptisms, First Communions, confirmations and weddings. In sadness and hope, we are able to mourn the death of our loved ones at funerals and Memorial Masses. The Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Sacrament of the

Sick are being renewed as Covid protocols are relaxed. And we Catholics continue to do what we do so well as we feed the hungry, visit the sick and the elderly, support our families

and shepherd our children in the faith. This past Easter, our churches were filled once again with many friends and parishioners whom we have missed

over the past two years. It is a "renaissance," a rebirth. God is good.

We have much to celebrate — at the Rite of Election at the beginning of Lent we had the largest number of candidates in more than seven years - men and women who entered the Church at the Easter Vigil. We have seven candidates preparing to be ordained to the permanent diaconate this fall. I have ordained two men to the priesthood in May. In the January cold of Montpelier, we had the largest "Rally

for Life" in years. We are seeing a steady increase in Catholic school enrollment.

But here's the challenge. We need your financial support to keep the momentum going. The pastoral and financial stress of the last two years has had a significant impact on the Bishop's Annual Appeal which supports all these ministries, including emergency aid to the rising number of families in crisis. While care will be taken to stay within our means, we want to do so in a way that does not impact the important work that we are doing.

This is where we need your help. Please prayerfully consider a gift this year, so our Catholic Church can continue to thrive.



+ Chairpha J. Box

Sincerely yours in Christ,

The Most Reverend Christopher J. Coyne Bishop of Burlington



### St. Monica – St. Michael School Notes & News



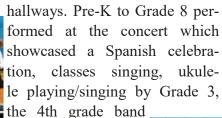


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#### **SMSM Celebrates the Arts!**

We are fortunate to have strong programs in Art. Music and Spanish. These three teachers collaborated to create our Art Show/Spring Concert on the afternoon of May 26th. Art was displayed in the cafeteria and throughout both



and the school band of Grades 5-8 with approximately 55 members playing a variety of instruments. Thank you to







Mrs. Poczobut, Mrs. Concessi and Mrs. Ortiz for putting on a wonderful show. It was lovely to have our whole school community together for the first time since December 2019!

#### Mrs. Buzzell's Retirement

On May 26th at the afternoon school concert and art show,



Fr. Pat presented Mrs. Buzzell with two gifts and wished her well in retirement on behalf of all of the students, staff, and families. SMSM is so grateful for her dedication over the past 6 years as principal. The colorful cross

artwork includes each student's thumbprint.

#### Thank You

The SMSM School community would like to thank Mrs. Linda McWilliam for being the school Librarian these past 5 years. She maintained the library, introduced students to the annual Vermont chosen Red Clover books and came in once a week to offer library classes to Pre-K through Grade 3.

#### **First Grade Position**

SMSM is looking for a first grade teacher for the 2022-23 school year. Recent graduates and experienced teachers both encouraged to apply. Call the school office for more information.







# HAVE YOU REGISTERED YOUR CHILDREN FOR TOTUS TUUS YET?

Registration forms for Totus Tuus can be found in the church lobby or call the Religious Ed Office @ 802-476-4020

Totus Tuus will be at St. Monica from

June 26th to June 30th for High School students from 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm.

June 27th to July 1st for Grades 1-8 from 9 am to 3 pm.

The cost is \$60 per student grades 1-8, \$25 per student for high school with a max of \$150 per family.

All checks should be made payable to St. Monica Parish.

We are also in need of help for our Totus Tuus Program!

#### We need:

- •Person to donate a lunch for the Totus Tuus Team (4 adults) for Wednesday June 29.
- •Donations of snacks for both the day camp and the evening program, watermelon, crackers & cheese, chips & dip etc., cookies are a must, **NO NUTS or PEAUNT BUTTER PLEASE!**
- 2-3 volunteers to help at the day camp by helping checking students in @ 9:00 am, preparing the cafeteria for snacks and lunch, and volunteers to support the Totus Tuus Team in the classrooms (during the day) and recess. If you are able to help please call the Religious Ed office @ 476-4020.
- •Teens are encouraged to help with the day program! If you are a teen going into Grade 9 12 grade, we encourage you to help.
- •We are also in need of funds for scholarships to help families attend the program as well. If you are interested in donating, please call or send check to the Religious Ed. office. **Thank you!**

If you are able to help with our needs please contact the Religious Ed Office @ 802-476-4020 or email us @ stmonicalift@gmail.com

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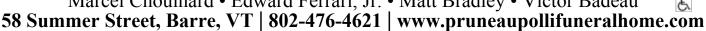


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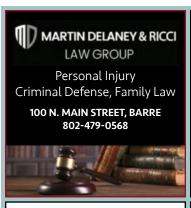
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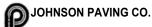
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