

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

**NOVEMBER 20, 2016**

*The soldiers made fun of Jesus on the cross, offered him bitter wine, told him to save himself if he was the Christ, and told him to put an inscription over his head: "This is the King of the Jews."*

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19**

4:00PM + (St. Pat's) Norman Racine by his Family

5:30PM + (St. Mary's) William L. Baker by Bob, Mary, & Darlene Baker

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus Council #3525

10:00AM + (St. Pat's) Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus Council #2366

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21**

9:00AM + (St. Pat's) Marie Sterling by Robert & Family

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) Linda Delbel by Jeanette Clark

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22**

9:00AM + (St. Pat's) Edwin Sterling by Friends & Family

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) Genevieve Rodier by M/M Lee Sowles

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23**

9:00AM + (St. Pat's) *Intention to be provided by Fr. Bryan Stitt*

**7:00PM + (St. Mary's) Thanksgiving Eve Mass** - Donald Smith by Helen and Children

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24 - Thanksgiving Day**

9:00AM + (St. Pat's) 48<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Silva Barney Marnes & 39<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of George "Red" Marnes by Silva Mary Marnes

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25**

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of Joseph Tony Filion by the Family

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26**

4:00PM + (St. Pat's) Rene Bedard by Therese Bedard

5:30PM + (St. Mary's) Doris Picard by Florence Cardin

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27**

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Larry Boulerice by Cathy

10:00AM + (St. Pat's) 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of Agnes Beauharnois by Richard, Nancy & Boys

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** *Gerald Mayo, Darriel Demers.*

**DECEASED:** Please pray for the soul of *Claudette Mesec Goldsmith*. May she rest in peace.

Nursing Homes.... Agatha Dubois, Ruby Tetreault, Doris Deso, Gerry Hayes.

Military: Reese Tucker, Avery Trombley, Shawn LaFontaine, Tyler Bursey.

**SANCTUARY CANDLE**

In Memory of Lorna Coupal by Jack & Janice Dawson

**WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP**

	2016	2015
November 13	2016	2015
# of Envelopes	(67)	(72)
Envelopes	\$2,040	\$2,341
Plate	227	159
Kids	2	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,269</b>	<b>\$2,500</b>

**THANKSGIVING MASS**

Thanksgiving Day is almost here. We will gather as families to give thanks for all the Lord has done for us on the evening before. Therefore, Mass will be on Wednesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00PM. Mark your calendars and plan on being with us!

**ST. MARY'S SHARES**

There will be a collection of non-perishable food at the Thanksgiving Mass. All donations will be given to the needy of the area. Ex: *canned meats, peanut butter, soup, cereal, canned vegetables, boxed meals, pasta, sauce, rice, juice etc.*

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

We will have daily mass on Monday and Tuesday of next week at both St. Mary's and St. Patrick's. We hope to have masses at both parishes on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday in the coming weeks with the exception of First Friday when Mass will be at St. Patrick's only.

**CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT/  
BLACK & INDIAN MISSION  
NOVEMBER 19 & 20**

**Share the Harvest:** The combined collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development and the Black and Indian Missions will take place in all of the parishes this weekend. This year of Mercy reminds us that the basic call of Baptism is the call to community. Sharing our resources with our brothers and sisters through giving generously to this second collection is one way to celebrate the Thanksgiving season in a spirit of compassion and mercy.

**FREE SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS DINNER  
FOR TOWN OF CHAMPLAIN (65+)**

(Includes residents who reside in Champlain, Coopersville, Perrysmill, Rouses Pt.)

Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00PM at the Champlain K of C Hall. Reservations required: please call Gloria Tetreault 298-8789 or Laura Trahan 298-8244 ASAP! *This dinner is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus \$3525 and Catholic Daughters Court Lily of the Mohawk #1451.*

**ECUMENICAL THANKSGIVING SERVICE:** Tuesday, Nov. 22, 7pm at Christ St. John Episcopal Church, Butternut St. Champlain. All are invited!

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY IN OBSERVANCE OF THANKSGIVING WEEKEND!**

**THANK YOU** to all who participated in *Operation Christmas Child*. All of our shoe boxes have to be delivered on Monday morning so that preparation for the Christmas shipment will be met.

**ROUSES POINT MEAL TRANSPORTER NEEDED** ... This is a temporary position from November 2016 to May 2017 for Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 9:45AM to 11:45AM. For more information, call Tammy Kemp or Debbie Alexander at 561-8320 from 8:00AM - 3:00PM.

**2016 BISHOPS FUND - "Mercy in Motion"**

It is not too late to donate to the Bishop's Fund Appeal. To date St. Mary's parishioners have contributed a total of \$4,817.85 with 70 households participating. Please prayerfully consider donating to this worthwhile Appeal.

**ST. MARY'S CHRISTMAS GIFT GIVING PROGRAMS**

**CHRISTMAS ANGELS**

All parishioners are welcome to participate in the activities surrounding the CHRISTMAS GIVING. Here's how: take a tag located on the table near the back wall. Please sign your name on the sign-up sheet next to the number which corresponds to the number on the tag so that we can keep track of ALL the tags.

**Keep in mind that the items listed on the tag are ONLY suggested items. You DO NOT have to purchase all the items.** Gifts should be left UNWRAPPED with the tag attached and returned back the church as soon as possible. All gifts will help needy children in our area.

**ADVENT GIVING TREE**

**Next weekend, the First Sunday of Advent, the Advent Giving Tree for Birthright** will be up. You are invited to take a tag purchase the item/s and then PLEASE return your gift UNWRAPPED, including NO GIFT BAGS by Monday December 19.

**THERE WILL BE NO SUNDAY MORNING RELIGIOUS ED NEXT WEEKEND DUE TO THE LONG THANKSGIVING WEEKEND!**

**WISHING YOU A HAPPY AND BLESSED THANKSGIVING!**

**K OF C CORNER**

...Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> - the Knights of Columbus #3525 will attend the 8:00am Mass to honor all deceased Knights. All Council members and their families are invited. A light luncheon and brief memorial service will following at the club.

**... "Keep Christ in Christmas" Poster Contest** - open to all ages 5-14. Applications and instructions are available on the bulletin boards in the entryways to the church. Please return APPLICATION by December 15<sup>th</sup> to Grand Knight Francis Mercaldi or Jack Dawson.

**WORKBOOK FOR LECTORS**

Reminder to all Lectors: please pick up your 2017 *Workbook for Lectors* located in the Sacristy. The new date starts with the First Sunday of Advent, November 27.

**NAMES OF THE DEAD**

During the month of November, we remember the dead. We have a book by the altar of St. Joseph, where you can enter the names of the deceased you wish the community to pray for this month.

**YOUNG ADULTS TO D.C. FOR MARCH FOR LIFE**

Fr. Bryan Stitt is inviting all college students and young adults (ages 18-35) to join him on this year's Diocesan pilgrimage to Washington, D.C. for the March for Life from Wednesday, January 25 to Saturday, January 28. The four day/three night trip will include the Vigil Mass at the National Basilica with Cardinal Dolan, the March in which we get to join hundreds of thousands in standing up for the dignity of all human life—born and unborn, and visits to other important shrines and memorials. The all-inclusive cost is \$185. For more info, please talk to Fr. Stitt or email Fr. Timothy Canaan (Diocesan Director of Campus Ministry) at [frtim@broadstreetcaholics.org](mailto:frtim@broadstreetcaholics.org)

**AREA HAPPENINGS**

...Complimentary Thanksgiving Meal on Thanksgiving Day, November 24<sup>th</sup> at Three Steeples Church, Champlain from 12 noon - 2pm. Please RSVP David Blixt at 298-8854.

**\$500 CASH DRAWING ON JANUARY 1<sup>ST</sup>**

For every four (4) lotto's you sell or purchase at \$20 each your name will be submitted in the drawing for \$500 on January 1<sup>st</sup> following the 8:00am Mass.

**This is a major fund raiser for our parish, please make every effort to try and sell or purchase the four. Also, to be eligible for the \$500 "Early Bird" CASH PRIZE** you must submit your stubs and money by **December 23<sup>rd</sup>**. Thank you for your support!

**OCTOBER LOTTO WINNERS:** 1: no winner, 2: no winner, 3: John Favreau Jr., 4: no winner, 5: no winner, 6: no winner, 7: Debbie Cardin, 8: Jean Roberts, 9: Linda Gonyo-Horne, 10: no winner, 11: no winner, 12: no winner, 13: Steve LaFave, 14: Joan Duquette, 15: no winner, 16: no winner, 17: Adam West, 18: no winner, 19: John Castine, 20: Norma LaLonde, 21: no winner, 22: no winner, 23: no winner, 24: Veronica Langlois, 25: no winner, 26: Linda Gonyo-Horne, 27: Linda Dutil, 28: no winner, 29: no winner, 30: no winner, 31: Loretta Ashline.

**ADVENT BEGINS ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH!**