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Authentic faith, Welcoming and Engaging

LIVING DISCIPLESHIP PRACTICING OUR FAITH

The Precepts of the Catholic Church

As Catholics, we live our lives in relationships - first, with God, and then, with one another as community of disciples (the Church, giving witness to the world with the intent of making other disciples).

The precepts of the Church spell out for us these relationships in the context of *a moral life bound to and nourished by liturgical life*. The obligatory character of these positive laws decreed by the pastoral authorities is meant to guarantee to the faithful *the very necessary minimum in the spirit of prayer and moral effort*, in the growth in love of God and neighbor:

1. *You shall attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation and rest from servile labor.* To observe the Sabbath has two-fold effect: using our God-given freedom, we worship God and sanctify the world. Sunday reminds us of our task to recognize the holiness of God and sacred work that God has shared with us. From a relational perspective, we nurture your relationship with Jesus by regularly spending time with him.
2. *You shall confess your sins at least once a year.* Through the Sacrament of Reconciliation, we recognize that our relationship with Jesus entails ongoing conversion and forgiveness - as disciples, we seek to become holier. From a relational perspective, we say yes to holiness through ongoing reconciliation.
3. *You shall receive the sacrament of the Eucharist at least during the Easter season.* The Easter season is so important that it requires a minimum encounter with Jesus. His resurrection is a singular event that has brought defeat to sin and death. From a relational perspective, our life revolves around Jesus; we the Body celebrate the important milestones in the life of Jesus our Head.
4. *You shall observe the days of fasting and abstinence established by the Church.* Our practice of fasting and abstinence shows our mastery over our instincts and desires, our capacity to see and value God the Giver over His gifts. From a relational perspective, we make self-sacrifices for loved ones - we forego some good so that we benefit from more good.
5. *You shall help to provide for the needs of the Church.* Jesus entrusted us his mission. This is why we exist as his Church: to do his work. From a relational perspective, our love for Jesus leads to love our neighbor.

Eucharistic Revival Pilgrim's Passport

Spiritual Exercise 2

Inspired by this Sunday's Parable of the Good Samaritan, let us focus and reflect on the word, "neighbor," and ponder on the question, "Who is



1. Identify ways that can help you deepen your love for Jesus in the Eucharist.

my neighbor?"

As we journey with one another, it is important that we know our fellow pilgrims. Remember Helen and Janet's story from the parish magazine - how they took the courage to get to know each other after sitting next to each other in the same pew Sunday after Sunday after Sunday?

Spiritual Exercise 2 - What is a simple way to know our fellow pilgrims? If you do not know the name of a person who sits next to you on Sunday, please introduce yourself and share with this person something about you. Also, ask if you can take a selfie of yourselves together. See if this person has any concern that he or she may want you to pray for. Let your selfie, remind you to pray for your fellow pilgrim and his/her prayer intention.

During the summer, if you may find yourself traveling but still want to remain in the loop about the use of the pilgrim's passport, a page on the parish website will be dedicated for the Eucharistic Revival—Pilgrim's Passport. Visit the page for updates. For easy access, scan the QR code with your smart phone.



Wooden Hosts

If you missed taking one of the wooden hosts, please find them in a basket by the Baptismal font, and do take one.



Keep your wooden host in your pocket every day and let it serve as a reminder of Jesus in the Eucharist. On one side, it has the words, "Let God love you." These words are those of Saint Elizabeth of the Trinity. So, let God love you, first and foremost, through His Son, Jesus in the Eucharist.

Buen camino!


- Father Edison

Liturgy & Sacramental Life

because Jesus taught us to pray

HOLY MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday July 9
4:30pm - Orlea Selders by Selders - O'Brien family
Sunday July 10 - Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am - Vu family
10:30am - Maria by Vu family
Monday July 11 - St. Benedict
8:30am - Benito Scarpa by Roddy family
Tuesday July 12
8:30am - Bud Sherman by Helen Sherman
Wednesday July 13
8:30am - Clare Miller and Margaret Salamone by Rita Martens
Thursday July 14 - St. Kateri Tekakwitha
8:30am - Communion Service
Friday July 15 - St. Bonaventure
8:30am - Call the Parish Office for your Mass Intention.
Saturday July 16
4:30pm - Fred Trost by Joan Trost
Sunday July 17 - Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am - Toni Rose Lino by Dalupang family
10:30am - Benito Scarpa by Merante family



Sanctuary Candle is lit for Orlea Selders by Eryn, Liam and Sean O'Brien.

We Lift Each Other in Prayer



Jim McMahon, Bev Henehan, Linda Gensiejewski, Duane Pancoast, Pat Cargnoni, Bob Foster, Mary Miller, Clare Miller, Lois Ernst, Michael Hebert, Ann Amico, Bob Monaghan, Peggy Larocca, Linda Daggs, Joann Ruzkowski, Dee Ainsworth, Derek

Van Wyk, David Redding, DeeDee Tongue, Joy Parker, Michael Amico, Jennifer Quisi, and Leonard Parrino.

Note: This list of parishioners who are ill appears once a month in the bulletin. Please help keep this list up-to-date by informing the Parish Office at the end of the month if you want your name to be kept.

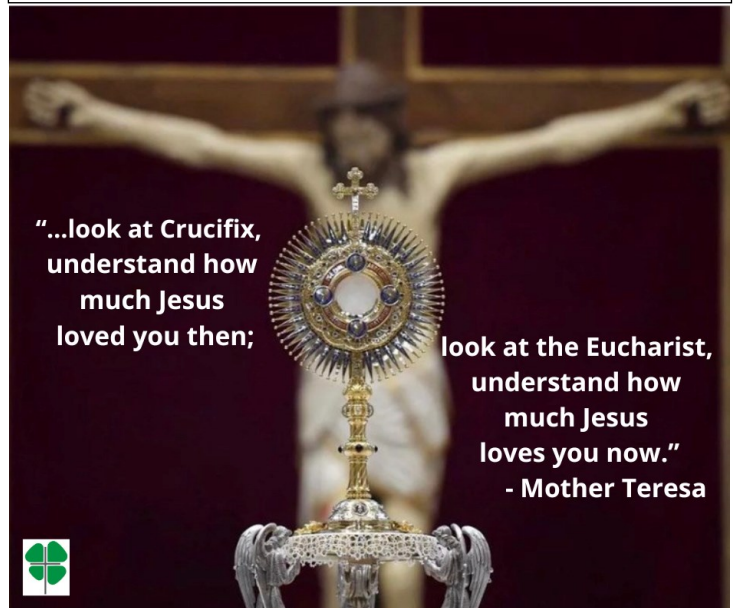
Daily 3 PM Prayer Intentions

Let us be connected through prayer daily. Set your alarm at 3 PM and when it goes off, pray a Hail Mary for the parish community. Please include any of these intentions:



- For the success of the Eucharistic Revival in our parish—that our journey be Christ-led,
- For the successful return of Christ Life in our parish,
- For a faith-filled and restful Summer,
- For families celebrating First Penance and First Eucharist.

Let us be known by our praying for each other.



First Saturday Eucharistic Adoration

The First Saturday Eucharistic Adoration continues on August 7, from 9 AM until 3 PM, in church. Benediction will take place at 2:55 PM.

Participants are encouraged to sign-up using the sheets on the Welcome Tables.

Time with Jesus in the Eucharist is a time well-spent.

Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend of July 16 - 17

Ministry	Saturday 4:30 PM	Sunday 8:30 AM	Sunday 10:30 AM	Sunday 5:00 PM
Sacristan (1)	Patty Hart	Mary Sabin	Ena Gill	Will resume on September 11.
Altar Server (1-2)				
Lector (1-2)	Carol Thornton	Sarah Parsons	Marge Jacobs	
Communion Ministers (1-2)	Joyce Richards	Kathy Barry, Bill Colaizzi	Marge Jacobs	
Ushers (2-4)	Pat Bolger, Mike Manikowski	Dan Weigert, Mark Weigert, Wayne Brotsch, Dennis O'Dea	Dave O'Hare, John Eilertsen, Alba Flood, Sante DiCarlo	
Cantor/s	Adult Choir	Adult Choir	Adult Choir	

If interested in serving as liturgical minister during the weekend Masses, please give the coordinators a call. See page 5 for contact info.

Membership & Parish Life

because Jesus called a community

In the Spirit of Accompaniment



“...in the face of Western society that is losing its passion for life, this act is a powerful invitation to reflect together on the serious and urgent issue of human generativity and the conditions that make it possible; by choosing life, our responsibility for the future of humanity is at stake”.

- Pontifical Academy for Life, Archbishop Paglia

With the Supreme Court’s recent overruling of Roe v. Wade and returning the authority to the people and our elected representatives, we find in our hands the wonderful opportunity to do pastoral works of healing and dialogue.

- Identify existing wounds, in need of healing, that are pointed out in abortion debates.

- How can you as an individual, you with your family, and we as a parish promote reasoned dialogue and compassionate accompaniment to families, to men and women, that make it easy for them to choose marriage and life?

Saint Patrick, pray for us!

PARISH EVENTS THIS WEEK

The parish calendar is accessible through the parish app. To download the app, text ‘App’ to 88202. Download myParish App.

- Monday - July 11**
7:00pm - Social Ministry - Alcove
- Tuesday - July 12**
4:30pm - Liturgy Committee - Alcove
- Wednesday - July 13**
10:30am - Prayer Shawl - Alcove Cancelled resume in August
7:00pm - Pastoral Council Meeting - Parish Center

Why do we exist as a parish?

In order to love God with all that we are, to love our neighbor as ourselves, to make more and better disciples, and to learn and teach how to keep Jesus’ commandments.
Our Mission is based on Matthew 22: 34-40, 28:16-20.

Parish Christ Life


Core Team



We are forming the Parish Christ Life Core Team, and graduates of the program are invited to join the team.. Please contact Karen Grasso through (585) 314-9812 or karenmgrasso@gmail.com if you can help.

Easter Concert

Rescheduled for August 6, 6:00 PM, in Church
Musicians: E-Na Song (piano) and Carl Galland (clarinet)
Thank you for supporting our parish music ministry.

Christ & Coffee in July

more than just a coffee hour

- August 7: after the 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM Masses. Enjoy time with fellow parishioners over coffee, donuts, and other treats.
- July 17: after the 8:30 AM Mass. Our parish conversation continues on the theme, “Sacred Music in the Sunday Liturgy.”

Important Note: We need new helpers to serve the Coffee Hours on the first and third Sundays of the month. If you have any question, please contact Mary Beth Then at 924-7111. Thank you, Knights of Columbus and members of the Social Ministry Committee for your help.

Finance Council Update

Thank you, Rick VanKuren, for coordinating the work of the Finance Council for the past year, and for the many years of serving the parish through the Finance Council.
Starting July 2022, John Eilertsen assumes the role of Finance Council chairperson.
Welcome, Monica Wohaska, for joining the Finance Council.

Promoting Collaboration and Outreach

Last June 15, Marcie Hamilton of the Assisi Ministry, Mary Sabin of the Prayer Shawl Ministry, and Helen Barnes of the Visitation Ministry met and shared how each ministry seeks to serve our parish community. In addition, the meeting sought to find ways on how these ministries can better collaborate and find new ways to reach out to parishioners.
At the meeting, the three ministries were invited to be the ministries in focus for the month of August. So in August, take the time to visit the information table at the Parish Center. As with other ministries, new members are welcome.



Where can I find news and updates between bulletins?
On our Facebook page:
St. Patrick’s Church, Victor NY

Also see photos and time-sensitive news that cannot be accommodated on the Sunday bulletin.

Ongoing Christian Formation because Jesus taught us his way of life

Formed.org

1. It is easy and free! Go to [Formed.org/register](https://formed.org/register).
2. Use the parish code: 3KRJJK to create your account.
3. Enter your email and password (you need these to log in later). Enjoy and share the faith.

Featured Resource

The Perfect Blindside. Fresh off a championship medal, Jake is becoming overwhelmed by everyone who wants something from him: reporters, fans, girls, companies, his parents. He can't figure out who is real and who just wants something. To top it all off, his parents have dragged him to a middle-of-nowhere town in Colorado, far away from his teammates and anything interesting. Then there's smart and savvy Sophie. She has spent the summer before her junior year of high school following Jake Taylor, recent snowboarding sensation, in every magazine and article she could find. Now he's moved into Silver Springs, and she finds out what the reporters and everyone else seems to have missed—Jake's letting the fame go to his head. He's just a jerk, and Sophie has no respect or patience for that! Peaceful Silver Springs, however, has an even bigger problem than Jake's inflated ego. Wildlife is dying inexplicably, tires are getting slashed, and everything seems to be falling apart. Can Jake and Sophie work out their differences to discover what's really been happening at the abandoned silver mine? Follow Sophie and Jake into secret tunnels as they unravel the mystery and challenge each other to become who God wants them to be.



Seeds Filling Fast
(515) 924-2800

Did you know that St. Patrick's Preschool combines play-based learning with real-life skills?

St. Patrick's Preschool
A MINISTRY OF SAINT PATRICK'S CHURCH

REGISTRATION OPEN
stpatriksvictor.org/preschool

Social Ministry & Outreach because Jesus called us to serve



We serve the **Community Dinner** on the third Saturday of every month. We need your help. Please see the sign-up sheet on the Welcome Table by the Alcove.



American Red Cross Blood Drive
Monday, August 1, 2022 1 to 6 PM
St. Patrick's Parish Center
115 Maple Avenue
Victor, NY 14564

Grades K to 1 School Supplies Drive

Please drop off these school supplies in the designated bins at church entrances by the first week of August.

- Needed items: pencil box or pouch / 1 pkg. colored markers – fine tip and broad tip / 1 pkg. dry erase colored markers – fine tip / 1 pkg. highlighters / 2-4 glue sticks / 2 fine tip black Sharpie markers / 24 count Crayola crayons / 3 pack jumbo glue sticks / 2 blue plastic pocket folders / 1 composition notebook (not spiral).



Thank you for your help!

Christian Formation Registration Now Open



Christian Formation Registration is now open online. Register for Parent-led Catechesis, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, Edge, Confirmation, & LifeTeen. Contact Donna DeJoode with any questions at 585-924-2800 or donna.dejoode@dor.org

Register Now for Vacation Bible School!

VBS is July 18-22 from 9a-12p. Registration is now open for preschool - completion of 5th grade. Volunteers are also needed. Teen who have completed 6th grade and older can volunteer. Adults are encouraged and needed too! See the parish website for additional information.



This coming Fall, we will be offering adult continuing education opportunities on prayer and on the Eucharist. Details to follow.

Stewardship

because Jesus gave us gifts to share



In Gratitude

- To the Knights of Columbus for hosting Coffee Hour and to parishioners who go to the Coffee Hour.
- To Patty Hart, Wayne Bortsch, Deb Kingsley, Betty Przpiora, and Marcie Hamilton for assisting at the Funeral Mass for Paul Brady.

Sunday Collection Revenue

July 2021 - May 2022

We are grateful for your financial generosity to our parish. This report does not include the expense side. In the quarterly report, we will provide both income and expenses.

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Regular Envelopes	\$248,512	\$252,076	\$(3,564)
Loose Plate	\$32,323	\$18,500	\$13,823
Electronic (EFT)	\$196,491	\$201,630	\$(5,139)
Holy Days	\$5,189	\$6,000	\$(811)
Christmas	\$15,167	\$15,000	\$167
Total	\$497,682	\$493,206	\$4,476

Parish Synod Responses



Thank you, Paul Then and Todd Gillenkirk, for providing update about the parish Synod listening sessions and the planned ongoing discussions.

To facilitate ongoing discussions in the parish, we will be using the monthly Coffee Hour as the proper platform. Why do we need ongoing conversation in the parish? Because the listening sessions yielded very low participation (27 out of 5583 or .005%) - we hope that many more will get involved. And because of some misconceptions, both doctrinal and non-doctrinal, that need to be better understood and responded to - to address these effectively, two-way communication has to happen. So, let us be companions on the journey.



2021-22 Capital Projects

This past Spring, we were able to complete the following capital projects:

- Repair on the brick work on the exterior walls and pilasters (southern side) of the church,
- Re-stucco the exterior wall of the eastern side of the church,
- Repointing of the church and parish office chimneys,
- Repair and repainting of the exterior walls and woodwork of the parish office,
- Replacement of the plexi-glass covers of the church stained glass windows,
- Replacement of the church basement windows,
- Resurface the front church steps,
- Maintenance work on the church roof, and
- Repair on the Hogan House roof.

We appreciate your support of the Parish Building Fund. If you have questions about donating to the Building Fund, please contact Rich O'Donnell at richard.odonnell@dor.org.



Your Gift of Presence July 2-3
4:30 , 8:30 , 10:30 , 5:00 to be reported

Your Gift of Treasure
July 2-3: to be reported
Budgeted, without EFT: \$3,980.00

Second Collection: July 10
Aid to the Church in
Central and Eastern Europe
Looking for second collection envelopes?
Please find them on the Welcome Tables

Our Parish Ministries: Serving God and Neighbor

Call. Ask. Discern. Serve like Jesus.

I. Liturgy and Sacramental Life

- Altar Linen Sue Stehling / 924-3409
- Altar Servers Pat Bolger / 857-3201
- Baptism Preparation Team Judy & James Miller / 924-8158
- Children's Liturgy of the Word Beth Lombard / 430-5372
- Church Cleaners Lei Dalupang / 224-6091
- Communion Ministers (EMHC) Amanda Didas / (508) 981-6668
- Funeral Liturgy Team Patty Hart / 924-7111
- Lectors Sandy Brannigan / 645-7904
- Liturgy Committee Nerina Bellinger / 742-8023
- Marriage Preparation Team Gayle & Brian Reh / 924-4804
- Music Ministry (choirs, cantors) Carl Galland / 924-7111
- Sacristans Ena Gill / 733-6650
- Ushers & Greeters Dave O'Hare / 924-5816
- Visitation Ministry Helen Barnes / 298-2247

II. Membership and Parish Life

- Coffee Hour Mary Beth Then / 924-7111
- Knights of Columbus Wayne Brotsch / 924-3855

III. Ongoing Faith Formation

- Adult Faith Formation Donna DeJoode / 924-2800
- Catechists Donna DeJoode / 924-2800
- Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Carolyn Robinson / 924-2800
- Christ Life Program Bob & Karen Grasso / 314-9812
- Parent-led Catechesis Donna DeJoode / 924-2800
- Preschool Donna DeJoode / 924-2800
- RCIA Team Deacon John Payne / 924-7111
- Youth Ministry **Coordinator Needed** / 924-2800

IV. Social Ministry and Outreach

- Assisi Ministry Marcie Hamilton / 924-1528
- Community Dinner Linda Marren / 739-0159
- Vegetable Garden Dan & Karen Lynch / 314-5098
- Prayer Shawl Ministry Mary E 742-2949 / Mary S 924-7724
- Prison Ministry Helen Barnes / 298-2247
- Social Ministry Committee Joan Muto / 924-2501
- Family Promise of Ontario County Joan Trost / 924-3092

V. Stewardship

- Buildings and Grounds Committee Joan Oliphant / 742-3452
- Cemetery Manager John Butler / 924-7111
- CASE Review Board Cathy Fafone / 924-7111
- Finance Council Richard VanKuren / 742-2317
- Parish Gardens Becky Fountain / 281-8004
- Parish Magazine Father Edison / 924-7111
- Pastoral Council Paul Then / 742-2965
- Money Counters Marge Gawronski / 398-7802

Let there be light...

Be Attentive to Others. Be a Neighbor.

*There was a scholar of the law who stood up to test Jesus and said,
"Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?"
Jesus said to him, "What is written in the law?"
How do you read it?"
He said in reply,
"You shall love the Lord, your God,
with all your heart,
with all your being,
with all your strength,
and with all your mind,
and your neighbor as yourself."
He replied to him, "You have answered correctly;
do this and you will live.?"*

- Luke 10:25-28

The scholar of the Law asked Jesus a very important question, which touches on why God has bothered to speak with us through His words, commandments, and interactions with certain Biblical figures. God speaks to reveal His heart to us, to guide us and lead us to Himself or in the words of the scholar, "inherit eternal life." The scholar's response to Jesus summarized the entire Law into the love of God and neighbor.

*But because he wished to justify himself, he said to Jesus,
"And who is my neighbor?"
Jesus replied,
"A man fell victim to robbers
as he went down from Jerusalem to Jericho.
They stripped and beat him and went off leaving him half-dead.
A priest happened to be going down that road,
but when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side.
Likewise a Levite came to the place,
and when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side..."*

- Luke 10:29-32

Their exchange led them ask and identify what a neighbor is. Jesus provided an answer through the Parable of the Good Samaritan. In the parable, it was not the priest and the Levite who were coming from Jerusalem who were neighbors to the man. Although they had finished their ritual tasks (going down the road) and there was no real concern about becoming impure, the priest and the Levite—both Jews—chose to ignore the man.

*"...But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him
was moved with compassion at the sight.
He approached the victim,
poured oil and wine over his wounds and bandaged them.
Then he lifted him up on his own animal,
took him to an inn, and cared for him.
The next day he took out two silver coins
and gave them to the innkeeper with the instruction,
"Take care of him.
If you spend more than what I have given you,
I shall repay you on my way back.""*

- Luke 10:33-35

Unexpectedly, it was a religious 'enemy'—a Samaritan, who had compassion for the man and acted towards the well-being of the man.

Parish & Preschool Information

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
(lunch time: 12:30 PM - 1 PM)
Friday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Parish / Cemetery Phone: (585) 924-7111
Parish Fax: (585) 742-3296
Faith Formation & Preschool: (585) 924-2800

Stay Connected

- Parish Website: www.stpatricksvictor.org
- Parish Facebook Pages:
St. Patrick's Church /
Saint Patrick's Victor - Preschool
- Parish Youtube Channel:
St Patricks of Victor NY
- Parish App: Text 'App' to 55321



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*"...Which of these three, in your opinion,
was neighbor to the robbers' victim?"
He answered, "The one who treated him with mercy."
Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."*

- Luke 10:17-20

Take note how Jesus identified the man in His final question to the scholar of the Law - *the robber's victim*. Also, Jesus did not anymore specify the other *three* characters. In relation to the robber's victim, Jesus simply wanted the scholar to identify the *neighbor*. In the hour of need for the robber's victim, the neighbor was simply identify as the one who acknowledged his actual need and provided the necessary and corresponding help.

Being fellow pilgrims who follow Jesus, how much do we pay attention to our neighbor? If I sit in the same pew Sunday after Sunday, do I know the names of those seated next to me? Do I intentionally know them beyond their names? Do I know what is happening in their lives? Do I take the time to genuinely ask them how they are doing?

For the second spiritual exercise, get to know a fellow parishioner - one who sits next to you at Mass. Ask you could take a selfie together. Allow the selfie to remind you to pray for him or her.

So, good pilgrimage. Good journey. Buen camino!

- Father Edison