

October 5, 2014

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Offertory: Sept. 22, 2013 OLM \$428, OLV \$475, COS \$301, Total \$1,204.
Sept. 21, 2014 OLM \$481, OLV \$493, COS \$424, Total \$1,398.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday Oct. 4 OLM 4:00PM In Thanksgiving for the 50th wedding anniversary of Aloysius and Elizabeth Weimer, requested by Bill and Rosemary Warden
Sunday Oct. 5 OLM 8:30AM For Jane Engel, requested by Bill Engel
Sunday Oct. 5 OLV 10:30AM For Louella Conklin, requested by Sandy Stone
Sunday Oct. 5 COS 12:30PM For All Parishioners
Saturday Oct. 11 OLM 4:00PM For Jane Engel, requested by Bill Engel
Sunday Oct. 12 OLM 8:30AM For the Souls in Purgatory, requested by John Nappi, Jr.
Sunday Oct. 12 OLV 10:30AM For the United States of America—May our country seek to fulfill the values and promises for which she stands, requested by Hazel Denton
Sunday Oct. 12 COS 12:30PM For Teresa and Joseph Macri, requested by Angela and Vincent Macri

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**Oct. 5 FEAST OF THE HOLY ROSARY CELEBRATION,
Our Lady of Ephesus, House of Prayer, 1:30– 7:30 PM**
Oct. 10 Adoration, OLM, 3PM
Oct. 15 Cursillo Ultreya, Parish Center, Brattleboro, 7PM
Oct. 16 Adoration, OLM, OLV, 3PM
Oct. 19 SPECIAL COLLECTION, MISSION SUNDAY
Oct. 23 Finance Council Meeting, 4:30 PM, Rectory
Oct. 24 Adoration, OLM, 3PM
Oct. 26 SPECIAL COLLECTION, PRIEST BENEFIT FUND



**OUR LADY OF EPHEBUS HOUSE OF PRAYER
Come and celebrate the Feast of the Rosary
Sunday, October 5, 2014**

1:30 PM - Gathering Time (at the replica, weather permitting, if not, the Chapel of St. John)
2:00 - PM The First Two Mysteries of the Holy Rosary
3:00 PM - Chaplet of Divine Mercy
3:15 PM - The Last Two Mysteries of the Holy Rosary
4:30 PM - Holy Sacrifice of the Mass
Pot Luck Supper Following the Mass

35 Fawn Ledge Lane, Jamaica, VT 05343 802-896-6000

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED at our ***Worn Again Thrift Shop***, in ***Saxtons River***

Wed., Fri., Sat. - 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

*For more information, see **Pauline Golec** at the Shop or call at (h) 802-732-8088, (shop) 802-869-1221.*



Weekly Intention

**For the grace this week to live without anxiety,
secure in the peace of God.**



From Fr. Fred:

Angels



Angels are the guardians of hope and wonder, the keepers of magic and dreams ~ Angels watch over you wherever you go, keeping each day perfect and promising a bright new tomorrow ~ Wherever there is love, an angel is flying by ~ Angels help you carry the ball, carry a tune, carry your weight, and carry on! ~ Your guardian angel knows you inside and out and loves you just the way you are ~ Angels keep it simple and always travel light ~ Whenever you hear music, an angel is speaking to you ~ Remember to leave space in your relationships so that angels have room to play ~ Your guardian angel helps you find a place when you feel there's no place to go ~ Angels carry high-beam lights to help you through the darkest hours ~ Whenever you feel lonely, a special angel drops in for tea ~ Angels know that love is the only four-letter word ~ We are always "angels on call" for a friend ~ Angels are with you every step of the way and help you soar with amazing grace ~ After all, we are angels in training, all we have to do is spread our wings and fly.



- *Living with Christ*

The Edmundites (Society of Saint Edmund) (SSE)

Founded as a small "missionary band" in 19th century France, the Edmundites have always served where they are needed. Whether it was the founding of one of the first Catholic colleges in Vermont (Saint Michael's College), working for Civil Rights in Selma, Alabama, bringing Christ's charity to the needy of New Orleans, or serving parishes in the barrios of Caracas, Venezuela, Edmundites remain a small band of priests and brothers with a missionary zeal to serve those most in need.

Like any life choice, the call to religious life is a gradual progression of steps so candidates are able to fully investigate if this decision is right for them. The first step to joining the Society of Saint Edmund is the period of discernment which is a mentorship with an Edmundite who can help you understand how to approach the serious possibility of a religious vocation. After the Discernment period is the period of Formation when the candidate lives in an Edmundite community and works closely with the Formation Director or another Edmundite who helps to guide and direct the candidate on his faith journey. The third phase is the year-long Novitiate when the candidate is initiated into the Edmundite life through prayer, study and work, living in the vows of poverty, chastity and obedience. At the end of the year, the novice takes temporary vows for three years. Those going on to the priesthood continue their studies and the others begin their life as Edmundite brothers. Final vows may be taken after three years.

If you are interested in becoming an Edmundite, you may contact:

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Quote of the Week:

"We should strive to keep our hearts open to the sufferings and wretchedness of other people, and pray continually that God may grant us that spirit of compassion which is truly the Spirit of God."

- St. Vincent de Paul



**Prayer for the Selection
of a New Bishop**

O God, Eternal Shepherd, who govern your flock with unfailing care, grant in your boundless fatherly love a pastor for the Diocese of Burlington who will please you by his holiness and to us show watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Just for Fun:

A Canadian was trying to impress on a European just how big Canada was. He said: "If I get into my car in Montreal and head west on the TransCanada Highway, three days later I'm still in Ontario." The European, clearly not impressed, replied: "I used to have a car like that once."

