



**St. Jude Raffle:** St. Jude's is having a raffle for a Jay Peak Water Park Family Fun Package valued at \$725.00. Tickets will be mailed out next week to all registered parishioners. **The drawing will be Labor Day Weekend.** Tickets are \$1 each or a book of 6 for \$5. Registered parishioners will receive 3 books. If anyone would like more tickets, please contact Marie at 482-2290 or at [marietcookson@aol.com](mailto:marietcookson@aol.com). We will also be selling tickets after the weekend masses, 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade and at Lantman's in the near future. If you want to return your tickets and money, please put in an envelope, mark "Raffle" on the envelope and drop in the collection basket. Thank you for your support.

\*\*\*We are in need of help selling raffle tickets after the weekend Masses, at the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade and at Lantman's. If you can help out, even for one Mass or for one hour at the parade or Lantman's, please let Marie know. Thank you.

**Bishop's Fund:** You will have received at least one request by this date from Bishop Coyne asking for your support for the Bishop's Annual Appeal. Please respond generously. In addition to monies distributed for charitable works, including VT Catholic Charities, the diocese is able to be a valuable resource to all parishes, large and small. This week, you'll meet staff from our Safe Environments department, as well as human resources. They could not continue all that they do statewide without your support. Please visit [bishopsappealvt.org](http://bishopsappealvt.org) to see how these two departments offer services and support beyond the Chancery, to all parishes. **To date, we are 82.50% (\$18,916.50) of our annual goal of \$22,928.**

**Vermont Catholic Magazine:** Please support the Bishop's Fund. By making a donation of \$24 or more, you will receive the quarterly VT Catholic Magazine. Thank you for supporting both the Bishop's Fund and VT Catholic.

**Peter's Pence Collection:** The second collection this weekend is for Peter's Pence, a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. Thank you.

**Bereavement Group:** The Bereavement Group will be meeting **on Wednesday, June 28 from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. in the St. Catherine Parish Hall in Shelburne.** If you are interested in joining or would like more information, please contact Lucille Malaney at 343-8812. All are welcome.

**Adult Confirmation:** Are you an adult who has been baptized and received your First Communion in the Catholic Church but were never confirmed? We will be holding a 7 session preparation class in the fall for all those interested in being confirmed. If you are interested or would like more info, please contact the office at 482-2290 or [stjude@gmavt.net](mailto:stjude@gmavt.net) and we will add you to our list and will notify you as we get closer to the start date.

**Mass For Families:** There will be a Mass for Families at St. Anne's Shrine in Isle LaMotte on **Sunday, July 9 at 12:15 p.m.** with Bishop Coyne followed by a BBQ, swimming and fun on Lake Champlain. BBQ Lunch is \$10.95/adults and \$6.95/children 12 and under. New this year, the Shrine will offer a discounted price for families of 4 or more - \$35/family. To RSVP for BBQ Lunch please contact Lori Daudelin at [ldaudelin@vermontcatholic.org](mailto:ldaudelin@vermontcatholic.org) or call 846-5813. Last summer's Mass of 400 people was the largest Mass celebrated at the Shrine during the season. All are welcome.



*"Are not two sparrows sold for a small coin? Yet not one of them falls to the ground without your Father's knowledge. Even all the hairs of your head are counted. So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows." — Mt 10:29-31*

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**New Parishioners: All Are Welcome!** We are happy to have you join us at St. Jude the Apostle Parish. If you are new to our church and would like to join our parish, please fill out a parish registration form available in the lobby of the church. Thank you.

**Travelling This Summer?:** Our expenses don't take a holiday! Please support St. Jude Parish during the summer months. Consider enrolling in our Parish automatic monthly offering program. Contact Marie for details.

**Totus Tuus Program:** Totus Tuus is a fun and energetic parish-based summer catechetical program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic faith through catechesis, evangelization, Sacraments and Eucharistic worship. Programs will be held around the state. In our area they will be held at the following parishes:

—**St. John Vianney in South Burlington**

June 25—29 for High School Students

June 26—30 for Grade School Students

--**St. Ambrose in Bristol**

July 16 - 20 for High School Students

July 17 - 21 for Grade School Students

For an application or more information, please visit [www.vermontcatholic.org](http://www.vermontcatholic.org).

**Vatican Online Questionnaire for Young People:** To involve young people in preparations of the Synod of Bishops on youth in 2018, the Vatican has released an online questionnaire to better understand the lives, attitudes and concerns of 16 to 29 year olds around the world. The questionnaire can be found on the synod's official site: [youth.synod2018.va/content/synod2018/it.html](http://youth.synod2018.va/content/synod2018/it.html) and is open to any young person, regardless of faith or religious belief.

**SCHIP:** SCHIP (Shelburne, Charlotte, Hinesburg Interfaith Project) located on Rte. 7 in Shelburne, is in need of earrings, both pierced and clip ons. These items can be left in the lobby or dropped off at SCHIP retail store. Thank you.

**Young Life: Young Life: MATCHING DONATION!** A generous donor has agreed to match giving up to \$10,000 this year! If you have considered giving, now is a great time. Your prayers are working!! For more information on online giving, please go to: [vt22.younglife.org](http://vt22.younglife.org).