SACRED HEART CHURCH, GREENWICH, CT 06830





33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 14, 2021

PARISH STAFF

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Parish Office

38 Gold Street Greenwich, CT 06830 Office Hours

9:00 AM— 1:00 PM Monday to Friday Closed on Saturday and Sunday

ATTENTION

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL YOUR MAIL TO SACRED HEART CHURCH 38 GOLD ST. GREENWICH, CT 06830

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Church)

Saturdays: 3:00 – 3:30 PM or by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays at 12:30 PM. Please call the parish office in advance to schedule a Baptism. Pre-Baptismal class for the parents is Mandatory; it is held on 3rd Saturday of the month at 12 noon.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Should be arranged at least 6 months in advance. Call the parish office for more information.

FOR LIVE STREAMING
OF THE 4:00 PM MASS,
PLEASE GO TO OUR WEBSITE:
WWW.SACREDHEARTGREENWICH.ORG

Masses

Monday through Friday: 7:00 AM in Chapel

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM in Church

Sunday Masses: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM

in Church

PARISH MINISTRIES

Adults Faith Formation – Carole Wiemer Altar Decoration Team- Cecilia Bowers. Candace Hammond & Maria Carosella Altar Servers - Katie Egan Birthright and Angel Tree - Kathy Wiegand Buildings & Grounds - John Ciovacco & Donna Mann Care of the Sick - Father Mark D'Silva Counters – Liz Williams Finance Council Chairperson - William Dylewsky Hospitality – Isabel Santana Lav-Rep. of the Parish Corp. – Kevin Burns Lay-Rep. of the Parish Corp. - James Vivier **Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers – Donald Mohr** Liturgical Music – Jan Gunnip Live-Stream - Cecilia Bowers & James Duffy Parish Council Chairperson – Jan Gunnip Parish Data Input - Cecilia Bowers Prayer Ministry – Carole Wiemer Prayer Shawl – Minnie Tigano Religious Education - Father Mark D'Silva Thanksgiving & Easter Baskets – John Innominato Wedding Co-Ordinator - Cecilia Bowers



THE ALTAR FLOWERS ARE IN LOVING MEMORY OF MICHAEL QUARANTA, JR. FROM DAUGHTER, MICHELE



Saturday, November 13

4:00 PM †Michael Quaranta, Jr. (Birthday)—Daughter,

Michele

Sunday, November 14

†Grace Catalano—Eddie Chute 7:30 AM

9:30 AM †Doris Stempien—JoEllen & Kelly Genovese †Anthony Lavalla-Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Rainone 11:30 AM

Monday, November 15 7:00AM Spiritual Help Tuesday, November 16

7:00 AM All the Members of our Parish

Wednesday, November 17

†James Cameron—Katy Young 7:00 AM

Thursday, November 18 7:00 AM Spiritual Help

Friday, November 19 7:00 AM

†Fr. McDermott-Mike Kristoff

Saturday, November 20

4:00 PM †Marc Lovallo (Birthday)—Mom, Lovallo

Sunday, November 21

7:30 AM †Rev. Paul Keegan O.S.B.—Alice Neal 9:30 AM †Jean Skovron Nethercott—Judy Catalano 11:30 AM †Joseph Funicelli—Daughter, Maria Carosella

Monday, November 22

†Patty Romanello—Cousins, Ann & Bill Romanello 7:00 AM

Tuesday, November 23

7:00 AM †Peter Knudsen-Katy Young

Wednesday, November 24

NO MORNING MASS

Conversion of Sinners 5:30 PM

Thursday, November 25—THANKSGIVING

9:00 AM Blessings—Cecilia Bowers

Friday, November 26

7:00 AM †Ellen Bowers-Alice Neal

FAMILY MASS —NOVEMBER 14

Grade One thru Eight celebrate the monthly Family Mass at 9:30 a.m. We encourage all students and their families to participate. All are invited to "Coffee and..." in the school hall after Mass.

Please pray for the sick of our Parish, especially Marilyn Sobeski. Please pray also for the deceased members of our parish, especially Francis (Frank) O'Toole, Jr. 11-08-2021



Sacred Heart Parish congratulates and welcomes **Grace Catherine Oxer** Baptized into God's family on **November 7, 2021**

THE LORD SAID: I THINK THOUGHTS OF PEACE AND NOT OF AFFLICTION. YOU WILL CALL UPON ME, AND I WILL ANSWER YOU, AND I WILL LEAD BACK YOUR CAPTIVES FROM EVERY PLACE.

THIS WEEK—REGIONAL SCHOOL **NOVEMBER 7—THANK YOU!** Weekly Offertory—\$1,780.78

Second Collection—\$997.31—HEALTH-WELFARE FUND

Miscellaneous—\$210.00

Masses are available on following dates:

Dec. 3, 8, 13, 16, 20, 21 & 29.

2022: Jan. 1, 2, 4, 9, 11, 13, 16, 18, 19, 21, 23, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30 & 31. **Feb.** 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 9, 11, 13, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27 & 28. Mar. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31.

For Altar Bread & Wine: Nov. 14.

2022: Jan: 16, 30. Feb: 13, 20 & 27. Mar: 13 & 20.

For Altar Flowers: Nov. 28. 2022: Jan: 23, 30. Feb: 13 & 20

2022 MASS BOOK

The 2022 Mass Book opened on October 18th for Masses, Altar Flowers and Altar Bread and Wine requests. Weekend Mass requests are limited to 3 per family. There is no limit to weekday Mass requests.

The Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

The day of the Lord's return will be unlike any other moment in time, history, and destiny for the human race and our place in God's creation. Then the "stars of heaven will fall and all will be shaken" before the presence of the Lord when he comes. Then the peoples of the earth and their rulers will know who is the true King and Ruler over

Jesus' first coming was a rescue mission - to free the human race from slavery to sin and Satan - the father of lies. His second coming will be the final completion of his mission when he will "make all things new" - a new heavens and a new earth - after he has put down the last enemy which is death and restores our lowly bodies to immortality when death will be no more (Daniel 12:2-3).

What lesson does the Lord Jesus want us to learn from the parable of the budding fig tree? The fig tree was a common and important source of food for the Jews. It bore fruit twice a year, in the autumn and in the early spring. This parable foretells the joy of God's kingdom - the joy of new life and the promise of a new age of peace and blessing. The signs of spring are evident for all who can see. Just so are the signs of God's kingdom. The "budding" of God's kingdom begins first in the hearts of those who are receptive to God's word. Those who trust in God's word will bear the fruits of his kingdom.

- Don Schwager



CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Congratulations to Mrs. Donna Mann and Mr. John Mann on receiving 'The Saint Augustine 2021 Medal of Service' conferred by The Most Reverend Frank J. Caggiano, Bishop of Bridgeport. The conferring ceremony was held on Saturday, November 6 at St. Augustine Cathedral, Bridgeport.

The Saint Augustine Medal of Service was instituted by Bishop E. Lori in 2005 to recognize the men and women from across the Diocese whose exemplary dedication to Christ and to His Church is lived out in extraordinary service in the parishes, schools, and charitable works in the Church across Fairfield County.

SAVE THE DATE MINISTRY APPRECIATION **CHRISTMAS DINNER** 6:00 PM : MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2021

NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH. **CLASSES RESUMES ON** WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1ST.

November 2021

14th, Sunday—Family Mass at 9:30 a.m.14th, Sunday—Thanksgiving Food Baskets concludes

15th, Monday—Pack Thanksgiving Baskets at 6:00p.m.

in Church Basement

24th, Wednesday—NO MORNING MASS

Mass at 5:30 p.m. in the Church

25th, Thursday—HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Morning Mass at 9:00 a.m. in the

Church

OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON 25TH & 26TH

26th, Friday—NO MORNING MASS

27th, Saturday—Angel Tree Begins

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive concludes this Sunday, November 14^h.

Suggested items: \$20 Store gift cards (Stop & Shop or Shoprite); canned tuna, chicken or turkey; stuffing; soups; rice; beans; peanut butter; jelly; powdered milk; cereals; juice; spaghetti sauce; instant mashed potatoes; macaroni & chesses; canned fruits and vegetables.

Thank you for your continuing generosity. For information or to help with this ministry contact John Innominato at 914-565-1637. If you know of anyone in need this Thanksgiving, please contact Fr. Mark.

FAIRFIELD PREP OPEN HOUSE 2021

Fairfield Prep is a Catholic, Jesuit high school for boys located on the campus of Fairfield University. To learn more about what makes our educational experience special please join us for our in-person Open House on Saturday, November 20 (9:00 or 10:00 a.m. session).

To register for Open House please create (or log into) your admissions account at www.fairfieldprep.org/apply.

Email: Admissions@fairfieldprep.org Admission Office: 203-254-4210

Annual Catholic Appeal

As of November 11, 2021 we have raised 157 gifts worth \$34,901 from 133 donors bringing the Parish to 95.62% of its \$36,500 goal. Thank you to all who have participated in the Annual Catholic

Ministry to the Homebound

If you, or someone you know, is homebound and would like our priest visit you, please contact the Rectory at 203-531-8730.

NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new to Greenwich and would like to join Sacred Heart Parish, please visit our website www.sacredheartgreenwich.org and registration form and submit online or contact the rectory at 203-531-8730 during the office hours, Monday thru Friday, 9 am to 1 pm.

ONLINE GIVING

Would you please consider online giving?

This is a direct payment program whereby your contribution is debited automatically from your checking, savings or credit card account into the parish bank account. For information call Gail MacLean: 203-531-8730.

ARE YOU MISSING OFFERTORY ENVELOPES?

If you have not receive your set of envelopes please notify the Parish Office at 203-531-8730.



SACRED HEART CHURCH CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2021 AT 9:30 AM FAMILY MASS

Calling all interested participants for Sacred Heart's annual Christmas Pageant! We are currently looking for all roles.

Practices are Sunday, November 28th and December 5th from 7:00-8:00 PM in the church. We will have a final dress rehearsal Saturday, December 11th 7:00-8:30 PM. The Christmas Pageant is scheduled for 9:30 AM Mass on Sunday, December 12th, 2021

All interested please contact Carl Marinaccio at marinacciocarl@gmail.com or 914-393-4366

