

SACRED HEART CHURCH, GREENWICH, CT 06830



FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT: NOVEMBER 27, 2022

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Office Hours

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Church)

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

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays at 12:45 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

The Sacrament of Matrimony should be arranged at least 6 months in advance. Call the parish office for more information.

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

**FOR LIVE STREAMING
OF THE 4:00 PM MASS,
PLEASE GO TO OUR WEBSITE:
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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
Lay-Rep. of the Parish Corp.– Kevin Burns
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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 – Candace Hammond & Maria Carosella
Religious Education – Father Mark D'Silva
Thanksgiving & Easter Baskets – John Innominato
Virtus - Cecilia Bowers
Wedding Co-Ordinator - Cecilia Bowers

TO YOU, I LIFT UP MY SOUL,
O MY GOD. IN YOU,
I HAVE TRUSTED; LET ME NOT BE PUT TO SHAME.
NOR LET MY ENEMIES EXULT OVER ME; AND LET
NONE WHO HOPE IN YOU BE PUT TO SHAME.

THE LORD WILL BESTOW HIS BOUNTY,
AND OUR EARTH SHALL
YIELD ITS INCREASE.



Saturday, November 26
4:00 PM †Thomas Furlong, Jr.—Lorraine Ambrosechchio

Sunday, November 27
7:30 AM †Catherine S. Scuterud (Anniversary)—Sons
9:30 AM †Ann Murphy—Sister, Mary Connell
11:30 AM †Madalena Rogliano (16th Anniversary)—Mom & Dad

Monday, November 28
7:00 AM—†Rose Tamaro—MaryAnn & Ralph Amelio

Tuesday, November 29
7:00 AM †Lyle Hinkley (Anniversary)—Family

Wednesday, November 30
7:00 AM †Pedro Mattos & Mozart de Luan Carneiro—Solange Mattos Carneiro

Thursday, December 1
7:00 AM †Josephine Mary Rodriguez—Son

Friday, December 2
7:00 AM †Vincent Finocchio—The Fratello Family
6:00 PM Adoration (In the Chapel)

Saturday, December 3
4:00 PM †Pat McManus—The McManus Family

Sunday, December 4
7:30 AM †Margaret Carroll—Joe & Sue Catalano & Family
9:30 AM †Jose Joaquin dos Santos—The Santana Family
11:30 AM †Patrick Halpin—Wife, Nora

Monday, December 5
7:00 AM †The Antonio LaBate Family—Sacred Heart Parish

Tuesday, December 6
7:00 AM †Souls of Purgatory

Wednesday, December 7—NO MORNING MASS
Vigil Mass of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
5:30 PM †Pearl Harbor Memorial —Anne & Kevin Burns

Thursday, December 8—(Day of Obligation: Masses in the Church)
7:00 AM †Edward J. Duff, Sr. (1st Anniversary)—Tim Duff & Family
12:15 PM †Brenda P. Macri (Anniversary)—The Macri Family

Friday, December 9
7:00 AM Special Intention—Cecilia Bowers

Please pray for the sick of our Parish, especially
Jose Sigua & Kathleen Connell McMahon.

Please pray also for the deceased members
of our Parish.



ANGEL TREE

Our Annual Angel Tree is underway, please take an Angel off the tree before or after Mass. Purchase the gift as detailed on the Angel. Please drop off the wrapped gift with the Angel affixed to the top of the package at any Mass on or before December 4th and place it under the Angel Tree. Thank you for your support. Any questions, please contact Kathy Wiegand at 203-559-8086.

THIS WEEK :MONTHLY COLLECTION
NEXT WEEK :UTILITY FUND
NOVEMBER 20: Not available at the time of printing.
Masses are available on following dates:
2023: Jan. 1, 3, 7, 8, 12, 15, 19, 21, 22, 24, 25, 28, 29 & 31.
Feb. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20 21, 22, 25, 26 & 27.
For Altar Bread & Wine, the dates available are:
Dec: 4.
2023: Jan. 1, 8, 15 & 29; Feb. 19; Mar. 12, 19 & 26.
For Altar Flowers, the dates available are:
Dec: 4.
2023: Jan. 15 & 29. Apr. 23. May. 28.
For Sanctuary Candles (the candles are lit for the whole week):
Dec. 18
2023:Jan. 29; Feb. 19, & 26; Mar. 19 & 26; Apr. 9, 16 & 30.

December 2022

2nd, Friday—Adoration in the Chapel
3rd, Saturday—Prayer Shawl Meeting in the School Hall at 9:30 a.m.
3rd, Saturday—Christmas Pageant Rehearsal at 7p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Church
4th, Sunday—Angel Tree Concludes
5th, Monday—Ministry Appreciation Christmas Dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the School Hall
6th, Tuesday—Angel Tree Packing at 6:00 p.m. in the Church
7th, Wednesday—Vigil Mass of Immaculate Conception of Virgin Mary at 5:30 p.m. in the Church
8th, Thursday—Immaculate Conception Virgin Mary. (Day of Obligation) Masses are at 7:00 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. in the Church
8th, Thursday—Altar Servers' Christmas Celebration At 6:00 p.m. in the School Hall
10th, Saturday—Christmas Pageant Rehearsal at 7p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Church
11th, Sunday—9:30 a.m. Family Mass with Christmas Pageant. Breakfast with Santa in the School Hall after Mass
13th, Tuesday—Religious Education Teachers' Christmas celebration at 6:00 p.m. in the School Hall

PRAYER GROUP - NEW MEETING DATE

Prayer Group Meetings are held on **Thursdays** in the Chapel, 38 Gold Street. It will be from 4:00—5:00 p.m. from December 1st until further notice.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION



We have the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every first Friday of the month in the Chapel. It concludes with Benediction. Please come and pray with us this Friday, December 2.

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

- Thank you Candace Hammond, for your decorative skills displayed on our altar last weekend.
- Once again, our special thanks to Vivian Pitney for helping us last weekend with bulletin insert.

Fr. Mark D' Silva

2022 Bishop's Appeal as of 11/18/2022

Sacred Heart raised 166 gifts worth \$38,630 from 152 donors bringing the parish to 105.84% of its \$36,500 goal. \$38,080 has been collected in cash which is 104.33% of goal.

Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting

The Prayer Shawl Ministry would like to invite parishioners who knit or crochet (or would like to learn) to join us to knit or crochet prayer shawls. **Their monthly meeting is on Saturday, December 3 at 9:30 a.m. in the School Hall.**

All Prayer Shawls will be blessed by Fr. Mark during 4 p.m. Mass and will be available to the Parishioners during all weekend Masses.

Giving Tuesday

The Diocese will direct proceeds of **Giving Tuesday, November 29th**, to two ministries this year: the Foundations in Charity initiative for Mental Health Matters, and Foundations in Faith efforts to empower missionary, urban Parishes through the St. Francis Xavier Fund. Please visit our website for details.

SAVE THE DATE

**INSTALLATION OF OUR NEW PASTOR,
REV. FR. MARK D'SILVA**

**MASS OF INSTALLATION
BY
BISHOP FRANK J. CAGGIANO**

**ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 22, 2023
AT 11:00 A.M.**

DETAILS WILL FOLLOW

STAMFORD YOUNG ADULT MASS & SOCIAL

Young Adult Mass is scheduled for December 14th at St. John's Basilica! Adoration at 6:00, Mass starts at 7:00. Social afterwards at Bobby Valentine's Sports Bar! If you are interested, please visit their website at stamfordyoungadultholics@gmail.com

SCHOOL HALL RENTAL

Our School Hall is available for your use:

1. **Business Meetings**
2. **Birthday Parties**
3. **Baptism Parties**
4. **Confirmation Party**
5. **Wedding Reception**
6. **Reception after Funeral**
7. **Halloween Party**
8. **Thanksgiving Party**
9. **Any other special event**

If you are interested, please contact the office during the office hours, 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 fill the 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.

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