## SACRED HEART CHURCH, GREENWICH, CT 06830





# 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: NOVEMBER 6, 2022

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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

#### **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

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OF THE 4:00 PM MASS,
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# Finally....



Many of our parishioners have been asking me over and over again: "When are you going to become Pastor? What wrong have you done?" I keep telling them: "My day will come soon. I have been a good boy!"

Dear Parishioners,

It is with great joy and gratitude to God that I announce that Most Reverend Frank J. Caggiano, Bishop of Bridgeport, has formally appointed me to serve as Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish, Greenwich for a term of six years with effect from November 1, 2022. The insert is self-explanatory.

I take this opportunity to thank you all for your Love and Support bestowed on me.

I will schedule a date for the Mass of Installation by Bishop Caggiano and let you know about it at the earliest.

God bless you!

Fr. Mark D' Silva

THE ALTAR FLOWERS ARE IN LOVING MEMORY OF FRANK O'TOOLE, JR. (1ST ANNIVERSARY) FROM MOM, BARBARA

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE IS IN LOVING MEMORY OF JANET & CORYDON DUNHAM FROM CECILIA BOWERS THE ALTAR BREAD AND WINE ARE IN LOVING MEMORY OF ROBERT LYNAGH FROM MARIE & LORRIANE AMBROSECCHIO



Saturday, November 5

4:00 PM †Rupp Family—Family

Sunday, November 6

7:30 AM Conversion of Sinners

9:30 AM †Frank O'Toole, Jr.—Mom, Barbara

11:30 AM †Efrain de Jesus—Donna & Mickey Mann

Monday, November 7

7:00 AM †Margaret Mitchell Burns (Birthday)— Kevin & Anne Burns

Tuesday, November 8

7:00 AM †Selvaraj Rodriguez—Son

Wednesday, November 9

7:00 AM †Janet Colasurdo Casale—Josie Costa Weller

Thursday, November 10

7:00 AM †Anne M. Kristoff—Husband

Friday, November 11

7:00 AM †Mary Kalna—Michael & Joan Roina

Saturday, November 12

4:00 PM †Josephine & Michael Fratello—Joe & Veda Fratello

4:00 PM †Josephii Sunday, November 13

7:30 AM †Souls of William Bott, Jr.—The Olaes Family

9:30 AM †Efrain de Jesus—The Guasco Family

11:30 AM †Joseph Funicelli (42nd Anniversary)—

Daughter, Maria

Monday, November 14

7:00 AM—†Sr. Norah—Peggy

Tuesday, November 15

7:00 AM †Romuwalt Rodriguez—Brother

Wednesday, November 16

7:00 AM †John Henry—John Halpin

Thursday, November 17

7:00 AM †Anna & Domenick Latella & Daughter, Joanne Phin—Virginia & Catherine Latella

Friday, November 18

7:00 AM †Fr. McDermott—Mike Kristoff



# DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS THIS WEEKEND November 6th

Please pray for the sick of our Parish,

especially Jose Sigua & Kathleen Connell McMahon.

Please pray also for the deceased members of our

Parish, especially for

Donna Lou Weltz, died on 10-27-2022

Audrey Davies, died on 10-27-2022



#### **FAMILY MASS: NOVEMBER 13**

Our monthly Family Mass is on next Sunday at 9:30 a.m. All are invited to "Coffee and.." in the school hall after Mass.

THIS WEEK :ARCHDIOCESE FOR MILITARY

**SERVICE** 

**NEXT WEEK :UTILITY FUND** 

OCTOBER 30:

Weekly Offertory : \$1,724.50 Second Collection : \$1,203.50 Miscellaneous : \$ 274.00

#### Masses are available on following dates:

Nov. 22. Dec. 8, 11 & 18

**2023:** Jan. 3, 4, 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:

Nov: 20 & 27. Dec: 4.

**2023: Jan.** 1, 8, 15 & 29; **Feb.** 12 & 19

For Altar Flowers, the dates available are:

**Dec:** 4.

**2023:** Jan. 15 & 29, Feb. 12.

For Sanctuary Candles (the candles are lit for the whole

week):

Please call the office for availability.

#### **2023 MASS BOOK**

The 2023 Mass Book opened on October 1st for Masses, Altar Flowers, Altar Bread & Wine and Sanctuary Candle. Weekend Mass requests are limited to 3 per family. There is no limit to weekday Mass requests. Fees are as follows:

Mass - \$10.00

Altar Bread & Wine - \$10.00

Altar Flowers - \$70.00

Sanctuary Candle - \$10.00

#### **PRAYER GROUP**

Sacred Heart Prayer Group, will be happy to pray for anyone needing healing. If someone does not wish to be listed in the Parish bulletin, we can pray for a "special intention". Please contact the parish office.

#### **Veteran's Day Service**

On **Thursday, November 10th**, the Catholic Academy of Stamford will be hosting their Annual Veterans Day Service (which includes a school liturgy). It will take place at St. Cecilia Church at 8:30am. Currently, they are looking for any Veterans (parents, grandparents, or any relatives) who would like to be a part of their service.

If you or a relative may be interested, please contact Mr. Agostino at <a href="mailto:jagostino@catholicacademystamford.org">jagostino@catholicacademystamford.org</a> for further information.



# Would you like to become an ALTAR SERVER?

Altar servers assist the priest of the parish during the celebration of Mass. Some of the tasks they might perform include carrying the Cross, hold the book for the priest when he is not—standing at the altar, present the bread, wine, and water to the priest and assist him in gathering the gifts from the people as well as many other things.

#### **Eligibility:**

- Boys or girls of 3rd grade and older.
- They must have received First Holy Communion.
- Adults are welcome.



If your child/children are interested, please visit our website at www.sacredheartgreenwich.org and sign up online or call the office at 203-531-8730.



It is with joy that we announce the recipients of the 2022 St. Augustine Medal for our parish. The St. Augustine medal is an honor given to a member of the laity who has provided faithful service to both the local and universal church. This year's recipients are Kathleen and Peter Wiegand. Kathleen has volunteered in the parish in many different capacities. She is a Religious Education teacher and she

teaches Grade 2 and prepares the kids for First Holy Communion (the kids love her), a Eucharistic Minister, Co-Ordinator of Birth Right Shower and Angel Tree. Kathleen and Peter received the medal from Bishop Caggiano at a ceremony on October 8 at St. Matthew Church, Norwalk. Congratulations and Thank You, Kathleen! Thank You, Peter. God bless you.

#### Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

- Thank you Cecilia Bowers, for decorating our altar so beautifully last weekend.
- A special thanks to the ushers for doing the mass counts for the past two weekends.
- We welcome another new Altar Server, Precious Sunga. Thank you for doing this for Jesus. Thank you her parents, for making this sacrifice for our Parish.

Fr. Mark D' Silva

#### **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.

Thanksgiving Baskets concludes next Sunday, November 13th. If you are interested to help out for putting the baskets together on Monday, November 14 at 6 p.m., please contact John Innominato at 914-565-1637

#### **HALL RENTAL**

Looking for hosting a MEETING? BIRTHDAY PARTY? Baptism Reception? Our school hall is open for renting for these special occasions. If you are interested, please contact the office during the office hours, at 203-531-8730

#### Academy of Our Lady of Mercy - Lauralton Hall

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https://www.lauraltonhall.org/admissions/visit-lauralton

#### **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.

#### ARE YOU MISSING OFFERTORY ENVELOPES?

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



#### DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

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October 26, 2022

Reverend Mark D'Silva Parochial Administrator Sacred Heart Church 95A Henry Street Greenwich, CT 06830

Dear Father D'Silva,

With this letter, I formally appoint you to serve as Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Greenwich. This appointment is for a term of six years and will begin November 1, 2022.

As you know, canon law provides a very helpful description of the rights, duties, and obligations of Pastors. I ask that you please review Canons 519 through 538 of the Code of Canon Law in this regard and, at the same time, please review the section, which pertains to Pastors in the Diocese of Bridgeport's Priest Personnel Manual.

Kindly contact Debbie Charles in my office in order schedule a date for the Mass of Installation. Debbie may be reached at (203) 416-1352 or dcharles@diobpt.org.

I am deeply grateful for your wonderful leadership and hard work on behalf of the people of Sacred Heart Parish. May Mary, the Mother of Priests, intercede for you and for your people. May Our Blessed Lady obtain for you the grace to lead your new people to holiness, to the Lord Jesus Christ, and to eternal life.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

thank scaggians

Most Reverend Frank J. Caggiano Bishop of Bridgeport

cc:

Reverend Frank Hoffmann Reverend Michael Jones

Debbie Charles, Ecclesial Notary

#### We Remember...

## November 2, 2021 — November 2, 2022

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