

SACRED HEART CHURCH, GREENWICH, CT 06830



7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 19, 2023

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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

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

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 – Donna Mann
Care of the Sick – Father Mark D'Silva
Counters – Liz Williams
Finance Council Chairperson – William Dylewsky
Hospitality – Isabel Santana
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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 – Candace Hammond & Maria Carosella
Religious Education – Father Mark D'Silva
Thanksgiving & Easter Baskets – John Innominato
Virtus - Cecilia Bowers
Wedding Co-Ordinator - Cecilia Bowers

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE
IS IN LOVING MEMORY OF
ANTOINETTE MACRI
(1ST ANNIVERSARY)
FROM KITTY MANDI

THE ALTAR FLOWERS
ARE IN LOVING MEMORY OF
STEPHEN CATANZARO
FROM MOM & DAD

THE ALTAR BREAD & WINE
ARE IN LOVING MEMORY OF
ARTUO MOGROVEJO
FROM DAUGHTER, ROSA



Saturday, February 18

4:00 PM †Frank & Ann Spadaro & Patrick Magliulo
(Anniversary)—Carol Magliulo

Sunday, February 19

7:30 AM †Carol Walters—Andrea & Pete Johansen
9:30 AM †Kathleen Carlin—Mickey & Donna Mann
11:30 AM †Marla M. Mohr—Fr. Raja

Monday, February 20

7:00 AM †Marcel & Anna D'Silva—Fr. Mark

Tuesday, February 21

7:00 AM XXX

Wednesday, February 22—ASH WEDNESDAY

7:00 AM XXX
12:15 PM †JoAnn Szygiel—Joe & Veda Fratello & Family
3:30 PM SERVICE ONLY
6:30 PM XXX

Thursday, February 23

7:00 AM †Souls in Purgatory

Friday, February 24

7:00 AM †Antoinette Macri—Kitty Mandi
6:30 PM Stations of the Cross (In the Church)

Saturday, February 25

4:00 PM †Marla M. Mohr—Carole Wiemer

Sunday, February 26

7:30 AM †Don Kolok (Birthday)—Family
9:30 AM †Kathleen Carlin—Tom & Liz Williams
11:30 AM †Catherine Quaranta (Birthday) —Daughter, Michele

Monday, February 27

7:00 AM XXX

Tuesday, February 28

7:00 AM †Pedro Mattos & Mozart de Luan Carneiro—
Solange Carneiro Mattos

Wednesday, March 1

7:00 AM †Victor D'Silva—Fr. Mark

Thursday, March 2

7:00 AM †Carol Walters—Tim & Karen Johansen

Friday, March 3—Adoration & Stations of the Cross (in Church)

7:00 AM XXX
6:00 PM Adoration
6:30 PM Stations of the Cross

Sacred Heart Parish
congratulates and welcomes
Kristopher Valenzuela
Baptized into God's family on
February 12, 2023

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.

Please pray for the sick of our Parish.

Please pray also for the
deceased members of our Parish.



THIS WEEK :FUEL COLLECTION
SPECIAL COLLECTION: FOR TURKEY & SYRIA
NEXT WEEK :MAINTENANCE/PARISH BLDGS.

FEBRUARY 5:

Weekly Offertory: \$ 2,394.60
Second Collection \$ 1,254.52
Miscellaneous: \$ 170.00

Masses are available on following dates:

2023: Feb. 21, 22 & 27. Mar. 3, 7, 9, 10, 12, 18, 27, & 28.
Apr. 2, 3, 4, 12, 17, 18, 25, 28 & 30. May. 6, 7, 10, 18, 19,
21, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29 & 31.

For Altar Bread & Wine, the dates available are:

2023: Mar. 19 & 26; Apr. 2, 9 & 16. May. 14.

For Altar Flowers, the dates available are:

2023: Apr. 23. Jun. 25. Jul. 2, 16, 23 & 30. Aug. 20.

For Sanctuary candles, the dates available are:

2023: Apr. 16; Jun. 4 & 25; Jul. 2, 16 & 30

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Anger and hatred can poison our hearts when they are left to fester. Some would say it's better to release them, whether in the form of a violent action, a hurtful word, or some sort of revenge. But releasing these emotions does not overcome them and it can escalate the situation. Jesus calls his disciples – us – to cleanse our hearts of negative emotions. Last week we heard him tell us to replace anger with the determination to be reconciled with one another. Today we hear him tell us to replace hatred with love. We are challenged to be countercultural.

(Pastoral Patterns: Winter 2022-2023)

Bumps in your Marriage or Unhappily Married? Would you like to smooth them out? Bishop Caggiano has a concern for your situation. He asked Dr. Jim Steffen to put his years of research into the free True Love That Lasts video series. Each week, it will give you a hint or a tool that is quick-to-learn, easy-to-use, and proven-to-work. Visit <https://formationreimagined.org> for more information.

**Workshop for Adults who are practicing Catholics
And lack only Confirmation**

The Diocese will host a spring workshop for adults who are practicing Catholics and lack only Confirmation. As you know, these individuals will be confirmed on Pentecost Sunday (not the Easter Vigil). If you are interested, the workshop will be held on Saturday, April 1, 2023, from 9 to noon at the Catholic Center. Registration is online. Please visit:

<https://formationreimagined.org/event/adult-confirmation-class-3-18-23/>

ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2023
DAY OF FAST AND ABSTINENCE

7:00 A.M. Mass (Church)
12:15 P.M. Mass (Church)
3:30 P.M. Service (Church)
6:30 P.M. Mass (Church)

N.B.:

- 1) Ashes will be imposed at all Masses.**
- 2) 3:30 p.m. Service is imposition of Ashes only.**

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday and all the Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence from meat for everyone over the age 14. If for some reason you are not able to abstain from meat on a Friday, you are encouraged to perform some other form of penance.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are also days of fasting for all who are 18 years of age, until their 59th birthday. On these days only one full meal is eaten, and two lesser meals may be eaten if needed.

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To make a gift, or for more information, please visit 2023BishopsAppeal.org, call 203-416-1470 or scan with your phone.



The Catholic Bridge
A Diocese Mentorship Program

Are you interested in participating in a Diocesan-wide mentorship program?

Please visit www.FormationReimagined.org/Bridge. For more information, please contact the Program Coordinator, Cindy Egloff, at CEgloff@diobpt.org

Twenty-Seventh Annual Mass
For Catholic Healthcare Workers

Mass is on Sunday, March 12 at 10:00 a.m. at Saint Augustine Cathedral, 399 Washington Avenue, Bridgeport.

For more information, please see bulletin insert.

Substitute Teachers

We are looking for a couple of substitute teachers: one or more to cover 1st Grade to 5th Grade and one or more to cover 6th Grade to 8th Grade. Their responsibility will be to come in and cover the class only when a teacher is absent due to ill-health or other valid reasons. Please contact the office for more details at 203-531-8730.

Don't know what to do with your old Palms?

We will have a basket each in the vestibule and in the side entrance until this Sunday, February 19. You may drop off your old Palms in the baskets and we will dispose them off properly for you.

EASTER FOOD DRIVE

Our annual Easter Food Drive begins on March 4. We are collecting non-perishable food donations for Easter baskets. Please leave items at the front or rear entrances of the church each weekend through Sunday, April 26. Please see bulletin insert for details.

Special Collection to Assist in Relief Efforts
in Turkey and Syria

We will have a special collection for Turkey and Syria this weekend. Thank you for the generosity and your prayers for the tens of thousands who lost their lives and those who remain as they rebuild.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE **Stamford 40 Days for Life Spring 2023 Campaign**
Feb. 22 – April 2, 2023 - Protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide campaign for an end to abortion!

Through prayer, fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired more than 1,000,000 volunteers and saved 20,013 lives! Please join us at the public right of way, located at 35 Sixth Street in Stamford. To sign up for vigil hours visit www.40daysforlife.com/Stamford. For more information contact Monika Twal at twalmonika@yahoo.com.

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.

ARE YOU MISSING OFFERTORY ENVELOPES?

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



Family Mass

A special word of thanks to Carole Wiemer, Don Mohr and all the teachers for making the Liturgy creative and meaningful. God Bless you all.

Our next Family Mass will be on Sunday March 12, 2023 at 9:30 a.m. We encourage students and their families to participate. All are invited to "Coffee and ..." in the school hall after Mass.



Sacred Heart Church
2023 Easter Food Drive
Weekends of March 4th/5th
Through Sunday, March 25th/ 26th

Please contribute to Sacred Heart's annual Easter food drive to benefit those in our community who are in need during the upcoming holiday season.

Non-perishable donations can be left at the front or rear entrances of the church beginning the weekend of **March 5th/6th through Sunday, March 25th/ 26th.**

Thank you for your ongoing generosity to our parish charitable initiatives and best wishes to all parishioners for a Happy Easter. For any further information please call John Innominato at 914-565-1637.

Suggested Items:

- \$20 Store gift cards (e.g. *Shoprite* or *Stop & Shop*)
- Canned Tuna, Chicken, or Turkey
- Pasta
- Stuffing
- Soups
- White or Brown Rice
- Dried beans
- Peanut Butter
- Grape Jelly
- Coffee or Tea Bags
- Breakfast Cereals
- Juices (Bottled or Boxed)
- Jarred Spaghetti Sauce
- Instant Mashed Potatoes
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Canned Vegetables and Fruits
- Brownie Mix or Cake Mixes





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THE MEANING OF THE CHRISTIAN VOCATION TO SERVE OUR SICK.”**

MASS IS OPEN TO ALL HEALTH CARE WORKERS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC



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