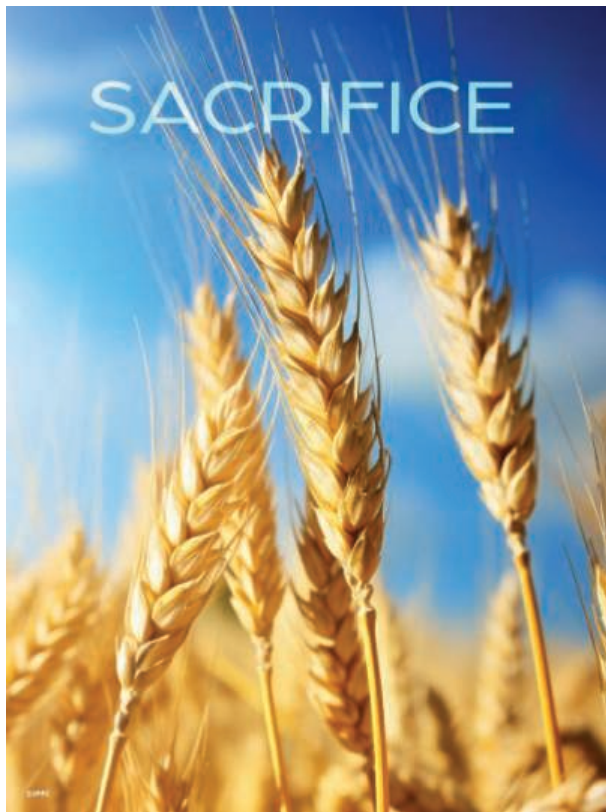


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Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

*Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and
11:30 a.m.*

Weekday Masses (Chapel)

7:00 a.m. Monday to Friday

Holy Days of Obligation

Vigil Mass: 5:30 p.m.

Holy Day: 7:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

*Saturdays: 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. or
by appointment*

Sacrament of Baptism

*Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays at
12:45 p.m. Please call the parish office
in advance to schedule a Baptism.*

*For those anticipating the birth and
subsequent Baptism of their first child,
class is held on the third Saturday
every month at noon in the Rectory.*

Sacrament of Matrimony

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



**The Perpetual Sanctuary Light Candle
burns this week In Memory of Victor & Caroline Dudas**

From: Victoria Quatrone



Saturday, March 16	4:00 PM	†Victor & Caroline Dudas--Victoria Quatrone
Sunday, March 17	7:30 AM	†Catherine & Larry Crowe--Josie Costa Weller
	9:30 AM	†Donna Gasiorowski--John Gasiorowski
	11:30 AM	†Lesia Carroll--Friend, Angela
Monday, March 18	7:00 AM	Conversion of Sinners
Tuesday, March 19	7:00 AM	†Father Joe Flynn--Andrea Johansen & Family
Wednesday, March 20	7:00 AM	†Sal & Edward Keegan--Alice Neal
Thursday, March 21	7:00 AM	†Alice McCourt Keegan (Anniversary)--Alice Neal
Friday, March 22	7:00 AM	†Jean Hammond (34th Anniversary)--Daughter, Candace
	6:30 PM	Stations of the Cross (In the Church)
Saturday, March 23	4:00 PM	VIGIL MASS--PALM SUNDAY †Sofia, John & Maryann Mucha--Paula Jablonski & Family
Sunday, March 24	7:30 AM	PALM SUNDAY †Mark Sanford & Steven Kompar--Roseanne Sanford & Family
	9:30 AM	†Lillian Darula--Rosemary Lovallo
	11:30 AM	†Ethel & Daniel McNeil (Anniversary)--Sacred Heart Parish
Monday, March 25	7:00 AM	† Souls in Purgatory
Tuesday, March 26	7:00 AM	†In Memory of Devon Dalio--Cecilia
Wednesday, March 27	7:00 AM	†Pedro Mattos & Mozart de Luna Carneiro --Solange Carneiro
Thursday, March 28	6:00 PM	HOLY THURSDAY(NO 7:00 MASS) SOLEMN MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER †Deceased Members of the Campiformio & Quaranta Families--Michele Quaranta
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT UNTIL 10 P.M.		
Friday, March 29	3:00 PM	GOOD FRIDAY (NO 7:00 MASS) PASSION OF THE LORD
	6:30 PM	Stations of the Cross (In the Church)

**ALTAR BREAD & WINE ARE
IN LOVING MEMORY OF
VICTOR & CAROLINE DUDAS
BY VICTORIA QUATRONE**

Masses are available on following dates:

April: 8, 9, 19, 24, 25, 28

May: 5, 6, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 30

June: 1, 5, 7, 9, 11, 12, 17, 21, 22, 24, 26, 27, 28

For Altar Bread & Wine, the dates available are:

March: 24

May: 19, 26

June: 30

For Sanctuary Candle, the dates available are:

May: 19 & 26

June: 30

For Altar Flowers, the dates available are:

April: 28

May: 26

June: 30

2024 MASS BOOK

The 2024 Mass Book opened on October 1 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
- Sanctuary Candle - \$10.00
- Altar Flowers - \$70.00



Our next Family Mass will be on Sunday, April 14 at 9:30 a.m. This will be our 7th Monthly Family Mass of the 2023-2024 school year. I encourage all the parents and the children of all grades to join us in celebrating Holy Mass together. Mass is followed by breakfast served by our Parish Hospitality Team in the School Hall. All are welcome!

PLEASE NOTE our New Email Address for Religious Education Program:

Please send any inquiries regarding Religious Education Program to our new email address: dre-sh-gr@diobpt.org

CONFESSIONS IN OUR PARISH

Confessions will be offered Tuesday, March 26th from 5p.m - 7p.m. in the Church.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Religious Education Lenten Confession Schedule 2024 (during classes)

February 21 : Grade 3 at 3:45 p.m.
 February 28 : Grade 4 at 3:45 p.m.
 March 6 : Grade 5 at 3:45 p.m.
 March 13 : Grade 6 at 6:30 p.m.
 March 20 : Grade 7 at 6:30 p.m.

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.

SAVE THE DATE!!

First Communion

First Reconciliation (Confessions) for First Communion Class: Friday April 12th at 6:00 p.m.

Group A:

Rehearsal for First Communion: Friday, May 3rd at 5:00 p.m.

First Communion: Saturday, May 4th at 10:00 a.m.

Group B:

Rehearsal for First Communion: Friday, May 3rd at 6:15 p.m.

First Communion: Saturday, May 4th at 12:00 p.m.

Confirmation

Confessions/Reconciliation for Confirmation Students: Friday, May 10 at 6 p.m.

Rehearsal: Friday, May 17th at 6:00 p.m.

Confirmation: Saturday, May 18th at 10:00 a.m.

Ministries Volunteers

If you are interested in volunteering for various ministries in our Parish, please contact the office.

- Adult Faith Formation
- Altar Decoration
- Altar Servers
- Birthright and Angel Tree
- Counters
- Hospitality/Ushers
- Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers
- Prayer Ministry
- Prayer Shawl
- Religious Education Assistant
- Thanksgiving and Easter Baskets

Lost WEEK
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THIS WEEK : Monthly Offering

NEXT WEEK : Maintenance of Parish Buildings

March 9 & 10

Weekly Offertory: \$ 2,229.25

2nd Collection: \$ 1,336.30

February Online Giving: \$ 2,292.67

ARE YOU MISSING OFFERTORY ENVELOPES?

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

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. Online Giving allows you to make donations, payments, and pledges via your mobile phone, smart device or computer.



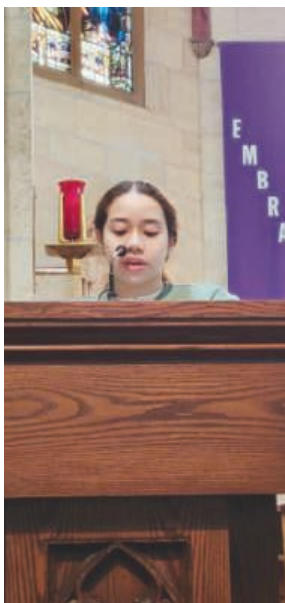
“ONE IN CHRIST”

Is the theme of 2024 Bishop’s Appeal. The Appeal theme, “One in Christ” is an opportunity to look beyond our Parish. It calls us as shares in the life and the mission of the Church, to proclaim with joy the Good News of the Gospel by example and witness in our Parish.

IN-PEW WEEKEND FOR 2024 ANNUAL BISHOP’S APPEAL

This weekend March 16 & 17 is our parishes In-pew Weekend for the 2024 Bishop’s Appeal - “One In Christ.” There will be envelopes in the pews and you will have the opportunity to make a pledge. Please help us to reach our parish goal. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

FAMILY MASS



I wish to express my gratitude to the Teachers and the hospitality team for organizing our seventh Family Mass and the Breakfast on Sunday, March 10. Isabel Santana and her hospitality team put out delicious breakfast for our kids and their families. Our teachers made sure that there was active participation of our children in the Liturgy of the Eucharist. My sincere thanks to all who made the day exciting for all.

Fr. Mark D’Silva
Pastor

There will be a Funeral Mass
In Memory of Lillian Darula
on Saturday, March 23 at 11 AM
at Sacred Heart Church, Greenwich

Please pray for the departed soul of Lillian Darula

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Lenten Campaign - Loaves and Fishes 2024

Will you and your family consider the Lenten sacrifice of a “meager meal” once a week during Lent and donate the money you would have spent on a more substantial meal to feed local families who can't afford to put food on their table? Please consider supporting Catholic Charities Loaves and Fishes Lenten Campaign to feed our most vulnerable neighbors. Food insecurity continues to be the number one issue impacting people in our community and your family's Lenten sacrifice can make a significant impact! Donations can be made online via the Catholic Charities website at:

www.ccfairfield.org/loaves. Checks made out to Catholic Charities may be mailed to:

Catholic Charities
ATT: Finance Dept/L&F Campaign
238 Jewett Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06606



SCAN ME



Stations of the Cross In the Church at 6:30 p.m.

All Fridays during Lent
All are Welcome!

(You may also view the pre-recorded version from home)

www.sacredheartgreenwich.org

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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HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2024

MARCH 24: PALM SUNDAY

Masses: **SATURDAY**- 4:00 p.m.
SUNDAY - 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.

MARCH 26 (TUESDAY): CONFESSIONS

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Church

MARCH 28: HOLY THURSDAY

6:00 p.m. - Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by Adoration until 10:00 p.m.

MARCH 29: GOOD FRIDAY

3:00 p.m. - Passion of the Lord
6:30 p.m. - Stations of the Cross

MARCH 30: HOLY SATURDAY

12:00 Noon - Blessing of the Easter Food
7:30 p.m. - Easter Vigil

MARCH 31: EASTER SUNDAY

Masses: **SUNDAY** - 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.

The following Masses/Services will be live streamed:

1. Palm Sunday Vigil - March 23 at 4:00 p.m.
2. Holy Thursday - March 28 at 6:00 p.m.
3. Good Friday - March 29 at 3:00 p.m.
4. Easter Vigil - Holy Saturday - March 30 at 7:30 p.m.

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