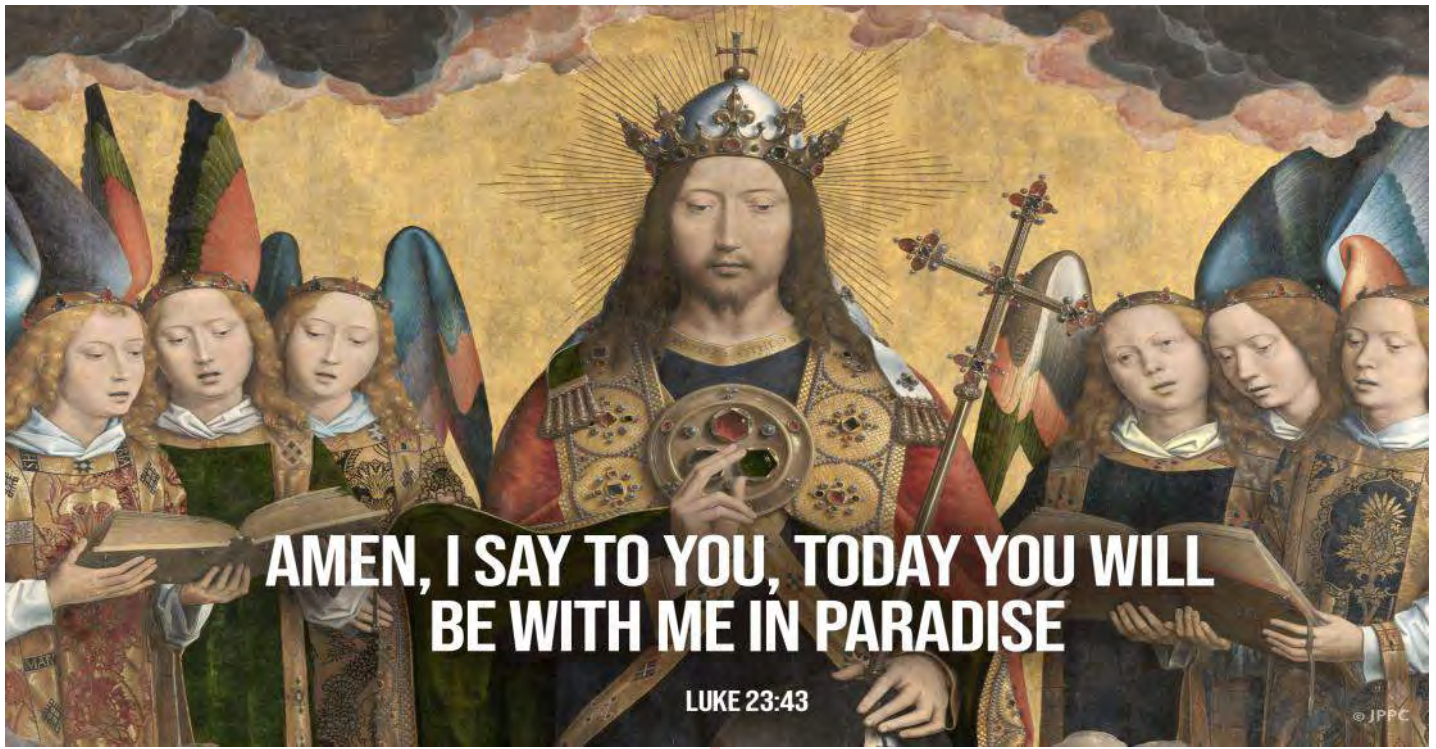


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Weekend Masses

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.



**The Perpetual Sanctuary Candle burns this week
In Loving Memory of Deceased Members of The Rupp Family**

Offered by Family

Please remember The Deceased of Rupp Family in your prayers.



Saturday, November 22

4:00 PM †Deceased Members of The Rupp Family
--Family

Sunday, November 23

7:30 AM †Anne M. Kristoff--Husband

9:30 AM †Lena Zagreda--Lynn Elise Friend

11:30 AM †Dionigi Furano, Rosina Forte &
Elizabeth Forte--Roseanne Sanford &
Family

Monday, November 24

7:00 AM †Lyle Hinkley (Anniversary)--Daughter

Tuesday, November 25

7:00 AM †Pedro Mattos & Mozart de Luna
Carneiro--Solange Carneiro

Wednesday, November 26 - NO MORNING MASS

MASS OF THANKSGIVING AT 5:30 p.m.

5:30 PM Joseph DiFabio (Anniversary)--Mom &
Dad

Thursday, November 27- THANKSGIVING

9:00 AM In Thanksgiving--Cecilia

Friday, November 28

7:00 AM NO MASS

Saturday, November 29

4:00 PM †Luci & Pat Longo, Sr. (Anniversary)--
Son, Tony

Sunday, November 30

7:30 AM †Catherine S. Scuterud--Sons

9:30 AM †Anthony & Carole Ann Napoli--Ralph
& Mary Ann Amelio

11:30 AM †Antonio Cardillo--Labrosciano Family

Monday, December 1

7:00 AM Cecilia & Anthony Labrosciano
(Birthday)--Family

Tuesday, December 2

7:00 AM †Josephine Mary Rodriguez--Son

Wednesday, December 3

7:00 AM Dominic Vartuli, Jr.--The Piria Family

Thursday, December 4

7:00 AM †Dennis Cassia--Alice Neal

Friday, December 5

7:00 AM †Jan Gunnip--Joan Bryson



**ALTAR FLOWERS ARE
IN LOVING MEMORY OF
JOSEPH DIFABIO
(ANNIVERSARY)**

FROM MOM & DAD



**ALTAR BREAD & WINE ARE
IN LOVING MEMORY OF
DIONIGI FURANO & ROSINA &
ELIZABETH FORTE**

FROM ROSEANNE SANFORD & FAMILY

2026 MASS BOOK

The 2026 Mass Book is now open 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**



**Wishing a Happy and Blessed
Thanksgiving Day to all Sacred Heart
Parishioners and your families!**



Sacred Heart Christmas Pageant

Thank you to all those who have signed up for our Annual Christmas Pageant! We are pleased to announce that all roles have been filled.

The Christmas Pageant is scheduled for Sunday, December 14th at the 9:30 a.m. Family Mass.

Practice: Saturday, 11/22 & 12/6 in the Church at 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Rehearsal: Saturday 12/13 in the Church at 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Any questions, please contact Kathryn Lewis at Kathryncklewis@gmail.com



We will have the Family Mass every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. However, breakfast will be available only on the second Sunday of each month after the 9:30 a.m. Family Mass.

All the parents and the children of all grades are encouraged to participate in this beautiful celebration of the Eucharist every Sunday and manifest our faith in the Sacrament.



Please pray for the deceased members of our Parish, especially:

Virginia Castaldo

Died on November 13, 2025



SAVE THE DATE!

**MINISTRY APPRECIATION
CHRISTMAS DINNER**

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2025
at 6:30 P.M.**



ANGEL TREE

Our Annual Angel Tree began on November 15. 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 Sunday, December 7th and place it under the Angel Tree. Thank you for your support. Any questions, please contact Kathy Wiegand at 203-559-8086.



BYRAM VETERANS ASSOCIATION

**300 Delavan Avenue
Greenwich, CT 06830**

The Byram Veterans Association would like to announce BINGO NIGHTS, every 2nd Tuesday of the month in the Association Hall. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. with games beginning at 6:30 p.m.

There will be cash prizes and a door prize. Five dollars per card per game (first 9 games), \$10 per card for the Jackpot game (10th game only). You must play a minimum of 5 games to play the Jackpot game.

Must be 18 years and older to play. Hot dogs & Chips for sale, cash bar and free dessert!

Come down to the Byram Vets for BINGO NIGHT!

Collections THANK YOU

THIS WEEK : Health/Welfare Fund for Retired Priests

NEXT WEEK : Utility Fund

November 15 & November 16

Weekly Offertory : \$ 2,445.50
2nd Collection

(Maintenance of Parish Buildings) : \$ 1,149.20

Weekly Online Giving (11/10-11/16) : \$ 920.00

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.



PLEASE HELP TODAY!

Catholic Charities, one of the largest food providers in Fairfield County, is experiencing a 50% increase in demand for food at our food pantries due to the delay in SNAP benefits! The daily growing numbers create a major challenge to feed many struggling families, elderly and disabled individuals. Our poorest neighbors are severely impacted by this crisis and we need your help!

Please mail checks to Catholic Charities, SNAP Emergency Fund, 238 Jewett Avenue, Bridgeport, CT 06606 or donate online: <https://bit.ly/CCFCSNAP>

Money Counters Needed

Our Money Counters Ministry is looking for at least two more volunteers. If you are free on Monday morning and are looking for couple of hours to fill your day, please contact the Parish Office. Your commitment is generally once in 4 to 5 weeks.



Are you looking for women's health services/resources for you or a loved one?

Luminous Women's Health & Wellness - an initiative of Project Beloved - is a nonprofit that provides reproductive health education, services and support to all women pre-adolescent onward, in order to empower them in making the best health decisions possible. Endorsed by Bishop Caggiano, Luminous offers: **Body Literacy & Cycle Tracking Education** for adult women as well as mother/daughter programs so women can understand how their bodies work in a state of health/address symptoms in a natural way; **Family Planning Education**; always-free **Pregnancy Services & Support**, and **Infertility & Miscarriage Support**.

Call or text to make your appointment: **203-487-2550**.

To learn more, visit:

www.luminoushealthwellness.com or stop in: **1250 Summer Street, Suite 202, Stamford, CT.**

Faith of Our Fathers: Give Today to Support Our Retired Priests

Today, Bishop Caggiano is asking for generous donations to the Saint John Vianney Trust, which provides housing, medical care, and compassionate assistance for the retired priests of our diocese. Why give? Just as families care for aging parents, we Catholics must care for our spiritual fathers. Our diocese has more than 70 retired priests, and healthcare costs have risen dramatically, necessitating increased financial support. Especially for our elderly and vulnerable priests, this is our opportunity to show love, tenderness, and mercy. Please give in honor of the priests who have served you throughout your life: vianneytrust.org.

November 2025

26th, Wed: **NO MORNING MASS**
Mass of Thanksgiving at 5:30 p.m.
in the Church

27th, Thurs: **HAPPY THANKSGIVING**
Morning Mass at 9:00 a.m. in the
Church

28th, Fri: **NO MORNING MASS**

**PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27
& FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28 IN
OBSERVANCE OF THANKSGIVING.**

BAPTISM



Sacred Heart Parish congratulates and welcomes

Kaela Ann O. Oaferina

Baptized into God's Family on
November 16, 2025

December 2025

1st, Mon: **Christmas Ministry Appreciation
Dinner** at 6:30 p.m. in the School
Hall

4th, Thurs: **Altar Servers' Christmas Dinner** at
6:00 p.m. in the School Hall

6th, Sat: **Christmas Pageant Practice**
at 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. in the Church

6th, Sat: **Blessing of Prayer Shawls** at 4:00 p.m.
Mass

7th, Sat: **Angel Tree Concludes**

8th, Mon: **Immaculate Conception of the
Blessed Virgin Mary**
(Day of Obligation) Masses are at
7:00 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. in the
Church

8th, Sun: **Catechists' Christmas Dinner** at
6:00 p.m. in the School Hall

13th, Sat: **Christmas Pageant Rehearsal**
at 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. in the Church

13th, Sat: **Youth Group Christmas Dinner**
at 6:30-9:00 p.m. in the School Hal

14th, Sun: **Family Mass with Christmas
Pageant** at 9:30 a.m. in the Church
followed by **Breakfast with Santa**
in the School Hall after Mass

16th, Tues: **Confessions for Parishioners** at 6:30
to 7:30 p.m. in the Church

21st, Sun: **Youth Mass** at 11:30 a.m.

Thanksgiving Food Drive A Success!!

Thank you to all who contributed towards our Thanksgiving Food Drive. The generosity of our parishioners is always such a blessing. Boxes were prepared for those in need this holiday. My sincere thanks to our coordinator, John Innominato and his volunteers who did a wonderful job: Cecilia Bowers, Lynn & Arthur Holmberg, Marc Hewlitt, Luis Santana, Bill Senft, Tyler Senft & Eddie Chute. We also thank out Youth Group for all of their help with food sorting. Your efforts and team work in preparing the Thanksgiving Food Baskets will brighten many Families!



Sacred Heart Parish

Financial Report
Three Months Ended
September 30, 2025

Offertory, Contributions & Other Revenue

Offertory	73,869
Rental Income	26,400
General Gifts and Bequests	3,330
Specified Gifts and Bequests	8,808
Religious Education	22,080
Investment Income	911
Other (mass stipends, votives, funeral mass fees)	1,956
Total Offertory, Contributions & Other Revenue	<u>\$ 137,354</u>

Expenses

Compensation, Payroll Taxes and Benefits	34,487
Diocesan Obligations	11,388
Charitable Contributions	8,500
Religious Education (Includes \$801 for Youth Ministry)	8,177
Utilities	8,656
Supplies, Repairs, Maintenance*	28,153
Services, Professional Fees & Insurance	24,937
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 124,298</u>
Excess of Income over Expenses	<u>\$ 13,056</u>

Cash Balances

Checking Account	\$ 24,760
Savings Account	34,524
Special Projects Account	120,780
CDs (2)	191,722
Petty Cash	200
Tenant Security Deposits	5,106
Total Cash Balances	<u>\$ 377,091</u>

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