

# SACRED HEART CHURCH

## 95A Henry St., Greenwich, CT 06830

6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - FEBRUARY 15, 2026



I have come  
not to *abolish*  
but to *fulfill*.

MATTHEW 5:17

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*Monday to Friday*

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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.*

#### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Chapel)

*Wednesdays: 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.*

*First Fridays: 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.*



**The Perpetual Sanctuary Candle burns this week  
In Loving Memory of Calvin Darula, Sr.**  
Offered by The Tasca Family  
Please remember Calvin Darula, Sr. in your prayers.



**Saturday, February 14**

4:00 PM †Marc Lovallo--Mom

**Sunday, February 15**

7:30 AM †Luiz Fernando Vilella (Birthday)--Wife, Leila Bazi

9:30 AM †Ann Mary Bryson--Joan Bryson

11:30 AM †Catherine Quaranta (Birthday)--Daughter, Michele

**Monday, February 16**

7:00 AM †Domenick, Anna & Catherine Latella & Joanne Latella Phin & Donald Phin--Virginia Latella

**Tuesday, February 17**

7:00 AM †Fred Izzo--Angela Castaldo

**Wednesday, February 18 - ASH WEDNESDAY**

7:00 AM Tim McGinnis--Family

12:15 PM †Mary Hinkley (Birthday)--Pat Szechman

6:30 PM Gail Piria--Family

**Thursday, February 19**

7:00 AM †Jane & Tommy Coughlin--Alice Neal

**Friday, February 20**

7:00 AM Larry, Marc & Rosemarie DelFavero--The Egan Family

**Saturday, February 21**

4:00 PM †Mary & Peter Lynch--Kathleen Cartine & Family

**Sunday, February 22**

7:30 AM †Marlene Shreders--Ed & Nancy Fox

9:30 AM Special Intention for Jennifer Rezende--Mom, Leila Bazi

11:30 AM †Virginia Castaldo--Sacred Heart Prayer Group

**Monday, February 23**

7:00 AM †Marla Mohr--Family

**Tuesday, February 24**

7:00 AM †Domenick, Anna & Catherine Latella & Joanne Latella Phin & Donald Phin--Virginia Latella

**Wednesday, February 25**

7:00 AM Carolyn McGinnis--Family

**Thursday, February 26**

7:00 AM Kevin McGinnis--Family

**Friday, February 27**

7:00 AM Gregory McGinnis--Family



**ALTAR FLOWERS ARE  
IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
CATHERINE QUARANTA  
(BIRTHDAY)**

FROM DAUGHTER, MICHELE



**ALTAR BREAD & WINE  
ARE IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
MARC LOVALLO**

FROM MOM

Available for 2026:

Masses:

**March:** 8, 18, 24, 25, 27, 29, 31

**April:** 8, 12, 13, 19, 22, 26, 30

**May:** 1, 3, 6, 7, 13, 14, 17, 18, 21, 27, 31

Altar Bread & Wine:

**March:** 1, 8, 22

**April:** 5, 12, 26

**May:** 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Sanctuary Candle:

**March:** 8, 22

**April:** 5, 12

**May:** 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Altar Flowers:

**April:** 2 (Holy Thursday)

**May:** 24, 31

**June:** 14, 28

**July:** 12, 19

**August:** 23

**PLEASE NOTE:** In Observance of Lent, Altar Flowers are not offered Sunday, February 22 through Sunday, April 12.

Altar Flowers are available for Holy Thursday (April 2).

**Ash Wednesday, February 18, 2026**

Dear friends,

We begin the Holy Season of Lent on Ash Wednesday, on February 18 this year. Lent is the Church's 40 day season of prayer, fasting and almsgiving in preparation for Easter. On this day, Catholics receive ashes on their foreheads as the priest/minister says, "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return," or "Repent and believe in the Gospel." The ashes are a loving reminder of human frailty, the reality of sin and our need for God's mercy.

Ash Wednesday, though not a holy day of obligation, is one of the most widely observed days of the Church year, calling believers to interior renewal and a sincere turning back to God.

Lent is not simply a season of rules or restraint, but a sacred time of renewal – a call to conversion.

The Lenten season is a healthy reminder for us that we are sinners: as John wrote, "If we say, 'We have no sin,' we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us." (1 Jn. 1: 8) Lent is a time for honest reflection and trusting repentance before the compassionate and forgiving God.

Lent is best known as a time for fasting, when people 'give up something'. Fasting is sometimes misunderstood. It is not just about fasting of Catholics ages 18-59 on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, eating a full meal and two smaller ones; Catholics 14 and older abstain from meat on Fridays of Lent. Lent is about more than observing minimum requirements. It is about conversion – a turning away from sin and a turning toward God.

God Bless,

Fr. Mark D'Silva  
Pastor

**Sacred Heart Parish Youth Ministry News**

Youth Group monthly meeting in February will be held on Saturday, February 21 at 11:00 a.m. instead of February 14 in the School Hall.

Our next Youth Mass will be on Sunday, February 15 at 11:30 a.m. The Rosary will be recited by our Youth Group before Mass.

To begin our Lenten Season, on Saturday, February 21 our Youth Ministry is hosting a Tea Party for the Seniors in our parish.



**Our next Family Mass will be on Sunday, March 8 at 9:30 a.m. Breakfast will be served in the School Hall after 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.**



**ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2026**

**DAY OF FAST AND ABSTINENCE**

**MASS SCHEDULE**

- 7:00 A.M. Mass (Church)**
- 12:15 P.M. Mass (Church)**
- 6:30 P.M. Mass (Church)**

**N.B.:**

**Ashes will be imposed at all Masses.**

**WEEKLY ADORATION!**



**PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR WEEKLY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ON WEDNESDAYS FROM 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM IN THE CHAPEL**

**THIS WEEK :** Utility Fund

**NEXT WEEK :** Maintenance of Parish Buildings

**February 7 & February 8**

**Weekly Offertory :** \$ 1,741.55

**2nd Collection  
(Monthly Offering) :** \$ 1,213.50

**Weekly Online Giving  
(2/2-2/8) :** \$ 245.00

**ARE YOU MISSING OFFERTORY ENVELOPES**

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

**Please remember Sacred Heart Parish in your Estate Planning.**

## 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 NOTE:**

**In-pew Weekend for the 2026 Bishop’s Appeal “One in Christ” will be on Saturday, February 28 & Sunday, March 1.**

## 2026 Bishops Appeal

**Key Dates:**

- **Solicitation Letters - In-home dates**
  - ◆ **January 23 -Letter from the Bishop**
  - ◆ **March 13 - Letter from the Pastor**
  - ◆ **April 24 - Letter from the Bishop**
  - ◆ **June 5 - Letter from the Bishop**
  - ◆ **June 30 - Achieve Goal**

**We begin the One in Christ, 2026 Bishop’s Appeal this coming weekend, a vital effort in our journey of spiritual and pastoral renewal. Together, as The One, we stand united as a family, transforming lives through faith and service.**

**Your support of the Bishop’s Appeal is an investment in hope, healing, and renewal. It enables us to:**

- **Launch Transformative ministries**
- **Support pastoral care and outreach**
- **Empower future generations**
- **Provide critical assistance**

**SUPPORTING THE BISHOP'S APPEAL UNITES US AS ONE IN CHRIST!**

The Bishop’s Appeal invites us to live out “The One,” our diocesan vision of spiritual and pastoral renewal. United as One in Christ, we support ministries that accompany others in faith, reflect truth, beauty and goodness and serve those in need throughout Fairfield County.

Your generosity helps the Diocese to:

- **Form priests, deacons, and laity** to preach, lead, and evangelize more effectively
- **Provide tuition assistance** in partnership with Foundations in Education for families seeking a Catholic education
- **Provide faith formation** for all our diocesan communities
- **Offer pastoral care** to the isolated, grieving, and ill
- **Assist individuals and families** in crisis through Catholic Charities and other outreach programs
- **Provide tuition assistance** in partnership with Foundations in Education for families seeking a Catholic education.

Your contribution is a living sign of our unity and strengthens the mission of the Church. Gifts may be made using your parish’s pledge materials or online.

As we continue our journey in life, may we walk One in Christ, accompanying one another and those most in need. Be assured of our prayers for you and your loved ones.

**MAKE A GIFT TODAY: 2026BISHOPSAPPEAL.ORG**



**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](http://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.



**Storm Policy**

**Weather and road conditions permitting, all Masses will be celebrated as scheduled or cancelled if necessary.**

**Our greatest priority is that you remain safe and, if the road conditions are not good, please stay home!**

*Youth Ministry  
hosting Tea  
Party for  
our Seniors  
65 & over*

FEBRUARY 21 | SAT |  
1:15PM - 3PM  
SACRED HEART  
SCHOOL HALL  
R.S.V.P. BY 2.16.2026  
203-536-1172  
CECILIA

**WE EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE TO OUR  
COUNTERS FOR ALL OF THEIR  
DEDICATION AND COMMITMENT  
TO OUR PARISH**

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|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Alice Neal</b>        | <b>Carol Crawford</b> |
| <b>Ed Fox</b>            | <b>Eddie Chute</b>    |
| <b>John Halpin</b>       | <b>Larry DelBello</b> |
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| <b>Nancy Fox</b>         | <b>Pat Szechtman</b>  |
| <b>Peter Vita</b>        | <b>Sue Catalano</b>   |
| <b>Victoria Quatrone</b> |                       |

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OF SACRED HEART PARISH!**

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**Saturday, March 14  
8:00AM - 3:00PM  
Doors open at 7am for breakfast**

**St. Catherine of Siena Church  
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- ◆ **Celebration of Mass with Bishop Caggiano**
- ◆ **Praise and worship Adoration**
- ◆ **Eucharistic Procession/Relic Procession**
- ◆ **Small Group Reflection Discussions**
- ◆ **Large Group Reflections on Radical Discipleship**
- ◆ **Confessions Available**
- ◆ **Breakfast and Lunch Included**

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**Ministry to the Homebound**

**If you, or someone you know, is homebound and would like our priest to visit, please contact the Parish Office at 203-531-8730.**

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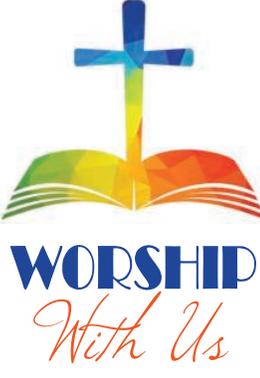
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