

21 Cherry Street, New Canaan, CT 06840 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 13, 2022 203-966-0020 www.starcc.com Handicap Accessible

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: Vigil for Sunday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and

5:00 p.m.

The Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass is live-streamed, recorded and

available on the Parish Website: www.starcc.com

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday: 7:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Saturday: 7:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION Saturdays 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. - Chapel

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Thursdays 7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday $9:00\ a.m.$ - $4:00\ p.m.$

Friday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

In case of an **emergency** requiring a priest, please call the parish office: 203-966-0020 and follow the prompts

CLERGY & STAFF

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PARISH TRUSTEES

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Scouting Sunday February 6, 2022

~ Mass Intentions ~

Monday -	February 14, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Boguslaw Rebisz
5:30 p.m.	Sandy Palma
Tuesday - 7:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	February 15, 2022 Harrison McIntyre Saint Aloysius Parishioners Janet Wilkowski
Wednesday -	February 16, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Dorothy Fiorito
5:30 p.m.	Angela and Giuseppe Socci
Thursday -	February 17, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Patricia Bates
5:30 p.m.	Beverly Hewitt
Friday -	February 18, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Winifred Trudell
5:30 p.m.	Angela and Giuseppe Socci
Saturday -	February 19, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Gerry Flynn
5:00 p.m.	Theresa Bohmer
Sunday -	February 20, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Stephen J. Horan
8:30 a.m.	Ludwig Bohmer
10:00 a.m.	Betty Flynn
11:30 a.m.	Angela and Giuseppe Socci
5:00 p.m.	William McNulty

We Welcome our Newly Baptized Parishioners: Theodore Martins Hearne

Please Pray for the Deceased:

Margaret Frize
Mary Elizabeth Staudt
Lois Welch



Eucharistic Adoration in the Church

Thursdays from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. (immediately following 7:00 a.m. Mass).

Come and spend some quiet time with the Lord.

~ Please Pray For ~

We are looking to update this list. Please let us know if you see a name that should be removed because their circumstances have changed.

Maria Alvarado, Eileen Apy, Daniel Louis Bianco, Margaret "Peg" Brewer, Anthony Burrows, John J. Butler, Michael Buzzeo, Tony Cantone, Anthony Capobianco, Addison Jane Carestia, Claire Carter, Lois Cawley, Luz Celit, Pamela Chatterton-Purdy, Carol Ann Collins, Lucia Cusato, Michael DeCarlo, Audrey Dertinger, Deirdre Desmond, Matthew DeVaney, Kathleen Dooley, Caragh Dougherty, Kylie Edmund Dougherty, Aidan Duver, Madeline Dwyer, Monique Elliot, John Emert, Michael Fallon, Rinda Farnham, Mark Dale Ferguson, Owen Fitzgerald, Rvan Fitzpatrick, Angela Franco, Maria Franco, Henry Frank, Paula Lynn Fuegner, Ging Galindo, Judy Garcia, Garo Garabedian, John Gaffney, Franco Gencarelli, Carol Gianattasio, Elizabeth Grottola, Kathy Grove, James Heffner, D.J. Holland, Carol Hollister, Olivia Hurley, Juan Invernon, Maria Invernon, Sarah Jessie, Mary Katawa, Father Bernie Keefe, Carol King, Christopher Kotos, Al Latte, Jose Lavana, Sandra Lefler, Luke Lerner, Pam Libertiny, Joanne Liscio, Georgia Little, Tracee Lutes, Debbie B. Lyon, Mary Maher, Fanny Mao, Dan Mao, Rachel Mawardi, Liz McKay, Sarah McNulty, Donald McQuid, Jon Morrison, Louis G. Nappi, John O'Connor, Carey Cattrell Ogden, Patrick O'Kane, Martin O'Shea, Patrick M. Pantalone, Ana Paredes, Andrew Parisi, Harrison Perley, Austin Jack Pieck, Iracema Galvani Quinete, Nora Radocea, Barton Rappaport, Michael ReQua, Patricia Rezny, Jeanne Ruddock, Maria Cielo Sanchez, Rudolph John Sandor, Reggie Santella, Lynda Ann Slovik, Josephine Socci, Paul Sorge, Sr., Judy Johnson Spadaccini, Georgia Sweeney, Mike Szarpa, Szenasi Family, Christopher Tarzia Jr., Ignatius Thompson, Marlene Socci Tiani, Kathleen Turpin, Margot Vaughan, Dominick Anthony Vento, J. Richard Weber, Martha Wieber, Ryan Joseph Willen, Alex Wood and all who are affected by COVID-19.

Please pray for those serving in the military:

CPT Elizabeth A. Condon; 2nd Lt. Paul Corapi; Lt. Col. Neil Dolan; Captain Brian Gerardi; Sgt. Patrick Joseph Hussey; Cpl. Sean M. Kiernan; Spec. 3rd CL Thomas Lally; Lt. Col. Todd Polk; Lt. Col. Christopher Schilling; 1st Lt. Andrew Scott; 1st Lt. Jason Trischitta USAF; SSG Steven Vasko

SANCTUARY CANDLES burn from

2/11/22 - 2/17/22

The Sacred Heart Sanctuary candle for Mario Socci, Sr.
The Many Sanctuary candle for

The Mary Sanctuary candle for Carolyn Pascale (Living) The Chapel candle for Sandy Palma



Words from Father Rob Kinnally

Go Out and Bless the World

And raising his eyes toward his disciples he said:

"Blessed are you who are poor,
for the kingdom of God is yours.
Blessed are you who are now hungry,
for you will be satisfied.
Blessed are you who are now weeping,
for you will laugh.
Blessed are you when people hate you,
and when they exclude and insult you,
and denounce your name as evil
on account of the Son of Man.
Rejoice and leap for joy on that day!
Behold, your reward will be great in heaven.

Imagine what it was like to be in the crowd when Jesus proclaimed this good news about the "blessed." If you were poor, hungry, sad, or persecuted, you heard a message of hope; "Rejoice," says Jesus when you find yourself in those situations. It surely must have sounded like a radical and illogical statement: How can my poverty, hunger, sadness and oppression be so mitigated that I can actually feel joy? Well, in our life with Jesus, we can experience a new life with him - now and forever. To believe in resurrection, is to trust in the hope that we will be together with the Lord well beyond our years on this earth. To believe in the good news of Jesus is to embrace a way of living (right now!) that is founded on justice for those who suffer, providence for those in need, and reward for those who live the Gospel despite pushback from the world.

To sum it up, we have work to do alongside Jesus to make that life of right and just living really happen. When we do the work of the Gospel and the world starts to change for the better because the poor, the hungry, the despairing, and the victims of oppression experience our Christ-like love, then we will all rejoice. There's a lot at stake here, especially Heaven; so may we who are blessed, go out and bless the world!

Father Rob



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MARRIAGE:

Call the John Palma at 203-652-1140 at least nine months prior to the wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

If someone is ill at home or in the hospital, please call the parish office to arrange for Communion and administration of the Sacrament of the Sick.

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2022

\$14,974

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\$10,860

TOTAL OFFERTORY:

\$25,834

LAST YEAR:

\$18,117

Online giving is now more important than ever.



Thank you!

~ Religious Education ~



Religious Education Grades 1 through 8

Grades 1 through 6

Congratulations to the 102 St. Aloysius Religious Education 2nd grade students who made their First Reconciliation on Saturday, February 5th. We are so proud of all of you and look forward to celebrating your First Holy Communion in April.

For those 2nd graders who missed Saturday, Danielle Sibilia will be in touch with your make-up date.



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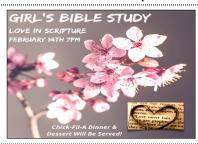
- Eblast submissions are due by Monday at 3 p.m.
- Bulletin submissions are due by <u>Tuesday at 3 p.m.</u>

Email to: bulletin@starcc.com

~ Youth Ministry ~



Can you stay for just 5 minutes before you head off to watch the Super Bowl?



Holy Hoops for High School Guys Sunday, February 27 @ 1pm

Pick-Up Basketball with a Scripture Halftime Session

Sign up for all of our youth ministry opportunities at https://www.signupgenius.com/ locating the signups under the email youth@starcc.com











It's been another busy week for our high school teens: They came together for our Before-School Mass on the Feast of St. Blaise and had their throats blessed, fed and clothed the hungry on a very cold night in NYC at our Midnight Run, participated in the Welcome Home Parade for Caragh, attended Holy Hoops and were commissioned as Teen Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion!

~ Parish News ~



LAST WEEKEND TO APPLY!

We will be increasing the number of candidates for this Emmaus.

We will accept a limited number of applications until February 14

from teens in grades 10-12 who have not attended Emmaus as a Candidate.

Candidate Application is open at http://www.staemmaus.org/

Questions? Please contact the Rector/Rectora Bill & Bridget Besgen at saintaloysiusemmaus@gmail.com

Men's Ministry Holy Hour with Eucharistic Adoration and Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday, February 15th at 7:30 p.m.

All men in the parish are warmly invited to step back from our daily challenges and join us for an hour of quiet reflection in the Lord's presence.





Knights of Columbus February 6, 2022 Free Throw Competition Results

Congratulations to the 2022 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest Winners. They will advance to The KOC District Free Throw Contest.

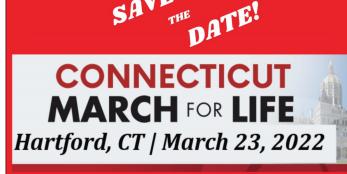
Patrick Hildebrand Tucker Reilly Claire Dunleavy Luke Riley Liam Hibbert Whit O'Reiley













Check future bulletins or webpage for details www.starcc.com/respect_life

St. Aloysius Cub Scout Pack 45



Open to boys and girls in K-5th grade. Pack meetings are held on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7pm in the St. Aloysius School gym.

For Pack information, contact Cubmaster Danielle McKee at (203) 979-3023 or danielle@joemckee.com.

St. Aloysius Boy Scout Troop 45 Open to 6th grade and older boys both new



Open to 6th grade and older boys both new to Scouting or existing Scouts looking for leadership opportunities to join. Troop meetings are held weekly on Tuesday nights at 7pm in the St. Aloysius School gym.

Contact Scoutmaster Steve Prostor at (646) 331-6719 or sprostor.troop45@gmail.com for more information

~ Parish News & Other News ~

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Men's Bible Study & Fellowship Saturday Mornings

All Men are welcome, whether you have a degree in Scripture or you've never opened the Bible outside of Mass.

7:30 a.m. - Doors open for light breakfast and fellowship. 8:30-9:30 a.m. - Scripture study

Maple Street Dining Room of the Parish Center.

Please enter through the kitchen door off Maple Street.

For more information contact Bob Mantilia at 203-414-1500 or robertmantilia@yahoo.com



It's not too late to join us!



St. A's Walking With Purpose

Women's Bible Study 2021 - 2022 Program Starting
Via Zoom (until further notice)

Women New to WWP – Opening Your Heart - our foundational course that teaches us how to experience all that God has in store for us!

Returning Women – Fearless and Free - experience healing and wholeness through Jesus Christ

Tuesdays, 9:30 am - 11:30 am or 7:00 pm - 8:30 p.m.

For more information, visit www.starcc.com/WWP

Register Here

Questions? Email the Leadership Team at wwpstaloysius@gmail.com

Special Saint Augustine Medal of Service In Recognition of Clergy and Religious in Pastoral Care Saint Augustine Cathedral Saturday, March 19, 2022 at 11:00 a.m.

Bishop Frank J. Caggiano will be celebrating a special Mass on the Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary in recognition of all the clergy and religious who are serving in hospitals and nursing



homes in the Diocese. Each will be presented a Special Saint Augustine Medal of Service.

All parishioners are invited to come as we honor Saint Joseph, Hope of the Sick, and as we demonstrate our deep gratitude to the clergy and religious who ministered to those in need when, in most cases, others – including local clergy – were not permitted to make pastoral or personal visits in hospitals and nursing homes due to COVID restrictions.



YCP is excited to announce that the nation's largest Young Professional Catholic Network is establishing a chapter right here in Fairfield County! Please Join us, alongside Bishop Frank Caggiano at Holy Spirit Parish (Stamford, CT), <u>Saturday March 19th @7PM</u> for the Chapter's official Launch Party!

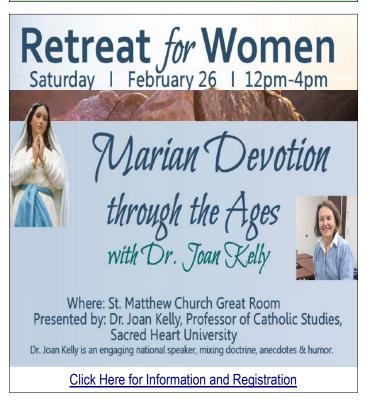
RSVP for free at http://www.tinyurl.com/fairfieldcounty

"YCP is a national organization whose mission is to inspire young adults in all professions to Work in Witness for Christ by hosting events that foster Catholic identity, encourage community, and inspire action."

Other News ~



Lauralton Hall's ever-popular Irish Night featuring the Highland Rovers Band, Fairfield Gaelic Pipe Band, and Brennan-Lucey Irish Step Dancers will be held on Saturday, March 5, 7:30 pm (doors open at 6:45 pm) at Lauralton Hall, 200 High Street, Milford. Coffee, tea, and dessert will be provided. Bring your own beverages, ice and snacks. \$25 per person, age 21 and over event. Tickets available at www.lauraltonhall.org/irishnight; for more information, email IrishNight@lauraltonhall.org.



Foundations in Education 2022 Annual Gala May 5, 2022



Foundations in Education invites you to its Annual Gala on Thursday, May 5, 2022. Join Most Reverend Frank J. Caggiano to celebrate our honorees - our own Dr. Steve Cheeseman (Superintendent of Schools). Barbara and Peter Ripp, and Mutual of WOODWAY COUNTRY CLUB America. Join us in celebration and support

of Catholic education! Proceeds support Foundations in Education, whose mission is to provide hundreds of children from low- and middle-income families with quality education focused on Christian values and character formation. To purchase tickets and sponsorships or for more information, please call 203-416-1405 or www.foundationsineducation.org



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