



SAINT ALOYSIUS

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

21 Cherry Street, New Canaan, CT 06840
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 9, 2020
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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: Vigil for Sunday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (Family Mass),
11:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (Teen Mass)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Thursday: 7:00 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 7:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
First Friday of the month one-half hour prior to each Mass or always by appointment with a priest.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays 7:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Go to www.starcc.com to sign up.

PARISH OFFICE

40 Maple Street, New Canaan CT 06840
203 966-0020
Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
A priest is always available in an emergency.

CLERGY & STAFF

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Dr. John Alfone, St. Aloysius School Principal	203 966-0786



~ Mass Intentions ~

Monday - 7:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	February 10, 2020 Peter Reed Frank J. Greco Jim Abbott
Tuesday - 7:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	February 11, 2020 Concetta DiBarnaba Joan Toppin
Wednesday - 7:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	February 12, 2020 Janina Lane Thomas J. Cleary & Tommy Fitzpatrick Mike Christiano
Thursday - 7:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	February 13, 2020 Jessie LeBrun Richard E. Schuler
Friday - 7:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	February 14, 2020 Katherine E. Horan Sandy Palma Elizabeth Cembrook
Saturday - 7:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	February 15, 2020 Frank Pomer St. Aloysius Parishioners
Sunday - 7:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	February 16, 2020 Margarita Smith Aldina Polli Gerry Joyce Kevin Flood Louis DiScala

Please Pray for the Deceased:

George Wright
Frances Willis

We Welcome Our New Parishioners:

Toce Family

Blood Pressure Screening This Weekend

The parish nurses will be taking blood pressure screenings after all Masses this weekend. This will take place in the Quiet Room in the back of the church. Also, if you are a registered nurse and would like to help with this ministry please email:

Kim McNamara at kmcnamara3@me.com

Parish E-Mail Notifications

If you would like to receive our weekly parish e-mail notifications plus other parish news, please sign up at www.bit.ly/sta-emaillist

~ Please Pray For ~

Please keep in prayer our sisters and brothers who are named below, and kindly inform the parish office of others that should be added to the prayer list.

Joseph Adiletta, Toni Recchia Allende, Maria Alvarado, Eileen Apy, William Peter Barrack, Mary Ann Balog, Kristen Brelford, John Burch Jr., John J. Butler, Tony Cantone, Addison Jane Carestia, Claire Carter, Janice Carty, Lois Cawley, Jean Cerbini, Georgie Chapman, Pamela Chatterton-Purdy, Carol Ann Collins, John James Corrigan, Sr., Susan Creaser, Lucia Cusato, Dorothy DeEttore, Deirdre Desmond, Matthew DeVaney, Frank DiMuzio, Kathleen Dooley, Kylie Edmund Dougherty, Monique Elliot, Rinda Farnham, Owen Fitzgerald, Ryan Fitzpatrick, Angela Franco, Henry Frank, Paula Lynn Fuegner, Judy Garcia, Garo Garabedian, Franco Gencarelli, Carol Gianattasio, Elizabeth Grottola, Kathy Grove, James Heffner, Jeanne Hersam, Carol Hollister, Olivia Hurley, Sarah Jessie, Mary Katawa, Father Bernie Keefe, Carol King, Christopher Kotos, Sandra Lefler, Georgia Little, Tracee Lutes, Debbie B. Lyon, Mary Maher, Fanny Mao, Dan Mao, Rachel Mawardi, Eileen McCorry, Liz McKay, Sarah McNulty, Donald McQuid, Jon Morrison, Brennan Mulhern, Louis G. Nappi, Carey Cattrell Ogden, Patrick O'Kane, Martin O'Shea, Betty Paglialunga-Geriak, Patrick M. Pantalone, Ana Paredes, Harrison Perley, Austin Jack Pieck, Iracema Galvani Quinete, Nora Radocea, Barton Rappaport, Patricia Rezny, Jeanne Ruddock, Maria Cielo Sanchez, Rudolph John Sandor, Reggie Santella, Anna Marie Schroeder, Lynda Ann Slovik, Josephine Socci, Judy Johnson Spadaccini, Joseph Squeglia Jr., Georgia Sweeney, Szenasi Family, Christopher Tarzia Jr., Ignatius Thompson, Carmela Totaro, Patsy Totaro, Kathleen Turpin, Hernandez-Van Vleet Family, Margot Vaughan, J. Richard Weber, Martha Wieber, Ryan Joseph Willen, Alex Wood

Please pray for those serving in the military:

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

SANCTUARY CANDLES

burn from

2/7/20 - 2/13/20

The Sacred Heart Sanctuary candle for

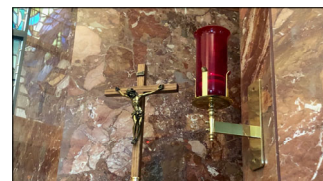
Filip Berisha

The Mary Sanctuary candle for

Heman Bohorquez

The Chapel candle for

Special Intention



St. Aloysius Church, New Canaan, CT

Words from Father Rob Kinnally

News About Brooke Buccieri

As many of you know, Brooke has been a part of our pastoral team at Saint Aloysius. During her time, she has walked with those who are grieving, facilitated the organization of our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion who visit parishioners at home and in care facilities, assisted our staff in reflecting on our mission, welcomed parishioners and visitors alike to Sunday Mass, launched Symbolon (our adult faith formation program), and much more. After a long time of prayerful discernment, Brooke has decided to return to Portland, Oregon to be with her family. Of this decision and of her experience at Saint Aloysius, Brooke wrote the following:

*This was not a decision that I entered into lightly. I spent considerable time praying about what the right thing to do really was...I cherish St. Aloysius, my parish family, my friends and the wonderful volunteer opportunity that was working as a Pastoral Assistant. Honestly, I am very grateful to have had the God-given opportunity to love HIM well by loving well the people HE placed on my path. It was **the most soul-satisfying** work of my life and played a huge part in my discernment.*

I am grateful to Brooke for all that she has done for our parish family. She has been dedicated to bringing Christ closer to those who are searching, brokenhearted, and desiring a deeper relationship with God. Thank you, Brooke, for everything, and at this moment, for reminding us that God has a loving plan for us, and that prayer helps us to discover where God wants us to be.

Please keep Brooke in your prayers as she embarks on her next adventure.

Have a blessed week, and please keep those who are sick in our prayers.

Father Rob



Breakthrough Boys Group Bowling

~ St. Aloysius School News ~

Science Fair

St. Aloysius School recently held its annual science fair, wherein all students in grades 5-8 participated. The 5th graders did an amazing job dressing up and learning all about important scientists, while the 6-8th graders showcased the hard work on their projects. Congratulations to all of the Science Fair participants and winners!

GRADE 8

- 1st Place: "App to Keep Score of Individual Players in Sports" - Erin L.
- 2nd Place: "Boundary Setting Tracker" - Sofie B.
- 3rd Place: "It's Raining Acid" - Kelly D., Bern M.

GRADE 7

- 1st Place: "Relationship Between Tree Species & BTUs" - Richard M.
- 2nd Place: "Fire and Chemistry" - Peter G., Max S.
- 3rd Place: "Hydraulic Lift" - Cailey V., Emma M.

GRADE 6

- 1st Place: "Solar Energy vs Saint Aloysius Current Energy Supply" - Maya R., Alessandra D., Eila O.
- 2nd Place: "An Egg Out of This World" - Henry B., John M.
- 3rd Place: "Electrifying Metals" - Chris A., Luke M.



St. Aloysius – A Tithing Parish

TITHING MEANS ONE-TENTH:

FIVE % TO MY CHURCH + FIVE % TO CHARITY

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2020	\$18,816
Online Giving for the week:	<u>\$3,565</u>
TOTAL OFFERTORY:	<u>\$22,381</u>
LAST YEAR:	\$28,650

Reminder: Submissions to the **bulletin & Eblast** are due each week before **Tuesday at 12:00 noon.**

All submissions for the bulletin should be sent to:
bulletin@starcc.com.

All submissions for the Eblast should be sent to:
pattig@websforgood.com

~ Religious Education ~

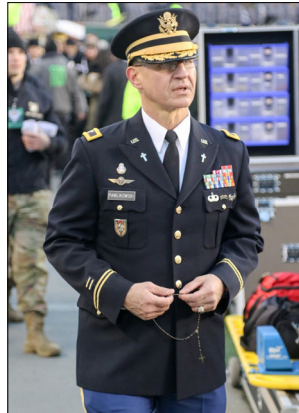
Reminder: There will be no Religious Education classes during winter break - Feb 16th through Feb 23rd. Classes resume on Monday, Feb 24th.

Grades 1 through 6: Please sign up for Flocknote if you have not done so yet. Instructions can be found on our website.

**Invitation for all
Level 1 and Level 2 Confirmation Students**

Colonel (Chaplain) Matthew Pawlikowski, United States Army will speak with us this **Monday, February 10th from 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm in the Church; and again from 4:10 pm - 4:50 pm.**

This is a wonderful opportunity to hear the Rev. Fr. Matt's stories of service, personal courage, and accountability in everything he does and has done.



All parishioners are welcome to come hear him speak!

More information can be found at <https://binged.it/2QC4Yod>

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Aloysius Chapel
EVERY Friday
7:30am - 7:30pm



"What happiness do we not feel in the presence of God, when we find ourselves alone at his feet, before the holy tabernacle. Come, my soul, redouble your ardor! You are here alone to adore your God! His look rests on you alone!"

- St. John Vianney

Anyone willing to commit 30 minutes or more in advance may use this link <http://bit.ly/eucador> or visit the parish website at www.starcc.com.

**Attention all Men of the Parish:
Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study and Fellowship**

All are welcome. Don't worry if you can't attend regularly. It's easy to stay current. **8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.** - Scripture study. Doors open at 7:30 a.m. for a light breakfast and fellowship.

Maple Street Dining Room of the Parish Center. Contact Bob Mantilia at 203-414-1500 or email robertmantilia@yahoo.com.

~ Youth Ministry ~



**High School Teens in
Fellowship, Prayer, Service and Worship!**
Sign up at www.signupgenius.com, locating the sign ups under youth@starcc.com

Valentines for Vets -

Wednesday, February 12th

High school teens are needed to visit the VA Hospital in West Haven to deliver the Valentine gift bags made by our Never Too Young to Serve Disciples. We will be leaving from NCHS at 2:10 p.m.



Teen Dinner n' Adoration -

Wednesday, February 12th

Dinner and fellowship followed by an opportunity to break away from the outside world and spend time with Christ, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available.



**Make Sure Your Summer Has a FAITH Plan
Registration Open NOW for Limited Spots!**

Steubenville East Youth Conference
July 10th-12th at University of Rhode Island
Young Neighbors in Action Summer Mission Trip
June 27th- July 3rd in St. Louis, MO.

Adult chaperones are needed. Limited spots available. Visit the youth page of the parish website for info sheets & registration forms.



**Emmaus 79 . . . February 28-March 1
Our Road to Emmaus Continues as the
Team Prepares for the Retreat!**

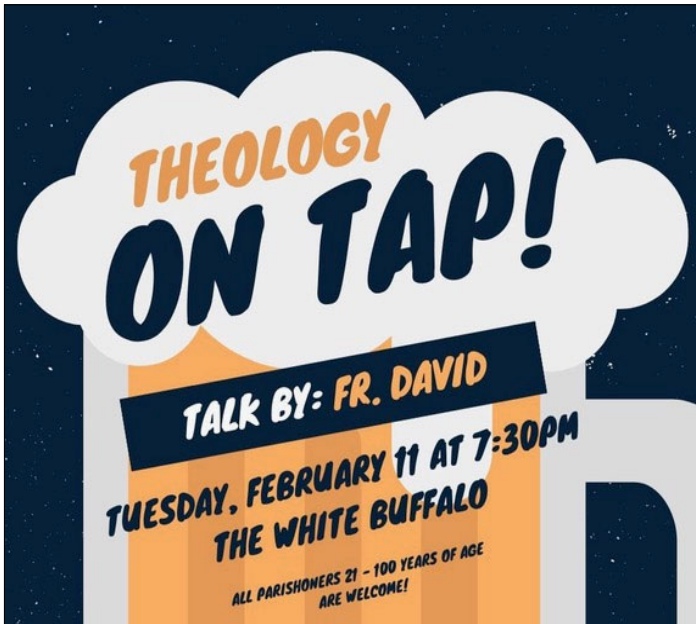
Team Formation meetings are Sundays, February 9 and 23 in Stapleton Hall. All those on the team are asked to come for fellowship at 2:30 p.m., as our meetings will begin promptly at 2:45 p.m. We will be finished in time to attend the 5pm Teen Mass together. We are in need of VIRTUS-trained adults who are over 21 to serve as night angels. If you can help, please sign-up at www.staemmaus.org. Those who have submitted candidate applications will be advised of acceptance this week. Waitlisted individuals who are not cleared are urged to re-apply for our Fall Emmaus Retreat and become involved in our Youth Ministry offerings!



Visit us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/StAloysiusNC/> and Instagram [@StAloysiusnc](https://www.instagram.com/StAloysiusnc)



~ Parish News ~



Parish Volunteer Reception

Please join us for the Saint Aloysius Parish Volunteer Reception

Sunday, February 23, 2020

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Saint Aloysius School Gym

Light fare and beverages will be served.

Please RSVP if **you can attend** by February 18, 2020 to John Palma at

203-652-1140 or jpalma@starcc.com

If you volunteered in any capacity during 2019 then this invitation is for you!



**Knights of Columbus
Free-Throw Competition
Results**



Congratulations to the 2020 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest Winners. They will advance to The KOC District Free

Girls:

Julia DiGiacomo
Megan Ratner
Carielle D'Elisa

Boys:

Carter Dailey
Braxton Neidermeier
Colin Finnerty



walking with purpose
THE MODERN WOMAN'S GUIDE TO THE BIBLE

NOW AT ST. ALOYSIUS

Opening Your Heart: The Starting Point, is our foundational course, designed for women who are new to Walking with Purpose as well as those with more experience in Bible Study!

Grounded in Hope: The New Testament Letter to the Hebrews, will help you encounter Jesus in such a powerful, comforting, and stabilizing way that He can become your lifeline.

Prerequisite – *Opening Your Heart*.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO REGISTER

Please visit www.starcc.com/WWP for details



Please join us for

A Mardi Gras Pancake Dinner

Tuesday, February 25th 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Saint Aloysius School Gym.

Come together with your parish family for one last celebration before we enter Lent.

\$5.00/per person



**THAT MAN IS YOU! -
A Man After God's Heart**

Iron sharpens iron, and one man sharpens another. *Proverbs 27:17*

Men, please join us every Thursday evening at 7:30pm-8:45pm through April 9th in the Upstairs 40 Maple Street Conference Room.

A video and group discussion program, with a theological and leadership training underpinning, designed to create a safe environment to discuss the challenges we face relating to our roles as husbands, fathers, brothers and friends.

Get more details at https://www.starcc.com/mens_ministry



Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 9, 2020

~ Parish and Other News ~



MISSION ROSARY WORKSHOP

Learn how to make a cord rosary for the missions and homeless

Join us in Stapleton Hall at 10:30 am
Thursday, February 27

Questions: call Kathie Karl
(203) 966-4065

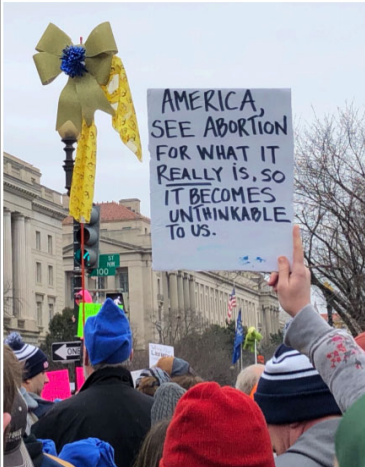
Caffeine & Catholics after 10 a.m. Mass



We need your help with future weekends. Sign up today with your family, class, or friends (counts as Confirmation service hours). Thorough instructions & an e-mail reminder are sent the Wednesday before your scheduled coffee.

Please sign up at <http://bit.ly/Caff-Cath>

Thank you for serving our parish! Questions? Contact Michele Sloan msloan@houlihanlawrence.com or 203-858-5039. Spread the news about the coffees and invite your friends to attend!



St. Aloysius parishioners prayed
147 Rosaries!

See https://www.starcc.com/Respect_Life
for time lapse video of entire March!



Scouting is back at St. A's!



Cub Scouts:

Pack 45 (K-5th grade boys and girls) meets monthly on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7pm in the St. Aloysius School gym. Join anytime!

Scouts BSA (formerly Boy Scouts):

A new Scouts BSA Troop (5th-12th grade boys and girls) is being launched in the Spring of 2020. Seeking help from St. A's parishioners who are Eagle Scouts and/or former Troop 45 alumni to help us re-start of the Troop.

Details can be found at: <http://bit.ly/StAScouts>

MALTA HOUSE
HOPE FOR LIFE



Malta House needs 2 - 4 bilingual volunteers that can commit to our Monthly Community Outreach program.

The Community Outreach Program runs twice a month on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month from 9 - 2 pm to help sort and give out pampers to the mothers in need.

Please call and speak with Laila Bravo 203.857.0088 for more information.



DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

Wedding Jubilee MASS & CONCERT

For married couples celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45 and 50+ year
wedding anniversaries

SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2020 🕒 3:00PM

ST. THERESA PARISH IN TRUMBULL

MAIN CELEBRANT: BISHOP FRANK CAGGIANO

Register to attend at www.bridgeportdiocese.org/jubileemass

COMING HOME CONCERT

ST. LOUIS JESUITS

Tim Manion, Roc O'Connor, SJ and Dan Schutte



Sunday, February, 16, 2020 at 4:00 PM
Quick Center for the Arts | Fairfield University

For details visit www.stlouisjesuits.com
or call the Quick Center Box Office at
203.254.4010

Information Sheet

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Lynn Turiano

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

If for any reason our bulletins cannot leave your plant on Friday morning, please call us at the Church number listed above. Thank you.