

Saint Aloysius

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

New Canaan, Connecticut 203-966-0020 • www.starcc.com • گ Accessible The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - November 6, 2022

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: <u>www.starcc.com</u>

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 Fridays 7:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.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

Christine Hussey, Trustee Stephen Schlegel, Trustee Leo E. Karl, Jr., Trustee Emeritus



~ Mass Intentions ~

Monday -	November 7, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Carmine and Philomena Braccia
5:30 p.m.	Members of the Van Fleet Family
Tuesday -	November 8, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Michelo and Madilda Paladino
5:30 p.m.	Betty Flynn
Wednesday -	November 9, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Betty Flynn
5:30 p.m.	Bernard Kelly
Thursday - 7:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	November 10, 2022 Harrison Pierce, Jr., St. Aloysius Parishioners Salvatore Perone
Friday -	November 11, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Bridget Lydon
5:30 p.m.	Carmen and Maria Hernandez
Saturday -	November 12, 2022
7:00 a.m.	Michael Picciallo
5:00 p.m.	Jean DiPanni
Sunday - 7:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	November 13, 2022 Stewart Fife Concetta & Antonio DiMuzio, Vincenzo DiFrancesco
10:00 a.m.	Patrick Byrnes
11:30 a.m.	Clarence F. Urso
5:00 p.m.	Raymond D. Totten, Jr.

We Welcome our Newly Baptized Parishioners:

Alexandra Lily Jensen John Henry Zanzarella

Marriage Banns: III - Megan Mitchell and Nicholas Rienzi

> Please Pray for the Deceased: Carl Cimino Concetta F. Gardiner John F. Pierce Eileen Sullivan Seger

We Welcome Our New Parishioners:

Baber Family, Doorley Family, Haley Family, Jorgensen-Dunster Family Lauren and Brian Queally



The Parish Offices will be closed on Friday, November 11th in observance of Veterans Day.

~ Please Pray For ~

Please let us know if you see a name that should be removed from this list because their circumstances have changed.

Maria Alvarado, Eileen Apy, Michele and Kurt Babyak, Benjamin Barresi, Margaret "Peg" Brewer, Rose Burke, Anthony Burrows, John J. Butler, Michael Buzzeo, Tony Cantone, Addison Jane Carestia, Claire Carter, Lois Cawley, Luz Celit, Pamela Chatterton-Purdy, Brian Cristello, Lucia Cusato, Tina Cusimano, Michael DeCarlo, Rick Daniels, Audrey Dertinger, Deirdre Desmond, Matthew DeVaney, Kathleen Dooley, Caragh Dougherty, Aidan Duver, Madeline Dwyer, Monique Elliot. John Emert, Michael Fallon, Rinda Farnham. Mark Dale Ferguson, Owen Fitzgerald, Ryan Fitzpatrick, Angela Franco, Maria Franco, Henry Frank, Paula Lynn Fuegner, Ging Galindo, Judy Garcia, Garo Garabedian, John Gaffney, Vilma Gaudio-Carollo, Franco Gencarelli, Carol Gianattasio, Kathy Grove, James Heffner, D.J. Holland, Carol Hollister, Olivia Hurley, Juan Invernon, Maria Invernon, Sarah Jessie, Danny Jones, Mary Katawa, Carol King, Michael Kiernan, Maryann Knag, Christopher Kotos, Al Latte, Jose Lavana, Vicki LeBris, 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, Dell Murphy, Louis G. Nappi, Scott Nicholas, John O'Connor, 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, Shirley Rogers, Jeanne Ruddock, Molly Russo, Maria Cielo Sanchez, Rudolph John Sandor, Reggie Santella, Caroline Kontis Schneider, Karen Scigliano, Lynda Ann Slovik, Paul Sorge, Sr., Judy Johnson Spadaccini, John Strba, 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:

1st Lt. Morgan Carson; CPT Elizabeth A. Condon; 2nd Lt. Paul Corapi; Lt. Col. Neil Dolan; Captain Brian Gerardi; Sgt. Patrick Joseph Hussey; 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 this week in memory of

David Reinholt Sacred Heart Sanctuary Candle Gloria Franco Mary Sanctuary Candle Rick Daniels (Living) Chapel Candle



Words from Father Rob Kinnally

Understanding the Mass – The Liturgy of the Word, Part 2

After the Scripture readings, the celebrant preaches the homily. The word "homily" is derived from the Greek word homilia which means "conversation." In our tradition we use the word "homily" rather than "sermon" because a sermon can be offered outside of a religious service and is often focused on morals, and may not draw from the Scripture. In the homily, the preacher focuses on the Scripture texts or some other texts from the liturgy, drawing from them lessons that may help us to live our discipleship better and be more faithful to Christ's call to grow in holiness.

The Code of Canon Law outlines the function and requirement of preaching:

Canon 767 §1. Among the forms of preaching, the homily, which is part of the liturgy itself and is reserved to a priest or deacon, is preeminent; in the homily the mysteries of faith and the norms of Christian life are to be explained from the sacred text during the course of the liturgical year. §2. A homily must be given at all Masses on Sundays and holy days of obligation which are celebrated with a congregation, and it cannot be omitted except for a grave cause. §3. It is strongly recommended that if there is a sufficient congregation, a homily is to be given even at Masses celebrated during the week, especially during the time of Advent and Lent or on the occasion of some feast day or a sorrowful event.

So, did you ever wonder how preachers come up with the material for their homilies? Well, as I just mentioned, most homilies are drawn from the Scripture of the day. The preparation is a combination of prayer, study, and awareness. When I am crafting a Sunday homily, I usually read the Scripture for the upcoming Sunday as early as the Monday before. I let the words sit with me as the week progresses, and I am attentive to what is going on in the world, our country, and more locally. By mid-week, I have a more developed sense of an outline for the homily, and I may consult several commentaries in order to consider an insight, detail or clarifying point. Then I pray for inspiration, asking the Holy Spirit to give me what I need to say what the Lord wants me to say. By Friday, everything has usually come together and Saturday morning is a time for more prayer, the confirmation of the main points and the tweaking of details.

In many Masses, the Profession of Faith then follows the homily, either the Nicene or Apostles' Creed. The Nicene Creed is a statement of faith dating from the fourth century, while the Apostles' Creed is the ancient baptismal creed of the Church in Rome. If baptismal promises are renewed, from a formula based on the Apostles' Creed, this takes the place of the Creed.

The Liturgy of the Word concludes with the Universal Prayer, also called the Prayer of the Faithful. The gathered assembly intercedes with God on behalf of the Church, the world, and themselves, entrusting their needs to the faithful and loving God.

Next week we will turn our attention to the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

Have a blessed week!

Father Rob



St. Aloysius – A Tithing Parish TITHING MEANS ONE-TENTH: FIVE % TO MY CHURCH + FIVE % TO CHARITY

Sunday, October 30, 2022	\$14,159
Online Giving for the week:	<u>\$7,317</u>
TOTAL OFFERTORY:	<u>\$21,476</u>
LAST YEAR:	\$33,793

Online giving is now more important than ever.

Thank you!

Second Collection this weekend is for Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA

St. Aloysius Church, New Canaan, CT

~ Religious Education ~



Confirmation

Our Confirmation Retreats were a huge success! Confirmation students, sponsors and parents participated in a variety of team-building activities followed by time in prayer in Adoration. May the Holy Spirit continue to guide them on their journey towards Confirmation.



















Blood Pressure Screening After All Masses Next Weekend November 12th & 13th

The St. A's Parish Nurse Ministry will be taking blood pressure screenings after all Masses next weekend in the Quiet Room in the back of the church.

If you are a registered nurse and would like to help with this ministry please email: Kim McNamara at <u>kmcnamara3@me.com</u>

~ Youth Ministry ~

StAY Connected to St. A's Youth Ministry on Facebook AND Instagram! We are trying to build followers!!! Like and Follow us on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/StAYNC/ Follow us on Instagram at stay.nc

Emmaus 81 Reunion Sunday, November 6th Mass at 5pm followed by Pizza and Reunion E81 Team members and candidates and their parents invited! Sign up Here - Emmaus 81



Trip to Botanical Gardens with the Thorpe Families Election Day Tuesday, November 8th 12:15 pm <u>Sign up Here - Botanical</u>



Teen Adoration Wednesday, November 9th Teens in Grades 7-12 invited to come spend time in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Sign Up Here



Saturday, November 12th *Two Opportunities!!* Pray the Rosary with Waveny Care Center Village Residents at 1:15pm. Sign Up Here - Waveny

St. A's Buddies Host Bingo for our Friends with Special Needs at 4:00pm. Sign Up Here - Buddies Bingo

 Holy Hoops for Guys
Sunday, November 13 at 1:00 pm
Pick up basketball with a halftime faith and scripture discussion Sign Up Here - Holy Hoops



Our teens put their faith into action last week hosting ZOOM Bingo for our St. A's Buddies (friends with special needs). They played Bingo with the School House Apartment residents, prayed the Rosary at Sliders n' S'mores with Mary, hosted Malta and Breakthrough families and alums for our Annual Trunk or Treat Fall Fest and came to Mass on the Solemnity of All Saints! Check out all of our pics on the StAY Youth Ministry Facebook page!

~ Parish News ~

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO SERVED OUR COUNTRY AND THOSE WHO CARE FOR THEM.

GIFTS FOR OUR VETERANS & FRONT LINE WORKERS AT OUR LOCAL VA HOSPITAL

TAKE GALLON SIZE ZIP LOCK BAGS AND FILL WITH 01

For the Patients

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For the Staff

candy and individually wrapped cookies, cool-looking socks, lip balm shaving lotions (no razor blades), anything patriotic to decorate their room. Most, but not all, of the patients are men.

gloves and scarves (gender neutral), chocolate candy, hard candy, aranola bars

Enclose a handwritten note of thanks

Enclose a handwritten Veterans Day card.

Handmade personal cards from the kids should not include last names, Please only use first names when signing the cards

We are unable to accept homemade food.

PLEASE RETURN BAGS TO THE BOX IN THE NARTHEX BEFORE NOVEMBER 7TH SO WE CAN DELIVER THEM IN TIME FOR VETERANS DAY.



Knights of Columbus St. Aloysius Council 2287



On Saturday, October 29, 2022, St. Aloysius Knights of Columbus along with other area councils purchased over 500



new coats for area needy kids of all ages. The coats were distributed at the Norwalk Family and Children's Agency. This is one of many charitable events that our council participates in throughout the year. The Knights of Columbus welcomes all of the men of the parish to

become a Knight. Please email: michaellamagna01@gmail.com for more information.

Knights of Columbus presents its Annual Free Throw Contest

Sunday, November 6th 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. in the Saint Aloysius Gym BOYS & GIRLS ages 9-14

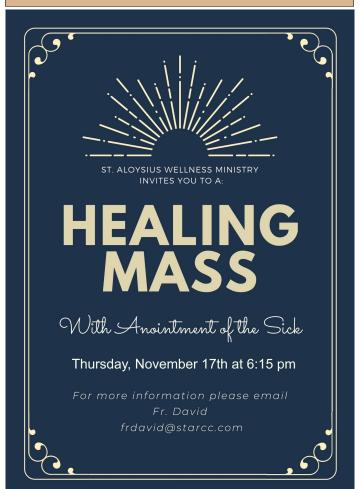
All winners will compete in the district competition with an eye toward moving on to the state and international levels.



PRAISE & WORSHIP HOLY HOURS

WOMENS NIGHT - MONDAY NOV 14 2 **MENS NIGHT - TUESDAY NOV 15**

AT 7 PM IN THE CHURCH



Bulletin and Eblast Submissions Deadlines

- Eblast submissions are due by Monday at 1 p.m.
- Bulletin submissions are due by Tuesday at 3 p.m. Email to: bulletin@starcc.com

~ Parish News ~



We have much to be thankful for . . . here are some opportunities to have your family reach out to help our hungry brothers and sisters for Thanksgiving as we act through the power of the Holy Spirit!

> Donate a frozen turkey breast or ham in the Turkey Truck November 19 - 21

All donations will be taken to those in need of a turkey for their Thanksgiving. The Turkey-Truck, courtesy of Karl Chevrolet, will be parked in front of the church from Saturday, Nov. 17th at 11:00 a.m. until Monday, Nov. 21st at 9:00 a.m.

Donate a bag of groceries to the Annual Love Your Neighbor Food Drive for the New Canaan Food Pantry November 19 - 20

The needed items grocery list is on the homepage of the parish website and will be on bags that will be distributed after all of the Masses next weekend. Please bring your donations before or after any Mass on November 19 - 20.

Never TOO Young to Serve FAMILY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

We need 25 Thanksgiving baskets for families in Norwalk and Stamford! Details can be found at the link below! Drop off at the Tudor House by Sunday, November 20th! <u>Sign up here</u>

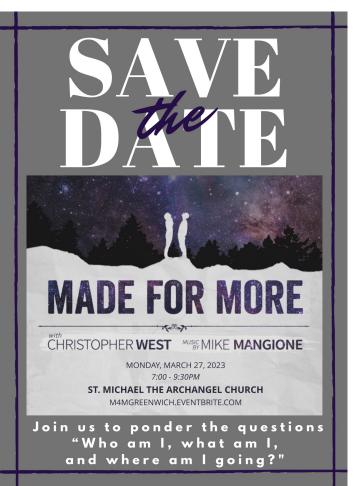


Mother Teresa's Closet

Mother Teresa's Closet is now open <u>by</u> <u>appointment</u> at a time convenient for you.

It will be cold soon. The need is great for heavy winter clothing including boots, hats, etc. for all ages. Summer clothing will be shared with the Mission in Colombia. We also need household linens. Complete guidelines are available on our church website a t <u>www.starcc.com/118</u>.

To schedule an appointment between November 7th- November 13th, please contact Judi Anders at judianders@sbcglobal.net or call 203-858-1412.





January 20, 2023



Check future bulletins or webpage for details



www.starcc.com/respect_life

~ Parish and Other News ~



It's not too late to join! St. A's Walking With Purpose



Join like-minded sisters in faith as we come to know Jesus Christ

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 - Touching the Divine - Gain a deeper understanding of Jesus through the Gospel of John.

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

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

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

Register Here

Attention all Men of the Parish Saturday Men's Bible Study & Fellowship

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

We meet every Saturday morning. Don't worry if you can't attend regularly. It's easy to stay current.

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@vahoo.com

Gifts from Bethlehem

Olivewood Handcrafted from the Holy Land will be available to purchase in the Narthex of the Church after all Masses this weekend.

The handicrafts trade evolved as a cultural tradition of Christians in the Holy Land for many centuries. Thank you for your vital support for a Christian tradition and in protecting this very important culture and industry.





Monthly Prayer Intention

November For Children Who Suffer

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guarenteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.



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