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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 13, 2024

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 Fridays 7:30 a.m. - 5:15 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE

40 Maple St, New Canaan, CT 06840 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.

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~ Mass Intentions ~

Monday -October 14, 2024 7:00 a.m. Roy Riggio, St. Alovsius Parishioners 5:30 p.m. Claudia Monaco October 15, 2024 Tuesday -7:00 a.m. Robert Jones 5:30 p.m. Harold Williams October 16, 2024 Wednesday -7:00 a.m. Jill Hughes Newcom 5:30 p.m. Marlene and Fred Tiani Thursday -October 17, 2024 7:00 a.m. Francesca Palermo (L) 5:30 p.m. Bari Taylor October 18, 2024 Friday -7:00 a.m. Vincent Jagodzinski 5:30 p.m. Gino Buzzeo Saturday -October 19, 2024 7:00 a.m. Lucy Pavia Jean DiPanni 5:00 p.m. Sunday -October 20, 2024 7:00 a.m. Louise vanderHeyden 8:30 a.m. Sarah LaMorte Mary Aldrich Mimi Franz Marion Mitchell Nadia Legnani Joseph Ventura 10:00 a.m. John J. Ricciardi

11:30 a.m.

5:00 p.m.

We Welcome Our Newly Baptized:

Constance Ippolito

Albert Cardone

Charles Harris White Eloise Margaret Torres

Marriage Banns:

III - Gabriella Borea and Kevin Black

We Welcome Our New Parishioners:

John Beirne and Elizabeth Martin

Davis Family
Dearwester Family
deVolpi Family
DiTeodoro Family
Engelke Family
Howard Family
Sanz Family
Tonnessen Family
Valickus Family

~ Please Pray For ~

Maria Alvarado, Michele and Kurt Babyak, Benjamin Barresi, Deborah Bostic, Landis Branham, William Branham, Margaret "Peg" Brewer, Kathleen Butler Brown, Anthony Burrows. Michael Buzzeo, Tony Cantone, Addison Jane Carestia, Jim Carty, Tom Carty, Margaret Cavanagh, Lois Cawley, Luz Celit, Tracy Champion, Teddy Connolly, Brian Cristello, James Cristello, Tina Cusimano, Michael DeCarlo, Brooke D'Aleo, Rick Daniels, Audrey Dertinger, Matthew DeVaney, Lawrence DeVito, Mauro DiFulvio, Caragh Dougherty, Madeline Dwyer, Monique Elliot, John Emert, Michael Fallon, Rinda Farnham, Mark Dale Ferguson, Grace Ferlito, Owen Fitzgerald, Ryan Fitzpatrick, Angela Franco, Maria Franco, Henry Frank, Paula Lynn Fuegner, Ging Galindo, Judy Garcia, Alexandra Gagliardi, Vilma Gaudio-Carollo, Ann Gehnrich, Franco Gencarelli, Carol Gianattasio, Austin Gidge, Barrie Gonzalez, Kathy Grove, James Heffner, Carol Hollister, Olivia Hurley, Juan Invernon, Maria Invernon, Sarah Jessie, William K., Mary Katawa, Carol King, Maryann Knag, Christopher Kotos, Clare Kretzman, Merrily Krauser, Elaine M. Kuzlik, Al Latte, Jose Lavana, Vicki LeBris, Joanne Liscio, Joshua Liscio, Georgia Little, Tracee Lutes, Debbie B. Lyon, Mary Maher, Fanny Mao, Dan Mao, Rachel Mawardi, Liz McKay, Martin McLaughlin, Sarah McNulty, Donald McQuid, Fabiola Mellio, Catherine Middleton, Jon Morrison, Dell Murphy, Melissa Murray, Louis G. Nappi, Diane Oberander, Chris O'Connor, Patrick O'Kane, Martin O'Shea, Patrick M. Pantalone, Ana Paredes, Harrison Perley, Austin Jack Pieck, Maggie Pierce, Cathy McClane Quiaoit, Noah Quiaoit, Iracema Galvani Quinete, Lily Pickering, Nora Radocea, Barton Rappaport, Michael ReQua, Patricia Rezny, Kelly Robb, Jeanne Ruddock, Maria Cielo Sanchez, Caroline Kontis Schneider, Massimo Sciaretta, Karen Scigliano, Carol Selvin, Diane Silverio, Donna Silverio, Lynda Ann Slovik, Frank Smith, Susan Leighton Smith, Paul Sorge, Sr., Fernando Spadaccini, Georgia Sweeney, Mike Szarpa, Szenasi Family, Christopher Tarzia Jr., Ignatius Thompson, Kathleen Turpin, Margot Vaughan, Dominick Anthony Vento, Dorothy Voris, Martha Wieber, Ryan Joseph Willen, Alex Wood, Marie Zapata

Please pray for those serving in the military:

Sgt. Tiernan Christopher Brady; 1st Lt. Morgan Carson; CPT Elizabeth A. Condon; CPT Paul Corapi; CPT Vienna Corapi; Lt. Col. Neil Dolan; Major Brian Gerardi; Staff Sgt. Patrick Joseph Hussey; Spec. 3rd CL Thomas Lally; Lt. Col. Todd Polk; Lt. Col. Christopher Schilling; 1st Lt. Andrew Scott; E3 Peter Sloan USN; CPT Jason Trischitta USAF; SSG Steven Vasko

SANCTUARY CANDLES burn this week in memory of

Ralph Fiorito
Sacred Heart Sanctuary Candle
Andres Rojas
Mary Sanctuary Candle
Peter J. Romaniello

Peter J. Romaniello Chapel Candle

~ Parish News ~



🦴 <u>Words from Monsignor Rob Kinnally</u>

How to Get Into Heaven

Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him, "You are lacking in one thing.
Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me."
At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions.

I am struck each time I read the parable of the rich young man at how attentive Jesus is to this soul who walks away sad because "he had many possessions": "Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him, 'You are lacking in one thing.'" Imagine Jesus looking into our eyes and loving us because he knows that is just what we need. Imagine Jesus knowing that we like to take control, remain independent, and collect things that make us "happy"; and despite all of that, He still looks at us, loves us and is hopeful. Imagine Jesus saying to us, "Don't be afraid to be helpless because with me you are strongest when you are weak."

Now imagine running *toward* Jesus and saying to him, "I now know what love is. I have recognized the poor, I have loved them like you love me, I have given them what they need, and I have come to ask if you will please hold me and love me forever!"

I think *Heaven-on-earth* is surrendering to Jesus everything that isn't His and giving it away to those who don't have anything. I think *Heaven* is living that freedom while looking into Jesus' loving eyes. Let's say our prayers so we can get there.

Monsignor Rob

P.S. Please pray the Rosary this month for peace in the world!

HURRICANE RELIEF COLLECTION

In light of the devastating effects of the recent storms in the southern part of our country, Bishop Caggiano has asked that we take up a special collection at the Masses this weekend. The funds will be forwarded to Catholic Charities USA, the official domestic relief agency of the Catholic Church of the U.S. One hundred percent of funds received will be distributed to the disaster-stricken communities to care for our affected brothers and sisters. Checks can be made out to the parish, and please write "Hurricane Relief" on the memo line of your check. Thank you for your generosity.

Mass of Remembrance 2024



This year's Mass of Remembrance will be held on All Souls' Day Saturday, November 2nd at 9:00 a.m.

We will be reading names of all those parishioners who passed away between 11/3/2023 and today.

If you would like to add the name of a family member or friend who passed away this last year but might not be a parishioner, please email their name to John Palma at jpalma@starcc.com.



Blood Pressure Screening
will take place in the Quiet Room
at the back of the church after
all Masses next weekend October 19th & 20th

The Parish Offices will be closed on Monday, October 14th for Columbus Day.

We will reopen on Tuesday, October 15th at 9:00 a.m.

St. Aloysius – A Tithing Parish

TITHING MEANS ONE-TENTH: FIVE % TO MY CHURCH + FIVE % TO CHARITY

Sunday, October 6, 2024\$20,250Online Giving for the week:4,170TOTAL OFFERTORY:\$24,420

LAST YEAR: \$22,452

Please donate today at https://starcc.isecuresites.com/

Second Collection next weekend is for World Mission Sunday

NEXT WEEKEND we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

~ Religious Education ~

Grades Pre-K to 6th

We do not have classes on Sunday, October 13th and October 20th

Please remember that you are still required to attend Mass during these weekends,

Confirmation

Thanks to the overwhelming generosity of our parishioners we will be able to fill 1,000 Christmas Stockings to be delivered to impoverished children living in Kentucky AND include a ham with every stocking! Our Level 1 Confirmation students did a great job collecting at all the Masses.















Ethan happily collected; and delivered to the local food pantry, all the food given generously from our parishioners to help feed the hungry right here in our own community.



Misa en Español Sábado 19 de Octubre a las 6:30 p.m.

Para más información póngase en contacto con el Padre Flavian frflavian@starcc.com

~ Youth Ministry ~



Sign up at: TeenAdoration

Help out at our Intergenerational Opportunities on Sunday, October 20!







Blessed Sacrament in Bridgeport Pumpkin Patch
Sign up at: PumpkinPatch

Oktoberfest for Seniors
Sign up at: Octoberfest









Last week, over 75 teens came together on the Feast of Holy Guardian Angels at our Before-School Teen Mass and a group of our high school ladies had tea with some of our senior parishioners!

~ Parish News ~



Donations Urgently Needed



The Knights of Columbus and Al's Angels are collecting Items to be delivered directly to those impacted by Hurricane Helene in and around Asheville, NC.

Where: Deliver items to the St. Aloysius Church Narthex

When: Drop-off the week of October 13 - October 20th with the

final collection on the 20th after 5:00 Mass

What: Please see list below

All items will be loaded into a truck and transported to NC

Blankets Sleeping Bags Sleeping Pads Hot Hands Hats, Gloves, Scarves **Wool Clothes** Wool Blankets Non Perishable Food **Baby Formula** Sov Formula Pull-ups Size 5-7

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Stop the Bleed Kits



Diapers

For those who would like to make a tax deductible donation to this effort, use this QR code. Enter "Angels for Asheville" in the second address line

Butterfly bandages

Antibiotic Ointment

Wound Wash Spray

Hydro Cortisone Cream







Deacon This Sunday is "Deacon Sunday." Please pray for Sunday Deacon Bill Santulli, Joanne Santulli and their family

during the week. Pray also for our two parishioners in formation for the Permanent Diaconate: Michael Baber and Michael Crane and their wives and family. We are blessed because of their "yes"! Do you think God is calling you to the permanent diaconate? Reach out to Deacon Bill or one of our priests to find out more.

A Prayer for Deacons

Lord Jesus Christ, Servant of all, send your Spirit upon our deacons as they serve your Church. Give them eyes to see the needs of your people. Give them a discerning mind to know your truth. Give them a generous spirit when they are called upon to do your work on earth. Give them a sense of our gratitude even when they think their work goes unnoticed. Give them peace and joy as they serve. Give them health of body so they may serve with strength. Grant them grace as they age so they may share your wisdom. Make their hearts like yours so they may love as you have loved. Amen

Blessing of **Expectant Families**

Sunday, October 27 at the 10 a.m. Mass

For those moms, dads, and siblings who are getting ready to welcome a child into their lives, including those preparing to adopt, please join us at the 10:00 AM "Family" Mass for a special blessing and the prayers of the community.

Let us know you will be there by sending an email to John in the parish office: ipalma@starcc.com.

Mother Teresa's Closet IS OPEN FOR DONATIONS! (by appointment)



For donation guidelines, please refer to our website at https://starcc.com/mother-teresa/

To schedule an appointment between October 14 - 20, please contact Judi Anders at judianders@sbcglobal.net or call 203-858-1412.

Thank you for your continued support.







Thursday, October 24th at 7 p.m. in Stapleton Hall

Men of the Parish are invited to enjoy traditional Oktoberfest brats, beer, live sports, and good times.

- \$30 Donation at the event
- \$25 Early Bird Donation on or before Sun Oct 20
- \$15 Half-Price donation for New Knights joining online (Free) on or before Oct 20, at www.kofc.org/join and entering St. Aloysius and Council 2287

RSVP & buy tickets by scanning or clicking here

Questions: KofC2287@gmail.com



Bulletin and Eblast Submissions Deadlines

- Eblast submissions are due by Monday at 1 p.m.
- Bulletin submissions are due by Tuesday at 1 p.m.

Email to: bulletin@starcc.com

~ Parish & Other News ~



Women's Holy Hour

St. Aloysius, New Canaan

Monday October 21st at 7:00 PM in the Church

For more info. contact: Tricia LaValle: 203.536.0237

All who have experienced the loss of a loved one are welcome to join us for the

Journey to Light Bereavement Ministry

The next Meeting is Wed., October 23rd at 7:15 p.m. in the Maple Street Room (at 40 Maple Street).



Our Lady's Guild

Cordially invite ALL to Mass and our Monthly meeting on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24 at 9 a.m.

GUEST SPEAKER: **Rev. Eric W. Silva**Topic: *Champions of the Rosary*

Light brunch will be offered.

If you are not a member of OLG, become one!

Annual Dues is only \$35 and you may pay at the door.

Questions? President Maryann DeFelice 203-253-8253 or Leigh Fiorito 203-300-0799



Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.



Eucharistic Adoration begins immediately following the 7:00 a.m. Mass and will conclude with Benediction at 5:15 p.m. prior to Mass. (There is 3:00 pm recitation of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy followed by the Rosary.)

If you can spare 30 or 60 minutes to adore Our Lord, contact Mary Ellen Kranzlin at: mkranzlin@gmail.com

~ Faith Formation ~

St. A's Women's Bible Study Tuesdays from 9:30 a.m. -11:45 am

NEW LOCATION: 178 Oenoke Road, New Canaan

Are you curious to learn more about the mass? Join us as we walk through the mass. A Biblical Walk Through the Mass, by Edward Sri, using the books and videos to encounter God and to reveal the ritual and liturgical meaning of the mass. All are invited!

A Biblical Walk Through the Mass, Edward Sri: https://forms.gle/FLtTRSKsySsYC5fh9

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Men's Bible Study & Fellowship Saturday Mornings 8:00 - 9:30 a.m.

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

In the Maple Street Dining Room of the Parish Center. Doors open at 7:30. Enter through the kitchen door off Maple Street. For more info. contact Bob Mantilia at 203-414-1500 or Robert.R.Mantilia@gmail.com



St. Aloysius Zoom Bible Study Monday's at 10 a.m.

We continue our reading of the Book of Psalms with Psalms 60-65, studying 5-6 psalms per week. Meetings are every Monday 10-11:30 A.M.. There will be no meeting on Oct. 21st. All are welcome Bible beginners to Bible scholars. Just log in on Zoom using link before or phone in to 646-558-8656.

Click here is the join the meeting (on computer or phone): Meeting ID: 811 8752 9235 Passcode: 509623

~ Parish & Other News ~

Local Catholic School Fall Open Houses

Mater Salvatoris - MS & HS Fri., October 18, 1-3 p.m.

All Saints Catholic School
Iona Preparatory

Sun., November 3, 12-2 p.m.
Sun., October 20, 12-3 p.m.

<u>Iona Preparatory</u> Sun., October 20, 12-3 p.m. Thurs., October 24, 6:30-8 p.m.

Notre Dame Prep, Fairfield Sat., October 19 at 11 a.m.

Sacred Heart Greenwich Thurs., Oct. 24 at 5:30 p.m. gr 9-12

Sat., November 2 at 9 a.m. gr K-12 Fri., Nov. 8 at 9:30 a.m. Barat Cntr.



Are you, or someone you know, experiencing a difficult life situation - such as the loss of a loved one, medical crisis, divorce, family issues, job loss, or caregiving challenges? Please consider reaching out to a Stephen Minister by contacting Msqr. Rob at frrob@starcc.com.



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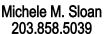
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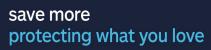
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