



ANNUNCIATION PARISH

Second Sunday of Lent, March 5 2023

SAINT MARY CHURCH

626 Willard Avenue
Newington, CT 06111
Phone: (860) 666-1591
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Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am

Confession

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45pm

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday:
9:00am - 4:00pm

HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH

183 Church Street
Newington, CT 06111
Phone: (860) 666-5671
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Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am,
& 11:30am

Daily Mass Times

Monday - Friday: 9:00am

Confession

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:45pm

Office Hours

Monday - Friday:
9:00am - 2:00pm

Visit us on the web @
annunciationnewington.com

Glory
TO
God

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O God, who have commanded us to listen to your beloved Son, be pleased, we pray, to nourish us inwardly by your word, that, with spiritual sight made pure, we may rejoice to behold your glory. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

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Welcome To Annunciation Parish, The Roman Catholic Community of Newington

Whether you are a long-time parishioner, a returning parishioner, a new parishioner, or a visitor, welcome to our community. We are glad that you are here and hope that you feel at home. If you are not already a member of our parish, please consider joining us. If you are a member of our parish already, please consider joining one of our ministries.

The Catholic Church welcomes new members of all ages. Children are welcomed into our faith through the sacrament of Baptism. Adults can either join our faith, or complete their sacraments of initiation through our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) or our Adult Confirmation program. If you are interested, please call the rectory at: (860) 666-1591.

Parish Priests

Rev. Robert Morgewicz, Pastor

fr.morgewicz@aohct.org

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frjoseph@annunciationnewington.com

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Msgr. James Kinnane, In Residence

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Sacramental Ministries

Baptism - To schedule a Baptism, visit our website @www.annunciationnewington.com, *scroll down to Quick Links (center of Home Page), Select - Book a Baptism* and then once the form is submitted, Deacon Blanchette will call to arrange a meeting.

Marriage

Please call the rectory at least **six months** in advance. Couples meet with the priest for an initial pastoral conversation before a wedding date can be set. Please do not make other plans until a date has been confirmed with your parish.

For the Sick

We are happy to visit with the homebound. If you or a loved one would like a home visit, Holy Communion or the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the rectory office.

PALM SUNDAY

Palm Cross 2023 Order Form

Annunciation Parish

Newington Knights of Columbus Council #3884



- Beautiful 24" x 12" Palm Crosses
- Decorated with 60 pieces of Palm
- Purple Ribbon
- 2 Artificial Lilies
- Individually Bagged
- \$12 Each

Please place the order form and payment in a plain envelope labeled "Palm Crosses" and return in the collection basket by **March 19th**

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Number of Crosses: _____ x \$12.00 Each

Paid by: CASH _____ CHECK _____ Total: _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO KOFC COUNCIL 3884

Crosses will be available for pick up at Holy Spirit Church Hall on Saturday, March 25th from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm

If there are questions, please contact:
Bill Mitchell 860-436-2669; wmitchell1927@gmail.com

Spiritual Practices During Lent 2023

Eucharistic Adoration Opportunity for Confession

Tuesday Evenings at Holy Spirit:
6:00-7:00 p.m.

Celebration of the Sacrament of Confession

Saturdays: 3:15-3:45 at St. Mary
3:00-3:45 at Holy Spirit

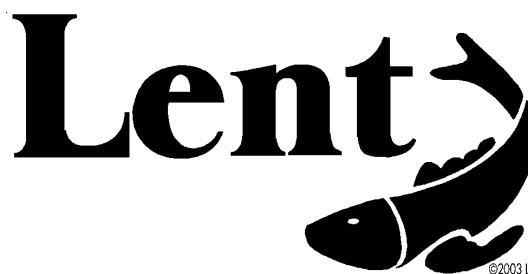
Stations of the Cross Opportunity for Confession

Fridays During Lent:
(2/24, 3/3, 10, 17, 24, 31)

Noon at St. Mary and 7:00 p.m. at
Holy Spirit

Lenten Video Presentation

Fridays During Lent,
(7:30 p.m.) at Holy Spirit Hall



READINGS FOR THE WEEK - SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6; Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 or Jn 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT, MARCH 5, 2023

Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 4th, The Vigil of Sunday

H/S 4:00 p.m. Kenneth G. Phelan, By The Phelan Family

S/M 4:00 p.m. Vito Letizia & Carlo & Marie Cicoria
By Their Daughter

Sunday, March 5th, Second Sunday of Lent

H/S 7:30 a.m. Anita Fairwood, By Richard & Ronald Fairwood &
Maureen Kievman

S/M 8:00 a.m. The John Kurtz Sr. Family

H/S 9:30 a.m. Helen & Richard Murdock,
By Carol Ann & Al Slivinskis & The Carmienke Family

S/M 10:00 a.m. Giovanni Margiotta, By His Sister & Family

H/S 11:30 a.m. Larry Scaringe, 10th Anniversary, By His Family

Monday, March 6th, Lenten Weekday

H/S 9:00 a.m. Zygmunt Bogumile, By His Brother

Tuesday, March 7th, Saints Perpetua & Felicity, Martyrs

H/S 9:00 a.m. Remy Martula, By His Parents

Wednesday, March 8th, Saint John of God, Religious

H/S 9:00 a.m. For The Henry & Norris Families, By Dave & Mary

Thursday, March 9th, Saint Frances of Rome, Religious

H/S 9:00 a.m. Weronika Fryderyk, By Her Daughter

Friday, March 10th, Lenten Weekday

H/S 9:00 a.m. Frank Sapia, 29th Anniversary, By His Family

Saturday, March 11th, The Vigil of Sunday

H/S 4:00 p.m. Bob Peloquin, By His Wife Loraine

S/M 4:00 p.m. John & Joyce Courtemanche, By Anna Gugliotti

Sunday, March 12th, Third Sunday of Lent

H/S 7:30 a.m. Michael Nye-Madden, By The Marchetti Family

S/M 8:00 a.m. Annunciation Parishioners

H/S 9:30 a.m. Francis Frascarelli, By His Family

S/M 10:00 a.m. Pietro & Assunta Agostini, By Their Daughter,
Anna Pizzoferrato

H/S 11:30 a.m. Michael Iskra, 2nd Anniversary,
By His Wife Beverly & Family



In Loving Memory we pray for...

Barbara Gasneau

And for the consolation of their family & friends. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord; let your light shine upon them.*

Parish Support

February 26, 2023

Weekly	\$9,579
Online Giving	\$ 3,853
Total	\$13,432

Eucharistic Adoration

Holy Spirit Church

6:00 - 7:00pm

Tuesday Evenings

Spend the whole hour or as much time as you can give!

The Sanctuary Lamp

is lit at:

Holy Spirit Church

On March 5-11

For Bob Valorie

By His Wife & Family

St. Mary's Church

On March 5-11

For Beatrice Daly

By Her Loving Daughter, Janice



Last Day of CCD is Sunday, **March 12th**.

Confirmation for our 45 young people will take place on **Saturday, March 18, 2023, 10 a.m.** at The Cathedral of St. Joseph in Hartford.

First Holy Communion will take place on **April 15th @ 10:00 a.m.** at Holy Spirit Church.

The Newington Food Pantry Collection will be held on **March 4th & 5th**.

Executive Board Members Only Meeting will be held on **March 6 @ 6:30 p.m.** in the Holy Spirit Church Hall.

The Prayer Shawl Group will meet Thursday, **March 16th @ 12:30 p.m.** in the Holy Spirit Church Hall. All are welcome to attend!

The Knights Sandwich Collection will be held on **Sunday, March 19th @ 4:30 p.m.** @ St. Mary's Church parking lot.

The Knights Sandwich Ministry -

Thank You

Thank you everyone for your generosity! In February we collected approximately 430 sandwiches and many bags of pretzels, cookies, chips and homemade muffins for Saint Elizabeth House and South Park Inn in Hartford. These Shelters support over 160 individuals daily and are very grateful for our donations. They use these sandwiches for lunches, late-meals, walk-in's and outreach programs. Our collections are on the third Sunday of the month. Our next sandwich collection is **Sunday, March 19th @ 4:30 in the Saint Mary School parking lot**. Please note, if there happens to be inclement weather on the collection date, the collection will be cancelled; safety comes first.

Please call Bill @ (860)-436-2669 in the evenings if you have any questions. Thank you for living your faith by helping others!

The Men's Club

...meets on the third Wednesday of every month, @ 6:00.pm in St. Mary lower Rectory.

Contact: Tom Morris @ (860) 666-6331

The Men's Fellowship Group

...meets every Wednesday evening from 6:30-8:00 pm Holy Spirit Church Hall.

Contact: Angelo Marchetti @ (860) 202-1612

All Annunciation Parish parishioners are invited to attend a Saint Patrick's Day dinner celebration. The Annunciation Women's Guild will be sponsoring a celebration on Saturday March 11th. It will be held in the Holy Spirit church hall. The evening will begin at 5:30 pm and includes dinner and entertainment. A buffet dinner will be provided by Michaels Catering and includes: Corn beef and cabbage, potatoes carrots and onions, Irish soda bread, coffee and tea. The entertainment will be Karaoke by Patty Energizer Shock. If you wish to attend, the cost is \$35 per person. Tickets must be purchased in advance and will be sold after all Masses at the main/central entrance of both churches on the week-ends of February 18/19 and February 25/26. Payment by check made out to Annunciation Women's Guild is the preferred method. Please contact: Theresa Urbanski, at: 860-257-8189 for any questions. Please join us for a fun evening.

A Journey to Joy Parish Mission

By Emmy-nominated TV Star :
Frank Runyeon

Sunday, **March 12, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m.**
Holy Spirit Church Hall





Newington Knights of Columbus 2022 Annual Report of Accomplishments

Faith,

- ✓ Supported Seminarian, Deacon Sean Yates, through Vocations, \$1000.
- ✓ Organized first Annunciation Parish Palm Sunday Cross drive. Delivered 125 crosses.
- ✓ Assisted Masses at Holy Spirit via projected slides and adoration preparation.
- ✓ Maintained kneelers at Holy Spirit.
- ✓ Supported and attended Men's Catholic Conference.
- ✓ Held public Rosary at Holy Spirit.

Family,

- ✓ Presented College Scholarship to a NHS student, \$1000.
- ✓ Return of October KofC Breakfast post Covid. Raised funds and donations of \$480 for Coats for Kids.
- ✓ Held first annual Annunciation Pasta Night. Raised \$350 towards Food Pantry for Thanksgiving / Christmas.
- ✓ Held Men's Health Night presented by a Urologist that was well attended.
- ✓ KofC with other Knights' donations, gave \$450 to a homebound individual towards the purchase of a mobilized scooter.

Community,

- ✓ Supported June Special Olympics at Fairfield University and Southern CT State University.
- ✓ With Annunciation Parish's CCD confirmation class, 100 Bryan's Bags for the homeless were packed. \$1000 was raised from a raffle of a homemade quilt to purchase supplies. 80 bags were donated to St. Vincent de Paul.
- ✓ Presented Newington Human Services holiday donation of \$650 for the Food Pantry and 24 boys and girls winter coats.
- ✓ Delivered ~6510 lbs of food to the Food Pantry, and ~5760 sandwiches to homeless shelters, St. Elizabeth House and South Park Inn.
- ✓ Tootsie Roll Drive at local stores and churches raised \$3653 for intellectually disabled persons.
- ✓ Donated \$2000 to Harc, Inc for the intellectually disabled and their families
- ✓ Held Thanksgiving Turkey Drive and donated 16 turkeys and \$250 to Foodshare
- ✓ Raised toys for Christmas that were given to House of Bread. Parents were present to receive the toys and were very grateful.

Website: kofcnewington.com

Contact: Walt Malkauskas, Grand Knight. 860-324-5044