



ANNUNCIATION PARISH

Pentecost Sunday, May 28, 2023

PARISH OFFICE

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Newington, CT 06111
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Office Hours

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

CHURCH OF ST. MARY

626 Willard Avenue
Newington, CT. 06111

Confession

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45pm

Mass Times

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

CHURCH OF HOLY SPIRIT

183 Church Street
Newington, CT. 06111

Confession

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:45pm

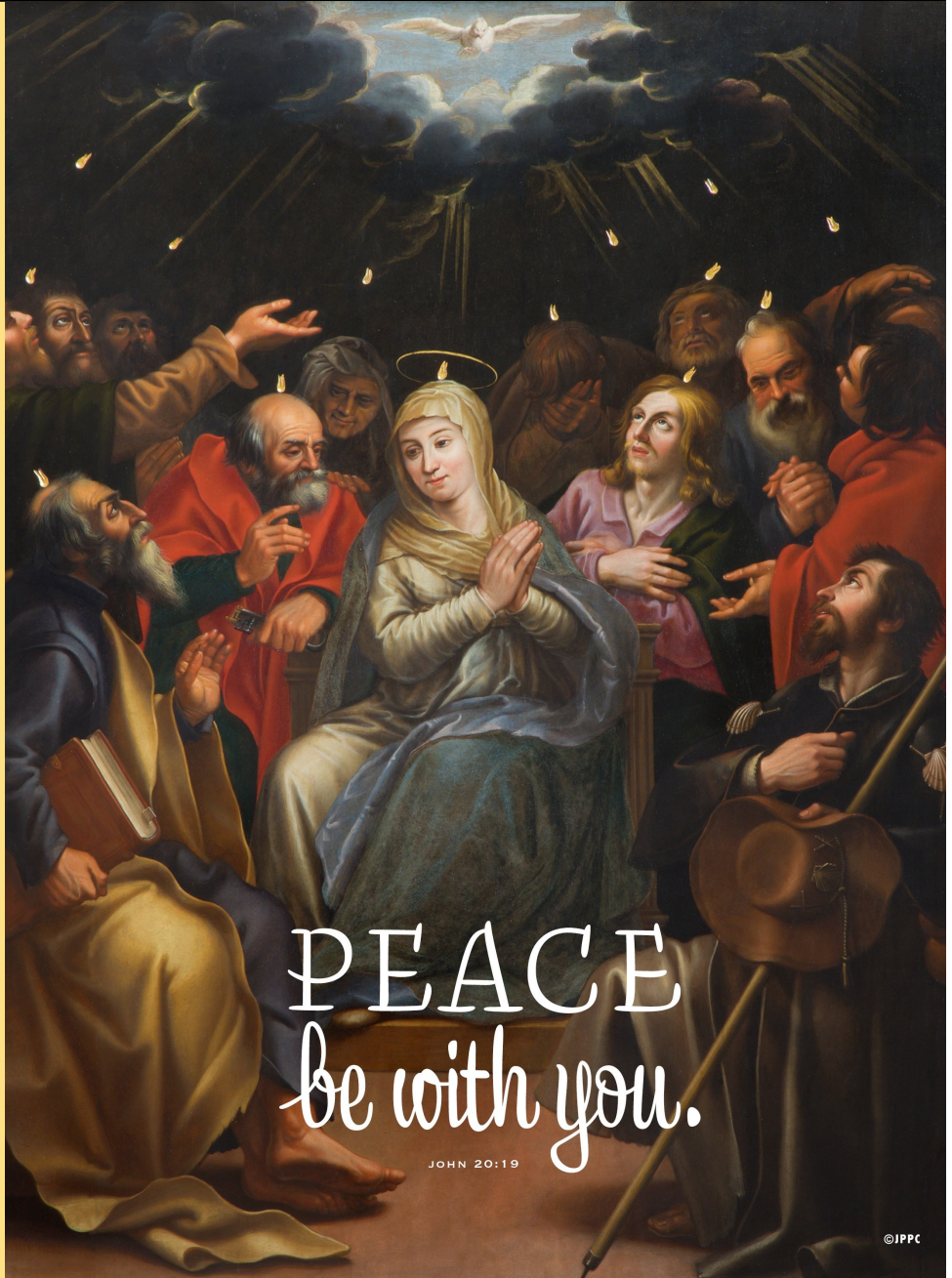
Mass Times

Daily Mass: Monday -
Friday: 9:00am

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am,
& 11:30am

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annunciationnewington.com



PEACE
be with you.

JOHN 20:19

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O God, who by the mystery of today's great feast sanctify your whole Church in every people and nation, pour out, we pray, the gifts of the Holy Spirit across the face of the earth and, with the divine grace that was at work when the Gospel was first proclaimed, fill now once more the hearts of believers. 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

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Holy Spirit Priest 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.

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Summer Experiences for Children and Youth

Are you scheduling summer activities for your children?

Why not give them a **Franciscan Land-based Summer Experience**. Activities for children ages 6-12 include gardening, animal and environmental care, sports, campfire bread making, arts & crafts. There are two sessions:

Dates: June 26 to June 30, and
July 24 to 28, 2023

Time: 9:30 a.m. to 3:00

Place: 405 Allen Avenue, Meriden, CT.

Youth Leadership for 13-14 year olds transitioning to high school. The youth engage in confidence and team building activities promoting leadership, self-esteem, and communication skills.

Date: June 26 to June 30, 2023

Time: 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Place: Franciscan Life Center campus
271 Finch Avenue, Meriden.

Register at flcenter.org or call 203-237-8084.



SOLD OUT

The Neil Diamond Musical

“A Beautiful Noise”

*For those attending this trip, payment is now due. You may drop it in the collection basket with your name on the envelope or you may mail your payment to:

John Rocco
7 Hidden Way, Suffield, CT.
06078

Thank you for your generosity

toward last week’s collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign.

Your support helps the CCC engage and build community for millions, here in the United States and around the world. If you missed the collection, it’s not too late to give!

Visit www.usccb.org/national_collections.



**Remember
Those Who
Have
Sacrificed
On
Memorial
Day**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK - PENTECOST SUNDAY

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14, 23; Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 1:39-56

Thursday: Sir 42:15-25; Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 10:46-52

Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a, 9b; Mk 11:11-26

Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mk 11:27-33

Sunday: Ex 34:4b 6, 8-9; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

PENTECOST SUNDAY, MAY 28, 2023

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 27th, The Vigil for Pentecost

H/S 4:00 p.m. Mrs. Teofile Slivinskas, By Carol Ann & Al Slivinskas

S/M 4:00 p.m. Carol Taylor, By The Taylor Family

Sunday, May 28th, Pentecost Sunday

H/S 7:30 a.m. Carol Valentino, By Her Husband & Children

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

H/S 9:30 a.m. Joseph & Josephine Giangreco, By The Giangreco Family

S/M 10:00 a.m. Frank Aschenbrennur Jr., By His Sisters

H/S 11:30 a.m. Maria DiPillo, By Ugo DiPillo & Family

Monday, May 29th, The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

H/S 9:00 a.m. Gary Verrillo, By Therese

Tuesday, May 30th, Weekday

H/S 9:00 a.m. Angie Capparelli, Birthday Remembrance,
By Her Family

Wednesday, May 31st, The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

H/S 9:00 a.m. Rosalia Bononat, 25th Anniversary,
By Her Daughter, Rosalia Mills

Thursday, June 1st, Saint Justin, Martyr

H/S 9:00 a.m. Daniel DelMastro, 1st Anniversary, By His Family

Friday, June 2nd, Saints Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs

H/S 9:00 a.m. Johnny Bernier, By The Caron Family

Saturday, June 3rd, The Vigil for The Most Holy Trinity

H/S 4:00 p.m. Lisa Marie Andreana, By Her Family

S/M 4:00 p.m. Carmel & Arthur Taylor, By The Taylor Family

Sunday, June 4th, The Most Holy Trinity

H/S 7:30 a.m. Dolores Zlotkowski & Robert Propiescus, 3rd Anniversary,
By Their Families

S/M 8:00 a.m. Shirley Daley, 40th Anniversary, By The Family

H/S 9:30 a.m. Guido Moretti, By His Family

S/M 10:00 a.m. Maria Immacolata, By Salvatore Colangelo & Family

H/S 11:30 a.m. Waldemar & Ewa Hachlica, 40th Wedding Anniversary
(Living), By Their Family



In Loving Memory

we pray for...

Fr. Joseph Vujs

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

Parish Support

May 14, 2023

Weekly	\$10,287
<u>Online Giving</u>	<u>\$ 4,261</u>
Total	\$14,548

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 May 28-June 3

For Sam Capparelli

By His Wife

The Sanctuary Lamp

is lit at:

St. Mary's Church

On May 28-June 3

For James Doktor, Jr.

By The Domingo Family

The Newington Food Pantry Collection will be held on **June 3rd & 5th.**

The Women's Guild Executive Board members will meet on **Tuesday, June 5th @ 5:00 p.m. in the Holy Spirit Church Hall.** This transition meeting is for outgoing and incoming newly elected officers and committee board positions. Planning for the 2023-2024 year will be discussed. A light supper will be provided.

The Prayer Shawl Group will meet Thursday, **June 15th @ 12:30 p.m.** in the Holy Spirit Church Hall. All are welcome to attend!

The Knights Sandwich Collection is Sunday, **June 18th @ 4:30 pm** in the Saint Mary School parking lot.

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



We Have Moved

As of **May 8th** the two offices for our parish have consolidated into one office at the St. Mary Church location. The Holy Spirit rectory will remain a priest residence with Fr. Bock and Msgr. Kinnane in residence but all business for the parish will be conducted at the "**Parish Rectory**" located at 626 Willard Ave. The office hours will remain the same: **Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** You may call the office at: 860-666-1591. Religious Education office will remain at Holy Spirit.



Please welcome into our parish family, the following child who was recently baptized at Annunciation Parish:

Austin Gregory Giansanti

To be baptized at Annunciation Parish, you must be a registered parishioner, reside in Newington, or have some tangible connection to our Parish.

Active Participation in the Parish and at Mass

There are many ministries in the parish that assist others either in prayer or in service, also known as "prayer in action." Since there is space in this bulletin, and a need in reality, it might be a good time to announce the opportunities for you to consider service in the parish as lectors, youth altar servers, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion and ushers. The Church envisions the lay faithful to take an active part in worship, primarily through proper attendance, paying attention, responding, singing, etc., but also through concrete acts of service as in the ministries mentioned above.

Lectors proclaim the word of God during Mass after praying with and reviewing the reading at home prior to the liturgy, youth altar servers assist the priest and the deacon in the celebration of the Mass and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion bring the Blessed Sacrament to the homebound and assist in its distribution during Mass. Ushers have the role of welcoming parishioners, taking care of problems during the liturgy and collecting the offering during Mass.

Organizational and training sessions are being planned for the various positions of service in the celebration of the Mass, so please consider these ministries and watch for a future notice to learn more about each of the ministries and their requirements.

THE ANNUNCIATION WOMEN'S GUILD

Annunciation Women's Guild is celebrating a birthday. It will be six years old. June 29, 2017 the merger of the two churches, St. Mary's and Holy Spirit into one parish, "Annunciation." The formation of the Women's Guild took place about a year after the merger of the two churches. The blending of these two active groups of women continued the goals of the original groups. The goals were and are, to unify the women of the parish through friendship, social, cultural and spiritual activities. The Annunciation Women's Guild provides financial support to our parish and to the community through fundraising events.

The Guild meets on the second Tuesday of the month at the Holy Spirit Hall from September through May. We do not meet in January because of weather. Like many groups during the pandemic, we did not meet from March of 2020 until September 2021. Our meetings include a brief business meeting followed with a presentation by a speaker. The programs have included comedy, musical, informational on health or current events followed by a social time for refreshments.

The Annunciation Women's Guild keeps active with fundraising. Some of the events have been a yearly Tag Sale, Bake Sales and the Mother's Day Plant Sale. These events have been successful because of the wonderful support of the Annunciation Parish members and Newington citizens. In the last few years we have been able to replace vestments for the priests at both churches, replacement of the Holy Spirit lighting in the church, replacement of vacuum cleaners, restoration of the kitchen at Holy Spirit Hall, purchased the Mass Booklets one year. In addition we have contributed to community organizations such as Newington Human Services, House of Bread, Intercommunity Health Organization, Got Lunch, Prudence Crandall and the Knights of Columbus Ukrainian Relief Fund. We have also purchased gift cards to be available those who may be in need.

We have been hosting events over the years. We hosted Father MacNeill's reception after his first Mass at St. Mary's. We often host farewell receptions for the clergy. More recently we have hosted the Anniversary Mass. We provide support to those whose family members have died. We arrange Masses for deceased members of the Guild and form an honor guard at a member's funeral Mass.

With the celebration of our birthday as an organization Michelle Malkauskus will be presiding over activities as the new president of the Guild. The membership and volunteer support has been commendable. Plan to join us in September for our first meeting.