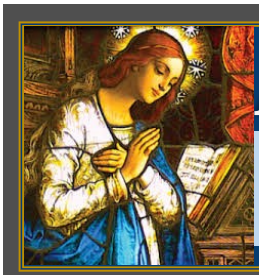

ANNUNCIATION PARISH

15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 12th, 2020

"Come to me all you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you. Take my yoke upon you for my yoke is easy, and my burden light." Pray for priests, brothers, sisters, and for all who offer their lives to be a sign of Jesus' refreshing love. If you are called to join them, call **Fr. Michael Casey,** Director of Vocations, Pastoral Center, 860-761-7456, e-mail **vocations@aohct.org** or visit the web at **www.hartfordpriest.com**.

Saint Mary Church

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Newington, CT 06111
Phone: (860) 666-1591
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Saint Mary Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Confession

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45pm

Office Hours

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

Church of the Holy Spirit

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

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am, 12:00 noon

Daily Mass Times

Monday - Saturday: 9:00am

Confession

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:45pm

Office Hours

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

www.AnnunciationNewington.com & on Facebook

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 in any of these programs, please contact Deacon Jim Tanguay at: deaconjimt@annunciationnewington.com or call (860) 666-1591, ext. 3.

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Msgr. James Kinnane, In Residence

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Sacramental Ministries

Baptism

To schedule a Baptism, please contact the rectory for an initial meeting and a parent preparation session.

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.

FR. JOSH'S JOURNAL

This week's readings mention "seeds" several times. How many of us have planted flower seeds or vegetable seeds only to see them sit in the ground and do nothing? I, myself, have the worst green thumb of anyone I know. I only have to look at a plant, and it dies. However, in this week's readings, our Lord is reminding us that we are all called to plant seeds of faith. Whether or not we see them bear fruit is not the focus, but the fact that we plant them is the important part. We trust that the Holy Spirit will work with what we have tried to do, and bring it to perfection. We tend to be a results-based society. We shouldn't do that with the spiritual life. No matter how insufficient we feel to be an instrument of God, as long as we try, God can work wonders with our efforts. Don't be afraid to talk about your faith... even if people seem put off by it initially, who knows how the Holy Spirit will work that into their hearts? Be faithful, and trust in the Lord! May our loving God plant seeds of faith in our hearts so that we, too, can instill that faith in others.

- Fr. Josh

BAPTISM

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

Nathaniel Tripp

Baptism is a joyous occasion in which children are initiated into the Catholic faith. All children are welcome to be baptized in the Catholic Church. It does not matter if the parents are single or married outside the Catholic Church.

ALL CHILDREN no matter what, are welcome to the baptism of the Lord, as long as they will be raised Catholic. To get started, please call the parish office:

Saint Mary - (860) 666-1591
or
Holy Spirit - (860) 666-5671

PASSIONIST MISSIONARIES OF AUSTRALIA

The 2020 Mission Cooperative Appeal Collection will be taken as a second collection next weekend. Because of the coronavirus pandemic, the missionaries are not able to be with us this year; however, although physically distant, we have the opportunity to be present to them through our spiritual and financial support.

The ministries of **The Passionist Missionaries of Australia** will benefit from our parish's generosity. Our assistance will help with them in their work in Papua, New Guinea outreaching to youth living in areas of great violence, a center for children with physical challenges and preparation for ministry of seminarians, vowed religious, and laity. Our sharing in response to Christ's call that we "love one another" will bring His hope into the lives of many. We ask for your generous response. Checks may be made out to **The Catholic Mission Aid Office**. *On their behalf, thank you.*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 12TH

Monday: Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23; Mt 10:34 — 11:1
Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 11:20-24
Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15; Mt 11:25-27
Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21; Mt 11:28-30
Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8
Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21
Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 11th

4:00 p.m. Alicia Wakefield, By her Daughter, **H/S**

4:00 p.m. Margaret & Andrew Marek, By the Family, **S/M**

Sunday, July 12th, 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Dolores Zlotkowski, By Richard & Ronald Fairwood, **H/S**

8:00 a.m. Gaetano, Josephine & Gabriel Rispoli, By the Family, **S/M**

9:30 a.m. Braeden Riccini, 3rd Anniversary, By his Grandparents, **H/S**

10:00 a.m. Bob Kubish, 25th Anniversary, By his Children, **S/M**

11:30 a.m. Salvatore Dinino, By his Wife, Anna Marie & Children, **S/M**

12:00 p.m. Rocco Ambruso, 9th Anniversary, By Eileen Ambruso & Family, **H/S**

Monday, July 13th

9:00 a.m. Lourdes Pastor, By Dario Pastor & Family, **H/S**

Tuesday, July 14th

9:00 a.m. Jonathan Ferreira, By Cari Codino, **H/S**

Wednesday, July 15th

9:00 a.m. Albert Reney, By his Family, **H/S**

Thursday, July 16th

9:00 a.m. Diana Ross, 29th Anniversary, By Roy Ross, **H/S**

Friday, July 17th

9:00 a.m. Laura Robedee, By the Hebert Family, **H/S**

Saturday, July 18th

9:00 a.m. Marie Isoisie Saintine, By her Family, **H/S**

4:00 p.m. Barbara Sparveri DeMilia, By her Family, **H/S**

4:00 p.m. Thomas S. Calvi, By his Wife, Maria, **S/M**

Sunday, July 19th, 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Anne M. Bock, 23rd Anniversary, By the Family, **H/S**

8:00 a.m. Kathryn Nicholas & Kathleen Grossi, By Son & Brother, Thomas Grossi, **S/M**

9:30 a.m. Vanda & Solideo Riccini, By Robert & Donna Riccini, **H/S**

10:00 a.m. Domenico Pizzoferrato, By Anna Pizzoferrato, **S/M**

11:30 a.m. Ilda Amado, By her Children, **S/M**

12:00 p.m. George, Vito, Leonard & Patricia Kupstas, By Jovi Kupstas, **H/S**

IN LOVING MEMORY

We pray for:

Susan Gaetano

Alexander Scott

And for the consolation of their family and friends.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord; let your light shine upon them.

PARISH SUPPORT

13th Sunday of Ordinary Time, June 28th

Weekly Collection:	$ 13,403
On Line Giving:	$ 4,274
Total:	$ 17,677

14th Sunday of Ordinary Time, July 5th

Weekly Collection:	$ 6,287
On Line Giving:	$ 4,881
Total:	$ 11,168

We are grateful to all who continue to support Annunciation Parish by your prayers and financial contributions.

CT CATHOLIC MENS CONFERENCE

Saturday
September 19, 2020

Outdoors atop
Holy Land, Waterbury

For more information, please visit: **ctcatholicmen.org**,

or call Bill @
(860) 436-2669
in the evenings.

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

Feast Day July 16th

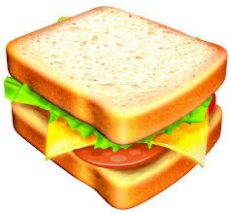
On one side of the mountaintop, the priests of Baal stood next to the stone altar dedicated to their false god. They had been praying aloud all day, but no god had answered them. On the other side, the prophet Elijah stood alone next to a stone altar dedicated to the Lord God, Yahweh. That day Yahweh sent fire from heaven on to the altar, proving that he, Yahweh, was the one true God. The Old Testament records this showdown on Mount Carmel in northern Palestine (1 Kings 18:16–39).

During the many centuries between that event and the year 1156, people who wanted a quiet place to pray and to live close to God began to come together on Mount Carmel. A large monastery was built there to honor the Mother of God. The members of the monastery were called Carmelites.

In 1251, according to the tradition of the Carmelites, the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to Simon Stock, the sixth general, or person in charge of the Carmelite Order, and gave him a scapular. The scapular was a long piece of cloth worn over the shoulders and hanging, in front and in back, down to the ankles. After that, all the members of that Carmelite community wore scapulars. Today some religious men and women still wear the full scapular. Some people wear a small scapular made of two small pieces of cloth connected by narrow cord or braid. It, too, is worn over the shoulders. Wearing a scapular medal or the shortened scapular is a way of honoring the Blessed Mother. July 16 is a major feast for all Carmelite priests and sisters.

*From **Saints and Feast Days**, by Sisters of Notre Dame of Chardon, Ohio*

SANDWICH MINISTRY



The Sandwich Ministry is the THIRD Sunday of the month for a Hartford Homeless Shelter.

The next collection is Sunday, July 19th @4:30 pm in the Saint Mary School parking lot.

Please call Bill @ (860) 436-2669 in the evenings if you have any questions.

Thank You.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY REFUND

The Women's Guild *is happy to refund your money if you purchased tickets for the March 14th dinner, that was postponed due to covid.*

If you would like a refund, please place in an envelope any unused tickets, and address to **Annunciation Women's Guild, Attn: Marie Damotta.** Please include your name, address, and the unused tickets. You will receive a check for the returned tickets. Envelopes can be placed in the basket at the back of Holy Spirit Church, or mailed to either church.

Annunciation Parish Sick List

Let us pray for those who are sick, may they feel the healing touch of the Lord, especially:

Recent additions are in BOLD type. The sick list is posted weekly at church, and monthly in the bulletin.

Bobbi-Jo Acosta
Ronald Albert
Jenny Alipranti
Helen Anderson
MaryBeth Aparo
Jim Ashwell
Stephen Bailen, Jr.
Elsa Batista-Yzaguirre
Virginia Barber
Lana Bargnesi
Tod Barrett
Phyllis Battisti
Margaret Becker
Jeff Bell
Cecile Berube
Hazel Biron
Jay & Dawn Bis
Kyle Bloom
John Boccaccio
Fr. Lawrence Bock
Marsha Liss Bolas
Alice Bottigleri
George Boulia
Ryan Bousquet
Anne Brett
Kathy Brickshock
Victoria Bullock
Mark Butler
Janice Butterfield
MaryAnn Cahoon
Rena Calcaterra
Eileen Carey
Peter Carey
Cecile Carroll
Dorothy Carso
Catherine J. Carter
Tom Caruso
Joseph Catania
Vincent Catania
Anthony Caccavale
Robert Caccavale

Mary Beth Cenci
Carmelo Catania
Richard Clarkin
Umberto Coco
Timothy Collins
Elizabeth Concannon
Jean Conway
George Csefai
Randy D'Amato
Bonnie Decordova
James Denno
Conrad DesJardins
Tom DeWolf
Stephanie S. DiVito
Charles Donnelli
Jack Dooley
Donald Dumas
Baby Emma
Brett Ferrara
Sr. Francine
Eileen Francolino
Raymond Frisbee
Jimmy Fuska
Paul G.
Thomas Gallant
Joseph Giguere
Carmella Giovannucci
Alan Godbout
B. Gail Gregory
Joseph Guillette
Cecelia Guyan
Helena Hansen
Karen Hayduski
Janet Hebert
Percy Hebert
Joanne Heckman
Jo Henderson
Tammy Herrick
Ronald Hirschthal
Neil R. Hogan
Marion Humphrey
Jason I.
Fortunato Indomenico
Beverly & Mike Iskra

Betty Jacko
Michael Jarnutowski
Thomas Jascowski
Philip Jarvis
Sarah Jones
Carol Jordan
William Jordan
Judy
Thomas Keim
Alexandra Kowal
Lorraine Kulac
Alphena Lavoie
Gemma Leary
James Levesque
Karen Levesque
Yvette Levesque
Robert & Marie Levesque
Tom Lionetti
Joanne Listro
Jeffrey Lombardo
Lucia Lorusso
Evaristo Loura
Joan Lucey
Rosemarie Manente
Mary Manochi
Eleanore Marchand
Miguel Martinez
John Mauceri
Susan McCarthy
Mary Ann McCusker
Lola McGhee
Erica McKenna
Kim McNamara
Ryan Moran
Tim Murphy
Bernice Napierski
Emily Ouellet
Isabel Ortiz
Earl Owens
Jessica Palmer
Eric Papoosha
Francis Patnoe
Lou Pelletier
Vincent Pellegrini

Richard Perkins
John Piotrowski
Aldina Portal
Jane Pulcini
Barbara Vernile Primeau
Betty Radomsky
Edward Radomsky
Jenn Raetz
MaryAnn Rashaw
Carolyn Record
Donald Reney
Louise Roberts
Denise Rodzen
Carlos & Iris Rodrigues
Mark Russek
Claire Ryan
Constantino Sacco
Sondra Sanford
Doris Sartori
Janet Schaeffer
Maryanne Sisson
Peter Skonieczny
Nicole Stanhope
Bailey Stine
Kevin Smith
Ruth Solla
Beverly Steinke
Marie Stover
Amy Sullivan
Jo-Deen Szydlo
Nathan Thomsen
Doris & Megan Torrey
Richard Torrey
Theresa & Wayne Urbanski
Stella Utarro
Stacy V.
Michael & Patricia Valcko
Janet Wagner
Bill Walsh
John Webster
Marta Weingartner
Nicholas Wells
Paulette M. Wright
Mark Yaglowski
Brian Zaleski