

ANNUNCIATION PARISH

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, November 13th, 2022

SAINT MARY CHURCH

626 Willard Avenue Newington, CT 06111 Phone: (860) 666-1591 Fax: (860) 666-5720

Mass Times

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

<u>Confession</u> Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45pm

<u>Office Hours</u> Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4:00pm

HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH 183 Church Street Newington, CT 06111 Phone: (860) 666-5671

<u>**Mass Times</u>** Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am,</u>

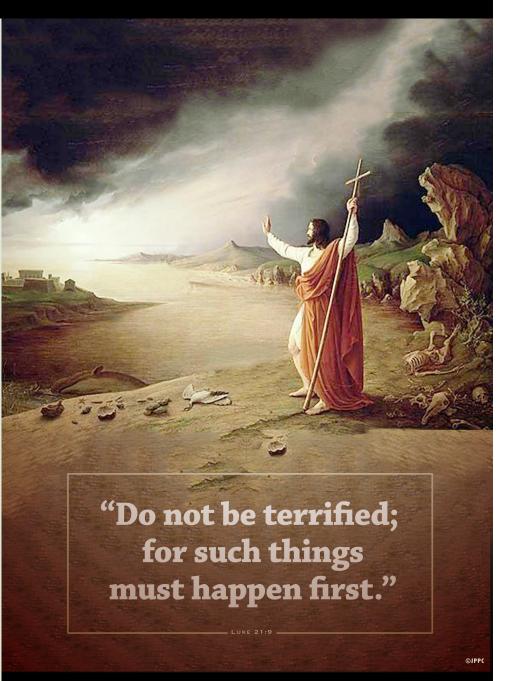
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& 11:30am

<u>Daily Mass Times</u> Monday - Saturday: 9:00am <u>Confession</u> Saturday: 3:00 - 3:45pm

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

Visit us on the web @ annunciationnewington.com



Grant us, we pray, O Lord our God, the constant gladness of being devoted to you, for it is full and lasting happiness to serve with constancy the author of all that is good. 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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THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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 Pastoral Associate Deacon Jim Tanguay at: **deaconjimt@annunciationnewington.com** or call (860) 666-1591, ext. 104.

Parish Priests

Rev. Robert Morgewicz, Pastor

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Sacramental Ministries

<u>Baptism</u> - To schedule a Baptism, visit our website @www.annunciationnewington.com, *scroll down to* Quick Links (*center of Home Page*), *Select* - Book a Baptism).

<u>Marriage</u>

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.

<u> Recent Homily – Monsignor Kinnane</u>

We often mix up **"Freedom of Choice"** with **"Right"**. I am **"free"** to do many things I have no right to. Even Jesus gives us the freedom to reject Him and His teachings.

I'm free to get a gun and hold up the 7-11 but I have no "right" because it belongs to someone else. So, if the owner grabs a gun, beats me up and calls the cops, and now I'm bleeding, sore and on my way to jail—I had freely brought all that on myself. When we decide to do something freely, we also take on freely, responsibility for whatever unpleasant consequences may result.

Now, this issue of the difference of freedom from right causes a lot of confusion with "abortion". First, all humans, men and women, have the right and freedom to determine the physical care of their own bodies. This is <u>not</u> the issue the issue is a lot deeper. The key question to face is: is the act of abortion a violent ending of an innocent, defenseless human life? If so, no other human has the right to do that. If it is done, it is done freely, but not by any right. An injustice is being inflicted on another human, just as an injustice was freely being done on the poor 7-11 clerk. My personal freedom is no longer a purely private matter. Have you ever seen an abortion? I have -- and many who have, agree that it comes across clearly as an act <u>not</u> in accord with the teaching of Jesus. Our Church teaching is really only reminding us of something we already know way down deep.

Now, the free choice is ours. Freedom is frightening, isn't it?

It means we have to live with and accept **all** its consequences.

COME SING WITH US!

We are currently recruiting new members for all choirs at St. Mary's. If you are interested in singing in any of the Choirs, we encourage you to get in touch with our Director of Music, Sandra Dias at <u>music.dias@annunciationnewington.com</u>.

- Cherubim Choir: children, ages 7-12. Rehearsals on Saturdays after the 4:00 Mass (5:00-6:00), starting

11/12

- Teen Choir: teens, ages 13-18. Rehearsals on Sundays after the 10:00 Mass (11:00-12:00), starting 11/13

- Adult Choir: Rehearsals on Wednesdays 7:00-8:30

- Resurrection Choir: Rehearsals before funerals

We look forward to seeing everyone for a great year of beautiful singing and especially start preparing for the celebration of Christmas!

Readings for the Week of November 13th

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 18:35-43 Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Lk 19:1-10 Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 19:11-28 Thursday: Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Lk 19:41-44 Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48 Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40 Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43



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<u>Mass Intentions</u>

Saturday, November 12th, Saint Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr

- Giovanni "John" Treviso & His Deceased Family Members, By His 4:00 p.m. Wife & Family, H/S 4:00 p.m. Antonio Gugliotti, By His Wife & Family , S/M Sunday, November 13th, 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Stewardship Sunday 7:30 a.m. Enrico & Adele Quercia & Palmira Quercia Balducci, By The Quercia Family, H/S 8:00 a.m. William Wolfe, By His Wife, S/M 9:30 a.m. Jeremiah Griffin, By His Family, H/S Antonio & Maria Pizzoferrato, By Their Daughter in-law, S/M 10:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. Tina Capozzi, By The Marchetti Family, H/S Monday, November 14th 9:00 a.m. The Calafiore Family, By Their Daughter, H/S Tuesday, November 15th, Saint Albert the Great, Bishop & **Doctor of the Church** 9:00 a.m. Albert Reney, By His Wife & Family, H/S Wednesday, November 16th, Saint Margaret of Scotland & Saint Gertrude 9:00 a.m. Luigi, Elena & John Iacobucci, By Their Daughter & Sister, H/S Thursday, November 17th, Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious 9:00 a.m. Liliana Yousef, By Marco Suarez, H/S Friday, November 18th, The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles; Saint Rose Philippiane Duchesne, Virgin 9:00 a.m. Pietro & Rosa Brini, By Their Daughter, H/S Saturday, November 19th 9:00 a.m. Carlo Mucciacciaro & Family, By His Wife & Family, H/S 4:00 p.m. Marie Kane McCarthy, By The Phelan Family, H/S 4:00 p.m. Philip & Janette Parent, By Their Family, S/M Sunday, November 20th, OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE 7:30 a.m. Anita Fairwood, By Richard & Ronald Fairwood & Maureen Kievman, H/S 8:00 a.m. Jozef Filonczuk, By His Family, S/M 9:30 a.m. Ona Paskus, By The Annunciation Women's Guild, H/S 10:00 a.m. Normand LeBrun, 9th Anniversary, By His Wife & Family, S/M
- 11:30 a.m. Deceased Members of The Knights of Columbus, By The Knights of Columbus-Council 384, **H/S**

Wedding Banns II

Nolan Austin & Alexa Mach

Daniel Gauthier & Emily Savage

In Loving Memory we pray for...

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

Parish Support

November 6th Collection		
Weekly	\$	13,778
On Line	\$	5,623
Total	\$	19,401

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

Eucharistic Adoration

Holy Spirit Church 6:00 - 7:00pm Tuesday Evenings

<u>The Sanctuary Lamp</u> <u>is lit at:</u>

Holy Spirit Church

On November 13-19th, For Althea Pagliaruli &

Robert DeConti, By The Michalman Family

NOVEMBER 13, 2022

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

There will be <u>NO</u> classes on Sunday, **November 13**, **2022**, at JWMS (please adjust your Religious Ed calendars) due to Veteran's Day holiday.

Grade 10 Confirmation class will meet on Sunday, December 11, 2022 for $\underline{11:30}$ am. Mass @ Holy Spirit Church and immediately to the church hall after Mass for seminar.

Dismissal is at 1:30 pm.



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

Asher Jose Escales

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

To get started, visit our website at: annunciationnewington.com/baptism



<u>Parish Calendar</u>

Thurs., November 17th, 12:30 noon, H/S

The Prayer Shawl Group meets once monthly.

Sunday, November 20th, 4:30 pm

Knights Sandwich Collection, Saint Mary School parking lot.

Monday, December 5th, 6:30 pm, H/S

Women's Guild Executive Board Members Only Meeting.

The Men's Club

...meets on the third Wednesday of every month, @ <u>6:00</u> pm in St. Mary lower Rectory. Contact: *Tom Morris* @ <u>(860) 666-6331</u>.

The Men's Fellowship Group

...meets every Thursday evening from <u>6:30-8:00</u> pm @Holy Spirit Church Hall.

CHRISTMAS BUS TRIP

For those going on the trip to the Radio City Christmas Show on **Nov 29th**, the bus will be leaving at <u>8:15</u> am. Coffee and donuts will be served before we leave. The bus will depart for home at 8:00 pm





Annunciation Women's Guild Christmas Party

Our annual Christmas Party will be held on **Tuesday December 6th**, **2022** at Holy Spirit Church Hall. It will begin at <u>5:30</u> pm. This includes a family style served meal catered by Michaels, entertainment by local teacher and musician Brian Kelly, and a tea cup raffle. The meal includes appetizers, garden salad, pasta marinara, vegetable medley, roasted potatoes, rolls and butter, chicken francaise, pork loin, coffee and dessert. The cost for members and guests is <u>\$35</u>. Payment is due by Thursday December 1st. Please make checks payable to: The **Annunciation Women's Guild**. Please place payment in a blank envelope and label the outside with your name & Annunciation Women's Guild Christmas Party. Envelopes can be brought to the Nov.15th membership meeting or placed in a weekly collection basket at either church entrances by Nov. 28th. *Attendees are requested to bring adult size new socks and or underwear to be donated to the House of Bread, who will distribute them to those in need. Any questions can be made to Lee Ann Bouchard at: <u>860-666-3014</u>.

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Sister Sophia Peters, FSE, and Sister Francesca Silver, FSE, show samples of items you might find in Merry Miscellaneous at this year's *Franciscan Christmas Fair*, Saturday, November 19, 2022, <u>9:30</u> a.m. to <u>2:30</u> p.m., 271 Finch Avenue, Meriden, CT 06451.

Other Christmas delights include: A Living Crèche, Santa and Mrs. Claus, Franciscan Pottery, Homemade Breads, Rolls, Cookies, Crafts, "Almost New" Items, Holy Land treasures, beeswax candles, miniature reindeer, *Chestnuts roasting on an open fire,* Children's Activities, Fresh Cut Christmas Trees, Wreaths, Raffles and Refreshments.

We hope you can join us!

Open to the Public –No Entrance Fee Visit <u>flcenter.org</u> for more information.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2022

y Remembrance

We believe that setting aside a time to remember our loved ones during the holiday season brings great peace and much comfort. This year we are excited to announce that we will again be holding our Holiday Remembrance program at both our locations.

During the remembrance we will be displaying a photo slideshow of the loved ones we are remembering. If you would like share a photo for this year's video, please bring a picture to either funeral home location or email a photo (with your loved one's name) to <u>liz@newingtonmemorial.com</u> **No later than Monday, November 28th.**

> We invite you to bring an ornament to hang on our tree, or you may design an ornament at the funeral home before the program.

For more information please visit our website at <u>www.duksa.net</u> or call 860-666-0600 This program is complimentary and open to all.

BURRITT HILL FUNERAL HOME 332 Burritt Street - New Britain **1:00 p.m.** (Registration is from 12:30 – 1:00 p.m.)



NEWINGTON MEMORIAL 20 Bonair Avenue - Newington **4:00 p.m.** (Registration is from 3:30 – 4:00 p.m.)