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Rev. Miguel A. Bernal, Priest in Residence Director of Greenwich Hispanic Ministry

Deacon Renato Berzolla Deacon Robert Henrey, Retired Deacon John Linsenmeyer

#### WORSHIP SCHEDULE

#### Sunday

7:30 AM - Mass, St. Catherine's Church

9:00 AM - Family Mass, St. Catherine's Church

10:30 AM - Traditional Mass, St. Catherine's Church

5:00 PM – Teen Mass, St. Catherine's Church

**MASSES IN OTHER LANGUAGES** 

St. Catherine's Church

6:30 PM - Spanish Mass

St. Agnes Chapel

11:00 AM - Italian Mass - 3rd Sunday of the month Tuesdays - 6:00 PM, St. Agnes Chapel

#### Saturday

3:00 - 4:00 PM - Confessions at St. Catherine's Church

(Specific dates confirmed weekly in bulletin.)

5:00 PM - Vigil Mass, St. Catherine's Church

#### Daily

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

7:00 AM - Daily Mass, St. Catherine's Church

5:15 PM - Daily Mass, St. Agnes Chapel

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesdays - 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM,

St. Catherine's Church

Rosary

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Parish Partners - Jeannemarie Baker, RN, NP (ret.)

## This week's READINGS

**Sunday:** Acts 14:21-27; Rv 21:1-5a; Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:18-21

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#### Mass Intentions & Celebrants Schedule

#### Gaturday, May 17

3:00 – 4:00 PM Confessions

**Celebrant:** Fr. Christopher J. Perrella

5:00 PM Intention: Richard Raffa

**Celebrant:** Fr. James Vattakunnel

Gunday, May 18

**7:30 AM Intention:** Rose Marie & Dominique Semexant

Celebrant: Fr. Christopher J. Perrella

**9:00 AM** Intention: Glenn Gomez

Celebrant: Fr. Michael A. Boccaccio

10:30 AM Intention: Juan Sanchez

Celebrant: Fr. Michael A. Boccaccio

11:00 AM Intention: Concetta, Francesco & Angelo Petrone

**Celebrant:** Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

5:00 PM Intention: William Kelly

**Celebrant:** Fr. Christopher J. Perrella

**6:30 PM** Intention: Accion de Gracias al Divino Niño Jesus

**Celebrant:** Fr. Lionel Pacheco

Monday, May 19

7:00 AM Intention: Joseph P. Greco, III

**5:15 PM** Intention: Richard Anthony Capossela

Tuesday, May 20

**7:00 AM** Intention: Salvatore Stimma

**5:15 PM** Intention: Richard Greene

Thursday, May 22

**7:00 AM Intention:** Thomas Smeriglio

**5:15 PM** Intention: Mary Romeo

Friday, May 23

7:00 AM Intention: Patricia Orrico Rostoski

5:15 PM Intention: Richard Greene

Saturday, May 24

3:00 – 4:00 PM Confessions

**Celebrant:** Fr. Christopher J. Perrella

5:00 PM Intention: Clare Orsi

**Celebrant:** Fr. Christopher J. Perrella

Sunday, May 25

7:30 AM Intention: Rose Marie & Dominique Semexant

**Celebrant:** Fr. Matthew Mauriello

9:00 AM Intention: Dana Barakat

**Celebrant:** Fr. Christopher J. Perrella

10:30 AM Intention: Clementina Prizio Boccuzzi

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

5:00 PM Intention: Stephen Gilardi

Celebrant: Msgr. Laurence R. Bronkiewicz

**6:30 PM** Intention: Francisco M. Romero

**Celebrant:** Fr. Tomás Sastre

\*Schedule subject to change

## PARISH NEWS



## Please pray for the sick members of our Parish, especially for:

Scion Estrella Wilmar Acevedo Joan Bartilucci Claudia Bouchard John Hickey Loretta DiMaio Bonnie Elezaby Jay Bartomioli Faustino Garcia Morales Tom Maigret Vinnie Yax Olga Iacobazzo Lorraine Mallen Cecilia Maravilla John Colford Catherine Colangelo Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues Barbara Weltz



#### PARISH SUPPORT

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2025 BISHOD'S APPEAL AS OF 5/9/25

	Bishop's Appeal Goal:	\$278,000
• • • • •	Total Pledged:	\$107,514 (38.67%)
•	Donors to Date:	133 Donors

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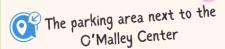
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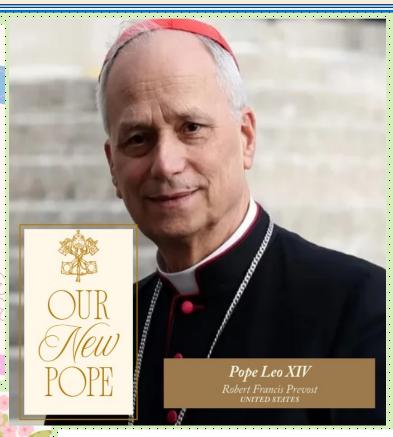
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- Anish & Thanya Vora and their Family

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## This Week on Formed

Week of May 18, 2025



#### Saint Celestine: The Pope Who Quit

This docu-drama investigates the secrecy of this dramatic time in history and reveals a story that involves deadly dealings, apocalyptic maneuverings, and papal intrigue. It uncovers the riveting and mysterious story of Pope St. Celestine V, the pope who retired from the papacy after a very short reign. At the close of the tumultuous Middle Ages, this future monk and pope seemed destined from birth to save the world



#### Saint Rita

St. Rita of Cascia is immortalized in this wonderful, deeply moving film. This story is about the brave woman who married her knight, helped him overcome his dark past and convert to faith, happily bore him two children, and later endures immense pain as she loses everything in her life. Her story and love for Christ will inspire you to great holiness



#### The Pope | What Catholics Believe

Join Dr. Christopher Mooney, assistant professor of theology at the Augustine Institute Graduate School of Theology, as he answers some of the internet's most popular questions about the pope and the papacy.

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#### **PARISH NEWS**



#### **Bible Study:**

The Parish Bible Study is resuming with Part Two of Women of the Old Testament, on Wed. May 14th in the Lucey Parish Hall, 9:45-11:30am under the guidance of Barbara Glynn and Barbara Linton.

Please join if you are interested, even if you didn't get to participate in Part One. They are independent studies and quite surprisingly pertinent to today's culture.

The book we will use is:Women in the Old Testament, Part Two. Irene Nowell, OSB, with Jaime L. Waters and Little Rock Scripture Study staff. Order it asap.





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"After Paul and Barnabas had proclaimed the good news in that city they returned... to Antioch. They strengthened the spirits of the disciples and exhorted them to persevere in the faith, saying, 'It is necessary for us to undergo many hardships to enter the kingdom of God.' They appointed elders for them in each church, and with prayer and fasting, commended them to the Lord in whom they had put their faith."

The book of Acts offers us a glimpse of the early church, its growth, the missionary journeys of Paul and his companions. Cities and towns not familiar to us today readily accepted their teaching, under the influence of the Holy Spirit. That same Spirit is calling believers today to go, teach and make disciples but we are slow to respond.

We lament the loss of family and friends who have given up the faith. We allow non-Christian practices to dominate the scene as far as morality and lifestyles are concerned. The sad thing is not what has led others away, but that we have not been the Paul and Barnabas for them. Who needs to be strengthened in my circle of friends? Who is waiting to be invited to come or return

to our flock? I know someone... Speak up. Speak out.





## **TEACHING & PREACHING THE GOSPEL**

"Our Diaconate Formation Program provides support for men who feel "called" to the diaconate at all phases of their discernment. From inquiry through formation, we support and guide our candidates through four and one-half years of study, prayer, and discernment—all supported through gifts to the Bishop's Appeal. In total, we have 86 deacons in our diocese; 49 who are active and 37 retired, many who continue to serve in their parishes."

Deacon John DiTaranto.

Director of the Diaconate, currently serving at St. Stephen Parish, Trumbull.

#### MAKE YOUR GIFT TODAY!

Your donation to the Bishop's Appeal alleviates the financial burden of the formation program, enabling deacon candidates to concentrate on their studies and preparation for their vocation of service in the diocese and parishes.



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# First Holy Communion

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