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Director of Greenwich Hispanic Ministry

Deacon Renato Berzolla
Deacon Robert Henrey, *Retired*
Deacon John Linsenmeyer
Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues

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

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

Tuesdays – 6:00 PM, St. Agnes Chapel

All Masses at
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Church are livestreamed.

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Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

Saturday 10:00 AM-1:00 PM

Please call the Parish Office to schedule dates for
**Baptisms, Weddings and Sacrament of
Reconciliation**
(1st Saturday of every month by appointment)

Mass Intentions & Celebrants Schedule

Saturday, September 20

3:00 – 4:00 PM **Confessions**
Celebrant: Fr. Miguel A. Bernal
5:00 PM **Intention:** Richard L. Greene
Celebrant: Fr. Christopher J. Perrella

Sunday, September 21

7:30 AM **Intention:** Lotti Eberhard
Celebrant: Fr. Miguel A. Bernal
9:00 AM **Intention:** Luis Costales
Celebrant: Fr. Phillip Phan
10:30 AM **Intention:** Kalna Family
Celebrant: Fr. Phillip Phan
5:00 PM **Intention:** Charles Bittman
Celebrant: Fr. Christopher J. Perrella
6:30 PM **Intention:** All Parishioners of STC-STA
Celebrant: Fr. Miguel A. Bernal

Monday, September 22

7:00 AM **Intention:** The Comeau & Thibault Family
5:15 PM **Intention:** Nilda Yoakum

Tuesday, September 23

7:00 AM **Intention:** Thomas Smeriglio
5:15 PM **Intention:** Margaret & John Morley

Thursday, September 25

7:00 AM **Intention:** Richard Greene
5:15 PM **Intention:** Gino Lupinacci

Friday, September 26

7:00 AM **Intention:** Christiane Grassy
5:15 PM **Intention:** Terence Cunniffe

Saturday, September 27

3:00 – 4:00 PM **Confessions**
Celebrant: Fr. Miguel A. Bernal
5:00 PM **Intention:** Robert Morelli
Celebrant: Fr. Christopher J. Perrella

Sunday, September 28

7:30 AM **Intention:** Parishioners of STC-STA
Celebrant: Fr. Miguel A. Bernal
9:00 AM **Intention:** Danuta Lopaciuch
Celebrant: Fr. Phillip Phan
10:30 AM **Intention:** John P. Magda
Celebrant: Fr. Phillip Phan
5:00 PM **Intention:** Rev. William F. Carey
Celebrant: Msgr. Laurence Bronkiewicz
6:30 PM **Intention:** Ximena Salazar
Celebrant: Fr. Miguel A. Bernal

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 Stephen Cheung Catherine Colangelo
Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues Barbara Weltz Ximena Salazar

Please also pray for the deceased
members of our Parish, especially for:

Donna A. Domiziano

Lorraine Wedderburn



PARISH SUPPORT

Thank you for supporting your Parish.

Sunday September 14, 2025: \$9,730

Online Giving for the week: \$4,125

Total Offertory: \$13,855

Last Year: \$13,103

Second Collection: Catholic University of America \$1,609

1.) If you prefer to make your donations online, please consider using one of the following: Online Giving (OLG) allows you to make your Sunday Offertory and all other donations by credit card or bank check.

Visit: www.stc-sta.org/stewardship/online-giving

2) Text **203-633-7524: GIVE** &
Simply follow the prompt instructions to complete your text transactions!



St. Catherine of Siena &
St. Agnes Parish

2025 BISHOP'S APPEAL AS OF 9/12/25

Bishop's Appeal Goal:	\$278,000
Total Pledged:	\$170,267 (61.25%)
Donors to Date:	192 Donors



TO Make a GIFT, OR FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT US AT
2025BISHOPSAPPEAL.ORG CALL (203) 416-1470 OR SCAN WITH YOUR PHONE.

This week's READINGS

Sunday: Am 8:4-7; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Hg 2:1-9; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Lk 9:43b-45



Holy Baptism

Nellie Brazil Donahue

BAPTIZED INTO
GOD'S FAMILY ON



SEPTEMBER
13, 2025



Faith in Our Community

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"First of all, I ask that supplications, prayers, petitions and thanksgiving be offered for everyone, for kings and all in authority, so that we may lead a quiet and tranquil life in all devotion and dignity. This is good and pleasing to God our savior, who wills everyone to be saved and to come to knowledge of the truth."

Paul continues: 'It is my wish, then, that in every place the men should pray, lifting up holy hands, without anger or argument.'

We learn two important things in these few verses, God's wish for us and how we are to respond in prayer. He wants to save us, the reason Jesus came to us, and we need to say 'yes' by our prayer and way of life. Prayer of praise, gratitude, repentance and petition are our way of responding.



"This is the most wonderful thing about our Catholic faith, something that no one could have imagined or hoped for: God, the creator of heaven and earth, wanted to suffer and die for us creatures. God loved us to the point of dying for us! To do so, he descended from heaven, he humiliated himself and made himself similar to men, and he offered himself as a sacrifice on the cross, the most important event in the history of the world."

| Pope Leo XIV

Catechists NEEDED Tuesdays 4:00-4:45

Want to make a difference in the lives of our children? Join our team! As a token of our appreciation for the love and time our catechists share with our children, catechists' children may register free of charge and will have first choice of sacrament dates

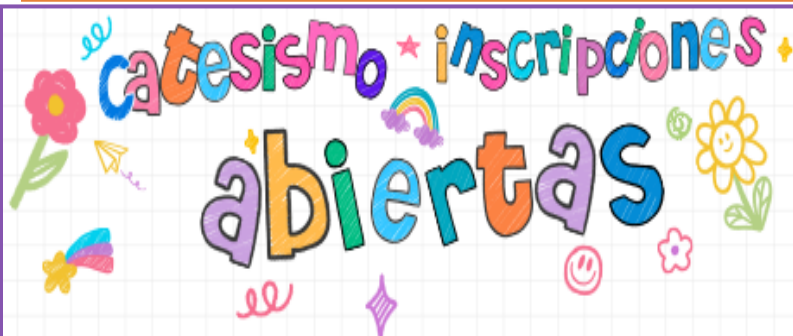
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FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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Call: 203-637-3661, ext. 106



PARISH NEWS



Queridas Familias !

Les informamos que las inscripciones para el programa de catequesis ya están abiertas. Este año, todas las inscripciones se realizarán únicamente en línea.

Por favor, asegúrense de leer con atención todas las instrucciones antes de completar el formulario de registro.

¡Gracias por su cooperación y por caminar con nosotros en este hermoso camino de fe! 🙏



Aviso a la Comunidad

La Misa en Español vuelve a su horario regular

 Domingo, 7 de Septiembre

 6:30 p.m.

 En nuestra iglesia St. Catherine of Siena

Será un momento para reencontrarnos como familia de fe, compartir la alegría del Evangelio y dar gracias juntos al Señor. ¡Ven con tu familia y amigos, todos son bienvenidos!



GIVING MADE SIMPLE: SCAN AND SUPPORT:

We're introducing a convenient way to give right from your seat. Use the QR code on the card in your pew to make a secure donation to our church. Your generosity helps us continue our mission of faith, service, and community outreach.

Thank you for being part of our ministry!

NEW DAY BEREAVEMENT PROGRAMS

Your loss may be recent... or long ago.

We are here to help you on your journey to healing, where you are invited to share your story in a small group, confidential setting.

Christ's love will support you in your sorrow, and He will send others to walk with you as you begin your journey through loss to healing.

Meetings are led by trained bereavement facilitators and there is no charge. Advanced registration is required.

You are welcome to register for any upcoming session:

St. Michael the Archangel, Greenwich

September 15 – November 17 – Monday evenings 6:30 – 8:00pm

St. Thomas More, Darien

September 24 – November 19 – Wednesday afternoons 2:00 – 3:30pm

The Parish of St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes, Riverside

October 15 – December 17- Wednesday mornings 10:00 – 11:30am

St. Leo Parish, Stamford

October 20 – December 15 – Monday mornings 10 – 11:30am

Please go to:

www.Thegrief.org

to submit a program inquiry form or you can contact Carolyn Killian at 203-404-0023. Once the form is submitted, you will hear from one of our bereavement ministers regarding the next steps.



Faith in Our COMMUNITY



URGENT COLLECTION for

PS 85 Great Expectations School
Bronx NY

They've requested outdoor gear & games to enhance recess in their small school yard, aiming to create a safe, enjoyable playtime for all students.

Examples of items needed but not limited to are:
Extra balls, chalk, jump ropes, etc.

**Collection ends the weekend
of Sept 20 & 21.**

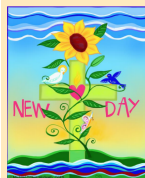
**Please place items in boxes near
the stairwell by main entrance
or entrance to Lucey Parish Hall**

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Thank you in advance for your help and generosity!



An essential asset for our Parish Family is Parish **Partners Ministry of Hope**, whose volunteers provide Eucharistic Visits, Accompaniment, Prayers throughout the year, and a faith-based **New Day Bereavement** program in the Spring and Fall. If you wish to join or need services, please contact Jeannemarie Baker under Ministries on page 2 of the Bulletin.



Parish Partners is offering this Fall an important program for those dealing with **Bereavement**. The program's warm, kind and personal help was pioneered in our Diocese with much acclaim. The Fall program begins **October 15th** and lasts for 9 consecutive weeks, except for November 26th during Thanksgiving time, and ending on December 17th. **Signup is required.** See Brochures at the doors.

ATTENTION!

**THE NEW 2026 LECTOR BOOKS ARE NOW
AVAILABLE FOR PICK-UP IN THE SACRISTY AFTER
MASS. PLEASE BE SURE TO COLLECT YOURS.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!**

Pick-a-Pumpkin BINGO

Where pumpkins, friends, and bingo all come together. Bingo night with an autumn twist!

Tuesday, Oct. 21 from 5:30-8:30 PM
St. Catherine's/St. Agnes Church
Lucey Parish Hall - 4 Riverside Ave.

Doors open at 5:30, games begin at 6:30
Bring dinner/snacks to enjoy with friends prior to bingo!
\$15/per person or \$135/table of 10

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