



May 12, 2024

Rev. William F. Platt, Pastor
Rev. Miguel Bernal, Priest in Residence
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

St. Catherine's Chapel

11:00 AM – French Mass - 2nd Sunday of the month
– Italian Mass - 3rd Sunday of the month

Saturday

3:00 — 4:00 PM – Confessions at St. Catherine's Church
(Specific dates confirmed weekly in bulletin.)

5:00 PM – Vigil Mass at St. Catherine's Church

Daily

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

7:00 AM – Daily Mass at St. Catherine's Church

5:15 PM Mass at St. Catherine's Chapel

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

*(suspended during Church renovation)

Wednesdays – 8:30 AM — 4:00 PM in St. Catherine's Church

Rosary

Tuesdays – 6:00 PM in St. Catherine's Chapel

All Masses at St. Catherine of Siena Church are in-person and livestreamed.

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Saturday 10:00 AM-2:00 PM

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

Financial Report: Sunday Offertory

April 13 & April 14.....	\$10,131
April 20 & April 21.....	\$11,497
April 27 & April 28.....	\$8,669
May 4 & May 5	\$16,021

Offertory includes **Monthly** and **Online Giving (OLG)**

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Sunday Offertory and all other donations
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Mass Intentions and Celebrant Schedule*

Saturday, May 11

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

5:00 PM **Intention:** Anthony Lalor

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

Sunday, May 12

7:30 AM **Intention:** Fran Prunier

Celebrant: Msgr. Larry Bronkiewicz

9AM **Intention:** Kenneth Pulick

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

10:30 AM **Intention:** Rosina Capalbo
Teresa Petrone
Carmela Russo

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

11:00 AM - French Mass

Intention: Robert LeRose

Celebrant: Fr. Gilbert D'Souza

5:00 PM **Intentions:** Ian and Alicia Campbell
John and Maria Rosa Caragol

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

6:30 PM **Intentions:** Marquez and Nieves Family

Celebrant: Fr. Jorge Obregon

Monday, May 13

7:00 AM **Intention:** Eleanor M.Stefanowicz

5:15 PM **Intention:** Theresa Fedele

Tuesday, May 14

7:00 AM **Intention:** Emilia Zygmunt

5:15 PM **Intention:** Eileen S. Edwards

Thursday, May 16

7:00 AM **Intention:** Roger Casey

12:10 PM **Intention:** Ralph Penny

5:15 PM **Intention:** Anna Dalski

Friday, May 17

7:00 AM **Intentions:** Michael & Luigia Iacubono

5:15 PM **Intention:** John W. Roberts

Saturday, May 18

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

5:00 PM **Intention:** John de Csepel

Celebrant: Fr. Miguel Bernal

Sunday, May 19

7:30 AM **Intention:** Josephine Yuen (living)

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

9:00 AM **Intention:** Ersidia Groccia

Celebrant: Fr. Miguel Bernal

10:30AM **Intentions:** Orlando LaPegna

Celebrant: Fr. M Boccaccio

11:00 AM – Italian Mass

Intentions: Vittorio & Carolina Ceci

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

5:00 PM **Intentions:** Richard A. Raffa

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

6:30 PM **Intentions:** Evelyn & Fred Arroyo

Celebrant: Fr. Jorge Obregon

***Schedule subject to change**

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

ST. AGNES CHURCH CELEBRATION

On June 2, as a parish family of faith, we will celebrate the legacy of St. Agnes Church. United in love, we will place dearly held memories of St. Agnes Church within the broader context of our faith in Jesus Christ. It will be a celebration to commemorate the shared heritage of our merged parish and the decades of faithful service to the Church by the parishioners of St. Agnes.

Jamie Benincasa, a parish trustee, and former St. Agnes parishioner has been working with a group of parish volunteers to plan the event. The celebration will begin with the celebration of the 10:30 am Mass. A highlight of the Mass will be the inaugural presentation of a new hymn written by our Composer-in-Residence, Alexander Dmitriev, in honor of St. Agnes – “The St. Agnes Hymn.” Following the Mass, there will be a solemn procession to the chapel, where the statue of St. Agnes (from the St. Agnes Church sanctuary) will be permanently enshrined for veneration and devotion. A reception will follow.

We hope to gather pictures, videos, and mementos from over the years at St. Agnes Church so that we can display them digitally during the reception. Please send anything that you would like to share to SaintAgnesChapel@gmail.com.

We hope that you will join us for this joyful celebration.

Fr. Bill Platt, Pastor

Please pray for the sick members of our parish, especially for:



Wilmar Acevedo
Stephen Cheung
Olga Iacobazzo

Leslie Nash
Barbara Weltz

Joan Bartilucci
Loretta DiMaio
Sandra Judge

Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues
Vinnie Yax

John Bambino
Scion Estrella
Lorraine Mallen

Claudia Bouchard
John Hickey
Faustino Garcia Morales

Austin Shanley
Josephine Yuen



***The Parish of St. Catherine of Siena
and St. Agnes congratulates and
welcomes***

James Vincent Khanna

***Baptized into God's family on
May 5, 2024***



**Catholic
Communication
Campaign**
CONNECT WITH CHRIST

May 11 & 12

Next week, our special collection supports the **Catholic Communication Campaign**. This campaign connects people with Christ and builds Catholic communities in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money collected remains in the Diocese of Bridgeport to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message!

To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/cc.



Parish Renovation Update

To stay up to speed on our parish renovation progress, please visit our website **Home** Page at <https://stc-sta.org/> for the latest reports. Please also consider using St. Catherine **Chapel** for **weekday private prayer** while the church narthex undergoes renovation.



St. Catherine's Support Circle

Keys to Success for Job Seekers Over 50

An SCSC Zoom Meeting

Thursday, May 16 from 7:00—8:15 PM

There are clearly challenges for older job seekers, particularly those who are not currently employed. In this meeting, we will discuss an overview of the special challenges for job seekers over 50, and suggestions for making the process go more smoothly. Our presenter will be *SCSC Committee Chairman* and former executive job search coach Bob Sloane. Prior to his retirement several years ago, Bob spent 20 years as an executive job search coach. Earlier, he had a 20 year career in the Consumer Products industry where he held general management and senior marketing management roles. In 2012, he co-authored the book *Fired at 50: How to Overcome the Greatest Executive Job Search Challenge*. Please join us to learn Bob's perspective on the keys to success as an older job seeker.

Visit www.stc-sta.org/community-life/st-catherine-s-support-circle for more details on the program and how to reserve a space at the SCSC table.

RSVPs required: To receive a link to attend the *Zoom* session, please **RSVP by Tuesday, May 14** to the Meeting Chair, Ms. Gretchen Johnson at gbmjohanson@gmail.com

More PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

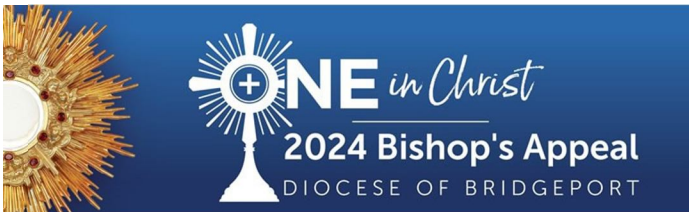


Catholic Social Teaching

There are seven themes of Catholic Social Teaching. The *Social Justice Committee* will present one theme each month. They provide a framework through which to understand modern Catholic Social Teaching and a guide to living our lives amidst the challenges of modern society.

This month's theme: **Solidarity**

We are one human family whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences. We are our brothers and sisters' keepers, wherever they may be. Loving our neighbor has global dimensions in a shrinking world. At the core of the virtue of solidarity is the pursuit of justice and peace. Pope Paul VI taught that if you want peace, work for justice. The Gospel calls us to be peacemakers. Our love for all our sisters and brothers demands that we promote peace in a world surrounded by violence and conflict.



Saint Catherine of Siena and Saint Agnes Parish
2024 Bishop's Appeal as of 5/2/24

Bishop's Appeal Goal: \$278,000
Total Pledged: \$122,314 (44%) Donors to Date: 147

To make a gift, or for more information,
please visit us at 2024BishopAppeal.org, or
call (203) 416-1470.

The Bishop's Appeal supports the ministries of the Catholic Church throughout Fairfield County. If you have not yet given your support, please prayerfully consider doing so. Your support is critical to the continued success of the ministries. Thank you!



Pray the Rosary **Tuesdays at 6:00 PM in the Chapel**

Join us in worship as we are led in
the ROSARY every Tuesday in
St. Catherine's Chapel,
We begin at 6:00 PM. Please join us!

Children Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)

Children's Liturgy of the Word is held weekly
at the **9:00 AM Family Mass**.

All children will begin Mass sitting with their parents in church.
Children in Grades Kindergarten – 5th will be invited
to go with committee members to the Lucey Parish Hall.
Children will return to their parents after the Prayer of the Faithful.

Children's Liturgy
of the **Word**

FAITH in our Community

*The Social Justice Committee of
St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes continues their*
Food & Essentials Drive for Neighbor to Neighbor

Please continue to be generous in your donations to *Neighbor-to-Neighbor* of non-perishable foods and personal care items. Our drives at St. Catherine's continue **every Tuesday from 9:00 - 11:00 AM** as does the need!

Each week, donations can be dropped-off in the parking area across the street from the Rectory. Or, when construction impacts the vestibule at the church entrance, donations may be left downstairs in the vestibule to the Lucey Parish Hall.



Visit www.stc-sta.org/community-news for details and items needed and how your donations are helping!

Thanks to all for remembering your neighbors with your generous donations that fill the gap for so many!!





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