

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 (Family Mass), 10:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

DAILY (Chapel)

Monday through Friday: 7:00 a.m. & 5:15 p.m.

Saturday: 7:00 a.m.

HOLYDAY (Church)

Eve: 5:15 p.m. (Vigil)

Holyday: 7:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m., & 5:15 p.m.

MASSES IN OTHER LANGUAGES

September to June (Chapel)

French Mass - 2nd Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Italian Mass - 3rd Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Spanish Mass - 4th Sunday 11:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION - Sacrament of Penance

(Sacristy) Saturday: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

(Individual or during Mass)

Please call the Rectory to arrange for Baptism.

Attendance at a Pre-Baptism Session is required –

3rd Saturday: 1:30 p.m. in the Rectory

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the Rectory 9-12 months before proposed wedding date to arrange for marriage preparation.



Please pray for the deceased members of our parish.



Come and join!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every First Friday of the Month

Immediately following the 5:15 Mass in the Chapel



WEEKLY MEDITATION

Please join us for Meditation on Thursday evenings in the Chapel, from 7:00 - 7:30 p.m. It's a quiet time to retreat from the "hustle and bustle" of the workplace and home.

READINGS FOR SUNDAY LITURGY
can be found at number 864 in Worship.

Saturday, June 22

2 Cor 12:1-10; Mt 6:24-34

5:00 p.m. All the Members of this Parish

Sunday, June 23

Gn 14:18-20; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

7:30 a.m. Donald R. Kiefer

9:00 a.m. Marion and Thomas Dobson

10:30 a.m. Kitty Zolluccio

11:00 a.m. Spanish Mass

5:00 p.m. Martha O'Connor

Monday, June 24

Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

7:00 a.m. Msgr. William A. Genuario

5:15 p.m. Robert A. Morelli

Tuesday, June 25

Gn 13:2, 5-18; Mt 7:6, 12-14

7:00 a.m. All Souls

5:15 p.m. Betsy Glavin

Wednesday, June 26

Gn 15:1-12, 17-18; Mt 7:15-20

7:00 a.m. Blaise Bruno

5:15 p.m. Anne Richiski

Thursday, June 27

Gn 16:1-12, 15-16; Mt 7:21-29

7:00 a.m. Dyanna Borges

5:15 p.m. Living and Deceased Members
of the Klumpp and Craig Families

Friday, June 28

Ez 34:11-16; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7

7:00 a.m. Edith Bush

5:15 p.m. St. Padre Pio

Saturday, June 29

Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

5:00 p.m. Louis A. Chiappetta

Sunday, June 30

1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62

7:30 a.m. All the Members of this Parish

9:00 a.m. Lucille Tarantino

10:00 a.m. French Mass

10:30 a.m. Tony Giordan

5:00 p.m. Rosaria and Lorenzo Bria

NEXT WEEKEND CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 29

Reconciliation: Fr. Mark D'Silva

5:00 p.m. Fr. Mark D'Silva

Sunday, June 30

7:30 a.m. Fr. Mark D'Silva

9:00 a.m. Fr. Paul Shankar

10:00 a.m. French Mass

10:30 a.m. Fr. William F. Platt

5:00 p.m. Fr. William F. Platt

PARISH EVENTS AND NEWS

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 26	VIRTUS Training 7:00 p.m., Lucey Parish Hall
June 27	Meditation 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Chapel
July 1	VIRTUS Training 7:00 p.m., Lucey Parish Hall
July 9 – 13	Carnival of Fun

CARE FOR THE SICK AND AGING



If you or someone you know is homebound or going to be in the hospital and would like Confession, Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick, please call the Rectory: 203-637-3661.

Just because you cannot make it to Mass, it does not mean you should be separated from the beautiful graces of the Sacraments and your St. Catherine Family of Faith.

PARISHIONER UPDATES

As we try to maintain our records, please let us know if you have recently moved, changed your phone number, or changed or added an email address. If you have never formally registered, we can easily take care of that for you. Please contact Terri Marino at 203-637-3661 ext. 326 or terri.marino@stcath.org.

Don't forget to buy your raffle tickets for this year's \$30,000 1st prize!



Tickets are available in the Rectory during normal business hours.



3rd Announcement

Veronica Spedaliere and Joseph Ascoli

Have Made a Promise of Marriage

FATHER'S DAY BEACH MASS



Over 150 people attended last Sunday's 9:00 a.m. Mass at the beach! It was a beautiful morning.

YOU CAN BE AN ALTAR SERVER!



As long as a child has received first communion, they can be trained to serve. Altar Servers are generally asked to serve two Masses each month.

If interested, contact our coordinator,
Connie Murljacic, at
cmurljac@gmail.com.

Collaborative Committee Corner



St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes Officially Merge

We are happy to share the official announcement of the merger between *St. Catherine of Siena* and *St. Agnes* parishes! By Decree of Bishop Caggiano, the two will operate as "**The Parish of St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes**" effective July 1, 2019. Please see the entire **Decree Merging the Parishes** inserted in this bulletin, and look here for more details on our future together in the coming weeks.

If you have questions or feedback you would like to share, please email collaborativecommittee@gmail.com.

EVENTS AND NEWS

Financial Report

Sunday Offertory (for the last four weekends)

May 18 & 19.....	\$ 9,918**
May 25 & 26.....	\$11,790**
June 1 & 2.....	\$11,044**
June 8 & 9.....	\$10,047**

**May Include Monthly, (AEG) and/or (OLG) Offertory



Online Giving

*Take the Simple Way to
Support your Parish!*

As you may know, we've launched an **Online Giving** program as an easy way for parishioners to make contributions to the church. **We'd like to encourage everyone to take advantage of this simple way of supporting St. Catherine's.**

You will find reusable cards in the pews that provide more information on the program, and we invite those already giving ONLINE to place one of those cards in the collections baskets each week to indicate that you already contribute.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

Next week, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.



We have raised \$156,419 gifts or pledges to the Annual Catholic Appeal from 287 donors. We would like to thank all those who have been so generous in contributing.

If you have not yet contributed, please consider a gift so that we might be able to reach our \$200,000 goal.



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[@stcatherineofsienachurchriversidect](https://www.facebook.com/stcatherineofsienachurchriversidect)

10th Anniversary of the Worldpriest Annual Global Rosary Relay for the Sanctification of Priests

Friday, June 28, 2019

7:00 p.m.

**Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish
Danbury, Ct**

Pray the Rosary, unite with your country and help encircle the world in prayer.

VIRTUS®



The Protecting God's Children program educates and trains adults (clergy, teachers, staff, volunteers, parents) about the dangers and warning signs of abuse, the ways to prevent abuse, the methods of properly reporting suspicions of, and responding to allegations of abuse.

ATTENTION CARNIVAL VOLUNTEERS!

If you would like to volunteer, in ANY capacity at St. Catherine's (or any parish), you must attend a VIRTUS session. These sessions will be held here prior to the Carnival for those who would like to volunteer. **Please choose one:**

June 26 (7:00 p.m.) - July 1 (7:00 p.m.)

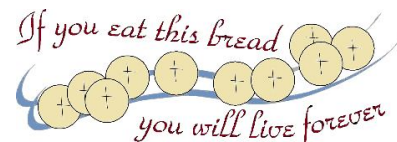
Lucey Parish Hall

A light dinner will be provided.

Please take advantage of this great opportunity!

Preregistration is required - visit www.virtus.org to register for one of these sessions.

Please contact Betty Lundgren at 203-637-3661 ext. 331 with any questions.



Thank You!

Thank you to all of our bulletin sponsors.

Please show your support
by patronizing their businesses.



Tuesday, July 9 - Saturday, July 13

6:00 – 10:00 p.m. (Tuesday/Wednesday)

6:00 – 11:00 p.m. (Thursday, Friday, Saturday)

Every Night is Bracelet Night!

All the rides/as many times as you like - \$30!!!



LIVE NIGHTLY ENTERTAINMENT!

**COME FOR DINNER AND
STAY FOR DESSERT!**

Enjoy our burgers, hot dogs, sausage & pepper
sandwiches, Philly cheesesteak sandwiches, pizza
fritta, ice cream, baked goods and more!



**Don't forget to purchase
your raffle tickets today!**



- *1st prize: \$30,000 AMEX Gift Card
- *2nd prize: \$5,000 AMEX Gift Card
- *3rd prize: \$3,000 AMEX Gift Card
- *4th prize: \$500 Aux Delices Gift Card
- *5th prize: Mohegan Sun Getaway
- *6th prize: Giant Revel Mountain Bike

To make it easier for you, we have mailed 2 tickets to all parishioner's homes.
Simply return your ticket stubs with your payment for a chance to win!

You can also pick up additional tickets at the rectory if you're able to help us by selling to the community.

The Carnival is only 2 weeks away – VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED IN ALL AREAS!

We need over 300 volunteers (adults and teens) for a successful Carnival!

Volunteering a fun way to spend an evening, and teens can easily accumulate Community Service hours (*must stay for the entire shift*). Volunteers are an integral part of our community and we encourage everyone to take part in this annual fundraiser!

**** Sign up on our CARNIVAL page under COMMUNITY LIFE at www.stcath.org. ****

Volunteer coordinator: Steve Strazza - steve.strazza@gmail.com.

Please note that the Diocese requires all volunteers, 18 and older, to participate in a VIRTUS - Protecting God's Children training session. We will hold two more sessions before the Carnival (in the Lucey Parish Hall):

June 26 - 7:00 p.m.) or July 1 - 7:00 p.m. (Light dinner is provided)

**You must pre-register – www.virtus.org
(Questions: Betty 203-627-3661 X331)**



What's Happening in Faith Formation

Visit www.stcath.org for the full class calendar.

The Religious Education Office hours are Monday – Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



**Catechists are needed
for the 2019-2020 school year.**

*Please consider sharing your love for our
Lord with the children of our parish.*

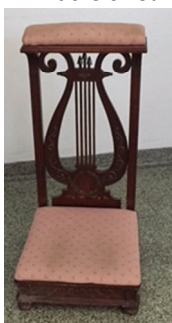
**For more information, contact the
Faith Formation office at 203-637-3661 X330.**

First Communion

**Congratulations to Elisabeth Zielinski who made her
First Communion on June 9, 2019.**

Church Question

What is this?



**Let us pray that we all continue to be followers of Jesus
and that God will watch over each of us and keep us safe
throughout the summer months.**



"He said to them, "Give them some food yourselves."

Gospel Summary – Lk 9:11b-17

Jesus continued to teach the crowds that had gathered until late in the day when his disciples came to him and said that Jesus should let the crowd go so that they might find food and a place to stay. Jesus told the disciples to feed the crowd themselves, but they knew it would be impossible because they only had five loaves of bread and two fish among them. Jesus instructed the disciples to divide the people into groups of fifty. Jesus took the five loaves and two fish, blessed and broke them and shared them among the people. Not only was this food sufficient for the crowd but they had twelve baskets of leftovers.

Reflection for Families

How many meals do we prepare not knowing exactly who will eat them? As the dynamics of our families change, there may be a few more or a few less at each meal. Sometimes we invite co-workers or neighbors at the last minute to join us for dinner, or our children may ask if Joey can stay for dinner! We can be creative stretching a meal to feed a few more or have some really great leftovers for the next day's lunch! However they turn out, our meals are opportunities for sharing love by our efforts in preparation, with those who gather at the table, and the conversation we share as we eat. Mealtime is important for all families, and we need to make every effort to help them become sacred moments of the day.

Bringing the Gospel Into your Family

Who does your family know who is hungry, alone, or does not have enough to eat? Maybe you know someone who fits into two or even all three of these categories. Make an effort to take a meal to them, or better yet, have them share a meal and conversation with your family. Learn as much as you can about their needs by listening carefully to what they tell you in conversation. After the event, decide if there is anything you learned that you might do to help lighten their burden.

Discussion Starters

- The greatest hunger I have ever experienced – either in my own life or something I have seen in someone else's life - was ...
- One way I will serve people who are hungry is by . . .
- The hardest thing for me about sharing is . . .

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"say, you are all obliged to help one another by word and doctrine, and the example of good works, and in every other respect in which your neighbor may be seen to be in need; counseling him exactly as you would yourselves."

— St. Catherine of Siena