

"Come to me, all you who
labor and are burdened,
and I will give you rest.
Take my yoke upon you
and learn from me, for I am
meek and humble of heart;
and you will find rest for
yourselves. For my yoke is
easy, and my burden light."

**Fourteenth Sunday
in
Ordinary Time:
July 9, 2023**

Rev. William F. Platt, Pastor
Rev. Miguel Bernal, Priest in Residence
Director of Greenwich Hispanic Ministry
Rev. Christopher Johnson, Priest in Residence
Staff Chaplain, Greenwich Hospital

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

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday

7:30 AM – Mass at St. Catherine's Church
8:30 AM – Mass at St. Agnes Church
9:00 AM – Family Mass at St. Catherine's Church
10:00 AM – Mass at St. Agnes Church
10:30 AM – Traditional Mass at St. Catherine's Church
5:00 PM – Teen Mass at St. Catherine's Church

MASSES IN OTHER LANGUAGES at St. Catherine's Chapel

11:00 AM – French Mass - 2nd Sunday of the month
– Italian Mass - 3rd Sunday of the month
11:30 AM – Korean Mass (at St. Agnes Church)
6:30 PM – Spanish Mass (at St. Agnes Church)

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 – Daily Mass at St. Catherine's Chapel

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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.

VIEW THE LIVESTREAM at St. Catherine's HERE: <https://events.locallive.tv/worship/stc-sta>

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

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

Financial Report: Sunday Offertory

(for the last four weekends)

June 3 & 4\$20,582
June 10 & 11.....\$13,534
June 17 & 18.....\$12,859
June 24 & 25.....\$9,815

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

Take the Simple Way to Support your Parish!

Online Giving (OLG) allows you to make your Sunday Offertory and all other donations by credit card or check. Visit www.stc-sta.org/stewardship/online-giving or contact the Parish Office for details.

Mass Intentions and Celebrant Schedule*

Saturday, July 8

3:00 - 4:00 PM Confessions

Celebrant: Msgr. Larry Bronkiewicz

5:00 PM **Intention:** Henry Selah

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

Sunday, July 9

7:30 AM **Intentions:** Concetta, Francesco and Angelo Petrone

Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson

8:30 AM **Intention:** James Burns

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

9:00 AM **Intention:** Jayne Marie Bonanno

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

10:00 AM **Intention:** Cindy Conte

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

10:30 AM **Intention:** Guiseppina De Matteo

Celebrant: Fr. Michael Boccaccio

11:30 AM – Korean Mass

Intention: Hugo Mero

Celebrant: Fr. Seungyong Yi

5:00 PM **Intention:** Kathleen Moulton

Celebrant: Msgr. Larry Bronkiewicz

Monday, July 10

7:00 AM **Intention:** Carmela Sabia

5:15 PM **Intention:** Francis Deluca

Tuesday, July 11

7:00 AM **Intentions:** Donald Kiefer

5:15 PM **Intentions:** Wes Gill

Thursday, July 13

7:00 AM **Intention:** Paul Chapman

5:15 PM **Intention:** Porfirio Antonio Muralles Oliva

Friday, July 14

7:00 AM **Intention:** Dominick DiMaio

5:15 PM **Intention:** Rocco Tuzzio

Saturday, July 15

3:00 - 4:00 PM Confessions

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

5:00 PM **Intentions:** Vittorio and Carolina Ceci

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

Sunday, July 16

7:30 AM **Intentions:** Concetta, Francesco and Angelo Petrone

Celebrant: Fr. Miguel Bernal

8:30 AM **Intention:** Nicholas Bortilucci

Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson

9:00 AM **Intention:** Fr. Vincent O'Connor

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

10:00 AM **Intention:** Marketta Orrico

Celebrant: Fr. Miguel Bernal

10:30 AM **Intention:** Frederick Czerwinski

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

11:30 AM – Korean Mass

Intentions: Ursula Oca

Celebrant: Fr. Seungyong Yi

5:00 PM **Intention:** Angela Ducret

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

***Schedule subject to change**

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



Language Mass Summer Schedule Update

Our 6:30 PM **Spanish Mass** is now on hiatus and will **resume on August 20** and will continue every Sunday at St. Agnes Church thereafter.

Our **French** language **Mass** is on hiatus for the Summer and will **resume** on the 2nd Sunday of September — **September 10** at 11:00 AM at St. Catherine's Chapel.

Our **Italian** language **Mass** is on hiatus for the Summer and will **resume** on the 3rd Sunday of September — **September 17** at 11:00 AM at St. Catherine's Chapel.



Returning

July 12th through July 15th, 2023

Beginning at 6:00 PM

VOLUNTEERS Still Needed!

As you know by now, the *Carnival of Fun* has been re-imagined after a 3-year hiatus and is returning on Wednesday July 12th. The new carnival will still have plenty of **rides**, **games** and traditional **Pizza Fritte**, and now, a variety of local **food vendor tents** will be onsite to choose from. We will also have a new nightly **50/50 Cash Prize Raffle!**

As in the past, all carnival activities are run by **volunteers** and we **need nearly 200 over 4 days** to make it all happen. Please consider volunteering this year by reviewing the available time slots and clicking on your selected time in our *Sign Up Genius* link here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040448a4af2ba02-stcatherine#/>

Need assistance? Call or e-mail Trish Clark at 203-273-4214 or trishclark@optonline.net

Thank you in advance for your support in bringing back this cherished community event—we **look forward to sharing the fun with you there!**



If you need visiting or know someone who does, please contact *Parish Partners Ministry of Hope* at 203-637-3661 EXT 375, and you will receive a reply within 24 hours.

We have ministers available to visit and to bring Holy Communion to the sick and elderly on a regular basis.



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS (*Continued*)



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

Wilmar Acevedo	Claudia Bouchard	Stephen Cheung	Scion Estrella
John Hickey	Olga Iacobazzo	Sandra Judge	Gwen Loughlin
Lorraine Mallen	Joan J. Murphy	Leslie Nash	Mayra Nieves
Sister Joan McDermott aka Sister Mary Prague			
Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues	Austin Shanley	Barbara Weltz	
Vinnie Yax		Josephine Yuen	

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

Regina Donahue (6-12-23)



NEW DAY BEREAVEMENT PROGRAM A CALL TO ACTION

GRIEF happens NATURALLY, is completely NORMAL and NECESSARY in any fully-lived human life.

A well-mourned life can lead to a more fully actualized life, and a hopeful understanding of our Creator's Abiding Love.

Please contact the Parish Partners Ministry to consider enrolling in the New Day Bereavement Program: **(203) 637-3661 ext. 375**



**St. Catherine's
Support Circle**

We're seeking A Few Good Men And Women

The St. Catherine's Support Circle was formed in early 2009 (during "The Great Recession") to support job seekers at all levels and sectors--and to help them navigate the then-challenging economic environment.

To enable us to continue our mission, we're recruiting professionals to join our Steering Committee to help job seekers and others in career transition identify and position themselves for that "next" opportunity as the market-place continues to evolve. Ideally, you'll have professional experience in one or more of these of these areas:

- Human Resources
- Executive Search
- Career Coaching
- Clinical Career Counseling
- General Management
- Education
- Marketing
- Public Relations
- Finance
- Accounting
- IT
- Administrative Support

We conduct monthly meetings from September to June. Our sessions are interactive and we always encourage participation by both job seekers and those interested in providing their advice and support.

As a Steering Committee member, you'll help plan our monthly sessions, arrange for guest speakers, organize and chair panel discussions, and communicate our meeting information to the community. If you have relevant experience, and would be interested in joining your fellow professionals on the committee, please contact SCSC Chairman Bob Sloane at rsloane0@gmail.com.

More PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rosary on Hiatus

Please note, our Rosary on Tuesdays at 6:00 PM in St. Catherine's Chapel is now on hiatus and will **resume on September 12.**



Adult Faith Formation Report — a critical area for continuing education in our faith

From Barbara Linton:

*These past few months, our discussions of the four major documents of Vatican II, and the three dealing with the Church's relation to other expressions of Faith (**A Concise Guide to the Documents of Vatican II** by Edward P. Hahnenberg), as well as the book on the parables (**Fascinating Bible Studies on Every Parable** by Dr. William H. Marty), have been enlivening and enriching. I think we all grew as a result of our enjoyable exchange of ideas, learning much from each other and laughing a lot! A sign of the presence of the Holy Spirit, yes?*

We will take a break for the summer and will return in September, hopefully, to continue our study of timely topics related to our Faith. There was a consensus that we address the Church's teaching on Social Justice which I will lead. I plan to provide some appropriate printed material for this at the first session. We decided to follow that with a study of Pope Francis' encyclical, "Laudato Si."

In the meantime, feel free to get your copy of this version of **Laudato Si'** and begin to read Pope Francis' thoughts "on care for our common home."

Reminder: Jesus taught adults and played with children. We need to grow from our childhood understanding of faith into a faith that speaks to us as adults.



One In Christ – The 2023 Bishop's Appeal

Saint Catherine of Siena and Saint Agnes Parish

2023 Bishop's Appeal as of 6/23/23

ABA Goal:	\$278,000
Total Pledged:	\$168,119 (60%)
Donors to Date:	200 Donors



To make a gift, or for more information, please visit us at 2023BishopsAppeal.org, call (203) 416-1470 or scan with your phone.

We are grateful to the individuals and families who have already made their gift or pledge to the Bishop's Appeal. We are at 84% of our goal of \$8.1. For us to achieve our overall goal it will require the active involvement and personal sacrifice of all members of our faith community. To those who have given, thank you. If you have not yet responded to the 2023 Bishop's Appeal, please set aside a moment to prayerfully consider a gift.

Your gift will help tremendously and, together with others, will enable the diocese to provide essential pastoral, educational and human needs throughout Fairfield County.

Thank you for your support.

FAITH in our Community

Join us for
Eucharistic Adoration & Italian Mass
at

St. Michael the Archangel Parish
(469 North Street, Greenwich, CT)

Visiting priest from Italy, **Fr. Michele Madonna**, will be saying **Mass** (in Italian on **July 9**) and holding **Eucharistic Adoration** (on Tuesday, **July 11**).
Please join us if you can!



Italian Mass with Fr. Michele

St. Michael Church, Greenwich,
Sunday, July 9th at 6:30pm

TEACHING MASS WITH
FR. MICHELE MADONNA
FOLLOWED BY

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday, July
11th at 6:00pm
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URGENT MEDICAL REQUEST: Help Parishioner FRANCES FUNKE find a Kidney!

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To sign up, go to:

ctcemeteries.org/bereavement or email bereavement@ctcemeteries.org.



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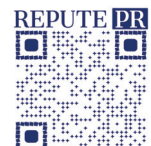
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