



# BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC PARISH

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

JANUARY 9 , 2022

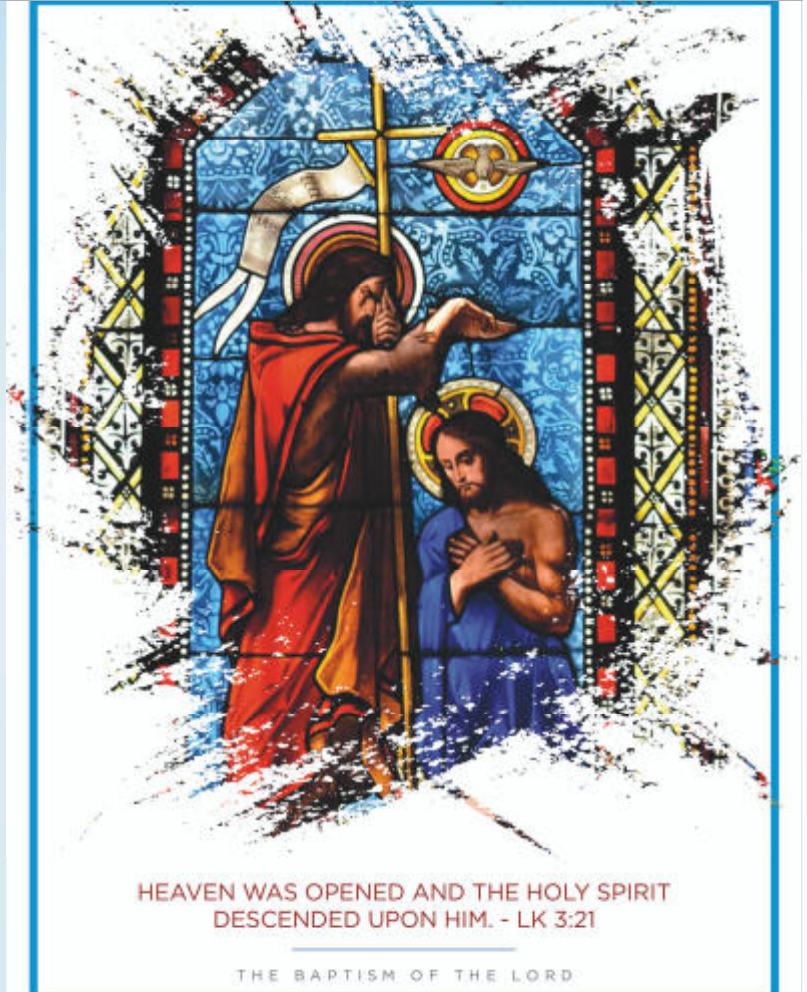
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**ENGAGED COUPLES** are requested to contact the parish office at least 6 months prior to their wedding. To start the process, click '**Get Married**' on the bottom of our webpage.



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#### Confession

Saturday 3:00pm – 4:00pm

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Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00am

#### Confession

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## SAVE THE DATE

### Parish Lenten Mission

**Monday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 7pm**

**St. Bernard Church  
and live-streamed**

## The Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist

with our own,  
Father Larry Barile



## Prayer Shawl Ministry



The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 13<sup>TH</sup>**

**9:30 - 11:30AM**

**IN THE ST. BERNARD CHURCH HALL**

We would love to have you join us for an enjoyable morning of knitting/crocheting and fellowship. Masks are needed if you are not vaccinated and optional for those who have been vaccinated. All are welcome.

For further information or to request a prayer shawl, lap robe, or pocket prayer shawl to give to someone, please call

Mary at (860) 872-2611 or Kathy at (860) 872-8828



### BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

The next class for registered parents who wish to have their child(ren) baptized is scheduled for:

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12<sup>TH</sup> AT 7:00PM**

Call Cheryl at 860-872-0200, Ext. 2 to pre-register.

Baptisms are scheduled:

- at St. Bernard on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month
- at St. Matthew on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month

### WELCOME TO THE PARISH FAMILY



VANESSA ROSE WEST

NADIA GRACE WEST

AMELIA JADE WEST

BAPTIZED — JANUARY 2, 2022



# BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC PARISH MASS INTENTIONS

JANUARY 9, 2022

## ST. BERNARD CHURCH

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 8

5:00pm † Donald Grenier rb wife

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 9

8:00am † Jean Rabe rb Karen Pfeifer-Forand

10:00am † Gilbert Syphers (4th Anniv) rb wife & family

Victims of the Wisconsin parade rb Scott

12:00pm † Lorenzo Grondin (11th Anniv) rb his daughter

### MONDAY, JANUARY 10

8:00am † Jerry McTeague rb John Farrow

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 11

9:00am Mass at St. Matthew

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12

8:00am † Nancy Moody rb family

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 13

9:00am Mass at St. Matthew

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00am † Jerry McTeague rb Mark & Lorraine Morris

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 15

5:00pm Special intention rb Jonas family

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 16

8:00am † William E. Lavoie rb Gayle & Tom Madden

10:00am † William Conway rb Bridget Thurston

12:00pm Blessed Sacrament Parish Family

## ST. MATTHEW CHURCH

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 8

5:00pm † John Foley (9th Anniv) rb Rena Foley

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 9

8:30am Blessed Sacrament Parish Family

10:30am † Lorraine Brodeur Lavernoich (9th Anniv) rb Bill & Anne Lavernoich and family  
† Lori Marie Scarbrough rb family

### MONDAY, JANUARY 10

8:00am Mass at St. Bernard

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 11

9:00am † Jean Marchionna rb Gauthier family

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12

8:00am Mass at St. Bernard

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 13

9:00am Kevin & Mary Canny (for their special intention) rb Anna Canny

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 14

9:00am

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 15

5:00pm

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 16

8:30am

10:30am † L Donald Fritsch rb Blessed Sacrament Parish Staff

## † In Sympathy †

We commend to the risen Lord: **L. Donald Fritsch** and **Mary Ellen "Bonnie" Wick** who passed away into eternal life. We express our sincere and heartfelt sympathy to their families.



## HYMNS FOR SUNDAY MASS AT ST. BERNARD

### Entrance:

#635 WC Baptized in Water

### Presentation of Gifts:

#554 WC When John Baptized by Jordan's River

### Recessional:

#555 WC To Jordan Jesus Humbly Came

## BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC PARISH PRAYER NETWORK



To request prayers or join the Prayer Network, email: [prayer@cath-comm.org](mailto:prayer@cath-comm.org) or call the parish office at (860) 875-0753 Ext 100.



## BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH SOUP KITCHEN MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Monday	January 10	Team 2	St. Monica (Dick, Sara, & Marie working)
Tuesday	January 11	Team 5	St. Francis (Jennifer, Conor, Doreen, & Denise working)
Wednesday	January 12	Team 14	St. Stephen (Ben & daughter working)
Friday	January 14	Team 11	St. Dominic (Steve, Cheryl, Aidan, & Phil working)

*...and in the sweetness of friendship,  
let there be laughter and sharing of pleasure.*

Kahlil Gibran



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### BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH OFFERTORY



**WHY WE GIVE**  
**GIVING DRAWS US CLOSER TO GOD**  
WHEN YOU INVEST IN WHAT  
MATTERS TO GOD, YOU STRENGTHEN  
YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH HIM.

YOU SHALL GIVE TO HIM FREELY, AND YOUR HEART SHALL  
NOT BE GRUDGING WHEN YOU GIVE TO HIM, BECAUSE FOR  
THIS THE LORD YOUR GOD WILL BLESS YOU IN ALL YOUR  
WORK AND IN ALL THAT YOU UNDERTAKE.

DEUTERONOMY 15:10

**CHRISTMAS COLLECTION:** \$ 24,300.10

#### WEEKEND OF 12/26/21:

**WEEKLY COLLECTION:** \$ 18,528.86

**TITHES:** Little Sisters of the Poor \$ 926.44

#### WEEKEND OF 1/2/22:

**WEEKLY COLLECTION:** \$ 31,813.20

**TITHES:** Tri-Town Fuel Bank \$ 1,590.66

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY



**HAITI COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**THURSDAY, JANUARY 27<sup>TH</sup> AT 4:30PM**  
**IN THE ST MATTHEW CHURCH HALL**

All are welcome! Any questions, please call Carol @ (860) 268-0966 or Sue @ (860) 371-1111.

#### UPDATE ON ITEMS FOR HAITI:

Due to new transportation issues, please hold off on dropping off any more items at either church hall until further notice. However, the need continues, so cash donations will be gratefully accepted and be forwarded to the Outreach to Haiti office. Monetary donations can be dropped in the collection baskets at Mass or at either church office, clearly marked for Haiti. We received confirmation that Christmas gifts for the children of St. Pierre did arrive before the shipping issues started. As always, we ask for your continued prayers for our Haitian brothers and sisters. With much gratitude for all your support, the Haiti mission.



### FAITH FORMATION CLASS SCHEDULE & NEWS

**January 9 - 15**

#### Grades K-6

- ◆ Sunday at 8:45am at St. Matthew until the new St. Bernard building is ready.
- ◆ Monday 4:30pm at St. Matthew
- ◆ Tuesday 5:30pm at St. Matthew
- ◆ Wednesday virtual will meet online

#### Grades 7-10

- ◆ No Monday/Tuesday Class
- ◆ **2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Parent & Candidate Workshop - January 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>**  
Sponsors are also welcome.  
We will be reviewing important information, requirements, and details about Confirmation. This is where you will have all of your questions answered! Please be sure to attend one of these sessions.  
Register for the session you and your teen will be attending by scanning the QR Code or going to the Faith Formation page on our website.  
For questions, call or email Bridget Thurston.
- ◆ **Faith and Fun Night - January 15<sup>th</sup> at St. Bernard**  
We will be holding our annual event for Clairvaux House. Details will be emailed prior to the event.



**January 16 - 22**

**In observance of Martin Luther King Day, there will not be classes (K-10) this week**

- ◆ **For grades K-6**, there will be an optional recording covering the Gospel, as well as MLK's life and words



**JUSTICE & PEACE COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**THURSDAY, JANUARY 27<sup>TH</sup> AT 6:00PM**  
**IN THE ST MATTHEW CHURCH HALL**

All are welcome! Any questions, please call Carol @ (860) 268-0966 or Sue @ (860) 371-1111.

#### FROM OUR DCF SOCIAL WORKER:

Thank you to all that have assisted with making our families and children have a special holiday. This could not happen without all the donations from you and your family so I just want to say I appreciate all the kindness in your hearts and hope you all have a great Christmas and New Year's.

Thanks again, Your DCF Family



# BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS

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## St. Bernard Women's Guild Meeting

Tuesday, February 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:00pm  
in the St. Bernard Church Hall

Bring your favorite pie for dessert  
and fellowship!

Contact Linda Turkington  
860-490-5374 or

[St.BernardWomen'sGuild@cath-comm.org](mailto:St.BernardWomen'sGuild@cath-comm.org)



Blessed Sacrament Parish offers several opportunities to participate in our Youth Music Program in 2022.

The Youth Choir Masses at St. Matthew, directed by Deirdre Goldsmith, are an opportunity for youth from middle school and beyond to worship in contemporary song after rehearsing together for one hour before Mass. Mrs. Goldsmith sends out the music selections in advance to musicians who are on the roster, then musicians RSVP back their availability. To be added to the roster, email: [deirdre.goldsmith@cath-comm.org](mailto:deirdre.goldsmith@cath-comm.org).

The Youth Choir Masses are new at St. Bernard! One noon Mass each month, singers middle-school-aged and older are invited to join Liz Bologna and Jenny Tran to participate in the Mass through song. Music will be sent out a week before each Mass date and singers will rehearse briefly before the Youth Choir Masses. Let Liz know if you are interested: [bspmusic@cath-comm.org](mailto:bspmusic@cath-comm.org).

### St. Matthew Dates:

Sunday, January 23, 10:30am Mass  
Sunday, February 13, 10:30am Mass  
Sunday, April 3, 10:30am Mass

### St. Bernard Dates:

Sunday, January 9th noon Mass  
Sunday, February 6th noon Mass  
Sunday, March 6th, noon Mass  
Sunday, May 1st, noon Mass

**Youth from both of our parish sites are  
welcome at either group!**



## PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

**FEBRUARY 4<sup>TH</sup>  
3:00PM—7:00PM**

**ST. MATTHEW CHURCH**

We will gather to adore our Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. This is a great opportunity for peaceful reflection, personal prayer or just relaxing in Jesus' presence, speaking, and listening to him.

*If you're a regular attendee of First Friday Adoration, consider giving your time to be a Guardian for one Holy Hour at the next Eucharistic Adoration.*

*You serve Jesus directly in His mission by allowing the opportunity for others to be filled with His grace and Love. We need adorers who can commit to a specific hour that day to ensure that Jesus is never left alone while exposed in the monstrance.*

All parishioners are invited to join us in prayer.

If you have any questions, contact Mary Voghel -  
[spirituality@cath-comm.org](mailto:spirituality@cath-comm.org)

# FORMED®

PICK OF THE WEEK

January 9, 2022

WATCH

### REBORN - EPISODE 1: A NEW CREATION

This week, as we contemplate Jesus' Baptism, dive into the mystery of the Sacrament of Baptism! Through our Reborn series, you will come to understand the deeper meaning behind your Baptism!



### LECTIO: MARK, EPISODE 2: PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD

Jesus couldn't have been baptized without a baptizer. Join Dr. Tim Gray as he explains the opening verses of Mark's Gospel that depict the ministry of John the Baptist — the man who would baptize Jesus.

LEARN

LISTEN

### CHANGED FOREVER: THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM BY FR. MIKE SCHMITZ

Renowned Catholic speaker and priest, Fr. Mike Schmitz, explores the beautiful gift of the Sacrament of Baptism. In this talk, Fr. Mike provides a wonderful presentation on the waters that give new life!



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### YOUNG ADULT MASS WITH BISHOP COTE

JANUARY 30, 2022

7:00PM

St. Thomas Aquinas  
In Storrs

On Sunday, January 30th, St. Thomas Aquinas in Storrs is delighted to host Bishop Michael Cote for the 4th Annual Diocesan Young Adult Mass & Reception. All Young Adults (ages 18 - 39, single and married) are invited and encouraged to attend! Young Adults are welcome to invite friends to join us! Mass with Bishop Cote will begin at 7:00pm and following the liturgy there will be a social in the Catholic Center.

For more information, please contact Liza Roach at [lroach@norwichdiocese.net](mailto:lroach@norwichdiocese.net) or call (860)848-2237 ex. 305.



### *The Joy of Love: A Virtual Enrichment for Married Couples*



The Diocesan Catholic Family Services Office, in conjunction with World Wide Marriage Encounter, is sponsoring a virtual enrichment for married couples of all ages and years married entitled:



### **“The Joy of Love”**

Based on Chapter 4 of Pope Francis' *Amoris Laetitia*  
Featuring four talks on: *Daily Love, Conjugal Love, Passionate Love and Transformation of Love*

Saturday, February 12, 2022, 10 A.M. to 2 P.M.  
(Includes a break for lunch at noon)

This enrichment will coincide with National Marriage Week celebrated February 7-14 and this year's theme *Marriage: Called to the Joy of Love*. Come celebrate the joy of your love by focusing on the most important person in your life – your spouse! Not only will this enrichment be the perfect Valentine's Day gift for your spouse, but it will also re-energize your marriage and deepen your faith with practical insights from Pope Francis' wisdom on marriage and family life.

Couple fee - \$15: which covers workbook for each couple. Registration required.

Registration and payment due February 1, 2022

Names (Husband & Wife): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Send registration form and fee made payable to Annual Catholic Appeal to: Catholic Family Services Office, 199 Broadway, Norwich, CT 0636 Or call Mary-Ju McLaughlin at 860-848-2237 Ext. 312 or email at [mclaughlin@norwichdiocese.net](mailto:mclaughlin@norwichdiocese.net)



What would Christmas be without the creche, also known as the nativity or manger scene? And yet this tradition did not exist prior to 1223. It was the expressed desire of St. Francis of Assisi to be able to "see" the Christ child, and the Holy Family, to reenact the story of God's great love for mankind in the Incarnation of the Son of God as recorded in St. Luke's gospel. This event was attended not only by his fellow friars but people all throughout the region of the tiny town of Greccio, Italy who arrived by torchlight to witness the wonder of this first living nativity. Recorded by the friars, it has given us the visual focal point for our preparation and celebration of Christmas so deeply tied to all Christian denominations for many hundreds of years.

And did you know - that every year - Franciscans all over the world hold special Creche services whereby music and the spoken words from the records of that time are combined to recreate that moment so desired by St. Francis?

**You are warmly invited to the Korban Fraternity's Creche Service to be held at St. Joseph's Church in Rockville at 2 pm on January 16<sup>th</sup>.** When the rest of the world has packed away their nativities, please join this local secular Franciscan chapter in continuing awe and celebration of the mystery of God's great love for us revealed in Bethlehem that holy night.

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