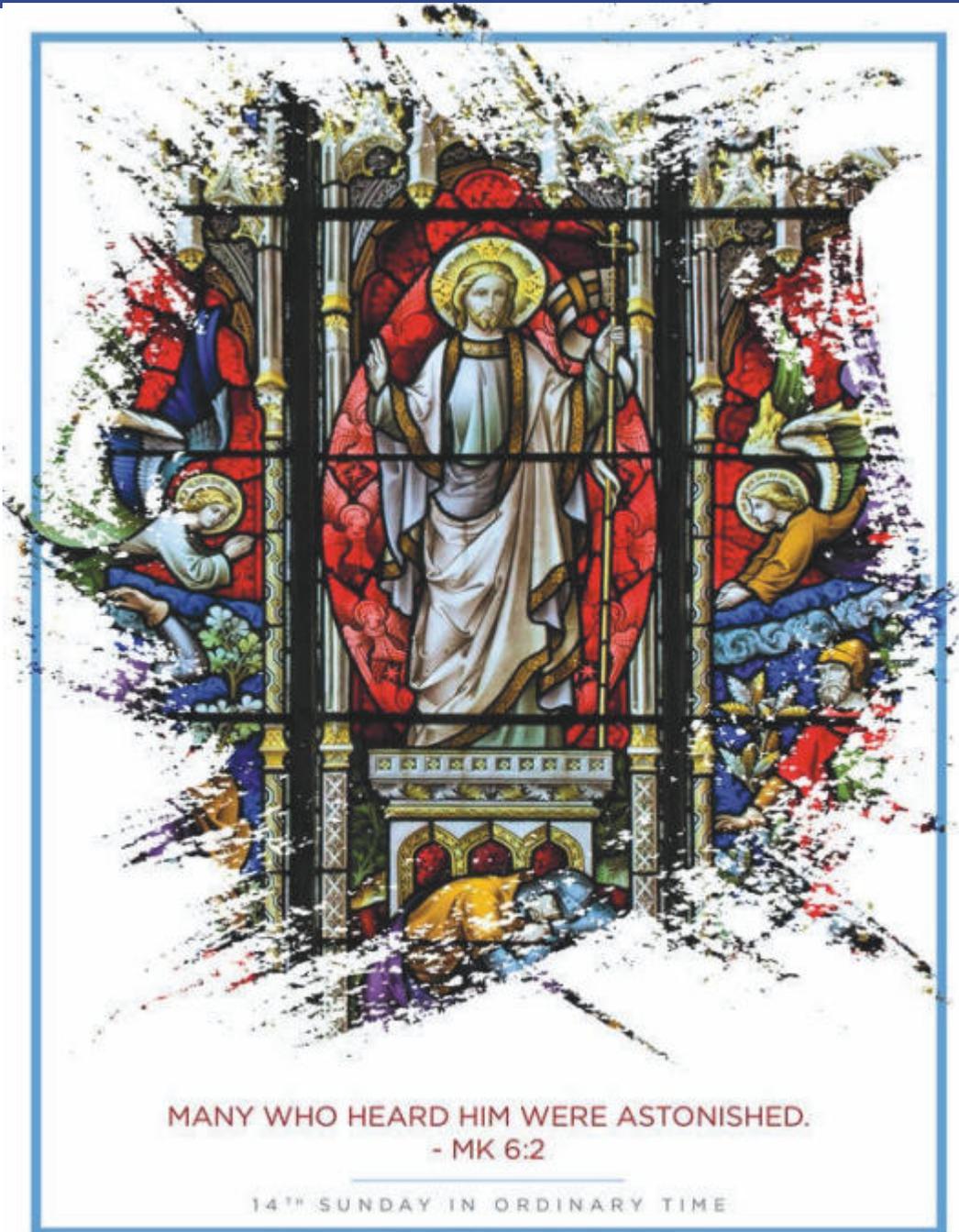


# St. John Fisher Roman Catholic Church

30 Jones Hollow Rd, Marlborough, CT. 06447



MANY WHO HEARD HIM WERE ASTONISHED.  
- MK 6:2

14<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Welcome to the St. John Fisher Parish Family!  
Please fill out the form below and drop it in the collection basket or give it to Father Sas after Mass. We will send you a registration form and a welcome packet as new parishioners.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 4:00pm  
Sunday: 8:30 am and 10:30am

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

8:30am Monday - Thursday

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:00pm or by  
Appointment

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## Archdiocesan Synod: Grow & Go

Reeja Koonankeil, Matt Wilson and Father Sas attended the Synod Meeting in October 2019. The closing ceremony was postponed until now. It was originally scheduled for Pentecost 2020; then the pandemic hit. Now, the closing Mass for the Synod will finally be celebrated at the Oakdale Theatre in Wallingford on Friday, August 13, at 6:30pm.

Each parish is asked to send a substantial representation to this celebration. Because of the pandemic and the restrictions it imposed, this closing Synod Mass is all the more significant. The theme "Grow & Go" and the charting of a way forward for our local church is more important than ever in the aftermath of the pandemic and the ongoing challenges of pastoral planning. This being said, Saint John Fisher is expected to send a delegation of 30 parishioners, no more and no less. Bus transportation will be provided and is recommended. Details will follow for those who sign up.

If you would like to be part of this historic event in the history of the Archdiocese of Hartford, please call the Parish Office at 860.295.0001 (open Mon-Th, 8:30am - 1:30pm) before the June 30th deadline.



**Adoration will continue every Sunday from 4 pm to 4:45 pm. All safety measures apply.**



**"Be thankful for the freedoms with which God has blessed this country."**

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**DAYLINE:** Ray & Carman Marino @ 860.295.8112

**NIGHTLINE:** Barbara Meyer @ 860.295.0756

You may also send your prayer requests to [stjohnfisher30@yahoo.com](mailto:stjohnfisher30@yahoo.com) or call 860.295.0001

## Mass Intentions



### Saturday, July 3

4:00 PM *In loving memory Louis Ratti*  
*Requested by Mary Schirripa*

### Sunday, July 4 ~ Independence Day

8:30 AM *For Daria Friel*  
*Requested by her family*

10:30AM *Saint John Fisher Parish Family*

### Monday, July 5

8:30 AM *No Mass in observance of Independence Day*

### Tuesday, July 6

8:30 AM *In loving memory of James Veronick*  
*Requested by Sheila Sale & Linda Adler*

### Wednesday, July 7

8:30AM *In loving memory of John Sarnik*  
*Requested by Saint John Fisher Parish Family*

### Thursday, July 8

8:30 AM *For Marie Schirripa*  
*Requested by Holly Bangham*

### Friday, July 9

*No Mass*

### Saturday, July 10

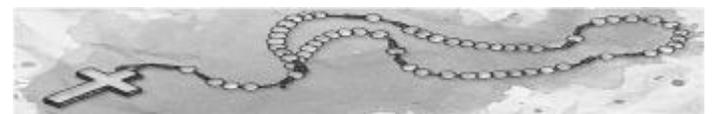
4 PM *10 year Anniversary Remembrance of Thomas Ball*  
*Requested by his sister Peggy Weber*

### Sunday, July 11

8:30AM *In loving memory of Mr. & Mrs. Romano Ratti*  
*Requested by Marie Schirripa*

10:30AM *Saint John Fisher Parish Family*

***Please remember to schedule Masses for deceased loved ones as soon as possible. Mass cards are also available for Masses offered for a special intention such as birthdays, wedding anniversaries, dealing with illness, requests for healing, or any special needs. Please feel free to e-mail, call, or stop by the parish office with your request.***



Join us for the virtual rosary on Monday mornings at 8:30am. The rosary takes about 30 minutes and you do not need to have your camera or microphone on to participate. Please use the link on the parish website.

## Gifts of the Holy Spirit

The fifth gift of the Holy Spirit is the gift of courage which helps us overcome our fears and live our faith more fully. We can overcome obstacles and stand up for ourselves and others. It helps us to make the right choice no matter what and allows us to strengthen our faith.



### Reflect on:

- What superhero do you think is the most courageous? Why?
- Who do you think is courageous? (these are the everyday superheroes!)
- Share a time when you used courage. How did it feel?
- Can you remember someone from the Bible who was courageous? Read that story as a family.

Good and gracious God continue to give me the courage to go out and be the person you created me to be.

### Thank You to our Parish Teens

Special thanks to all the teens who worked tirelessly through the pandemic to help our brothers and sisters in Christ. With the help of a grant from CRS, our teens made thousands of lunch bags including a drink, chips, a granola bar, and positive messages for the clients at House of Bread. Other partner churches provided the sandwiches. As a result, our teens continued to serve our God in a safe, compassionate and powerful way throughout the pandemic.



### Prayer Resources

“When did you first weave your way into my life, Beloved?” So begins Joyce Rupp’s beautiful book Prayer. If you are looking for a way to jump start your relationship with God, the first step is a willingness to engage. That in and of itself is a form of prayer! We invite you to review this new addition to the St. John Fisher library as you build your summer reading list. This wonderful little gem of a book reminds us that God stands ready to more fully embrace us where ever we are ready. Each chapter begins with a beautiful prayer and guides us on how we can deepen our relationship with our loving Father. Check out this title and the many other selections available downstairs in our parish lending library.

### Accepting Donations

We continue to support House of Bread and would gladly accept donations of water bottles, juice bags, chips or crackers, granola bars or cookies. We ask that the items are individually wrapped. All donations can be left on the desk in the copier room marked House of Bread. Thank you for supporting our youth as the actively live out the Corporal Works of Mercy.



## Congratulations to our 2021 Scholarship Winners!

Presented by St. John Fisher Knights of Columbus Council 15734, Marlborough, CT - June 13, 2021.

Thank you, **Jackson Chudzik** and **Jacob Packer**, for your exceptional faith, service to our community and personal achievements. We join with the entire St. John Fisher Parish Family in offering you prayers for happiness and success throughout your lives. May God bless and keep you always!

### ST. JOHN FISHER PARISH MONTHLY FOOD DRIVE FOR MARLBOROUGH FOOD BANK JULY 10TH AND 11TH



Please mark your calendars:  
Our monthly Food Drive is the 2nd full weekend of every month.

**Suggested donations:** Cereal, oatmeal, hearty canned soups, baking supplies, canned meats, canned fruits and toiletries. Please check that the "Best By" dates have not been exceeded; otherwise, the Food Bank will need to dispose of them. The Food Bank does not distribute over-the-counter medicines for either adults or children, and so we cannot accept donations of these items.

**For the Home Goods Room:** Used items in good condition such as pots and pans, towels, pillowcases, sheets (especially queen), lamps and new bed pillows.

**Thank you for assisting our brothers and sisters in Christ. Please keep all those impacted by hunger in your prayers.**

## Saint John Fisher Faith Formation Registration for Fall 2021

Registration for Faith Formation for the 2021/2022 school year is now open. Please enroll your children, grades 1-9, online by going to our Faith Formation website, [www.stjfffaithformation.org](http://www.stjfffaithformation.org). If you have any questions, please email Theresa Brysgel at [tbrysgel@stjfchurch.org](mailto:tbrysgel@stjfchurch.org) or call the parish office at (860)295-0001. Please register by Tuesday, July 6, to avoid a late fee.

## Newly Baptized

### Welcome to the St. John Parish Family

Callan David Tarbell & Connor James Tarbell  
Son's of Bryan & Danielle Tarbell  
Baptized on April 14, 2021

Aubrey Linnea Concedello  
Daughter of Michael & Meredith Concedello  
Baptized on May 23, 2021





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