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July 24, 2022



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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JULY 24, 2022

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CATE CORWIN (M & W 9:30-11:30 / Tues 11:30-1:30) or
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Rev. Richard Taberski, *weekend priest*



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 23, 2022

OLG 4:00 + Eileen Geoghan Stango ~ by Maureen

5:00 + *Thomas Dignacco* ~ by Joan and Family

SUNDAY, JULY 24, 2022

8:00 + *Karen Murphy* ~ by Jim and Ellen Kosher

STV 9:15 + Libby and Jim Zampaglione ~ by Family

10:45 Peace in the World

MONDAY, JULY 25, 2022

8:00 Living and Deceased of Houlihan, Valli and Perga
Families

TUESDAY, JULY 26, 2022

8:00 + *Emil Locke* ~ by Family

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27, 2022

8:00 + *Leo Moynihan* ~ by Family

THURSDAY, JULY 28, 2022

8:00 + *Joseph Patrick O'Sullivan* ~ by Peter B. O'Sullivan
Family

FRIDAY, JULY 29, 2022

8:00 Living and Deceased of the Oneglia Family

SATURDAY, JULY 30, 2022

**OLG 4:00 All Priests Living and Deceased in the
Archdiocese of Hartford**

5:00 + *PJ Zguzenski* ~ by Family

SUNDAY, JULY 31, 2022

8:00 Living and Deceased of Parish Family

STV 9:15 + Walter Horvay (Iyr mind) ~ by Henrietta

10:45 Living and Deceased of Houlihan, Perga, Valli
Families

Listening to the Father

Jesus offers us the "Our Father" as our prayer in the Gospel. He wants us to confidently ask and depend upon His Father. His belief is that the Father not only daily creates, sustains, and nourishes all, but generously keeps everything going. He also wants us to know that the Father is always forgiving if we ask for forgiveness. Jesus asks us to also have a forgiving heart. God promises to be always with us, even with our inadequacies. Trust in the Lord.

MISSION COOPERATIVE APPEAL THIS WEEKEND— JULY 23RD AND JULY 24TH

Fr. Leonardo Lopez, IVE from the Incarnate Word in Chillum, MD will be here to talk about his important work. The Institute uses the funds collected from the mission appeals to care for the disabled, the elderly, and the sick, provide homes for the poor and for abandoned children, manage schools and educational institutions in rural areas in developing countries, and promote pastoral formation of our missionaries related to human, intellectual, and spiritual development. Present in 40 countries, our most challenging missions are in Argentina, Bolivia, Ecuador, Guyana, Iraq, Palestine, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Syria, Tajikistan, Tanzania, and Ukraine among others.

The collected funds will be used for the day-to-day support of missionaries, to supply material goods, to finished projects, and to meet the basic needs in rural area where we work.



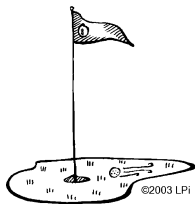
Eucharistic Adoration, every Wednesday night from
7:00-8:00 pm in the church, weather permitting.

COVID — with this disease still present, the virus depends on individual circumstance—it all depends on your *personal* risk assessment. To prevent the spread of disease is now *a personal choice with social consequences*. This does not mean we are out of the woods for there are some who are at a high risk of complications of COVID and should wear masks. If you see someone with a mask, please give them the courtesy of space. We want to hold to the Gospel value **LOVE ONE ANOTHER**. We have begun to use Holy Water at the entrances of church and it will be changed every three days. Missalettees are in the pews. We are going to wait on music for a while so that people who have just recently returned will be comfortable with the length of the service. You should socialize outside after church for the social distancing and comfort of all. Communion will continue to be a double line starting from the rear pews so all may social distance as they feel comfortable. We will try to keep our mass timing at 30 minutes. Please try to come on time. Thank you to all who have returned.



Pull Tab Collection for the Shriners Children's Hospital Each church in the parish has a "Pull Tab container" for you to place all your soda and beer pull tabs in to help sick children live their best life and ultimately find a cure for their illnesses. Thank you for your support.

LITCHFIELD JAZZ FESTIVAL—July 29-July 31st = For tickets ljf2022.eventbrite.com or litchfieldjazzfest.com



Franciscan Golf Classic—*Monday, August 15, 2022*; Tunxis Country Club, Farmington, CT For more information call 203-237-8084 or visit flcenter.org.



St Thomas Religious Formation ... **GIFT** Growing In Faith Together (GIFT).

Thank you to everyone who participated in our GIFT Program this year! May your summer be filled with peace, love and joy as you put your faith into **ACTION**.

PARISH WEEKEND MASS ATTENDANCE:

Our Lady of Grace: July 16th: 53 people

St Thomas: July 17th: 116 people

St Anthonys: July 16th: 138 120 people;
July 17th: 8am 143 people; 10:45am 177 people



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St. Anthony's Religious Education:
Check out smallthingswithgreatlove.info for Summer ideas!



Our new pastor, Fr. Stu Pinnette, loves working with families and young ones, in particular, to help them know Jesus in a deeply personal way. He believes it is always important

to reach out to others to join with us on our walk of faith. He will always be available to chat with you before or after mass or in the parish office. He is most pleased to begin his new ministry here.



TWO HEARTS PREGNANCY CARE CENTER NEEDS YOUR HELP!- A

community based non-profit Catholic organization located in Torrington Ct. The mission of the center is to assist young mothers who are facing severe economic difficulties trying to provide for the infants and young siblings. If you would like to donate to their cause. Please mail your gift to Two Hearts Pregnancy Center, 116 Grove Street, Torrington, CT. 06790

THIS Weekend's Collections will be the Parish Weekly and the Mission Cooperative

NEXT Weekend's Collection will be the Parish Weekly



St. Anthony of Padua Church

WEEKLY:.....\$ 3,893.00
MONTHLY:.....\$ 120.00
CANDLE:.....\$ 108.00

St. Thomas of Villanova Church

WEEKLY:.....\$ 1,476.00
DONATIONS:\$ 1,250.00
MONTHLY:.....\$ 135.00

Our Lady of Grace Church

WEEKLY:.....\$ 359.00
DONATIONS:\$ 1,100.00

Thank you for Your Continued Generosity



Online Giving **IS HERE...**

St Louis de Montfort Parish Online Giving, an electronic tool for contributions. Go to our Parish Online Giving website at www.osvhub.com/stlouisdemontfortparish/giving/funds and Create your account. This also allows you to use your Credit Card to make your charitable Contribution to the church and Earn those "EXTRA REWARDS" at the same time! *Thank You to all of our Online Givers!*

May Totals:

OLG = \$0 / SAP = \$4,045 / STV = \$1,800 / Total: \$5,845



President, Dolores Marshall
860-482-6891

Ladies Guild Meet the 1st Monday of the Month

August 1st @ 7:00pm

We encourage all interested ladies of the parish to attend.

MEMBERSHIP...is open to all Catholic women (17yrs or older) of the parish AND Non-Catholic women who show interest in the church and/or the objectives of the organization.

2nd Sunday Social Sun., Aug 14th

after the 9:15 Mass

Come join fellow parishioners and treat yourself with home baked goodies, coffee and enjoy the gift of conversation.

Sponsored by all Ministries—Ushers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Deacons and Office Helpers

HALL RENTALS at St Thomas of Villanova Church of the St Louis de Montfort Parish: call Cate at 860-491-2756 or email stthomachurch@optonline.net
One month advance required.

JOIN THE **24 CLUB!**

Parish Annual 24 Club Fundraiser — where you get a chance every month to win \$25 May 2022 through April 2023! (chance of winning is based on when you enter Club24) Send in your Check for \$24 to St Thomas @ PO Box 177, Goshen, CT 06756 or put it in the weekend collection in an envelope marked 24Club.

BOB SKINNER—JUNE CLUB 24 WINNER!

Make sure to get your **ENTRY IN AND JOIN THE CLUB TODAY!** For info email louisdemontfort@optonline.net

It is never too late to Join the Club!

Please add the following people to your prayers ...

- Anthony Knox ♥ Marge Neri ♥ Henrietta Horvay ♥ Marie Bate
- ♥ Andy Dole ♥ Ginette Clement ♥ Stella Grace Seeger
- ♥ Debbie Cappa ♥ Bob Skinner ♥ John Pelchat ♥ Kristina Mills
- ♥ Brian Hovey ♥ Barbara Salvietti ♥ Madeline Masroberti
- ♥ Those affected by Covid-19 ♥ Candace Romano
- ♥ Linda Fitzgibbons ♥ John Lennon

Litchfield Park & Recreation

SUMMER CONCERT SERIES 2022
WEDNESDAYS ON THE LITCHFIELD GREEN
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JUNE 29 THE APRICOT BRANDY 7PM-9PM	JULY 6 LEAF JUMPERS 7PM-9PM	JULY 13 THE KERRY BOYS 7PM-9PM
JULY 20 WOODEN HORSE 7PM-9PM	JULY 27 STEVE DUNN BAND 7PM-9PM	AUG 3 POTTER'S FIELD 6:30PM-9PM
AUG 10 SOUTHERN VOICE 6:30PM-8:30PM	AUG 17 RAIN DATE 6:30PM-8:30PM	



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BUSINESS MEETING SCHEDULE:

August 11th

All meetings at 7:30 pm in Fr. Egan Hall at St Anthony's Church



Council 13128

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Grand Knight, David Poirier
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BUSINESS MEETING SCHEDULE:

August 2nd • September 6th

All meetings at 7:00 pm in Donahue Hall at St Thomas Church

The Knights of Columbus invites all Catholic men, 18 and older to learn more about how they can assist our parish and communities in making a better world for those in need and by celebrating fellowship and family Catholic life. Call your local council listed above for more information.



Growing with the GOSPEL

Luke 11:1-13 ■ 17th Sunday of Ordinary time



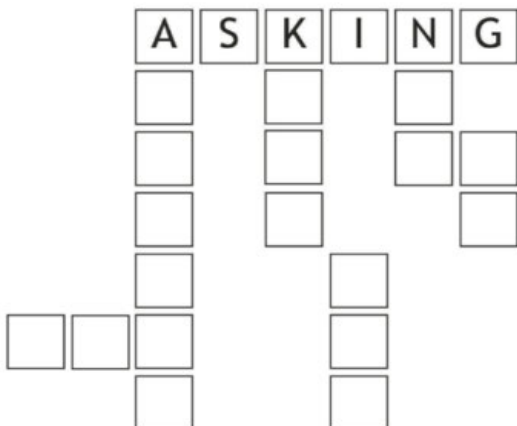
Sharing the Gospel: Do you know how to pray? All you need to do is talk to God. He is your loving Father. Tell him how you would like to make him happy. Ask him to give you the things you really need. Ask him to help you forgive other people, just like he forgives you. God loves you, so talk to him often.

Prayer: Dear God, thank you for loving me and listening to me. Amen.

Mission for the week: Make time to pray every day this week

 **Puzzle** Fit this Gospel message into the empty squares:

You are not ashamed to keep on asking.



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