HOLY INFANT CHURCH, 450 RACEBROOK RD, Orange



Baptism Of The Lord January 9, 2022

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Office hours: 9:30 to 1:30 Monday—Friday 203-799-2379

Mass Schedule

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday
2:45-3:15 p.m.
and by appointment.
Baptisms: By Appointment

Low Gluten Hosts are available at each Mass. Go to a priest's line for Communion and ask for a low gluten host.

Website www.holyinfantorangect.com
You may find a video of the 7:30 a.m. Sunday Mass on our website. The Mass is videoed and posted by Jeff Cap after 10 a.m. on Sundays.

Faith Formation Office Hours 203-799-2417

Please go to main office for all information. We follow the Public School calendar, so if there is a day off from school, the office is usually closed.

Baptism Instruction:

Call Father Norman to set up an appointment. Parents and Godparents must attend a Baptismal class with their first child. When registering, please inform the secretary if this is an additional child so as not to attend another session.

Weddings: Make arrangements at least 1 year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion for the home bound: Call the Rectory: (203) 799-2379.

For those parishioners who are in the hospital, please let the parish office know so that Father Norman can visit them. Due to the HIPAA laws we only know if you are hospitalized if you inform us. Hospitals can no longer inform us.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held on Thursdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. after 9 a.m. mass.

Bulletin notices must be in the rectory office at least 1 week in advance of the publication date.

Census forms are available for you to register with Holy Infant Parish. You may pick one up after mass or call the parish office. One must be registered in order to be a sponsor for Baptism, Confirmation or a witness at a Wedding. Please introduce yourself to Father Norman as he can put a name and face together in learning more of our parishioners.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, January 8

4:00 James & Elizabeth Burns by Stan & Patti Biga

4:00 Hugh Devine 4 Year Anniversary by Wife & Family

Sunday, January 9

7:30 Robert Hedman by Pete & Carol Marini & Family

9:30 Bucky & Doris Buckmiller by Dr. & Mrs. David Novicki

11:30 Robert Shanley by Kristina & Donald Gettinger

Monday, January 10

9:00 Zina by Luce Eilli

Tuesday, January 11

9:00 Mary Savarese by Paula & Louis Savarese

Wednesday, January 12

9:00 Christopher Mauro by Holy Infant Women's Guild

Thursday, January 13

9:00 Dana Laudati by Dad

Bernice & Joseph Romano 9:00 by Sandra Pisani

Saturday, January 15

4:00 Audrey Foyer by Leo Moran

4:00 Agostin Gavoci By Klevis & Alma Kimca

Sunday, January 16

7:30 Christopher Mauro by Sherri Luba

9:30 Mr. & Mrs. Thadeus Novicki & Joan Curis by Dr. & Mrs. David Novicki

11:30 Robert Shanley by Joan & Brenda

This week's second collection is Monthly.

NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

Offertory envelopes should be arriving sometime during the month of January, hopefully!!! To prepare for their arrival, all parishioners to take a box must note this year's change for them. When taking a box, a form will be there for you to fill out a card. It will have the number of the box on it. Please note your name, address, email address and phone number must be placed on it for you to help us with any corrections you may have for our census. Thank you for taking the time to do this for us.

Also, please note the new mass 2022 changes for beginning February 1st.

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE REFLECTIONS Today we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord. Jesus was baptized at the Jordan by John the Baptist. Each one of us have been baptized by a priest or deacon of the church. How are we living out our baptismal call each day? What are we doing to follow Jesus in our daily lives?

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Thank you for your generous support!

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REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS those who are ill, the home bound, the dying, and their caregivers. Lucas McHale, Lisa Boynton, Marra Smith, Ginny Kelly, Josefa Tamayo, Gina Raffone, Peter & Lucille Insalaco, Jody Poisson, Ann Rapini, Lorraine D'Attoma, Jay Petrucelli, Robert Boucher, John Parker, Marie McCarthy, Beth Wall, Maria Griagnano, Gabriella Murillo, Angela Gurczynski, Marion Drobish, Joe Lembo, Rebecca, Irene Natrillo, Carol McLaughlin, Laura Luzzi, Anne Bonci, Jackie Willard Moye, Tanya Gilbert, Michele Schioppo, Irene Punsal, Philomena LaViola, Gene Contardi

Thanksgiving Food Drive Message from Norman Choiniere: It is a pleasure to inform you that our TFD was very successful Parishioners were extremely generous. In their behalf we delivered 1593 pounds of food, which at \$2.59 a pound, wholesale value, yields a food contribution of \$4,125.87. We also delivered cash donations of \$270 to our partner, FISH of GNH. The parishioners of Holy Infant never fail to respond to our food drives. I continue to be surprised.

I wish to recognize the people who made the Food Drive function in an orderly manner. They distributed bags and/or made the food delivers to FISH of GNH. Cyndy Spector, Charley Panico, Dick Flynn, Jerry Butcher, John Scifarelli, Joe Moule, Lois & Stan Czuba, Stephanie Martucci, and Suzanne & Tom Chapik. Thank you so much!!

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During the time when Fr. Norman is to be away from now on, daily masses will not be celebrated due to no retired priest able to be present. Masses will be at the following parishes for people to attend:

Assumption in Woodbridge is Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday at 9 a.m. St Louis in West Haven is Tuesday 7:30 a.m.; Thursday 7:30 a.m.; and Wednesday at 12 p.m.

St Mary in Milford is weekdays at 7:00 a.m.

Check other parishes for their mass times if these are not acceptable for you.

LOOKING AHEAD

New Mass Schedule for 2022: Starting February 1, 2022 the new mass schedule will change at Holy Infant. Saturday will remain at 4:00 p.m. Sunday will be 7:30 and 9:30 a.m. only There will no longer be an 11:30 a.m. mass Pastoral Planning has Holy Infant remaining as a single parish and not joining another church.

The Holy Infant Knights of Columbus will hold their annual basketball FREE THROW CONTEST for boys and girls ages 9 through 14 on Saturday, January 15 from 10:00am until 1:00pm. show up any time between 10am and 1pm. Age of contestant is as of January 1, 2022; written proof of age (copy of birth certificate is best) is requested at time of entry. There is no cost to participate. Plaques will be awarded to each boy and girl winner in each age category. All participants will receive a handsome certificate of participation. pre-registration required. COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS ARE TAKEN SERIOUSLY: ALL MUST WEAR FACE COVERING TO GAIN ADMITTANCE ALL BALLS TO BE SANITIZED BETWEEN EACH USE PLEASE: DO NOT BRING YOUR OWN BASKETBALL(S)!!

Red Cross Blood Drive

The Red Cross is experiencing the worst blood shortage in over a decade. The dangerously low blood supply levels have forced some hospitals to defer patients from major surgery, including organ transplants. Please schedule an appointment to give now. Thank you so much!!!

January 12, 2022 Holy Infant Guild Hall 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. To sign up go to redcrossblood.org

"The ABC's of Annulment" Sponsored by the Metropolitan Tribunal, Bloomfield, CT. Father Philip Schulze, Pastor of Saint Margaret Parish, 24 Academy Street, Madison, Connecticut, in collaboration with Father George Mukuka, the Judicial Vicar of the Metropolitan Tribunal in Bloomfield, Connecticut, will host "The ABC's of Annulment" on Saturday of January 22nd, 2022, from 10 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., in the Church Hall at the address above. Updates of the process Initiated by Pope Francis as well as those made in the Archdiocese of Hartford will be presented by Br. Larry Lussier CSC, and Jim Tottenham. Follow-up Annulment Workshops to help participants write their applications will be held at the same address on Saturday January 29th, and February 12th and 19th from 10 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Br. Larry, Jim Tottenham, and other members of the Annulment Team, will be present for the Workshops. The "ABC's of Annulment" event is open to all at no cost. Participants will receive a folder with required printed materials. No registration is required. For further information call Br. Larry @ 475-221-8464 or email him at brolarlus300@gmail.com.

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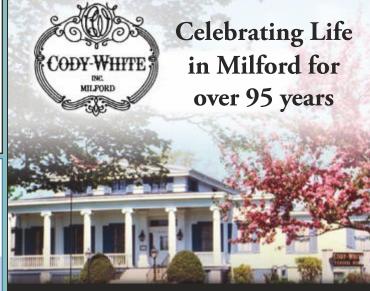
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