

# Welcome

## Sacrament of

### Reconciliation: *Confession*

TUESDAYS: 6:00pm - 8:00pm

THURSDAYS: 7:00am - 7:25am

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

TUESDAYS: 6:00pm - 8:00pm

## Daily Mass:

MONDAY-THURSDAY: 7:30am

CIVIC HOLIDAYS: 9:00am

Open to the Public, and Livestreamed. Available on-demand during the day.

## Rosary:

MONDAY-THURSDAY: 8:00am

FRIDAY: 7:30am

Open to the Public and Livestreamed.

## Sunday Mass:

SATURDAY VIGIL:

4:00pm, 7:15pm

SUNDAY MASS:

7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am

Livestreamed at 4:00pm Saturday. Available on-demand thereafter.

**New Parishioners:** We warmly welcome you, and invite you to register in our parish community. Please call our office at (203) 377-3133, ext. 101

## Sacrament of Baptism:

SUNDAY: 1:00pm, by appointment.

Pre-Baptismal instruction is required for first-time parents.

Please call our office at (203) 377-3133, ext. 101

## Parish Office Hours:

MON-THURS: 9:00am - 4:30pm

FRIDAY: 9:00am - 1:00pm

## Location:

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TheParishofStCatherineofSiena

# The Parish of Saint Catherine of Siena



## SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD

### THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022

SAT, Jan 22: Mass: Livestreamed at 4:00pm, on demand thereafter

Father Joseph A. Marcello, Pastor

Father Philip G. Bochanski, In Residence

Deacon Patrick Toole, Deacon of the Parish

James J. Panullo: Director of Parish Operations, Ext. 102

Dr. William H. Atwood: Director of Music and Coordinator of Liturgical Ministries, Ext. 105

Lindsay Tristine: Director of Religious Education, Ext. 106

Mary Ellen Kovacs: Director of Pastoral Care, Ext. 104

Ellen Moran: Parish Office Manager, Ext. 101

Kate Gombos: Coordinator of Communications, Ext. 107

Raymond Kingsbury: Coordinator of Youth Ministry, Ext. 111  
youthgroup@stcatherinetrumbull.com

Eric Vogel: Coordinator for Social Justice and Charitable Outreach

Nancy Lucas: Safe Environments Coordinator

Louis B. Spina: Parish Custodian

Rachel Ambrosio: Principal, St. Catherine of Siena School  
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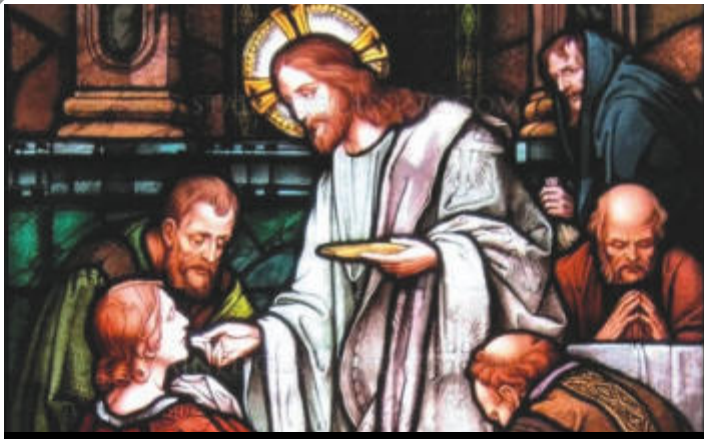
John W. Diercksen: Chair, Parish Finance Council

Atty. Joseph R. Tristine: Chair, Pastoral Advisory Council

Kenneth M. Martin, Jr.: Lay Member of the Parish Corporation

Atty. Marian E. Whiteman: Lay Member of the Parish Corporation





**MASS INTENTIONS & LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 23, 2022**

- Monday, Jan. 24:** **St. Francis de Sales**  
7:30AM ✠ Eleanor Hart
- Tuesday, Jan. 25:** **The Feast Day of the Conversion of St. Paul**  
7:30AM ✠ Augusta Marini  
6:00PM-8:00PM *Confession and Adoration*
- Wednesday, Jan. 26:** **Ss. Timothy and Titus**  
7:30AM ✠ Anthony T. Varone
- Thursday, Jan. 27:** **St. Angela Merici**  
7:00AM-7:25AM *Confessions*  
7:30AM ✠ Daniel Bartolucci
- Friday, Jan. 28:** **St. Thomas Aquinas**  
7:30AM *Rosary for Priestly Vocations*
- Saturday, Jan. 29:** **THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME *Anticipated***  
4:00PM Our Parishioners (*Livestreamed*)  
7:15PM ✠ Richard C. Barillari
- Sunday, Jan. 30:** **THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
7:30AM ✠ Rose Marie Thibodeau  
9:00AM ✠ Nilda Faccento  
11:00AM ✠ Enrico Marini

**SANCTUARY LAMP**

The Sanctuary Lamp, which indicates and honors the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist, burns this week in memory of

**Richard Van Tine**

*The Sanctuary Lamp is available to be memorialized each week. The offering to dedicate the candle above the tabernacle, is \$50.00. Please call the Parish Office at (203) 377-3133. The Sanctuary Lamp is available to be memorialized each week.*



*Please remember in your prayers the family & friends of our Parish serving active duty in the military, especially:*

- Eli Bair, USN**
- LCDR Robert C. Ballard Jr., USN**
- Major Gregg Zavadsky, U.S. Army**
- Major Caitlin McGowan, U.S. Army**
- SPC Zachary Kaesmann, ARNG**
- PFC Adam DePasacreta, USMC**



We pray for peace and for all serving in the military. We would like to list your family and friends currently serving active duty in our armed forces in the bulletin. Kindly email the name/s of your active duty family and friends to [support@stcatherinetrumbull.com](mailto:support@stcatherinetrumbull.com).

**THE PARISH OF ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA WARMLY WELCOMES...**



...anyone who is new to our area, anyone who is searching for the truth, or anyone who is looking for a spiritual home. We are joyfully and faithfully Roman Catholic in belief and practice - a community of faith, worship, service, and formation - and with open hearts we invite all our brothers and sisters into a living and saving friendship with the Lord Jesus Christ, in the communion of His One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church.

**PrayerMINISTRY**

*Please remember in your daily prayers all the sick of our Parish and their caregivers, especially:*

Louisa Russo, Marlene Roberts, Beatrice Krafcik, and George Bochanski.

*To add a name, contact Mary Ellen Kovacs, Director of Pastoral Care: (203) 377-3133, ext. 104.*

**PASTORAL CARE:**

Please contact the Parish Office to let us know if you have a family member in the hospital. Due to hospital confidentiality regulations, we are no longer consistently notified by hospitals, and are often unaware of hospitalizations unless we are notified by family members.

*Contact Mary Ellen Kovacs, Director of Pastoral Care: (203) 377-3133, ext. 104.*



**RESPECT LIFE**

The white rose at the Shrine of the Blessed Virgin Mary reminds us all to pray for an increased respect for the gift of human life.

This week, it is offered in memory of

**Helen Plander**

*If you would like to offer a rose, please call Mary Ellen Kovacs, Director of Pastoral Care, at (203) 377-3133, ext. 19.*



**IN MEMORIAM**

The Parish of Saint Catherine of Siena extends to the families of

**Linda Sochrin and Richard Van Tine**

our prayerful sympathy in the hope of Christ's Resurrection.





# ✧ A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR ✧

## Human Rights Begin in the Womb

Cardinal Timothy M. Dolan

*In conjunction with our 9 Days for Life Novena and the March for Life in Washington, we reprint in our bulletin this weekend a recent article by Cardinal Dolan.*

Everyone seems to lament the divisiveness in our society today – in politics, culture, schools, even within our beloved Church. One thing that seems to unite all sides is the worry that our world has lost a basic respect for life. Left and right, Democrat and Republican, East and West, across the globe, all seem to agree. For instance:

- We grieve at the plight of refugees and immigrants at the border, scared, worried, desperate, caught between two worlds, treated at times like chattel instead of human beings made in God's image and likeness;
- We are moved by the scene in Afghanistan with people hurt, injured, and even killed in desperate attempts to escape, falling like cargo from the evacuation planes;
- We're still shaken by the memories of Covid, with questions still abounding about our elders being crammed into unprepared nursing homes without proper care, the lives of fragile elders treated -shabbily;
- The violence on our streets sickens us daily, with innocent little children and unsuspecting victims killed by callous killers in drive-by shootings, awaiting a train, or murdered for a cell phone;
- What about the murder of George Floyd, and subsequent carnage on our urban streets, which continues to scare us;
- The rise in suicides, especially among our youth, people in crisis pressed by unknown agony to take their very lives;
- We fear turning on the TV or social media, scared of news of another mass shooting . . .

I could continue, but something tells me we all agree: human life is now treated as useless, worthless, disposable. Pope Francis, as usual, has tagged it: we live in a "throwaway-culture." Society tells us that life is OK, the Holy Father observes, as long as it's useful, productive, not a challenge or an inconvenience. As he vigorously states, no, all life matters, every life is sacred, no matter what conditions might threaten it.

Where will all this stop, we ask? I propose it will not end until we stop the presumed untouchable radical abortion license that seems to have captivated a segment of our society. As Mother Teresa wrote, "We must not be surprised when we hear of murder, of killings, of wars, of hatred. If a mother can kill her own child, what is left for us but to kill each other?"

Think about it: if the fragile life of an innocent baby in the womb of her/his mother – which nature protects as the safest place anywhere – can be terminated, who is secure? If conveniences, "choices," or "my rights" can trump the life of the baby in the womb, what human life is unthreatened?

When the law allows vulnerable life to be destroyed, forces health care workers to do it against their consciences, and demands that our tax money subsidize it, what message are we giving about the dignity of the human person and the sacredness of life? When those potent forces pushing the abortion agenda will not allow any thoughtful consideration of any reasonable limit on a right to take the tiny life of a pre-born infant, even up to the moment of birth, where do we go?

Robert Kennedy famously observed that the health and moral fiber of society is gauged by the way we protect the most helpless and vulnerable. Who is more fragile and unable to defend herself/himself than the tiny infant in the womb? To suck that baby out of the womb, dismember it, or poison it is, as Pope Francis describes, like hiring a "hitman" to assassinate a victim.

I recently listened to some of our lawmakers describe the terrible dilemma they experienced when they were told they were pregnant. They described the answer they chose in aborting their baby. They spoke chillingly but movingly to defend their choice. But, I ask: who speaks on behalf of the helpless, defenseless baby? Well, we must! Women and men of all faiths, or none at all – since abortion is not primarily a religious issue, but one of civil rights – are uniting to speak up; the unfettered, unquestioned "right" to an abortion is inhumane, violent, and contrary to human rights.

As with other issues of human rights, it is essential that there be equal justice under law for the baby. So, while we rally for equal protection of the law for the baby, let us also rally around women tempted to terminate their baby's life, providing care, compassion, accompaniment, proper medical attention, alternatives such as adoption, and a culture that protects babies and moms before and after birth.

Ask again: when will all this violence, and disregard for life that causes us to cringe, halt?  
The first step has to be an end to abortion.

*Cardinal Timothy M. Dolan is Archbishop of New York.*



God bless you!

*John Marcello*





## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #5806

THANK YOU to everyone who came to meet our Brother Knights after Mass last weekend. We were so happy to have such great conversations with each of you! Welcome to our Council! Special thanks also to **DAMIEN O'CONNOR, PATRICK MCGANNON, AND MIKE MACARI** for being present at Mass. We are grateful for the gift of your time.

*Did you miss us this weekend?* There's still time to join! And it's totally FREE for your first year. Scan this QR Code or visit [kofc.org/join](http://kofc.org/join) to register!



We are a vibrant group of men connected by our Catholic faith and dedicated to service at St. Catherine's and in the wider Trumbull and Bridgeport communities. Through acts of charity, service to others, and time spent in prayer, we make a positive difference in the lives of our neighbors every day! **Knights of Columbus Council #5806** meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month. Our next meeting is **Feb 17 at 7pm** in the Church Hall. *Light refreshments.*

*Digging Right In:* Council #5806 is proud to sponsor a Toiletry Drive on February 5/6. Please do join us in lending a hand to those in need. *Details to the right.*

GARRETT COVINO, *Grand Knight St. Catherine of Siena Council #5806* [gcovino5@comcast.net](mailto:gcovino5@comcast.net)

USE THE QR CODE TO JOIN: [kofc.org/join](http://kofc.org/join)

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**THIS SUNDAY! BLESSING OF BIBLES FOR ALL 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS:** Join us at the 9am Mass for a special Liturgy on the *Sunday of the Word of God*. Fr. Marcello will bless your Bible which you'll use during Rel Ed classes for the remainder of this year.



**CHASTITY: THE VIRTUE OF LOVE.** We are thrilled to welcome **ANGELA MANTERO**, a Theology of the Body certified instructor, to talk with our Confirmation candidates on the Virtue of Chastity. **Tue or Wed, Feb 8 or 9**, at 6:00-7:15pm, during regular class time. SCSS students can choose either day to attend. This is a required event for all 8<sup>th</sup> graders. 7<sup>th</sup> Graders are welcome to attend. Parents encouraged to attend with their children.

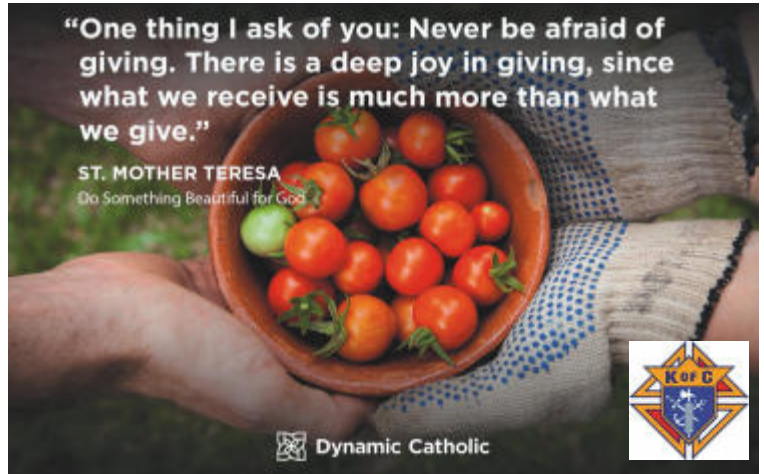
**CLASSES THIS WEEK:** All Classes in session this week: Jan 23, 25, 26.

**MASKS:** Masks required during Rel Ed. Please help your child(ren) remember to bring their mask to class.

Lindsay Tristine, DRE. [reled@stcatherinetrumbull.com](mailto:reled@stcatherinetrumbull.com)

"One thing I ask of you: Never be afraid of giving. There is a deep joy in giving, since what we receive is much more than what we give."

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Dynamic Catholic

## Social Justice/Knights of Columbus TOILETRIES DRIVE: February 5 & 6

We all know how a hot shower makes us feel renewed and refreshed. And — *especially during the pandemic* — how frequent handwashing has become a more central part of our daily routines. What if we didn't have soap?

Our brothers and sisters most in need don't ever take a vacation from poverty or homelessness. Please consider helping them feel that same sense of renewal by helping with our **Parish Toiletry Drive**. Every little bit helps and every little bit makes a difference to someone that has none.

**ITEMS REQUESTED:** Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Dental Floss, Mouthwash; Soap, Body Wash; Deodorant; Shampoo, Conditioner; Facial Cleansers or Wipes; Hand and Body Lotion, Hand Sanitizer; Sunscreen; Shaving Supplies: Disposable Razors, Shaving Cream; Hair Brush, Comb; Feminine Products; Nail Files, Nail Clippers, Tweezers; Trial/travel or regular size items welcome and appreciated. *Note: The Merton Center especially needs travel size items.*

**TO BENEFIT:** The Merton Center; St. Mary Church; Blessed Sacrament Church; St. Charles Borromeo Church

### FIVE WAYS TO DONATE:

1. **Contact Free Drive Through:** Sat, Feb 5, from 10am-12pm, & Sun, Feb 6, from 11am-12pm, *Church Hall.*
2. **At All Masses** on Feb 5 & 6, *Church Lobby.*
3. **SCSS Families:** SCSS Families can donate at school before Jan 30.
4. **During RelEd Classes** on Jan 30, Feb 1 & 2 in the Family Center.
5. **Financial Donations:** Checks payable to St. Catherine of Siena, write "Social Justice" in the memo line. Or Use Online Giving with the QR Code



Special thanks to **Knights of Columbus Council 5806** for organizing and running this vital supplies drive.

ERIC VOGEL, *Coordinator for Social Justice and Charitable Outreach:* [Caritas@stcatherinetrumbull.com](mailto:Caritas@stcatherinetrumbull.com)



## HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP: SUNDAYS 6-8PM

**JAN 23: You won't want to miss these Nerf Gun Battles.**

**Peeking Ahead:** JAN 30: TBD (cooking/culinary related).

All high school students & their friends, are welcome! **RSVPs appreciated, but not required!**

RAYMOND KINGSBURY: [youthgroup@stcatherinetrumbull.com](mailto:youthgroup@stcatherinetrumbull.com)

## Next Sunday's Gospel:

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*Next weekend's Sunday Gospel reading is provided here, so that we can think and pray about it, and be ready to receive it into our minds and hearts when it is proclaimed at Mass.*

Jesus began speaking in the synagogue, saying: "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." And all spoke highly of him and were amazed at the gra-

acious words that came from his mouth. They also asked, "Isn't this the son of Joseph?" He said to them, "Surely you will quote me this proverb, 'Physician, cure yourself,' and say, 'Do here in your native place the things that we heard were done in Capernaum.'" And he said, "Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place. Indeed, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah when the sky was closed for three and a half years and a severe famine spread over the entire land. It was to none of these that Elijah was sent, but only to a widow in Zarephath in the land of Sidon. Again, there were many lepers in Israel during the time of Elisha the prophet; yet not one of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian." When the people in the synagogue heard this, they were all filled with fury. They rose up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town had been built, to hurl him down headlong. But Jesus passed through the midst of them and went away. *Luke 4:21-30*

## Save The Dates!

**TOILETRY DRIVE:** February 5 & 6

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** Wednesday, March 2

**Mass with Ashes** 7:30am and 7pm

**Liturgy of the Word** with ashes 3pm

*The 7:30am, 3pm & 7:00pm Liturgies will be Livestreamed*

**"Ash & Dash"** (Ashes Distributed to Walk-Ins): 12-1pm and 5-6pm

**LENTEN FOOD DRIVE:** March 5 & 6

**EASTER BASKET DRIVE:** April 2 & 3

**PALM SUNDAY:** Sunday, April 10

**HOLY THURSDAY:** Thursday, April 14, 7:00pm

**GOOD FRIDAY:** Friday, April 15, 3:00pm

**EASTER VIGIL:** Saturday, April 16, 8:00pm

**EASTER SUNDAY:** Sunday, April 17 ~ Mass at 8am, 10am & 12pm

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY:** Sunday, April 24 ~ Holy Hour, 3:00pm

**PRO LIFE BABY SHOWER:** May 7 & 8

**FIRST COMMUNION:** Saturday, May 7

**MAY CROWNING:** Sunday, May 8, 11:00am

**CONFIRMATION:** Saturday, May 22

**ASCENSION OF THE LORD:** Thu, May 26, 7:00pm

*A Holy Day Of Obligation*

**PENTECOST (Adult Confirmation)** ~ Sunday, June 5, 11:00am

*The First Mass of Soon to Be Father Colin Lomnitzer. Mass Time TBD.*

**THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI, With Eucharistic Procession**

Sunday, June 19, 11:00am

## Faith in Action: Novena for Life

In the nine days surrounding the **49<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MARCH FOR LIFE**, our Parish will be praying this **Novena for Life** at daily Masses from Jan 19-27.

We invite you to pray it with us

at Mass or in your daily prayers

at home. **9 DAYS FOR LIFE** is a

multi-faceted novena for the respect and protection of human life. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions. Follow along on our Parish's Facebook page too.

Info: [9daysforlife.org](http://9daysforlife.org).

*Heavenly Father, thank you for the precious gift of life. Help us to cherish and protect this gift, even in the midst of fear, pain, and suffering.*

*Give us love for all people, especially the most vulnerable, and help us bear witness to the truth that every life is worth living.*

*Grant us the humility to accept help when we are in need, and teach us to be merciful to all.*

*Through our words and actions, may others encounter the outstretched hands of Your mercy. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen*

With holiday celebrations over, many of us are feeling pretty wiped out, physically and emotionally and maybe even financially. So to offer you a bit of a boost, here are some short quotes that will inspire and give strength. Take a moment to reflect on these words of God – heavenly help for the new year ahead.

✠ *"My God will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with His glorious riches in Christ Jesus."*  
- PHILIPPIANS 4:19

✠ *"He gives power to the faint, abundant strength to the weak'."* - ISAIAH 40:29

✠ *"Cast all your worries upon him because he cares for you."* - PETER 5:7

✠ *"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest."* - MATTHEW 11:28

✠ *"I command you: be strong and steadfast! Do not fear nor be dismayed, for the Lord, your God, is with you wherever you go."* - JOSHUA 1:9

✠ *"My deliverance and honor are with God, my strong rock; my refuge is with God."* - PSALMS 62:8

✠ *"Can a mother forget her infant, be without tenderness for the child of her womb? Even should she forget, I will never forget you."* - ISAIAH 49:15

✠ *"They that hope in the Lord will renew their strength, they will soar on eagles' wings; they will run and not grow weary, walk and not grow faint."*  
- ISAIAH 40:31

✠ *"In peace I will lie down and fall asleep, for you alone, Lord, make me secure."* - PSALMS 4:9

✠ *"I urge you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God, your spiritual worship."*  
- ROMANS 12:1

Keep these in your home for daily encouragement in the year ahead!





# Giving Back to God



*We are very grateful* to everyone who is using our Online Giving platform. Your generous and steadfast support keeps our parish running through these challenging times. Please use this QR code to make your weekly offertory gift to the parish. Or use our convenient **Text to Give** option to give. Text your amount and "Offertory" to 860-606-3859. *After a short one time setup, Text to Give is a quick and easy way to make future donations directly through text messages.* Thank you!



**CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS** will be mailed to all parishioners who have contributed \$250 or more to the parish in 2021. Statements will be mailed by Jan 31, 2022. If you do not receive a statement, contact the parish office at (203) 377-3133 and a copy will be provided for you.

**DONATION ENVELOPES:** With the increase use of online giving, we are now offering you three different options to receive church envelopes: (1) Receive all envelopes bimonthly (2) Receive only special envelopes quarterly; (3) Receive no envelopes. Indicate your preference by emailing your name, mailing address, and preference to [marydineen@stcatherinetrumbull.com](mailto:marydineen@stcatherinetrumbull.com) by Feb 14. Parishioners can also opt to receive monthly emails with details about the special collections including links to donate. *We will discontinue sending envelopes to anyone who has not made a donation to St. Catherine's since 2019 unless they email their preference.*

## THANK YOU For Your Offertory

### FOR THE WEEKEND OF DECEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup> – 26<sup>TH</sup>

WEEKLY OFFERTORY: \$6,378

MONTHLY OFFERTORY: \$856

ONLINE GIVING: \$8,245

**TOTAL: \$15,479**

### FOR THE WEEKEND OF JANUARY 1<sup>ST</sup> – 2<sup>ND</sup>

WEEKLY OFFERTORY: \$5,949

MONTHLY OFFERTORY: \$2,250

ONLINE GIVING: \$11,460

**TOTAL: \$19,659**

### FOR THE WEEKEND OF JANUARY 8<sup>TH</sup> – 9<sup>TH</sup>

WEEKLY OFFERTORY: \$5,346

MONTHLY OFFERTORY: \$2,241

ONLINE GIVING: \$8,883

**TOTAL: \$16,470**

### FOR THE WEEKEND OF JANUARY 16<sup>TH</sup> – 17<sup>TH</sup>

WEEKLY OFFERTORY: \$3,876

MONTHLY OFFERTORY: \$1,450

ONLINE GIVING: \$7,783

**TOTAL: \$13,109**

Info: **JAMES J. PANULLO**, Director of Parish Operations  
(203) 377-3133 or [JamesPanullo@stcatherinetrumbull.com](mailto:JamesPanullo@stcatherinetrumbull.com)

## 2021 ANNUAL PARISH APPEAL

# ALMOST THERE!!!

## LESS THAN \$7,500 TO GO TO REACH OUR GOAL!



As of Thu, Jan 13: We have received pledges from 340 Families, which brings us to 95% of our goal. *Thank you to everyone who has contributed to date!* Scan this QR Code to **DONATE NOW**:

**And Remember!** If we reach our goal, we'll be able to afford to recover the pew cushions and kneelers.

**Remember: all gifts are tax deductible!**

*Our mission of faith, worship, & service here at St. Catherine's is a rock of stability for community during these uncommonly difficult times. Together with our Parish Finance Council and Trustees, we are reaching out to all the families in our Parish, asking everyone's active participation in this year's Appeal.*

### PRAY FOR THE UNBORN:

Lord, Creator of Life, you have blessed us with the privilege of bringing new life into the world.

May your Holy Spirit open our hearts and minds to recognize Your special gift of children, and

Your great love for each of us created in Your image and likeness. You sent Your son Jesus to redeem us and through love He entered our world. We now turn to Mary, our Mother, for her intercession as we struggle to protect innocent unborn children. Following Mary's example may we proclaim the truth of our faith, assist those in crisis and protect those most vulnerable. We ask this through Christ, Our Lord. Amen.



### It's not too late!

### #MyCatholicHome

Please email us your family's photo of the **Epiphany Blessing of Chalk** in your home to help inspire others to remain close to God during the upcoming year, and always. We would like to post them (*with your permission*) on our social media platforms, **#MyCatholicHome**. Send your photos to [support@stcatherinetrumbull.com](mailto:support@stcatherinetrumbull.com)



## St. Catherine of Siena School

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**Open House:** SCSS invites all interested families to attend our Open House on Wed, Feb 2, at 8:30am. Meet teachers, administrators, and students. Tour our beautiful campus. *Come to see for yourself what makes SCSS such a special place for your child.* Register at [stcatherinesienatrumbull.org](http://stcatherinesienatrumbull.org)



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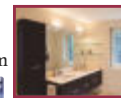
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