

ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH

Churches of St. Patrick. East Hampton and St. Bridget of Kildare, Moodus

Fourth Sunday of Easter May 7 & 8, 2022



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St. Bridget of Kildare 75 Moodus-Leesville Rd. Moodus, CT 06469

MASS Schedule

Masses: Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm Sunday: 7:00 am & 11:30 am Weekdays: Wednesday 7:00 am

Friday: Mass 8:00 am (adoration prior to Mass at 7am)

Confessions: Saturday 6:30 pm or by Appt.

Email: stbridgetofkildare@yahoo.com



St. Patrick Church 47 West High Street East Hampton, CT 06424

MASS Schedule

Masses: Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm Sunday: 8:30 am & 10:00 am Weekdays: Wednesday 8:00 am

Thursday: Mass 8:00 am (adoration prior to Mass at 7am)

Confessions: Saturday 3:00 pm or by Appt.
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The St. John Paul II Parish Office is Located in the Parish Center of St. Patrick Church.

Office Hours: Monday —Thursday 8am — 2:30 pm Friday 8am—Noon

Office Phone: 860 267-6644 Mailing address: St. JPII Parish, 47 W. High St. East Hampton, CT 06424

Called together by God to experience Jesus and his word, in the sacraments of the Church and in each other, we are committed to love God and to embrace all God's people as witnesses of God's mercy.

Welcome to our Parish Family

Newcomers to the St. John Paul II Parish are invited to introduce themselves to our Pastor, Father Darius after Mass. Please consider registering with the parish by stopping in to the office. If your family is registered at either location, once you turn 21, you must re-register as an adult. PLEASE update your contact information as it changes.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Arrangements can be made by calling the Office. Godparents require a sponsor certificate from their parish.

CONFESSION: Saturday 3:00 pm at St. Patrick, and following the vigil Mass at 6:30 pm at St. Bridget, or by appt.

FIRST COMMUNION: Contact the Director of Religious Education, Dani Annino or Molly Bickford.

HOLY MATRIMONY Couples must contact the office and meet with the pastor at least one year in advance to reserve a date and make arrangements.

MINISTRY OF CAREGIVING, Please advise the church office to arrange pastoral visits or Holy Communion for those who are sick, hospitalized, homebound, or in nursing homes.

CANDLES

To arrange for the Sanctuary Lamp or Blessed Mother Candle please contact the office. (860) 267-6644

2 Week Sanctuary Light \$20

1 Week Blessed Mother Candle \$10

MASS INTENTIONS

The celebration of the Eucharist is the highest form of worship in the Catholic Church and it is our long standing tradition to pray for the dead at Mass. Anyone can ask for a Mass to be offered for a special intention. You can schedule a Mass by calling the office. Mass cards are available for the Living and for the Deceased. Suggested Stipends: Weekday—\$10 Weekend—\$20

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St. Patrick Guild: Peggy Sue Smigel (860) 885-4734

Bulletin Submissions: Due to Marlene by 12:00 noon on Monday. Email: stbridgetofkildare@yahoo.com

May 7 & 8, 2022

ANNOUNCED MASSES & EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

SAINT BRIDGET OF KILDARE

Monday, May 9 NO MASS

<u>Tuesday, May 10-St. Damien de Veuster</u> NO MASS

Wednesday, May 11

7:00 am: TAnthony Armento req. by Denise Dill

5:30 pm: Legion of Mary/Marian Hall

Thursday, May 12-ss. Nereus & Achilleus, St. Pancras
Adoration, Rosary, Mass, Coffee hour at St. Patrick
6 PM Holy Hour for Vocations with Bishop Cote
and Fr. Jonathan Ficara in St. Bridget Church

Friday, May 13

7:00 am Adoration & Rosary Mass/Coffee hr. 8:00 am: Richard Murray (5 yr. Anniv.) reg. by

Dc. Dan & Kathy D'Amelio

4:00 PM: Rosa Mystica Devotion/Church

Saturday, May 14- St. Matthias

10am-5pm : Private Event in Marian Hall

5:30 pm: : Intentions of Fr. Darius Dudzik req. by

Joseph & Mary Danford

Sunday, May 15 - Fifth Sunday of Easter

7:00 am: **Frances Bell** req. by a friend

11:30 am: David Fazekas (20th Anniv.) req. by his

wife Eileen

All Parishioners of the St. JPII Parish



The Sanctuary Lamp at St. Bridget's will burn this week and next week in remembrance of George Drenga From his niece, Carol



The Blessed Mother Candle will burn at St. Bridget's this week as a months remembrance for

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From Marilynn

The St. Bridget's Ladies Guild are collecting donations of Disposable Razors for the Month of April and Dishwashing liquid for the Month of May for their "Bags of Love" project to benefit the recipients of the East Haddam Food Bank. Thank you for your support!

SAINT PATRICK

Monday, May 9 NO MASS

7:00 pm—Rosary for the Unborn/Church

<u>Tuesday, May 10– St. Damien de Veuster</u> NO MASS

7:00 PM-Guild meeting/ Hospice Presentation/Parish Ctr

Wednesday, May 11

8:00 am: TRosie Wittman by Dianery DeLaney
Thursday, May 12-Ss. Nereus & Achilleus, St. Pancras

7:00 am Adoration & Rosary.... Mass/Coffee hr.
8:00 am: †Marie Ann Esposito by Kim Desimone
6PM—Holy Hour for Vocations w/Bishop Cote/St. Bridgets

Friday, May 13

Adoration, Rosary, Mass, Coffee hour at St. Bridget

Saturday, May 14-St. Matthias

1:00 pm-4:00 pm: Guild Tea/Parish Center 4:00 pm: \$\foatsup\$Suzanne Stanton (10 yr. Anniv.)

reg. by the Warner Family

†Charles Haller Sr. req. by Dianery DeLaney **For a special intention** req. by Rich & Linda Barber

Sunday, May 15 —Fifth Sunday of Easter

8:30 am: Blessings on the Confirmandis & 1st Communicants of the St. John Paul II Parish

req. by Our Lady of Grace Praesidum of The Legion of Mary

10:00 am: ⊕Angelo DiMarco req. by Terry Veizina and family



The Blessed Mother Candle will burn at St. Patrick's this week in memory of

₱ Rita Boucher ₱

From her daughter Linda

SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES

May 9 — Acts 11:1-18 Jn 10:1-10

May 10 — Acts 11:19-26 Jn 10:22-30

May 11 — Acts 12:24—13:5 Jn 12:44-50

May 12— Acts 13:13-25 Jn 13:16-20

May 13 — Acts 13:26-33 Jn 14:1-6

May 14 — Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 Jn 15:9-17

May 15— Acts 14:21-27 Rv 21:1-5 Jn 13:31-33, 34-35





PLEASE VISIT THE GERANIUM SALE THIS WEEKEND AT ST. BRIDGET'S AFTER ALL MASSES 4" plants are \$5 each and 6" Plants are \$6 each. All proceeds go to the Mercy Scholarship Fund.

St. John Paul II Parish Finances

April 30/May 1, 2022: Weekly: \$ 11,274.69

Special Collections
Cemetery Upkeep
Seminarian Education
Mothers Day
Monthly
Ascension

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HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS at ST. BRIDGET OF KILDARE

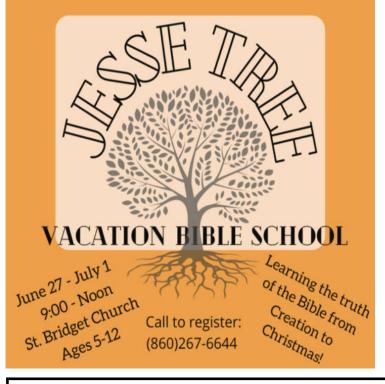


May 12, 2022 at 6:00 pm

Holy Hour of Vocations with Bishop Michael R. Cote.

Please join Bishop Michael R. Cote, Vocation Director, Fr. Jonathan Ficara who grew up at St. Bridget's, fellow parishioners, priests and religious in praying for Vocations on Thursday, May 12th at St. Bridget's.

ST.JOHN PAUL II PARISH



Stewardship Reflection

"The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit." (Acts 13:52)

The disciples heard our Lord's call and were able to spread the Gospel message with strength and vitality. We, too, can experience that same joy if we make room for the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts. When we use our gifts in the way that God intends, He fills us with supernatural joy.

A Joy that others notice and are attracted to!

NOTE: Parish Mailing Address for all correspondence is St. JPII Parish, 47 West High St. East Hampton, CT 06424 Including letters directed to our pastor.

The PO Box in Moodus will close in June and there is no mail receptacle at the St. Bridget Church location.

Rosary Rally for May Calling all prayer warriors!

May is Mary's month and in our tradition, we will be having a rosary rally on Saturday 5/14/22 at noon, outside in front of St Patrick's Church.

Please join us in offering Mary, our heavenly mother, a rosary "bouquet".

We will also ask our mother to intercede for us in our petitions for our country, an end to abortion, and peace in the world!



OPEN HOUSE

Saint John

School, Old Saybrook is enrolling for the 2022-23 academic year. The school will host the last open house this year on May 13th from 9-11am. Please register online to attend. We invite you to also visit our website to read about our PreK3-Grade 8 challenging curriculums, extracurricular after-school programs, our competitive athletics, campus information, before/aftercare program, testimonials and more. Please visit our Facebook page for recent classroom activities. You are invited to hear about "Educating the Whole Child" – we believe in educating our students academically, emotionally and spiritually. For www.saintjohnschoolos.org. If you have any questions, please call the school office at (860) 388 0849.

In your Kindness and prayers please continue to pray for these members of the St. John Paul II Parish

Dana Award, Clara Brown, Deborah Cardillo, Jane Condron, Frank Doucette, Kirkley Dows, Jeffrey Dinsmore,
Terry Dombroski, Ed Dymon, Lynn Feichtner, Edward Guidi, Jessica Hennessey, Arlene LaPene, Paul Magnano, Claudette Marci, Ryan Morris, MaryAnn Pezzentel, Pat Powers, Bobby Reardon, Theresa Rovillo, Ashley Schroeder, Bernadette Schneider, Jake Shumbo, Maureen Sweeney, Donald Vance, Rosalind Vecchitto, Joshua Wasserman, Valerie Wright, those homebound, hospitalized, and those at Chestelm & Cobalt Lodge.

The Apparitions

performed at Xavier: A play based on Mary's apparitions at Guadalupe in 1531 will be presented at Xavier High School on Friday, May 13, at 7 p.m.



This will be the first performance of the work which was written by scholar/author Cooley Taylor in 1982. Donations are accepted. Those interested in attending can call Xavier teacher John McGrath at 860-638-7989.

Cappella Cantorum will be singing Parts 2 and 3 from *Messiah* by



G.F. Handel in concert at 3 pm on May 15, 2022 at the First Church of Christ (Congregational) on Main Street in Old Saybrook, CT. \$25 Tickets are available from Alison Guinness at 860-873-9304 or wjguinness@snet.net. \$30 at the door.

Rest in Peace

St. John Paul II Parishioners 2000—Present

May 9: Sophie C. Dykas 2002 Rosemarie Czuj 2010 Caroline Drenga 2012

May 10: Joseph G. Sikorski Jr. 2000 Donald Angersola 2000

May 11: Sylvia Bulbert 2002 Beverly A. Walton 2020

May 12: MaryAnn Rouleau 2013

May 13: Sophie Kurek Wright 2000 Delvena Ross 2005

May 14: Grace Cieri 2011

May 15: David J. Fazekas 2002 Halina Ukleja 2006

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

East Hampton Food Bank Request

In a recent conversation with Sandy Fries at the food bank the following items are in need: Shampoo and conditioner, canned fruit, canned chicken, tuna, chunky soup, instant rice and potatoes, baked beans, spam, mac and cheese and coffee. The East Hampton Food Bank thanks St. Patrick Church for our continued support throughout the year.

Marriage Encounter Weekend May 21-22 at St. Patrick Church Parish Center, East Hampton.

Register as soon as possible to get your spot. Contact Frank and Margie Pearson at 860 869-2610 or online at apply-Worldwide Marriage Encounter (wwme.org). Give your spouse the gift of your time and discover the secrets to a lasting, supportive, transformational marriage! There are no group discussions. For more info call the Pearsons at the number above or Mary-Jo McLaughlin at 860 848-2237 ext. 312.

MAY GOD BLESS OUR FIRST COMMUNICANTS!



Hunter Balamotis
Maverick Bernier
Antonio Blancato
Samuel Busher
William Clark
Camden Cox
Macklin Davis
Henry Distin
Lorelai Downing
Michelle Drlik
Kylie Edmondson
David Johnson, Jr.

Taylor Karabatsos
Brennan King
Matylda Lukaszczyk
Paulina Lukaszczyk
Caenan Macauley
Ashlyn McWade
Lorenzo Milardo
Kayla Mitkiewicz
Benjamin Munoz
Evelyn Nilsen
Bryson Paddock
Abriana Parente

Megyn Perez
Sophia Philhower
Emily Proctor
John Reis
Noah Salamone
Peyton Schoonerman
Justus Sheehan
Violet Smith
Lilly Stino
Addison Trombino
Maximilian Warszawik
Evan Yacono

A special Thank You to the St. Bridget's Ladies Guild for the wonderful treats and reception they prepared for the children in Marian Hall following their First Holy Communion.

Thank you to all who helped make their day special!

Annual St. Patrick's Guild <u>Tag Sale</u>

Mark Your Calendars!!!
The St. Patrick Guild will hold its annual tag sale on **Saturday, June 4, 2022.**

Donations (in good condition) will be collected in the parish center throughout the prior week.

Specific collection times will be posted at a later date.

Computer equipment and clothing will not be accepted.

Please do not drop off items unless a Guild member is available to receive them.

Thank you for your cooperation.

We congratulate the following young people from the St. John Paul II Parish who were fully received into the Catholic Church through the Sacrament of Confirmation on April 9, 2022 by Bishop Michael R... Cote at the Cathedral of St. Patrick.



Bryce "Sebastian" Bailey Matthew "Charles" Barrientos Austin "Michael" Bigelow Julia "Catherine" Campbell Carolyn "Maria" Capel Luke "Sebastian" DeAngelis Ashley "Lydia" Dello Iacono Sean "Isidore" Dickerman Colin "Vincent" Gawel Rileigh "Catherine" Govoni Ryan "Bernard" Govoni Euan "Leo" Hall Luke "Samuel" Kalisz Jacob "Joseph" Karrenberg Alynna "Francis" Karpiej Samantha "Joan" Kearney Faith "Alice" Kucharski Christian "Bartholomew" Lanou Sierra "Catherine" LaRose Hailey "Stella" Ledas Kayli "Catherine" Levenduski Skylar "Tessa" Lynn Cooper "George" Meehl Sadie "Marie" Michaud James "Thomas" Mucciacciaro Liam "John" Owen Artur "Philip" Piech Joseph "Joseph" Pizzonia Baden "Sebastian" Plante Mackenzie "Marie" Player Damian "Christopher" Taylor Kali "Mary" Trapp Louis "Antonio" Uliano Andrew "Valentino" Wagner

Our Lady of Grace
Praesidium

Meetings: 5:30 pm Wednesdays At St. Bridget Church. Membership is open.





Invocation to the Virgin "Rosa Mystica" (The Litany of Loreto, Pope Sixtus V 1587) 3 Roses are displayed on Mary's Cloak:

White – for her Purity, Gold – for her Royalty Red – for her Suffering

The Title of Mary as "Rosa Mystica" is found in early Church Writings of the Church Fathers and devotion to Our Lady under this Title has been found in Church documents going back from 1138.

13th of the Month Devotion Request of Mary "Rosa Mystica" pray for Priests, Religious and Vocations. Please join us each month for a Holy Hour of Prayer as your schedule allows to pray for our Priests, Religious and Vocations

ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH at St. Bridget's Church

Friday 4:00 pm May 13, 2022.

A Statue of Our Lady of Rosa Mystica is in Marian Hall. A petition basket for names of those you pray for is available for inclusion in the Hour of prayer.

PALLIATIVE CARE & HOSPICE INFORMATION PRESENTATION Tuesday, May 10, 2022 at 7:00 pm St. Patrick's Parish Center, East Hampton

The St. Patrick's Guild invites everyone from St. John Paul II Parish to the Middlesex Health Hospice Program's presentation: Palliative Care and Hospice 101. There are many myths regarding palliative care and hospice. As a result, people wait too long to participate in these beneficial programs. They miss out on the support services offered to patients and families. During this program, participants will gain a good understanding of palliative care and hospice, and understand how and when to ask for a consultation. Please join us Tuesday, May 10 at 7:00pm in the parish center at St. Patrick's. Refreshments will be available.

Love them Both

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