

# THE CATHEDRAL PARISH



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AND  
ST. PATRICK CHURCH**

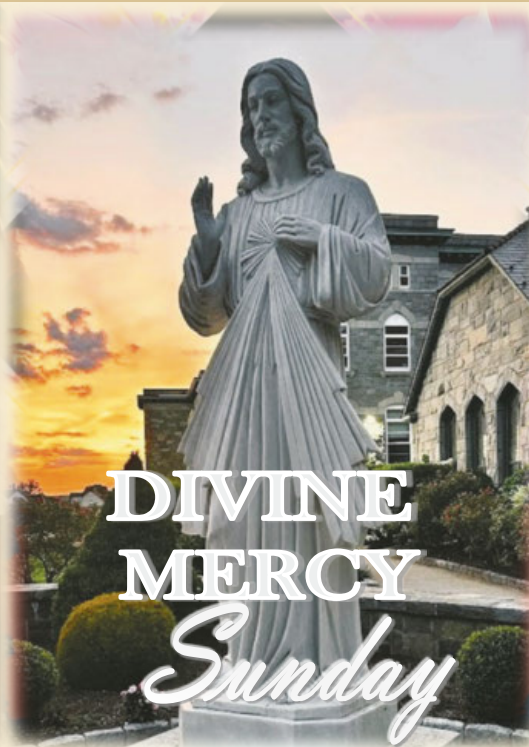


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St. Augustine Cathedral  
399 Washington Ave  
Bridgeport, CT 06604



St. Patrick Church  
851 North Ave  
Bridgeport, CT 06606



YOUTUBE

## Sunday, April 27, 2025

## SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

### Parish Office - Oficina Parroquial

170 Thompson Street, Bridgeport, CT 06604  
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Hours: Monday —Thursday: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm  
Monday —Thursday: Lunch 1:00– 2:00 pm  
Friday : 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

office@thecathedralparish.org  
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Catechist/Clergy signature:

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Student name:

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**THE MOST REVEREND  
FRANK JOSEPH CAGGIANO  
BISHOP OF BRIDGEPORT**

**CURRENT STAFF**

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pastor@cparish.org

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If you would like to become a member of our parish, please contact our parish office.

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## MASS SCHEDULE

**SUNDAY MASS / MISA DOMINICAL**

**Saturday/Sábado**

4:00 pm St. Patrick (Vigil)

**Sunday/Domingo**

7:00 am St. Augustine

8:30 am St. Patrick

10:00 am St. Augustine

11:30 am St. Augustine (Español)

2:00pm St. Augustine (Vietnamese)

4:00 pm St. Patrick (Every 4th Sunday—  
Igbo Community)

**WEEKDAY MASS / MISA DIARIA**

**Monday to Friday/Lunes a Viernes**

7:00 am St. Patrick

12:10 pm St. Augustine

**Tuesday/Martes**

7:00 pm St. Patrick (Español)

**Friday/Viernes**

7:00 pm St. Augustine (Vietnamese)

**ADORATION**

**EXPOSICIÓN DEL SANTÍSIMO**

**Monday to Friday / Lunes a Viernes**

St. Augustine Cathedral

11:00 am- 12:00 pm



**HOLY HOUR / HORA SANTA**

**Every First Friday of the Month**  
**Primer Viernes del mes.**

St. Augustine Cathedral

11:00 am—12:00 pm

**FEDERAL HOLIDAYS: 12:10 pm St Augustine—NO Mass at St Patrick**

**CONFESSIONS/CONFESIONES**

**Monday to Friday /Lunes a Viernes**

11:15 am- 11:50 am - St. Augustine

**Tuesday/Martes**

6:15 pm- 6:50 pm - con Hora Santa - St. Patrick

**Saturday/Sábado**

2:30 pm - 3:15 pm - St. Patrick (Bilingual)



**Memorial of Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church— April 29.**  
**29 de abril — Memoria de Santa Catalina de Siena, virgen y doctora de la Iglesia**



Dear Friends,

**"Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, His mercy endures forever!" (Psalm 118)**

The second Sunday of Easter draws us into the celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday, a feast instituted by Saint John Paul II that highlights the tender and compassionate heart of God, fully revealed in the Risen Christ. It's no coincidence that this feast comes right after Easter: it is God's mercy that opens the tomb, conquers sin, and gives us new life.



In the midst of today's uncertainties—wars, divisions, forced migration, everyday violence, and economic struggles—this Sunday reminds us of an unchanging truth: God continues to act with power and compassion. As we read in the first reading from Acts, the apostles, filled with the Spirit, perform signs and wonders, and people bring their sick in faith, hoping that even Peter's shadow might heal them. Today, that same faith lives on in all who approach the Lord with open hearts.

The reading from Revelation gives us a powerful image of the glorified Christ: ***"the one who lives, who once was dead, but now lives forever."*** Jesus is neither distant nor absent; He walks among His Church, even in times of trial, encouraging us to not be afraid and to remain firm in hope.

And in the Gospel, we meet Thomas, often nicknamed "the doubter." But in truth, Thomas represents all of us in moments of uncertainty, when we need a sign, a word of comfort, a reassurance. Jesus does not scold him harshly, but rather draws near with love and patience: ***"Put your finger here... do not be unbelieving, but believe."*** This is the mercy of God: a love that never tires of seeking us, that allows itself to be touched in our wounds, and that transforms doubt into deep faith: ***"My Lord and my God!"***

Today, more than ever, the world needs disciples of mercy—people who know how to forgive, who reach out to those who suffer, who work for peace with Easter joy. As Jesus says: ***"Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them..."*** This is our mission: to be witnesses of His mercy in every corner of daily life.

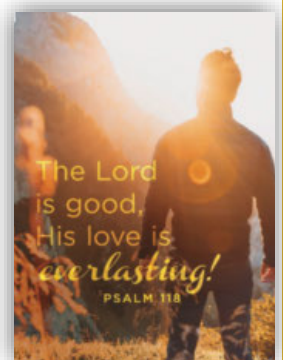
May this Divine Mercy Sunday renew in us the desire to fully trust in God's love, to welcome His forgiveness, and to extend that same mercy to others.

**Jesus, I trust in You!**

May

God bless you always!

Very Rev. Arthur Mollenhauer, PhL, STB, JCL  
Rector of St. Augustine Cathedral  
Pastor of The Cathedral Parish  
Tel: 203 368 6777 x10  
Email: [pastor@cparish.org](mailto:pastor@cparish.org)





Queridos amigos,

**“¡Den gracias al Señor porque es bueno, porque es eterna su misericordia!”** (Salmo 118)

El segundo domingo de Pascua nos sumerge en el Domingo de la Divina Misericordia, una celebración instituida por San Juan Pablo II que resalta el corazón tierno y compasivo de Dios, revelado plenamente en Cristo Resucitado. No es casualidad que esta fiesta se celebre justo después de la Pascua: es la misericordia de Dios la que abre el sepulcro, la que vence el pecado, y la que nos da una vida nueva.



En medio de las incertidumbres del mundo actual —guerras, divisiones, migraciones forzadas, violencia cotidiana y desafíos económicos— este domingo nos recuerda una verdad que nunca cambia: Dios sigue actuando con poder y compasión. Como nos muestra la primera lectura de los Hechos, los apóstoles, llenos del Espíritu, realizan signos y maravillas, y la gente trae a los enfermos con fe, creyendo que incluso la sombra de Pedro puede sanar. Hoy, esa fe sigue viva en quienes se acercan al Señor con un corazón abierto.

La lectura del Apocalipsis nos ofrece una imagen poderosa del Cristo glorificado: **“el que vive, el que estuvo muerto y ahora vive por los siglos”**. Jesús no está lejos ni ausente; camina en medio de su Iglesia, aún en tiempos de prueba, animándonos a no tener miedo y a permanecer firmes en la esperanza.

Y en el Evangelio, nos encontramos con Tomás, apodado a menudo como “el incrédulo”. Pero en realidad, Tomás representa a todos nosotros en los momentos en los que dudamos, en los que necesitamos una señal, un consuelo, una certeza. Jesús no lo reprende con dureza, sino que se le acerca con amor y paciencia: **“Pon tu dedo aquí... no seas incrédulo, sino creyente.”** Esta es la misericordia de Dios: un amor que no se cansa de buscarnos, que se deja tocar en nuestras heridas, y que transforma la duda en fe profunda: “¡Señor mío y Dios mío!”

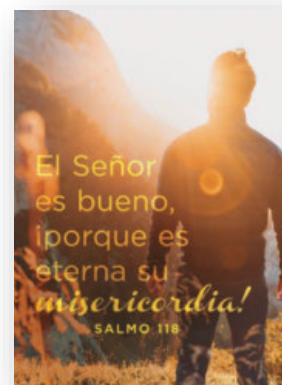
Hoy, más que nunca, el mundo necesita discípulos de la misericordia: personas que sepan perdonar, que tiendan la mano al que sufre, que trabajen por la paz con alegría pascual. Como dice Jesús: **“A quienes les perdonen los pecados, les quedarán perdonados...”**. Esta es nuestra misión: ser testigos de su misericordia en cada rincón de la vida cotidiana.

Que este Domingo de la Divina Misericordia renueve en nosotros el deseo de confiar plenamente en el amor de Dios, de acoger su perdón, y de extender esa misma misericordia a los demás.

**¡Jesús, en Ti confío!**

¡Que Dios te bendiga siempre!

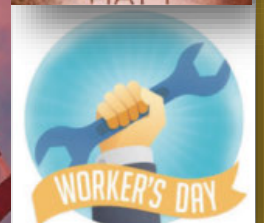
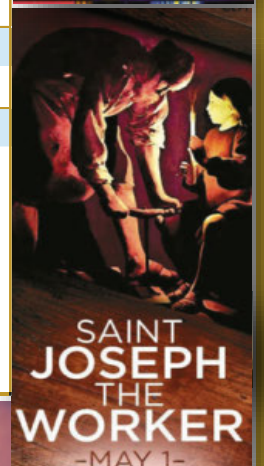
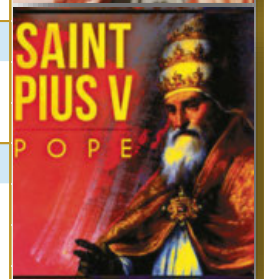
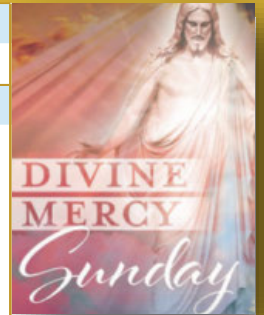
Reverendísimo Arthur Mollenhauer, PhL, STB, JCL  
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# Mass Intentions

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| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>Saturday within the Octave of Easter</b>                      |          |                                                            | <b>Celebrant</b> |
| <b>26</b>        | St. Patrick                                                      | 4:00 PM  | † Umberto & Liberata Posca                                 | Fr. Arthur       |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (OR SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)</b>       |          |                                                            |                  |
| <b>27</b>        | St. Augustine                                                    | 7:00 AM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Doan         |
|                  | St. Patrick                                                      | 8:30 AM  | Available                                                  | Fr. J. Perez     |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 10:00 AM | † Maria Fonseca                                            | Fr. J. Perez     |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 11:30 AM | † Florinda Rodriguez, Jesus Rodriguez                      | Fr. Arthur       |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 2:00 PM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Doan         |
| <b>Monday</b>    | <b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b>                                            |          |                                                            |                  |
| <b>28</b>        | St. Patrick                                                      | 7:00 AM  | Available                                                  | Fr. J. Perez     |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 12:10 PM | † Lilia Orjuela                                            | Fr. Doan         |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | <b>Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church</b> |          |                                                            |                  |
| <b>29</b>        | St. Patrick                                                      | 7:00 AM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Doan         |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 12:10 PM | Available                                                  | Fr. J. Perez     |
|                  | St. Patrick                                                      | 7:00 PM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Arthur       |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b>                                            |          |                                                            |                  |
| <b>30</b>        | St. Patrick                                                      | 7:00 AM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Doan         |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 12:10 PM | Available                                                  | Fr. J. Perez     |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | <b>EASTER WEEKDAY</b>                                            |          |                                                            |                  |
| <b>1</b>         | St. Patrick                                                      | 7:00 AM  | † Luis Carlos Carmona                                      | Fr. J. Perez     |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 12:10 PM | Available                                                  | Fr. Arthur       |
| <b>Friday</b>    | <b>Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</b>         |          |                                                            |                  |
| <b>2</b>         | St. Patrick                                                      | 7:00 AM  | † Umberto & Liberata Posca                                 | Fr. Arthur       |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 12:10 PM | † Paul Van & Maria Muon                                    | Fr. Arthur       |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 7:00 PM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Doan         |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>Saint Philip &amp; James, Apostles</b>                        |          |                                                            |                  |
| <b>3</b>         | St. Patrick                                                      | 4:00 PM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Arthur       |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>                                    |          |                                                            |                  |
| <b>4</b>         | St. Augustine                                                    | 7:00 AM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Doan         |
|                  | St. Patrick                                                      | 8:30 AM  | Available                                                  | Fr. J. Perez     |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 10:00 AM | † John F. Doherty                                          | Fr. J. Perez     |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 11:30 AM | For the deceased members of the family: Agosto & Hernandez | Fr. Arthur       |
|                  | St. Augustine                                                    | 2:00 PM  | Available                                                  | Fr. Doan         |



LIVE-STREAM MASS 12:10 P.M. EVERY DAY AND SUNDAY 10 A.M. AND 11:30 A.M. (SPANISH)  
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## PRAY FOR OUR SICK

**Celestina Cabral  
Alma Delia Castillo  
Sister Mercita Curley  
Rosalba Jimenez  
Robert Pace  
Giglia Denisse Padilla  
Cuong Nguyen**

If you or a family member is sick, hospitalized or in need of the prayer, please contact our parish office.  
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## OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS

Si usted o un miembro de su familia está enfermo, hospitalizado o necesita la oración, comuníquese con nuestra oficina parroquial.

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## GENERAL PRAYER REQUEST FOR:

**Luna's Family  
Tejada Hernandez family  
Gerson Chiluisa & Family**

## PRAYER FOR OUR SICK

*"Heavenly Father,  
We lift up to you all who are suffering from illness and pain.  
Bring your healing touch upon them, Lord. Comfort their  
hearts, strengthen their bodies, and restore them to health  
according to your will. Surround them with your love and  
peace, and grant wisdom to those who care for them.  
In Jesus' name, Amen.*

## ORACIÓN POR NUESTROS ENFERMOS

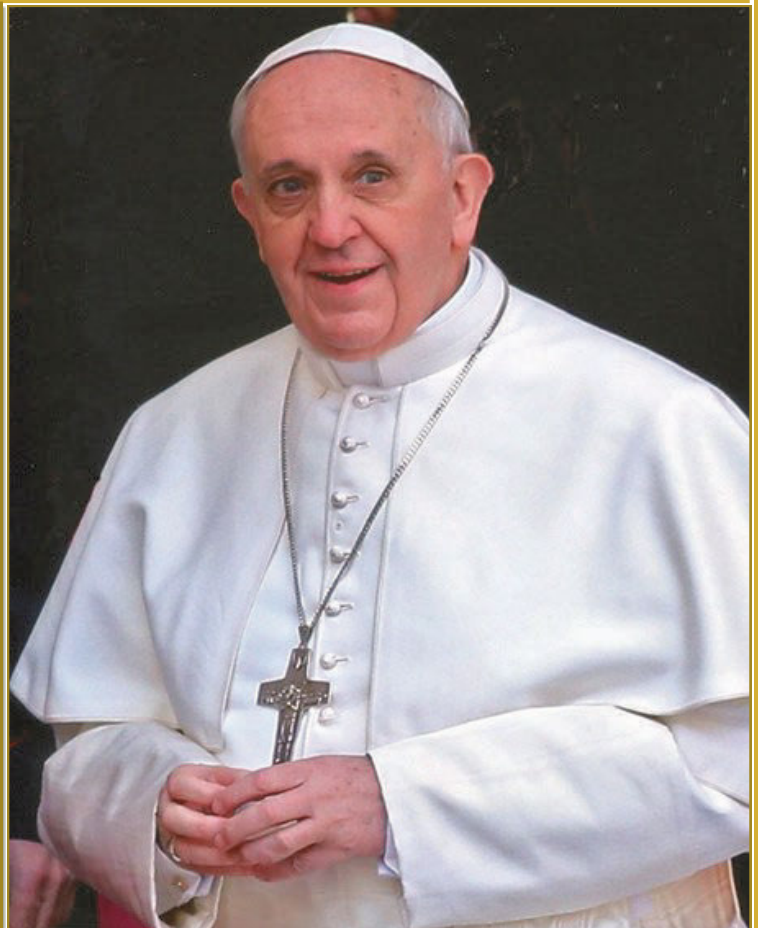
*"Padre Celestial,  
Le presentamos a todos los que están sufriendo enfermedad  
y dolor. Trae tu toque sanador sobre ellos, Señor. Consuela  
sus corazones, fortalece sus cuerpos y restáuralos a la salud  
según tu voluntad. Rodéalos con tu amor y paz, y concede  
sabiduría a aquellos que los cuidan.  
En el nombre de Jesús, Amén.*

## Prayer for a Deceased Pope

God, Who, in Your ineffable providence, did will that Your servant Francis should be numbered among the high priests; grant, we beseech You, that he, who on earth held the place of Your only begotten Son, may be joined forevermore to the fellowship of Your holy pontiffs. Through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, world without end. Amen.

## Oración por un Papa Fallecido

Dios, que en Tu inefable providencia quisiste que Tu siervo Francisco fuera contado entre los sumos pontífices; concédenos, te suplicamos, que él, quien en la tierra ocupó el lugar de Tu Hijo unigénito, sea unido para siempre a la comunión de Tus santos pontífices. Por el mismo Jesucristo, Tu Hijo, que vive y reina Contigo en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, Dios, por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.







| One In Christ - The 2025 Bishop's Appeal |                       |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| The Cathedral Parish                     |                       |
| 2025 Bishop's Appeal as of 4/11/2025     |                       |
| Bishop's Appeal Goal:                    | \$48,500              |
| Total Pledged:                           | <b>\$30,240 (62%)</b> |
| Donors to Date:                          | 67 Donors             |



**ONE in Christ**  
2025 Bishop's Appeal  
DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

## SERVING OUR COMMUNITY

Supporting the Bishop's Appeal unites us as One in Christ to help the needy and most vulnerable, providing supportive services that enable families to rise out of poverty, overcome barriers and achieve self-sufficiency and independence.

**MAKE YOUR GIFT TODAY!**

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HAZ TU DONACIÓN HOY!

[www.2025BishopsAppeal.org](http://www.2025BishopsAppeal.org)

Apoyar la Campaña del Obispo nos une como Uno en Cristo para ayudar a los más necesitados y vulnerables, brindando servicios de apoyo que permiten a las familias salir de la pobreza, superar obstáculos y alcanzar la autosuficiencia e independencia.

*"Rossillmar acudió al nuevo Centro Familiar Thomas Merton de Caridades Católicas en busca de una comida para ella y su familia, pero encontró mucho más. Rossillmar y su esposo trabajaron junto al personal dedicado para asegurar las necesidades básicas que muchos damos por sentadas. Fue un proceso difícil, pero gracias al nuevo modelo de centro familiar de Caridades Católicas, Rossillmar y su familia pudieron utilizar estos servicios y además acceder a programas vitales adicionales, todo en un mismo lugar conveniente."*

|                        |                     |                                                                                                      |
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| Parish Collection:     | 4/13/2025           | <br><b>GIVING</b> |
| Sunday Offertory       | \$ 11,477.00        |                                                                                                      |
| Online Giving          | \$ 1,002.00         |                                                                                                      |
| <b>TOTAL OFFERTORY</b> | <b>\$ 12,479.00</b> |                                                                                                      |

For more accurate accounting, the offertory will be reported with a two weeks delay.

*We deeply appreciate all who are using our Online Giving platform. Your generous and consistent support helps keep our parish thriving. Please use this QR code to make your weekly offertory contribution.*

*Agradecemos profundamente a todos los que están utilizando nuestra plataforma de Donaciones en Línea. Su apoyo generoso y constante ayuda a mantener nuestra parroquia en pleno funcionamiento. Por favor, utilice este código QR para hacer su contribución semanal.*

*Chúng tôi chân thành cảm ơn tất cả những ai đang sử dụng nền tảng Đóng góp Trực tuyến của chúng tôi. Sự hỗ trợ rộng rãi và liên tục của bạn giúp cho giáo xứ của chúng ta phát triển. Xin vui lòng sử dụng mã QR này để thực hiện đóng góp tuần của bạn.*

**Thank You! Cảm ơn ¡Gracias!**

**PILGRIM VIRGINS**  
Receive the Pilgrim  
Virgin Shrine in your home!  
Contact:

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Reciban la Virgen Peregrina en su casa.  
Llaman a:

|                 |                                                                                       |                  |                |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
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| Erendira Ochoa  |  | Virgen Gracia    | (203) 683-8168 |
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*Comunidad Parroquial!*

¡ESTAMOS MUY CONTENTOS DE QUE PUEDAS VISITARNOS! LA PARROQUIA CATEDRAL ES UNA COMUNIDAD QUE SE ESFUERZA POR ABRAZAR A TODOS

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- PREPARACIÓN MATRIMONIAL
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- MISA DIARIA
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- GRUPOS DE APOYO

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## CHÚA NHẬT 2 PHỤC SINH: 04/27/2025

**Giáo Xứ Các Thánh Tử Đạo Việt Nam**

399 Washington Ave, Bridgeport, CT 06604



### PHỤNG VỤ GIÁO XỨ

**Thánh Lễ:** Chúa Nhật: 2:00 pm

Thứ Sáu: 7:00 pm

### CÁC Ý CẦU NGUYÊN

|                         |                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Tạ ơn                   | Maria Nguyễn T. Quỳnh  |
| Bình an, con thông minh | Maria Lê Thị Hà        |
| Ca mổ tốt đẹp           | Antôn Đỗ Hữu Phổ       |
| Ông cố Augustinô        | Gioan Lê Văn Đă        |
| Antôn Đỗ Hữu Phổ        | Phanxico X. Lê T. Hanh |
| Gioan Trần Văn Hợp      | Frank Kowalewski       |
| Tiên nhân, thân-ân nhân | Các linh hồn khác      |

### Thông Báo

#### Crawfish Festival

- Vào Chúa Nhật Nhật, 4 tháng 5.
- Có crawfish sống và chín. Giá sẽ được thông báo sau khi crawfish được đem tới Bridgeport.
- Mục đích: cùng chung vui với nhau và hỗ trợ cho sinh hoạt giáo xứ.

### SINH HOẠT & CÔNG VIỆC

\* Tiệc TRI ÂN & ĐÓN CHÀO:

Cá thành viên Ban Âm Thực (phụ trách: chị Kim, chị Nhài, chị Thảo)

\* Crawfish Festival:

Anh Phú, các thành viên Ban Tiếp Tân (phụ trách: anh Cường, anh Hoàng)

### Góc Mục Tử

*Anh Chị Em thân mến trong Đức Kitô,*

Hôm nay chúng ta mừng lễ Chúa Nhật Lòng Chúa Thương Xót. Chúa Nhật Lòng Chúa Thương Xót là một ngày lễ trọng của Giáo hội Công giáo Rôma được cử hành vào ngày Chủ nhật ngay sau Lễ Phục Sinh, tức là ngày cuối cùng trong Tuần Bát Nhật Phục Sinh. Ngày lễ này do Giáo hoàng Gioan Phaolô II thiết lập dựa trên sự sùng kính của người Công giáo đối với lòng Chúa thương xót do thánh nữ Maria Faustina Kowalska loan truyền.

Maria Faustina Kowalska là một nữ tu người Ba Lan đã tuyên bố rằng cô được thị kiến và nói chuyện với Chúa Giêsu. Trong nhật ký của mình, thánh nữ Faustina viết rằng trong một thị kiến, Chúa Giêsu đã bảo cô rằng bất cứ ai tham dự thánh lễ và lãnh nhận bí tích Hòa Giải và bí tích Thánh Thể vào ngày này thì sẽ được tha thứ tội lỗi và những hình phạt.

Ngày 23 tháng 3 năm 1937, thánh nữ Faustina đã viết trong nhật ký của mình rằng cô đã có một thị kiến tiên báo về ngày Lễ Lòng Chúa Thương Xót sẽ được tổ chức tại nhà thờ địa phương của cô với rất nhiều người tham dự, rồi ngày lễ này sẽ do chính giáo hoàng cử hành tại Roma.

Về sau, Giáo hoàng Gioan Phaolô II đã cổ vũ nhiều về việc sùng kính Lòng Chúa thương xót. Ngày 30 tháng 4 năm 2000, nhằm ngày Chúa nhật sau Lễ Phục sinh, Đức Gioan Phaolô II đã phong thánh cho bà Faustina và thiết lập ra ngày Chúa Nhật Lòng Chúa Thương Xót, được ấn định vào ngày Chúa nhật sau Lễ Phục Sinh hằng năm.

Vậy, chúng ta hãy năng chạy đến với Thiên Chúa, qua Đức Giêsu Kitô, để đón nhận tình yêu và lòng thương xót của Ngài.

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**Sister Josephine (Toni) Garrett, M.A., NCC, LPC**

EMDR Trained Clinician

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**Date** | Wednesday, May 14, 2025

**Time** | 7 pm

**Location** | St. Francis of Assisi Parish  
35 Norfield Road, Weston

**Lecturer** | Sister Josephine Garrett  
EMDR Trained Clinician  
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**Topic** | Living the Resurrection in the Midst of Suffering

Sister Josephine was born and raised Baptist in Houston, Texas. She earned a bachelor's in politics from the University of Dallas, and shortly thereafter entered the Catholic Church.

Sister Josephine served in the banking industry for 10 years as a Vice President.

In 2011, she began her religious formation with the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth, professing final vows in November of 2020.

She is a nationally certified and licensed counselor, specializing in trauma and the treatment of children and adolescents and serving in private practice as a counselor in Tyler, Texas.

A board member of Life Teen, she is also the author of *Hope: An Invitation, Wilderness Within* a Lenten meditation journal and host of the *Hope Stories* podcast.

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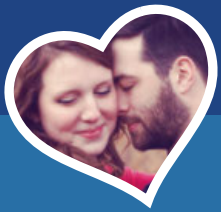


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