

Parish Family of Mary Our Queen



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30 January 2022

SUNDAY MASS IS OFFERED AT MARY OUR QUEEN

9:00am and 11:00am

The 9:00am Sunday Mass is Live-Streamed on our Facebook Page.

The official time for the opening of the church doors on Sunday is 8:15 in the morning.

Please keep this in mind for those who might show up extra early; especially during the winter months

DAILY MASS IS OFFERED AT

Immaculate Conception Church ✠ 130 Summer Street

7:30am & Noon Monday ~ Friday & Saturday 7:30am

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Please call the Rectory to make arrangements and receive information concerning eligibility of godparents.

Marriage: Arrangements should be made by calling the Rectory at least six months in advance.

Reconciliation/Confession: after daily Mass, Sundays between each scheduled Mass.

Anointing of the Sick, Hospital or Home Visitation: Please call the Rectory.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

10:00am ~ 4:00pm

Thursdays the office is closed

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

(860) 628-9679

Email: Southington.dre@gmail.com.

MISSION STATEMENT

Mary Our Queen Parish is a Roman Catholic community, founded under the patronage of Mary, the Mother of Jesus, and our Queen. We strive to celebrate the liturgy with full conscious and active participation. We are especially devoted to handing the faith to our youth and to strengthening the faith-lives of our families.

We strive to offer a warm welcome to all and to reach out to the spiritual and material needs of the people of our community, our nation and the entire world.



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

REMINDER:

Bookings for Daily Mass Intentions are booked through St. Thomas Rectory office. please call (860) 628-4713

SUNDAY, JANUARY 23 @ MOQ~ *Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

9:00 AM † ELIZABETH (POLLY) GAUTHIER *Requested by Dennis & Annett Kelly*
11:00 AM † JOHN & MARY CAPUTO *Requested by Bob & Jennifer Nicoletti*



20th Wedding Anniversary Blessing of
David & Karen Corrado



Daily Mass is offered at the Immaculate Conception Church

130 Summer Street ~ Southington, 06489

MONDAY, JANUARY 31

7:30 AM † STANLEY & MARY ELLEN SMOLINSKI, & FAMILY *Req. by Smolinski family*
12:00 PM † ROSE ROTELLA *(100th birthday) Requested by daughter, Lyssa & family*

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1 ~ *weekday*

7:30 AM & 12:00 PM PRO-POPULO

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, *Presentation of the Lord*

7:30 AM † PHILOMENA GIARDONO *Requested by Rose & Joe Sukatski*
12:00 PM PRO-POPULO



THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3 ~ *weekday*

7:30 AM PRO-POPULO
12:00 PM † ANTONIO, GIUSEPPINA, & PIETRO LA CIOPPA *Req. by Aurelia Leonetti & family*

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4 ~ *weekday*

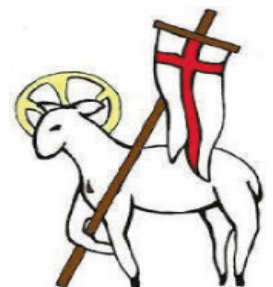
7:30 AM † MARY & BRUNO BRUNALLI *Requested by their daughter*
12:00 PM † FRANCIS & ROSEMARIE WALLETT *Requested by daughter*

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5 ~ *St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr*

7:30 AM PRO-POPULO

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6 @ MOQ~ *Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

9:00 AM † JOSEPH TELLERICO, JR *Requested by wife and children*
11:00 AM † LESZEK MOTOWIDLO *Requested by wife and family*



Saint
FRANCIS DE SALES

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Beware of email scammers



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions are offered at:

MOQ by appointment or in-between the 9 & 11am Sunday Masses.

Saint Dominic Church
Saturdays 2:30~3:30pm

Immaculate Conception
Wednesdays 6:00~7:00pm



And he said, "Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place." (Lk 4:24)



We are so grateful to all who continue to support Mary Our Queen with your prayers and financial contributions !!

For your convince, we accept mail-in contributions and online giving.

Consider online giving! Sign up on our Parish website or the following link:

<https://osvhub.com/maryourqueen/funds>

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Open Forum regarding the Future / Merger of MOQ

This meeting will be held on **Sunday, February 20 @ 4:00pm at MOQ**. This is your time to ask questions that you may have regarding the Pastoral Planning Process effective July 1.



Church Rosary warriors

A Prayerful Powerful Devotion of the Rosary.

Let our Blessed Mother open the eyes of your heart to the mysteries of Jesus's life seeing and loving him with Our Lady. Join your brothers and sisters in Christ with your intentions and prayers *after 7:30am Saturday morning Mass* at the Immaculate Conception Church in Southington praying for our Nation and spiritual revival.

Mass Intentions for 2022

Intentions may be booked either in person, by phone, or email at **Saint Thomas Parish office**, 99 Bristol Street, from **11:00 am ~ 7:00 pm**.

At Mary Our Queen
for Sundays 9 & 11am

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BETWEEN 11 am ~ 3:00 pm
Mon, Tues, Wed, & Fri

Manna Sunday - every Sunday



Donations of staple, non perishable foods: cold cereals, peanut butter, jams, soups, coffee, tea, juices, tuna fish, etc. for distribution to needy in our community by Southington Community Center. **Baskets** are

located in the parking lot entrance of the Church.

tax statements for MOQ 2021

If you need a copy of your donations for tax purposes, please email moqueen@snet.net. Please include your envelope number and address in your email and one will be emailed or mailed to you.

If you need to call for one please leave a message for Sebastian and one will be mailed to you. Statements will go out after January 23.



The Archdiocese Theme for Catholic Schools Week this year is

"There is something greater here!"

Countless people in our country have been blessed by the many gifts of Catholic Schools. *Southington Catholic School will be celebrating daily themes of Catholic School Week.*

Monday - Community Service, Tuesday - Creative Arts, Wednesday - Spirit Day, Thursday - our Girls have a basketball game at home at 5:45pm and we will celebrate Friday Mass with Father Joe on February 4th.

The school thanks you for your support and donations. We could use your help to spread the word about our school. We are returning to normal with sports and after-school programs. Our 3 and 4-year-old program is open and ready to enroll. We also have openings in Kindergarten through Grade 8. Please contact the school office for more information.

Candlemas Candlemas.....

is celebrated on the 2nd day of February of each year. The day is celebrated as a day of renewal, hope, and purification. During the early years, people would place their candles outside the church in order to be blessed. They would then carry them in a procession to church in order to imitate the appearance of Jesus in the Temple. The candle is a reminder of the Light of Christ which was handed to our god-parents and parents at our Baptism. It is a symbol of how we are to keep the light of Christ burning brightly. Blessed candles can be lighted in times of tragedy, crisis, or sickness as a helpful reminder of God's presence amongst us. These candles are a symbol of Christ whose birth illumined the world's darkness. May Christ, who is the way, the truth, and the light shine, brightly in our lives.

On Wed. February 2nd at the daily Masses at Immaculate Conception we will bless the candles used in our community this year. If you would like to have home candles blessed, please bring your candles to the morning or noon Masses at Immaculate conception for a blessing.

Hospice Volunteer Needed.....

Becoming a Franciscan Hospice Volunteer is a rewarding opportunity to journey with someone in the latter portion of his/her life. Franciscan hospice volunteers receive 16 hours of training that enables them to be present to others in a very special way in order to support both the individual and their family through a difficult time. There is continuing education and support through monthly meetings as well as social events for the hospice volunteer throughout the year. Franciscan hospice volunteers provide a variety of services such as visiting patients, reading, sharing stories, praying or being a quiet presence for the patient as well as clerical support. If you are interested in making a difference in someone else's life consider becoming a Franciscan Hospice Volunteer with Franciscan Home Care and Hospice Care. Contact BJ Raby at:

braby@franciscanhc.org or 202-238-1441. Visit web site at franciscanhc.org.

Southington Catholic Community News



Mass Schedule Changes Effective July 1, 2022

SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES:

4:00 PM @ Mary Our Queen Church & 5:30 PM @ Immaculate Conception Church (in English)

SUNDAY MORNING MASSES:

8:00 AM @ St. Aloysius 9:30 AM @ Immaculate Conception (in Polish) 11:00 AM @ St. Dominic

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays from 2:30-3:30PM at Mary Our Queen Church

WEEKDAY MASSES ~ Monday through Saturday

8:00 AM @ Immaculate Conception Church

*Mass Intentions can now be booked for July through December **between 11:00 AM and 7:00 PM through the rectory office at St. Thomas** – 99 Bristol Street - (860) 628-4713. To begin, we will book *one weekend Mass and one weekday Mass* (Saturday morning included) per family until we see how quickly the calendar fills.*

Update on Pastoral Planning.....

In the next few weeks Fr. Cronin will work with the Human Resources Office of the Archdiocese to find out the next steps in the creation of a staff for the coming merger.

Job descriptions will have to be drafted. He will have to meet with employees from every one of the five parishes to go over options. We will have to find out who plans to apply, retire, or just not seek a position in the new parish. All that needs to be settled before May 1st, so everyone has a few months to settle plans. That will be January, and interviews will go through February and March.

January and February are the time that pastors meet with business managers, trustees, and finance councils to review the yearend figures. There is paperwork to be submitted to the Archdiocese each year, and now is the time to compile the reports. Once we submit the forms and pay the Cathedraticum, we prepare the annual report


We have to begin the process for a new corporation soon. There is paperwork to meet the requirements of the civil codes and the canons of the Church. Trustees of the new corporation will have to be appointed.

We have to cover issues with a merger and a change of names. Finance councils will have to help plan for dealings with banks and the investments. Parish councils will have to develop norms and procedures for a new group.

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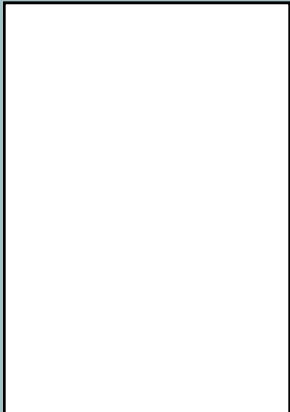


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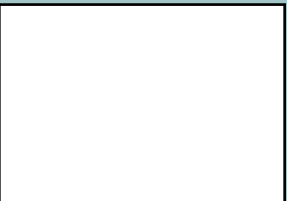


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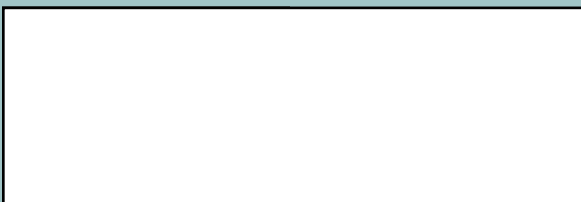
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