



SACRED HEART • ST. PATRICK PARISH

One parish, two campuses

September 18, 2022 * Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRAISE THE LORD
WHO LIFTS UP
THE LOWLY AND
THE POOR.

PSALM 113

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00 pm at Sacred Heart
5:30 pm at St. Patrick (**starting on 9/17**)

Sunday: 8:30 am and 10:30 am at St. Patrick
(**NEW! 5:00 pm starting on 10/23**)
9:00 am and 10:30 am at Sacred Heart
12:00 pm: Extraordinary Form (SH Guild)

Weekdays: 8:30 am-Monday, Wednesday at St. Patrick
8:30 am-Tuesday, Thursday at Sacred Heart
6:00 pm-Wednesday at Sacred Heart
Extraordinary Form (SH Guild)

Holy Days: 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., or otherwise noted



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PARISH LEADERSHIP:

Trustees: Michael DiBari

Thomas Sullivan

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Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, September 17, 2022

4:00 pm-SH + William Lesko

5:30 pm-SP Liz and Anne Pigot

Sunday, September 18, 2022

8:30 am-SP + Violet Nedley

9:00 am-SH + Anna Arcano

10:30 am-SP + Anthony DiTullio

10:30 am-SH + For the souls in purgatory
the longest

Monday, September 19, 2022

8:30 am-SP + Richard Ta-Fu Wu

7:00 pm-SH Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday, September 20, 2022 *

8:30 am-SH + Richard Slingerland

Wednesday, September 21, 2022

8:30 am-SP Our parishioners

Thursday, September 22, 2022 *

8:30 am-SH + Bridget Mahoney

7:00 pm-SP Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday, September 24, 2022

4:00 pm-SH + Pietro Pagano

5:30 pm-SP + Louis J. Vanasse

Sunday, September 25, 2022

8:30 am-SP + Robert Berube

9:00 am-SH + David Reed

10:30 am-SP + Rev. Nick A. Cirillo

10:30 am-SH **Available**

SH = Sacred Heart, SP = St. Patrick, + = Deceased

* **Rosary is prayed on Tuesdays and
Thursdays after the 8:30 a.m. Mass at
Sacred Heart**



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Weekly Schedule

Mondays, 7:00-8:00 p.m. at SH

Thursdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m. at SP

To sign up for online giving, go to:

<https://www.sacredheart-stpat.org>

Click on the ONLINE GIVING button as shown here (top) which will bring you to the OSV online giving page. Click on the next ON LINE GIVING button (bottom) to set up an account.



Online Giving



THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR PARISH!

PARISH MINISTRIES

Dorothy Day Hospitality House:

Contact: Sally Archer, (203) 544-7150 or
sarcher@sacredheart-stpat.org

Our next delivery day is October 12!

Emergency Prayer Chain:

Contact: Susan Barnett, 203-834-7663

Knights of Columbus:

Contact: Tom Ryan, (203) 997-6362

Women's Guild:

Contact: Michele Grande by email at:
grandem@optonline.net

Women's Group:

Contact: Martha Radocy by email at:
radocy@gmail.com

Men's Ministry:

Contact: Ed Burke, (203) 227-4479 or
eburke4@optonline.net

Men's Prayer Group:

Contact: Tom Ryan, (203) 997-6362



PARISH YOUTH CHOIR

ATTENTION: STUDENTS IN GRADES 5 –12

Do you like to sing?

Consider joining our YOUTH CHOIR!

Scheduled to start on October 23rd, the youth choir will sing the hymns, psalms and acclamations of the Mass for our new parish Mass.

This is a great way to grow in faith, learn more about the mysteries of the liturgy, serve our Lord and parish and have FUN!

For additional information or to sign-up,
contact Greg Czerkawski at:
gczerkawski@pobox.com.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism:

Please call the parish office to schedule.

Reconciliation:

Saturdays as scheduled below or by appointment.

Sacred Heart: 3:00-3:45 p.m.

St. Patrick: 4:30-5:15 p.m.*

(* Please note the time change, effective on 9/17.)

Marriage:

Please call the parish office to schedule.

Arrangements must be made eight months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick:

Please notify the parish office if you, or someone you know, would like to receive this sacrament or if you would like Father to visit and bring you Communion.

Are you interested in preparing for the Sacraments of First Communion, First Reconciliation or Confirmation? Please call the parish office for next steps.



Off The Streets is a volunteer-based organization that works with local social services to get the homeless in our area into housing.

We provide security deposits, furniture, household goods and gift certificates to people who want to move **off the streets**.

Volunteers are needed to help in this important effort.
Following are a few ways you can support **Off The Streets** in Danbury:

- ✓ Donate and/or deliver furniture and household items
- ✓ Assemble welcome baskets for clients
- ✓ Make a monetary contribution for a security deposit or new bed

For more information, contact us at:
otsdanburymr@gmail.com.

This month we are focusing on collecting furniture items!

To find out what items are needed, go to:
otsdanbury.com. Click on the DONATE FURNITURE tab.

BACK TO SCHOOL

We expect a lot of children these days—in and out of the classroom. Do we have the same expectations of ourselves when it comes to learning and practicing our faith?

With the start of our religious education term just around the corner, I have extracted questions from the S.A.T. (Spiritual Aptitude Test) created by Mr. Noel J. Augustine as a theoretical "final" exam for eighth graders graduating from Catholic grammar school.

I invite all adults (and students in our 7th and 8th grade) to test their religious literacy. I hope you enjoy this fun exercise.

Stay tuned for answers in next week's bulletin!

1. One of the prayers at Mass refers to this man as "our father in faith." Both Jews and Arabs regard him as their ancestor. Jews, Christians, and Muslims all consider him to be their spiritual father. Name this patriarch.
2. This patriarch and his wife, Sarah, had a son in their old age. God tested the father by asking him to sacrifice this son but stopped him from doing so at the last minute. Name the son.
3. Years later, this son and his wife, Rebekah, had a son who was to be the father of what became the Twelve Tribes of Israel. Who was he? (Hint: "Israel" was the name later given to him by God. He had a brother named Esau.)
4. We all know that Moses led the Hebrews (Israelites) out of Egypt in what is called the Exodus. How did the Hebrews come to live in Egypt hundreds of years earlier?
5. Moses received the Ten Commandments on Mt. Sinai. List the Ten Commandments.
6. Apart from the Ten Commandments, there are the Two Great Commandments. State them.
7. What is the connection between the Two Great Commandments and the Ten Commandments?
8. What is the "Golden Rule."
9. Saul was the first king of Israel. Who was the second? (Hint: He is considered the most important of the Jewish kings, and as a boy he was a shepherd.)
10. After the first reading at Mass we recite or sing prayers and hymns, some of which are very old, so old they are said to have been written by Solomon's father. What do we call these prayers and hymns?
11. There are three books in the Old Testament named after women. Name one of them.
12. Who is Job?
13. In speaking of the Old Testament, we hear the phrase "the Law and the Prophets." Name one of the Old Testament prophets.
14. What are "the Maccabees?"

15. The first four books of the New Testament are the Gospels; their authors are called the Evangelists. Name the four Evangelists.
16. What is/was "the Annunciation"?
17. What is/was "the Visitation"?
18. We all know what we celebrate on the feast of the Nativity (which is also called Christmas), but what do we celebrate on the feast of the Epiphany (which is also called the 12th day of Christmas)?
19. Who is John the Baptist?
20. Lent has forty days, just as a particular episode in the life of Jesus had forty days, before He began His public ministry. What was this episode?
21. Fill in the blank: One of the most famous of Jesus' teachings is called the Sermon on the _____.
22. Jesus taught us to pray what we often call the "Our Father." There is a more formal name for this prayer. What is it?
23. What is "the Transfiguration"?
24. Bethany is the name of a village near Jerusalem. (There is another Bethany "across the Jordan," where John the Baptist was baptizing.) Martha and Mary, who were friends of Jesus, lived in Bethany with their brother. Name their brother and tell why he is important.
25. What is "Palm Sunday" all about?
26. Why is "the Passion," from the Gospels, read at Mass on Palm Sunday?
27. Name the person who was forced to help Jesus carry His cross. (Hint: He is remembered in one of the Stations of the Cross.)
28. What is/was "the Upper Room"?
29. Golgotha is the Hebrew name for the hill near Jerusalem where Jesus was crucified. This place is also known by another name. What is that name?
30. Who was Nicodemus?
31. Jesus' first appearance after His Resurrection was to a woman. Name her.
32. There is a phrase in common usage even today that contains the name of one of the Apostles. Fill in the blank: "Doubting _____." What did this Apostle doubt?
33. Who is called "the Prince of the Apostles"?
34. The last appearance of Jesus to His Apostles after His Resurrection is commemorated annually by a Holy Day of Obligation 40 days after Easter (or on the seventh Sunday of Easter). It is called

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"the Solemnity of the _____.

35. Fifty days after the Passover, Jews celebrate God's giving the Ten Commandments to Moses; fifty days after Easter, Christians celebrate God's giving the Holy Spirit to the Apostles and Mary. What is the name of this Christian feast?

36. Before he became a great missionary, St. Paul was a great persecutor of the early Church. He guarded the cloaks of the men who stoned to death the man we call the first martyr. Name this first martyr.

37. St. Paul wrote many letters (the Greek word for letters is Epistles) to early Christians and their communities in the Mediterranean world. In a letter to those at Corinth, a city in Greece, he described what we call "the Three Theological Virtues." The third of these, which is "charity" or "love," Paul called "the greatest." What are the other two?

38. For much of the first three centuries of her history, the Church suffered persecution. Many Christians were martyred and often Christians couldn't worship in public. Then, in the early part of the fourth century, an emperor ended the persecutions. Name him. (Hint: He named the eastern capital of the empire after himself, it was formerly called Byzantium and is called Istanbul today.)

39. Name the Seven Sacraments.

40. Which sacrament does every Christian receive?

41. Name the Corporal Works of Mercy (there are seven).

42. Pick one of the Six Precepts of the Church and tell why you think it is especially important.

43. "Pride" is often called the worst of the Seven Deadly Sins. Pick another one of the seven and tell why you think it is especially "deadly."

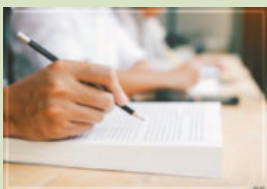
44. A prayer that has been popular since the Middle Ages is called "the Rosary." It now traditionally consists of 15 "decades" where we think about certain "mysteries" in the lives of Our Lord and Our Lady. These mysteries are in three groups of five. What are the three groups of mysteries?

45. Name a Holy Day of Obligation (besides Christmas or Easter).

46. In what continent is the Holy Land? A. Europe, B. Asia, C. Africa, D. Australia.

47. The Church has four signs or "marks." The Church is (fill in the blanks): One, _____, Catholic, and _____.

48. Why did God make you?



Fr. Walsh

MASS SCHEDULE

Please note new days and times

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday and Wednesday 8:30a.m. at SP ♣

Tuesdays and Thursdays 8:30a.m. at SH ♥

Wednesday 6p.m. SH (Latin Mass-SH Guild) ♥

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 4:00p.m. at Sacred Heart ♥

(confessions from 3-3:45p.m.)

5:30*p.m. at St. Patrick ♣

(confessions from 4:30-5:15p.m.)*

*** Starting THIS WEEKEND (September 17th)**

Sunday: 8:30a.m. and 10:30a.m. at SP ♣

9:00a.m. and 10:30a.m. at SH ♥

12:00p.m. at SH (Latin Mass-SH Guild)

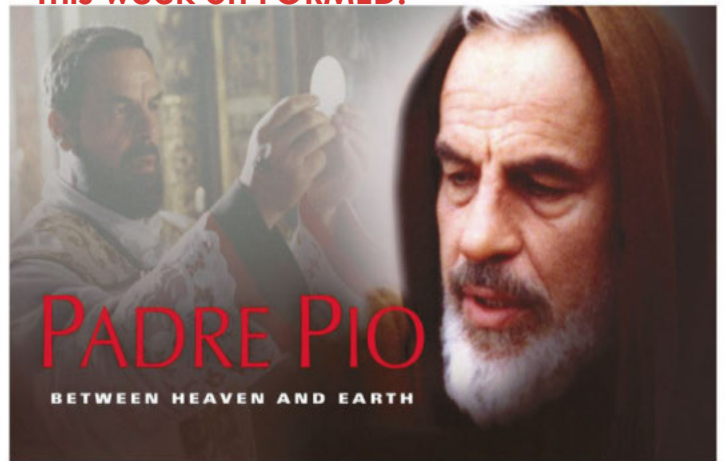
NEW: 5:00p.m. at SP starting on October 23rd

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Religious Education 4-1-1

REMINDER: Religious Education Classes Begin
THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20



Grades 1 through 4

Tuesdays: 3:15—4:00 p.m.

Grades 5 through 8*

Tuesdays: 4:30—5:30 p.m.

DO YOU NEED A RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION FORM?

Forms are available: ● In the vestibule of each church
● Online (www.sacredheart-stpat.org)
● At the parish office (or call us!)



ATTENTION: CONFIRMANDS

Following are the remaining Confirmation
preparation meetings

**9/24 (NEXT WEEKEND),
10/1, 10/15 and 10/22**

Meetings will begin with Mass at 5:30pm*
and conclude at 8:00pm

**Please note the time change for Mass*



If you have not yet had your interview with Fr. Walsh,
please call the office to schedule.

CHECK THIS OUT!

Family altars are replacing the TV as a focal point in many Catholic homes. The sample pictured here (on the right), provides a spiritual “resting place”—a place to gather individually or as a family for quiet prayer, to say the rosary, or to ask for guidance. As family members pass by it during the day, it can help keep Christ in our thoughts and in our busy lives.

Family Altar “starter kits,” including information on how to set yours up, will be available at the **Religious Education Parent Meeting on 9/18.**

Please pray for the recently deceased
of our parish:



Jeanne Chmiel Roberts

Donna Jay McDonough



**We are pleased to welcome
our newly Baptized parishioner:**

Penelope Joan Smith

Parents: Brian and Amanda Muñoz Smith

Edward Arthur Ackerlund

Parents: Emmett and Victoria
McCaffrey Ackerlund

Mason William and

Ava Sophia Jordan

Parents: William and Dominique Barcia Jordan



Sacred Heart and St. Patrick Parish	
2022 Bishop's Appeal	
ABA Goal:	\$78,600
Total pledged:	50,610 or 64 % of goal
Donors to date:	109 donors
 <p>To make a gift, or for more information, contact us at:</p> <p>Online: 2022BishopsAppeal.org Call: (203) 416-1470 Scan: QR code with your phone.</p>	

September 3-4, 2022 Offertory

Weekly parish offertory goal:	\$ 7,400.00
In-church collection/mail:	\$ 3,434.00
Online offertory:	\$ 1,837.00
TOTAL weekly collection:	\$ 5,271.00 \$ 2,129.00
LAST YEAR (2021):	\$ 8,018.00

September 10-11, 2022 Offertory

Weekly parish offertory goal:	\$ 7,400.00
In-church collection/mail:	\$3,840.00
Online offertory:	\$ 1,752.00
TOTAL weekly collection:	\$ 5,592.00 \$ 1,808.00
LAST YEAR (2021):	\$ 6,945.00

**Next Sunday,
September 25, 2022**



UPCOMING EVENTS



SAVE THE DATE

SUNDAY, October 16, 2022

(on the feast of St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, the French nun recognized for her devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus)

**Join us for faith, fellowship, food
and fun—for the whole family!**

We fire up the grill at noon!

Volunteers needed!

**Contact Sally Archer to volunteer at:
sarcher@sacredheart-stpat.org.**

Heart to Heart
the light shines in the darkness



EUCCHARISTIC RENEWAL

Adoration • Confession • Preaching
Praise & Worship • Intercessory Prayer

SEASON SCHEDULE

Holy Name of Jesus (Stamford): Sep 24, Oct 29, Nov 19

St. Jude's (Monroe): Dec 17, Jan 28, Feb 25

Shrine Church (Bridgeport): Mar 25, Apr 22, May 13

visit www.jesusguild.org/revival for full details



