



Our Lady of La Salette Church Brooklyn, Connecticut

Saturday Vigil 4:00 PM
Sunday Mass 8:00 AM
11:00AM

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday 8:30 AM to 7:00 PM

Our Community is served By
Rev. Ben Vinjoe Administrator

Confessions:

Saturdays 3:15 to 3:45 PM

Baptisms and Marriages by Appointment.

A Catholic Community

Baptism Preparation Program...Please call the Rectory to register for the Preparatory Class and Baptism.

Wedding... Please call the Rectory at least six months prior to the wedding date, if not confirmed, one year.

Rectory Hours:

Monday and Thursday
8:30 AM to 1:00 PM
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**Our Lady of Lourdes
Mission Church
Hampton, Connecticut**
Sunday Mass 9:30A.M.



**Our Lady of La Salette
and
Our Lady of Lourdes**

P.O. Box 211 Brooklyn, CT 06234
Rectory: 860-774-6275

Mass Schedules

Our Lady of La Salette, Saturday, January 22, 2022

4:00 PM Living members of the Calfa & Alexander Families...
Victoria Chokshi

Our Lady of La Salette, Sunday, January 23, 2022

8:00 AM Sue Mailloux...Barbara Laliberte

11:00 AM Herman & Maria Koehl...Hans & Christina Koehl

11:00 AM Living & Deceased members of the Chokshi &
Martinez Families...Victoria Chokshi

Our Lady of La Salette, Tuesday, January 25, 2022

8:00 AM John & Josephine Pieshala...Judy Swayze

Our Lady of La Salette, Wednesday, January 26, 2022

8:00 AM Emil & Anne Rzeznikiewicz...Bruce & Linda Parsons

Our Lady of La Salette, Thursday, January 27, 2022

8:00 AM Rebecca Irene (living)...Nina Romero-Caron

Our Lady of La Salette, Friday, January 28, 2022

8:00 AM Sue Mailloux...Mark & Jeannie Mangano

Our Lady of La Salette, Saturday, January 29, 2022

4:00 PM Living & Deceased members of the Chokshi &
Martinez Families...Victoria Chokshi

Our Lady of La Salette, Sunday, January 30, 2022

8:00 AM Tricia (living) on Her Birthday...Her Mom

8:00 AM Special intention for Joseph Lapre (living)...The
Lapre Family

11:00 AM Living members of the Calfa & Alexander Families...
Victoria Chokshi

Our Lady of Lourdes, Sunday, January 23, 2022

9:30 AM John & Virginia Klutchka...Karen Marler

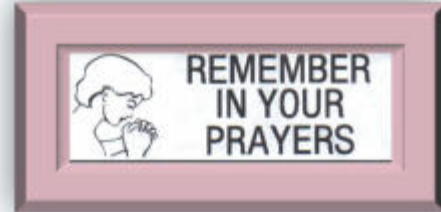
Our Lady of Lourdes, Sunday, January 30, 2022

9:30 AM Duska Anne Meister Waite...Her Parents, Jack &
Dawn Meister

**Our Lady of La Salette and Our Lady of Lourdes
Sunday, January 16, 2022**

Weekly Collection.....\$1,931.00
Fuel Collection.....\$523.00

Second Collection:



Cecile Trahan, Mary Lyn Long, James Stevens, Val Cooke, Leslie Round, Bill Harlow, Joe Fretto, James Sherrin Sr., Jennifer Eric Evans, Ruth Brodeur, Ruth Langlais, Ryan Battersby, Cheryl Houlihan, Gus Burke, Barbara Bourque, Rita Rainville, Nancy Wildowsky, Nancy Mahneke, Pauline Crahan, Loretta Daigneault, Monique Wolanin, "Chick" Dello Russo, Sheldon Bryer, Amelia Gallegos, Rita Lajoie, Nikki R, Georgette Cote, Elaine Gingras, Ann Morris, Lester Hull, Judy Ahart, Suzanne Kirchner, Pierre Emond, Samantha Charette, Isabella Siwko, Ruth Bonneau, Kevin Collins, Geoff Sorrow, Beatrice Rioux, Douglas Wooding, Addie Coderre Ken Rossi, Rick Ahart, Emmanuel Kreimes Family, Joseph Karban.

✠✠✠WELCOME✠✠✠

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church,
No matter what your current family or marital situation,
No matter what your past or present religious affiliation,
No matter what your personal history, background,
race or other,
No matter what your own self-image or esteem,
You are Invited, Welcomed, Accepted,
Loved and Respected,
**Here at Our Lady of La Salette and
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish.**

****2021 Donation Statements are now available****

If you are in need of a statement of your donations to the parish in 2021 for tax purposes, please contact Barbara at the rectory at 860-774-6275, or drop a note in the collection basket.

Online Giving...

Please consider participating in our online giving program. To get started, log on to parishgiving.org, click on the "New member Sign Up" button and follow the easy registration instructions. Use the church's zip code, 06234. Have QUESTIONS? Call 1-866-307-7140

Weekly Readings for the week of January 23:

- ◇ Sunday, Jan 23: 1st reading—Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; 2^{ns} reading—1 Corinthians 12:12-30; Gospel—Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21.
- ◇ Monday, Jan 24: 1st reading—2 Samuel 5:1-7, 10;; Gospel—Mark 3:22-30.
- ◇ Tuesday, Jan 25: 1st reading—Acts of the Apostles 22:3-16; Gospel—Mark 16:15-18.
- ◇ Wednesday, Jan 26: 1st reading—2 Timothy 1:1-8; Gospel—Mark 4:1-20.
- ◇ Thursday, Jan 27: 1st reading—2 Samuel 7:18-19, 24-29; Gospel—Mark 4:21-25.
- ◇ Friday, Jan 28: 1st reading—2 Samuel 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Gospel—Mark 4:26-34.
- ◇ Saturday, Jan 29: 1st reading—2 Samuel 12:1-7a, 10-17; Gospel—Mark 4:35-41.

"Called to Holiness" Silent Retreat: January 28-30, 2022

The Immaculate Conception Center in Putnam is pleased to offer a retreat for Catholics seeking to renew and deepen their faith. The "Called to Holiness" silent retreat weekend provides participants with an opportunity to encounter the Lord's presence in an atmosphere of contemplation and prayer. Reflections and Scriptural meditations will be offered by a team of lay and religious retreat guides. Spiritual direction will be available throughout the weekend for those who desire it. The cost of the retreat is \$160 per person (\$80 for commuters). Space is limited. Call 860-928-7955 or visit immaculate-conceptioncenter.org to secure your reservation.

Virtual Marriage Enrichment...

For Valentine's Day this year, give your spouse the gift of your time and re-energize your marriage by attending a virtual enrichment entitled The Joy of Love on Saturday, February 12 from 10 am to 2 pm. Based on Chapter 4 of Pope Francis' *Amoris Laetitia: the Joy of Love*, the enrichment will feature four talks on Daily Love, Conjugal Love, Passionate Love and Transformation of Love. Each talk will include practical insights from Pope Francis' wisdom on marriage and family life. This enrichment is for married couples of all ages and years married. There is a \$15 fee that covers workbooks for each couple. Registration and payment are due by Feb. 1. The program takes place online and requires participants to have an internet connection. To register, send your names, address, telephone number, email address and check made payable to the Annual Catholic Appeal to Mary-Jo McLaughlin, Catholic Family Services, 199 Broadway, Norwich, CT 06260 or call her at 860-848-2237, ext. 312, or email her at mmclaughlin@norwichdiocese.net

Coping with Life Alone...

Beginning Experience of the Hudson Valley invites men and women of all ages who have suffered the loss of a spouse due to death, divorce or separation to a multi-session remote program: Coping with Life Alone. Take the first step on the road to recovery from one of life's most traumatic experiences. Program begins Sunday, January 30, 2022 at 1 PM. Remote Attendance Only. Registration required: call Denise at 845-325-3147 or Victoria at 860-993-5469. Email: beginningexperienceofhv@gmail.com. Website: www.beginningexperiencehv.org.

Reflections for January 23

"Go, eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared..." (Nehemiah 8:10)

Ezra's instructions to the people show us that God does not forbid us from enjoying the good things in life. He wants us to be happy! However, God expects us to be grateful for all that He has given us and to generously share our blessings with those who are in need. Now here's the hard part to share all we have without expecting anything in return.

Prayer for January...As we start a new year, with hopes of a fresh start and improvements in our lives, we are asked to pray for our priests and religious. Our priests give us a fresh start every time we receive the sacrament of reconciliation, improve our spiritual health by offering the holy sacrifice of the mass and providing the Holy Eucharist to strengthen us. The religious teach our children, administer to the sick and homebound, and pray for all of us. Let us ask the newborn Son of God and His Holy Family to guide and protect them as they perform their ministries.

Handmade scarves needed...

To our gifted and talented Knitters of the Norwich Diocese, please join the Office of Faith Events in reaching out to the community during the cold winter months by donating handmade scarves. Whatever you could do to help support our new "**Street Ministry**" to the poor would be greatly appreciated. Donations can be brought or sent to the Bishop Flanagan Ministry Center, 199 Broadway, Norwich, CT 06360. We will be accepting donations until February 28. Thank you so much for donating your time and talent! Questions? Contact Marianne at 860-848-2237, ext. 304 or manicholas@norwichdiocese.net.

Save the Date—Norwich Diocesan Women's Conference

Please save the date and join us March 26, 2022 for the Virtual Spring Norwich Diocesan Women's Conference. Keynote speaker, author and certified spiritual director Liz Kelly will present ideas from her book *Love Like A Saint*. The morning will also include a message from Bishop Cote, the naming of this year's Our Lady Queen of Hope Award recipient and much more, all from the comfort of your own home! For more information, please contact the Office of Faith Events at 860-848-2237, or manicholas@norwichdiocese.net.

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