# **Church of the Resurrection**

115 Pond Hill Road Wallingford, CT 06492

## Parish Staff

Pastor Rev. Monsignor John J. Georgia

**Priest in Residence** Rev. Hugh J. MacDonald, Retired

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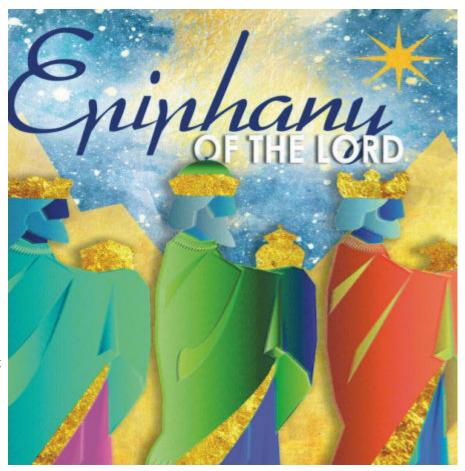
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Bulletin announcements must be received at least two weeks prior to the event.



Church Telephone: (203) 265-1694 Church Fax: (203) 284-9766 Church Office Hours: M - F 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Website: <u>www.resurrectionct.org</u>



<u>Mass Schedule</u> Saturday Vigil: 5:00 P.M Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 A.M Weekday: 7:00 A.M.(8:00 A.M. on holidays) Saturday: 8:00 A.M.

> Confessions: Saturdays: 4:00–4:45 P.M. Rosary Weekdays: 6:30 A.M.

Baptisms: First Sunday of the month at 12:00 P.M. by appointment only.

Marriages: Parishioners should make arrangements by calling the church six months in advance.

Ministry to the Sick or Homebound: Please call the church if you or someone you know is ill or homebound and wishes to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation, Eucharist, and/or Anointing of the Sick.

Eucharistic Adoration: Adoration will be every Saturday at 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. All are welcome.

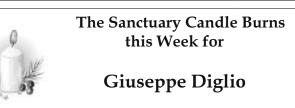
### CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION, WALLINGFORD, CT.



Saturday, Jan. 1 10:00 p.m. Happy & Healthy New Year Sunday, Jan. 2 7:30 a.m. Fr. John Giuliani 9:00 a.m. Louis Troccolo 10:30 a.m. Frank Balletto, Marie & Ralph Notaro Monday, Jan. 3 7:00 a.m. All Living Parishioners Tuesday, Jan. 4 7:00 a.m. Safety of Travelers Wednesday, Jan. 5 7:00 a.m. Janet Foucault Henson Thursday, Jan. 6 7:00 a.m. All Newborn Babies Friday, Jan. 7 7:00 p.m. All First Responders Saturday, Jan.8 8:00 a.m. John Albanese 5:00 p.m. Donald Bazzini & Deceased **Family Members** Sunday, Jan. 9

7:30 a.m. All Deceased During 2021 9:00 a.m. Barbara Miranda 10:30 a.m. John Leahy

**Bequests to Church of the Resurrection** are gratefully appreciated. When a loved one dies, please consider advising friends and relatives to make a donation to the Church of the Resurrection Building Fund. Please include this wish in the obituary.



# **Annual Collection**

Thank you to all that participated in the Annual Collection. Total Amount Pledged-\$91,737.00 Total amount Collected-\$91,147.00



hey were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrth. = No. 2010011

#### PARISH UPDATE

Our warmest welcome to all who worship with our parish family. If you are not registered or need to update our records, please **PRINT** & fill out this form and place it in the collection basket. Thank you.

Name\_\_\_\_\_D.O.B\_\_\_\_

Spouse & maiden\_\_\_\_\_D.O.B.\_\_\_\_

Children's Names\_\_\_\_\_ (under 18) With D.O.B.

Street\_\_\_\_\_City\_\_\_\_

Zip\_\_\_\_\_ Phone\_\_\_\_\_

Please check:

\_\_\_New Registration \_\_\_\_Change of Address

\_\_\_\_Would like Envelopes \_\_\_\_\_Moving

Email address:\_\_\_\_\_





Dec. 12th\$12,211.70Monthly\$2,855.00Dec. 19th\$11,605.30Christmas\$ 14,168.00

To sign-up for online giving visit resurrectionct.weshareonline.org.

# *JANUARY 2, 2022*



Campaign Statistics Total amount pledged: \$1,979,807.81 Total amount paid: \$1,868,047.81



SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY

This week's special needs: Canned Yams, Salad Dressing, Snacks for School, Turkey Gravy, Canned Mixed Vegetables, Canned Fruit, Jarred Sauce,

Cranberry Sauce, Coffee, Tea, Maple Syrup, Canned Pasta, Jelly, Laundry & Dish Detergent, Hot Chocolate, Dish Soap, All Beans, Beets, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Hair Shampoo & Conditioner.

#### Gift cards are always appreciated, including Aldi, ShopRite, Stop & Shop & Big Y.

Next pickup January 16<sup>th</sup> Please place items in the baskets provided in the vestibule.



### Moving Forward...

A group has been formed for those who are alone and would like to move forward after suffering a

loss. Both men and women are welcome to join and bring your thoughts and ideas of how this group can help you. For more information, call Francine Madar at 203-269-5342





A New Year's Prayer Lord, You make all things new. You bring hope alive in our hearts and cause our Spirits to be born again. Thank you for this new year for all the potential it holds. Come and kindle in us a mighty flame So that in our time, many will see the wonders of God and live forever to praise your glorious name. Amen





A huge thank you to each of you who had a helping hand in the Woman's Club Annual Christmas Bake Sale. Thank you to all the bakers, packers,

sales teams and to all the warm generous patrons who purchased our home baked goodies.

The proceeds, in the amount of \$1,500 will go towards the new parish center.



Thank you, also to ALL who made our Christmas celebrations so beautiful and special. We thank our decorating committee, the members of the music ministry, our lectors, altar servers, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, and all who took part in the celebrations.

We are so grateful to all of you.



# EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



For everything there is a Reason and a Time for every Purpose under Heaven...A Time to heal....

Betsey Bimonte, Rose Bohem, John Boni, Ros Brennan, Michelle Ciarlelli, Wladyslay Czauderna, Kathleen Delaney, Charlie Donadio, Jason Ferraro, Kathryn Flood, Maria Fucci, John & Catherine Gallagher, John Guida, Charles Kelman, August King, Bob Nicoletti, Mike Maratea, Ginny Murphy, Rose Perrotti, Debbie Sokol, Diane Tommessilli.

and all other parishioners who need our prayers.

#### PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS



 Alex Bates, Jake Bonet, Kyle Bonet, Capt. Michael Cook, Capt. Joseph DeSandre, Stephen Dzialo, Lt. William Gurzynski, Jack Humowitz, SPC Cooper Jones, Anthony Mappa, Sgt. Brad Milslagle, Michael Neeleon, RDML Cathal O'Connor,
Capt. Cormac O'Connor, Joseph R. Personeni, 1<sup>st.</sup> Lt. Ryan Proto, SPC Noah Robert Root, Erik St. Germain, Jeremy Tefft.

May we pray for your daughter, son, relative or friend serving with the United States Military? If so, please put their name in the collection basket or mail to the church office, also remind us when they are home safely.

#### Winter Solstice

The Winter Solstice, also known as Yule, is one of the oldest winter celebrations in the world. It

simultaneously celebrates the shortest day of the year, midwinter, the return of the Sun, and a festival of rebirth. Solstice derives from the Latin "sol," denoting sun and sister, meaning "to stop, or to stand still." Thus, the Winter Solstice is the day of the "Standing-Still Sun," for on this day

the sun appears to stand still in the sky. Although it is the longest night, it is also the turning point of the year. Following this night, the sun grows stronger in the sky, and the days

gradually become longer once more. Winter Solstice is when the new light is born out of the womb of winter. Solstices "are a chance to still ourselves inside, to behold the glory of the cosmos, and to take a breath with the Sacred."

Our world is one of endless light. We can transcend the darkness with electric light, losing a sense of balance and the gifts that might emerge from the darkness. We have been in the weeks of Advent when our Christian tradition invites us to enter the darkness and ponder the incarnation, the light of the world. We are called to be attentive to the mystery of this God among us.



In the vestibule of the church is a **Prayer Box.** Parishioners are invited to place a prayer request in the box. This should be done anonymously. Members of the Prayer Team will pray for your requests throughout the week.

The power of prayer is a wonderful gift of faith that God has given to each of us. Prayer gives us hope, encouragement, healing, support, comfort and guidance. If you would like to be part of the Prayer Team or would like information, please call the rectory office at 203-265-1694.



# *JANUARY 2, 2022*



#### **Readings for the week of January 02, 2022** Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf.11]/Eph 3:2-

Sunday: 1s 00.1-0718 72.1-2, 7-6, 10-11, 12-13 [c1.11]/Epi 3.2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12 Monday:1 Jn 3:22—4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25 Tuesday:1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mk 6:34-44 Wednesday:1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mk 6:45-52 Thursday:1 Jn 4:19—5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17/Lk 4:14-22a Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 5:12-16 Saturday:1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b/Jn 3:22-30 Next Sunday: 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22 or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church Monday: The Most Holy Name of Jesus Tuesday: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious Wednesday: St. John Neumann, Bishop Thursday: St. André Bessette, Religious Friday: St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest Next Sunday: The Baptism of the Lord



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**CLASS SCHEDULE** 

Grades 1 & 2 Monday, Jan.  $3^{rd}$  4:45-5:45 Grades 3 & 4 Tuesday, Jan.  $4^{th}$  4:45-5:45 Grades 5 & 6 Monday, Jan.  $3^{rd}$  6:00-7:00 Grades 7 & 8 Sunday, Jan.  $9^{th}$  6:00-7:00

#### HOMESCHOOL FAITH FORMATION

Second quarter assignments due back by January 16<sup>th</sup>



Next Session: Confirmation Retreat: Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> 11:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

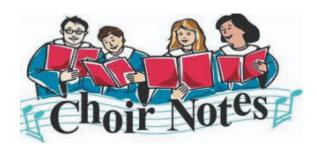


**Rehearsal Schedule** 

Bell Choir Rehearsal - Monday 7:00-8:15 p.m.

Adult Choir Rehearsal -Thursday 7:00-8:15 p.m.

Children's Choir- Sunday mornings at the 9:00 Mass.





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