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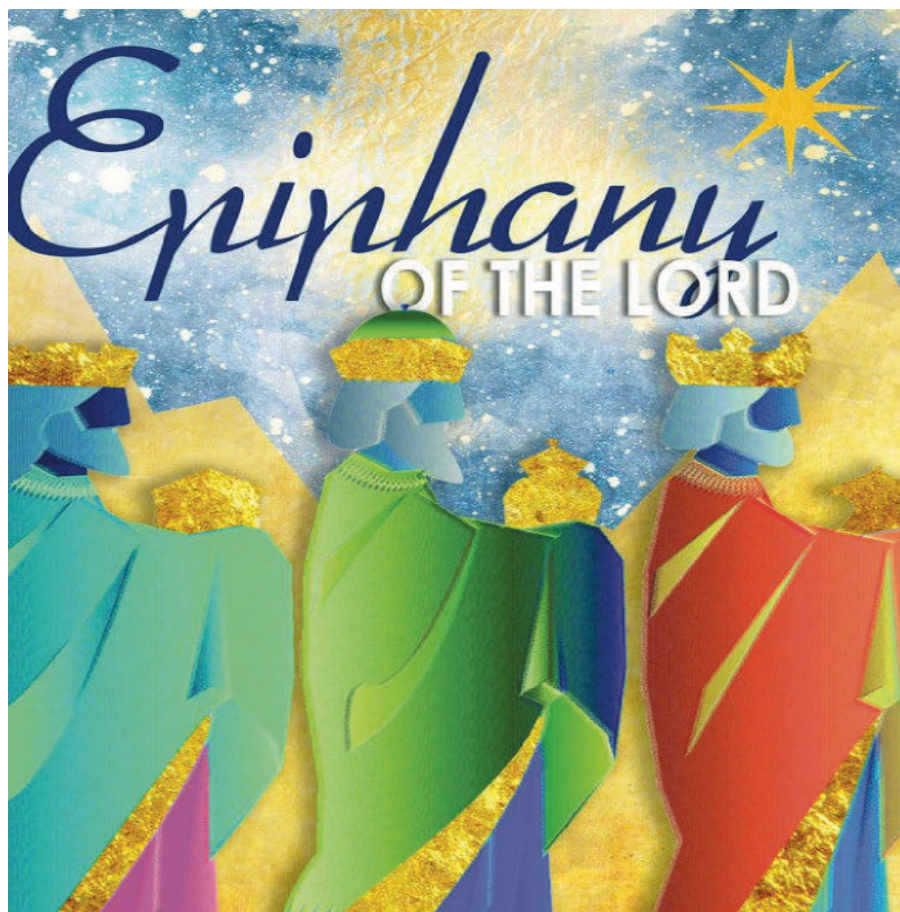
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## Mass Schedule

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.

## CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION, WALLINGFORD, CT.



Saturday, Jan. 7

5:00 p.m. Donald Bazzini & Bazzini Family

Sunday, Jan. 8

7:30 a.m. Joseph DeLucia

9:00 a.m. Rafael Plascenia

10:30 a.m. William (Bill) Bartlett

Monday, Jan. 9

7:00 a.m. Theresa Perrelli

Tuesday, Jan. 10

7:00 a.m. Special Intention

Wednesday, Jan. 11

7:00 a.m. San Leucio Society

Thursday, Jan. 12

7:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Daly

Family

Friday, Jan. 13

7:00 a.m. Maud & John O'Connor, Mary &  
George Fiondella & Dorothy Dennis

Saturday, Jan. 14

8:00 a.m. Deborah Tierney

5:00 p.m. Robert Barbato

Sunday, Jan. 15

7:30 a.m. Teresa Menzyk

9:00 a.m. Anne D'Agostino

10:30 a.m. Terenzi & Mattioli Families



*They 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 myrrh. — Mt 2:10-11*

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### 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)

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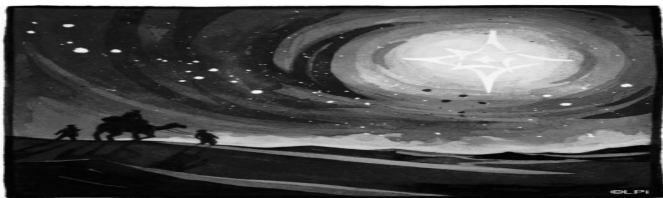
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\_\_\_\_ New Registration \_\_\_\_ Change of Address

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**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.



The Sanctuary Candle burns this week for

**Kristin T. Vollero**

### Parish Support

January 1<sup>st</sup> \$13,971.00  
Second Collection-Monthly  
Thank you for your generosity!



To sign-up for online giving visit  
[resurrectionct.weshareonline.org](http://resurrectionct.weshareonline.org).

**JANUARY 8, 2023**



### **Campaign Statistics**

Total amount pledged: **\$1,991,548.92**

Total amount paid: **\$1,902,938.92**



### ***SOCIAL MINISTRY***

Applesauce, Jelly, Peanut Butter, Coffee, Hot Cocoa, Cookies, Crackers, Mayo, Baked Beans, Salad Dressing, Mac & Cheese, Jarred Sauce, Cereals, Canned Fruit, Pancake Mix, Maple Syrup, Sugar & Flour, Pasta, Breakfast Bars, Vegetable Oil, Conditioner, Shampoo, Deodorant, Tissues, Paper Towels, Laundry Detergent.

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

**Next pick up –January 21<sup>st</sup>**

Thank you for your continued generosity!

**Mass continues to be live-streamed each Sunday on Facebook at 10:30 and uploaded to YouTube shortly thereafter.**

Our Sunday Mass can also be viewed on the Wallingford Public Access Channel 18 every Sunday at 6:00 p.m. & 9:30 p.m.

### **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



### **Health & Wellness Ministry**

As we enjoyed the hustle and bustle of the Christmas season please remember to take care of yourself! With that in mind, the Ministry volunteers will once again be offering a free blood pressure screening today from **8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon**. One of the volunteers will be in the church vestibule to guide you to a private space for you blood pressure check. We will provide you with a measurement in writing, resources if needed, and a wallet card where your serial blood pressures will be recorded. We recommend that you wear a mask. All equipment and chairs will be disinfected after each use. Please take advantage of this free screening.



Congratulations to the families of

**Hayes Matthew Pierce  
Alina Alexandria Wright  
Sofia Lorraine Wright**

All were recently Baptized at Resurrection.  
We welcome them to our parish family.



On the weekends of January 21/22 and January 28/29, Knights of Columbus Pinta Council #5 will be conducting their annual blanket and sock drive (new items only) to help needy individuals and families in our community. A large box will be placed in the church for donations. The box and all items will be removed on Sunday afternoon, January 29<sup>th</sup> or Monday morning, January 30<sup>th</sup> and taken to Master's Manna for distribution. Thank you for your participation in this project.

## EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



For everything there is a Reason and a Time for every Purpose under Heaven...A Time to heal....Laurie Bizzario, John Boni, Stacy Bouchard, Sherri Chambers, Michelle Ciarlelli, Pam Deveau, Charlie Donadio, Kathryn Flood, John & Catherine Gallagher, Infant William, John Guida, Chris J. Halla, Jack & Eileen Herrle, Brenda Karsmarski, Betty Keyes, August King, Mike Maratea, Sameera Sharma Medlock, Charles Mello, David Murdock, Bob Nicoletti, Cheryl Perricone, Claudette Puig, Collin Reilly, Hillary Rivera, Anthony St. Germain, Thaddeus Wojcik IV and all other parishioners who need our prayers.

### PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

Alex Bates, Kyle Bonet, Caleb Crosby, Josh Crosby, Capt. Joseph DeSandre, Stephen Dzialo, Lt. William Gurzynski, Jack Humowitz, SPC Cooper Jones, Anthony Mappa, Sgt. Brad Milsagle, Chris Morales, 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, Quinn Sarro Twickler.

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.

**Please remind us when they are home safely.**



### Franciscan Hospice Care

#### A New Year. New Purpose. Would You Like to Be a Franciscan Hospice Care Volunteer?

Franciscan Home Care and Hospice Care, a faith-based home health care agency, Meriden, is seeking volunteers for its hospice care program. Becoming a *Franciscan Hospice Care Volunteer* is a rewarding opportunity to journey with someone in the latter portion of his/her life. Hospice care volunteers receive 16 hours of training that enables them to be present to others in a very special way supporting the individual and family through a difficult time. There is continuing education and support through monthly meetings as well as social events for the hospice volunteers throughout the year. Franciscan Hospice Care 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 Care Volunteer. Contact BJ Raby at [braby@franciscanhc.org](mailto:braby@franciscanhc.org) or 202-238-1441



The story of the Wise Men bringing gifts to Jesus, the newborn King, is a great one, isn't it? They had a great big star in the sky to lead the way. But, the important point here is that God led them to the manger. The manger was a place that unless God specifically showed you this was where the Christ Child was born you wouldn't have believed it. You would have passed on by.

In our lives, there are no big stars in the sky leading us where we need to go. It isn't so easy sometimes discerning where God is leading us. We may seek to use our gifts wisely, but in what manner and to what end is not always clear.

This is where prayer can make a huge difference. If we seek to cultivate a prayer life where we are mindful of the presence of God throughout our day, then the call is easier to discern. We can help the process by intentionally offering to God in the morning the entirety of the day to come: all our actions, all our time, and all our decisions. In the evening, we can examine the past hours of the day and reflect on when we responded well to Christ's call and when we fell short. Then we resolve to begin again tomorrow, inviting Christ to be with us every step of the way. God may not offer a star in the sky to lead us, but if we invite us on our journey each day, the path will be much clearer.



## **Readings** **Week** of the Year

### **Readings for the week of January 8, 2023**

Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (see 11)/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

Monday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Acts 10:34-38/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 (11b)/Mt 3:13-17

Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 1:21-28 or Heb 1:1-6 and 2:5-12/Mk 1:14-20 and 1:21-28

Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: Heb 3:7-14/Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11/Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: Heb 4:12-16/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord

Monday: The Baptism of the Lord

Friday: St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Next Sunday: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



## **Shake Rattle & Roll !! Southington Catholic School's 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Gala & Auction**

Friday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>

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To learn more and purchase tickets.

## **Faith Formation**

Grades 1 & 2 – Monday, Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> 4:45-5:45

Grades 3 & 4 – Tuesday, Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> 4:45 – 5:45

Grades 5 & 6 – Monday, Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> from 6-7:00 p.m.

Grades 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>

Next class will be on Sunday, February 5<sup>th</sup>  
6:00-7:00 p.m.

Home-school Students (Grades 1 – 6)

Packets for the second quarter are due back  
on January 15<sup>th</sup>



The next 9<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation session will be  
on February 5<sup>th</sup> 6:00-7:00 p.m.



### **Adult Choir**

Thursdays from 7:00-8:30 p.m.

### **Bell Choir**

Mondays from 7:00 -8:15 p.m.

### **Children's Liturgy of the Word & Choir**

9:00 a.m. Mass each week.



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