

Welcome!

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Confession

SUNDAYS: 2:00pm - 3:00pm
Drive through, in the parking lot.
TUESDAYS: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
In the McClinch Family Center

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

TUESDAYS: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
In the McClinch Family Center

Daily Mass:

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 7:30am
Open to the Public and
Livestreamed. Available
on-demand during the day.

Rosary:

Pray with us using the video on
our YouTube channel.

Sunday Mass:

SATURDAY VIGIL:
4:00pm, 7:15pm
SUNDAY MASS:
7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am
Livestreamed at 4:00pm Saturday.
Available on-demand thereafter.

New Parishioners: We warmly
welcome you, and invite you to register
in our parish community. Please call
our office at (203) 377-3133, ext. 10

Sacrament of Baptism:

Postponed until further notice, except
in case of emergency. Please call the
Parish Office at (203) 377-3133, x10.

Parish Office Hours:

Our Parish Office is closed to the
public, due to the Coronavirus
pandemic. We are checking voicemails
regularly and will return phone calls as
soon as possible.

Location: In Historic Nichols

220 Shelton Road
Trumbull, CT 06611
(203) 377-3133
www.stcathtrumbull.com
office@stcatherinetumbull.com

Connect With Us!

We are working diligently to bring as
many of our community's prayers to
you as possible:



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TheParishofStCatherineofSiena

The Parish of Saint Catherine of Siena



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: JULY 5, 2020

SAT, JULY 4: Mass: Livestreamed at 4:00pm, on demand thereafter

Father Joseph A. Marcello, Pastor

Father Philip G. Bochanski, In Residence

Deacon Patrick Toole, Deacon of the Parish

James J. Panullo: Director of Parish Operations, Ext. 11

**Dr. William H. Atwood: Director of Music and Coordinator of
Liturgical Ministries, Ext. 24**

Lindsay Tristine: Director of Religious Education, Ext. 22

Mary Ellen Kovacs: Director of Pastoral Care, Ext. 19

Ellen Moran: Administrative Assistant to the Pastor, Ext. 10

Nancy Lucas: Safe Environments Coordinator

Kate Gombos: Coordinator of Communications

**Salvatore Spadaccino: Coordinator for Social Justice and
Charitable Outreach**

Louis B. Spina: Parish Custodian

**Rachel Ambrosio: Principal, St. Catherine of Siena School
(203) 375-1947**

John W. Diercksen: Chair, Parish Finance Council

Atty. Joseph R. Tristine: Chair, Pastoral Advisory Council

Kenneth M. Martin, Jr.: Lay Member of the Parish Corporation

Atty. Marian E. Whiteman: Lay Member of the Parish Corporation



MASS INTENTIONS & LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 5, 2020

Monday, July 6: **St. Maria Goretti**
7:30AM ✠ Living & Deceased Members of
The Rosary Group

Tuesday, July 7:
7:30AM *Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit
For the Intentions of
St. Catherine of Siena Parish*
6:00PM-8:00PM Confessions and Adoration,
in the McClinch Family Center

Wednesday, July 8:
7:30AM ✠ Marjorie Nelson Stawarsky

Thursday, July 9: **St. Augustine Zhao Rong
and Companions**
7:30AM ✠ Cynthia Dugas

Friday, July 10:
7:30AM ✠ Genevieve Salvio

Saturday, July 11: **THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME [Anticipated]**
4:00PM Our Parishioners (livestreamed)
7:15PM ✠ The Glovinski Family

Sunday, July 12: **THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**
7:30AM ✠ Lewis Anthony Moran
9:00AM ✠ Stanley Sliva
11:00AM ✠ Raymond & Maureen Walsh
2:00PM-3:00PM Confessions, *in the Parking Lot*

SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp,
which indicates and honors the Real Presence
of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist,
burns this week in memory of

Paula Palmieri



RESPECT LIFE

The white rose at the Shrine of the Blessed Virgin
Mary reminds us all to pray for an increased
respect for the gift of human life.
This week, it is offered in memory of

Helen & Anthony Molochko

*If you would like to offer a rose, please call Mary Ellen Kovacs,
Director of Pastoral Care, at (203) 377-3133, ext. 19.*



THE PARISH OF SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA WARMLY WELCOMES...

anyone who is new to our area, anyone who is
searching for the truth, or anyone who is looking
for a spiritual home. We are joyfully and faithfully
Roman Catholic in belief and
practice - a community of faith,
worship, service, and formation -
and with open hearts we invite all
our brothers and sisters into a living
and saving friendship with the Lord
Jesus Christ, in the communion of
His One, Holy, Catholic and
Apostolic Church.



*Please remember in your daily prayers all the sick of our
Parish and their caregivers, especially:*

Louisa Russo, Marlene Roberts, Beatrice Krafcik,
Evelyn DiLalla, Joseph Caselli, Walter Hilinski,
and George Bochanski.

*To add a name, contact Mary Ellen Kovacs,
Director of Pastoral Care: (203) 377-3133, ext. 19.*



*Please remember in your
prayers all those who are
working in healthcare in
the midst of this Corona-
virus pandemic, especially:*

**Nina Panullo, RN; Ed-
die Castillo, MD; Cos
Filiberto, MD; Amanda
Cook, RNA; Megan**

**Cook, RNA; Tim Cook, PA; Christopher Lucy, RN;
Kelley Watkins Oakes, RN; Lindsey Post, RN; Lindsey
Watkins, RN; Martha Hyland, RN; Stephanie Zavad-
sky, RN; Marie Spencer Lyttle, OT; Matthew Spencer,
BSRN; Meghan Curran, RN; Christine Tevolitz, LPN;
Keith O'Donnell, RN; Cathy Martinez, RN; Eileen
Palmer, RN; Kathy Bellucci, RN; Amy Richard, APRN;
Carol Collins BSN, RN, CCRN**

We pray for their health & safety, and that of their fami-
lies. We would like to list your family currently work-
ing in the healthcare industry in the bulletin. Kindly
email their name/s to support@stcatherinetrumbull.com

BAPTISM

The Parish of Saint Catherine of Siena
warmly congratulates the family of

John Clayton Allen V

who was Baptized in the Name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. We pray
that the grace of this Sacrament will bear abundant
fruit in his life and in the life of his family.



❧ A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR ❧

Statues of Saint Junípero Serra deserve to stay



*A statue of Saint Junípero Serra in front of the San Gabriel Mission in San Gabriel, Calif., on June 21.
(FREDERIC J. BROWN/AFP/GETTY IMAGES)*

Opinion by Salvatore Joseph Cordileone | *Washington Post* | June 30, 2020

Salvatore Joseph Cordileone is the archbishop of San Francisco.

To the protesters who tore down his statue in Los Angeles this month, the priest, friar and saint Junípero Serra represents “hate, bigotry and colonization,” as one activist put it.

Nothing would have made Serra sadder, for the real man was a profound lover of all people and especially of the indigenous peoples he came to serve. Seen through the lens of the present, many heroes of history may seem unworthy of their pedestals. But some, such as Serra, still deserve our esteem. Who, then, is Junípero Serra after all?

First and foremost, Serra represents the true spirit of a church identified with the poor and outcast. He left his home, his family, his sinecure as a philosophy professor to offer the very best thing he had to the California people: the news that God Himself loved them enough to send His only Son to die on a cross to redeem them. Saint Junípero Serra is “the Apostle of California.”

Serra repeatedly intervened for mercy on behalf of indigenous rebels against Spanish authorities. He famously walked to Mexico City with a painful ulcerated leg to obtain the authority to discipline the military who were abusing the indigenous people. Then he walked back.

And his legacy lives on. The 21 missions founded by Serra and his brother Franciscans are the state’s

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR, *Continued*

oldest structures and among its most visited historic monuments. The churches are a physical sign of the Catholic Church's respect for local cultures, enriched and transformed by the love of Jesus Christ. Mission architecture is widely copied precisely because its innovation speaks so strikingly to South-western culture.

There is no denying that Native Americans in California endured grave human rights abuses. They suffered wrongs during all three eras: the Spanish colonization (known as the Mission era), the Mexican secularization and the American era.

But Serra should not bear the weight of all that went wrong and all who did wrong. If we looked at him with clear eyes, we would see Serra as one of the first American champions of the human rights of indigenous peoples, a man who protested abusive police powers by government authorities.

The deaths that occurred during the Mission era were primarily from disease. The greater, more deliberate devastation happened later, when secular governments took control. As UCLA historian Benjamin Madley writes in his book "American Genocide": "Murders and massacres filled the archives."

As Santa Clara University historian Robert Senkewicz told the National Catholic Reporter, "We do know what did happen when religious groups were not present to try to protect native peoples." The genocide of native peoples happened primarily during the gold rush, he points out, "when Americans offered bounties for Indian scalps and the native peoples of Northern California were brutally decimated and oppressed."

History is often not kind to heroes. George Washington sacrificed to found a great country. He also owned slaves he freed only upon his death. Leland Stanford, founder of a great university, was an abolitionist but also continued genocidal policies against the Indians. Haight-Ashbury, the San Francisco symbol of free love, is named after Henry Haight, who in 1867 called the Chinese a "servile, effeminate and inferior race" that would "pollute and desecrate" Americans' democratic heritage. He was elected governor of California in a landslide.

We are not yet a nation that lives up to our founding creed of liberty and justice for all. We can and must do better. That is precisely why we ought to look to Serra as an inspiration to heroic virtue and as an emblem of American diversity. His is the path to peace, equality and racial justice.

The first Hispanic American saint, he is also the first saint to be canonized on U.S. soil and by the first pope from the Americas. At the canonization ceremony, Pope Francis said Serra represents a fearless willingness to engage with the other with the love of Christ: "He learned how to bring to birth and nurture God's life in the faces of everyone he met; he made them his brothers and sisters."

Father Junípero Serra died a beloved figure, mourned by indigenous people and Spaniards alike: a symbol of reconciliation, of hope and of the profound love he bore toward the people he strove to serve. His life reminds us of a core tenet of the Catholic faith: that the spirit of poverty, service and simplicity is the way to peace.



Save the Dates!

August 6, 2020

FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

Mass: 5:30pm

Immediately followed by a Eucharistic Procession
in the streets of Nichols to the NIA Green

"We live in such a visual culture. So a procession, with its candles, incense, and servers - with Our Lord in the monstrance, and so many of our parishioners and friends of all ages taking part - this helps to bring home to all of us that the Eucharist is the source and summit of our Catholic faith."

-FATHER MARCELLO

August 15, 2020

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Mass: Saturday, August 15, 8:00am and 10:00am (with music)

Please remember in your prayers the family & friends of our
Parish serving active duty in the military, especially:

Eli Bair, USN
LCDR Robert C. Ballard Jr., USN
Brennen Paul Kelley, USMC
Major Gregg Zavadsky, U.S. Army

We pray for peace and for all serving in the military.
We would like to list your family and friends currently
serving active duty in our armed forces in the bulletin.
Kindly email the name/s of your active duty family and
friends to support@stcatherinetrumbull.com.



From the Choir Loft:

Summer greetings, and it has been great joy to welcome you back to Masses during the reopening! I will be away on vacation with my family during the weekends of July 11 and 18. In consultation with Father Marcello, we decided that all Masses on those two weekends would be "quiet" Masses with no music. This will allow us to conserve resources for the upcoming pastoral year. A worship aid with the spoken responses for the live-streamed Mass will still be available online during these two weekends. I look forward to returning on July 25 and 26!

CONTACT: DR. BILL ATWOOD, Director of Music and
Coordinator of Liturgical Ministries (203) 377-3133 x24
or WilliamAtwood@stcatherinetrumbull.com

Eucharistic Adoration Prayer Initiative

The St. Catherine of Siena Mercy Team is actively participating in the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy.

We want you to know that we are praying for you and your family daily and we are still praying for all of the requests made in the past year at the first Tuesday Eucharistic Adoration. If you cannot make it to the church to place your prayer requests, you are welcome to email them to Caritas@stcatherinetrumbull.com



The next Eucharistic Adoration:
Tuesday, July 7, 6:00 – 8:00 pm
McClinch Family Center

Information: SALVATORE SPADACCINO
Coordinator for Social Justice and Charitable Outreach
Caritas@stcatherinetrumbull.com



**Don't miss our Special Video with
Important Instructions for the
Return to Public Worship**

Welcome Home!

It is with great JOY that we resume the celebration of Mass in our Church! As we return to public worship, we ask all who attend a public Mass at St. Catherine of Siena to do their part to prevent the spread of COVID-19 by following the procedures which are outlined on our Parish Website and highlighted in our special video:

Registration for weekend Mass is required.

Registration will open at 10:00am on Tuesdays
Registration will CLOSE at 2:00pm on Saturdays

Thank you for helping us ensure a safe and smooth transition to public worship once again.

God Bless You,

Father Marcello

"In this life, there is nothing more important or fulfilling than developing a friendship with God."

MATTHEW KELLY
| Heard God Laugh



Religious Education

2020/2021 RELIGIOUS ED: REGISTRATION OPEN! Please register now so we can best plan for social distancing. Register online. Pay securely online. All forms and information is on our Parish Website.



2019-2020 SACRAMENT CELEBRATION: The postponed 2019-2020 sacraments have been scheduled. An email was sent with your child's assigned date/time. We look forward to celebrating these beautiful sacraments with you.

- **First Holy Communion Dates/Times:**
Oct. 3 - 10:00am (SCSS students) & 12:30pm
Oct. 4 - 2:30pm & 5:00pm
- **Confirmation Dates/Times:**
Oct. 17 - 10:00am (SCSS students) & 12:30pm
Oct. 18 - 1:30pm & 4:00pm

"What the world is in particular need of today is the credible witness of people enlightened by the word of the Lord, and capable of opening the hearts and minds of many to the desire for God and for true life, life without end." -BENEDICT XVI

TOP 10 REASONS YOU SHOULD BECOME A CATECHIST

One important way we can help pass on knowledge of the faith and love for Christ is by being a catechist in our Parish.

10. THE BEST WAY TO LEARN IS TO TEACH.

9. Catechists tell the truth.

8. Sharing the faith is an honor.

7. YOUR OWN FAITH WILL COME ALIVE.

6. You become an active part of the most active part of your parish.

5. A catechist is a role model.

4. You will be practicing stewardship.

3. You show your own family that you value religious education.

2. IT'S FUN.

1. It's what we are called to do.

- by John Norton, reprinted from OSV Newsweekly

Classes begin in September. To join our team of dedicated catechists, please contact Lindsay Tristine.

LINDSAY TRISTINE, DRE, RelEd@stcatherinetrumbull.com

NEXT SUNDAY'S GOSPEL: FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Next weekend's Sunday Gospel reading is provided here, so that we can think and pray about it, and be ready to receive it into our minds and hearts when it is proclaimed at Mass.



On that day, Jesus went out of the house and sat down by the sea. Such large crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat down, and the whole crowd stood along the shore. And he spoke to them at length in parables, saying: "A sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seed fell on the path, and birds came and ate it up. Some fell on rocky ground, where it had little soil. It sprang up at once because the soil was not deep, and when the sun rose it was scorched, and it withered for lack of roots. Some seed fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked it. But some seed fell on rich soil and produced fruit, a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold. Whoever has ears ought to hear." *Matthew 13:1-9*



Office of Safe Environments:

Any adult (age 18+) wishing to volunteer at the Parish - in any capacity, even if they're not working with children - must attend a Diocesan mandated *Virtus: Protecting God's Children for Adults* class and submit to a Background Check. **Register for a class at virtus.org**

If you are unsure if you are in full compliance, contact: **NANCY LUCAS, Safe Environments Coordinator**: 203-377-3133 or NLucas@stcatherinetrumbull.com

S.O.M.E. = So Others May Eat ST. CATHERINE'S FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY



The NEED in our community has skyrocketed since the Pandemic began in March. And St. Catherine's wants to help!

In the Lobby of the Church, there's a bench set aside specifically to receive donations of nonperishable food items for our Trumbull, through the Trumbull Food Pantry, and several food pantries in inner city Bridgeport neighbors in need. The bench is called **S.O.M.E.**, which means *So Others May Eat*.

Thanks in advance for your generosity. If you know of anyone in our Parish that is in need, please contact us.

Contact: SALVATORE SPADACCINO,
Coordinator for Social Justice and Charitable Outreach at
Caritas@stcatherinetrumbull.com

Giving Back to God

THANK YOU!! For Your Offertory

FOR THE WEEKEND OF JUNE 27TH - 28TH

WEEKLY OFFERTORY: \$4,376

MONTHLY OFFERTORY: \$665

ONLINE GIVING: \$7,380

TOTAL: \$12,421

The Parish of St. Catherine of Siena receives no outside financial support. We rely entirely on your generosity to meet our many expenses. Every contribution furthers our Parish's mission of faith, worship, and service, as we seek to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ, to serve those most in need, and to worship the living God.



We are very grateful to all our parishioners who are already taking advantage of our Online Giving platform.

During this Coronavirus Pandemic, 137 additional Parish families have registered online!

As technology continues to develop, there are many ways that these advances can be utilized for the well-being of our parish and the convenience of our parishioners. Some of the benefits include:

PARISHIONER BENEFITS:

- No need to write checks
- Flexibility in payment options (credit card, checking account)
- Option to remain anonymous
- Contribute with the parish's offertory schedule
- Contribute even if you cannot attend Mass at St. Catherine's
- Use your credit card & gain card benefits (ex: airline miles; 1% cash back)
- It's safe! It's secure! You remain in control.

PARISH BENEFITS:

- Increases regular giving with recurring contributions
- Affords more accurate revenue forecasting
- Provides electronic contribution statements for tax purposes
- Accommodates special parish and diocesan collections

We invite all of our parishioners to consider Online Giving when making your weekly, monthly and special gifts to the Parish of Saint Catherine of Siena. It is possible to select the "recurring" option for your weekly and monthly offertory to "Set it and Forget it."

You can modify or stop your gift at any time!

To register, please click on the Online Giving logo on our Parish website: <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/3004>

Info: JAMES J. PANULLO,
Director of Parish Operations (203) 377-3133
or JamesPanullo@stcatherinetrumbull.com

Knights of Columbus
Council #5806



We would like to extend heartfelt thanks and best wishes to our Council's outgoing Grand Knight DAMIEN O'CONNOR. Council #5806 thrived under his leadership this past fraternal year, and we are grateful to Damien for his excellent work and especially for his timeless visionary leadership.

Join The Knights! www.kofc.org/join

ERIC VOGEL, Grand Knight,
St. Catherine of Siena Council #5806
emvogel124@gmail.com

PRIVATE PRAYER

Mon-Fri. 8:15am-1:00pm, in the Church

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday: 6:00-8:00pm, McClinch Family Center

CONFESSION

Tuesday: 6:00-8:00pm, McClinch Family Center

Sunday: 2:00-3:00pm, in the Parking Lot

*Guides to help you prepare are on our Parish Website.
Anonymous & face-to-face confessions available.*

HOLIDAY & SUMMER PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Office will be closed on Friday, July 3, in observance of Independence Day. It will reopen on Monday, July 6, at 9am. *We wish you and your family a festive celebration of our Nation's freedoms!*

Peeking ahead, we will observe Summer Parish Office hours from June 29 – July 31, when the office will be open Monday-Friday, 9:00am – 1:00pm only.



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Support SCSS: Please support SCSS by downloading the Box Tops for Education App. Scan your receipts and assign SCSS to receive our donations.
www.bboxtops4education.com/

20/21 Registration: All necessary forms to register & financial aid information are located on our website. **CLICK HERE for a virtual tour of the school.** Please call the school at 203-375-1947 or email pwolfe@scsstrumbull.org with any questions.

Please **follow us on Facebook** and **Instagram** @scsstrumbull to keep up to date on all of the happenings during distance learning.

Summer Office Hours: Mon-Thu, 9am-1pm, by appointment only. Facemasks are required by all entering the building.

NO MORE CLIPPING



St. Catherine of Siena Online Resources

The St. Catherine of Siena Livestream

<https://stcathtrumbull.com/>

<https://www.facebook.com/StCathTrumbull>

<https://www.youtube.com/TheParishofStCatherineofSiena>

Weekend Mass: Saturdays at 4:00pm

on YouTube, Facebook, and the Parish Website.

Available on-demand on YouTube and Facebook thereafter.

Daily Mass: Mon-Fri, 7:30am

on YouTube, Facebook, and the Parish Website.

on-demand on YouTube and Facebook for the rest of the day.

During daily Mass, Father Marcello remembers all of our parishioners and friends, especially those who are most vulnerable in our community. If you would like Father to remember your family *by name* at these Daily Masses, or if you have any other intentions you would like Father to remember at the Altar, please send a message to support@stcatherinetrumbull.com.



How to Get the Most from a Livestreamed Mass

The intentionality you and your family put into preparing for and participating in the Mass dramatically affects the impact it has on you and others. This is true under normal circumstances, but it is true even more so now, when we must participate in Mass remotely.

Pick a designated time your family will "go to Mass." Let them all know, and stick to that time.

Dress up for Mass as you would if you were going to Mass in church.

Prepare the space in which the Mass is viewed. Light candles. Place a crucifix in a prominent spot.

If the space under or near the TV has distracting items such as video game consoles,

etc., cover them with a white tablecloth.

Do not eat for one hour before Mass begins.

If you have holy water, pass it around before Mass and encourage each family member to make the Sign of the Cross with it, just as we do when we enter the church building.

During the Mass, participate in every physical gesture you normally would in church: standing, kneeling, sitting, etc.

Be as pious as possible, and refrain from gestures and other forms of communication that wouldn't normally take place during Mass in church.

Leave your cell phones in another room and mute them during Mass.

Print out the hymns for the Mass and sing along as you would in church.

If you have a surround sound system, *use it*, so that the experience is more like being in church.

Respond out loud at every point you normally would in church.

When the readings are proclaimed (except for the Gospel), consider having family members proclaim the First Reading, the Responsorial Psalm, and the Second Reading. Simply mute the TV during that time. Since the Responsorial Psalm is sung in church, you will more than likely finish the readings before they are finished in church. When done, simply turn the sound back on.

Special thanks to the O'Connor family for assembling these tips for being intentional about "going to Mass" remotely.

Pray with us on our YouTube channel:
<https://www.YouTube.com/TheParishofStCatherineofSiena>

Glorious and Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary: Please join Father Marcello and Deacon Toole in praying the Rosary for an end to the Covid-19 global pandemic and for those affected by it. *The Rosary is a powerful prayer for every day, but most especially during the month of May, when we direct our thoughts and prayers more specifically to Mary, Mother of God, and our Mother.*

Consecration of our Parish to our Blessed Mother: On May 1, 2020, the first day of the month dedicated to our Blessed Mother. Archbishop José Gómez of Los Angeles, together with the Bishops of the United States, reconsecrated our country to the Blessed Virgin Mary today, asking for the intercession and protection of the mother of God. In solidarity with the Bishops, we at St. Catherine's joined in this prayer to reconsecrate our parish to the Blessed Virgin Mary and ask her prayers and intercession for us today and always.

Pray with Father Marcello and Deacon Toole

Hear, Holy Mother: May this hymn by Parishioner Anna Bendiksen be a source of comfort and consolation during this time. **Anna Bendiksen (c) 2020. Dr. William H. Atwood, Organ. Kristen Smith Gionfriddo, Soprano**



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