



ANNUNCIATION PARISH

Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time, July 30, 2023

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CHURCH OF ST. MARY

626 Willard Avenue
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Confession

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45pm

Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am

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Confession

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:45pm

Mass Times

Daily Mass: Monday -
Friday: 9:00am
Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am,
& 11:30am

Visit us on the web @
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The angels will go out and separate the
wicked from the righteous.

MATTHEW 13:49



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O God, protector of those who hope in you, without whom nothing has firm foundation, nothing is holy, bestow in abundance your mercy upon us and grant that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may use the good things that pass in such a way as to hold fast even now to those that ever endure. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JULY 30, 2023

Welcome To Annunciation Parish, The Roman Catholic Community of Newington

Whether you are a long-time parishioner, a returning parishioner, a new parishioner, or a visitor, welcome to our community. We are glad that you are here and hope that you feel at home. If you are not already a member of our parish, please consider joining us. If you are a member of our parish already, please consider joining one of our ministries.

The Catholic Church welcomes new members of all ages. Children are welcomed into our faith through the sacrament of Baptism. Adults can either join our faith, or complete their sacraments of initiation through our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) or our Adult Confirmation program. If you are interested, please call the

Parish Priests

Rev. Robert Morgewicz, Pastor

fr.morgewicz@aohct.org

Rev. Joseph Pullikattil, Parochial Vicar

frjoseph@annunciationnewington.com

Holy Spirit Priest Residence

Phone: 860-513-9109

Rev. Lawrence Bock, In Residence

Msgr. James Kinnane, In Residence

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Sacramental Ministries

Baptism

To schedule a Baptism, visit our website:

www.annunciationnewington.com, scroll down to Quick Links (*center of Home Page*), *Select* - Book a Baptism and then once the form is submitted, Deacon Blanchette will call to arrange a meeting.

Marriage

Please call the rectory at least **six months** in advance. Couples meet with the priest for an initial pastoral conversation before a wedding date can be set. Please do not make other plans until a date has been confirmed with your parish.

For the Sick

We are happy to visit with the homebound. If you or a loved one would like a home visit, Holy Communion or the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the rectory office.

READINGS FOR THE SEVENTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9; Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a, 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12

Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JULY 30, 2023

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 29nd, Vigil For The Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

H/S 4:00 p.m. Joan and Tony Papa, By Their Son

S/M 4:00 p.m. Pauline Patriss, By The Family

Sunday, July 30th, The Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

H/S 7:30 a.m. Patricia Cetran, By Laurel and Mark Deaker

S/M 8:00 a.m. Mario and Antonio Pizzoferrato, By The Daughter-in-Law

H/S 9:30 a.m. Josephine Astiasran, By Annunciation Women's Guild

S/M 10:00 a.m. Giovanni Carducci, 11th Anniversary, By Son and Children
And Wife Anna

H/S 11:30 a.m. Paul Miller, Jr., By Joseph Michaud

Monday, July 31st, St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

H/S 9:00 a.m. Marion Visconti, By Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gonska

Tuesday, August 1st, St. Alphonsus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

H/S 9:00 a.m. Marilyn Haggarty and Briana Marshall,
By Karen Marshall

Wednesday, August 2nd, Weekday

H/S 9:00 a.m. Frank R. Salone Jr., By The Women's Guild

Thursday, August 3rd, Weekday

H/S 9:00 a.m. Frank R. Salone Jr., By Family

Friday, August 4th, St. John Vianney, Priest

H/S 9:00 a.m. Cipriano Alvizo, Jr., By His Son And Family

Saturday, August 5th, Vigil For The Eighteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

H/S 4:00 p.m. James and Lorraine Behan, By Their Son And Family

S/M 4:00 p.m. Gary Edgerton, By Mother And Family

Sunday, August 6th, The Eighteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

H/S 7:30 a.m. Anita Fairwood, By Richard and Ronald Fairwood
And Maureen Krevmar

S/M 8:00 a.m. The John Kurtz Sr. Family, By The Estate

H/S 9:30 a.m. Carmine Simonetti, "Birthday Remembrance," By His Wife
And Family

S/M 10:00 a.m. Mena Andrews, By Marie Aschenbrenner

H/S 11:30 a.m. Joseph And Dolores Gustin, By Their Family

By assisting devoutly at Mass, we render the sacred humanity of Our Lord the greatest homage. He makes up for many negligences and omissions. We should pray like this at the beginning of Mass: **"O Most just god, with contrite heart and steadfast hope, I lay my sins upon this sacred altar, in order that they may be consumed by the flames of Your divine Charity, purged away by the Precious Blood of Jesus, and Fully atoned for by His infinite Merits. Amen."**

In Loving Memory, we pray for...

Jacquelin Senk

Gaetana Germann

John T. Cassell Jr.

Tim Luddy.

And for the consolation of their family and friends. *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord; let your light shine upon them.*

Please welcome into our parish family, the following child who was recently baptized:

Jack Joseph Mezzio

To be baptized at Annunciation Parish, you must be a registered parishioner who attends Mass and practices your faith.

To get started, visit our website at:

annunciationnewington.com/baptism

Parish Support

July 23, 2023

Weekly	\$10,779
<u>Online Giving</u>	<u>\$3,218</u>
Total	\$13,997

Eucharistic Adoration

Holy Spirit Church

6:00 - 7:00pm

Tuesday Evenings

Spend the whole hour or as much time as you can give!

New Mass Schedule To Begin September 2-3, 2023

In accordance with Archdiocesan guidelines and best practices for a merged parish (which took place six years ago), our parish will revise its Mass schedule, so that one priest, if necessary, will be able to celebrate all the Masses for a given weekend.

While there are currently no plans to reduce the number of priests assigned to Annunciation Parish, a Mass schedule that one priest could accomplish on his own is necessary in the event of sickness, vacations, and future priest shortages.

There are several things to keep in mind. First, our churches, which are only three miles apart, are able to seat 1750 people. Second, the attendance for our parish and all parishes is based on the annual October Count. This is the best indicator of how many people actually attend Mass. The October 15-16, 2022, *Count* is in the chart below:

Holy Spirit	St. Mary
4:00 Mass 185	4:00 Mass 167
7:30 Mass 161	8:00 Mass 144
9:30 Mass 310	10:00 Mass 175
11:30 Mass 350	

The current Mass schedule is listed below and you can see that one priest cannot celebrate all Masses because the times conflict.

St. Mary	Vigil 4:00 p.m.	Sunday: 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.
Holy Spirit	Vigil 4:00 p.m.	Sunday: 7:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Other considerations to keep in mind include: first, that Fr. Joseph has responsibilities to the Syro-Malabar Community in West Hartford on Saturday morning and late Sunday morning; and second, while Fr. Bock and Msgr. Kinnane are scheduled to return to celebrate a weekend Mass, transportation in difficult weather may prevent them from doing so.

The four options for a new Mass schedule listed below were created by the trustees of the parish (Maureen Lyons and Jay Dumais) and clergy of the parish (Fr. Morgewicz, Fr. Joseph and Deacon Blanchette). They have been carefully created with several factors in mind, including but not limited to: current popular times of Mass, equal distribution (each Church location is reduced by one Mass), and of course the ability for one priest to fulfill the schedule if needed.

On the weekend of August 5-6, 2023, parishioners will be asked to vote on which one (1) option they prefer. Please review the options in preparation for the August 5-6 in-pew vote.

(cont'd on next page)

Sample of Voting Options for August 5th and 6th:

Option #1 Annunciation Parish New Mass Schedule Effective September 2-3, 2023

St. Mary	No Vigil	Sunday: 7:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.
Holy Spirit	Vigil 4:00 p.m.	Sunday: 9:00 a.m. 12:00 Noon

Option #2 Annunciation Parish New Mass Schedule Effective September 2-3, 2023

St. Mary	No Vigil	Sunday: 8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.
Holy Spirit	Vigil 4:00 p.m.	Sunday: 9:15 a.m. 12:00 Noon

Option #3 Annunciation Parish New Mass Schedule Effective September 2-3, 2023

St. Mary	Vigil 4:00 p.m.	Sunday: 9:00 a.m.
Holy Spirit	No Vigil	Sunday: 7:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:00 Noon

Option #4 Annunciation Parish New Mass Schedule Effective September 2-3, 2023

St. Mary	Vigil 4:00 p.m.	Sunday: 10:30 a.m.
Holy Spirit	No Vigil	Sunday: 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 12:00 Noon

Special Save the Date

The farewell luncheon for Fr. Bock and Msgr. Kinnane, who will be moving from our parish in September but still returning for weekend masses, will be held on Sunday, August 27th, after the 11:30 Mass at the Holy Spirit Church hall. For those who would like to attend, a buffet luncheon catered by Michael's will be served, with the menu including pasta marinara, chicken piccata, herb-crusteD pork loin, vegetables, and dessert. Tickets are \$35 each, made payable to Annunciation Parish, and are available after the Masses on the weekends of July 29th, and August 5th and 12th. Fr. Bock and Msgr. Kinnane will be concelebrating the 11:30 Mass on August 27th at Holy Spirit Church. If you have questions, please contact John Rocco (860-416-5135), or Marie Michalman (860-559-9575). Let's celebrate and thank these two priests, who have given more than 50 years of service to our parish!



PARISH CALENDAR, JULY 30, 2023

The Knights Sandwich Ministry

Our next sandwich collection is **Sunday, August 20th @ 4:30** in the Saint Mary School parking lot. Thank you for living your faith by helping others!

Religious Education

Religious Ed classes for the 2023-2024 school year will resume on **Sunday, September 17, 2023** from 8:30AM-9:15AM @ JWMS. Registration forms and calendars will be mailed out soon.

Please contact the Religious Ed office at: 860-666-3562 for more information.

The Men's Fellowship Group

...meets every Wednesday evening from 6:30-8:00 pm Holy Spirit Church Hall.

Contact: Angelo Marchetti @
(860) 202-1612

Final chance!

Our successful big summer raffle, which has already sold more than 1440 tickets, is coming to an end. Ticket sales will go until Saturday, **August 5th, 2023**. A sincere thank you to everyone who has purchased tickets so far, and tickets are still available in the sacristy after mass. Thank you!

Save the Date!

Saturday, September 23, 2023

16th Annual Connecticut Catholic Men's Conference

Theme: The Priesthood: God's Gift and Our Responsibility

Location: Northwest Catholic High School, West Hartford

For **more information**, please visit:

www.ctcatholicmen.org

or call **Bill Mitchell @ (860) 436-2669** in the evenings

The Annunciation Parish Ladies Guild

Annual Tag Sale 2023

**The Holy Spirit Church Hall,
183 Church Street, Newington**

Friday, September 8th 9:00 - 1:00

Preview Day (\$5 Admission charge per person)

Saturday, September 9th 8:00 - 2:00

Check your closets and garages! Please check on items not accepted.

Items may be dropped off on **2 days only**...

Tuesday Sept 5th (**9-2**) and (**5-7**) p.m.

Wednesday Sept 6th (**9-2**) and (**5-7**)p.m.

Volunteers would be greatly appreciated.

Please contact:

Jackie Gilligan, Chairperson

860-667-1441

or Jean Fuzie, Co-Chairperson

860-667-0690

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Small appliances (working condition) | Small hand tools

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Glassware, china, pottery | Small sports items

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