Welcome!

Daily Mass:

Monday - Saturday: 7:30am

Phase 2 Temporary Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm Sunday: 7:00am

> 9:00am 11:00pm 4:30pm

Holy Days of Obligation:

Vigil Mass: 5:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Monday and Wednesday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 3:30pm - 4:15pm

Sacrament of Baptism:

Sundays at 1:00pm

Pre-Baptismal instruction is required for first time parents. Please call the parish office to schedule the class and Baptism.

Sacrament of Matrimony:

Please contact Michelle Hankey in the parish office at least six months prior to wedding date.

New Parishioners:

We warmly welcome you and your family to our parish community. Please contact the parish office to register.

Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday: 8:30am - 4:30pm (closed 12:00pm - 1:00pm)

Religious Education Office Hours: Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4:00pm

Parish Office Address and Telephone:

98 Riverside Avenue, Westport, CT 06880 Phone: 203-227-5161 Fax: 203-227-1206

WEBSITE: www.assumptionwestport.org

Church of the Assumption

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME November 15, 2020



CLERGY

Fr. Cyrus Bartolome, Pastor frcyrus@assumptionwestport.org
Deacon Bill Koniers

dnkoniers@assumptionwestport.org

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Frank Matto, Director and Organist fmatto@assumptionwestport.org
Aidan Andrews, Cantor

MASS INTENTIONS

Temporary Weekend Mass Schedule During Phase 2

Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm

Sunday:

7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00pm, 4:30pm

All scheduled Sunday Mass Intentions will be read at all Sunday masses.

Saturday, November 14

7:30am Peggy Coughlan

5:00pm (Vigil) Kevin & Jerry Tuccinardi, Jr.

Sunday, November 15

7:30am Peter Tran 9:00am Al Snyder 10:30am Mary Monahan 12:00pm John Anastasia

5:00pm Family of Assumption

Monday, November 16

Sandy Charette

7:30am

Tuesday, November 17 St. Elizabeth of Hungry

Francis Lawless 7:30am

Wednesday, November 18 St. Rose Phillipine

Felix David 7:30am

Thursday, November 19

7:30am Rey Naval

Friday, November 20

7:30am Felix David

Saturday, November 21 Presentation of the Blessed

Virgin Mary

St. Margaret of Scotland

Eileen Parkinson 7:30am 5:00pm (Vigil) Luigi & Mary Izzo

Sunday, November 22

7:30am Family of Assumption

9:00am Tom Leyden 10:30am Vera Kaiser

12:00pm Albert J. Copersino 5:00pm Saverio Fumai

Pray For Our Recently Deceased

Pamela Powers, Eliane Tuccinardi, Fr. Roy Henderson, Constance Ippolito, Joan Harrington Schwartz, Patricia Rodgers, William Delaney, William DePalma, Sr. Catherine Sheehy, RSM

May they rest in peace.

IN LOVING MEMORY

The flowers at Mary's statue are in loving memory of **Eliane Tuccinardi**

The candles at Mary's statue burn in loving memory of Giovanni C. Sibilia

> The Altar candles burn in loving memory of **Peter McAleer**

The Sanctuary candle burn in loving memory of **Carmen & Joseph Tornatore**

The candles at the Tabernacle burn in loving memory of John & Rita Calzi



Pray for the Sick

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

Catherine Alter, Meghan Andrews, Mary Ann Andronaco, Noelle Anastasia, Mitza Arena, Brendan Bachon, Joan Bailey, Henry Baker, Bob Barker, Ryan Brewster, Mary Bulakites, Nancy Burke, Maryann Burriesce, Betty Cabral, Elijah Capuano, Bill Chadwell, Michael Cole, Tonino Covatta, Andrea Charboneau, Alder Crocker, Ann Danilak, Connie & Howard Danner, Nicholas DeMatteo, Amanda DeRosa, Matt Dudzik, Colette Dunham, Gail Eichinger, Angela Farricielli, Charlie French, Peter Gakos, Barbara Gentile, Diane & Anthony Gilbertie, Guy Giordano, Elisabeth Grein, Wilfried Grein, Bill Guzewicz, Katarina Hale, Frances Casey Hansen, Jane Hawley, Sean Healy, Rose Heiser, Malcolm Heckman, Bob Helfenstein, Logan Howard, Marie James, Kathy Jeary, Bernadette Juoan, Jack Kelly, Nancy Kelly, Laura Kesling, Dan Kiely Sr., Frank Kropf, Mary-Ellen Kuhn, Abigail Lamb, Grant Leschin, Eddy & Rita Leyden, Caitlyn Llorens, Owen Llorens, Sean Llorens, Michelle Lombardi, Frank Machi, TerryAnn McDonald, Helen Maggio, Gabriella McCrae, Clarissa Moore, Estelle Murray, Denise Murtha, Lisa O'Connor, Donna Olsen, Lisa Orr, Kevin Palaez, Stephanie Philo, Kim Preston, Alexa Prosnitz, CJ. Rice, Charlie Robins, Deanne Ryan, Frank Ryan, Sandra Ryan, Teresa Sacouto, Adrian Sandiford, Kerry Schroeder, Kazime Seckin , Greg Strauss, Cheri Travis, Carl Viesti, Pat Viesti, Jean Wanat, Lee Watkins, Paula Weltens, Bob Wentworth and Victoria Whalen.

> Please help us update our prayers for the sick list. If there is anyone you would like to add/remove, please contact the Parish Office at 203-227-5161 or mhankey@assumptionwestport.org



Weekly Offertory: November 8, 2020

 Sunday Offertory
 \$ 3,142.00

 Online Giving
 \$ 3,995.00

 \$ 7,137.00

Thank you to all the parishioners who contribute their weekly offering either at mass, by mail or through Online Giving. Your contributions help support the parish and all of the outreach ministries that are in need during these times. If you would like to donate through **Online Giving** please visit our website at **www.assumptionwestport.org.** It's easy, safe and convenient. Thank you again for your ongoing support. God Bless! *Fr. Cyrus*

WE STAND WITH CHRIST

A Special Thank you

We thank all of our parishioners who have made a pledge to the **We Stand With Christ Campaign.** Your generosity will enable the following projects to be completed at Assumption:

- Repair Burr Road sidewalks completed!
- Renovation of McGrath Hall
- Refurbish & Restore Church Steeples
- Faith Formation initiatives and support of charitable organizations.

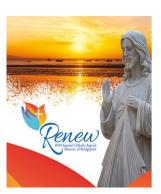
Our pledge collection is ongoing! Please mail your payments to the Campaign Office at: We Stand With Christ Diocese of Bridgeport, P.O. Box 158, Kensington, CT 06037 or you may visit www.givecentral.org/wswc to set up your account online. If you have any questions about your pledge or payments you may contact the Campaign Office at 203-648-9050. If you would like to speak with me about the campaign or your pledge, please call the parish office. Let us continue to pray for one another and for our parish.

Sincerely yours in Christ, *Fr. Cyrus*

Diocese of Bridgeport

2020 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

THANK YOU to all who have donated to the 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal. We have received \$109,649.00 (66.15%) towards our \$165,750 goal. Your donations help many charitable organizations and your generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continued support!



PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN SERVING OUR COUNTRY

Please pray for all those who are bravely defending our nation and especially pray for those who have been wounded or have sacrificed their lives for the cause of peace.















Assumption Bereavement Group

"Blessed are they who mourn...they shall be comforted."

Grief is a painful, complex and complicated process for each who experiences the loss of a loved one. Come share, grieve and heal with others at our group. We meet weekly (all safety requirements met) on Thursdays from 3-5pm in McGrath Hall. For more information, contact Helen Thiemann at (203) 227-6318 or email at helenctmann@gmail.com



Parish Prayer Ministry is a network of members who pray for you and your intentions. If you or someone you know is in need of prayer

or a special intention, please contact Liz Lazarou at lizlazarou@optonline.net or Betty Copersino at 203-226-6702. Please leave a message with the first name of the person you would like to pray for and the prayer request (last names are permitted for the deceased only). Your intentions will be forwarded to the network. If you are interested in joining the Prayer Network, please contact Liz or Betty for more details.



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY SESSION Round 2

Please join us for Round 2 of our bible study program Walking with Purpose, entitled "Keeping in Balance". We meet on Monday evenings 7:30pm - 8:30pm via Zoom. For more information and to register for sessions please contact Joyce Sixsmith at joyce.sixsmith@gmail.com

Mary's Mantel

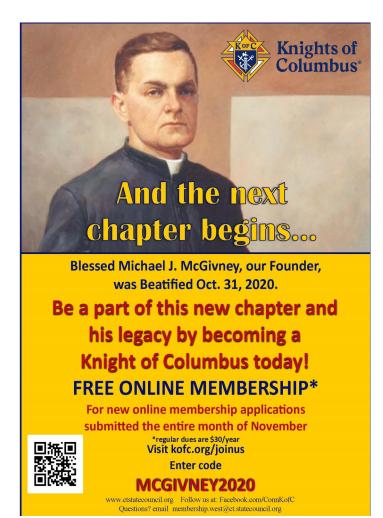
Wednesdays at 1:00pm

Come join us in McGrath Hall—no experience necessary! We will teach you how to knit or crochet! This ministry is intended to be a reminder of God's ever present love which is as near to you as your own body is to your spirit. The shawls are for any time and every occasion - - joyful or sorrowful. For more information or if you know someone who would like a shawl, please contact Cathy Romano at 203-226-5448 or email her at *cromano@assumptionwestport.org* We follow the CDC guidelines for social distancing, hand sanitizing and mask wearing.

Interested in becoming a part of our faith family?

Please visit the parish website at www.assumptionwestport.org to complete the online parish registration form or call the parish office at 203-227-5161.

Welcome to Assumption Church!





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Pope Francis Food Closet

Thank you for the continued support to the Parish Food Closet. Your donations are helping so many families during these difficult times. If you would like to donate, the following items are in need:

PASTA, SMALL BAGS OF SUGAR, SNACKS & CRACKERS

The back door of the church off the parking lot is open from 7:30am — 5:00pm, Monday thru Friday for your donations or you may have your items shipped directly to the Parish Office: 98 Riverside Avenue, Westport, CT 06880. Thank You again for your generosity!

A special Thank You to the anonymous donor for all the food deliveries we receive through Amazon!

Confirmation

On October 28th and October 30th, our parish was blessed to confirm 63 young people, who are now sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit, and fully initiated into the Church. We congratulate each of them, their families and sponsors. Please pray God will continue to grant them the strength, wisdom and courage to live the gospel message of Jesus Christ each day.

Devin Agah Gianna Amatizzi **Ethan Ambrose James Armstrong Stephen Artale Kathryn Asiel** Michael Bernier **Keira Best Katelyn Bouchard Christopher Calo Finley Chevrier Emily Ciquera Hannah Clemens Vivian Coda Kathleen Coffey James Corridon**

James Corry Jackson Cregan Kiera Cuniffe Isabella D'Attilo **Chloe DeAngelis** Tyler DiMaio **Daisy Fording Marguerite Foster Natalie Green Lillian Hogan Charles Iannone Charlotte Jandora Charlotte Jumper** John Kiely **Keira Lichter Charles Lukens**

Sarah McCourt James McElwain **Caroline McGarry Coleman Merce Edward Montoya Margaret Montoya** Julia Murray **Jack Murray Luke Oakley Mateo Olea** Julia Ortiz **Chloe Parkes Domenic Petrosinelli Nicholas Porzio** Iva Radman **Sergio Rizzo**

Cameron Rubino
Victoria Schreiber
Charles Scott
Andre Shapiro
Emma Sikorski
Nicholas Sikorski
Arthur Skatoff
Sofia Staikos
Francesca Sullivan
Kira Tomoda
Ella Trivisonno
Luke VanDusen
Lauren von Dohlen
Liam Yin
Gavin Zahler

ASSUMPTION YOUTH GROUP

Assumption Youth Group is hoping to be able to join Catholic Heart Work Camp for a summer 2021 Mission trip! Details are in the works. If your 7th - 12th grader is interested in serving those in need, making new friends and having fun please contact Assumption Youth Minister, Michele Harding at mharding@assumptionwestport.org

Photo is from our last trip to Hartford where the group helped low income homeowners with house repairs and so much more.

