April 24, 2022 April 24, 2022 SSUMPTION



Divine Mercy Sunday

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Daily Mass:

Monday - Saturday: 7:30am

Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday Vigil:

5:00pm Sunday:

7:30am ~ 9:00am ~ 11:00am~ 5:00pm

Holy Days of Obligation: Vigil Mass: 5:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Parish Office Hours:

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

Religious Education Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4:00pm

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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.













IN LOVING MEMORY

The candles at Mary's statue burn in loving memory **Carmela Belmonte**

The Altar candles burn in loving memory of Ralph Belmonte

The Sanctuary candle burns in loving memory of

Carmen Joseph Tornatore

The Tabernacle candles burn in loving memory of **Joseph Pascale**



Saturday, April 23

7:30am 5:00pm Vigil Saturday within the Octave of Easter

Carmen Joseph Tornatore Joseph DeMace

Sunday, April 24

7:30am 9:00am 11:00am 3:00pm 5:00pm Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)

Albina Caballero & Lino Rojas Albert J. Copersino Sr. Ellen Hathoway, SND Divine Mercy Chaplet Frank Migliarese

Monday, April 25 7:30am

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St. Mark, Evangelist Mrika Xhema

Tuesday, April 26 7:30am

John Barry

Wednesday, April 27

7:30am

7:30am

Jerry Tuccinardi Jr.

Thursday, April 28

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St. Peter Chanel, St. Louis Grigion de Montfot

Gracemary Cahill

Friday, April 29

7:30pm

St. Catherine of Siena

Ann Ahern

Saturday, April 30

7:30am 5:00pm Vigil St. Pius V

Harriet Manning Fred & Shirley D'Aiuto

Sunday, May 1

7:30am 9:00am 11:00am 5:00pm Sr. Pius V

The Tran Family
Jack William Boring
Marie Belford
John Ollweiler

Pray For Our Recently Deceased

Jennie McCarthy, Betty Cabral, Eva Meyer Nash, Carol Fumo, Dominick J. DeMace, Elizabeth Petretta, Nua Zef Vataj

May they rest in peace



Weekly Offertory: April 10, 2022

Sunday Offertory \$ 7,372.00 Online Giving \$ 3,926.00

\$11,298.00

Good Friday \$ 1,230.00

Weekly Offertory: April 17, 2022

 Sunday Offertory
 \$ 8,023.00

 Easter Sunday
 \$ 10,985.00

 Online Giving Sunday
 \$ 3,250.00

 Online Giving Easter:
 \$ 980.00

 \$23, 238.00

Thank you for your generosity and continued support to the parish and all of the outreach ministries that are in need.

God Bless! Fr. Cyrus



Online Giving allows you to make donations, payments, and pledges via your mobile phone, smart device or computer.

Additional funds to our Sunday offertory are:

UCP - Upkeep of Church Property which is used for repairs and maintenance of buildings and grounds and the restoration of pews and custom cushioning.

Youth Ministry helps fund youth activities, projects and outreach programs.

Parish Crisis Fund helps those with emergency needs within our community.



We Stand With Christ Campaign Redemption Update	
Total Pledged:	\$1,791,440
Total Collected	\$1,220,598 (68%)

To make a payment on your pledge, please visit <u>GiveCentral.org/WSWC</u> or call 203-648-9050.

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, Elijah Capuano, Michael Caputo, Bill Chadwell, Michael Cole, Tonino Covatta, Andrea Charboneau, Alder Crocker, Ann Danilak, Connie & Howard Danner, Nicholas DeMatteo, Matt Dudzik, Colette Dunham, Gail Eichinger, Peter Gakos, Barbara Gentile, Diane & Anthony Gilbertie, Guy Giordano, Elisabeth Grein, Wilfried Grein, Katarina Hale, Frances Casey Hansen, Jane Hawley, Sean Healy, Rose Heiser, Malcolm Heckman, Bob Helfenstein, Logan Howard, Lisa Hughes, 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, John J. McCarthy, TerryAnn McDonald, Helen Maggio, Tom McMarthy, 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, Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, Charlie Robins, Deanne Ryan, Frank Ryan, Sandra Ryan, Teresa Sacouto, Malia Sanchez-Valdez, Adrian Sandiford, Kerry Schroeder, Kazime Seckin, Maryann Stypinski, Cheri Travis, Carl Viesti, Pat Viesti, Jean Wanat, Lee Watkins, Paula Weltens, Bob Wentworth and Victoria Whalen.



DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

2022 Annual Bishop's Appeal has begun. This years parish goal is \$146,300. Please consider supporting the appeal.

To date, we have raised **\$80,072** out of our parish goal of \$146,300 bringing us to **54.73% of our goal!**

To donate, please make checks payable to:

2022 Annual Bishop's Appeal Diocese of Bridgeport 238 Jewett Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06606-2892

Or donate online at:

https://www.bridgeportdiocese.org/aca/donate



No sweet tooth?
No problem!
We will happily accept donations.

All proceeds help our Youth Ministry with their Mission trip this summer and their many other activities.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: Contact Michele Harding, Youth Minister mharding@assumptionwestport.org

2023 MASS BOOK

The 2023 Mass Book is open for mass intentions, flowers and candles. You may choose to honor your loved ones by offering a Mass for them, request a flower arrangement to be placed in front of the Blessed Mother statue or have candles lit to remember them.

To make an arrangement, please call the Parish Office at 203-227-5161 or email mhankey@assumptionwestport.org

Assumption Youth Group Easter Egg Hunt

After the 9:00am Mass on Easter Sunday, the Assumption Youth Group held an Easter egg hunt. The event was a enjoyed by all who attended. Thank you to all who helped run this lovely event, including the Easter Bunny. If you would like your 6th -12th grader involved, please contact the Youth Minister, Michele Harding at mharding@assumptionwestport.org
All are welcome!

















We want to hear from You! - Synod of Synodality

Synodality refers to the involvement and participation of the whole People of God in the life and mission of the Church.

Pope Francis has asked the Catholic Church around the world to undertake a process of LISTENING: listening to the members of the Church, as well as to persons who may feel excluded or estranged from the Church. We hope to provide a lived experience of listening to one another and attentiveness to what the Holy Spirit calls us to do. This is meant to reimagine our way of being part of the body of Christ together.



For a synodal Church
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There are 2 ways to participate:

- 1. Please Click Here to fill out the online survey.
- 2. A survey will also be available in the church.

Divine Mercy Sunday Chaplet

Please join us **Sunday, April 24th**, at 3:00pm. Fr. Justin will be leading the Chaplet of Divine Mercy with exposition of the blessed sacrament.



Join the Knights of Columbus

The Church of the Assumption Knights of Columbus Council 3688 is looking for Catholic men age 18 and over to join. Please contact Bill Macnamara 203-856-2854. The council meets the first Tuesday of each month in St. Joseph's Hall in the school building.



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. We meet on Thursdays from 3:00pm -4:30pm in McGrath Hall, following appropriate safety guidelines. Please enter from the parking lot and take the stairs immediately on the left. For more information, please contact Helen Thiemann at 203-227-6318 or by email at helenctman@gmail.com.

Church of the Assumption 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
- SAUCE
- CANNED SOUPS
- CRACKERS
- COFFEE
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The back door of the church off the parking lot is open from 7:30am - 5:00pm, Monday - Friday (or before weekend masses) 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!

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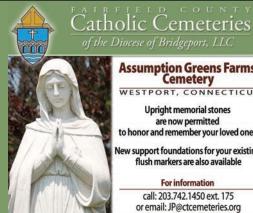
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