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## **Celebration of the Eucharist**

## **Saturday Evening Mass of Anticipation**

4:00 PM Public & Livestream

### **Sunday Masses**

8:00 AM Public

9:00 AM Outdoor Masses: July 3, August 7 &

September 4

10:00 AM Public & Livestream (Masks required for all)

11:45 AM Public

5:00 PM Public & Livestream

## **Weekday Masses**

7:30 AM Public

12:05 PM Public & Livestream

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Masks are required for everyone during Reconciliation

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 11:15 to 11:45 AM Saturday 3:15 to 3:45 PM

## **Parish Office Hours**

**Monday - Saturday:** 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM **Sunday:** 9:00 to 11:00 AM

## **Weekly Bulletin Deadline**

Mondays by 12:00 NOON. Please submit all information to <a href="mailto:cabramo@spsact.org">cabramo@spsact.org</a>.



Monday, July 11: IS 1:10-17; MT 10:34-11:1 Tuesday, July 12: IS 7:1-9; MT 11:20-24

**Wednesday, July 13:** IS 10:5-7, 13B-16; MT 11:25-27

**Thursday, July 14:** IS 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; MT 11:28-30 **Friday, July 15:** IS 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; MT 12:1-8

**Sunday, July 17:** Gn 18:1-10a; Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42

Go to http://www.usccb.org/ for readings online.

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# The Paston's Corner

July 10, 2022

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

I hope you are enjoying the summer so far, and I have to admit that I'm a bit envious of our parishioners who will be spending this Sunday at Hammonasset Beach State Park! But since I am writing this message more than a week prior to the date of this bulletin, I have no idea what the weather will be like on July 10. Hopefully, it will be as warm and pleasant as it has been in the final days of June.

So, nothing profound or heavy today — just some little news items I'd like to share with you about a few recent goings-on at our parish.

First, Steve Balkun has completed a trio of small projects that he started back in the early Spring. I had asked him to fashion a new Paschal Candle stand and a pedestal for our Baptismal bowl which he completed in time for the Easter season. You may have noticed that he carved into each of them our church's logo. However, they didn't show up as well as I had hoped, so I've asked Steve to give the carvings a gold finish so that they will stand out and be more visible.

The final piece he made is a display cabinet for our Holy Oils which he installed on the wall next to the doors leadings into the St. Mary of the Angels Chapel. Many churches now have an Ambry, the technical name for the display cabinet, so that the oils can be visible to the community throughout the year. Ours is a rather simple design, beautifully constructed of mahogany, the same wood used for his other appointments, including the Processional Cross. The Ambry was donated by one of our parishioners in memory of Mary Hunt. The three glass vials contain the Sacred Chrism, used for Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Orders, as well as the Oil of Catechumens and the Oil of the Sick.



During the final week of June, we were one of the area churches which hosted lessons for a Pipe Organ Encounter sponsored by the Greater Hartford



Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. These annual events are held throughout the United States to offer young persons between the ages of 13 and 18 an opportunity to learn more about the organ and to be able to hear and play various organs in churches, schools and concert halls. Our Music Director, Gabriel Löfvall, and I were honored that St. Patrick-St. Anthony Church was asked to be one of the sites to hold one-on-one lessons.

Concert Organist John Rose, who retired as professor of organ at Trinity College in 2017, gave several lessons over the course of three days on our two pipe organs, and was thrilled to see and hear our Schantz Chancel Organ, as he was the Schantz sales representative when the organ was originally installed in Christ Church, Avon, back in 1977. Here he is pictured with his POE student Elijah Morris of Newtown, together with Gabe and myself at the Schantz console.



My only wish is that Pipe Organ Encounters had existed when I was in my teens so that I could have had the opportunity to experience some of the wonders of the pipe organ as these young persons have today. Who knows — I could have ended up as your Music Director instead of your Pastor! Don't worry, Gabe, your job is safe! Nevertheless, I am happy to see that young people have such a great interest in the organ, and that they will continue to enrich our worship in the years ahead.

Blessings on your week ahead!

Fr. Tim Shreenan, ofm.
Fr. Tim Shreenan, O.F.M.

**Pastor** 

## The Drumming Circle

Our next meeting is on Monday, July 11, 2022 from 6:30 to 8:00 PM in the church. Please email <u>Elaine Wiatr</u> for more information. Come join us.



Summer Nourishment: Making Sense of our Synod Summary

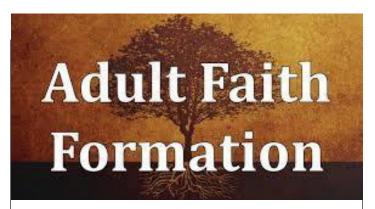
Tuesdays, July 12, 19 & 26; 12:30-1:00 PM. We're celebrating our Synod response to Pope Francis' invitation to share our JOYS, our CHALLENGES, and our insights for CHANGE needed within

the Church. Come and hear thoughtful and inspiring reflections from the Synod Team members who had the privilege of hosting more than 35 listening sessions within our faith community. Voices of our youth through to our seniors were heard! Within the context of prayer, our Team captured all of the input and the wisdom expressed in our Synod Summary Report.

Immediately following the 12:05 PM Mass for these three Tuesdays in July, JOIN US either in-person or virtually.

To provide a safe environment, we will offer an in-person light lunch for 24 people in the Franciscan Center. To make your in-person reservation, <u>CLICK here</u>.

To join in virtually, please <u>CLICK here</u> to receive the Zoom link. <u>CLICK Here to make a Free Will Offering.</u>



**Quiet Prayer**: Every Wednesday morning from 7:30 - 8:00 AM. Zoom link located in Monday's email.

**Praying with Summer Psalms:** Thursdays, July 14, 21: 10:30-11:30 AM. Come, join us this summer! Facilitator: Fr. A. Francis Soucy, OFM. *Free Will Offering*. CLICK HERE to register.

## **Summer Gatherings for People of Hope**

While our ongoing series is taking a summer break, we have a few "special offerings" to share with you this July!

Wednesday, July 13, 2022, 11:00 AM -12:00 PM, Gloria Ulterino will lead our ZOOM meeting. Gloria will share insights from her new book, "What



Time Is It: A Deep Reading of Our Lives throughout



the Liturgical Year". Called into ministry at midlife, Gloria earned a Master of Divinity degree and served for years in parish leadership positions in the Diocese of Rochester, NY. Preaching became a call, as well, and she has authored three books.

Wednesday, July 20, 2022, from 6:30-7:30 PM, Gloria Ulterino will travel to be with us in-person for a presentation, reception, and book-signing evening.

Wednesday, July 27, from 11:00 AM-12:00 PM, join us on Zoom for a special summertime reflection.

Please <u>Click Here</u> to register for all programs and receive the Zoom link to participate virtually.

Save the dates and plan to join in to uplift and rejuvenate your journey of faith! <u>CLICK Here to make a Free Will Offering.</u>

## A Novel Idea Book Club

A Novel Idea Book Club's book selection for July is *Apples Never Fall* by #1 New York Times best selling Author, Laine Moriarty. This novel looks at marriage, siblings, and how the people we love the most can hurt us the deepest.



Kirkus Reviews states that "Moriarty is a master of ambiguity and also of the small, telling detail...Funny, sad, astute, occasionally creepy, and slyly irresistible." While Jane Harper, New York Times bestselling author of *The Dry* and *The Surviors*, "... loved it. An absolute page-turner with all the wit and nuance that put Liane Moriarty head and shoulders above the crowd. Liane Moriarty shows once again why she leads the pack."

Join us on July 21, 2022 at 7:00 PM via Zoom. For more information and a list of upcoming books, please <u>CLICK HERE</u>, contact the office at 860-756-4034 or email <u>info@spsact.org</u>.

## Support our Sister Parish Through Christmas in July

Through our Covenant with St. Genevieve parish in Zorange, we committed to and have been able to provide a hot lunch and teacher salaries for the school. Without our support, an academic education with a noontime meal, most likely would not be available. In addition, another challenge is that conditions in Haiti continue to decline, since the 2010 earthquake and subsequent upheavals (political and natural disasters.) Prices for food and other commodities continue to rise.

"Back to School Prep"

As parents and grandparents, we enjoy celebrating milestones in our children's lives. One especially poignant yearly ritual for me is preparing our kids and grandkids with all of the necessities and "extras" for their move up to the next grade every September. Often this includes new outfits, a new backpack, perhaps new sneakers, and stocking up on snack and lunch essentials. The costs certainly add up quickly, especially for larger families.

During visits to Haiti I was always overwhelmed by the poverty, but also the pride of the parents, as I witnessed these children coming and going from school in immaculate and starched school uniforms. Schools require uniforms and parents must pay a local seamstress each time their child requires a new one. Often schools do not provide other basics that we take for granted.



We understand that most Haitian parents cannot afford to send their kids with food for the school day. And, often these kids have had no breakfast or a very meager morning meal. We understand how difficult it is to focus and accomplish anything, when you are hungry.

Please consider supporting our lunch program for our Haitian students, so that all of the students, morning and afternoon attendees, have the nutrition they need to help them concentrate and learn and grow.

-Patti, Sister Parish Committee Member

"A little goes a long way" is a very true saying, for our Christmas in July effort. We offer some additional information to show how far contributions can go. The protein for lunch is typically fish (often Herring) and takes \$29./day to include in each of the 413 meals. A



vegetable, often peas, takes \$42./day. The total cost for lunches for students in all grades equals \$2705./month, or \$125./day. Sometimes the pastor, Fr. Dominque, contributes to help ensure a nutritious meal. Can you help in any way?

Read more about our Christmas in July event to help get ready to feed all the students at St. Genevieve's School on our website, www.spsact.org. Open the photo app on your smartphone, point it at the QR code, click to open the page on our website to learn more and donate. If you are viewing online, simply click the QR code.



## Join Us Today at the Beach!

Join us at **Hammonasset Beach in Madison**, **CT** for Mass and a fun community day on Sunday, July 10, 2022!

Mass will be at 10:00 AM. Arrive early so you can find parking. Even if you're running late, come relax with us for the day! Bring chairs, beach blankets, all your beach gear, and a picnic for your family.

We have reserved Shelter 4, a handicapped accessible picnic area and pavilion by Meigs Point Nature Center. There are picnic tables and two grills at the pavilion, and a concession stand is in the area. Hope to see you there!

## 10:00 AM Mass Survey Results

We are grateful to all who participated in the 10:00 am Mass survey to answer the question of "should masks continue to be required at the 10:00 AM Mass?"



The staff has reviewed the results, read every comment, and discussed your responses. We value the time you spent in sharing your thoughtful comments with us.

The results of the survey were approximately 2:1 in favor of a continued mask requirement for the 10:00 AM Mass for the near future.

We plan to re-evaluate with another survey in the late summer / fall timeframe, and at that time, we can consider together as a community whether the Mass with a mask requirement should move to one of our other weekend Mass times.

If you would prefer to attend your weekend Mass in a Mask-optional setting, please remember that the Saturday at 4:00 PM, the Sunday 8:00 AM, 11:45 AM and 5:00 PM are all Masses that do not require masks.

## **Area Events of Interest:**

## The Second Annual Hartford Irish Road Bowling

**Tournament** takes place on Saturday, July 16, 2022 at 1:00 PM at Riverside Park in Hartford. The event is presented by Ancient Order of Hibernians Hartford Division 2 in conjunction with Riverfront Recapture. CLICK Here for more info or goto hartfordaoh.com.

**2nd Annual Festival of Faith and Culture** will happen on July 17, 2022 from 2:00 to 6:00 PM at St. Mark the Evangelist Church, 467 South Quaker Lane, West Hartford, CT. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Hartford Office of Faith and Culture. CLICK Here (https://archdioceseofhartford.org/event/second-annual-festival-of-faith-and-culture/) for more information. Come join the fun.

Please Pray for the Sick

Paula Molitar, Joseph Shertick, Vincent Marella, Greg Reed, Alex Ayers, Kathryn Eagers, Tommie Henry, Cecy Mickey, Jim Howard, Syl Ciraulo, Mary Ertel, Mary Joyce Castafero and Susan Degennaro.



Sunday, July 10, 2022

Arbor Bietsch Monos

child of Timothy and Emma Monos



# Altar Flowers for the Week of July 10, 2022

requested by Jim and Beverly Boyle



## 2nd Collection Next Weekend-July 16/17

**Franciscan Missionary Union:** 

For almost 90 years the Franciscan Missionary
Union has provided support to Franciscan Missionaries of Holy Name Province in far away places such as China, Bolivia, Peru, Jamaica and Kenya, as well as places closer to home like our parishes in rural Georgia. Today, the Franciscan Missionary Union has embarked on some new and exciting endeavors in our ongoing effort to provide people of faith with opportunities to live out their call to mission in the 21st century. We invite you to take some time to browse our <a href="mailto:new website">new website</a> and discover our priorities and learn how you can Support our efforts to "go into all

the world and preach the gospel to all creation" (Mark 16:15).

## Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, July 9, 2022

4:00 PM Melissa Corning

Sunday, July 10, 2022

8:00 AM Albert Brunelle

10:00 AM John "Jack" Langton

11:45 AM Richard Sexton

5:00 PM Judy Ryiz

Monday, July 11, 2022

7:30 AM Olidy S. de Orozco

12:05 PM Intentions of the Perez-Nieves Family

**Tuesday, July 12, 2022** 

7:30 AM

12:05 PM Intentions for Chuck Kopp

Wednesday, July 13, 2022

7:30 AM Parishioners of St. Genevieve

12:05 PM Joseph Kelliher

Thursday, July 14, 2022

7:30 AM Intentions for Carlos Costa

12:05 PM Egidio Casarella

Friday, July 15, 2022

7:30 AM For our parishioners

12:05 PM Salvatore Bramante

**Saturday, July 16, 2022** 

4:00 PM Conrado Rosal & Manuel Perez-Jimenez

Sunday, July 17, 2022

8:00 AM William, Angie & Joann Speziale

10:00 AM Pam McCue

11:45 AM Francesca & Elisa Lanard

5:00 PM

**On the cover:** "The Good Samaritan" by Rembrandt van Rijn (1606-1669). This small image was painted by the great Dutch artist in 1633. It is currently in The Wallace Collection in London, England.

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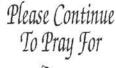


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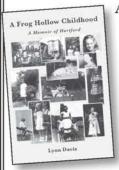
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