



St. Michael the Archangel Parish

of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Bridgeport
469 North Street • Greenwich, CT 06830

MISSION: We are a diverse community of Roman Catholics dedicated to a life of prayer and service to others. We strive to draw closer to God and to remain in God as we journey together, supporting one another to heaven.

April 26, 2026 – 4th Sunday of Easter

ST. MICHAEL CHURCH • LITURGY SCHEDULE

MASS

MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:00am
SATURDAY 9:00am & 5:15pm (Vigil Mass)
SUNDAY 8:00am, 9:45am, 12:00pm & 5:15 pm

CONFESSION

THURSDAY 9:30am-11:00am & 5:30pm-7:00pm
SATURDAY After the 5:15pm Mass

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

THURSDAY 9:30am-7:00pm
SATURDAY 8:00am-9:00am

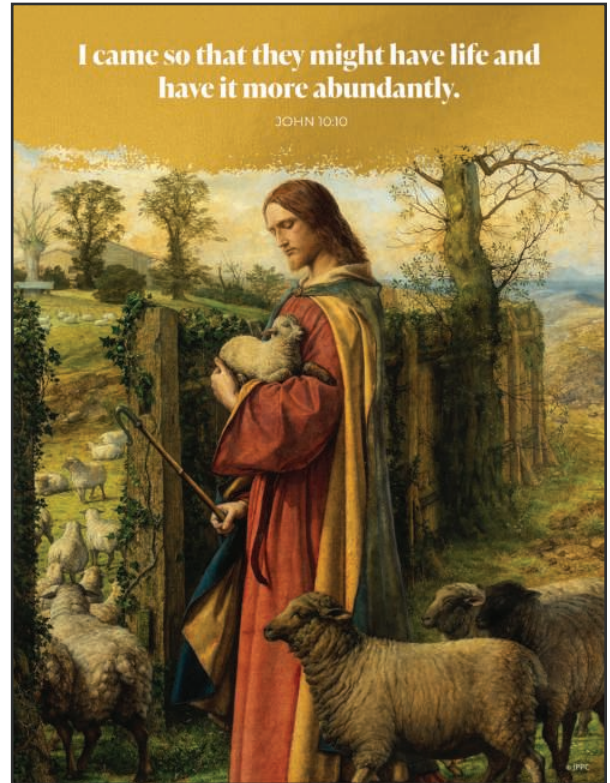
ST. TIMOTHY CHAPEL • 1034 NORTH STREET

MASS

SATURDAY 4:00pm (Vigil Mass)
SUNDAY 11:00am

Good news: we have low-gluten hosts!

Please tell the priest, at least ten minutes before the start of mass, that you would like to receive one.



To stay informed, all current information is on our website and look for the Friday Eblasts! To sign up, go to the "Contact" page on our website and "Join Our Email List"

Parish Office: (203) 869-5421
Parish Clergy/Staff: Ext #
Rev. Paul Holland S.J. – Pastor 8
Rev. Richard Murphy – Associate Pastor 9

Parish Office 1
Stephanie Gambino - Administrative Assistant
ParishOffice@stmichaelgreenwichct.org
Jane Johnson – Bookkeeper 5
Bookkeeper@stmichaelgreenwichct.org

Loren Procaccini – Faith, Youth & Family Ministry 4
FaithFormation@stmichaelgreenwichct.org

David Harris – Music Director (203) 913-3372
Music@stmichaelgreenwichct.org

Mary Elizabeth FitzRoy - Operations 6
Operations@stmichaelgreenwichct.org

Laurie Muñoz - Youth Minister 7
YouthMinister@stmichaelgreenwichct.org

Website: www.stmichaelgreenwich.com

Office Hours:
Monday through Thursday: 9:00 am-3:00 pm

Parish Trustees:
Mariels Winhoffer (201) 637-2170
Mawinhoffer@icloud.com
Frank Gilbride (203) 536-9714

SCAM ALERT! Parishioners are receiving **fake email and text messages**, claiming to be from the pastor and requesting the purchase of gift cards. **THESE ARE A SCAM.** Please check the sender's address before responding. If the address doesn't match our parish address (@stmichaelgreenwichct.org) or the diocesan address (@diobpt.org), report the matter to the parish office then block and delete the sender.

OFFERTORY

“God loves a cheerful giver.” (2 Cor 9:7) – Your Stewardship at Work

I begin by expressing my **GRATITUDE** for your generosity to the parish, to the annual Bishop’s Appeal, and to the several extra collections. However, our basic offertory collections are **DOWN** compared to last year. Winter weather has significantly impacted mass attendance. We are kept solvent by generous one-time gifts and by our fundraisers (Jubilee Gala & Golf Outing).

Don’t we, as a parish community, want to do more than just “stay afloat and keep the lights on?”

We want to flourish. And so, our parish operating budget, and the 25 ministries it funds, need **intentional, joyful and consistent Offertory supported by the entire parish community.**

Please prayerfully consider exercising **consistent stewardship**, even when out of town, by registering for **ONLINE GIVING** – see below for details. Giving \$45 weekly, \$165 monthly, or \$2,000 annually will underwrite St. Michael’s many ministries, and our one mission, to give witness and service to the Reign of God, until God’s “kingdom come and His will be done on earth as it is in heaven.”

Thank you – Fr. Paul D. Holland SJ

Offertory Matters

Your responsible stewardship funds our mission of:

Worship • Community • Service

Paying by credit card? Consider checking the box to cover the 3% processing fee

Scan the QR code or click on the online giving button at the top right-hand corner of our website



Thank you for your generous support of our parish home!

Responsible Stewardship

4/13-4/19 Online Giving: \$4,279.00
4/19 Pew Collection: \$7,487.00
4/19 Total: \$11,766.00

**Weekly Offertory Goal to Meet Operating Budget:
\$17,500**

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 25, 2026

St.M 9:00 AM Maisey O’Donnell Fr. R
St.T 4:00 PM Gina Germano Fr. P
5:15 PM Patricia D. Castellano Fr. R

Sunday, April 26, 2026

St.M 8:00 AM Elsa Almeda Fr. P
9:45 AM S. I. The Cichy Family Fr. R
St.T 11:00 AM All Parishioners Fr. P
12:00 PM S. I. Claudia Ricciardi Fr. R
and Tim Lamberta
5:15 PM Elie Makhraz Fr. P

Monday, April 27, 2026

St.M 9:00 AM Wieslaw Rakoczy Fr. R

Tuesday, April 28, 2026

St.M 9:00 AM Cary May Fr. R

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

St.M 9:00 AM Breton Marr

Thursday, April 30, 2026

St.M 9:00 AM Lorenzo Contadino Fr. P

Friday, May 1, 2026

St.M 9:00 AM Halstead Family Fr. P

Saturday, May 2, 2026

St.M 9:00 AM S.I. Esquivel and Pielak Families Fr. R
St.T 4:00 PM Josephine Mancini Fr. R
5:15 PM S.I. Juan Diego Camacho Fr. P

Sunday, May 3, 2026

St.M 8:00 AM Michael Pratt Fr. M
9:45 AM Matthew Brown Fr. P
St.T 11:00 AM Houda Matta Fr. M
12:00 PM All Parishioners Fr. R
5:15 PM George Matta Fr. R

P: Fr. Paul R: Fr. Richard M: Fr. Marcotte

SANCTUARY CANDLE



The week of April 26, 2026

St. Michael

St. Timothy
John and Mary Zygmunt



Pastor's Reflection

"I came so that they may have life and have it more abundantly."
(John 10:10)

A poor family in Italy dreamed of making a new life in America. The parents scrimped and saved to buy tickets for the passenger ship. And when they finally were ready to depart, the father realized that he only had money for the tickets, but not for food, so they crammed several boxes of crackers and plenty of cheese in their luggage to ensure they would have enough to eat during the trip.

And the father sternly warned the children to stay in their room and keep quiet. After several days of surviving on hard cheese and stale crackers, one of the children stole out of the cabin and began exploring the ship.

When the father realized his son was not in the room, he was distraught and began to search for the boy. Finally, he found him in the dining salon, with a feast set in front of him: meats, vegetables, breads and desserts.

The father was both relieved to have found his son but aghast at what the boy had done. "Son, look at all this food. We can never afford to pay for it all. What will we do?"

The boy looked up from his meal and said, "Dad, the tickets for the trip include the meals."

Too many believers think of church and religion as a regime of hard cheese and stale crackers, and they have to labor hard to come up with the price of admission; whereas in fact Christ freely bestows on us the gift of salvation and invites us to a fabulous scrumptious banquet.

John offers his gospel so "that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name." (John 20:31). And that life is not in some distant future; it is now! It is the life by which God Himself lives, the life the Son of God possesses from the Father. He breathes upon us the gift of that life, the Spirit, through the living waters of baptism and nourishes that life in the Eucharistic banquet.

The eternal Supper of the Sacrificed Lamb awaits us, and each mass is a foretaste. Come to the banquet; Christ has paid the cost and gives us abundant life.

--Fr. Paul D. Holland, S.J.
Pastor, St. Michael the Archangel Parish



Are you Interested in becoming Catholic?

Learning more about the Catholic Faith?

Do you wish to receive the Sacraments?

Jesus said, "Come, and you will see."
John 1: 39

Are you—or someone you know—interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith?

OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) is the process by which teens, young adults, adults and couples are welcomed into the Catholic Church through prayer, study, fellowship and community.

Whether you are unbaptized, baptized in another Christian tradition or a baptized Catholic who has not yet received First Communion and Confirmation, OCIA offers a supportive and faith-filled journey of accompaniment toward full initiation into the Church. All are welcome!

For more information, you can speak with our Pastor, Father Paul Holland after mass; call the parish office at 203-869-5421 or email the Coordinators:

Val Sprague
valerieansprague@gmail.com
or Lisa Rooney
lisarooney76@gmail.com.
God Bless You!!!

Mother's Day @ Nathaniel Witherell

2 WAYS TO PARTICIPATE

♥ Make a Mother's Day Card

Drop your Card at the entrance of St. Michael Church
April 25th - May 10th

♥ Join us for Tea with the Residents of N. Witherell

Tuesday, May 12, 2:00pm - 3:00pm
Meet at the entrance of the Residence
70 Parsonage Rd. @1:45pm



FORE!

The 2026 Annual St. Michael the Archangel Golf Outing will be held on Monday, June 15th at the Griff Harris GC in Greenwich.

Sign up early to participate as a golfer, sponsor of both! Details including the Golf Entry Form may be found on the parish website. Alternatively, you may contact Mike Nedder at mcnedder@gmail.com or 914-329-1242 for him to email you the form or answer any of your questions.

This is a great annual event which promotes parish fellowship and provides financial support to our parish. We hope to see you there this June!



St. Michael Women's Association
Invites you to join us for ...



Wednesday, April 29th 7:00 - 9:00 pm
Guinan Hall

FOOD, FUN, FRIENDSHIP, GAMES and PRIZES!!
\$10 admission at the door.

Please rsvp at email address below
(so that we can have a head count)

SMWA.rsvp@gmail.com

We are currently are looking for someone to help take over the Baptismal Bibs Ministry.

Please call our office 203-869-5421 for more information and to volunteer.



Please join your fellow parishioners and help us reach our goal of 225 donors! We are just over halfway there.

The Bishop's Appeal covers needs that are distinct from the weekly collection, including:


- The urgent need for more clergy in our diocese
- Retired clergy so they can age with the dignity and care they deserve
- Tuition assistance for students to attend catholic schools
- Meals for those in need
- Many more programs that respond to the spiritual, educational and social needs of our neighbors

We have now reached our financial goal on the appeal thanks to you! All funds pledged before June 30th exceeding our financial goal will be returned to Saint Michael's.

Please consider participating - any amount truly helps!
Visit: 2026BishopsAppeal.org



2026 BISHOP'S APPEAL - ONE IN CHRIST

St. Michael the Archangel Parish	
2026 Bishop's Appeal as of 4/17/26	
Bishop's Appeal Goal:	\$279,500.00
Total Pledged:	\$287,284 (103%)
Donors to Date:	113 Donors
	To make a gift, or for more information, please visit us at 2026BishopsAppeal.org , call (203) 416-1470 or scan with your phone.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Prayers for the Sick will be updated on a monthly basis. Please be so kind to email or call the parish office with names you would like to add or remove.

Tom Schupp	Donna L.	Matias Berthelon
Grace Wohlberg	Laura	John Paul
Eneko Rauch	Jim Z	SanGiovanni
Renato P.	Angie C	Barbara F.
Rob S.	Miranda H.	Alex Rocco
Rita S.	M.D.	Matthew F.
Mateo	Christine Angelica	George S
Frank Z.	Magtibay	Kelly Berry
Jane G.	George Sinclair	Yvonne Williams
Jim W.	Peter O'Neil	Michael Sabia
Richard C.	Mark H.	The adult children
Michael	Patrick F	of
A. M. C.	Michelle P.	Polly & Freddy
Alain C.	Allison Radzin	William E. Jensen
Rita C.	Jasmine Drake	Cindy L.
Rita D.	Stephen	
A. C. Z.	DiCologero	

HEALING MINISTRY

A New Ministry at St. Michael

Begin your healing journey with the Holy Spirit, the great healer who brings freedom and renewal.



By embracing God's Truth, the wounds of the heart are healed and barriers to His love are removed.

With the guidance of Scripture, be immersed in the promises and truth of God's love, grace, and mercy.

Join us for:

- Guided healing exercises
- Deep individual prayer sessions
- Small group prayer sessions

For more information contact:
Paola Roditti
Stmichael.healingministry@gmail.com



FAITH FORMATION

A lifelong journey, childhood-teens-adults

Bible study takes up again beginning **Monday, May 18 from 1:30 -2:30 PM** in St. Gabriel room in the parish center. We will be studying Paul's letter to the Romans. Though you can just show up, we would appreciate you calling the Parish Office on 203-869-5421 to let us know you will be joining us so we can get an idea of how many to expect.



- Fr. Richard



Invites you to the 2026 BACCALAUREATE BLESSING

*for the graduates of 8th grade * High School * College*

A Baccalaureate blessing is to celebrate and give thanks for the students' achievements and asking for God's blessings on their next chapter.

Saturday, May 30 at the 5:15pm Mass

469 North Street, Greenwich CT 06830







Scan to Register

RSVP BY MAY 18. For more information please contact youthminister@stmichaelgreenwichct.org or call (203) 869-5421, ext 7

Holiness at Home

Mealtime

Faith is about relationships, and relationships are further formed around the table.

The Eucharist at Mass

The central and most significant meal in the Catholic faith is the Eucharist or Holy Communion.

During Mass, the bread and wine are consecrated and become the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ. Just as we need to eat food to give us energy and keep our bodies healthy, we also need Jesus, the living bread, to nourish our souls and keep our spiritual lives strong. When we receive the Eucharist, we are receiving the very life of Christ into our souls. It strengthens us, gives us grace, and helps us grow in our relationship with God.

For more ways to connect mealtime and your faith, and to make the most of family meals, visit **First Witnesses:** firstwitnesses.org/mealtime/

Saint Michael Church is having



MARVELOUS MYSTERY
THE MASS COMES ALIVE

VBS THIS SUMMER!



August 10-14, 2026

9:45-1:00

For children entering grades 1-6

This VBS will immerse kids in the greatest mystery on earth as they learn about the incredible treasure of the Mass and develop a love for Jesus in the Eucharist.

Registration Coming Soon



Adults and older teens (entering grades 7-12) who want to be a part of our VBS team, please contact Laurie Munoz

(203)869-5421
youthminister@stmichaelgreenwichct.org



Nurtured Over Four Generations
To Provide Personal Funeral Care.

Coxe & Graziano FUNERAL HOME

203-869-5968
www.coxeandgraziano.com

134 Hamilton Avenue • Greenwich, CT 06830

~ Pre-Arrangements made at other facilities will be honored ~

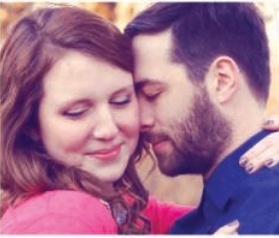
Jennifer Graziano & Vincent Graziano, Owners
Vincent Graziano, Licensed Manager

THE
HAWTHORN
SCHOOL



CATHOLIC CLASSICAL SCREEN-FREE
BEDFORD, NY | GRADES PK - 9

catholicmatch®
Connecticut



CatholicMatch.com/
dateCT

Castiglione
Funeral Home, Inc.

Greenwich's Own

Still Owned & Operated by the DiAngelo Family for 26 Years
544 Old Post Road #3 • Greenwich, CT 06830
(203) 869-0894 • www.CastiglioneFH.com

Space
Available

Pets at Peace
Dr. Kevin Cline, DVM, CPEV

Compassionate
In-Home Pet
Euthanasia Services



www.petsatpeaceCT.com | (475) 731-4148

Life Lyrics
Music Therapy

Laura Joy Florio
MA, LCAT, MT-BC
Creative Arts Therapist,
Music Therapist
@lifelyricsmusictherapy
917-779-8832
laura@lifelyricsmusictherapy.com



Life Lyrics is proud to provide group and individual music therapy sessions for children and families of all abilities!

NMLS# 763755

THE FIRST BANK OF
GREENWICH
The Bank that comes to you

Frank J. Gaudio, President & CEO
203.302.4375

www.greenwichfirst.com • 444 E. Putnam Ave. • Cos Cob

Connecting businesses to customers in realtime!

YOUR BUSINESS



Finding FIBER™



Kessler
Pet & Home Sitting Services

House Sitting • Pet Sitting
Home Organization

917-783-0289



Always Caring
OF CONNECTICUT
Home Care with Heart

ALWAYS CARING OF CONNECTICUT
29 E Main Street, Westport CT 06880
(203) 557-4355 * support@alwayscaringct.com
Registered | Bonded | Insured | HCA#0001470
Proudly Serving: Fairfield & New Haven Counties

Non-Medical Home Care
Providing Hourly/Live-In/24 Hour Care
Call for your **COMPLIMENTARY** Home Assessment
Rated 5 Star Care by our Clients

Trustworthy Care Available To You & Your Loved Ones


Peter Suchy Jewelers
Specializing in
ANTIQUE & ESTATE JEWELRY
Gemstones, Purchased, Sold, Repaired & Appraised

1137 High Ridge Road, Stamford, CT 06905
203-327-0024 www.petersuchyjewelers.com

COSMETIC, RESTORATIVE AND MULTI-SPECIALTY DENTISTRY

DR. JAN LINHART
DR. ZACHARY LINHART
DR. KENNETH TEMPLE
DR. CINDY CHAGAS
DR. MICHAEL MACK

40 EAST PUTNAM AVENUE
SUITE 2B • GREENWICH, CT 06807
203-661-2279
www.drlinhart.com



LINHART
DENTISTRY
ESTABLISHED 1979



Orthodontic Associates of New Canaan

SPECIALIST ORTHODONTIST FOR SPECTACULAR SMILES

We are an orthodontic practice located in New Canaan, Connecticut. Our goal is to provide high-quality orthodontic treatment using the most innovative technology. Our effort and your effort equal your custom, beautiful smile!

45 Pine Street, New Canaan | 203-966-3042 | www.orthodonticsofnewcanaan.com







INCREASE YOUR VISIBILITY IN THE COMMUNITY
Place Your Ad Here to Support Our Parish!

CONTACT ME
Judy McNea

jmcnee@jppc.net
(203) 856-9085





FAIRFIELD COUNTY
Catholic Cemeteries
of the Diocese of Bridgeport, LLC



If you are concerned about your end of life plans, searching for the sacred ground of a Catholic cemetery, or have loved ones buried in one of our 14 Diocese cemeteries, now might be a good time to begin planning for yourself or other family members.

Start your planning by contacting
Jenine Berardesca or Angel Bodine our Family Advisors
at St. Mary-Putnam Cemetery at **203.472.1510**
or email jenine.berardesca@ctcemeteries.org
or angel.bodine@ctcemeteries.org





PRE-NEED FUNERAL PLANNING
ON-PREMISES PARKING
SPACIOUS FACILITIES
134 HAMILTON AVENUE
GREENWICH, CT 06830
www.freddknapp.com
203-869-0315

local expertise you can trust

Daniel Warner
 203-302-4164
 261 East Putnam Avenue
 Cos Cob CT 06807
www.allstate.com/thewarneragency



O'Malley Care Inc.
 Independent Home Healthcare Providers
A Helping Hand & A Warm Smile!
 • Fully Certified Aides
 We Promote Independence not Dependence
 Let us Help your Loved One.
Annemarie O'Malley
203-912-1372



SAM BRIDGE
 NURSERY & GREENHOUSES, LLC
FULL SERVICE GARDEN CENTER
 Landscape Design, Installation & Maintenance
www.sambridge.com • (203) 869-3418

Bettina Wohlforth
 AuD, CCC-A
 Formerly of
 Greenwich Hospital
Doctor of Audiology
203-661-7879
 100 Melrose Avenue, Suite 200
 GREENWICH



GILBRIDE, TUSA, LAST
& SPELLANE LLC

A CT & NYC GENERAL PRACTICE LAW FIRM BASED IN GREENWICH
 ESTATE AND TAX PLANNING • PROBATE AND TRUST ADMINISTRATION
 REAL ESTATE • BUSINESS LAW • ZONING AND LAND USE
www.GTSLaw.com | 31 Brookside Dr., Greenwich, CT - (203) 622-9360
 175 Elm St., 2Fl, New Canaan, CT 06840

Sotheby's
 INTERNATIONAL REALTY
Pam Pagnani
 203.618.3111
pam.pagnani@sothebysrealty.com
 SVP, Brokerage Manager
www.sothebyshomes.com/greenwich



GREENWICH CATHOLIC SCHOOL
Where Faith Meets Academic Excellence
203-869-4000
 Grades PreK3-8 • www.gcscct.org
 471 North St., Greenwich, CT 06830

ROSARIES INC.
 Custom rosaries, chaplets, jewelry & keepsakes made with wedding and funeral flowers
978-851-9103
ROSARIESFROMFLOWERS.COM

Since 1988
MANFREDI
 jewels

121 Greenwich Avenue
 GREENWICH
203.622.1414
www.manfredijewels.com
Buying and selling the finest estate watches and jewelry

Event Services by Marylee, LLC
Event Planning & Staffing
203-554-6069
www.eventsbymarylee.com



Whether you're buying your first boat, or selling one you've enjoyed for years, let me assist you with the process. Powerboats or sailboats, brokerage or new, big or small, put my energy and experience to work for you - 35+ years of boating experience on Long Island Sound, and beyond.

JOHN GLYNN
 Yacht Sales Professional
203-247-0470
JOHNG@MCMYACHT.COM



Painting for St. Michael's Parishioners Since 1993

PRODUCTION PAINTING

"Quality work from start to finish"
 INTERIOR/EXTERIOR
 Free Estimates • Fully Insured
 Brett T. Price • **203-322-7054**

Family is why we do it all.
William G Schmauch
 Agent
State Farm
 1374 E Putnam Ave.
 Old Greenwich, CT
203-698-1000

K9 RESORTS
 Convenient Stamford Location
 Luxury Boarding & Doggie Daycare
 Use Code "Bulletin" For 15% Off!
 203-344-7615 | k9resorts.com/stamford

ACE HANDYMAN SERVICES
 Fully Licensed & Insured
NO JOB IS TOO SMALL!
10% Parishioner Discount when you mention this ad
 Call Rodrigo on his cell at **203-558-5687**
 Check out this website for testimonials and full range of services
<https://www.acehandymanservices.com/offices/westchester-county-and-greenwich>

Greenwich Real Estate Made Easy!
 by Blazej Cichy, Parishioner
 Broker/Owner at Abart Estate LLC
 646-344-9931, bcichy@abartestate.com
 Full Service Agent and Owner's Rep
www.greenwich.abartestate.com

GRAVESITE BEAUTIFICATION SERVICES
info@sereneandsightly.com
475-350-0348
SERENE & SLIGHTLY
SERVICES PROVIDED:
 Planting, watering, weeding, mulch, fertilizing
 Pruning, edge clipping, headstone cleaning
 Birthday and Holiday decor

American Red Cross
Someone Needs You!
VOLUNTEER
 and make a difference.
 Join today:
redcross.org/Volunteer



Proudly serving our community.

LEO P. GALLAGHER & SON
 FUNERAL HOME
 GREENWICH
 203-869-1513
LeoPGallagher.com

Dignity
 MEMORIAL
 LIFE WELL CELEBRATED