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"But the fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control" Gal. 5:22-23

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MASS SCHEDULE
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS 4:00 PM

SUNDAY MASS
7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 AM

DAILY MASS
Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM



Welcome New Parishioners

Welcome to our parish family. To register, please, fill out the registration form enclosed in this bulletin and drop it off in the collection basket or at the parish office on the 2nd floor.

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are generally held on Sundays at 12:45 PM. Please call the parish office to register and arrange for a Baptism, and to sign up for a pre-Baptismal class.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00-3:45PM or by appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage

Registered parishioners are required to meet with the Pastor at least 9 months prior to the Wedding date.

Sacrament of the Sick

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is administered in each of our nursing homes as well as in private homes. Please call the parish office to arrange for a visit.

THE SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, February 10th

4:00 pm **Phil & Jake Andrew Lanne**
by Frank & Rosemarie Capocci

Sunday, February 11th

7:30 am **Rose & Rosario Carcione**
by Joe & Josephine Carcione

9:30 am **The Camacho & Healy Family**
by The Camacho Family

11:30 am **Fr. Joseph Koterski**
by Elizabeth Jaeger

Monday, February 12th

Miraculous Medal Novena Following Mass

9:00 am **Joanne Piazza**
by Grace Fama

Tuesday, February 13th

9:00 am **Penny Krois**
by Brother

Wednesday, February 14th - Ash Wednesday

9:00 am **Flavia Keane**
by The Family

12:15 pm **For The Parishioners & Benefactors of our
Parish Both Living & Deceased**

6:30 pm **Jennie Romanello**
by Anne Portanova

Thursday, February 15th

9:00 am **John Watson**
by Daughter Donna

Friday February 16th

9:00 am **Joseph Barone, Moses Saraiva, Jack &
Maryann DiBari**

Saturday, February 17th

4:00 pm **Frank Albanese**
by Mary Lou Archino

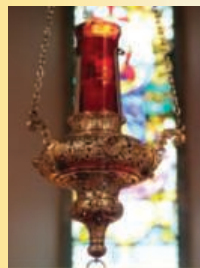
Sunday, February 18th

7:30 am **Msgr. Peter Gelsomino**
by The Piper Family

9:30 am **Al & Mary Tomassi**
by Joe & Maryann DeRuvo

11:30 am **Kathleen Austin Marino**
by Anthony & Teresa

The Perpetual Light candle burns this week for



Vincenzo & Antoniette Perre
By
The Lucchese Family

Church Support

The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 4, 2024

	<u>In-Pew/Mail In</u>	<u>Online</u>	<u>Total</u>
Sunday Offertory	\$3,824.00	\$5,570.00	\$9,394.00
Capital Improvement	1,530.00	1,130.00	2,660.00
Misc.	560.00	85.00	645.00
Total	\$5,914.00	\$6,785.00	\$12,699.00

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WOMEN'S GUILD MEETING

Welcome back!!

We are looking forward to seeing
everyone at our next meeting
weather permitting which is
Wednesday February 21st at 1pm

See you then!



THE SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Lent and Its Discipline

Lent begins this Wednesday, February 14th Masses will be celebrated at **9:00am, 12:15pm, & 6:30pm** Ashes will be distributed at the conclusion of each Mass.

During Lent, the Church asks us to surrender ourselves to prayer and to the reading of Scripture, to fasting and to giving alms. In prayer, we stand before our God as his children and intercede on behalf of those in need. In fasting, we deny ourselves certain things of this world to be filled with God and his spiritual gifts. In giving of alms, we practice the Christian virtue of charity, and emulate God's mercy, which is love in action.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are traditional days of fasting for Catholics between 18 and 59 years of age.

Additionally, Catholics who are 14 and older are asked not to eat meat on Fridays of Lent. It is both a form of penance and our respect for the sacrifice of Christ—the Lamb of God, who died on the Cross for us.

From the perspective of this past year, when so much has been asked of us already, this extra penance may seem either trivial, or excessive. However, what makes a difference is our act of will and intent. First, we want to thank our God for the gift of His Son, and for the ultimate sacrifice that He has made. We also want to unite all our sufferings and sacrifices to His, which is precisely what gives our works and prayers their enduring value and saving power.

May God look kindly upon all our Lenten practices, grant us mercy, and transform our hearts, and our world.



Upcoming Fridays in Lent

There will be a 9 am Mass each Friday

**Beginning this Friday February 16th
during Lenten Season.**

Confessions will be available at 8:30am.

The Stations of the Cross following the Mass.

Bereavement Group

The Saint Paul Bereavement Group meeting is **Wednesday February 14th from 6-7pm in the parish center.** The group will be co-led by Dr. Sheila Devlin-Craane DNP, NPP, and Fr. Roger McDonough. Dr. Craane is a nurse practitioner in psychiatry, specializing in crisis and loss. Father McDonough holds a master's degree in pastoral counseling.

If you are interested in joining the group, please contact **Sheila Devlin-Craane at 917-577-2129, prior to your first meeting.**



Lent



2024

Greenwich Catholic Parishes

Ash Wednesday, February 14

SAINT CATHERINE & SAINT AGNES 7 AM, 12:10 PM, 5:15 PM, 6:30 PM (Spanish)

- Distribution of Ashes 7 PM-8 PM
- Stations of the Cross Fridays, 7 PM, 2 PM (Spanish)
- Confessions Saturdays, 3 PM
- Daily Mass 7 AM, 5:15 PM (M, T, Th, F)

SAINT MARY 9 AM, 12:05 PM, 5:30 PM, 7 PM (Spanish)

- Stations of the Cross Fridays, 7 PM; (Bi-lingual)
- Confessions Saturdays, 3 PM; Tuesdays, 6 PM-8 PM; Fridays, 11:30 AM
- Daily Mass 12:05 PM (M-F)
- Adoration Fridays, 10 AM-4 PM

SAINT MICHAEL 9 AM, 6 PM; (Ashes only at Noon)

- Confessions Saturdays after 5 PM Mass; Weds. 9:30 AM-11 AM, 6:30 PM-8 PM
- Daily Mass 9:00 AM (M-F)
- Adoration Wednesdays, 9:30 AM-8 PM; Saturdays, 8 AM-9 AM

SAINT PAUL 9 AM, 12:15 PM, 6:30 PM

- Stations of the Cross Fridays, after 9 AM Mass
- Confessions Saturdays, 3 PM; Fridays, 30 minutes before 9 AM Mass
- Daily Mass 9:00 AM (M-F)
- Adoration First Fridays, after 9 AM Mass

SAINT ROCH Noon, 7:30 PM; (Ashes only 9 AM, 5:30 PM)

- Stations of the Cross Fridays, 7 PM
- Confessions Saturdays, 4:00 PM; Sundays, 1 PM (Spanish)
- Daily Mass 7:30 PM (M-F); 8 AM (Saturdays-Latin Mass at Saint Mary Chapel)
- Adoration First Fridays, 9 AM-7 PM

SACRED HEART 7 AM, 12:15 PM, 6:30 PM

- Stations of the Cross Fridays, 6:30 PM
- Confessions Saturdays, 3 PM
- Daily Mass 7 AM (M-F)
- Adoration First Fridays, 6 PM

THE SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Thank you to Luisa and Gianmarco Pellegrino for running the St. Paul Family Coffee hour in February. It was a huge success thanks to their efforts! Coffee hours are held the first Sunday of every month. If you and your family are interested in helping in any upcoming month, we would love the help! Please contact the Religious Ed Office at (203) 531-4265.

Thanks again Luisa and GM!

St. Paul Church welcomed



Emmet Pratt

into our community last Sunday through the Sacrament of Baptism. God bless him and his family.

REMINDER

Please do not leave copies of the bulletin in the pews after Mass.

Please Pray...

Please keep the following in your prayers, the names of those who are sick in our parish, those facing surgery and those in need of healing:

Liam Craane	Doug DeMarco
JAnthony Marini	Ted Farfaglia
Jani and Marco Cuono	Theresa DiLucchio
RosaMaria Santos	Anthony Labroschiano
Zachary Dolgetta	Bob Jay Apolinario
Roger Woolcott	Ted Sabato
Christina Zannikos	Geralyn Piria
Robert Mulderrig	Steven Fallanca
David Snyder	Vincent Palone Sr
Anthony Rovitaille	Jacob Rivera
Joanne Carpenito	Frank Ward
Joe DeLaurentis	Cate Elliott-Bocassi
Rajanand Bisnathsing	William Piciulli
Julie Zielinski	Angela Repaci
Elizabeth Jaeger	Evelyn Lurentzatos
Anna Fusita	Shadi Khader
Mary Jones	John & Joan Sullivan
Anthony Wu	Carlos Camacho
Claire Azzara	Mark Clifton
Joseph DeCarlo	Joy Xhudo & Family
Louis J. Cappelli	Nenita Martin
Beverley Freed	Karyn Forbes
Stephen Schneider	Marilyn Gendalia
Linda Winter	Kerry Dunn
Sandy Domingo	Sarah Mackin
Gail Piria	Pat Chrusz



The St. Paul Family Shares in the Loss of



Jennie Romanello

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

May she rest in peace



Teaching and Preaching the Gospel

“One in Christ” is the theme of the 2024 Bishop’s Appeal. This message is more important than ever as we work toward unity in our Church and in our society. In that spirit, please consider the many ways in which the Appeal unites the diocese in service, compassion and faith.

All the good works performed are accomplished in the name of Christ and are expressions of oneness in Him. The Bishop’s Appeal is an important vehicle to create welcoming, vital and loving communities of faith.

This year’s Appeal goal for our parish is **\$100,200** which remains unchanged from last year. Thank you for your past support of the Appeal and for all that you do for our parish, other families and those you may never meet. Once again, we ask for your generous support of the 2024 Bishop’s Appeal.

May God bless you always.

WAYS TO GIVE

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Opportunities for discipleship are essential to keeping **middle school and high school students** involved in their faith. The Institute provides mentoring for parish leaders and guidance to faith communities to make sure young people stay connected to the life, mission and ministry of our parishes.

Priests are provided with ongoing development through graduate studies in canon law, liturgy, music, Church history and other areas.

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