Saturday, 4:00 pm
Sunday, 7:30, 10:30, 5:00 pm
Monday - Friday, 6:45 and 9:00 am
Holy Days—Vigil Mass 7:30 pm
Holy Day- 6:45 & 9:00 a.m., 5:30 & 7:30 pm
Holidays - 8:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION

All parishioners are asked to be formally registered with the parish. Registration is requiredto receive parish mailings, sponsor certificates, and sacraments. Call the Rectory office for information or go to strosechurch.com/ register.

PENANCE

Confessions are celebrated each Saturday from 3:00 until 4:00 p.m. or by special appointment with one of the priests.

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays at 1:30 p.m. A pre-Baptism class is required for those wishing to baptize a child. For other important parent and sponsor related pre-requisites, please call the Rectory office or go to strosechurch.com/baptism.

FIRST COMMUNION, FIRST PENANCE and CONFIRMATION

Religious education classes begin at age 4. First Grade is a pre-requisite for First Communion and First Penance. Attendance is required in each grade for reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation in grade 8. For more information and pre-requisites for these sacraments, go to strosechurch.com.

MARRIAGE

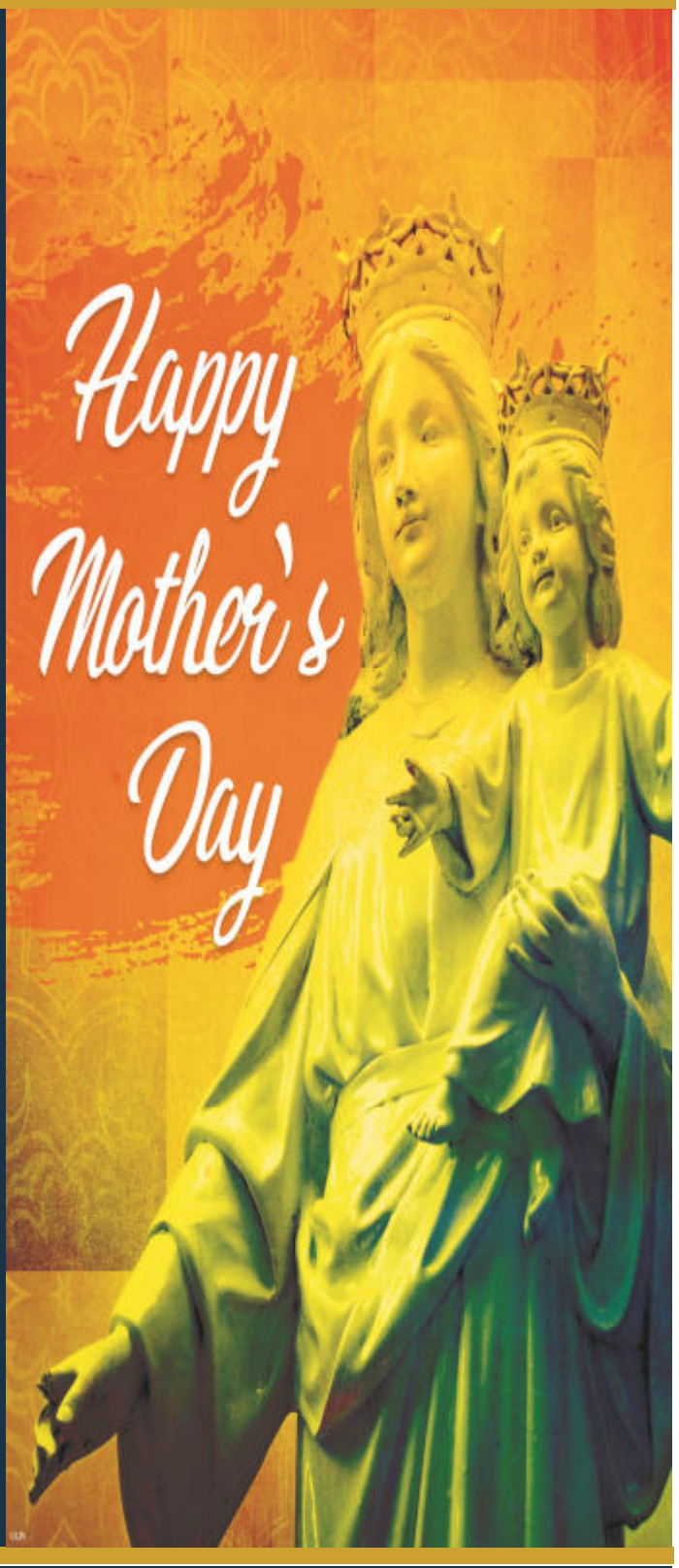
The couple is asked to contact one of the parish clergy to make arrangements for a wedding, which must be made at least six months prior to the wedding date. For all other important pre-requisites for the marriage sacrament, go to strosechurch.com/marriage.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the Rectory office if you wish to receive this sacrament or if you wish to have Holy Communion brought to your home.

SAINT ROSE CEMETERY

The cemetery is located on the corner of Cherry and Black Cherry Streets in Sandy Hook. For more information, please contact the Office.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, May 10
6:45 Oliva Pelletier . . . . . Joan Gilbertie
9:00 Pat Owens . . . . . Flip & Knettie Archard
Tuesday, May 11
6:45 Intentions of Jenna Donovan . . . . . Family
9:00 Helen Baiad . . . . . Peggy & Tony Baiad
Wednesday, May 12
6:45 Cresente Bautista . . . . . Raymond Bautista
9:00 Frances Nolan (nee Carney) Billy & Teresa Tully & Family
7:30 Vigil—Dile Gjoka . . . . . The Singer Family
Thursday, May 13 (Ascension Thursday)
6:45 Intentions of Adrienne & Al Keogler . . . . . .Mom, Dianne & Mary
9:00 Jack Obre—10th Anniversary . . . . . Family
5:30 Mary DiCrescenzo . . . . . .Family
Friday, May 14
6:45 Ann Poeltl . . . . . Family
9:00 Anthony Bifulco . . . . . St. Rose Women's Club
Saturday, May 15
4:00 Patricia Musano . . . . . Donald & Angela Orrico
Mary Beth Patterson . . . . . Barbara Lesko
Sunday, May 16
7:30 Angela Pepe . . . . . .Debbie & Pat Pepe
10:30 Mario Ribeiro . . . . . .Connie Carey
5:00 Suzanne Reilly . . . . . The Hill Family

Wedding Banns:

Banns II: Jessica Cherry & Sean McFadden
Banns I: Lindsay Jossick & Carlos Lara

ASCENSION THURSDAY—Holy Day of Obligation
Vigil—Wednesday, May 12—7:30 p.m.

Holy Day—Thursday, May 13 Masses at 6:45, 9:00, 5:30

The Sanctuary Candle will be lit this week in memory of Norvil Campos as requested by Peggy & Tony Baiad.

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St Rose Altar Servers:

We're coming back. It's a process, but Monsignor Bob is asking the various ministries at St. Rose to begin rebuilding.

We thank you for your service before the pandemic, and eagerly await your return. As you know, serving at the altar of our Lord is a pleasure and a privilege.

It is a great service that you can offer to our parish, our priests and our Lord. We will also be training new altar servers

For altar servers this is a 3 step process.

Step 1 - tell us you are interested, and what Mass you'd like to serve
Step 2 - return for training (number of sessions to be determined)
Step 3 - begin serving again.

As always, students who will be entering Grade 4 and higher in September of 2021 are welcome to serve. This means that any student currently in grade 3 and higher is welcome. Students must be baptized and have received their first Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

We look forward to hearing from you. Please join me and our other priests as we celebrate our Mass. Please contact Donna Locke d.locke@snet.net

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Open the Hearts of Young People
O loving and gracious God, Father of all, You bless Your People in every time and season and provide for their needs through Your providential care. Your Church is continually in need of priests, sisters and brothers to offer themselves in the service of the Gospel by lives of dedicated love.

Open the hearts of Your sons and daughters to listen to Your call in their lives. Give them the gift of courage to follow Your call. May they have the spirit of young Samuel who found fulfillment in his life when he said to You, "Speak Lord, for Your servant is listening."

We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Redeemer. Amen. *Most Rev. Joseph A. Fiorenza Archbishop Emeritus Galveston*

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A MESSAGE FROM MONSIGNOR BOB

Loving God, You wrap Your arms around your people and show Your everlasting love the same way a mother loves her children. We are grateful for the love You have taught us through the mothers in our lives...our own mother who brought us into the world, the mothers of friends who have welcomed us into their homes and families, our grandmothers who always take time for us and the women who have helped us even though we were not their child. Bless all the mothers of this world today. May they know the fullness of love they have shared and be blessed every day of their lives. Amen.

This weekend we celebrate the gift of our mothers. Mothers will be the first to admit they are not perfect, but the love they have for their children is unparalleled and irreplaceable! We are all blessed in our mothers for giving us life and nurturing us with their care. These are challenging times in which we are living, and it is our mothers who are often the ones who bring stability and hope to our lives. We also remember mothers who have lost a child, those who are raising a child with physical and emotional issues and those who are alienated from their child. With memory, we honor our mothers and grandmothers who have gone home to the Lord to enjoy the peace they so richly deserve. May all mothers know our gratitude this day and may the love they bring to us come back to them a hundredfold!

HAPPY AND BLESSED MOTHER'S DAY!

This weekend, we concluded our celebration with the First Communion children of our parish. What a special gift these children are for us. Their innocence and joy as they receive Jesus for the first time is a reminder to all of us to constantly reclaim that moment in our lives. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers. Thanks to all those who helped prepare these children for their sacrament: especially our First Communion Coordinator, Sandy Jarvis; our Religious Education staff Cate Gosselin, Mary Craig and Silvia Harper; our Grade 2 Coordinator Tammy Marks; our catechists and Saint Rose School teacher Laura Heyder; and all of our parents who showed great faith helping their children learn about Eucharist during this pandemic. What a special blessing for our parish

ARISE! is the theme of this year's ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL. I am most grateful to the 450+ parishioners who have already made a gift or pledge to the campaign. To date we have raised $156,731 toward our goal of $204,000. This annual appeal maintains the good works and ministries of our diocese of which we are a part. Supporting both our parish and our diocese is vital in helping us live the Gospel for one another.

My dear friends in Christ,
"Arise" is the theme of the 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal and is a statement of hope for renewal and recovery this year. The story of Lazarus continues to come to mind in my reflections. The Lord's words to Lazarus are, "untie him and let him go free," and that is precisely the invitation from the Lord to each of us – to arise from the darkness of this pandemic and to seek new life in Him.

As I look upon the past year, during a time of unexpected and historic crisis, I am deeply grateful for your generous response to the Appeal, which brought the mercy of Christ to so many. This year's goal is $8.1 million, 10% less than last year due to the success of the We Stand With Christ Capital Campaign, and will allow the Diocese to maintain the immediate works of charity, formation in faith, education and catechesis, while the Capital Campaign sustains the long term mission of the Diocese of Bridgeport. Please join with me in making a gift to "Arise." May the Lord bless you and your family.

Bishop Frank J. Caggiano

FAITH AND MINISTRY…celebrating the gift of the Eucharist in our lives and parishes.
EDUCATION AND CATECHESIS…faith-based learning communities of academic excellence.
CHARITY AND PASTORAL SERVICES…serving with dignity and love those who have nowhere else to turn.
WHAT YOU DID FOR ONE OF THESE LEAST BROTHERS AND SISTERS OF MINE, YOU DID FOR ME. (Matthew 25:40)

Religious EDUCATION

FIRST COMMUNION THANK YOU'S:

We are deeply appreciative to Mrs. Sandy Jarvis for her hard work coordinating the First Communion ceremonies. This is her first year leading these young children to the sacrament, and yet she has done this all with grace, humility and good humor. Thank you to the parents and grandparents for their time and devotion to teaching their children/grandchildren and preparing them for First Communion Day. The children have been so excited to come to the table of our Lord, and we do hope this excitement stays with them to approach Jesus with true faith, true desire, and much joy - as we all should enter into this sacrament each week.

Thank you to our Grade 2 teachers who joined us on First Communion Day: Laura Heyder, Sister Thaddeus, Karen Fahey, Tammy Marks, and our Home-School parents. We also thank our volunteers, staff, musicians, live-streamers, security team, Deacon Norm Roos, Fr. Lawrence, and Fr. Tomasz for their involvement in these ceremonies, but especially Monsignor Robert Weiss for his beautiful homilies and message of hope and faith that he shared with the children and parents.

CLASSES ARE OVER!

The Religious Education Office would like to extend a sincere THANK YOU to:

Our students - For your participation and enthusiasm. We were so happy to see you in person (as much as we could).

Our parents/grandparents - For your dedication to teaching the Catholic faith to your children and following our adopted schedule, all while you juggled many other responsibilities.

Our catechists - For your weekly lessons, no matter in person or via internet; for those who went out of their way to drop off classwork to their students' homes or made personal phone calls to check in.

Our coordinators - For all of your communication, your struggles, and your perseverance to maintain some "normalcy" throughout the year, even while you dealt personally with the pandemic.

Our volunteers, maintenance crew, Rectory and school staff, security team and Sunday hall monitor - For always saying YES and ready to assist us with every need.

Our priests - For your prayers and your visits; and especially to Monsignor Bob for his patience, support and guidance as we worked to keep our children and staff safe during the pandemic.

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SCHOOL NEWS

We ask God's blessings on our school and parish Mothers, Grandmothers and all those women who provide a Mother's love to the people in her life. May the Blessed Mother be a continuous source of strength, comfort and joy in your Motherhood journey.

Introducing the Blooms Brick Walk Fundraiser! Buy a brick to celebrate special occasions, remember a loved one, connect to the past and pave the way to many bright futures. Bricks make great gifts for graduation, communion, confirmation, weddings and so many other precious life moments. If you or someone you know attended or attends St. Rose School this is a wonderful way to make a lasting mark on campus and in the heart! Interested in ordering a brick? Visit **https://polarengraving.com/stroseoflimaschool or email bloomsbricks@srles.com.** Your order also helps support St. Rose School. Thank you and God Bless!

Get ready for the Appreciation Car Parade -- Friday, May 14th! We are **so grateful** to EVERYONE in our community for your ongoing support especially during this most challenging year. Through a tremendous amount of teamwork and prayer the **doors of St. Rose School have remained open so students in Preschool through 8th grade can continue to BLOOM in mind, heart and soul! THANK YOU** from the bottom of our hearts!

Is it time to choose a Preschool for your little one? St. Rose Preschool offers dynamic 3-year-old, 4-year-old and Transitional Kindergarten (5-year-old) programs in a nurturing environment. Come see why this could be the right fit for your family! **Join us for Open House Fridays, 10 - 11 a.m.** In person and virtual tours can also be scheduled other weekdays. Email admissions@srles.com or call 203-426-5102. https://www.stroseschool.com/academics/preschool. **Parents of 2-year-olds inquire about our Peek-A-Boo 2's Program**. A warm welcome awaits you!

Mark your calendars: May 31st, school is closed for Memorial Day; June 6th, 8th Grade Graduation; June 8th, Kindergarten Graduation; June 9th, Preschool Graduation.

MASS RESERVATIONS ARE NECESSARY TO ATTEND IN CHURCH MASS EACH WEEKEND. Go to our website WWW.STROSECHURCH.COM and click on Mass times. Click on Go here for more information , scroll down to St. Rose of Lima Mass reservations, click on the mass you wish to attend, click RSVP, click number of reservations needed, click on check out as guest, click next, type in the purchaser information, click next and check "I accept the terms…" click confirm. If you do not have email, please call the parish office **203-426-1014** and we will gladly help you make reservations. **Remember, the deadline for reservations is Thursday at midnight.** Thank you.

PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRIES

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PASTORAL OUTREACH MINISTRY

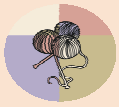
PASTORAL VISITS

Are you or a family member Homebound, or in a short-term facility for Rehabilitation, in a Nursing Home, Hospital or on Hospice Care? Would you like a Pastoral/Eucharistic Minister to visit you &/or bring you **Communion?** Because of HIPPA regulations, we have no means of knowing if you are in any of the above situations unless you notify us. Please feel free to call Sister Mary Ellen at 203-426-2572. We are looking forward to your call and to serving you.

OUTREACH MINISTRY PROGRAM

The Outreach Ministry program meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month in the Holy Innocents Faith Formation Center at 6:30 p.m. The program is postponed until further notice due to the coronavirus.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY



The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets on the first Saturday of the month in the Rectory Conference Room at 10 a.m. Meetings are postponed until further notice due to the coronavirus.
Do you know someone who is sick, grieving or lonely? Consider blessing them with a prayer shawl. Call Sr. Mary Ellen at 203-426-2572 with your requests.

SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

During the pandemic, if anyone wants religious articles, please contact Lynda Healey (203) 300-3211 and she will help you. We have an assortment of reasonably priced items for First Communion, in addition to inspirational coffee mugs, St. Joseph home seller statues, holy water fonts, saint medals, bracelets, rosaries, and more.
The purpose of the Social Concerns Committee is to support our parishioners and neighbors in need. Our Cares Box is in the back of the church. On the 3rd weekend of every month, you'll find it in the vestibule. Thanks to your generosity, we can continue to support our local organizations.
Parishioner to Parishioner ("Available" items are offered free of charge. Just make arrangements to pick them up.)
Available: Transport wheel chair—like new
Available: Thomasville couch with coffee table and matching side table
For Social Concerns information please call: Kathleen Belmont, 203-426-3227, and leave a message. Please do not call after 7pm.

"Whatever you did to one of these brothers of Mine, even the least of them, you did it to Me". Mt. 25:4

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Introducing our Parish Nurse coordinator, Ann Nancy Rhodes Carr, APRN-BC. Each week Nancy will feature "food for thought"
Jeremiah 17:7-8 Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord, whose trust **is** the Lord. He is like a tree planted by water, that sends out its roots by the stream, and does not fear when heat comes, for its leaves remain green, and is not anxious in the year of drought, for it does not cease to bear fruit."

ST. JOSEPH PROJECT

If the economy, job loss, illness or an unexpected emergency has caused your family to have difficulty regarding housing issues for St. Rose parishioners, please contact Sr. Mary Ellen at 203-426-2572. Everything is strictly confidential. St. Joseph, pray for us!
Praise the Lord! He takes care of His children!

LIFT-A-SPIRIT MEAL MINISTRY

There is nothing nicer than a home-cooked meal! For many members of our St. Rose parish family who are dealing with chronic illnesses or who are facing medical emergencies, a hot meal, made with love and prayers, is nourishing to the body and soul. Please consider joining our group. Contact Kathy: 203-456-6303.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

We meet on the third Sunday of the month @38 Church Hill Road in the back entrance conference room. Please use back door. For information, contact Suzanne Vitiello at 914-409-6236. Meetings are postponed until further notice due to the coronavirus.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

Do you have cancer? Are you a cancer survivor? Are you a family member of someone who has cancer? Have you lost a loved one to cancer? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, you are encouraged to attend a support group being held each Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. at Holy Innocents Faith Formation Center. For more information please contact Frank Sequenzia at 203 -948-1369, email: flsequenzia@gmail.com. Meetings are postponed until further notice.

ROSARY RECITATION IN CHURCH

Join us in front of the Blessed Mother statue Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m. Mass.

FRIENDLY VISITORS

Become a Friendly Visitor and spend time once a month with elderly who are isolated due to illness or infirmity. Please contact Sister Mary Ellen Genova at 203-426-2572 or Mariotte Corson at 203-426-9275.

MEETINGS

SPIRITUAL JOURNEY
Meetings are postponed until further notice due to Covid.

The **FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY GROUP**
The meetings are postponed until further notice due to the Coronavirus. Questions, call Blanca at 203-426-3253 .

ST. ROSE JOB NETWORKING
Northern Fairfield Professionals (NFP) Zoom meeting is 6:00 – 7:30 pm on Tuesday, May 11th Our guest speaker, Annette Richmond's, presentation **"**Create A Modern Resume That Generates Results, will give you the tools and techniques to create a powerful, results-driven resume". This is a free network group for people looking for new opportunities or interested in professional development. *To request the zoom link for the next Northern Fairfield* Professionals (NFP) meeting, *e-mail john@itechcp.com.*

ST. ROSE PRAISE & WORSHIP PRAYER MEETING
Are you interested in being involved with men seeking the Lord asking for His guidance to fulfill the calling on your Life? Then this men's group is what you are looking for. Hope to see you soon! For additional information, contact Tony Evertez at tevertez@yahoo.com or (203) 917-1158. Meetings are on Thursdays **outside Holy Innocents at 10 a.m.**

PRO-LIFE & FAMILY MEETING
The next Pro-Life/Pro-Family meeting is postponed until further notice due to the coronavirus. For info, please contact Deacon Norm Roos, 203-739-0175, email: normroosjr@aol.com.

LAY MISSIONARIES OF CHARITY
Mornings: 1st Tuesday of each month after 9 a.m. Mass
Evenings: 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:15 to 8:30 p.m. **both at the Bell Garden** . The aim is to quench the infinite thirst of Jesus on the Cross for the love of souls. The Special Mission is to work for the salvation and the sanctification of the members of their own Families and of the poorest of the poor of the whole world. Come see.

WEBS - WOMEN'S ENRICHMENT BOOK STUDY
We will begin a new book, ***Unleashed***, by Sonja Corbitt on Thursday, March 11th. Meetings are held virtually on Zoom on Thursdays from 10 am to 11:30 am. Call Liz: 203-994-5106. Sonja Corbitt was an evangelical Baptist before she converted to Catholicism. In ***Unleashed***, she shares her passion for the scriptures by weaving the Word of God with her own experiences to show readers how the Holy Spirit flows through their lives in relationships, prayer, and even in times of suffering and trials.

C&L (Communion and Liberation) is an ecclesial movement in the Catholic Church based on the premise that Faith lived out in communion, is the foundation of the true liberation of man. CL website: https://english.clonline.org/. We meet every Wednesday 7:00 to 8:30 pm. on Zoom from our homes. For more information, please call at 203-426-9275 or email at mariottecorson@gmail.com .

DIVINE MERCY CENACLE: Due to the coronavirus, meetings are postponed until further notice. Prayer meetings meet on the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month. We meet from 3:30 to 5:00 pm in the Chapel. All welcome.

MEETINGS

ST. ROSE MEN'S FAITH NETWORK
Due to the coronavirus, meetings on campus are postponed. The Men's Faith Network is designed to help parish men of all ages explore what it means to be a Catholic man in today's world. Our primary mission is to help men grow in faith, accountability, and fellowship; emphasizing real-life application. We meet each Saturday at 7:30 a.m. in the Holy Innocents building. All parish men are welcome! Contact Mike Ryan at mryan9497@gmail.com

YOUNG WIDOWS/WIDOWERS GROUP
Due to the coronavirus, the meetings are postponed until further notice.
The group meets at Holy Innocents Faith Formation Center on the fourth Tuesday of the month to present and discuss a topic relevant to widowhood. Find help dealing with the significant changes a spouse's death brings. Meet people in similar circumstances for support, friendship and understanding. For more info www.meetup.com/widows-ct or call 203-426-0481.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Meetings are held off campus until further notice.
AA meets every Saturday night at 6:30 p.m. in the upper room at 38 Church Hill Road. AA is a fellowship of men and women who help each other from Alcoholism. The only requirement for membership is an honest desire to stop drinking. Our primary purpose is to stay sober and help others achieve sobriety. Come join us.

WALKING WITH PURPOSE
Walking With Purpose, a bible study for women, meets on Wednesdays, starting March 3rd from 10-11:45 a.m.. Meetings are virtual on Zoom. Course: *Living in the Father's Love*, is a 6-week study. This study will allow us to gain a deeper understanding of how God's unconditional love transforms our relationships with others, ourselves, and most dearly, with Him. Open registration. For more information, go to strosechurch.com/ministries/walking-purpose-womens-bible-study or contact Joanne Ihlefeld at jihlefeld@charter.net or Sandy Previdi 203-830-9044, jwprev@yahoo.com.

ST. ROSE WOMEN'S CLUB –All are welcome
We are an organization of women united in faith and fellowship. We welcome any women of St. Rose Parish who are interested in becoming members. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, SRWC is not meeting in person. The past year SRWC members have been supporting our parish by praying for the sick, hospitalized, recovering, and reaching out to the lonely, needy, and elderly, who are home alone. We write, call, visit if possible, inform members where there is a need, and pray for each other. The second Tuesday of each month, some of our members meet in a home or at St. Rose Cemetery to pray the ROSARY for the intentions of our members. The third Thursday of each month, interested members meet for our BOOK GROUP, led by Renee Baade. Our April book is, ELEANOR OLIPHANT IS COMPLETELY FINE by Gail Honeyman. Call President Eileen Gallo (203-426-8223) to join any of these groups.

CHILDREN'S ROSARY-postponed until further notice.

Pro-Life

Stop your tax dollars from going to abortion! www.NoTaxpayerAbortion.com

For more information on how the Equal Rights Amendment could hurt women and the unborn, visit https://www.usccb.org/prolife#recentitems

HB 6425, the assisted suicide bill, has died in the Judiciary Committee! The committee failed to take action on it before the deadline, ending its chance to become law in 2021.

"The Public Health Committee has voted legislation detrimental to pro-life Pregnancy Resource Centers in Connecticut out of Committee. Please help the centers oppose the legislation by emailing your State Representatives and Senators. Urge them to Vote "NO" on S.B. 835 "An Act Concerning Deceptive Advertising Practices of Limited Services Pregnancy Centers"... Please visit https://action.ctcatholicpac.org/ for more information.

For more information on the Church's guidance on moral questions in regards to vaccines and aborted fetal tissue, please visit https://www.usccb.org/prolife/biomedical-research

"O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties."
-USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "A Prayer for Pregnant Mothers"

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO ARE SERVING US
May God keep special watch over these men and women serving in the United States Military

United States Army
LTC Andra Allison
MAJ Robert A. Bassett, DO
PFC Ryan J. Bepko
PVT Jack Carello
2LT Patrick Carello
SGT Daniel Cartisano
PVT Ronald Corris
SSG Anthony T. D'Aquila

1LT Stephen Gardner
MAJ Rachel (Askue) Hoffman
CPT Michael Hubbard
CPT Tucker Hughes
CPT Paul M. Kearney
LTC Matthew A. LaRocca
WO Rylan McCullom
SGT Thomas J. Merrifield
LTC Sean Pond
SPC Matthew Rahtelli
1LT Liam Thies
LTC Benjamin Wallen
COL Peter J. Whalen
CPT Daniel Wilcox

United States Air Force
SSgt. Daniel Carlson
Capt. Keegan Frobey Matchett
A1C Alexandria Matjievic
SSgt. Travis Mueller
Lt Co John Murphy
SrA Emily Pieretti
MSgt James Rebman
Capt Drew Taylor
Capt Katie Taylor
TSgt Daniel West
Capt Kimberly Solheim West
Capt Jessica Zencey
Capt Gregory Zencey
Maj Philip Zencey

U.S. Coast Guard
SN Charles Agius
LTJG Logan C. Mars
LT Scott B. Nichols
LT Meridith A. Palo
LCDR Paul D. Tessitore

United States Navy
ENS Julia Davis
SN Philip DeMayo
SN Danielle Godejohn
LT Andrew Golankiewicz
LT Alex Islin
LT Allison Kirk Islin
CPO Daniel J. Kearns, Sr.
LT Daniel Kirk
ENS Michael Kirk
CDR Timothy Krippendorf
LT Brian Murphy
CAPT John Porado
SN Eric Ralson, Jr.
CPO Matthew Sidor
CDR Joseph P. Smith
PO1 Christopher Szabbo

Army National Guard
WO2 Matthew Bergquist
LTC Todd Bookless
PFC Louis Enriquez
SGT Thomas Monckton
CPT Matthew D. Seibert

United States Marines

WO1 Michael Costello
Cpl Sean C. Decker
2ndLT Jackie Fisher
Cpl Robert W. Hoyt, Jr.
Pvt Christopher Manfredi
PFC Luke T. Miller
LCpl Ian Montgomery
Col David L. Morgan II
LCpl Lucas T. Vendel
PFC Patrick Zingaro

ST. ROSE MEMORIAL FUND
Saint Rose Memorial Fund has graciously been chosen by the following families in memory of a loved one. We are most grateful for their generosity.

Gift of Sam & Barbara Casarella in memory of Palma Jean Tabacco

Gift of John & Susan Coons in memory of Eileen Malsch

Gift of Kathy Hassen-Stack in memory of Eileen Malsch

Gift of Patricia Harrington in memory of Eileen Malsch

Gift of Frances DeBellis in memory of Renate Oebel

ALL VOLUNTEERS in the Diocese of Bridgeport are required to comply with the Diocesan Safe Environment Policy. Part of this policy is attending the program, Protecting God's Children. If you wish to help in any way within the parish or Diocese, please register at www.virtus.org. If you attended the class more than 5 years ago, you need to be recertified. If you have any questions or need help with recertification, please contact Doreen or Kelly in the Rectory office 203-426-1014.

Online Giving

If you haven't already, please consider making your contributions through Online Giving, a convenient, safe, secure option which makes use of current technology and security standards. Your gift will be transferred from your preferred method of payment directly to our parish. It is simple and flexible, and allows you to start, stop and change your contributions at any time. How: 1-Visit our website: StRoseChurch.com 2-Click on the Giving Link on the top right side of page 3-Complete the online registration form.

Call Doreen at the rectory 203-426-5250 for assistance or more info.

FAITH FOOD PANTRY
Is located on St. Rose Campus
46 Church Hill Rd. (Next to Knights of Columbus Hall.)

Hours: Tues. 9:30-11:30 a.m.
Thurs. 4-6 p.m.
BY APPOINTMENT

If questions, call 203-426-5604 Or 203-837-0816
Food can be dropped off at Village Perk, The Newtown Bee, Caraluzzi's Market, Fisio Therapy, Popowich Chiropractor, Barre Boutique. Volunteers must be 21 and over and Virtus trained.

DIACONATE DISCOVERY EVENINGS

Watch for future dates and meanwhile speak to any of the clergy if you are having a sense of a call to the diaconate.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #185

Do you know a neighbor in need? The Knights are here to help. Contact Community Service Committee Member, Harold Brennan at 203-704-0083 or 203-426-3661. Ever thought of becoming a Knight? For more information contact Guy Mascolo at 203-837-0466 or mascologuy@yahoo.com

COLUMBIAN SQUIRES CIRCLE #1307:

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DOROTHY DAY HOUSE OF HOSPITALITY— Spring St., Danbury, CT. We are seeking new volunteers the **third Wednesday** of every month from 1-5 p.m. to set up, serve and clean up. Must be **16** years of age. **Must be dependable**. Contact Marcia Izzo at 203-733-9655.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

To support married couples during this time of social distancing, Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring virtual marriage experiences. Some are on weekends and are seven sessions on weekdays from 7:00pm to 9:30pm. Couples will explore their individual personality styles, improve listening and communication skills, understand God's plan for their marriage, and learn how to keep their relationship a priority. Registration is limited and a $100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Frank & Margie Pearson at 860-337-2447 or visit them at https://wwmectw.org/.

Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers! Allow Jesus to be Lord of your marriage relationship.@nbsp. The next English Worldwide Marriage experiences are:

Thursdays/Mondays June 3-24
see website

AROUND THE DIOCESE

THE FACE OF PRAYER
The Face of Prayer recently launched phase two of its campaign to create an interactive video catechism based on the questions and concerns of young people. Visit www.thefaceofprayer.com to view over one hundred and forty questions answered by Bishop Frank J. Caggiano and other bishops, priests, religious, and lay leaders across the country. Be sure to also join the movement by texting **PRAY** to **55778** to receive daily prayer alerts on your phone.

VERITAS CATHOLIC RADIO
We are on **1350AM on the radio**, and you can also live stream broadcasts through the app which is available at the Apple Store and at the Google Play Store.

Project Rachel: Do you know someone who is carrying the pain and sorrow of a past abortion? The Diocese of Bridgeport is hosting an **Entering Canaan Day of Prayer and Healing for women** on Saturday, June 12, 2021. For confidential registration or more information, call 203-416-1619 or email projectrachel@diobpt.org. God's mercy, healing and forgiveness are waiting for you!

PROJECT BELOVED is now accepting applications for several key positions in our soon-to-open medical practice. We are seeking candidates for the following paid positions: Family Practice Physician (FT or PT), Nurse Practitioner (FT or PT), Medical Assistant (FT), and Receptionist (FT). Project Beloved Inc. is a non-profit organization whose primary objective is to establish a life-affirming medical center in Stamford, CT. Please visit www.projectbeloved.co to learn more. Interested candidates are invited to submit a resume to Project Beloved: info@projectbeloved.com.

MASS IN HONOR OF HEALTHCARE WORKERS
Saturday, May 29, 2021 at 11 a.m. in Saint Joseph Church, Brookfield. The Mass will be livestreamed, both on the diocesan website and the parish website of Saint Joseph Church, Brookfield. Registration is required and will be available on the diocesan website.

GETTING MARRIED?
The Diocese of Bridgeport offers formation for couples who wish to be married in the Catholic Church. Formation is available online in English and in person in Spanish. For more information, please visit https://formationreimagined.org/marriage-prep-reimagined/.

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Saint Vs. Blessed

Question:
What is the difference between a "Saint" and a "Blessed"?

Answer:
The process of proclaiming someone as a saint in the Catholic Church has evolved over the course of many centuries. In the beginning, those honored as saints were almost exclusively biblical figures or martyrs. However, after the legalization of Christianity in the fourth century, new holy women and men came to be honored as saints, and this was often done by popular acclaim or by the local bishop or abbot.

It was Pope Gregory IX (who was pope from 1227 to 1241) who officially proclaimed that only the pope had the authority to add someone to the official list (the "canon") of saints. This is the meaning of the word "canonization."

Today, the saint-making process includes several steps, including detailed studies of the person's life and a recognition that they died as a martyr or lived a life of "heroic virtue." Once someone is recognized as a martyr or if a miracle is attributed to their intercession, they will be beatified and honored as "Blessed." This means that they can be celebrated by Catholics in a particular country or region or by the members of certain religious community. If another miracle occurs and is approved, then the "Blessed" is canonized and honored with the title "Saint," meaning that they are now officially recognized as a universal model of holiness and an intercessor. ©LPi

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FREE MINISTRY FOR TRAVELING CATHOLICS. CHECK THE INTERNET FOR MASS TIMES AND LOCATIONS AT www.masstimes.org.

The Voice of St. Rose is an online streaming Internet Service operated by St. Rose Parish. This provides a wonderful opportunity to listen in and watch the Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass live weekly and all parish archives are available through our parish website strosechurch.com or the St. Rose Parish YouTube website. All scheduled Masses are streamed via the Audiocasts over the Voice of St. Rose service affectionately known as "All Things Catholic". There is additional programming carried over this audio stream from the Vatican and many sources between Mass times from around the diocese including our own Monsignor Bob's "Weiss Wednesday". For all the details see the St. Rose Parish website.

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Choosing to Love One Another

Love one another. The greatest commandment, the simplest commandment — and if you've ever loved anyone, you know it's also the hardest.

I'm man enough to admit it. I've seen one or two of those cheesy Hallmark movies that are especially popular around the holidays. Boy meets Girl. Boy and Girl encounter a catastrophic roadblock to their relationship — they're coaches of rival high school volleyball teams, or he runs a dog kennel and she works at a feline rescue, so it could never, ever work out, right? But sprinkle a little movie magic over the whole situation and Boy and Girl find what Hallmark tells us is true love.

I could make a list of all the things that are inaccurate about these movies, and something I would put right near the top — maybe even above the sometimes-unbelievable storylines — is the idea that love is a feeling.

See, I'm not sure if it's accurate to call these movies love stories. Attraction stories, sure. But if you've ever forgiven someone who's hurt you, nursed a dying parent, gotten up for an infant's night feeding or let your kid have the last piece of cake, you know that real love is a verb. It's something you do. And it is almost always a choice.

Love one another. How often do we hear this? How often do we think about what it really means? How often do we take a moment to consider the action Jesus is asking us to take and the choice he is asking us to make?
— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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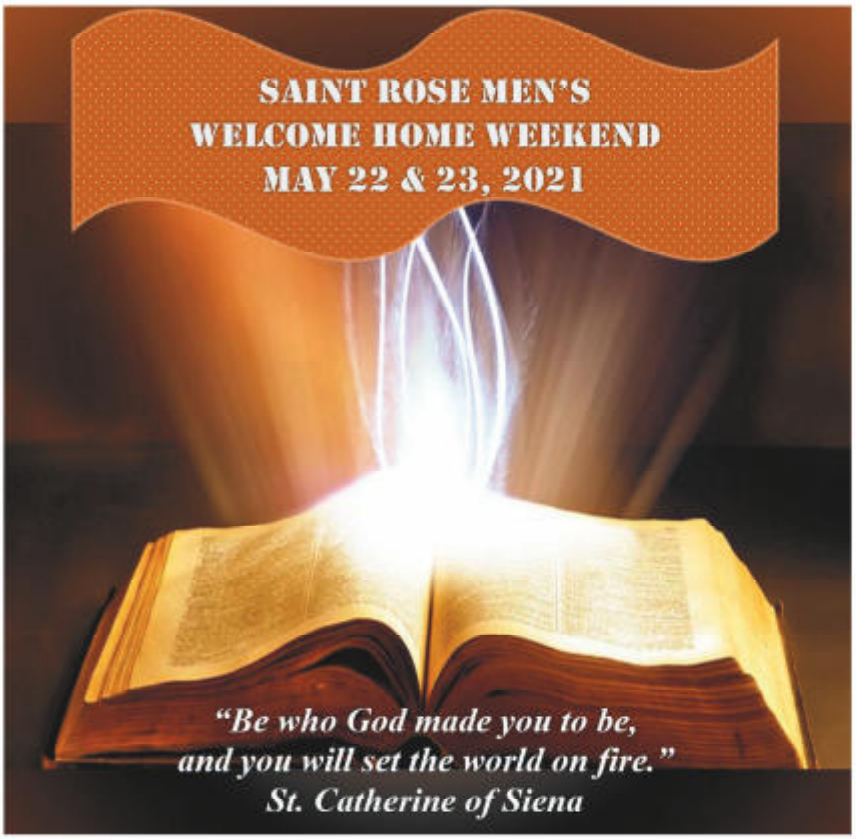

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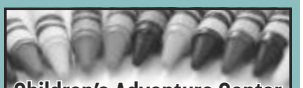

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