

**ST.
MARGUERITE
BOURGEOYS
PARISH**

PASTOR

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Mass Schedule

- Saturday: 4:30 pm Vigil
- Sunday: 8:30 am; 11 am;
12:30 pm (Traditional Latin
Mass); 5 pm (no music)
- Monday-Friday: 8:30 am

Morning Prayer

8:15 am before weekday Mass

Confession

Saturday: 3:30-4:15 pm
or by appointment

**Adoration Chapel
and Church are open**

9 am-5 pm

Divine Mercy Chaplet

3 pm

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9 am-3 pm
Friday: 9 am-noon

Offertory

Feb 5/6: \$5,407.00
OLG: \$2,645.00
Thank you!

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SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME · FEBRUARY 13, 2022

Solemn High Latin Mass: Tuesday, February 22nd, at 6:30 pm to celebrate the feast of the Chair of St. Peter. Chant - Sacred Music will be by David Hughes and David Indyk with the Viri Galilaei. All are welcome to attend.

Give us your input for the 2022 Synod on Synodality. Visit stmarguerite.org and under "Breaking News" click on the link to offer your comments related to how we can better "journey together" to make St. Marguerite, our Diocese, and the Church a more welcoming, inviting family of faith under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

A Lent Day of Retreat with Fr. Kloster is being held on Saturday, March 12th, 9 am-2 pm in the Church and Parish Hall. See page two for more information.

Our **Knitting/Crocheting Group** will meet possibly, on a monthly basis (to be determined). In the meantime, prayer shawls, mittens, hats, scarves, may be completed at home and donated to the parish for the needy and to St. Vincent's hospital in Bridgeport. Plenty of yarn in a variety of colors is available, if needed, for your project. Call Linda, in the parish office, if you are interested in stopping by to pick up yarn. (203) 775-5117 ext. 212.

Ash Wednesday is March 2nd. Lent is a 40 day season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. The time for **confessions** for First Saturday/First Saturday of Lent (March 5) will be 2:20-4:20 pm.

Join us for the **Divine Mercy Chaplet** daily at 3 pm. On the 1st Saturday of the month, join us for the **Rosary** at 4 pm; on the 2nd-5th Saturdays, join us at 3:30 pm.

Knights of Columbus Candlewood Lake Council 11913 News:

~ Join the local Council on February 17 at 7 pm, in the Hall for information about the benefits of membership. See page three. Membership Drive after Masses on February 12/13 and 19/20.

~ The Knights of Columbus Annual Blood Drive is Sunday, February 20th, 8 am-1 pm in the Hall. See page four for information about signing up.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon, Feb 14: Sts. Cyril, Monk, and Methodius

8:30 +Theresa Rooney by Mary Frank

Tues, Feb 15

8:30 +Luigi D'Arcangelo by Elyse and Ross Davis

Wed, Feb 16

8:30 +Teresa Stewart by Ryan and Michelle Roudenis

Thurs, Feb 17: 7 Holy Founders of the Servite Order

8:30 +Caroline Perone by her daughter

Fri, Feb 18

8:30 +Frank Fata by Fata family

Sat, Feb 19: BVM

4:30 +Mary Wassin and Nick Buglione by Jane and David Przekora

Sun, Feb 20: Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 +Mike and Stella Miska by Mike Miska

11:00 +Patricia Bisso by Indelicato family; Ints of Pope

Benedict XVI by Katy Murphy

12:30 Liv/Dec Mbrs of St. Marguerite Parish

5:00 +Eva and Valmont Bernier by family

Offering: Mass-\$15; Altar Candles-\$20; Hosts-\$15; Sanctuary Candle-\$10; Sacramental Wine-\$10. To request Mass intentions for 2021 or 2022, contact Linda at ldiorio@stmarguerite.org or (203) 775-5117, x212. Double Mass intentions are allowed for the 4:30 pm and 11 am Masses only (as Canon Law only allows two Masses per week to include double intentions).

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Tues, Feb 15

9:30 am (Rm 1): Legion of Mary

Wed, Feb 16

7:30 pm (Rm 8/9): Narc-Anon

**ST MARGUERITE BOURGEOYS PARISH
INVITES YOU TO A**

Lent

DAY OF RETREAT

with Fr. Kloster

**SATURDAY, MARCH 12
9 AM - 2 PM**



9-9:50: CONFESSIONS

10-10:45: LOW MASS

10:45-11:15: HOLY ROSARY

11:45-1: CONVIVIAM (LUNCHEON)

1:05-1:25: LENTEN TALK

1:30-2: ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

Did you know that The Knights of Columbus as an outgrowth of Fr. McGivney's vision to protect families has a world class mutual insurance business owned by the policy holders, which are Knights and their families?

- As of 6/30/2021, it had **\$28 Billion** in assets, protecting **24,464 families** with \$124 Billion of Insurance In Force, enjoying the highest financial ratings.
- Knights have taken advantage of low-cost policy loans to the tune of \$1.1 Billion
- Payout to families grew by 24% to **\$600 Million** last year
- Besides life insurance, The Knights of Columbus are protecting families with disability insurance, long-term care insurance and retirement annuities.
- Utilizing its seasoned investment skills from successfully managing Billions in assets for over 50-years, The Knights of Columbus recently started providing a wide range of mutual funds for families.
- Note **ALL** Knights of Columbus financial products are consistent with Catholic Values, period!
- The Knights of Columbus are one of the very few life insurance companies NOT supporting Planned Parenthood.
- \$33 Million of the profits generated last year were directly invested into the charitable works of the Knights!
- Collectively with Councils worldwide, Knights had over \$150 Million in charitable giving!
- As a byproduct of its charitable giving, recently the Knights set up tax advantage charitable accounts, so individual Knights and their families can build and do their charitable giving easily on line.

Please join us on Thursday February 17th from 7:00 to 8:00 PM in St. Marguerite's Hall to learn more and ask important questions.

Knights of Columbus Candlewood Lake Council 11913



**The need is constant.
The gratification is instant.
Give blood.**



**American
Red Cross**

Brookfield Blood Drive

at St Marguerite's - 138 Candlewood Lake Road

**Sunday - February 20, 2022
8am - 1pm**

Contact information: John Scilari
203-788-3425 - siclajd@sbcglobal.net



**Red Cross Sign-up
Web Site:**

View this QR code from your
smartphone camera.

- 1.) Enter "06804"
- 2.) Scroll to "February 20th"
- 3.) Select a time at
St Marguerite's



We give blood. Will you?

redcrossblood.org | 1-800-RED CROSS

ST. ED'S YOUNG ADULTS

TRIVIA NIGHT

February 19
7:00pm

21 Brush Hill Road
New Fairfield, CT 06812

18-35
year olds

Test your knowledge on all things
music, film, history, faith and
more! Come with a team or join
one when you get there for a
chance to win cool prizes while
enjoying some great pub food!

www.stedsyoungadults.webnode.com

St. Edward's Young Adult Group is a program at St. Edward the Confessor parish (New Fairfield) that serves young adults (18-35 years of age) throughout the diocese and creates opportunities to get together socially while walking together in the faith. For more information, email frtim@saintedwardchurch.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

March 13: Adoration and Pizza Night

March 19: St. Patrick's Day Party

March 25: Stations of the Cross followed by Grilled Cheese Delights



The **2022 Bishop's Appeal** provides the funds for the pastoral, educational and charitable ministries of the Diocese of Bridgeport. This year's theme, **A Bridge Home**, highlights hope, renewal and evangelization in our Diocese and invests in services that continue to engage those in their faith and build a strong bridge to so many who are struggling. When you receive your Appeal mailing, please take time to read the information thoroughly, how you can help and give prayerful consideration when contemplating your sacrificial gift to the campaign. Thank you.

Your Gift to the 2022 Bishop's Appeal supports Catholic Charities of Fairfield County.

For over 100 years, Catholic Charities of Fairfield County has provided a broad spectrum of social services to the extended Fairfield County community. The demand for the agency's services have skyrocketed due to the COVID-19 pandemic as our clients need help now more than ever. All programs have remained open providing a broad array of essential services. Catholic Charities is a leading provider of critical food resources throughout the County serving over two million meals since the COVID crisis began to the homeless, the homebound elderly, and individuals who lost jobs due to the pandemic via our soup kitchens, food pantries, Meals on Wheels program, as well as our Room to Grow pre-school.

Catholic Charities cannot do it alone. Your gift to the Bishop's Appeal will help Catholic Charities continue to do the incredible work that it does for our most vulnerable neighbors in Fairfield County. Thank you for your gift.

Ways to give to "A Bridge Home" campaign:

~ Online Giving

Make your gift and pledge payments online at bridgeportdiocese.org/aca/donate/

~ Credit Card Gifts

Use your MasterCard, Visa, Discover, or American Express card to make your Appeal gift and take full advantage of your cardmember benefits.

~ Check

Make checks payable to the Bishop's Appeal. Please do not send cash.

2022 Annual Bishop's Appeal

Diocese of Bridgeport

238 Jewett Avenue

Bridgeport, CT 06606-2892

~ Text to Give

To make a gift via text messaging, text the word APPEAL to (475) 241-7849.

Message and data rates may apply.



Online Giving

Convenient.
Simple.
Secure.

Parishioner Benefits:

- Secure and confidential. Adheres to banking security standards
- Flexible. Start, stop, and change your contributions at any time
- Simple and easy account setup
- Contribute using direct withdrawal or credit card
- Functional. You receive reminders and notifications about transactions

Parish benefits:

- Stabilize contributions. Allows parish to effectively manage monthly expenses, based on consistent support
- Secure and confidential. No need to store parishioners' account information
- Convenient. Easy for everyone to contribute to the parish

Online Giving allows you to make donations through the parish website. This convenient option for giving to your parish makes use of current technology and security standards and allows you to easily set up recurring contributions. There are many benefits for you and your parish.

To sign up, visit stmarguerite.org and click on the "Donate" tab. Contact Linda in the Parish Office at (203) 775-5117, ext. 212 with any questions.

Thank you for your support!

St. Marguerite was issued a **\$72.08** donation from the AmazonSmile Foundation as a result of AmazonSmile program activity between July 1 and September 30, 2021!

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Amazon Smile Wish List: 8.5x11.75 legal pads (yellow, pastels); 8 1/2x11 20 lb copier paper (Universal One blue, orchid, green); 8 1/2x11, 20 pound, 92 bright, white multipurpose copier paper. Thank you to all our very generous donors for their support of the parish!

Wish List: first class flag stamps and gift cards to BJ's and Costco.



We Stand With Christ

A CAMPAIGN FOR THE DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish

We Stand With Christ Campaign Redemption

Total Pledged: \$903,895

Total Collected (as of 12/1/21): \$548,446 (61%)

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