

**ST.
MARGUERITE
BOURGEOYS
PARISH**

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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 12/13: \$3,698.00
OLG: \$3,568.00
Thank you!

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SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME · FEBRUARY 20, 2022

Join us on Tuesday, February 22nd, at 6:30 pm for a **Solemn High Latin Mass** 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.

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 details.

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 at (203) 775-5117 ext. 212.

Ash Wednesday is March 2nd. Ashes will be distributed at the 8:30 am Mass. Lent is a 40 day season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. The time for **confessions** for First Saturday/First Saturday of Lent (March 5) has been extended to 2:20-4:20 pm. **Stations of the Cross** will be on all Fridays of Lent and Good Friday at 7 pm.

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

For information about joining **Knights of Columbus Candlewood Lake Council 11913** see their literature in the narthex or by speaking with a Knight after Mass this weekend. The Knights of Columbus offers men the opportunity to put their faith into action by helping neighbors, supporting the Church, and becoming better Catholic husbands, brothers, and friends. Stop by their table in the narthex to say hello and learn more about their wonderful organization.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon, Feb 21: St. Peter Damian

8:30 +Patricia Boraski by Michael Miska

Tues, Feb 22: The Chair of St. Peter

8:30 Ints. of Kathleen Somers by Pat Spitzfaden

6:30 +Donald F. Hagan by Katy Murphy

Wed, Feb 23: St. Polycarp

8:30 Liv/Dec Members of Piccorelli and Civita families

Thurs, Feb 24

8:30 +Africa Simbulan by Aberin family

Fri, Feb 25

8:30 Ints. of Norah and Colby Lynch by a friend

Sat, Feb 26: BVM

4:30 +Anna Nacinovich and Nicholas Cremonese by Mario and Annette Nacinovich; +Rev. William J. O'Halloran, SJ by Rev. Shawn W. Jordan

Sun, Feb 27: Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 +Theresa Dembowski by Steven and Kelly Harding

11:00 +Louis and Frank Indelicato by Indelicato family;

Souls in Purgatory by a donor

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

5:00 Ints. of Pope Benedict XVI by Katy Murphy

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 22

9:30 am (Rm 1): Legion of Mary
1:30 pm (Rm 7) Fatima Prayer Group

Wed, Feb 23

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



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 the Institute for Catholic Formation.

The Institute for Catholic Formation provides formation for those who serve in liturgical and catechetical ministries in the diocese. Through online courses and face-to-face gatherings, the Institute offers opportunities for support, formation, and mentoring for parish leaders and parents. The collective mission is that all who are preparing to receive the sacraments and celebrate the Eucharist may be transformed by their encounter with Jesus.

When you make a gift to the Bishop's Appeal, you support the ministries that continue faith formation. 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 APPEAL to (475) 241-7849. Message and data rates may apply.

** In the spirit of financial transparency, the cost to conduct the Bishop's Appeal totals 7 cents on the dollar based on the 2022 Bishop's Appeal goal. Fundraising expenses may also provide additional support to a number of these areas.*

**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.



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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%)

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