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

Daily at 3 pm Rosary

Saturdays at 4 pm

Office Hours

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

Offertory

May 14/15: \$3,833.00 OLG: \$2,838.00 Thank you!

Staff

Deacon: Joseph P. Cann

Faith Formation Director: Mary Ellen Tiernan metiernan@stmarguerite.org

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Music Director: Jack Basso

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E-News



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER · MAY 22, 2022



The Month of May is dedicated to the Blessed Mother.

The holy day of the **Ascension of the Lord** is Thursday, May 26th. Mass is at 8:30 am and 6:30 pm. The Parish Office will be closed.

The **Good Shepherds of Bethlehem** is a group that supports the Catholic community in Bethlehem, The Holy Land. George and Katherine Awwad will be at the parish on May 21st and 22nd selling olive wood carvings made by the Catholic families after all Masses.

Start cleaning out your closets! Our Annual **Tag Sale** will be held on Saturday, June 4th with a Preview Day on June 3rd. Donation days are May 28-June 2. See the flyer on page two for accepted items. A Volunteer Sign Up sheet is in the narthex or email Priscilla at pgaramella@gmail.com.

Join us for a free viewing of the **Roe v Wade movie** on Friday, June 17th, 6:30-9 pm in the Hall. RSVP by June 12th to tai32@mail.com. There will be movie "concession stand" style snacks and drinks.

Register your child for Faith Formation classes for 2022/23. Classes begin in First Grade. Questions? Contact Faith Formation Director Mary Ellen Tiernan at (203) 775-5117, x215 or metiernan@stmarguerite.org.

Have you been wondering about being a Catholic? Did you only receive Baptism but no other sacraments of initiation? For information about the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**, contact Mary Ellen Tiernan at metiernan@stmarguerite.org.

The **Knights of Columbus Candlewood Lake Council** congratulates the following Brother Knights on their significant membership milestones as well as their dedicated service to the Knights of Columbus and the parish: Richard A. Ricard (60 yrs); James D. Wilson (25 yrs); Timothy R. Bohling (25 yrs); Kevin JT Moore (22 yrs); Anthony J. Detje (20 yrs); George S. Sankoorikal (20 yrs); Douglas J. Tufaro (20 yrs); Alan S. Wilk (20 yrs); Keith E. Chapman (10 yrs); and Paul A. Peloquin (10 yrs).

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon, May 23

8:30 +Flora Jean Erickson by Jo-Ann Gargiulo

Tues, May 24

8:30 +Carline M. Crossman by Fr. Shawn W. Jordan

Wed, May 25: St. Bede the Venerable

8:30 +Nicola Lulgjuraj by family

Thurs, May 26: The Ascension of the Lord

8:30 +Nick and Jane Marsicano by Katy Murphy 6:30 +Francisco Panagsagun, Jr. by Nila Aberin

Fri, May 27: St. Augustine of Canterbury

8:30 +Eileen and Warren Brown by Susan Brown

Sat, May 28

4:30 +Casiano King by Pat King; +Anna Boccio by Finn family

Sun, May 29: Seventh Sunday of Easter

8:30 +Alba Pedatella by John Porco

I I:00 +Elizabeth Torres and Maritza Nieves by Nina Guastaferri

12:30 Liv/Dec Mbrs of St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish 5:00 +Derik Jaramillo by Biasetti family

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Mon, May 23

1:15 pm (Rm 7): Legion of Mary

Wed, May 25

1:30 pm (Rm I) Fatima Prayer Cell 7:30 pm (Rm 8/9): Narc-Anon

> Thurs, May 26 Office Closed

The Sanctuary Candle, in the church for the week beginning Monday, May 23, is for the intentions of Brian Sleeva.

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 Idiorio@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).

What is going on at St. Marguerite's?

Two **BIG** things!!!



Savers Fundrive

Starting May 28th until June 3rd, bring us your clothing, bedding, towels, and accessories (hats, mittens, scarves, belts, etc.) in good, clean, and salable condition and bagged in kitchen garbage bags. Drop them in the parish hall or designated area. We will deliver to SAVERS and St. Marguerite will be paid by the pound for the items. No muss, no fuss!



TAG SALE



St. Marguerite's Tag Sale is back! June 4th from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with *Special Preview Shopping* on Friday, June 3rd, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (\$5 admission on Friday only).

Every day from May 28th until June 2nd, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., bring us your kitchen items, vases, glassware, working electronics, lamps, radios, CDs, records, shoes, sandals, handmade items, tablecloths, curtains, purses, backpacks, candles, candle holders, children's books (sorry, no other books), toys, games, sports equipment, baby items (such as night lights, baby monitors, safety gates), picture frames, paintings/prints, Christmas decorations, costume jewelry, and small furniture items (such as low bookcases, hat racks, magazine racks) in good condition and we will price them to sell!

TRUE STORY ABOUT THE MOST FAMOUS COURT CASE IN AMERICA NICK STACEY JAMIE JOEY CORBIN JOHN STEVE ROBERT JON LOEB DASH KENNEDY LAWRENCE BERNSEN SCHNEIDER GUTENBERG DAVI VOIGHT ROE V. WADE Dr. Alveda King Executive Producer & Actor ~ MOVIE NIGHT ~ **FRIDAY JUNE 17, 2022** 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

MOVIE "CONCESSION STAND" STYLE SNACKS & DRINKS

St.' Marguerite Bourgeoys,

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For Questions Contact Tom at: tai32@mail.com

RSVP 6/12

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- Contribute using direct withdrawal or credit card
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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!

\$103.90 donation from the AmazonSmile Foundation as a result of AmazonSmile program activity between October 1 and December 31, 2021!

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Amazon Smile Wish List: Thank you to all our very generous donors who have purchased all of our with list items! Thank you for your support of the parish!

Wish List: first class flag stamps and gift cards to BJs and Costco.



DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

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.

The **Diaconate Formation Program** supports the vocation and ministry of the deacon, beginning as an Inquirer through his journey to ordination and beyond. The Diocese of Bridgeport provides an integrated 4 1/2-year-program that is structured around the four pillars of human, spiritual, academic, and pastoral dimensions. Through prayer, study, and the grace of the Holy Spirit, the candidate undergoes a transformation of heart and mind as he prepares to be minister of the Word, Altar, and Charity. There are now 47 active deacons, 39 retired, and 8 men in formation. When you make a gift to the Bishop's Appeal, you support the formation of men who serve in our parishes and communities throughout the diocese for many years to come. For information, contact the Development Office at (203) 416-1312 or 2022BishopsAppeal@diobpt.org. Thank you for your support of the Appeal!

If you have not yet responded to the 2022 Bishop's Appeal, please reflect upon the importance of your support to ministry and outreach that relies upon the charity of the Diocese of Bridgeport. The challenge is immediate and far-reaching, but the solution is within our reach!

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.

2022 Bishop's Appeal as of 5/6/22

ABA Goal: \$65,700 Total Pledged: \$36,776 (56%) Donors to Date: 139



To make a gift or for more information, visit 2022BishopsAppeal.org, call (203) 416-1470, or scan the QR code with your phone.

~ 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.



St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish

We Stand With Christ Campaign Redemption

Total Pledged: \$905,445

Total Collected (as of 3/21/22): \$570,985 (63%)

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