ST. **MARGUERITE** BOURGEOYS PARISH

PASTOR

REV. S.W. JORDAN

IN-RESIDENCE

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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

Mon-Thurs: 9 am-3 pm Friday: 9 am-noon

Offertory

Oct 1/2: \$5,481.00 OLG: \$4,595.00 Thank you!

Staff

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28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 9 OCTOBER 2022

Please note for October 9-12: Fr. Shawn will be away at the Priest Convocation. The Sunday, October 9th Mass at 5 pm will NOT be celebrated. For Monday, October 10th through Wednesday, October 12th, a Communion Service with the deacons will be held at 8:30 am. There will be a Latin Low Mass at 7 am. October 10-12.

A Public Square Rosary Rally (for the 105th anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima and the Miracle of the Sun) will be held on Saturday, October 15th at noon in front of the statue of Our Lady in the traffic circle.

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, October 10th in observance of Columbus Day.

A Bible Study on the Most Holy Eucharist begins Thursday, October 13th at 6:30 pm.

Our 30th Annual Fall Festival will be held on Saturday, October 22nd, 9 am-4 pm. A list of vendors is on page four of E-News. This is going to be a great event — lots of terrific vendors with excellent products for sale!

The Prayer Shawl Ministry is again working to make hats, gloves, and scarves in all sizes from infant to adult for St. Vincent Hospital's Medical Mission Day (to help the needy with information, services etc.) on November 5th. St Vincent's needs handmade or new hats/ gloves/scarves. Monday, October 24th is the deadline for donations to be dropped off in the collection box in the narthex to allow enough time to get the items to St Vincent's for sorting and their set up for their Medical Mission. The next meeting of the Prayer Shawl Ministry will be on Wednesday, October 19th at 9:30 am in Room #7.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon. Oct 10: St. Francis Boraia

7:00 Latin Low Mass

8:30 Communion Service

Tues, Oct 11: St. John XXIII

7:00 Latin Low Mass

8:30 Communion Service

Wed, Oct 12

7:00 Latin Low Mass

8:30 Communion Service

Thurs, Oct 13

8:30 +Wolfgang Schoeneborn by family

Fri, Oct 14: St. Callistus I 8:30 +Diane Heineken by Aberin family

Sat, Oct 15: St. Teresa of Jesus

4:30 +Al Vickers by Bob and Ann McGarrah;

+Adrienne Thayer by Nacinovich family

Sun, Oct 16: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 +John M. Redden by Cann family

11:00 +Eva and Valmont Bernier by family; Ints. of Dcn. Vincent Pia by Ingo and Madeline Maas

12:30 +Sean Stutman by Getzinger family

5:00 +Scott Goldberg by Biasetti 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 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).

CALENDAR

Tues, Oct 11 9:15 am (Rm 7): Legion of Mary

Wed, Oct 12 7:30 pm (Rm 8/9): Narc-Anon

Thurs, Oct 13

Sat, Oct 14 6:30 pm (Hall): Bible study 12:00: Outdoor Rosary Rally



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God will come to those who are generous and lend freely, who conduct their affairs with justice... (Psalm 112:5)

8 September 2022 The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Dear St. Marguerite Parish family,

On behalf of our staff, we are so grateful to God and to you for making St. Marguerite Bourgeoys a strong and vibrant family of faith after forty years! We look forward to more joyful years together.

I am pleased to see many families who have returned and those who are joining us for the first time after the shutdown due to the virus. We are resuming several programs as well as beginning new initiatives that will make us more effective as Christ's living Body within the town of Brookfield.

For example, numerous families have enrolled again this year both in our Faith Formation program and in Confirmation Preparation; we thank our devoted catechists who have all returned to instill a living example of faith to our children. We have nearly completed the renovations to the parish hall as part of our *We Stand With Christ* campaign. We are also resuming our Bible studies in the fall. We continue our collaboration with St. Joseph Parish with our combined Parish Picnic and Golf Tournament as well as other collaborative programs with all the parishes inside our deanery. Every first Thursday of the month, we have begun our Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus with Adoration and Confession in the church as preparation for the First Friday and First Saturday devotions. The Legion of Mary continues to meet weekly, while the Fatima devotional group and the Cenacle of Mary meet monthly. Further, our larger social events such as the Tag Sale and the Fall Festival have returned, and our Sodality continues its social outreach by delivering meals to the homebound.

As you can see, St. Marguerite Parish continues to stand on solid footing because of your generous giving, not only financially, but also in your time and talents. Therefore, please consider once again financially giving as generously as possible to our <u>Parish</u> Annual Collection (which benefits the parish, not the diocese) so that St. Marguerite's continues as a welcoming home for so many witnessing to God.

May God continue to bless us abundantly,

Rev. Shawn W. Jor	dan
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Please make your check payable to St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish. If you prefer, you can give online at osvhub.com/stmarguerite/giving/funds, select "Parish Annual Collection 2022".

St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish is a tax-deductible 501(c) 3 organization.



Stop by to sample and purchase some of the finest crafts, handmade items and beautiful gifts available. (Christmas is right around the corner!)



We welcome the following Vendors to our Fall Festival!

Sheila AyersWright – Putting on Ayers (designer handbags, scarves, gloves)

Pamela Cassidy - Home Décor Pamela Cassidy - Home Décor

Keanna Chambers - Dolly's Natural Essentials

Linda Moskowitz - Yarn Wares

Barbara Clark - Christmas crafts

Sandy Fish - Hour Lake

Shannon Freda - Fizz the Season

Penny Hartz - Butternut Alpacas

Mary Kimball - Mama Kimball's Emporium

Michelle Leferriere - Vermont Country Gourmet

Yan Yan Liang - Yan Yan Jewelry

Maude MacArthur - Atomy

Meg Martins - Wild Daisy

Kristine McCarty - Carmen's Kitty Corner

Eileen Mello - Crafts and more

Heidi Mongan - HZM Creations

Lourdes Morales - Elenas Décor

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Linda Moskowitz - Yarnwares

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Marianna Nichols - Scentsy

Barbara Nicolini - Barbara's Delights

Eileen Norkun - Eileen Originals

Linda Norris - Team Christopher Creations

Laura Pizzirusso - Papercrafts by Laura

Diane Rand - Tissue Box Décor

Patricia Raynor - My Colors

Jean Sabatini and Diane - Christmas Plus and Diane

Nicole Smith - Vintage Botanical

Terri Sorrentino - Children's books on kindness

Linda Sparaco - Emalyn Sweets

Dennis Stuart - Denart

Mary Thomas - Sassy and Sweet Designs

Karen and Edward Von Minden - Enchanted Notions

Kristin Wallace - Turtle Dream Soaps

Harriet Whitlock - Bowl Cozies

Michelle Widdows - Godiya's Affordable Treasures

Susan Williams - Cerridwen Crafts



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- 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 \$102.43 donation from the AmazonSmile Foundation as a result of AmazonSmile program activity between April 1 and June 30, 2022!

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Amazon Smile Wish List: Universal One colored paper (UNV11212-orchid; UNV11202-blue; UNV11204-pink; UNIV11205-goldenrod); Expo White Board Dry Erase Cleaner; paper cutter/trimmer; 3-Hole Electric Hole Punch.

Thank you for your support of the parish!

Wish List: gift cards to BJs, Costco, and Amazon.



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We Stand With Christ Campaign Redemption

Total Pledged: \$905,485

Total Collected (as of 6/8/22): \$581,131 (64%)

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

Around the Diocese...

Regina Caeli Academy is holding a Touring Event on Monday, October 10th at 10 am at 5 Obtuse Hill Rd in Brookfield. RSVP to cvodola.fcc@rcahybrid.org. Regina Caeli Academy provides a university-style hybrid education in the Catholic tradition. Pre K3-12th grade students attend Socratic classes in Brookfield two days a week and homeschool on the remaining days. For more information, visit rcahybrid.org.

St. Gregory the Great Parish is having its annual "Forest of Fear" this October! Come walk the haunted trail, if you dare (behind St. Gregory the Great School)! Admission is \$20 per person (\$15 for the not so scary hour). The proceeds will benefit the parish/school. The Forest of Fear will be open 5:30-9 pm on Oct. 14/15, 21/22, 28/29 (the not so scary children's hour is from 5:30-6:30). Rain dates will be on the Sundays of Oct. 16th, 23rd and 30th at the same time. For information, visit forestoffear.org.

The Women's Guild at St. Francis Parish in New Milford is looking for vendors for their 2022 Holiday Fair which takes place on Saturday, November 19th and after the November 20th Sunday Masses. Table space (8 feet long) is \$25.00. If you wish to be a vendor, contact Ellen Cote, (860) 354-5883 or ebcote@yahoo.com. There are limited tables available.

Free Estate Planning Resource

Have you thought about including St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish in your will? The Diocese of Bridgeport has partnered with *FreeWill* to offer members of our Parish the opportunity to create their legal will for free. Using FreeWill's easy-to-use online platform, you can write your will in 20 minutes or less, and start your legacy with our Parish in the process.



Get started today at FreeWill.com/BridgeportDiocese.