

**ST. MARGUERITE
BOURGEOYS
PARISH**

PASTOR

REV. SHAWN W. JORDAN

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Mass Schedule

- Saturday: 4:30 pm Vigil
- Sunday: 8:30 am; 11 am;
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

Church is open

9 am-5 pm

Rosary

Saturdays at 4 pm

Office Hours

Mon-Thurs: 9 am-3 pm

Offertory

May 24/25: \$4,805.00
OLG: \$1,977.00

Staff

Finance Council Chairman:
Kevin Sheehan

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E-News

1 JUNE 2025 - SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Note from Father Shawn: The three most important things in life are faith, family, and food. They all came together as we celebrated my 20th anniversary of ordination and my 10th year here as pastor on May 18th. Thanks to our own St. Marguerite Sodality who hosted the party and all of you who attended, we had a wonderful celebration together and were reminded again why St. Marguerite Parish is a special family of faith. Thank you for making this double anniversary year so memorable!

Father's Day is June 15. Envelopes for Father's Day are at the entrances to the Church. All intentions will be remembered at the Masses on Father's Day.

The Knights of Columbus **Father's Day Raffle** fundraiser begins this weekend. Tickets are \$10/each. First Prize is \$500 cash; 2nd prize is \$250 cash, 3rd prize is \$100 cash. Drawing will be held on Father's Day at noon at the parish. Winner need not be present. All proceeds fund the council's charitable programs. Scan the QR code to purchase online or buy a physical ticket from a Knight after Mass.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon, June 2: *Sts Marcellinus and Peter*
8:30 +Liv/Dec Mbrs of DeAlessio & Martin Families
Tues, June 3: *St Charles Lwanga & Companions*
8:30 Ints of Jean Marshall by Katy Murphy
Wed, June 4
8:30 +Anthony Perone by his daughter
Thurs, June 5: *St Boniface*
8:30 +Joan Berry by Barbara Randall

Offering: Mass-\$10; Altar Candles-\$20; Sanctuary Candle-\$10; Hosts-\$15; Sacramental Wine-\$10; St Marguerite Candle-\$10.
No Masses open in 2025. Our 2026 Mass book is open.

June 2-8:

Our **St Marguerite Candle** is for
+Tom McDonald requested by Mary Ellen Tiernan.

One in Christ - 2025 Bishop's Appeal
St. Marguerite Parish's goal: \$65,700
Amount Paid: \$61,005 - 93% of goal
Amount Pledged: \$67,875 - 103% of goal

If you have made a pledge, and you are able to, please make all payments before June 30th. 100% of the monies over our goal collected by June 30th are returned to the parish. To make a gift or for more information, visit 2025BishopsAppeal.org, call 203.416.1470, or scan the code on the poster with your phone.

2025 Golf Tournament: This year's Jack Macksey and Dick Elston Memorial Golf Tournament will be held on Wednesday, October 8 at Richter Park Golf Course in Danbury. Last year's Tournament raised \$17,000 which both parishes split to benefit their Needy Funds throughout the year. We hope to do even better this year when you sign up with your friends! Registration Forms are in the church and online.

Did you register your child for 2025-26 **Faith Formation Classes**? Classes start in first grade. If you are new to the area or to our program, please contact Mary Ellen Tiernan at 203.775.5117, x215.

Fri, June 6: *St Norbert*

8:30 +Scott, +Angus, and +Agnes Getzinger by family

Sat, June 7

4:30 +Gary Gorman by Nora Bongiorno

Sun, June 8: *Pentecost Sunday*

8:30 +Deacon William Murphy by Rejean and Lili Blais
11:00 +George Siliato by his wife, Maria; +Dec Mbrs of the Neumann family by Al and Mary Ann Mascia
5:00 +Eva and +Valmont Bernier by Doreen Bernier

**THIS WEEK
IN THE PARISH**

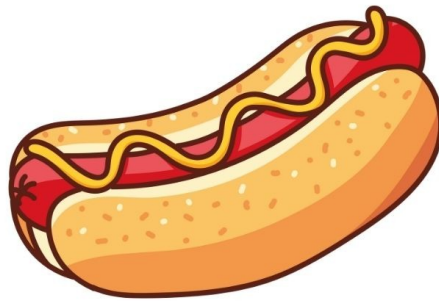
Tues, June 3
9:15 am - Legion of Mary

Sacred Grounds

Sunday, June 1st after the
8:30 and 11 a.m. Masses



Let's celebrate summer with
coffee, donuts, baked goods...
and hot dogs & ice cream!



Hot dogs & ice cream only after the 11 a.m Mass

2025 FATHER'S DAY RAFFLE

Firepit wood - Coats for Kids/Families



FATHERS DAY 2025 INITIATIVES

FATHER'S DAY RAFFLE: Our June 2025 fund raiser effort, is open now. Buy a ticket online or in person at St. Margeurites or St Josephs through Fathers Day.

<https://candlewood-lake-council--knights-of-columbus.square.site>



FIREWOOD: Obtain free firewood for the family fire-pit this spring, summer and fall. This is an opportunity to get your children off their phones and game consoles and out under God's stars at night. Sing songs, act out skits, contemplate the wonder of God's creation of the universe with them. Contact fcbaJetAds@yahoo.com or call or text: (two zero three)-830-9075 to schedule your pick-up. Wood is located on a private residential property. Pick-ups of wood are generally at your convenience, 24/7. We just want to know who's coming and/or if you need a hand loading.



COATS FOR KIDS AND FAMILIES: It's never too early to Buy a Coat for a someone else's kid or family member. Clean new condition coats accepted or with your monetary donation, we'll buy some in a bulk discount purchase!

Go to our Square web site to pay with a credit card for:

- Fathers Day Raffle Tickets
- Coats for Kids
- Firewood is always free



Macksey-Elston Memorial Golf Tournament

Wednesday

**October 8, 2025
RICHTER PARK**

**to benefit the needy of
St. Joseph's and
St. Marguerite's
Brookfield, Connecticut**

View from your smartphone camera



<https://macksey-elstongolf.square.site>

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ONE *in Christ*

2025 Bishop's Appeal

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Please consider a gift to the Bishop's Appeal.

The *Bishop's Appeal* allows us to unite as *One in Christ* to bring to life all the diocesan ministries, programs, and agencies that deliver the pastoral care and human services that no single parish can provide on its own.

Ways to Give

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2025BishopsAppeal.org

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GIVE BY MAIL:
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P.O. Box 110410
Trumbull, CT 06611-0410

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

Thank you for your support of the Bishop's Appeal!

2025 BISHOP'S APPEAL



SERVING OUR COMMUNITY

"The Pastoral Care Department at St. Vincent's Medical Center serves the mission of the Church by striving to make sure every patient and healthcare provider regardless of their faith, state of life, or socioeconomic status, knows about the dignity they possess as sons and daughters of God."

Juan J. Colón, Jr.

Configuration Stage, St. Charles Borromeo Seminary

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www.2025BishopsAppeal.org



SUMMER OF GENEROSITY

Love, serve, and give generously this summer



Our church offers Online Giving as an additional option to support our ongoing mission, ministries, and programs. **Your generosity and support make our church's work possible!**

Make donations, payments, and pledges to our church via your mobile phone, smart device, or computer.

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**Visit our church website today
to sign up and get started**

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Thank you for your generous support!



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Donor Benefits:

- * **Convenient** anytime, anywhere access through the internet.
- * **Secure and Confidential.** Adheres to banking security standards.
- * **Flexible.** Start, stop, and change your contributions at any time.
- * **Simple.** No need to contact your bank or the parish office.
- * **Contribute** using direct withdrawal (ACH) or credit cards.

Parish benefits:

Online Giving allows a donor 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.

- * **Stabilize contributions.** Regularly scheduled gifts occur automatically. Allows parish to effectively manage monthly expenses.
- * **Direct Donations.** A simple way to contribute to individual events, holiday needs, classes, special donations, and more.
- * **Secure and Confidential.** No need to store donor account information.
- * **Efficient.** Participation saves time and expense in bookkeeping.
- * **Current.** A tool for people who prefer to use electronic services.

Text to Give!
475-244-9691

We are keeping up with technology! With 97% of smartphone users texting at least once a day, our parish has decided to add the option to give via text. You can text an amount to 475-244-969, and your transaction will

be processed through the Online Giving account associated with the phone number. If your phone number is not recognized, you can continue without an account, associate your number with an existing account, or create an account.





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SHRINES OF FRANCE

OCTOBER 7 - OCTOBER 17, 2025

HIGHLIGHTS:

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MIRACULOUS MEDAL

BASILICA OF ST. THÉRÈSE

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Hour

OVERNIGHT ADORATION WEEKEND

for Young Adults



MAY 30-JUNE 1, 2025 @ ST. ROSE OF LIMA

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INCARNATE *Beauty*



MAY 31, 2025
ST. ROSE OF LIMA

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NEWTOWN, CT 06470

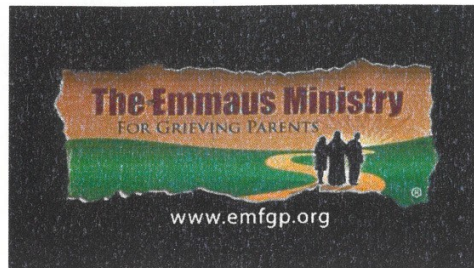
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Losing a child under any circumstance is horrific.
Focusing on the spirituality of the grieving process can help tremendously.

Emmaus is a ministry for parents whose children of any age
have died by any cause, no matter how long ago.

Please join us. All are welcome.

Emmaus Ministry for Grieving Parents One-Day Spiritual Retreat

**At St. Rose of Lima Church
46 Church Hill Road, Newtown**

Saturday, June 7, 2025

9:30am – 7:30pm

For more information or to register go to our website:

Thegrief.org

Or contact:

Carolyn Killian at 203-404-0023
carolyn.killian@ctcemeteries.org

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED