



SAINT JOSEPH



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
NORWICH, CONNECTICUT

AUGUST 6TH, 2023 — THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD



**AS THE VISIONS DURING THE NIGHT CONTINUED, I SAW:
ONE LIKE A SON OF MAN COMING, ON THE CLOUDS OF HEAVEN;
WHEN HE REACHED THE ANCIENT ONE AND WAS PRESENTED BEFORE HIM, THE ONE LIKE A SON OF MAN RECEIVED DOMINION, GLORY, AND KINGSHIP;
ALL PEOPLES, NATIONS, AND LANGUAGES SERVE HIM.
HIS DOMINION IS AN EVERLASTING DOMINION
THAT SHALL NOT BE TAKEN AWAY, HIS KINGSHIP SHALL NOT BE DESTROYED.**

DANIEL 7:9-10; 13-14

PARISH STAFF

Pastor

Msgr. Leszek T. Janik

Parochial Vicar

Fr. James Sucholet

Secretary

Lauren Jello-Pitkin

Rectory Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday: 9am - 2pm
Thursday: 9am-2pm,
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Masses

Vigil Mass Sat. Evening: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am (*English & Polish*)

Mon: 8:00 am (*Please enter through the Cliff Street door*)

1st Sat. of each Month: 9:00 am

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:15—3:45 pm

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Masses

Vigil Mass Sat. Evening: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am & 10:30 am

Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri: 8:00 am

Thurs: 6:00 pm at **St John Mission, Fitchville, CT**

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00—3:45 pm



MASS INTENTIONS

NEXT SUNDAY: THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

SAT 8/5: 4:00 pm + Jennifer Dziengiel Bedell & Walter Dziengiel
with Love from Valerie

SUN 8/6: 9:00 am + Christine Czyzewski
From Family

A Very Happy 61st Birthday to Fr. Jim. May God continue to bless him on his birthday and always.

MON 8/7: 8:00 am + Carol Fontaine
from Barbara Cubanski

NEXT SUNDAY: NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SAT 8/12: 4:00 pm + Bob Scolaro
with Love from wife Dolores Scolaro

SUN 8/13: 9:00 am + Tadeusz Kopij
From Family

MON 8/14: 8:00 am + Evelyn A. Sienkiewicz
From Family

STEWARDSHIP AT ST. JOSEPH

Offertory July 29/30: \$ 1071.
Memorial \$165.00
Church bell tower \$125.00

Thank you for supporting Our Beloved Parish!

Second Collection THIS Weekend is For:
Monthly Maintenance



SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle is lit for

Victoria Maximowicz Burgess

with Love from Merina Corby

Blessed Father Michael McGivney

The official feast day in the life of the Catholic Church in the State of Connecticut of Blessed Father Michael Joseph McGivney, Patron and Founder of the Knights of Columbus, is celebrated annually on August 13th. Blessed Father McGivney was born on August 12th, 1852 in Waterbury, Connecticut and died on August 14th, 1890 at age 38 in Thomaston, Connecticut. His feast day is celebrated on the 13th because it falls between these two dates. Blessed Father McGivney was beatified on October 31st, 2020 at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph in Hartford, Connecticut by Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, Archbishop of Newark, New Jersey on behalf of Pope Francis. Saint Mary Church in New Haven, Connecticut is the shrine and burial place for Blessed Father Michael Joseph McGivney; a place where he served during his brief life as a priest and where he founded the Knights of Columbus. Today he is invoked by so many as an "apostle to the young," "protector of catholic family life," and "saintly founder of the Knights of Columbus." May he bless our state of Connecticut, our parishes, our priests, deacons, seminarians, and consecrated religious brothers and sisters on his feast day!

Faith Formation Coordinator And Safe Environments Child Advocate

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PARISH NEWS

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Coffee Hour!

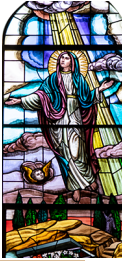
Please join us following the 9am Sunday Mass in the Parish Center for Coffee Hour.

**AUG
15TH**

Feast of the Assumption

The Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation in the United States. Mass will be available at each Parish as follows:

**8am at Sacred Heart Church
9am Mass at St. Joseph Church
6pm Mass at St. John Mission**



ST. JOSEPH CHURCH SUMMER PICNIC

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20TH FROM 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM
on the grounds of our ST. JOSEPH PARISH CENTER.
LAWN TENT WILL BE UP! RAMP ACCESS TO
"SIENKIEWICZ HALL." RAIN OR SHINE!

St. Joseph's will provide burgers, veggie burgers, hot dogs and beverages. We ask parishioners to bring a side/dessert to share. There are sign up sheets available at each Church entrance for parishioners and their families/friends who would like to attend. We will also be extending an invitation to the parishioners of Sacred Heart Church.

Multiple Mass Intentions

Due to many requests for intentions of masses to be celebrated, and the limited number of scheduled masses at St. Joseph's church, starting Monday, July 31st, multiple mass intentions (max. of 5) will be available to schedule on Mondays.

Wiele Intencji Mszalnych

W związku z licznymi prośbami o odprowadzenie intencji Mszy św. oraz ograniczoną liczbą zaplanowanych Mszy w kościele św. Józefa, od poniedziałku 31 lipca możliwe będzie zaplanowanie wielu intencji mszalnych (maksymalnie 5) w poniedziałki.

DIOCESAN NEWS

Help the Office of Faith Events decorate two trees for the Wadsworth Athenaeum Festival of Trees 2023! Our two trees' themes will be "**Warm and Toasty Christmas**" and "**Mental Health Awareness**". Handmade hats and scarves of all sizes, shapes and colors needed- the brighter the better as well as ornaments that show Hope, Understanding, and Support and Donations of BRIGHT GREEN ribbon. Any contributions can be mailed or delivered to the Office of Faith Events, 199 Broadway, Norwich. Questions? Call 860-848-2237 ext. 203 or ext. 304

A word for your spirit...

I've seen you in a vision. You came to me one night.
Your smile was full of kindness. It was such a pretty sight.
I didn't know the reason; I saw You in this way.
I've thought about that moment until this very day.
You must have come to warn me there were stormy days ahead.
For it wasn't long thereafter that my life turned on its head.
I now know You are near me, from morning through the night.
I learned, Dear Lord, that through tough times
You are my guiding light.