



SAINT JOSEPH

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
NORWICH, CONNECTICUT



NOVEMBER 26TH, 2023 — SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



Thus says the Lord GOD:
I myself will look after and tend my sheep. As a shepherd tends his flock when he finds himself among his scattered sheep, so will I tend my sheep. I will rescue them from every place where they were scattered when it was cloudy and dark. I myself will pasture my sheep; I myself will give them rest, says the Lord GOD. The lost I will seek out, the strayed I will bring back, the injured I will bind up, the sick I will heal, but the sleek and the strong I will destroy, shepherding them rightly.

As for you, my sheep, says the Lord GOD, I will judge between one sheep and another, between rams and goats.

— First Reading,
Ezekiel 34: 11-12, 15-17



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

SAT 11/25: VIGIL CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

4:00 pm + Aniela Tupieka 5th Anniversary
From Daughter Theresa Wujcik &
Grandchildren Kristine & Eddie

SUN 11/26: SOLEMNITY CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

9:00 am + Frank, Jozefa, Mary, Jan,
Bronislava & Stanislav Bujak
From Joe Bujak

MON 11/27: 8:00 am Multiple Intentions

+ Rose Bronejko
From Family
+ For Deceased Members of the Kidala, Mis, Paluch
& Czemerda Families
From Ewa

SAT 12/2: FIRST SATURDAY

9:00 am + Bronislawa (Blanche) Politowicz Hanks
Requested by Fr. Sebastian Hanks, OSPPE

NEXT SUNDAY: FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT BEGINNING, LITURGICAL YEAR OF GRACE 2024

SAT 12/2: 4:00 pm + Joseph & Ida Kurasz
From Son Joe

SUN 12/3: 9:00 am + Thaddeus Czyzewski
From Family

MON 12/4: 8:00 am Multiple Intentions
+ Susan Anne Sucholet 1st Anniversary
From Family
+ For Health and Blessings for the Kidala Family
From Ewa
+ Lewis & Izbicki Families
From Deacon Tom Lewis

STEWARDSHIP AT ST. JOSEPH

Offertory November 18/19: \$ 1,271.00
Memorial \$ 105.00

Thank you for supporting Our Beloved Parish!

Second Collection NEXT Weekend is For:
Monthly Maintenance



SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle is lit for

Sophie & Arthur Maynard

with Love from Frances

Apologies...

The dates for the Sanctuary Candle being lit for Rosalie Gudz and Sophie & Arthur Maynard. The Sanctuary Candle was lit for each intention however on swapped weekends. Apologies to the two families.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Confirmation class will be Wednesday, December 6th and Wednesday, December 20th from 6 - 7:30 pm in Sacred Heart Church Hall, Norwichtown.

PARISH NEWS

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1/2

First Friday / First Saturday Masses

Fri. 12/1, 8 am, Sacred Heart Church, in Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Sat. 12/2, 9 am, St Joseph Parish, in Honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

DEC
3RD

Coffee Hour!

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

Children's Christmas Crafting Afternoon

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3RD

The rosary society is collaborating with Faith Formation (CCD) in sponsoring a Christmas crafting afternoon with children from the parish on Sunday, December 3rd from 1-3PM. This event is FREE and is open to children/grandchildren of St. Joseph Church. Age limit is 8-18. Although this is free, we would like to have the appropriate age craft and quantity for each child. For reservations/info: text or call: Lucia Leise (860)859-7798 or Kasia Radicioni (860)608-3546.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATIONS FOR THE ADVENT SEASON

Please join us for Eucharistic Adorations during Advent

Mondays of Advent at St. Joseph Church

immediately following the 8 am Mass from 8:30 am to 9:30 am

Thursdays of Advent at St. John Mission Church
from 5 pm to 6 pm before Mass

Fridays during Advent at Sacred Heart Church
from 8:30 am to 9:30 am immediately following
the 8 am Mass.



Christmas Decorating of St. Joseph Church

DEC
17TH

Setting up the trees and manger scene will be Sunday, December 17 (3rd Sunday of Advent) 1 - 4 pm in the church.

Christmas altar flowers will be delivered Friday, December 22 at 9 am.

Please come and help with the decorations!
Gratefully, Steve Koziol & Fr. Jim



DIOCESAN/COMMUNITY NEWS

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2ND

Monthly Diocesan Pro-Life Mass

The monthly Diocesan Pro-Life Mass will take place at the Cathedral of St. Patrick in Norwich on Saturday, December 2 at 8:30 am. Please join our celebrant Rev. Ray Introvigne at Mass as we pray to end abortion and for the healing for those who have had an abortion. Following the Mass, the Rachel Rosary will be prayed at the Cathedral.

Pilgrimage To The Shrine Of Our Lady Of La Salette

DEC
10TH

Join the Tri-Parish Community of Sacred Heart, Our Lady of Lourdes, & St. Mary, Mother of the Redeemer as we head to the La Salette Shrine's Christmas Festival of Lights - Sunday, December 10th. Mass, Confessions, Christmas Concert, Delicious Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner. Departs from St. Mary, Mother of the Redeemer, 69 Groton Long Point Rd. at 1:15 PM. Cost for motorcoach, and Group Dinner is \$75 per adult, \$45 children. Call OLOL Parish Office (860) 464-7251 or email secretary@ololgf.org

Faith Formation Coordinator And Safe Environments Child Advocate

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