



# SAINT JOSEPH



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH  
NORWICH, CONNECTICUT

MARCH 24<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 — PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

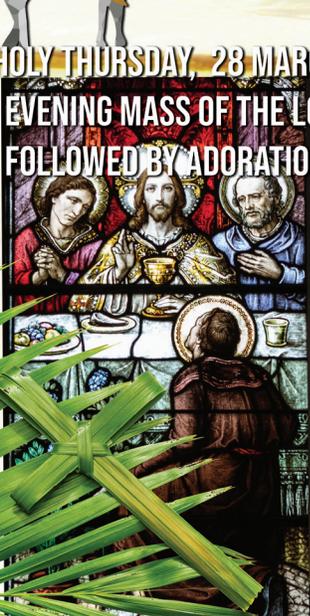
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*"Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to come! Hosanna in the highest!"*

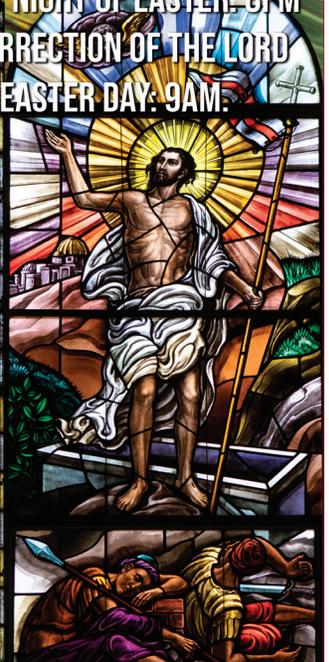
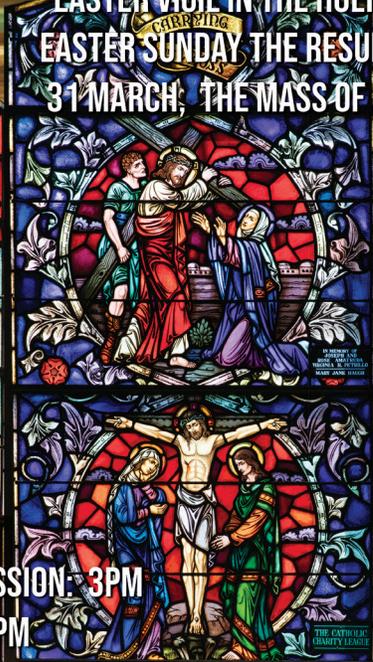
**HOLY THURSDAY, 28 MARCH**  
EVENING MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER: 7PM  
FOLLOWED BY ADORATION UNTIL 9PM



**GOOD FRIDAY, 29 MARCH**  
SERVICE OF THE LORD'S PASSION: 3PM  
STATIONS OF THE CROSS: 6PM



**HOLY SATURDAY, 30 MARCH**  
BLESSINGS OF EASTER FOOD: 10AM & 12 NOON  
EASTER VIGIL IN THE HOLY NIGHT OF EASTER: 8PM  
**EASTER SUNDAY, THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**  
31 MARCH: THE MASS OF EASTER DAY: 9AM



### 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,  
Friday: 9am - 12:30pm

### SAINT JOSEPH

120 Cliff Street  
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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)  
1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of each Month: 9:00 am

**Reconciliation**  
Saturday: 3:15—3:45 pm

### SACRED HEART

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Norwichtown, CT 06360  
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SacredHeart06360@gmail.com  
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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

**Holy Days of Obligation Mass Times:** 8 am Sacred Heart Church, 9 am Saint Joseph Church, 6 pm Saint John Mission



# MASS INTENTIONS

**SAT 3/23: VIGIL PALM SUNDAY**

4:00 pm + Anne Vitouladitis

From Stacia, Kathy & Elaine

**SUN 3/24: PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD**

9:00 am + People of the Parish

From Sieczkowski Family

**MON 3/25: MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK**

8:00 am Multiple Intentions

+ Deacon Albert J. Cote

From Msgr. Les & Fr. Jim

+ Leszek Fryzel

From Marianne Juber

+ Marilyn Dumas

From Fr. James J. Sucholet

**PASCHAL TRIDUUM** + For the People of the Parish

**3/28: HOLY THURSDAY 7PM MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

**3/29: GOOD FRIDAY 3PM SOLEMN LITURGY**

**3/30: HOLY SATURDAY EASTER VIGIL 8PM**

**3/31: EASTER SUNDAY 9AM SOLEMN MASS OF EASTER**

**MON 4/1: 8:00 am Multiple Intentions**

+ Gregory Fracis Pavlak

From Fr. James J. Sucholet

+ The deceased Members of the

Andrew A. Dutka Family

From Mary Dutka

## STEWARDSHIP AT ST. JOSEPH

Offertory March 16/17: \$ 1,432.00

Easter Flowers: \$ 828.20

Thank you for supporting Our Beloved Parish!

**Second Collection NEXT Weekend is For:**

Easter Collection for Sick and Infirm Priests



## SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle is lit for

*Waclaw & Ariela &  
Tadeusz & Janusz Czerwinske*

From daughter Janina Selens

## Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour

Sunday, April 7th is the Sunday of Divine Mercy. Everyone is invited to St. Joseph Church from 3PM to 4PM for Divine Mercy Holy Hour and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Immediately following the afternoon Holy Hour please come to the St. Joseph parish center for refreshments.



**CONFIRMATION STUDENTS** will meet on Wednesday of Holy Week, March 27th at 4:00 pm in Sacred Heart Church Hall, Norwichtown. They will be assisting the younger CCD CLASSES with their Easter egg projects. This special time replaces the evening class that week only.

**CONFIRMATION REGULAR CLASS** will meet on Wednesday, April 17th from 6 - 7:30 pm in Sacred Heart Church Hall.

## Faith Formation Coordinator And Safe Environments Child Advocate

Kasia (Czyzewski) Radicioni kasiarad@hotmail.com or 860.608.3546

# HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



**HOLY THURSDAY 28 March**

7 PM Mass of The Lord's Supper & Adoration at the Repository till 9 PM

**GOOD FRIDAY 29 March**

3 PM Solemn Liturgy of Good Friday & Adoration at the Lord's Tomb

6 PM Stations of the Cross

**HOLY SATURDAY 30 March**

10 AM Blessing of Easter Foods

12 Noon Blessing of Easter Foods

8 PM Great Easter Vigil

**EASTER SUNDAY 31 March**

9 AM Solemn Mass of Easter



## PARISH NEWS

MONDAYS  
OF LENT

### Lenten Spiritual Conference

March 25th we will have our final Lenten Conference in *St. Joseph parish center "Sienkiewicz Hall,"* from 6 - 7 pm.

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7<sup>TH</sup>

### Divine Mercy Holy Hour

3-4 pm at St Joseph Church. Refreshments will be shared in the parish center afterwards.

## DIOCESE & COMMUNITY NEWS

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### Chrim Mass at the Cathedral of St Patrick

Bishop Michael R. Cote, D.D. invites you to the Chrim Mass at the Cathedral of Saint Patrick in Norwich on Tuesday, March 26 at 10:30 am.

*The Chrim Mass is the Liturgy during which the sacred Chrim is consecrated and the Oil of the Sick and the Oil of the Catechumens are blessed. These oils are sanctified for use at the Cathedral and in all parishes in the Diocese of Norwich for Baptism, Confirmation, the Anointing of the Sick and for the Ordination of Priests. Together the three oils symbolize the sacramental life of the Church. Since the Chrim Mass is truly a Diocesan event ALL parishioners are invited.*

### DIOCESE OF NORWICH OUTREACH TO HAITI

**How to help at this crisis time:** Donations accepted by credit card at its website: [www.outreachtohaiti.org](http://www.outreachtohaiti.org). Checks can be made out to **HAITI:** Attention Susan Wallace, 815 Boswell Avenue, Norwich, CT 06360

**Haitian Health Foundation** accepts donations by credit card. PayPal and Venmo on its website:

[www.haitianhealthfoundation.org](http://www.haitianhealthfoundation.org). Checks can be made out to **HHF:** Haitian Health Foundation, 97 Sherman Street, Norwich, CT 06360.

**MASSES FOR HAITI:** Cathedral of Saint Patrick, 213 Broadway, Norwich, CT - **JOIN US IN PRAYER FOR HAITI**

12 noon mass time: Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>.

### Cemetery Spring Cleanup

Beginning April 1, 2024 we will begin removing winter decorations in the cemeteries. Please be sure to collect your winter decorations prior to April 1st. Please note decorations for graves should be contained in a cemetery box no larger than 2' X 1'2". One decoration display per lot. Solar lights may be placed in the cemetery box. Decorations placed directly into the ground will be removed per our insurance regulations. For a complete list of rules and regulations on decorations contact the cemetery office at 860-887-1019