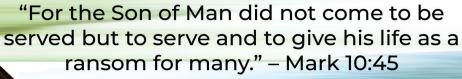


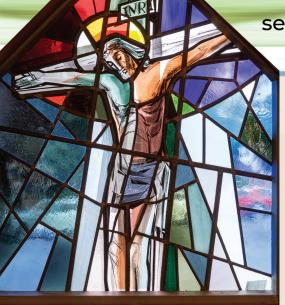
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ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

NORWICH, CONNECTICUT

OCTOBER 20TH, 2024 — 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME







Saint John Paul II, Pope
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"It is Jesus you seek when you dream of happiness; he is waiting for you when nothing else you find satisfies you; he is the beauty to which you are so attracted; it is he who provokes you with that thirst for fullness that will not let you settle for compromise; it is he who urges you to shed the masks of a false life; it is he who reads in your hearts your most genuine choices, the choices that others try to stifle.

It is Jesus who stirs in you the desire to do something great with your lives, the will to follow an ideal, the refusal to allow yourselves to be grounded down by mediocrity, the courage to commit yourselves humbly and patiently to improving yourselves and society, making the world more human and more fraternal."

– 15th World Youth Day Vigil Address of the Holy Father John Paul II (5)

Memorial, 22 October

PARISH STAFF

Pastor

Msgr. Leszek T. Janik

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Fr. James Sucholet

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Monday, Tuesday: 9am - 2pm Thursday: 9am-2pm, Friday: 9am - 12 Noon

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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

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



MASS INTENTIONS

SAT 10/19: VIGIL 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:00 pm + Walter & Phyllis Podeszwa from Eugene & Wanda Podeszwa

Sun 10/20: 29[™] Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am + Peter Kvc From Danuta Piekutowski

MON 10/21: 8:00 am Multiple intentions

+ Richard Jello

From daughter & granddaughter

+ Genevive Sucholet

From the St. Joseph Rosary Society

NEXT SUNDAY: 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SAT 10/26: 4:00 pm + **Traci Fargo**

with love from Max

SUN 10/27: 9:00 am Multiple intentions

+ For Grandparents Bronislaw & Helena Kopij

From Bill & Caroline Bucko + Karol & Stefania Czyzewski

From Family

MON 10/28: 8:00 am Multiple intentions

+ Matthew, Benjamin, Raymond & Alexander Zawacki

From their sister Albina Czapski

+ Genevieve SUCHOLET

From Cathy Kokoszka

FRI 11/1: ALL SAINTS DAY, HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION 9:00 am For the Parishioners of St. Joseph Parish

STEWARDSHIP AT ST. JOSEPH

Offertory October 12/13: \$ 1,132. Memorial \$35

Thank you for supporting Our Beloved Parish!

Second Collection THIS Weekend is For:

Cradle Fund



SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary candle is lit for

Silveria "Sam" Mazzella

With love from Frances

Mom's Funeral Mass & Luncheon Thank You

On behalf of my sister Mary Grace (Sucholet) Webb and the Sucholet Family, I wish to THANK YOU ALL for the outpouring of deep sympathy at this time of great loss of my dear MOM +GENEVIEVE SOPHIA (LINKIEWICZ) SUCHOLET, who the Lord called home to Eternal Life peacefully on SUNDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 6TH, 2024 at 95 years old and suffering from dementia these last three years.

To Monsignor Les Janik, Pastor for all his kind assistance to us at this difficult time. To all who were able to attend my mother's wake at the Woyasz Funeral Home, Uncasville. To Jonathan Woyasz and his staff for the wonderful attention to every detail. To the St. Joseph Church and Sacred Heart Church Rosary Society Members. To the priests and deacons of the Diocese of Norwich, the consecrated religious sisters, those who attended the burial following Mass at our Sucholet Family Plot in St. Joseph Cemetery, Norwich; and for the delicious and bountiful Funeral Luncheon and assorted Polish and other desserts following the Cemetery. THANK YOU ALL for the many beautiful cards and notes, Masses, beautiful flowers sent to us and your continued prayers for the eternal repose of her soul. May MOM rest now in the peace of Christ! May the Good Lord Bless You all! Bog Zaplac! Gratefully and always, Father Jim Sucholet

PARISH NEWS

St. Joseph Parish Bible Study on Exodus continues October 21, 6 - 7:15 pm in the St. Joseph Parish Center.



Norwich 40 Days-For-Life

Join fellow parishioners on October 24th, 8am to 4pm (our day shared with Sacred Heart Norwichtown) in praying, fasting, and participating in this peaceful prayer vigil for the end of abortion. Sign-ups and information is in the back of the church.

All Saints Day, A Holy Day of Obligation



Thursday, October 31st 6 pm at St. John Mission the Mass will be the Vigil Mass for All Saints Friday. November 1st 8 am at Sacred Heart Church or 9 am at St. Joseph's Church for the feast day.



First Friday / First Saturday Masses

Fri. 11/1 8 am, Sacred Heart Church, in Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Sat. 11/2, 9 am, St Joseph Parish, in Honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Christmas Pierogi Sale Fundraiser

The Rosary Society and St. Joseph Church are sponsoring a Christmas Pierogi Sale fundraiser. We are asking for your help with making and packing the pierogi, clean up, and, of course, helping to sell them! Please see the church bulletin or our website for the pre-order form. Orders must be in by October 31st. We will start making the pierogi in November; dates to be determined and will be in provided. Please consider giving your time so this can be a successful event. If you would like to make a monetary donation, you may drop it off in the collection basket or mail it to the rectory (with "pierogi" notation on the envelope). Any questions, call or text Lucia Leise (860)859-7798. As always a big "thank you" for all you do for our beloved St. Joseph Parish.

DIOCESE & COMMUNITY NEWS



Old Testament And Catechesis

Join us virtually on Tuesday, October 29th, 7 - 8pm as we delve into the richness of the Old Testament and its importance in Catechesis. Participants

will learn how the narratives, teachings and prophecies of the Old Testament can deepen our faith and understanding of God's covenant with humanity. We will discuss effective ways to incorporate these elements into catechetical settings, making scripture accessible and relevant for all ages. Our speaker. Gina Czerwinski, has ministered within the Catholic Church for over 25 years, serving at retreat centers, shrines, and youth-serving organizations as well as on the parish and diocesan levels. To register, contact Liza Roach at Iroach@ norwichdiocese.net or call 860-848-2237 ex. 305.

Knights of Columbus Council #13 Movie (K)Night



Movie (K) Night with free pizza and drinks! On the big screen: "Do You Believe?" from the creators of "God's Not Dead." Saturday, November 2nd, at 5pm following the 4pm Vigil mass - Sacred Heart

Church Hall, Norwichtown. Free to everyone to attend!



Youth & Family Explosion

Join us for an inspiring afternoon featuring Jim Flanagan, Coordinator of Youth Ministry at the Christ by the Sea Catholic



Collaborative, along with musicians Sue and Phil Fortin from St. Aidan-St. Patrick in Cumberland, RI. With nearly 30 years in ministry, they'll bring uplifting music and messages to our community. Ticket Prices: \$5 per person, \$25 for a family, or \$4 per person for youth groups. Use the QR code for more information or to purchase tickets. Questions, email Liza at Iroach@norwichdiocese.net