

ANNUNCIATION PARISH

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

PARISH OFFICE

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Newington, CT 06111
Phone: (860) 666-1591

Office Hours

Monday - Friday:
9:00am - 2:00pm

CHURCH OF ST. MARY

626 Willard Avenue
Newington, CT. 06111

CHURCH OF HOLY SPIRIT

183 Church Street (No Mail Please)
Newington, CT. 06111

Confession

Friday: 8:30-8:50 am, HS
Saturday: 3:00-3:50 pm, HS
Sunday: 7:30-7:50 am, SM

Mass Times

Daily Mass: Monday - Friday
9:00 am, HS

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm, HS

Sunday Masses:

8:00 am, SM
9:15 am, HS
10:30 am, SM
12:00 pm, HS

Visit us on the web @
annunciationnewington.com



The **kingdom of heaven** may be likened
to a king who decided to settle
accounts with his servants.

Matthew 18:21-22

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Look upon us, O God, Creator and ruler of all things, and, that we may feel the working of your mercy, grant that we may serve you With all our heart. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

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Welcome To Annunciation Parish, The Roman Catholic Community of Newington

Whether you are a long-time parishioner, a returning parishioner, a new parishioner, or a visitor, welcome to our community. We are glad that you are here and hope that you feel at home. If you are not already a member of our parish, please consider joining us. If you are a member of our parish already, please consider joining one of our ministries.

The Catholic Church welcomes new members of all ages. Children are welcomed into our faith through the sacrament of Baptism. Adults can either join our faith, or complete their sacraments of initiation through our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) or our Adult Confirmation program. If you are interested, please call the rectory at: (860) 666-1591.

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Sacramental Ministries

Baptism

To schedule a Baptism, visit our website: www.annunciationnewington.com, - Book a Baptism and then once the form is submitted, Deacon Blanchette will call to arrange a meeting.

Marriage

Please call the rectory at least **six months** in advance. Couples meet with the priest for an initial pastoral conversation before a wedding date can be set. Please do not make other plans until a date has been confirmed with your parish.

For the Sick

We are happy to visit with the homebound.

If you or a loved one would like a home visit, Holy Communion or the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the rectory office.

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“ Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?” Matthew 18:20.

The 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A focuses on mercy, forgiveness, and belonging to God. The readings show that God calls people to forgive others, just as He forgives them.

Forgiving Others: The Gospel teaches that people must forgive, just as God forgives them. Holding onto anger leads to judgment, but mercy brings peace.

God's Mercy: The master in the parable shows great mercy to his servant. This reminds people that God forgives them even when they do not deserve it.

Hypocrisy in Unforgiveness: The servant who was forgiven a great debt refused to forgive a smaller one. This warns that people should not expect mercy from God if they do not show mercy to others.

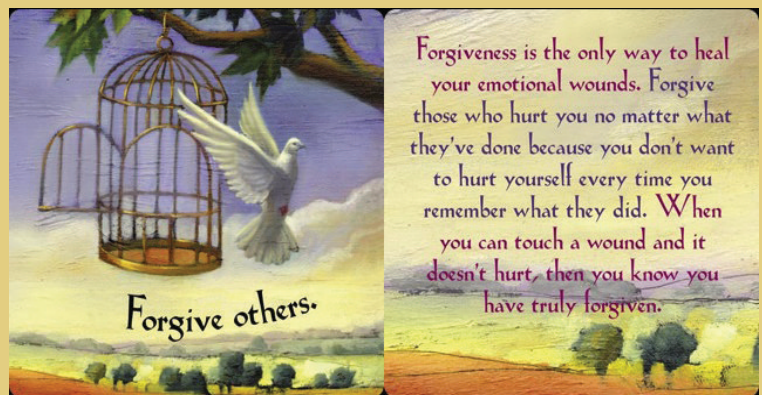
Belonging to the Lord: The second reading says that whether people live or die, they belong to God. Their lives should reflect His love and mercy.

Letting Go of Anger: The first reading warns against wrath and hatred. People should remember that life is short and focus on love and forgiveness.

God's Judgment: The Gospel shows that God expects people to forgive. Those who refuse to forgive will face consequences.

Forgiveness is not always easy, but it is necessary. The readings for the 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A remind people that God forgives them, so they must also forgive others.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK – Twenty-Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Monday Nm 21:4b-9 Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38 Phil 2:6-11 Jn 3:13-17

Tuesday 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Wednesday 1 Cor 12:31—13:13 Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22 Lk 7:31-35

Thursday 1 Cor 15:1-11 Ps 118:1B-2, 16ab-17, 28 Lk 7:36-50

Friday 1 Cor 15:12-20 Ps 17:1bcd, 6-7, 8b and 15 Lk 8:1-3

Saturday 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49 Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14 Lk 8:4-15

Sunday Is 55:6-9 Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18 Phil 1:20c-24, 27a Mt 20:1-16a

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 12th, The Vigil For The Twenty-Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

H/S 4:00 p.m. Michael McCormack, 25th Anniversary,
By His Family

Sunday, September 13th, The Twenty-Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

S/M 8:00 a.m. Bernadette Brodeur, By Her Children
H/S 9:15 a.m. Antonio & Filomena & Angelo Manocchio,
By Their Family

S/M 10:30 a.m. Adolph Eisenhofer & Alice Attardo,
By His Daughter & Sister of Alice
H/S 12:00 p.m. Leeds Carluccio, Birthday Remembrance,
By The His Family

Monday, September 14th, The Exaltation Of The Holy Cross

H/S 9:00 a.m. Nicola & Filomena and
Cosmo & Teresa Niro,
By Their Family

Tuesday, September 15th, Our Lady of Sorrows

H/S 9:00 a.m. Frank Sposato, Birthday Remembrance,
By His Daughter

Wednesday, September 16th, Saints Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

H/S 9:00 a.m. Carolyn Leone, By Her Sister

Thursday, September 17th, Weekday; Saint Robert Bellarmine, Bishop, Doctor of the Church; Saint Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin, Doctor of the Church

H/S 9:00 a.m. Steven Paul Malinowski, By Ann Marie

Friday, September 18th, Weekday

H/S 9:00 a.m. Fr. Josh Wilbur & Deacon Jim Blanchette,
For God's Healing Grace

Saturday, September 19th, The Vigil For The Twenty-Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time

H/S 4:00 p.m. James McDonald,
By Dennis & Marge McDonald

Sunday, September 20th, The Twenty-Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time

S/M 8:00 a.m. Barbara Grimaldi & Virginia Valente,
By Donna Percoski
H/S 9:15 a.m. Deceased Members of The SFHSN Class
of 1958
S/M 10:30 a.m. Timothy Mitchell, By His Family
H/S 12:00 p.m. Alejandro Docena, Sr., Donata Maragrag &
Sexto & Renaldo Macapanas,
By Jovi Kupstas



In Loving Memory

We pray for...

Marguerite Armentano

Richard John Kasper

David Tedeschi, Jr.

And for the consolation of
their family & friends.

Eternal rest grant unto
them, O Lord; let your light
shine upon them

Amounts will be posted in our
next bulletin for the

September 6th collection

due to publisher deadlines.

We are grateful to all who
continue to support
Annunciation Parish by
your prayers and financial
contributions.

Eucharistic Adoration

Holy Spirit Church

6:00 - 7:00pm

Tuesday Evenings

Spend the whole hour or as
much time as you can give!



By assisting devoutly at Mass, we render the sacred
humanity of Our Lord the greatest homage. He makes up
for many failings and omissions. We should pray like this
at the beginning of Mass: **"O Most just God, with contrite
heart and steadfast hope, I lay my sins upon this sacred
altar, in order that they may be consumed by the flames
of Your divine Charity, purged away by the Precious
Blood of Jesus, and fully atoned for by His infinite
merits. Amen."**

FORGIVENESS

The Knights Sandwich Ministry

Our next sandwich collection is Sunday,
September 20th at **4:30** in the
St. Mary School Parking lot.

K of C Food Collection

Sunday, **October 4th** @ both churches.

The Prayer Shawl Group

Meets the third Thursday of every month at
12:30 p.m. at The Holy Spirit church hall from
September to June.

The Men's Club

...meets on the third Wednesday of every month,
at **6:00 p.m.** in St. Mary lower rectory.
Contact: Tom Morris at (860) 666-6331

The Men's Fellowship Group

...meets every Wednesday evening from
6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at Holy Spirit Church Hall.
Contact: Angelo Marchetti (860) 202-1612

The Women's Fellowship Group

...meets every Thursday from **6:30 to 8:00 p.m.**
Holy Spirit Church Hall.
Contact: Kim Marchetti (860) 202-0020

The Women's Guild

The Women's Guild Executive Board
will meet on Monday, **October 5th**, and the
General Membership meeting will be held on
Tuesday, **September 15th.**

All meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. in the Holy
Spirit Church Hall.

**The Women's Guild first meeting of the
2026-2027** year will be held on **Tuesday,
September 15th** in the Church of The Holy
Spirit Hall beginning at **6:30 pm.** ***All women
of the parish are invited to join the Women's
Guild. Dues are \$10 for the year.**

The evenings entertaining program will be
speaker: Dr. Steve Sobel on Celebrate Joy,
Happiness and Humor. Dr. Steve Sobel,
speaker extraordinaire, is one of the country's
most adored motivational speakers, educators,
and humorists. Steve is also the author of the
best selling book: "The Good Times Handbook-
Your Guide to Positive Living and Exciting Life",
and appears regularly on television and radio
throughout the United States and Canada.



The Malta House of Care

For 20 years, Malta House of Care has
provided free, compassionate primary
healthcare to uninsured adults in
Greater Hartford - thanks to countless
supporters including the Archdiocese of
Hartford and many parishioners through
the Archbishop's Annual Appeal.
Join Malta to celebrate the past 20 years
and to look to the future at an unforgettable
evening of live music, dancing, delicious food,
and drinks on **Thursday, September 24** at
Infinity Hall in Hartford. Every ticket helps
Malta provide free primary healthcare to
uninsured adults throughout Greater Hartford,
improving health outcomes through accessible
care.
Visit <https://maltahouseofcare.org/20years/>
for more information and to purchase tickets.

**The 19th Annual
Connecticut Catholic Men's Conference:**

**Saturday, October 10, 2026,
7:30AM - Vigil Mass**

Location - Holy Cross Catholic High School,
Waterbury, CT
Adoration, Confession, Speakers, Exhibitors,
Lunch, Mass

Speakers: Fr. Dan Reehil, Fr. Declan Gibson,
Ms. Jeanne Mancini and Dr. Karlo Broussard

**For more information,
please visit:
www.ctcatholicmen.org
or call Bill Mitchell in the
evenings:
(860) 436-2669**



**Altar Servers Needed For
Funerals And Masses**

**We are actively seeking volunteers
to help as Altar Servers for our funerals at
both Holy Spirit & Saint Mary's Church as
well as weekend masses.**

**If this is a ministry that you would be
able to contribute your time and talents
to, please contact Kim at: 860-666-1591.
Thank you so much!**

REMEMBERING

The Child We Love and Have Lost



ANNUAL CHERISH OUR CHILDREN WALK

Please join us as we walk in honor of children

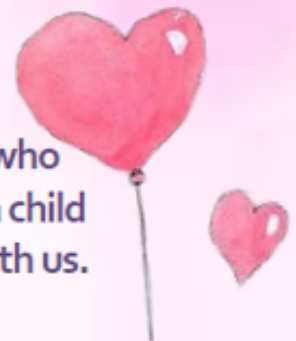
Sunday, September 13, 2026

Newington Memorial Funeral Home
20 Bonair Avenue, Newington

12:00pm to Register — 1:00pm to Walk
(Rain or Shine)

Parents, relatives and friends who
have experienced the death of a child
of any age are invited to walk with us.

Please call 860-666-0600 with any additional
questions you may have.



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2026 Eucharistic Rosary Congress

Join Us in Prayer Before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament
Annunciation Parish

Church of the Holy Spirit

Tuesday, October 6 – Wednesday, October 7, 2026



Come Spend an Hour with Jesus

Join us for Eucharistic Adoration beginning at 6:00 PM on Tuesday and continuing through 5:45 PM on Wednesday. Each hour begins with the Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet, followed by quiet time for personal prayer.

Sign Up for an Hour of Adoration

Scan the QR code to choose an hour of Adoration or sign up to lead the Rosary.
Everyone is Welcome!



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OCTOBER 17, 2026

 **9AM – 3PM**

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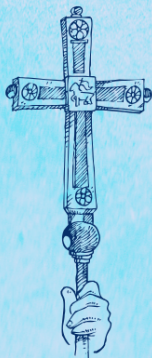


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The Avila House



Are you looking to be part of a Catholic
community of women who are
discerning God's will for their lives?



*If so, please pray about the opportunity to join the
Avila House in Newington, CT.*

*The Avila House is a discernment house for women in
the Archdiocese of Hartford. We are women in love
with Jesus Christ, who live together in community.*



Those interested can contact Carlene Demiany at 760-774-0043
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