



Saint Martin of Tours Parish

August 1st - August 9th

The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, August 1st

CANAAN 4:00 pm

Anthony Veronesi † ~ Routhier Family

SUNDAY, August 2nd

LAKEVILLE 9:00 am

**Theresa Murphy Jennings † ~ Diane
and David**

NORFOLK 11:00 am

Ted Veling † ~ Kathy and Family

WEDNESDAY, August 5th

CANAAN 5:00-6:00 pm

Holy Adoration and Rosary

CANAAN 6:00 pm

**Deceased Members of the Solan Family
~ Terry, Peter and Richard**

THURSDAY, August 6th

NORFOLK 8:00 am

For the Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY, August 7th

LAKEVILLE 8:00 am

For the Homeless and Hungry

SATURDAY, August 8th

CANAAN 2:30-3:30 pm

Confessions

CANAAN 4:00 pm

Rafael Perez † ~ Arango Family

SUNDAY, August 9th

LAKEVILLE 9:00 am

**Margaret Nolan and Thomas Hussey †
~ Hussey Family**

NORFOLK 11:00 am

Laverne Barbagallo † ~ Lou and Family

Please pray for the health and wholeness in body, mind, and soul of: Catie Aakjar, Gary Allard, Baby Grace Elizabeth, Barbara Lynn, Ruth B., Lana Barges, David Barrett, Patricia Boyce, Daniele Braham, Ginger Brayer, Maureen Broderick, Deirdre Broderick, James & Jennifer Buck, Melanie C., Benny and Rich Camardi, Angela and Peggy Cain, Betty Carpenter, Betsy Case, George Catrambone, Suzanne Christofferson, Ellen Ciccarelli, Rachel Clasemann, Mary Corbo, Richard Cousins, Helen Curtiss, Kelsey Cyr, N.D., Laura Fabula, Tony H., Dennis Hannafin, Darlene Gerace, Jane Gillmor, Rita Gingras, Raphael Gonzalez, Debbie Griffin, Mary Justin Hornish, Dilma & Roun K, Bob & Dee La Bonne, Denise Littlefield, Darla Lovett, J.M., Stephen M., Betty Maddock, Mary Eileen McCafferty, M. S., Bruce McElory, Susie McGraw, Arielle McLaughlin, Allyson Martin, Deb Martin, George Martin, Joe Merola, Meyer Family, Peg Michaud, Jennifer Michalak, Beverly Michaelowski, Peter Mieras, Kristie Miller, J.N., Joseph N., Kay Naderite, Linda Neary, Cindy Newell, Karen Neumann, James Nivolo, Leah Newton, John O'Neil, Dixie Palmer, Marjorie Palmer, Holly Peppe, Colton Poley, Denise Rice, George Rivera, Jr., Irene Redford, Jonathan Routhier Jr., Sally S., Marie Sanford, Rosa M. Santos, James Seitz, Mireille Smith, Spencer Robert Smith, Brian Stanley, Sophia Sterling, Carol Sterling, Carol Stevens, Kylan Stewart, Alyssa Stone, Eileen Sullivan, Adam Tedesco, Liz Thomson, A. L. Torres, Linda Valenti, Doris VanDeusen, Tad W., Fr. Josh Wilbur, Drew Wilkinson, Brooks William, Heidi Whitney, and Petey Z.



"O Mary conceived without Sin, Pray for Us who have Recourse to Thee."

MASS READINGS

The Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time
August 9, 2026

First Reading	1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a
Responsorial	Psalm 85
Second Reading	Romans 9:1-5
Gospel	Matthew 14:22-33

Our adult program, the **Order of Christian Initiation of Adults**, is the process for anyone who wants to learn more about Jesus and explore following Him through the teachings of His Church. Classes are **free** and we are happy to work with your schedule. Please call our office at 860-824-7078 to schedule an appointment and take the first step!

MEETING SCHEDULE

AA Meetings:

St. Joseph Church Hall, Canaan: Sundays,
6:00 pm–7:00 pm

St. Mary Church Hall, Lakeville: Monday,
Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday,
Noon–1:00 pm

Catholic Men's Club: August 9th, 9:30 am,

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Klauer Hall

Daughters of Isabella: August 6th, 6:30 pm,
Bittermann Center

Knights of Columbus: August 4th, 6:30pm,
Bittermann Center — Dinner & Meeting

Blessed Shawls are in our Churches and in the Parish Office. If you know someone who would be comforted with a shawl, please take one.



We are grateful to the many parishioners who continue to support the parish week after week. Though you may attend Mass at another church, or even in another state, please remember that Saint Martin of Tours still relies on your support! You can mail or drop off your envelopes or give on-line at:

<https://www.osvhub.com/stmartinoftoursct/giving/funds>.

Needed	\$8690.00
Weekly & 2nd	\$5633.00

Thank you for helping to make our BBQ a Success!
Profit (income minus expenses.)

BBQ Dinner: \$7413.00

Raffle: \$7575.00

Grand Total: \$14988.00

Our Second Collection on August 8th
is for Grounds and Maintenance

Support Saint Martin of Tours
Parish Scan the QR Code to
make your gift online.



COME FOLLOW ME!

Jesus is calling, will you answer?

Discern a vocation to be a Franciscan Friar in the footsteps of Christ.

Attention Men aged 20-40!

Contact: Br. Dan Cavalieri, OFM

917-830-4575

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The Sanctuary Candle in every Catholic Church signifies the Eucharistic presence of our Lord Jesus in the Tabernacle and burns for seven days. If you would like to reserve a week in any of our churches in memory of a loved one or for a special intention, please contact the parish office. Dates are still available for Mass requests this year. Please consider scheduling a Mass for special intentions, healing, or the repose of the soul of a loved one.

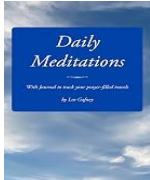
**ALL ARE WELCOME TO
OUR PARISH PICNIC**

on **Sunday, August 9th**, immediately following
the **11:00 am Mass at Immaculate
Conception Church**, for a picnic hosted by the
Catholic Men's and Women's Clubs.

The men will be grilling up hamburgers and
Hot dogs, and parishioners are invited to bring
a favorite picnic side dish, garden salad, chips,
fruit, cookies, brownies, or another dessert to
share. Come enjoy the simple blessings of
summer—good food, friendly conversation,
laughter, and time together as a parish family.

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace:
where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, joy.
O divine Master, grant that I may not so much
seek to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved as to love.
For it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
it is in dying that we are born to eternal
life. Amen.
—Attributed to St. Francis of Assisi

Leo Gafney has published a collection of



meditations available to be
downloaded from Amazon,
entering, "Leo Gafney Daily
Meditations." The cost is \$5.95.

There are more than 100
meditations based on scripture. This is a book
of Christian meditations. You will place yourself
in a relaxed but attentive position. You will
want to clear your mind of every-day work,
concerns, and entertainments. Next you will
read a short passage from scripture, followed
by an exploration of the passage, based on
questions with ideas for journal entries.



CT CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE 2026

Rebuild My Church

 **Saturday, October 10, 2026**

 **Holy Cross Catholic HS
Waterbury, CT**

 NATIONAL SPEAKERS	 CONFESSION
 CATHOLIC EXHIBITS & MINISTRIES	 VIGIL MASS with Archbishop C. J. Coyne

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

 **CTCATHOLICMEN.ORG**

Treasure Hunters' Sale

The Women's Club of Immaculate Conception Church is planning a "Treasure Hunters' Sale", (i.e., tag sale) for **Labor Day Weekend, September 5 & 6**. We are seeking donations of small household items, linens, glassware, pottery, porcelain, jewelry, art works, decorative accessories, toys and games in clean, good condition (no clothing, books, CDs/DVDs or furniture). Bring donations to Klauer Hall at Immaculate Conception Church prior to September 3rd. For questions and further information, contact Erzsébet Black, (860) 542-1989 or Margo O'Connor at (860) 542-5317.



EVERYONE WELCOME !!!
FREE DINNER FREE DINNER



COMMUNITY DINNER
Northwest Community Kitchen
Bittermann Center
2 Daisy Hill Road, North Canaan
For more information 860-542-5428





ENDURE - MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT

Make your marriage a priority!!

We are once again offering this unique 6 session program for all married couples. Couples from the last session loved it.

Join us for this unique opportunity for married couples, designed to enhance your relationship and strengthen your marriage. Whether you are newlyweds or married for many years, these sessions were created with you in mind! Our gatherings will be in the St Joseph Church parish center 31 Oak St in Winsted, CT. We ask all participants to commit to attending all five sessions and the mini retreat in order to fully benefit from the program. All married couples are welcome! The cost is \$50 per couple and includes all materials for the course, plus community and refreshments.

Our group from the spring is still getting together on their own for fun activities and faith support. Come be part of this great opportunity for married couples to make friends in faith.

Schedule Mondays 6:30-8:30 pm ~ 6 weeks

September 9th – Why Are We Here

**November 22nd – Saturday Mini-Retreat 12:30-3:30 pm and then 4pm
Mass at church**

Please contact Deb Rice with questions or to register;
drice@stjoseph-winsted.org