



Saint Martin of Tours Parish

August 15th - August 23rd

The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, August 15th

CANAAN 4:00 pm

Mary Terravova † ~ Carmela and Dave

SUNDAY, August 16th

LAKEVILLE 9:00 am

Patricia Kimberly † ~ Her Family

NORFOLK 11:00 am

Mary Ann Weinstein † ~ Her Family

WEDNESDAY, August 19th

CANAAN 5:00-6:00 pm

Holy Adoration and Rosary

CANAAN 6:00 pm

Edward and Agnes Hurley † ~ Drew Hurley

THURSDAY, August 20th

NORFOLK 8:00 am

For World Peace

FRIDAY, August 21st

LAKEVILLE 8:00 am

For Vocations to the Priesthood

SATURDAY, August 22nd

CANAAN 2:30-3:30 pm

Confessions

CANAAN 4:00 pm

John N. Franzese † ~ Christine Zoro

SUNDAY, August 23rd

LAKEVILLE 9:00 am

**Remembrance of John Harney's Birthday
~ Elyse**

NORFOLK 11:00 am

**For Healing of the Daniel Martin Family
~ Friends**

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, Eric Bunker, 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, Terry Marshall, Martin Family ~ Allyson, Daniel, Deb, Donna, George, Michael and Victoria, Mary Eileen McCafferty, M. S., Bruce McElory, Susie McGraw, Arielle McLaughlin, 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.

MASS READINGS

The Twenty First Sunday of Ordinary Time August 23, 2026

First Reading	Isaiah 22:19-23
Responsorial	Psalm 138
Second Reading	Romans
Gospel	Matthew 15:21-28

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

VOCATIONS@ICPROVINCE.ORG

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: Sept. 13th, 9:30 am,

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Klauer Hall

Daughters of Isabella: Sept. 3rd, 6:30 pm,
Bittermann Center

Knights of Columbus: September 1st, 6:30pm,
Bittermann Center — Dinner & Meeting



***Are you an adult who has not received one
or more of the Sacraments?***

**Or would you or someone you know, like to
learn more about becoming Catholic.**

Our adult program, the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults, offers a welcoming path to learn more about Jesus, ask questions, and explore life in His Church. Classes are free, and we are happy to work with your schedule. Please call the parish office at 860-824-7078 to schedule an appointment and take the first step on your faith journey!



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



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	\$6591.00

Our second collection on September 5th is for
Cemetery Maintenance

Registration for the 2026-27 Religious Education School Year is Now Open!

Forms have been mailed to the current families of the program. **Please contact the church office if you would like to register for the Religious Education program.** If you have questions regarding the program, please contact Christina Allyn, Coordinator of Religious Education at CORE@stmartinoftoursct.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



The Canaan Northwest Lions Club will be participating in the annual **Veterans Stand Down** on Friday, September 18th, offering free goods and

services to veterans in Connecticut. The following items are requested:

+ **Personal care items such as toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, soap, other hygiene products**

+ **New clothing, shoes, socks, underwear, winter caps and gloves**

Please place any items in the box in the back of the church.

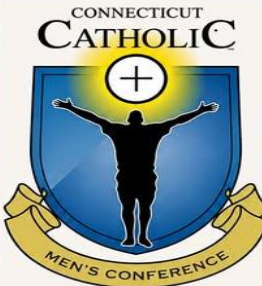


COFFEE HOUR SCHEDULE

2nd Sunday ~ Norfolk

3rd Sunday ~ Lakeville

All are invited to join us for delicious treats and coffee while getting to meet new friends!



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**

Mystery Wine Fundraiser



Hosted by the Catholic Women's Club and the Daughters' of Isabella of St. Martin of Tours Parish. You're invited to support

a fun and meaningful parish fundraiser! Donate a bottle of your favorite wine, valued at \$20 or more, by bringing it to the Church office or to Klauer Hall before the 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass. Once enough bottles have been collected, we'll announce a special game and trivia afternoon where guests may make a \$20 donation and choose a mystery bottle of wine. **Every bottle helps.** Proceeds will benefit the Catholic Women's Club and Daughters of Isabella efforts, including scholarships, FISH, Open Door, Two Hearts Pregnancy, and other charitable endeavors. Thank you for your generosity and support!



Join us for Bingo every Friday evening at the Bittermann Center. Doors open at 5:15 pm.

Come enjoy a fun evening with friends! Volunteers are also needed, and your help would be greatly appreciated. Even helping us once a month would make a meaningful difference!

On Sunday, September 6th, Leo Gafney invites everyone to join **"The Book Club"** gathering after the 9:00 am Mass to discuss Pope Leo XIV's Encyclical Letter, "Magnifica Humanitas."

Save the Date
for the Twelfth Annual

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Lourdes in a Day Pilgrimage

Experience the grace and healing power of Lourdes in Connecticut
with Archbishop Coyne, Bishop Reidy, Bishop Rosazza, and Fr. MacNeill.



September 12, 2026

9AM - 3PM

Cathedral of Saint Joseph

140 Farmington Ave, Hartford, CT

Fully Handicap Accessible

Complimentary Lunch Served

RSVP by September 2, 2026

ENTRANCE NOTICE: Use the West entrance (adjacent to the Asylum St. parking lot, in the rear of the Cathedral) for both entry and registration. Attendees are advised to Google the Asylum St. entrance for directions.



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