

Saint Martin of Tours Parish

November 14th – November 22nd

Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, November 14th

CANAAN	**4:00 pm**	**Deceased Members of the Daughters of Isabella**

SUNDAY, November 15th

LAKEVILLE	**9:00 am**	**Tom Soja † ~ Greg Soja**
NORFOLK	**11:00 am**	**William Torrant † ~ ICC Parish Family**

WEDNESDAY, November 18th

CANAAN	**5:00-6:00 pm**	**Holy Adoration and Rosary**
CANAAN	**6:00 pm**	**Deceased Priests of St. Joseph Church † ~ Terry, Peter and Richard**

THURSDAY, November 19th

NORFOLK	**8:00 am**	**William Torrant † ~ Roselee and Nick Fanelli**

FRIDAY, November 20th

LAKEVILLE	**8:00 am**	**Deceased Priests of St. Mary Church**

SATURDAY, November 21st

CANAAN	**2:30-3:30 pm**	**Confessions**
CANAAN	**4:00 pm**	**Les Bush † ~ Bill Tierney**

Sunday, November 22nd

LAKEVILLE	**9:00 am**	**Nancy Piracci † ~ Her Family**
NORFOLK	**11:00 am**	**Bill Gustafson † ~ His Wife June**

Please pray for the health and wholeness in body, mind, and soul of: Catie Aakjar, Gary Allard, Baby Grace Elizabeth, Barbara Lynn, Ruth B., Jerry Baldwin, Doyle Barger, Lana Barges, David Barrett, Jean Barrio, Patricia Boyce, Daniele Braham, Ginger Brayer, Maureen Broderick, Deirdre Broderick, Eric Bunker, James & Jennifer Buck, Melanie C., Benny and Rich Camardi, Donna Calder, 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, Charlie Ferris, Tony H., Dennis Hannafin, Darlene Gerace, Jane Gillmor, Rita Gingras, Raphael Gonzalez, Sharon Grace, Debbie Griffin, Mary Justin Hornish, Dilma & Roun K, Bob & Dee La Bonne, Denise Littlefield, Darla Lovett, J.M., Stephen M., Betty Maddock, Donna Mallory, Terry Marshall, Martin Family ~ Allyson, Daniel, Deb, Donna, George, Michael and Victoria Martin, M. S., Bruce McElory, Susie McGraw, Arielle McLaughlin, Joe Merola, Meyer Family, Peg Michaud, Jennifer Michalak, Beverly Michaelowski, Peter Mieras, Kristie Miller, Krystal Morace and Family, J.N., Joseph N., Kay Naderite, Linda Neary, Cindy Newell, Karen Neumann, James Nivolo, Leah Newton, Margo O' Connor, 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.



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 & second	**$6253.00**

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

Our second collection on November 21st is for Winter Fuel

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 journey to a stronger faith!



The Sanctuary Candle

The sanctuary candle in every Catholic church signifies the Eucharistic presence of our Lord Jesus in the tabernacle and burns for seven days. To reserve a week at any of our churches in memory of a loved one or for a special intention, please contact the parish office. Mass intentions are also available for 2027. Unsure what to give someone for Christmas? A Mass offered for their intentions would be a meaningful and appreciated gift!



Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family.
~ Amen

MASS READINGS

Our Lord, Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
November 22, 2026

First Reading	Ezekiel 34:11-12,15,17
Responsorial	Psalm 23
Second Reading	1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28
Gospel	Matthew 25:31-46

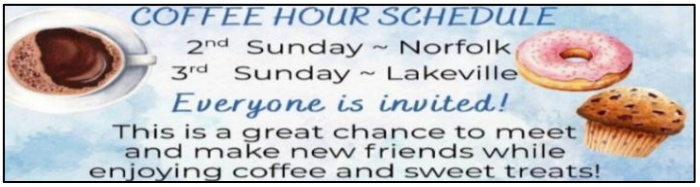
COME FOLLOW ME!

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 and
Thursday Evenings, 7:00pm
Catholic Men's Club: December 13th, 9:30 am
Catholic Women's Club: December 13th, 9:30 am, Klauer Hall
Daughters of Isabella: Christmas Potluck, Sunday, December 6th 1:00 pm Bitterman Center
Knights of Columbus: December 1st, 6:30pm, Bittermann Center ~ Dinner and Meeting



There will be a meeting about the ICC St. Francis Garden Project and invasive plant removal project on Sunday 11/15 after Mass, in the Klauer Hall. Anyone interested in volunteering or wanting more information is welcome to attend.



Thanksgiving Pie Drive - We are again looking to help out Fishes & Loaves clients at Thanksgiving time with a pie drive. Pies can be **dropped off at the Pilgrim House on Thursday, November 19th, from 9:00am - 10:00am**. They can be homemade or store bought and any kind or amount would be greatly appreciated! For more information contact Denise Dower at dendower@comcast.net. Thank you for your support!

The Knights of Columbus are having their Fall Raffle!

First Prize is $1000.00 ~ Second Prize is $500.00 ~ 3rd & 4th Prize is $100.00 ~ and 6 chances to win a Prize of $50.00 ~ Only 200 tickets will be sold! Tickets are $20.00 each and are available from members. Drawing is scheduled for Nov. 21, 2026, after the Vigil Mass. Proceeds are to help support their charitable causes!

Saint Louis de Montfort Parish

Christmas Cookie Fair

Saturday, December 5th

9:00AM to 12:00NOON



Thousands of Homemade Christmas Cookies & Confections to choose from!

Also Available: are Special Raffle Table and Beverages & Snacks

Doors open at 8:30 and numbers will be distributed
please cash only - no credit cards or electronic payments

St Thomas of Villanova Church of the St Louis de Montfort Parish, Rt. 63N, 71 North St, Goshen, CT



Christmas Giving Trees will be up in all 3 churches by the weekend after Thanksgiving. Our Volunteers are working with local Social Service agencies so we can help bring Joy to those less fortunate for Christmas! Please choose an ornament from the tree and place your gift under the tree by December 13th at St. Joseph's, St. Mary's and Immaculate Conception so they can be distributed. If you have any questions for

St. Mary's Church contact Janet Neary at 860-435-2715

St. Joseph's Church contact Kathy Stupak at 860-824-0411

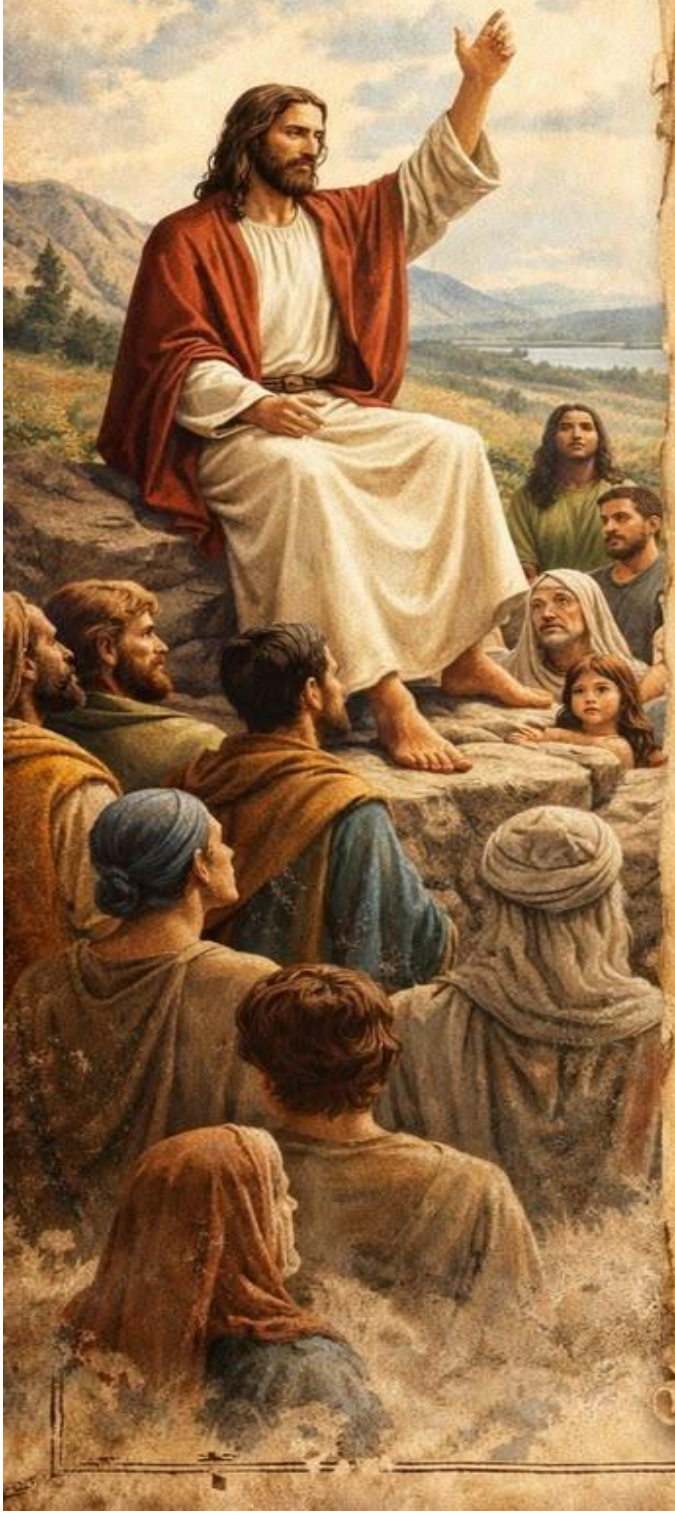
Immaculate Conception Church See any member from the Catholic Women's Club!

December 19th is National Wreaths Across America day. A day to remember and honor veterans who have bravely served our country throughout the years. Wreaths will be placed on December 18th with a ceremony at St. Mary's cemetery in Norfolk at Noon on the 19th of December. The cost of a wreath is the same as last year. - $17.00 – with checks payable to the Norfolk Lions Club, may be dropped off at the National Iron bank or mailed to PO Box 399. There are many veterans who no longer have family and/or friends in the area, and it is our hope to raise sufficient funds to be sure all who have served are remembered and thanked for their service with a wreath. For more information, contact Sandy Evans at 860 866-7923 or Grant Mudge at 203 470-0189.

IS HELD EVERY FRIDAY AT THE BITTERMANN CENTER DOORS OPEN AT 5:15PM

The Beatitudes

~ The Teachings of Jesus Christ ~



Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Matthew 5:3

Blessed are those who mourn,
for they will be comforted.

Matthew 5:4

Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the earth.

Matthew 5:5

Blessed are those who hunger
and thirst for righteousness,
for they will be filled.

Matthew 5:6

Blessed are the merciful,
for they will be shown mercy.

Matthew 5:7

Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they will see God.

Matthew 5:8

Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called children of God.

Matthew 5:9

Blessed are those who are
persequted because of righteousness
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Matthew 5:10