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-ACTS 4:32



The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 3, 2021

Rev. William F. Platt, Pastor
Rev. Christopher Johnson, Priest in Residence

Deacon Renato Berzolla
Deacon Robert Henrey, Retired
Deacon John Linsenmeyer
Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday

7:30 AM – Mass at St. Catherine's Church
8:30 AM – Mass at St. Agnes Church
9:00 AM – Family Mass at St. Catherine's Church
10:00 AM – Mass at St. Agnes Church
10:30 AM – Traditional Mass at St. Catherine's Church
5:00 PM – Teen Mass at St. Catherine's Church
MASSES IN OTHER LANGUAGES in St. Catherine's Chapel
9:00 AM – Korean Mass
11:00 AM
French Mass - 2nd Sunday of the month
Italian Mass - 3rd Sunday of the month
Spanish Mass - 4th Sunday of the month

Saturday

3:00 — 4:00 PM – Confessions at St. Catherine's Church
(Specific dates confirmed weekly in bulletin.)
5:00 PM – Vigil Mass at St. Catherine's Church

Daily

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
7:00 AM – Daily Mass at St. Catherine's Church
5:15 PM – Daily Mass at St. Agnes Church*

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesdays – 8:30 AM — 4:00 PM in St. Catherine's Church

Rosary

Tuesdays – 6:00 PM in St. Catherine's Chapel

All Masses at St. Catherine of Siena Church only are livestreamed.

VIEW THE LIVESTREAM at St. Catherine's HERE: <https://events.locallive.tv/worship/stc-sta>

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

Faith Formation Office Hours:
By appointment—please call Kelly Myers at extension 328.

Please call the Parish Office to schedule dates for **Baptisms, Weddings** and **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (1st Saturday of every month or by appointment).

Financial Report: Sunday Offertory

(for the last four weekends)

September 4 & 5 SC & SA	\$14,855*
September 11 & 12 SC & SA	\$11,467*
September 18 & 19 SC & SA	\$12,922*
September 25 & 26 SC & SA	\$10,350*

***Offertory** includes **Monthly** and **Online Giving (OLG)**

****Special Donations** to Parish for help with ongoing Operating Budget

Mass Intentions and Celebrant Schedule*

Saturday, October 2

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions
Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher
5:00 PM **Intention:** Patrick Colangelo
Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

Sunday, October 3

7:30 AM **Intention:** Mary A. Marco
Celebrant: Fr. Paul Sankar
8:30 AM **Intention:** Terry O'Shea
Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher
9:00 AM **Intention:** Richard Nelson
Celebrant: Fr. Paul Sankar
9:00 AM Korean Mass
Intentions: Parishioners
Celebrant: Fr. Yi
10:00 AM **Intentions:** Parishioners
Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher
10:30 AM **Intentions:** Mary and Joe Campinell
Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt
5:00 PM **Intentions:** Michael and Ann Pavese
Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson

Monday, October 4

7:00 AM **Intentions:** All Souls
5:15 PM **Intentions:** The Pasquale Family

Tuesday, October 5

7:00 AM **Intention:** Mary Kathryn Gagliardi
5:15 PM **Intention:** Zbigniew Dalski

Thursday, October 7

7:00 AM **Intention:** Jeff Irion
5:15 PM **Intention:** Leda Fiori

Friday, October 8

7:00 AM **Intention:** Mary Kathryn Gagliardi
5:15 PM **Intention:** Ann McAdam

Saturday, October 9

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions
Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher
5:00 PM **Intention:** Kelli Piro
Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

Sunday, October 10

7:30 AM **Intention:** Bernadette DeVeau
Celebrant: Fr. Paul Sankar
8:30 AM **Intention:** Ann Scanlan
Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher
9:00 AM **Intention:** Vito Maturro
Celebrant: Fr. Paul Sankar
9:00 AM Korean Mass
Intentions: Parishioners
Celebrant: Fr. Yi
10:00 AM **Intentions:** Parishioners
Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher
10:30 AM **Intention:** Dorothy McCoy Horan
Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson
11:00 AM French Mass
Intentions: All Souls
Celebrant: Fr. Gilbert D'Souza
5:00 PM **Intention:** Pasquale Spezzano
Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson

***Schedule subject to change**

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Holiday Schedule: October 11

In observance of the **Columbus Day** holiday, our Parish Offices will be closed on **Monday, October 11**. Our regularly scheduled **Mass** will be held at **7:00 AM**, which is open for *in-person attendance* and *livestreamed* from St. Catherine's Church.

Blessing of the Animals

Sunday, October 3 at 12:00 Noon
St. Agnes Campus Grounds

All are invited to a blessing of the animals, in appreciation for all God's creatures and in honor of the feast of St. Francis of Assisi. This tradition recalls St. Francis' love for all creatures.

Please join us all!



*The Parish of
St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes
congratulates and welcomes*



**Madison King Callahan
Briella Rose Stia
Brianna Katherine Garvey
Sophia Angotta
Layla Jean Walker
&
James Rudolph Fingleton**

***Baptized into God's family on
September 24, 25 & 26, 2021***

REMINDER!

New MASS SCHEDULE Started October 1st
View new schedule on cover of this bulletin.



***Our Music Ministries invite you to
join our CHOIRS
and make music together!***

Rehearsals Start Sunday, OCTOBER 3

Join our:

- **Traditional Choir** for adults & high school students
- **Contemporary Choir** for singers of all ages
- **Teen Choir** of both singers and musicians or our newest music ministry. . .
- **Parish Camerata** open to all young musicians

Visit here for details on each of our choirs:

www.stc-sta.org/images/Parish_Choirs_2021-22.pdf

Contact our Music Director, **Dr. Liya Petrides** at music.director@stc-sta.org with questions.



2nd Announcement

***Mark Hudson and Vanessa Cardona
&
Ryan Curran and Sydney Powers***

Have made a Promise of Marriage

Please pray for the sick members of our parish, especially for:

Robert Adovasio	Claudia Bouchard	Olga Iacobazzo
Lina Iacono	Gwen Loughlin	Angela Lyons
Shirley Marzullo	Dr. William Foster O'Meara	
Millie Stub	Barbara Weltz	

Please also pray for the deceased members of our Parish, especially for:

Stephen O'Donell (6-27-20)	Daniel Savio (9-24-20)	Peter Schruth (7-15-21)
Barbara J. Gorman (9-17-21)	Asunta Docimo (9-24-21)	



FAITH FORMATION for YOUTH and ADULTS

Life's Journey Registration

Classes for the youth faith formation program will start the week of October 12th.

Registration will remain open for a few additional weeks. There will be a late registration fee of \$100 per child for anyone registering after August 31st.

Please see the parish website for the calendar and for registration details.



- ◇ Due to the revised mass schedule, the location has changed for the K-6th Grade Family Program and the Confirmation Preparation Classes. Both programs will now be held at St. Catherine.
- ◇ First Reconciliation / First Eucharist is offered in 2nd grade. Children are required to have completed the 1st grade curriculum.
- ◇ Confirmation is offered in 8th or 9th grade. Children are required to have completed the preceding year curriculum.

FAITH in ACTION



**St. Catherine's
Support Circle**

presents. . .

Targeted Networking: Reaching the Person Who Might Hire You

Thursday, October 14, 2021 from 7:00 - 9:00 PM

St. Catherine of Siena Lucey Parish Hall

A Wall Street Journal story noted that job seekers spend only eight percent of their time directly contacting individuals who might hire them.

“Targeted Networking” will help you not be part of the other 92 per cent.

This popular SCSC event has been updated to reflect current job search challenges. It will help you leverage personal positioning strategies and---using such social media and research tools as *LinkedIn, Indeed.com* and *Google*---identify and *communicate directly and effectively* with hiring managers (by name and title) in targeted organizations.

This will be an interactive session facilitated by Jim Wills, a member of the *St. Catherine's Support Circle Steering Committee* and president of *Wills Consulting Associates*, a Stamford-based executive search firm. As follow-up Jim will offer interested participants pro bono real-time online coaching in the use of Targeted Networking strategies. Visit www.stc-sta.org/community-life/st-catherine-s-support-circle for details on the program and how to reserve a space at the SCSC table.

RSVPs are required to Jim at jcw@wca-search.com.

More FAITH in ACTION



Deacon Robert Henrey continues his 2021 lecture Series. . .

Early Encounters: European and Asian Cultures at the Crossroads

Sundays, **October 17– November 21**

11:45 AM in St. Catherine's Lucey Parish Hall

Robert Henrey will resume his 2021 lecture series, **Early Encounters: European and Asian Cultures at the Crossroads (1500-1850)**, starting October 17. His goal has been to share his long-standing interest in the historical, religious and linguistic backdrop to the complex but fascinating story of how adventurers, traders and scholarly missionaries brought back home a growing awareness of the richness they had encountered.

The series began this past spring with a four-part, virtual discussion of how 16th century Portuguese maritime dominance dramatically accelerated a process of mutual awareness that stretched back to the Ancient World and how India, with its long history of attracting and fostering diverse cultures, became the stepping stone for those looking to explore yet farther eastward. This fall series will continue the story, by inviting discussion on how westerners made early inroads into China and Japan thanks, in large part, to the remarkable achievements of Jesuit missionaries – with dramatically different and unforeseen outcomes. These in-person, illustrated presentations will also address how East and West gradually became aware of each other's cultures leading to our increasingly interconnected world and are designed to stimulate discussion--*the process of mutual understanding is taking on increasing urgency and is far from over!*

Join us for these engaging events on four Sundays at 11:45 AM following the 10:30 AM Mass!

October 17 – Part One: **The Jesuits Reach China's Forbidden City**

October 31 – Part Two: **A Japanese-European Honeymoon**

November 7 – Part Three: **The Chinese Middle Kingdom keeps the Barbarians at Bay**

November 21 – Part Four: **Japan Bars the Gate leaving it a crack open to Dutch Learning**



All are invited to join us for a preview screening of a powerful new documentary. . .

Amen-Amen-Amen

Thursday, **October 21, 7:00 PM**, St. Catherine's Lucey Parish Hall

Presented by parishioner and the film's *Executive Producer*, Tom Gallagher, ***Amen - Amen - Amen*** highlights the first Jewish community formed in a Muslim county in centuries - in Dubai, an historic gift of a Torah Scroll dedicated to the memory of the late Sheikh Zayed, Founding Father of the United Arab Emirates - a first in the history of the world, and the importance of religious pluralism in the UAE. The documentary includes exclusive footage of the presentation of the Torah Scroll by the Jewish Community of the Emirates to His Highness Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed, Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi and Deputy Supreme Commander of the UAE Armed Forces.

In December 2020, the ***Amen - Amen - Amen*** trailer was released by *Religion Media Company* (founded by Tom Gallagher), a nonprofit organization dedicated to producing original media projects that tell powerful stories of our common search for meaning, wherever those stories are found. **Click here** to view trailer and visit www.amenthefilm.com for more information about the film and the company behind bringing it to life. ***Please join us on October 21st!***



More FAITH in ACTION

Transportation Association of Greenwich *presents...*



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A fun and FUNDRAISING evening:

Halloween Drive-in Movie Night
"Hocus Pocus"

October 8, 2021

13 Riverside Avenue

6:00 -10:00 PM

\$20 per car

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Movie starts at 7:00 PM

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