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St. Francis of Assisi Church

November 18, 2018



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Weekend Masses

First Saturday— Exposition of the

Blessed Sacrament 7:30AM --

Confession- Mass—8:30AM

Vigil 4PM.

Sunday 8AM. , 9:30AM. Polish Mass,
and 11AM.

Weekday Masses: Monday, Tuesday,

Thursday & Friday 7:30 AM.

Confessions: Saturday 3PM-3:45PM

BAPTISMS:

Baptisms are Sunday at 12PM

1st & 3rd Sundays of the
Month

MARRIAGES:

Arrangements should be
made with the Rectory at
least 6 months in advance.

PRAYER LINE:

Call **Ellen** at

203-729-2151

Parish Mission Statement

We at St. Francis of Assisi Roman Catholic Church are dedicated to working together as a Family of Faith united in Christ. It is our goal, duty and privilege to foster genuine growth in the spiritual life by imitating the example of Christ, the Good Shepherd; to serve others; and to express and promote love of God and neighbor to enhance Jesus' call to discipleship. As a Family of Faith united in Christ, we bring to life the core of the Gospel message to love and serve one another.



Please remember St. Francis of Assisi Church in your will.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday November 17—*St Elizabeth of Hungary*

3PM-3:45PM—Confession

4PM Mass + for **John Faccio**

Requested by Bonnie Foldvary

*This weekend’s Altar Candles are burning in memory of **Bernie & Harriette Digris** by Scotty & Theresa*

Sunday November 18—*Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8AM Mass + for **Amador Family**

Requested by Rodrigues Family

9:30AM Mass + for **Robert Fortin**—1st Annv

Requested by Bob & Irene Shepley

11AM Mass + for **Casey & Theresa Uszakiewicz**

Requested by their daughters, Pam LaCharity & Lynn Clark

Monday November 19—*Weekday*

7:30AM Mass + for **Gloria Guerrero**

Requested by Jim & Peggy

Tuesday November 20—*Weekday*

7:30AM Mass + for **Frank ‘Spec’ Shea & Genevieve Shea**

Requested by their Family

Wednesday November 21—*Presentation*

of Blessed Virgin Mary— **NO Mass**—

Church is closed today

Thursday November 22—*St Cecilia*

9AM Thanksgiving Mass

Friday November 23—*St Clement I & St Columban*

7:30AM +Mass for **Gerald Boutot (Birthday remembrance)**

Requested by his Family

Saturday November 24 —*St Andrew Dung-Lac*

3PM-3:45PM—Confession

4PM Mass + for **Bill Mascola,**

Mr & Mrs George Froehlich, & son, Joachim

Requested by their Family

*This weekend’s Altar Candles are burning in memory of **Nancy Murphy** by Peggy & Jim.

Sunday November 25 —*Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe*

8AM Mass + for **Margaret & Ed Logan & daughter**

Judy Logan

Requested by their Family

9:30AM Mass + for **Joanna Brzusko**

11AM Mass + for **Louis Lakatos**

Requested by his Mom



THE SANCTUARY LAMP

The Lamp this week is burning in memory of **Bernie & Harriette Digris** by **Scott & Theresa**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

every Friday after 7:30AM Mass & First Saturday of each month 7:30AM, Adoration, Confession, Rosary, 8:30AM Mass



Mass for Thanksgiving Day

St Francis Thanksgiving Day Mass will be held this Thursday November 22nd at 9AM. There will be a special blessing of bread and each family will be given a loaf to take home for their Thanksgiving meal.



PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASS



for first-time Parents and the chosen Godparents will be held on **Monday, November 26th**, in **St Francis Church**.

To register, please call, the Rectory—**(203-729-4543)**.

Rose For Life

The rose has been placed before the Blessed Sacrament by **Phyllis Rahn**, in memory of her son, John. Please pray for the unborn. If you would like to donate the rose (\$4) in memory of a loved one or to commentate a special occasion, please call **Joanne (203-729-6206)**.



St Francis Rectory Office

will be closed for Thanksgiving November 21st thru 23rd & Christmas closed December 24th thru December 28th. Office returning on Tuesday January 2nd.



Annual St Anthony Church

4 Union City Rd—Prospect, CT

Friday December 7th—6PM-9PM

Saturday December 8th—9AM-3PM

Vendors, Basket Raffle, Baked Goods, Granny's Attic, Christmas Crafts, Photo with Santa and **FOOD!**

FREE Thanksgiving Day Dinner

THIS Thursday November 22nd, at Michael's Episcopal Church Parish Hall, 210 Church St, Naugatuck, 1-3PM for all residents in the Naugatuck area. (NO deliveries -can provide take-out)



St Francis Church's 'Giving Tree'

returns on Thanksgiving weekend! Parishioners are



asked to please take a 'TAG' from the tree (located at Rectory Confessional side) and please buy a 'NEW' gift

and return it (un-wrapped with price tag or receipt included) by **Sunday December 9th**.

Please help bring Christmas joy to the children.

Blessing and Beginnings, A Time to Reflect

St Vincent Ferrer Church's Ladies Guild is sponsoring a Retreat Morning for men & women on Saturday December 1st, 9AM-12Noon, in St Vincent Parish Hall, 33 Osborn Rd, Naug. Presented by Noranne Wamester, a certified Spiritual Director and writer. There will be time for listening, time alone, time to journal, time to share and time for prayer. Free-will offering - Coffee/And provided. **(203-723-7497)**



New Day Program for Bereaved

St Thomas Parish, Southington, CT,

beginning Wednesday, November 28th,

6-8PM & December 12, 19, January 2, 10,

16, 23, 30, & February 6. Participants work through grieving process using prayer, reflection, sharing and journaling.

Call **(860-628-9425)** or **(860-628-4713)**

St Francis Church C.C.D. Gr 1st-6th

St Hedwig School— 9:15AM to 10:30AM
Lenny—(203-490-9861)

November 25—NO class— (Thanksgiving)

December 2—11AM Children’s Mass—
10:30—10:45AM attendance will be taken at
St Francis Church Hall—**Collecting ‘NEW
TOYS’ for the Giving Tree - (NO
class that day)**



9 & 16—Regular class
23 -(Christmas) & **30** (Winter recess)
NO classes

*If you haven’t paid your CCD -\$85. registra-
tion/book fee—**PLEASE DO SO NOW***



C.C.D. Grade 7th-9th

St Hedwig School—6:30PM-8PM
Christine— drestfrancis@gmail.com

November 25—NO class—
(Thanksgiving)
December 2—Regular class
9—NO class
16—Regular class
23 (Christmas) & 30 (Winter break) NO
classes

In the National Directory for Catechesis, the US Bishops remind us that all of God’s children, including those with disabilities, share a universal desire to know & understand the mysteries of God and possess the ability to proclaim the Gospel. The Archdiocese of Hartford’s Advisory Committee on Catechesis for Students with Special Needs provides ‘ongoing support and resources for Parishes that minister to children with special needs & their families.’ St Francis of Assisi CCD class for students with Special Needs meets Sundays 12:20-1:20PM, at St Hedwig School.

Call Elaine— (203-729-7862)



Offertory Report

Weekly: November 11- \$5,135.00
Fuel- \$2,121.00



Eucharistic Ministers

there will be a meeting on Monday
November 26th at 7PM in the Church Hall.



Thank You

To our many Volunteers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians (especially Kevin Knowles, Manny Luzio, & Healy Families) with the Summer flowers, Mums & Mulch, to Bill Massicotte, Tom McKirryher, Kevin Knowles with the leaf cleaning on Parish grounds and Bob Juliano helping plant Mums and arrange the Altar.

Fr Kos

Reminder to All Parishioners

Asking ALL Parishioners to fill out a Census Form to help update our records. We appreciate your time & effort filling it out.



Naugatuck Ecumenical Food Bank

Thanksgiving Baskets—As you know, we made our goal of 300 boxes of potatoes! Through the generosity of our Parishioners, we reached a total of 518 boxes/bags. These extra potatoes will be used at the Food Bank. Thank you.



Joining Our Parish Family

If you are interested in joining our Parish Family at St Francis of Assisi, please fill out below -

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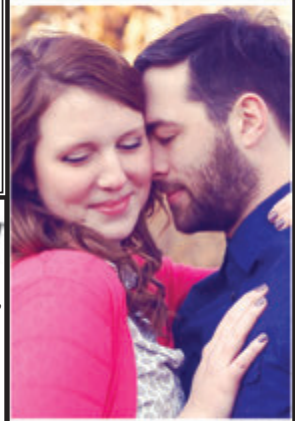


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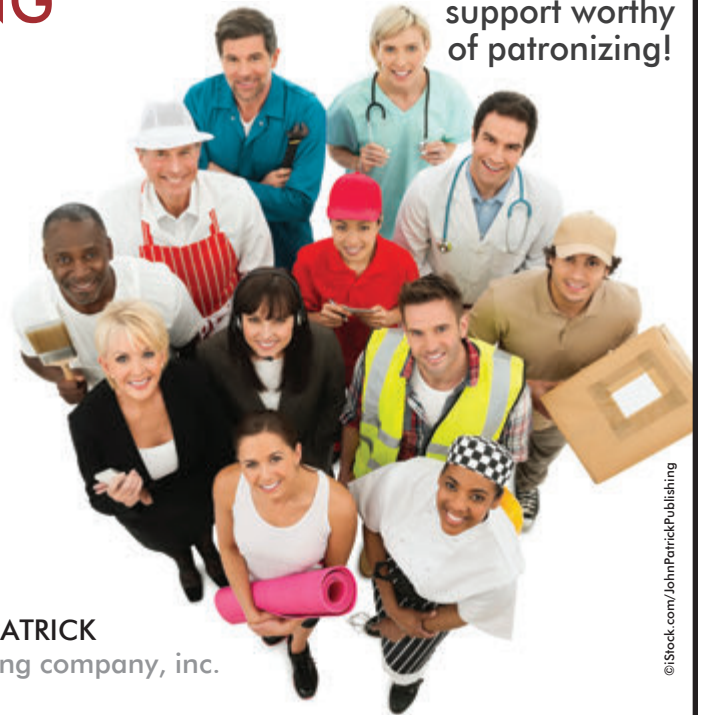
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