



SAINT JEANNE JUGAN PARISH



SERVING THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF ENFIELD, CT

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24th, 2025 | 21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

HOLY FAMILY

23 Simon Rd, Enfield, CT

Mass Times

Thu-Fri: 9:00AM

Sat: 8:30AM

Sat (vigil): 4:30PM

Sun: 9:00AM

ST. BERNARD

426 Hazard Ave, Enfield, CT

Mass Times

Mon-Wed: 9:00AM

Sun: 7:30AM, 10:30AM

ST. PATRICK

64 Pearl St, Enfield, CT

Mass Times

Thu-Fri: 8:00AM

Sat (vigil): 4:00PM

Sun: 10:00AM

ST. MARTHA

214 Brainard Rd, Enfield, CT

Mass Times

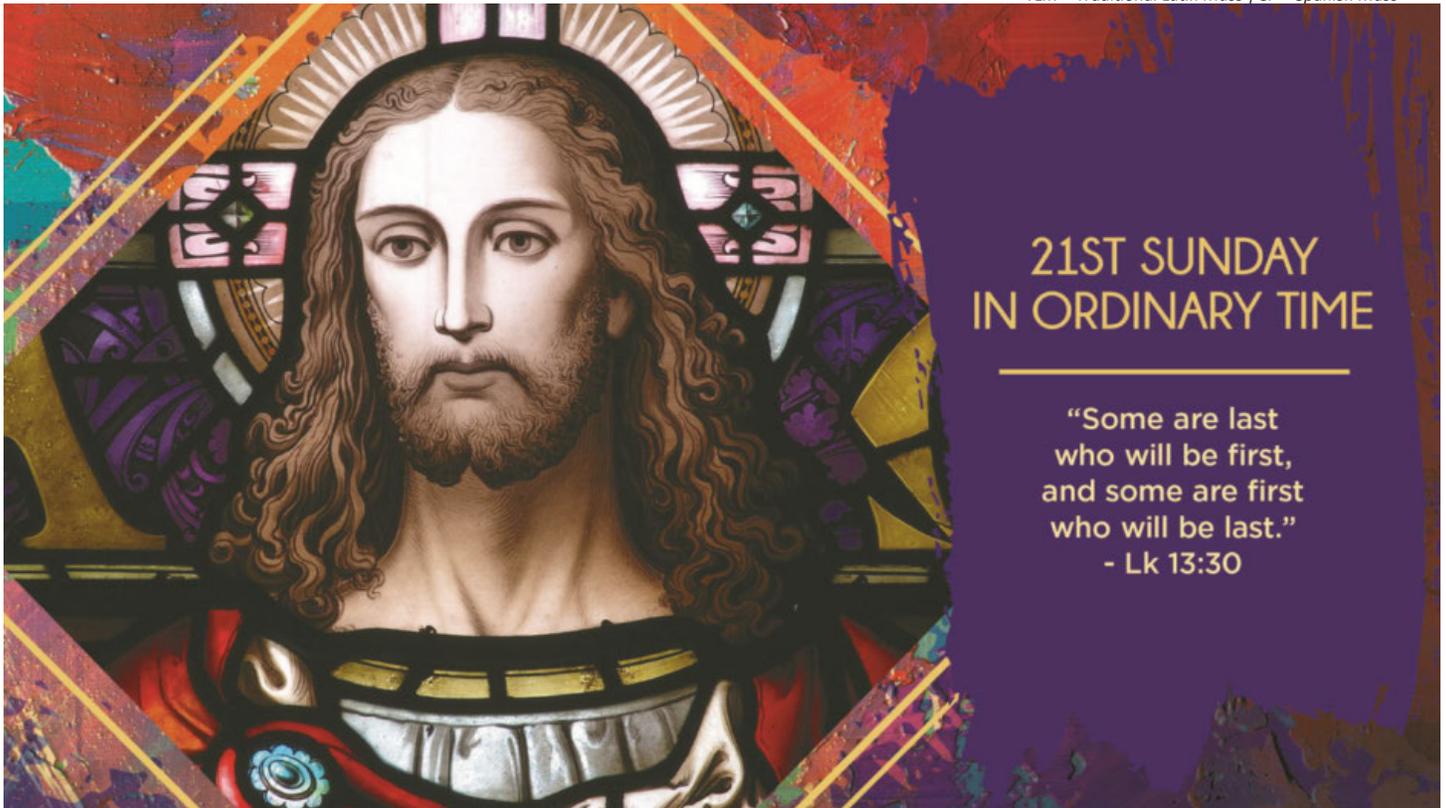
Mon-Wed: 8:00AM, Wed: 7:00PM (TLM),

1st Fri: 7:00PM (TLM), Sat: 9:00AM (TLM)

Sat (vigil): 4:00PM (SP)

Sun: 9:00AM, 11:00AM (TLM)

TLM = Traditional Latin Mass | SP = Spanish Mass



21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Some are last
who will be first,
and some are first
who will be last.”
- Lk 13:30

St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Offices

Holy Family Office (860-962-4001): Mon-Fri 9:00AM to 1:00PM | St. Bernard Office (860-962-4001): Mon-Thu 9:00AM to 2:00PM, Fri 9:00AM to 12:00PM

St. Patrick Office (860-962-4001): Mon-Fri 9:00AM to 2:00PM | St. Martha Office (860-745-5616): Mon-Fri 9:30AM to 12:00PM; 1:30PM to 4:30PM

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by texting APP to 88202.



THIS WEEK AT ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH

Location Key:

HF = Holy Family Church • SB = St. Bernard Church • SM = St. Martha Church
SP = St. Patrick Church • SBS = St. Bernard School • LA = Little Angels Preschool

SATURDAY AUGUST 23

2:30 pm . . . Confessions (SM)

3:00 pm . . . Confessions (SP)

3:30 pm . . . Confessions (HF)

SUNDAY AUGUST 24

12:30 pm . . Parish Picnic . . . After 11:00AM Mass (HF)

MONDAY AUGUST 25

No Events

TUESDAY AUGUST 26

2:00 pm . . . SJJ Legion of Mary (HF Room 5)

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 27

6:15 pm . . . Bingo Sales Begin • 7pm . . . Games Begin (HF Fr. Kerwan Hall)

THURSDAY AUGUST 28

6:30 pm . . . Spanish Charismatic Prayer Group (SM Classroom 2)

FRIDAY AUGUST 29

8:30 am . . . Adoration (SP)

9:30 am . . . Adoration (HF)

SATURDAY AUGUST 30

2:30 pm . . . Confessions (SM)

3:00 pm . . . Confessions (SP)

3:30 pm . . . Confessions (HF)

SUNDAY AUGUST 31

No Events

SACRAMENTS



BAPTISM

To register for the Parish's Baptism Prep Class, please call the St. Bernard Church rectory at (860) 962-4001, ext. 121. Baptism Prep Class occurs on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00PM in the Good Shepherd Meeting Room at St. Bernard Church. Baptisms can be scheduled at the respective Church once parents have completed the Baptism Prep class. All required paperwork should be received in the Parish office where the Baptism will take place. Baptisms can be scheduled on any Sunday of the month except on major religious feasts or holidays.

PENANCE

Saturdays from 2:30PM to 3:30PM at St. Martha Church, 3:00PM to 3:30PM at St. Patrick Church and 3:30PM to 4:00PM at Holy Family Church, and by appointment.

EUCCHARIST

In the Archdiocese of Hartford, students receive their first Holy Communion in the second grade. Please contact our Religious Education office for more information.

CONFIRMATION

In the Archdiocese of Hartford, students are confirmed in their sophomore year after a year of preparation. Please contact our Religious Education office for more information.

MATRIMONY

Arrange with pastor at least 6 months before wedding date.

HOLY ORDERS

Young men interested in the priesthood may visit www.hartfordpriest.com, or speak with any priest for more info.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Priests are available for anointing in the home of those in need. Please contact the parish office to arrange.

STRIVE! ENDURE! KEEP GOING!

UNDERSTANDING THE SCRIPTURE

I've been hiking Camelback Mountain in Phoenix, Arizona most of my life. It is a vigorous forty-five minutes to the top. Near the peak, the end suddenly appears much further away, and steeper. At that moment, a descending hiker often offers encouragement: "Keep going! The peak is right there. It's not as far as it looks. You can do it!" It usually works. After another five minute push, you summit and enjoy a glorious panorama of the Sonoran Desert in the Valley of the Sun.

When Jesus is asked about how many people are saved, he says: "**Strive to enter through the narrow gate**" (Luke 13:24). How many? Strive! Focus on your journey. What does heavenly census taking have to do with you or me? How would it help a hiker on a mountain to ask the others coming down, "How many people are going to make it to the top?" A normal response would be something like: "How is that a relevant question? Carry on!"

Jesus links one virtue directly to salvation: perseverance (cf. Matt 24:13; *hypomone* in Greek). Strive! Endure! Keep going! The one absolutely necessary virtue is perseverance, to not give up on our journey. The mountain we struggle to climb is often our own weakness, failures, and sins. Persevere in prayer. Keep celebrating the sacraments. Embrace daily duties. With God's grace, you are strong enough to keep going. Perhaps the peak is not as far away as you might fear. Keep going!

— Father John Muir

SJJ PARISH PRAYER LINES

Are you or someone you know in need of prayer? Why not call one of the SJJ Parish Prayer Lines?



The lines are easy to use and the request can be as specific, or as general as you wish!

The Prayer Line works like this: the request goes out through a network of members who will then pray for and pass on the request to their individual groups, thus forming a "prayer line."

Requests can be placed through St. Patrick Church by calling the parish office at (860) 962-4001, ext. 150, through St. Martha Church by calling the parish office at (860) 962-4001, ext. 142 during office hours and through St. Bernard Church by calling the parish office at (860) 962-4001, ext. 121.



At St. Bernard Church the sanctuary candle burns in memory of **Shirley Brierley** at the request of Donald and Patricia Brierley.

At St. Martha Church the sanctuary lamp burns in memory of **Jill Williams** at the request of Sue Williams and Family.

REST IN PEACE



St. Jeanne Jugan Parish mourns the loss of our parishioners

Teresa Marlene Fausel
Joshua Michael Follo
Christopher Katulka

*May they rest in the arms of the Lord,
who formed them from the dust of the earth.*

CHANGE OF MASS TIME - THIS WEEKEND

Sunday, August 24th - There will be no 10:30AM Mass at St. Bernard Church. There will instead be an 11:00AM Mass outdoors at Holy Family Church preceding the St. Jeanne Jugan Parish Picnic at Noon.

CHANGE OF MASS TIME AT ST. BERNARD CHURCH STARTING IN SEPTEMBER

Effective Sunday, September 7th, the 10:30AM Sunday Mass at St. Bernard Church will be changed to 11:00AM.



DAILY MASS READINGS

SUNDAY AUGUST 24: Is 66:18-21•Ps 117:1, 2 (Mk 16:15)•Heb 12:5-7, 11-13•Lk 13:22-30

MONDAY AUGUST 25: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10•Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b•Mt 23:13-22

TUESDAY AUGUST 26: 1 Thes 2:1-8•Ps 139:1-3, 4-6•Mt 23:23-26

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 27: 1 Thes 2:9-13•Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab•Mt 23:27-32

THURSDAY AUGUST 28: 1 Thes 3:7-13•Ps 128:1-2, 4-5•Mt 24:42-51

FRIDAY AUGUST 29: 1 Thes 4:1-8 (429)•Ps 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12•Mk 6:17-29

SATURDAY AUGUST 30: 1 Thes 4:9-11•Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9•Mt 25:14-30

SUNDAY AUGUST 31: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29•Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 (1a)•Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a•Lk 14:1, 7-14

You can access the Daily Mass Readings via our parish app, at our parish website (www.sjjenfield.org) or by visiting the U.S. bishop's Web site (www.usccb.org).



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY AUGUST 23

8:30 am . . . Evo J. Mongillo, Jr.† | Requested by Sonia Lombardi - HF

9:00 am . . . For the Intentions of Linda Bailey, Birthday Blessing | Requested by the Gauthier Family - SM

4:00 pm . . . Healing Prayers for Aiden Desroches | Requested by Brielle Browne Walsh - SP

4:00 pm . . . Guiller Mo Gutierrez† | Requested by Rosa Santiago - SM

4:30 pm . . . George "Bud" LaPan† | Requested by Elaine Jarvis - HF

SUNDAY AUGUST 24 (21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am . . . Msgr. Gene Gianelli† | Requested by Saint Bernard Church Parishioners - SB

9:00 am . . . The Deceased Members of the Brion-Silva Family† | Requested by the Family - HF

9:00 am . . . Thomas Tubman† | Requested by his Friend at the Laurels - SM

10:00 am . . . Helen Banast† | Requested by her Daughter and Family - SP

11:00 am . . . John Scully† | Requested by the Dumont Family - HF

11:00 am . . . Clement and Frances Bernier† | Requested by Linda and Greg Bailey - SM

MONDAY AUGUST 25

8:00 am . . . For the Intentions of Lori Kedzior | Requested by the Gauthier Family - SM

9:00 am . . . Shirley Brierley† | Requested by Donald and Patricia Brierley - SB

TUESDAY AUGUST 26

8:00 am . . . Germain Desrosiers† | Requested by Nancy - SM

9:00 am . . . For the Intentions of St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SB

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 27

8:00 am . . . Walter Adam Kedzior, Sr.† | Requested by Lori Kedzior and Family - SM

9:00 am . . . Walter and Lorene Gorna† | Requested by Bill and Sue Cotter - SB

7:00 pm . . . For the Intentions of Lynn Chase | Requested by Jayne Tuller - SM

THURSDAY AUGUST 28

8:00 am . . . Kathie Delugo† | Requested by Vincy and Stefano Gandolfo - SP

9:00 am . . . Leona and Yolande Poulin† | Requested by their Sister - HF

FRIDAY AUGUST 29

8:00 am . . . Mirek Mikowajczuk† | Requested by the Skrzypek Family - SP

9:00 am . . . Helen and Theodore Sweeney† | Requested by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sweeney - HF

SATURDAY AUGUST 30

8:30 am . . . For the Intentions of St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - HF

9:00 am . . . Carol Campbell† | Requested by the Gauthier Family - SM

4:00 pm . . . For the Intentions of St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SP

4:00 pm . . . Juan R. Villa† | Requested by Lori Kedzior and Family - SM

4:30 pm . . . For the Intentions of Betty O'Donnell | Requested by her Daughters and Family - HF

SUNDAY AUGUST 31 (22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME)

7:30 am . . . Josphine Sullivan† - SB

9:00 am . . . Janina Krzanowski† | Requested by Hank and Mary Bankowski - HF

9:00 am . . . Real and Celine Cloutier† | Requested by Claudette and Larry Grodin - SM

10:00 am . . . For the Intentions of St. Jeanne Jugan Parishioners - SP

10:30 am . . . Fr. Thomas Hickey† | Requested by SJJ Parishioners - SB

11:00 am . . . Ella Cahill† and Aidan Heartfield† | Requested by the Clark Family - SM

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☎ : (860) 962-4001

Youth Minister: Kristen Fitzsimons, youthminister@sijenfield.org

Interested in becoming Catholic, or know someone who is?

The **Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA)** is a year long process of Christian formation for those searching and inquiring about the Catholic faith. It is open to individuals 18+ seeking Baptism or wish to be received in the Catholic Church, or those seeking to complete their sacraments of Communion and Confirmation.

Classes start in October and end with the 2026 Easter Vigil.

For more information, call Mrs. Pat Keck, Director of Religious Education and Faith Formation at (860) 962-4001, ext. 117.



ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH PICNIC

Our annual SJJ Parish Picnic will be held at Holy Family Church this **Sunday, August 24th** beginning with an outdoor Mass at 11:00AM. The picnic will run after Mass until 3:00PM.

HOT DOGS - HAMBURGERS - CHIPS - ICE CREAM - DRINKS

The event is free and tickets are not required - however, we ask that parishioners check-in to get a raffle ticket for the door prizes!



The Giving Store

ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH at ST. PATRICK CHURCH
67 Pearl Street, Enfield, CT | Corner of Pearl Street & High Street

Donation Drop-Off: Friday, August 29th from 11AM to 12PM

As children head back to school, we are reminded that summer is slowly coming to an end and fall is just around the corner. Our summer donations have been a wonderful success - thank you! Your generosity has kept our volunteers busy displaying the many items brought to the store. The kitchen setup has also been very well received.

Because of the extreme heat this year, we may continue highlighting summer items a bit longer and begin displaying fall and winter clothing a week or two later than usual.

God bless you, and thank you for helping make The Giving Store such a blessing and success!

The **P.A.L. (Protect All Life)** meeting is held on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30PM in Classroom #5 at Holy Family Church. The next meeting will be on **Thursday, September 18th.**



For more information, please call Donna at (860) 463-7826.

Calling all Ladies

Would you like to meet new people, build long lasting relationships with others who share our faith, assist our parish where needed, and have fun along the way.



Join the St. Jeanne Jugan Women's Guild!

The annual membership drive begins August 24th. You can join at any meeting and membership is only \$5. See the bulletin tables for a brochure. Complete the form and bring it to the first meeting you attend.

Our first meeting will be held on **Tuesday, September 16th, 6:00PM** at Holy Family Church in Fr. Kerwan Hall.

We will be having a **Potluck Dinner.**

Based on your last name please bring a dish to share:

**A to H - Salad or Side Dish | K to P - Main Dish
Q - Z - Dessert**

New members are always welcome!

ST. JEANNE JUGAN LEGION OF MARY

**O Mary, conceived without sin,
pray for us who have recourse to you**

Do you have a special devotion to our Blessed Mother, especially during the month of May? Do you feel She is calling you to a special ministry?

The Legion of Mary members cooperate with Mary by giving service to the Church and bringing individuals closer to Jesus.

The St. Jeanne Jugan Legion of Mary meets every Tuesday, 2:00PM at Holy Family Church in Room 5.

For more information, please contact Regina at (860) 752-0149.



Lay Carmelite Community of Little Therese - #702

Director: Annedda Stiller | (860) 416-9600

1st Sunday of the month at St. Martha Church from 1:00PM to 3:30PM.



St. Martha Church Bereavement Resources

Contact: Susann Douglas at (413) 454-8702

Communion to the Homebound

To schedule, please contact the St. Martha Church Rectory.

PARISH MINISTRIES

COME PRAY

DIVINE MERCY AND ROSARY

Come to Holy Family Church to pray the Divine Mercy and Rosary for our Archdiocesan bishops and priests on the third Thursday of each month from 2:30PM to 3:30PM.

Please join us in prayer next month on **Thursday, September 18th.**

Our bishops and priests need our prayers and support. Please join in this hour of prayer.

DIVINE MERCY

NEW ST. PATRICK CHURCH

At St. Patrick Church, Divine Mercy is held on the first Friday of each month after the 8:00AM Mass.

Please join us in prayer next month on **Friday, September 5th.**



ROSARY

ST. MARTHA CHURCH

Come to St. Martha Church to pray the Rosary after daily Mass on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.



Please join us in prayer this week on **Monday, August 25th, Tuesday, August 26th, and Wednesday, August 27th.**

DEVOTIONS

DEVOTION TO ST. JOSEPH at ST. MARTHA CHURCH

Come to St. Martha Church for devotion to St. Joseph, every Wednesday after the 8:00AM Mass.

Please join us in prayer this week on **Wednesday, Aug. 27th.**

DEVOTION TO MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP at ST. PATRICK CHURCH

Come to St. Patrick Church for devotion to the Mother of Perpetual Help, every Thursday after the 8:00AM Mass.

Please join us in prayer this week on **Thursday, Aug. 28th.**

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AT ST. MARTHA CHURCH

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in our Chapel offers individuals the opportunity to spend quiet prayerful time with Jesus. Eucharistic Adorers commit themselves to an hour of silent prayer each week in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

The Sacred Heart Chapel is now open **Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9:00AM to 10:00PM** at St. Martha Church.

If you are called to this beautiful ministry, please call Flo Radziewicz at (860) 216-7471.

St. Martha Church Prayer Shawl Ministry Do you knit or crochet? Come join us!

We are looking for ladies to join our Prayer Shawl Ministry on the 3rd Monday of every month from 6:30PM to 8:00PM. Presently, we meet at St. Martha Church in Goulet Hall.

Join us next month on **Monday, September 15th.**

For more information, please contact Betty Joaquim at (860) 745-2667.



Spanish Charismatic Prayer Group

The Spanish Charismatic Prayer Group will meet the second and fourth Thursday of every month starting at **6:30PM** in Classroom #2 at St. Martha Church.

The next meeting will be held on **Thursday August 28, 2025.**

For additional info, please contact Rosa Santiago at (860) 836-9823.



Please join us to **meet new friends** and for **Coffee, Donuts and Home Baked Goodies!!**

Sunday September 14, 2025
after the 10:00AM Mass

St Patrick Church
Father Weaver Hall

There will also be a craft table for the kids!

Hosted by the St. Patrick Church Family Society



La Comunidad Fuerza de Dios los invita todos los Lunes de 7:00PM a 9:00PM en el Salóm St. Francis de nuestra parroquia St. Martha, a una reunion mas de alabanza, oracion y compartir la Palabra de Dios.

Informes (860) 265-0687.

Dios espera por ti para que lo conozcas como El quiere ser conocido.



CHOIR, PARISH & OTHER MINISTRIES

CHOIR MINISTRY REHEARSALS

****HF & SB Choir Rehearsals Will Resume in September****

MONDAY:

6:30 pm . . . Voices for God (SB)

TUESDAY:

7:00 pm . . . St. Bernard Adult Choir Practice (SB Choir Loft)

THURSDAY:

6:30 pm . . . St. Martha - All Choirs & Free Music Lessons (SM)

7:00 pm . . . Holy Family Church Choir Practice (HF Rooms 2/3)

7:30 pm . . . St. Martha Schola Practice (SM)

FRIDAY:

2:45 pm . . . St. Bernard Children's Choir Practice (SBS)

SATURDAY:

3:00 pm . . . Holy Family Contemporary Choir Practice (HF)

Meets every other week starting September 28th.

SUNDAY:

9:00 am . . . St. Patrick Adult Church Choir (SP)

ST. BERNARD CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The first rehearsal is on **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12th!**

Rehearsals for Children's Choir are held on Fridays from 2:45PM to 4:00PM at St. Bernard School on Pearl Street. Choir is open to students in public and parochial schools from SJJ Parish from grade one right through high school. We sing once a month at the 11:00AM Mass at St. Bernard Church. An information packet and registration form will be passed out at the first rehearsal. For more info, contact Beth Surapine at (860) 962-4001, then press 2 and then 5.

ST. BERNARD'S FUNERAL CHOIR

If you enjoy singing but do not want to commit to the Adult choir, then maybe you would like the Funeral Choir. As the name indicates, we sing at Funeral Liturgies. This is an awesome ministry at a time that when families are sad and grieving, we are able to give them comfort and hope with the beautiful music we provide. For more info, contact Beth Surapine at (860) 962-4001, then press 2 and then 5.

For all choirs, you can also email Beth at musicdirector@sjjenfield.org.

Silver Jubilee

You are cordially invited to a Mass of Thanksgiving in commemoration of the Silver Jubilee, 25th Anniversary, of Very Reverend John P. Melnick as a member of the Sacred Priesthood of Jesus Christ. Please join him for Mass and reception on Friday, September 12th, 2025 at 5:30PM at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph - 140 Farmington Avenue, in Hartford.

All are welcome. If you would like to attend, please scan the QR code below to reserve your spot(s). **The deadline to RSVP is September 3rd, 2025.**



To reserve your spot(s), scan the QR code. Alternatively, you may respond via email to fr.melnick@aohct.org.

Rehearsals for **ST. BERNARD ADULT CHOIR** begin **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9th**

We rehearse every Tuesday night from 7:00PM to 8:30PM and sing at the 11:00AM Mass three times a month. You do not need to know how to read music to join - you just need to love to sing!! We have a great time. It's a fun way to spend your Tuesday nights and a great way to give something back to your Parish. So, as summer comes to an end and you begin to think about ways to get involved, please give choir a thought. We are really hoping to see lots of new faces - come and try it out! For more information, contact Beth Surapine at (860) 962-4001, then press 2 for the SB Offices and then 5 for the Music Office.

HOLY FAMILY ADULT CHOIR

We are looking for a few good voices!!! Beth is so excited to be continuing as Organist/Choir Director at Holy Family Church. For those of you that don't know this fun fact - she actually started playing the organ here at Holy Family when she was 13. It means a lot to her to be back many, many years later. We are on a mission here to build up our wonderful choir. So, please consider joining! Our first rehearsal is **Thursday, September 11th**. We rehearse every Thursday night in the Choir Room from 7:00PM to 8:30PM. We are a very friendly, welcoming group. You do not need to know how to read music, you just need to love singing and be available Thursday evenings and Sunday mornings for the 9:00AM Mass - come try it! For more info, contact Beth Surapine at (860) 962-4001, then press 2 and then 5.

SJJ Parish is hiring for the following position:

Organist/Choir Director at St. Patrick Church

If interested, please submit your resume to Loida Hilliard by mailing it to St. Bernard Church, 426 Hazard Avenue, dropping it off at the St. Bernard Church Rectory, or emailing it to businessmgr@sjjenfield.org.

WE ARE HIRING!

For more info, please reach out to the email above, or call (860) 962-4001, ext. 123.

Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Prayer Group will not meet in August. We welcome you to join us in prayer, song and personal sharing when we resume on **Tues., Sept. 2nd**.

Place: St. Martha Church, St. Nicholas Classroom

For further information, please contact Pegg Connor at (860) 745-9861.



Young Catholic Professionals - Central CT Executive Speaker Series - Aaron Joseph

Come enjoy refreshments and networking along with a talk by Aaron Joseph! Aaron is a photographer & Media Consultant for the Archdiocese of Hartford & Consecrated Disciple of Jesus, the Son of God and Son of Joseph and Mary. Aaron will share about his journey and how he has worked as a witness for Christ.

Where: 872 Farmington Avenue, West Hartford, CT 06119 (St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church)

When: Thursday, September 11, 2025 (7:00 PM - 9:00 PM)

Who: All professionals from 18-39.

RSVP via QR code or [HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/YCPCENTRALAJ](https://tinyurl.com/ycpcentralaj)

E-mail info@ycpcentralconnecticut.org to learn more.



11TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW & CRAFTER FAIR

Hosted by: Knights of Columbus Rev. John B. O'Connell Council 14600

Saturday, September 13th, 2025 | St. Martha Church
9:00AM to 2:00PM - Rain or Shine

Registration is from 9:00AM to 11:00AM
Registration Cost: \$15.00 per vehicle
More Information to Follow

People's Choice Awards | Trophies and Door Prizes
Crafters, Vendors, Tea Cup Raffle and Silent Auction

Proceeds to benefit all religious education, community outreach activities and state-wide charitable programs.

To register, or for overall event information, please contact:
Joe Golas after 6:00PM at (860) 371-4277 and for the Craft Fair please contact Debbie Lynch at (860) 913-7487.

MARANATHA CARING MISSION

There will be a second collection for the Maranatha Caring Mission the weekend of **September 6-7, 2025**. Maranatha Caring Mission was established to provide free medical clinics in the developing countries, feed the hungry, clothe the naked, provide clean water to the thirsty, and other works as the Spirit directs.

We need your help to continue to provide free medical care to these impoverished patients on the waiting list who desperately have great need for cataract and other surgeries. So that these patients will regain their eyesight and for other services we provide for the well-being of the sick and poor. We treasure the generosity of the people of God here at SJJ Parish, Enfield, CT. You and your families are remembered in our prayers.

ST. JEANNE JUGAN PARISH SUPPORT

"Happy House" is a free-will collection taken up at Holy Family Church to fund construction of simple, sturdy houses in Haiti through the Haitian Health Foundation.

Please note the weekly and online amounts represent the combined totals from all churches within St. Jeanne Jugan Parish.

THANK YOU to all those who mail their weekly offertory to the rectory office.

ONLINE: \$4,932.40

WEEKLY: \$14,730.48

ST. BERNARD SCHOOL: \$475.00

HAPPY HOUSE: \$170.00

ASSUMPTION OF MARY: \$4,257.00

CATHOLIC RELIEF SVCS: \$43.00

OTHER: \$64.00

Including: Utility Fund (\$39), Peter's Pence (\$25)

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