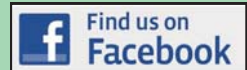




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PARISH SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses: Saturday: 4 p.m.
 Sunday: 7 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Weekday Masses:
 Monday-Friday: 6:45 a.m.; Saturday: 7 a.m.

Holy Day Mass: 6:45 a.m., 12:10 p.m., and 6:30 p.m. on the Holy Day.

Holiday Mass: Morning Mass is celebrated at 9 a.m. on Federal holidays. (8 a.m. on Memorial Day and Veterans Day)

Rosary: Daily at 6:20 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration: In the chapel on Thursdays 7:15 a.m. - 5 p.m., and First Friday/Saturday 6 p.m. - 6:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays from 12-1:30 p.m. in the chapel, or by appointment by contacting one of the priests.

Sacrament of Baptism: 1 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. Please call the parish office for more details.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Engaged couples must contact one of the parish priests at least 8 months prior to making other wedding plans.

Sacrament of the Sick: Please contact one of our parish priests.



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Our Mission: St. Catherine of Siena Parish is a Roman Catholic community established in Norwood, MA in 1890. Responding to our baptismal call to holiness, we seek to live the teachings of Christ in the Roman Catholic tradition through worship, education, service and evangelization.

All are welcome in Christ! "...To those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints with all who are invoking the name of our Lord Jesus Christ in every place... Grace and peace to you from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ. I give thanks to God continuously for you because of the grace of God that has been given to you in Christ Jesus. By that grace, in all things, you have become wealthy in him... He too will strengthen you, even until the end, without guilt..." Introduction of First Letter of Saint Paul to Corinthians

AUGUST 16, 2026

20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GLORY AND PRAISE TO OUR GOD
Dan Schutte

Refrain

Glo - ry and praise to our God, who a - lone gives light to our days.

Man - y are the bless - ings he bears to those who trust in his

Verses 1-3

ways.

1. We, the daugh - ters and sons of him who
2. In his wis - dom he strength - ens us, like
3. Ev - 'ry mo - ment of ev - 'ry day our

1. built the val - leys and plains, praise the won - ders our

2. gold that's test - ed in fire. Though the pow - er of

3. God is wait - ing to save, al - ways read - y to

to Refrain

1. God has done in ev - 'ry heart that sings.
2. sin pre - vails, our God is there to save.
3. seek the lost, to an - swer those who pray.

Verse 4

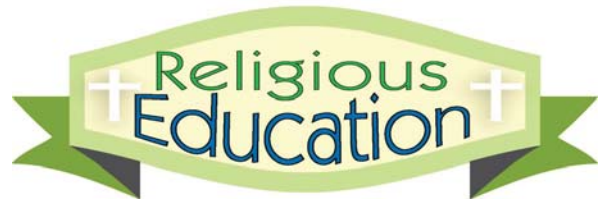
4. God has wa - tered our bar - ren land and spent his mer - ci - ful rain.

to Refrain

4. Now the riv - ers of life run full for an - y - one to drink.

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Registration for the 2026-27 Religious Education year for Grades 1-7 is now open. Please register your child(ren) by August 31st to avoid incurring a late registration fee.



**Registration for
Grades 1-7**



**Registration for
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Matthew

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BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 14TH

Saint Catherine Men's Prayer Group

We meet every Saturday from 7:30-8:30 a.m. in the chapel. Join us!

The core mission of this prayer group is to draw men closer to God through prayer, Bible study, and fellowship, fostering a stronger personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Through the power of praying the rosary and the intercession of our Blessed Mother:

- Reflects on Christ: Meditating on the mysteries of the rosary helps men know and love Christ better.
- Encourages virtue: The repetitive prayers help men foster humility and perseverance.
- Deepens faith: Reflecting on Christ's example helps men grow in spiritual maturity.
- Creates a habit of turning to God: The repetitive prayers help men create a habit of turning to God in times of temptation.
- Increases faith, hope, and trust in God: The closer men dwell on the love of God for them, the more their faith, hope, and trust in God increases.

PARISH SUPPORT

August 9, 2026: \$8,207

Thank you to everyone who supports our parish. There are a number of options when it comes to stewardship:



1. Online Giving -- For those who are able, online giving is a great way to regularly support our parish whether you are able to attend Mass or not. Just visit our website at: stcatherinenorwood.org and click on Online Giving or scan the code shown here to get started. We have seen a significant increase in the number of families selecting online giving, and we are grateful for the stability this provides our parish finances.



2. In-pew Giving: To make it as easy as possible for you to support our parish, you can now make offertory donations directly from your phone. Just scan the QR code on the center pillars in the church or to the left and you can use ApplePay, GooglePay or PayPal to make your donation in a matter of seconds.

3. Parish Envelopes — If you are not enrolled in online giving and you regularly contribute to offertory at Mass, we encourage you to receive envelopes so we can credit you with your donations. Contact the parish office, and we can assist you.

4. Planned Giving — Are you living on a fixed income and would like to make a gift to Saint Catherine's? Consider making a gift through your will. Contact your attorney so you can include Saint Catherine's among your heirs. For more information on how to include Saint Catherine's in your will, please visit our website under "Planned Giving."

Eucharistic Adoration
Thursdays after 6:45 a.m. Mass - 5 p.m.
First Friday/Saturday All Night Vigil



**Parish Office
Summer Hours**

Monday-Thursday

8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. - noon

During the summer, we often have staff members away on vacation, so we encourage you to call the office at 781-762-6080 before visiting. Mass cards can be ordered over the phone and left in the pick-up box outside the front door. If you need to make an appointment to see one of the priests, please dial ext. 112 for Fr. Donohoe or ext. 131 for Fr. Chris.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 15

7 a.m. Mary Tropeano (Healing)

4 p.m. Maria Carmela Tropeano

Sunday, August 16

7 a.m. Pro Populo

9 a.m. Amalia Aguiar

11 a.m. Robert Harukewicz
(Birthday Remembrance)

Monday, August 17

6:45 a.m. Anthony Matta (Healing)

Tuesday, August 18

6:45 a.m. John T. Driscoll

Wednesday, August 19

6:45 a.m. Albert "Dom" Pelaggi (8th Anniversary)

Thursday, August 20

6:45 a.m. Martin Darcy

Friday, August 21

6:45 a.m. Mary Ryan (Birthday Remembrance)

Saturday, August 22

7 a.m. Modestino Tropeano (Healing)

4 p.m. Charles J. McCarthy (25th Anniversary)

Mass Intentions are booked up to three months in advance. We are currently accepting requests through November. Please call 781-762-6080 or email parish@stcatherinenorwood.org.

Week of August 16th

The Altar Bread and Wine are offered in memory of Martin Darcy.

The Sanctuary Candles are lit in memory of Martin Darcy.



Please remember our beloved deceased, especially Jean Marie Hohmann and Robert E. McCormack, whose funerals were celebrated at Saint Catherine's this week.

Are you registered with us?



If not, click on the code or visit our website and fill out the requested fields. It only takes a few minutes. If you have any difficulty, please contact the parish office and we are happy to assist you!



**Readings
To-Go!**

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 16, 2026

Scan QR code to see
this week's readings!



Come and See!

OUR WOMEN'S MINISTRY IS GROWING!

A New Year Begins This September!

We are excited to announce the expansion of our Catholic Women's Ministry, offering three meaningful opportunities each month for women ages 30 and older to grow in faith, friendship, and prayer.

In addition to our established Fiat women's group, we're excited to offer even more opportunities for women to grow in faith, friendship, and prayer.

You are invited. You belong here.



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- Scripture & Scones
- Adoration & Appetizers
- Cocoa & Christ
- Evening Prayer & Dessert
- Muffins with Mary
- ...and more!



PRAYER NIGHTS

Our monthly "Pray with Mary, Rest with Jesus" evenings include praying the Rosary together followed by quiet time in Eucharistic Adoration.

TWO SPECIAL YEAR-LONG OPPORTUNITIES!



ADOPT A SISTER IN PRAYER

Receive the name of another woman in the ministry and pray for her throughout the year.



SAINT SISTER EXCHANGE

Choose a female saint to learn about and share with another participant, inspiring one another through the witness of the saints.

Join Us for Our Kickoff Event!

COFFEE, COOKIES & CHRIST A WELCOME EVENING FOR WOMEN



Come meet other women of the parish, enjoy delicious refreshments, learn about our new ministry, and discover meaningful ways to deepen your relationship with Christ.

All are welcome! We can't wait to meet you!



WOMEN AGES 30 AND OLDER

To foster meaningful conversation, personal faith sharing, and a peaceful atmosphere, gatherings are reserved for women only. Watch the bulletin for dates, times, and registration information.

WE HOPE YOU'LL JOIN US!

*Faith, Friendship, Prayer.
Growing together in Christ.*



To join our Flocknote group, please email Beth at religiouseducation@stcatherinenorwood.org



Keep in touch with us!

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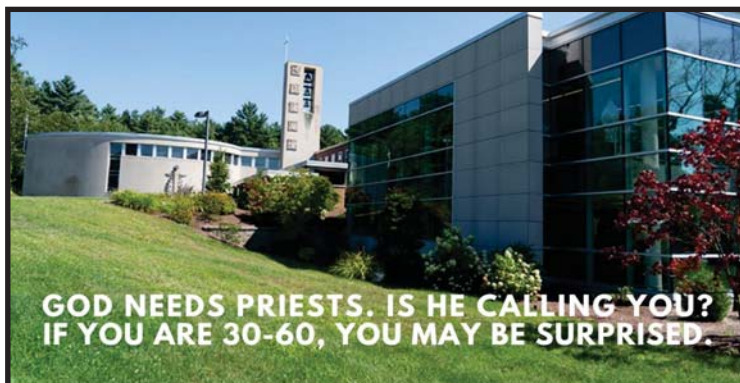
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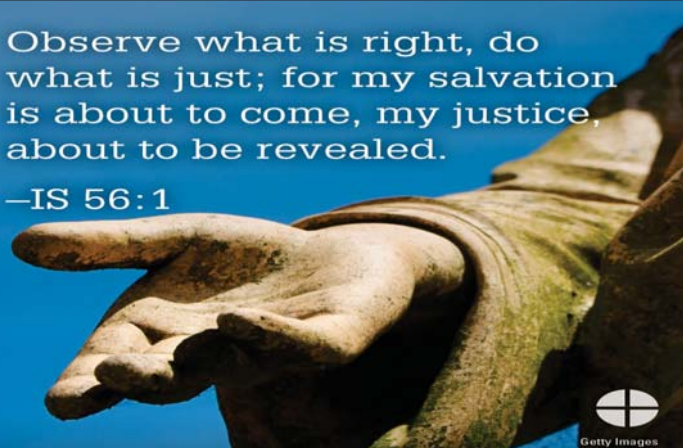
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Observe what is right, do what is just; for my salvation is about to come, my justice, about to be revealed.

—IS 56:1



Project Rachel Healing Retreats

(September 19, October 24, November 14)



Are you – or someone you know – seeking peace after an abortion? The Project Rachel ministry of the Archdiocese of Boston extends a special invitation to women experiencing regret from a past abortion to attend a *Come to the Waters of Healing* one-day retreat. Upcoming fall dates are Saturday, September 19, Saturday, October 24, and Saturday, November 14. Locations are confidential. More information is available at projectrachelboston.com/retreats. To register, contact Project Rachel at 508.651.3100 or help@projectrachelboston.com.

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