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SAINT CHARLES

BORRROMEO

XXVII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 2, 2022

THIS SUNDAY'S GOSPEL

If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you.

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**SAINT CHARLES
BORROMEO
PARISH**

"Come to me, all you
who are weary and
burdened, and I will give
you rest.
Mt. 11,28



CONFESSION HOURS

SATURDAY

11:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

3:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

OR

**BY APPOINTMENT
PLEASE CALL
(203) 333-2147**

Observances for the week of October 2, 2022

Sunday: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Saint Theodora Guérin

Tuesday: Saint Francis of Assisi

Wednesday: Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska

Friday: Saint Bruno

OFFICE HOURS HORARIO DE OFICINA

Monday/lunes	9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday/martes	8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Wednesday/miercoles	8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Thursday/jueves	8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday/ viernes	8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday/sabado	8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

CHURCH/IGLESIA

OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

EVERY DAY FROM 7:30 A.M. - 7:30 P.M.

ABIERTA PARA ORACION PERSONAL

TODOS LOS DIAS DE 7:30 A.M. A 7:30 P.M.

ANOINTMENT OF THE SICK/UNCION DE LOS ENFERMOS

Please contact Father Ivanildo or Father Abelardo

HOLY EUCHARIST FOR THE SICK

if someone is ill, homebound or hospitalized, please call
Deacon Rivera at (203) 572-3698 or Deacon Fabio Tavares at
(347) 307-6875

SANTA COMUNION PARA LOS ENFERMOS

Si alguien está enfermo, confinado en casa u hospitalizado,
llame a Diácono. David Rivera (203) 572-3698 o al Diácono.
Fabio Tavares 347-307-6875

ADORATION CHAPEL

OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

EVERY DAY FROM 7:30 A.M. - 7:30 P.M.

CAPILLA DE ADORACION:

ABIERTA PARA ORACION PERSONAL

TODOS LOS DIAS DE 7:30 A.M. A 7:30 P.M.

MASSES AND DIRECTORY

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil:

5:00pm Spanish (U.Ch),

7:00pm Portuguese (L.Ch)

Sunday:

7:00am Haitian (L.Ch),

8:45am Spanish (U.Ch),

10:45am Portuguese (U.Ch),

11:00am English (L.Ch) ,

12:45pm Spanish (U.Ch),

5:00pm Haitian (U.Ch)

7:00 p.m. Portuguese (Uch)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday through Friday 7:30am English (U.Ch)

Tuesday & Friday 7:00pm Haitian (L.Ch)

Wednesday & Thursday: 7:00pm Spanish (L.Ch)

Thursday & Friday: 7:30pm Portuguese (U.Ch)

Saturday (U.Ch) 8:00am Spanish (U.Ch) U. Ch: Main Church L. Ch:
Lower Church

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OFFERTORY REPORT

For the week of
September 12 to September 18, 2022

Online Giving		756.00
Sunday Offertory Colection		\$ 13,812.90
Weekly Offertory Collection and Others		713.80
Total Parish Collection		14,526.70
Last Year's Parish Collection		\$ 11,036.01

Your contribution, both monetary and in service are important to our parish. Thank you for your generosity!
Fr. Abelardo

DONATIONS

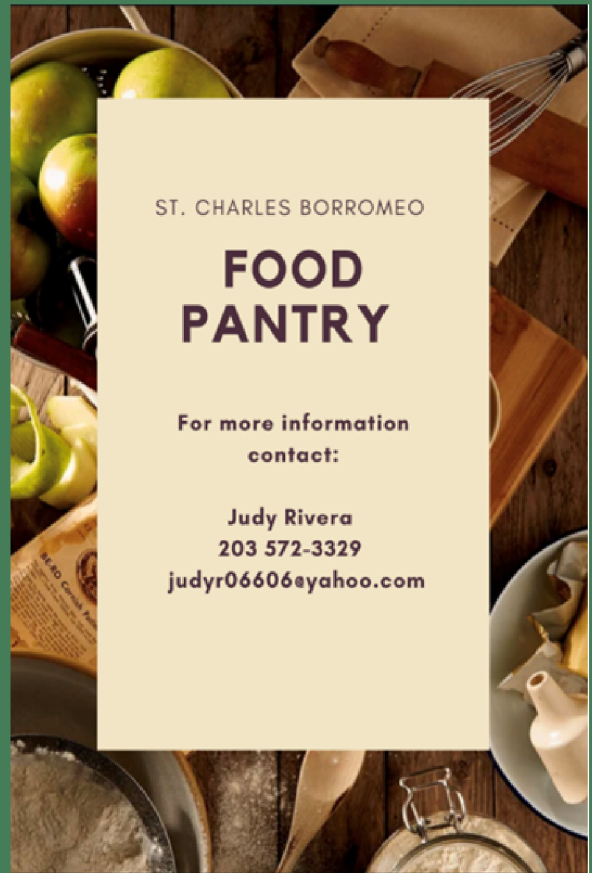


We are grateful for your offertory support! Your offertory gifts support parish staff, community outreach, various in-parish ministries, maintenance, and other components of parish life. It is critical to your parish's ongoing vitality.

Please prayerfully embrace this opportunity to be an active pillar of our community by giving generously to the Saint Charles Operating Fund.

You may use the QR Code to access our donations page.

OTHER WAYS TO HELP:



REGISTER ONLINE TO BECOME A PARISHIONER



Contact:

Jennifer.Vargas@stcharlesbridgeport.org



Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 2

12:45 p.m.

Intention:

Por el cumpleaños de Bernardo Mareño Abril.

Requested by:

Monday, October 3

7:30 a.m.

Intention:

Friends & Family deceased R. I. P.

Requested by: Neida Orengo.

Tuesday, October 4

7:30 a.m.

Intention:

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Requested by: Vanesa Xayarath.

Wednesday, October 5

7:30 a.m.

Intention:

Available

Requested by:

Thursday, October 6

7:30 a.m.

Intention:

Available

Requested by:

Friday, October 7

7:30 a.m.

Intention:

Available

Requested by:

Saturday, October 8

7:30 a.m.

Intention:

Available

Requested by:

To request a Mass Intention
please call the office at 203-333-2147



Altar Candle Upper Church

That our youth progress with desire and hope in life, that they have the courage and the enthusiasm to rise to the challenges of our times and that they learn to grow in the love of God.

Lower Church

May all families be a reflection of the Church, may they teach love, respect, sharing and service, that all members of the family grow together in your Spirit. We pray to the Lord.

GROWING WITH THE *Gospel* CYCLE C

COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



27th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Luke 17:5-10



GOSPEL

God wants you to have faith and trust him completely. Jesus said, "If your faith is as small as a mustard seed, you can tell a tree to grow in the ocean, and it will." A mustard seed is smaller than a freckle. You trust your school bus will go to your school. You have faith that clowns will make you laugh. You just need a little bit of faith and God will be there for you.

PRAYER

Lord, I believe you will help me.

DE LA OFICINA DEL PARROCO

Queridos Hermanos y hermanas,

Todos estamos llamados a ser santos, pero ¿cómo sabemos cómo llegar a ser santos? ¿Cuál es la fórmula? ¿Qué es un santo? ¿Qué pensaron? ¿Cómo era su vida? ¿Sufrieron? ¿Pecaron? ¿Estaban casados o solteros, jóvenes o viejos? ¿Qué nos enseñaron? ¿Se pueden aplicar sus enseñanzas a tu vida hoy?

Si no lo has hecho, te invito a leer mi columna semanalmente. En este espacio comparto con ustedes, todos los diferentes documentos de la iglesia. Mi oración es que estos aumenten tu fe y te inspiren el deseo de ser santo.

En Cristo,

Padre Abelardo

De la Regla pastoral de san Gregorio Magno, papa
(Libro 2, 4: PL 77, 30-31)

EL PASTOR DEBE SABER GUARDAR SILENCIO CON DISCRECIÓN Y HABLAR CUANDO ES ÚTIL

➔ **El Espíritu Santo es quien nos da las palabras para predicar acerca de Cristo y las buenas nuevas.**



➔ **Porque la repreensión es la llave con que se abren semejantes postemas: ella hace que se descubran muchas culpas que desconocen a veces incluso los mismos que las cometieron.**

El pastor debe saber guardar silencio con discreción y hablar cuando es útil, de tal modo que nunca diga lo que se debe callar ni deje de decir aquello que hay que manifestar. Porque, así como el hablar indiscreto lleva al error, así el silencio imprudente deja en su error a quienes pudieran haber sido adoctrinados. Porque, con frecuencia, acontece que hay algunos prelados poco prudentes, que no se atreven a hablar con libertad por miedo de perder la estima de sus súbditos; con ello, como lo dice la Verdad, no cuidan a su grey con el interés de un verdadero pastor, sino a la manera de un mercenario, pues callar y disimular los defectos es lo mismo que huir cuando se acerca el lobo. Por eso, el Señor reprende a estos prelados, llamándoles, por boca del profeta: Perros mudos, incapaces de ladrar. Y también dice de ellos en otro lugar: No acudieron a la brecha ni levantaron cerco en torno a la casa de Israel, para que resistiera en la batalla, el día del Señor. Acudir a la brecha significa aquí oponerse a los grandes de este mundo, hablando con entera libertad para defender a la grey; y resistir en la batalla el día del Señor es lo mismo que luchar por amor a la justicia contra los males que acechan. ¿Y qué otra cosa significa no atreverse el pastor a predicar la verdad, sino huir, volviendo la espalda, cuando se presenta el enemigo? Porque si el pastor sale en defensa de la grey es como si en realidad levantara cerco en torno a la casa de Israel. Por eso, en otro lugar, se dice al pueblo delincuente: Tus profetas te ofrecían visiones falsas y engañosas, y no te denunciaban tus culpas para cambiar tu suerte. Pues hay que tener presente que en la Escritura se da algunas veces el nombre de profeta a aquellos que, al recordar al pueblo cuán caducas son las cosas presentes, le anuncian ya las realidades futuras. Aquellos, en cambio, a quienes la palabra de Dios acusa de predicar cosas falsas y engañosas son los que, temiendo denunciar los pecados, halagan a los culpables con falsas seguridades y, en lugar de manifestarles sus culpas, enmudecen ante ellos. Porque la repreensión es la llave con que se abren semejantes postemas: ella hace que se descubran muchas culpas que desconocen a veces incluso los mismos que las cometieron. Por eso, san Pablo dice que el obispo debe ser capaz de predicar una enseñanza sana y de rebatir a los adversarios. Y, de manera semejante, afirma Malaquías: Labios sacerdotales han de guardar el saber, y en su boca se busca la doctrina, porque es mensajero del Señor de los ejércitos. Y también dice el Señor por boca de Isaías: Grita a plena voz, sin cesar, alza la voz como una trompeta. Quien quiera, pues, que se llega al sacerdocio recibe el oficio de pregonero, para ir dando voces antes de la venida del riguroso juez que ya se acerca. Pero, si el sacerdote no predica, ¿por ventura no será semejante a un pregonero mudo? Por esta razón, el Espíritu Santo quiso asentarse, ya desde el principio, en forma de lenguas sobre los pastores; así daba a entender que de inmediato hacía predicadores de sí mismo a aquellos sobre los cuales había descendido.

FROM THE PASTOR'S OFFICE

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

We are all called to be saints, but how do we know how to become a saint? What is the formula? What is a saint? What did they think? What was their life like? Did they suffer? Did they sin? Were they married or single, young or old? What did they teach us? Can their teachings be applied to your life today?

If you have not done so, I invite you to read my column weekly. In this space, I share with you, all the different documents of the church. My prayer is these will increase your faith and they inspire in you a desire to be a saint.

In Christ,

Father Abelardo

From the Pastoral Guide by Saint Gregory the Great, pope
(Lib. 2, 4: PL 77, 30-31)

Let the pastor be discreetly silent, and to the point when he speaks

➔ **The Holy Spirit is what gives us the words to preach about Christ and the good news.**



➔ **The word of reproach is a key that unlocks a door, because reproach reveals a fault of which the evildoer is himself often unaware.**

A spiritual guide should be silent when discretion requires and speak when words are of service. Otherwise he may say what he should not or be silent when he should speak. Indiscreet speech may lead men into error and an imprudent silence may leave in error those who could have been taught. Pastors who lack foresight hesitate to say openly what is right because they fear losing the favor of men. As the voice of truth tells us, such leaders are not zealous pastors who protect their flocks, rather they are like mercenaries who flee by taking refuge in silence when the wolf appears. The Lord reproaches them through the prophet: They are dumb dogs that cannot bark. On another occasion he complains: You did not advance against the foe or set up a wall in front of the house of Israel, so that you might stand fast in battle on the day of the Lord. To advance against the foe involves a bold resistance to the powers of this world in defense of the flock. To stand fast in battle on the day of the Lord means to oppose the wicked enemy out of love for what is right. When a pastor has been afraid to assert what is right, has he not turned his back and fled by remaining silent? Whereas if he intervenes on behalf of the flock, he sets up a wall against the enemy in front of the house of Israel. Therefore, the Lord again says to his unfaithful people: Your prophets saw false and foolish visions and did not point out your wickedness, that you might repent of your sins. The name of prophet is sometimes given in the sacred writings to teachers who both declare the present to be fleeting and reveal what is to come. The word of God accuses them of seeing false visions because they are afraid to reproach men for their faults and thereby lull the evildoer with an empty promise of safety. Because they fear reproach, they keep silent and fail to point out the sinner's wrongdoing. The word of reproach is a key that unlocks a door, because reproach reveals a fault of which the evildoer is himself often unaware. That is why Paul says of the bishop: He must be able to encourage men in sound doctrine and refute those who oppose it. For the same reason God tells us through Malachi: The lips of the priest are to preserve knowledge, and men shall look to him for the law, for he is the messenger of the Lord of hosts. Finally, that is also the reason why the Lord warns us through Isaiah: Cry out and be not still; raise your voice in a trumpet call.

Anyone ordained a priest undertakes the task of preaching, so that with a loud cry he may go on ahead of the terrible judge who follows. If, then, a priest does not know how to preach, what kind of cry can such a dumb herald utter? It was to bring this home that the Holy Spirit descended in the form of tongues on the first pastors, for he causes those whom he has filled, to speak out spontaneously.

EVENTS

All Souls Day Mass

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2022

11:00 am, rain or shine; tents and portable facilities will be provided

This Mass will be offered for the repose of the souls of all the faithful departed. Catholics are encouraged that day to pray that all those who have died may rest in the peace of Christ.

The Masses will be offered at these six Diocesan Cemeteries and Holy Water from Lourdes, France will be distributed after Mass at each location.

GATE OF HEAVEN CEMETERY
1056 Daniels Farm Road, Trumbull
Principal Celebrant: **Bishop Frank J. Caggiano**

ST. PETER CEMETERY
71 Lake Avenue Ext., Danbury

ST. JOHN CEMETERY
25 Camp Avenue, Darien

ST. MICHAEL CEMETERY
2205 Stratford Avenue, Stratford

ST. JOHN CEMETERY
223 Richards Avenue, Norwalk

ST. MARY-PUTNAM CEMETERY
399 North Street, Greenwich

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THIS EVENT CONTACT 203.742.1450, EXT. 155 OR INFO@CTCEMETERIES.ORG



SAN CARLOS BORROMEO

INVITA ESTE 2 DE OCTUBRE, A UNA GRAN VENTA DE COMIDA MEXICANA, AUTENTICA Y HECHA EN CASA. DE 9:30AM. HASTA LAS 3:30PM VEN Y TRAE A TODA TU FAMILIA! ORGANIZA COMITE GUADALUPANO



St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish
138 Candlewood Lake Road
Brookfield CT 06806
203-775-9117

**St. Marguerite's 30th Annual
Fall Festival
Saturday, October 22, 2022
9 AM – 4 PM**

Stop by to sample and purchase some of the finest crafts, handmade items and beautiful gifts available. (Christmas is right around the corner!) Food truck vendors will also be on site for breakfast, lunch or even "take out" for dinner!! Applications for vendors are still available and can be found on stmarguerite.org website.



adoration + bonfire

7PM-8PM
ADORATION WITH PRAISE + WORSHIP IN THE CHURCH. CONFESSIONS AVAILABLE.

8PM
JOIN US BY THE FIRE PIT FOR APPLE CIDER DONUTS FROM PLASKO'S FARM. BYOB.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6TH
YOUNG ADULTS 21+
ST. PIUS X CATHOLIC CHURCH
834 BROOKSIDE DRIVE
FAIRFIELD, CT 06824

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY IN FAIRFIELD
FALL SMALL GROUPS

REGISTER AT www.st-pius.org/smallgroup

TUESDAYS

"Searching for and Maintaining Peace by Fr. Jaques Philippe" For 24-39 yr olds.
Group Leader: Emily Lomitzer
Time: 7pm Dates: Oct 11, 18, 25, and Nov 1, 8, 15
Location: At Emily's home in Milford

THURSDAYS

"Ignite: A 4-Part Series To Get You Started with Scripture" For 24-39 yr olds.
Group Leader: Brian Pritchard
Time: 7:00am - 8:15am Dates: Oct 13, 20, 27, and Nov 3
Location: St. Pius X

"The Story of Salvation: How the Stories of the Bible Apply to Your Life" For 18-23 yr olds.
Group Leader: Paola Peña ppena@st-pius.org
Time: 7:30pm - 8:45pm Dates: Oct 13, 20, 27, and Nov 3, 10, 17
Location: St. Pius X Munro

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE PRAY

For the Sixth Convocation
of Priests October 9-12

Masses will not be
celebrated in Parishes
Monday, October 10 -
Wednesday, October 12

Bishop Caggiano is asking for prayers as he and all the priests throughout the Diocese of Bridgeport prepare to gather at the Sixth Convocation of Priests from Sunday, October 9, through Wednesday, October 12. The Convocation, which, due to Covid, had not taken place since 2017, will be held this year at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington, NY.

The theme of the Convocation is "The Road to Emmaus: Reading Scripture from the Heart of the Church." The talks for the Convocation will be given by Dr. Scott Hahn. An exceptionally popular speaker and teacher, Dr. Hahn has delivered numerous talks nationally and internationally on a wide variety of topics related to Scripture and the Catholic faith. The purpose of the three-day meeting is to strengthen the fraternal bonds among the priests and to provide a time of spiritual renewal for them so that they may return with an even greater commitment to service.

Please be aware that Masses will not be celebrated in parishes throughout the diocese from Monday, October 10th through Wednesday, October 12th; however, members of the Jesuit Community at Fairfield University and religious order priests will be available for sacramental emergencies.

Thank you for your prayers and support toward this very important event in the lives of our priests and the Diocese.

DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT YOUNG ADULT

OKTOBER FEST



MASS W/BISHOP CAGGIANO @ 5PM
SOCIAL 6-9 PM
MUSIC, FOOD, BEER
AGES 18-39

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22
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35 NORFIELD RD WESTON, CT

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Religious Education

REGISTRATIONS
OCTOBER 1, 12:30 - 2:30
CLASSES BEGIN ON SEPTEMBER 18



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NAN ST CHARLES
7 JOU PRYÈ POU DELIVRANS
HAITI
Dimanch 2 oktob pou rive 8 oktob
Chak jou depi 7:00pm pou 11:30 pm
Dimanch 5:00pm pou 9:00pm
Moun kap ede nou bay Granmet la Louanj se :
Père Mike
Père Pierre Marie
Frere Benedick
Konba Peyi nou Haiti se pa
konba pa nou men se konba
Granmet la .2 chr 20,15
Vini an foul ak tout fanmi and zanmi

Mães que Oram pelos Filhos

Encontros quinzenais
Segundas-feiras
7:30pm

Saint Charles Borromeo
391 Ogden St, Bridgeport, CT



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Terço da Misericórdia
Terça-feira as 8PM



Terço dos Homens

Quartas-feiras
8pm

Pelo Whatsapp

Bridgeport - CT



Grupo de Oração
Sopro do Espírito Santo



Todas as terças-feiras às 7:00pm

Saint Charles Borromeo Catholic Church
391 Ogden St, Bridgeport-CT
(No Basement da Igreja)

DA CAPELHA DAS Santas Chagas de Jesus
Todos os Meses na ultima Sexta -feira



PROGRAMAÇÃO:
7 pm - Terço
7:30 pm - Santa Missa

Saint Charles Borromeo
Catholic Church
391, Ogden St. Bridgeport - CT

Família Terço

Quartas-feiras
7:30pm

Pelo Skype

Bridgeport - CT



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IGLESIA ST. CARLOS, BPT. CT

Nuestro Ministerio de Damas: Orando Entre Nosotras!
Se regocija en invitarle a usted Mujer de Dios a nuestra reunion mensual.
El segundo Sabado de cada mes a partir de las 7:00 pm en nuestra Parroquia San Carlos Borromeo



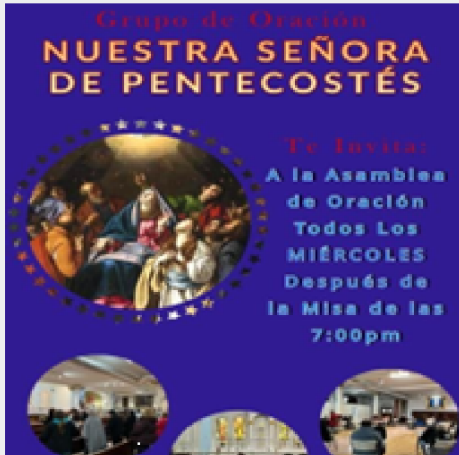
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Grupo de Oração
NUESTRA SEÑORA DE PENTECOSTÉS

Te Invitamos:
A la Asamblea de Oración
Todos Los MIÉRCOLES
Después de la Misa de las 7:00pm



Grupos Marianos



Las Hijas de Maria



Youth Group
Every Sunday
at 5:00 pm



La Escuelita de la Palabra
Sunday 10:00 a.m.
2:00 p.m.



Parish Groups
For more information please call the office