

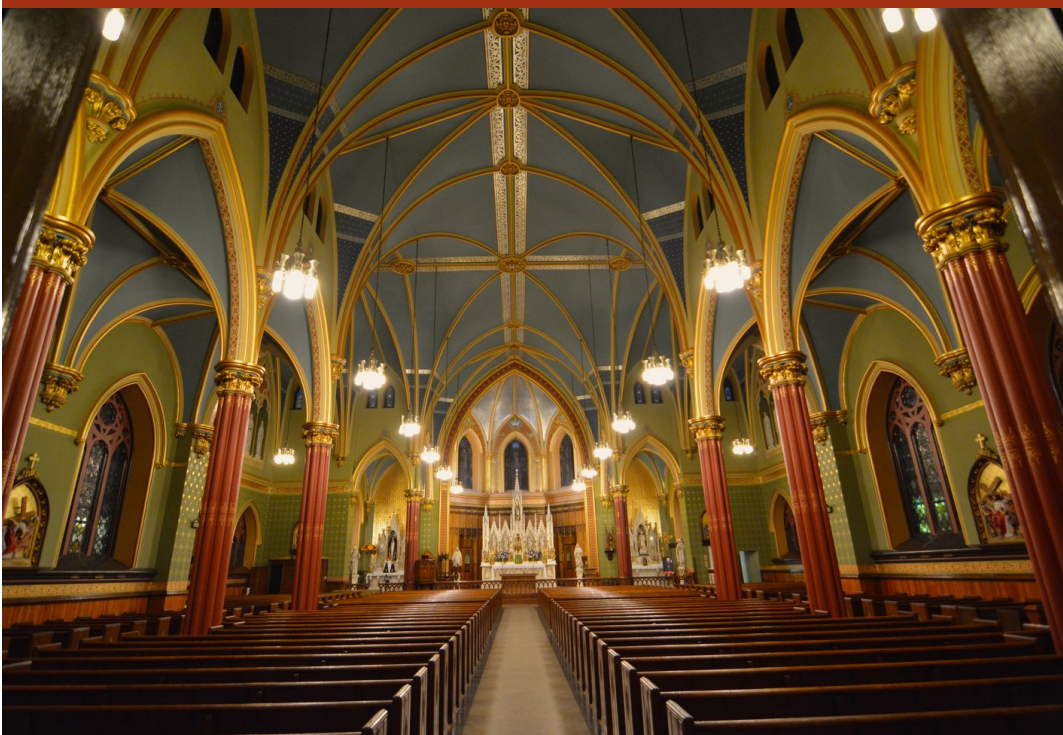


THE BASILICA OF SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST

The Mother Church of Stamford, Connecticut



FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JANUARY 29, 2023



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil, 4 PM
Sunday, 7:30 AM, 10 AM,
12 PM, and 5 PM

Monday - Saturday
8 AM and 12:10 PM

CONFESSIONS

Monday: 11:30 to 12 Noon
Wednesday: 11:30 to 12 Noon
Friday: 11:30 to 12 Noon
Saturday: 2:45 to 3:45

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
9 AM - 4:30 PM
(The Office entrance is located
on Padre Pio Way, between the
church and the rectory)

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MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, January 29

7:30 am, † Emilia Mossa *req.* Mossa Family

10 am, † Charles Mosses

req. Kolenberg Family

12 pm, † Felice Saracco

req. Connie Draper, Patti & Elly

5 pm † Nicolas Dumani *req.* Nury Torres Dumani

MONDAY, January 30

8 am, † Ana Haidar

req. Maria Livesay

12:10 pm, † Herbert Lee *req.* Agnes Kung

TUESDAY, January 31

Saint John Bosco

8 am, † Souls in Purgatory

12:10 pm, † Tom Timon

req. Tom & Olga Kolenberg

WEDNESDAY, February 1

8 am, † Quentin "Q" Williams *req.* Thomas O'Dea

12:10 pm, † John Mossa, Sr. *req.* Mossa Family

THURSDAY, February 2

The Presentation of the Lord

8 am, Frank Carpanzano, Spec. Intention

req. Carpanzano & Mbabaali Families

12:10 pm, † Catherine Morris, 39th Anniversary

req. Marion, Children, Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren

FRIDAY, February 3

Saint Blaise & Saint Ansgar

8 am, † Mr. & Mrs. Phaeton Sydney

req. Guirlene Valbrum

12:10 pm, † Dorzeide Mirvil *req.* Rose Bernier

SATURDAY, February 4

8 am, Sacred Heart of Jesus Immaculate Heart of

Mary *req.* Vargas Family

12:10 pm, † Anita Fasanelli

req. Tom & Olga Kolenberg

4:00pm, † Patrick Kane & Family

req. Estate of Catherine Kane & Family



Sanctuary Candle:
For the Special Intentions of
The Bayonne Family

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Monsignor DiGiovanni, Frank Carpanzano, Phil DeFelice, Ruby Lang, Barbara Smith, Jennifer Iannarelli, Julia Oliveira, Gail Piria, Larry Hayes, Julian Lucas Randal, Anthony Labroschiano, Richard Conti, Junjie & Aileen Ibanez, Evan Gaine

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED:

Emma Clay, Josephine Darling, Damon Thornton, Edith Shamsid-Deen, Charlie Vitolo, Alfredo Sanguinetti, John Leick, Dennis Verhaegen, Felice Saracco, Jerry W. Atkins, Dcn. Herbert Davis, Jr., Joanne Labs, Juliana R. Medina, Eugene Lang, Katherine Klaum, Margaret Rose Swan, Thomas Timon, Anita Fasanelli, Alfred Sanseverino, Nicholai Daviddenko, Gordon Evans, Amory Rodrigues

Please contact the church office to add or remove a name from the prayer list.

(203) 324-1553



VERITAS CATHOLIC NETWORK:

Veritas Catholic Network is the local EWTN Radio affiliate for our diocese. With the blessing and participation of Bishop Caggiano, they have been on the air now for over two years. Veritas Catholic Network is available via local radio, live stream, and a mobile app.

THE LEGION OF MARY:

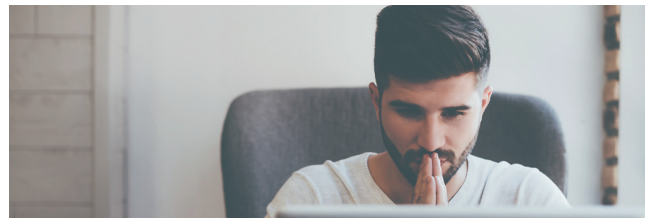
A group of parishioners gather every Wednesday at 7:30 PM in Msgr. Nagle Hall for prayer and spiritual conference. We are dedicated to strengthening our love for Our Lord through devotion to His Blessed Mother, by deeper prayer and works of charity. All are welcome.

PRO-LIFE-GROUP

Our Pro-Life Group meets each Wednesday morning to pray before the local abortion clinic

THE FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION:

The First Saturday devotion is after the 12:10 pm Mass.



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YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Fr. La Pastina's Young Adult Group will hold its next meeting on Monday, February 13, 2023. This group welcomes all Young Adults between 21-35 years of age.

Mass Intentions

The Mass book for 2023 Intentions is available for Mass requests. All requests are on a first come, first serve basis and are \$10.00 each. (Canon n.946 of the Code of Canon Law) Please contact the parish office with your requests at 203-324-1553 or email office@stjohnbasilica.org.

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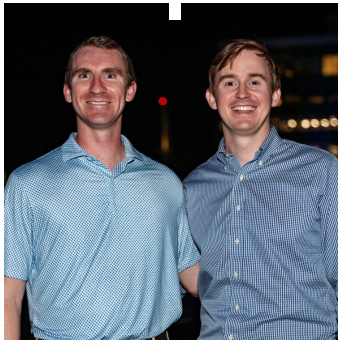
Father Damian Pielez, who has been with us for just over a year, has been given a new assignment as the assistant chaplain at St. Camilus nursing home in Stamford. We are grateful for Fr. Damian's kind assistance here at the Basilica during the past year and our prayers and best wishes go with him as he begins his new assignment!



Stamford Catholic Young Adults

YOUNG ADULT MASS

Mass and Social



Wednesday, February 8th
Adoration at 6pm | Mass at 7pm
St. John's Basilica (279 Atlantic St) | Ages 18-35
StamfordYoungAdultCatholics@Gmail.com

STAMFORD YOUTH GROUP

Friday night Youth Group meeting dates for 2023! Please join us for sports and games, faith-filled activities, and prayer with Fr. Connaughton, Fr. Mariusz, Fr. Suarez and the Stamford Youth Ministry team! Join us at the Church of the Holy Spirit (403 Scofieldtown Road) on the following dates! Additional information and more activities to be announced soon!

Middle School Dates: Feb 3, Feb 24, Mar 10, Mar 24, Apr 14, Apr 28, May 12

High School Dates: Feb 10, Mar 3, Mar 17, Mar 31, Apr 21, May 5, May 19



WEEKLY SUNDAY COLLECTION:

Mass & Mail-In Collection: \$6,255.17

Online Giving Collection: \$5,053.00

**Total: Sunday, January 22, 2023:
\$11,308.17**

ONLINE GIVING:

Whether you are out of town or unable to attend Mass due to weather, illness, or an emergency, you will be able to contribute to the support of the Basilica. Your information is protected, your transaction is secure, and your donations are automatically transferred to the Parish account. You will also receive a statement that details your generosity.

Note: You can make a one-time donation to the collection of your choice and you also have the option to set up recurring donations from your bank by setting up an account.

Sign up on the Basilica's web-site by clicking on the "Donate" button.

PARISHIONER REGISTRATION:

You must be an active, registered parishioner to marry at the Basilica of St. John the Evangelist.

The bride or the groom must be a practicing Catholic and registered at the Basilica for one year before contacting us regarding scheduling the wedding here. One must be an active parishioner, regularly attending Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation and using our online giving portal or the envelope system in regular support of the parish.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN:

The Diocese requires that all volunteers in any capacity in the parish must attend a Protecting God's Children workshop. If you have not already attended one, and volunteer or anticipate volunteering in the future, please register at virtusonline.org. Call the parish office at 203-324-1553 for additional information or questions.

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THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD



Feast of the Presentation of the Lord in the Temple
Thursday, February 2nd at 7:30 PM
Blessing of Candles with Procession and Solemn Mass

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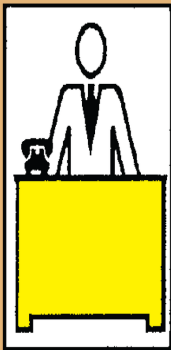


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