



## Pentecost Sunday: May 19, 2024

**Rev. William F. Platt, Pastor**  
**Rev. Miguel Bernal, Priest in Residence**  
*Director of Greenwich Hispanic Ministry*

**Deacon Renato Berzolla**  
**Deacon Robert Henrey, Retired**  
**Deacon John Linsenmeyer**  
**Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues**

### WORSHIP SCHEDULE

#### Sunday

7:30 AM – Mass, St. Catherine's Church  
9:00 AM – Family Mass, St. Catherine's Church  
10:30 AM – Traditional Mass, St. Catherine's Church  
5:00 PM – Teen Mass, St. Catherine's Church

#### **MASSES IN OTHER LANGUAGES**

##### St. Catherine's Church

6:30 PM – Spanish Mass

##### St. Catherine's Chapel

11:00 AM – French Mass - 2nd Sunday of the month  
– Italian Mass - 3rd Sunday of the month

#### Saturday

3:00 — 4:00 PM – Confessions at St. Catherine's Church  
(Specific dates confirmed weekly in bulletin.)

5:00 PM – Vigil Mass at St. Catherine's Church

#### Daily

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

7:00 AM – Daily Mass at St. Catherine's Church

5:15 PM – Daily Mass at St. Catherine's Chapel

#### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament\*

\*(suspended during Church renovation)

Wednesdays – 8:30 AM — 4:00 PM in St. Catherine's Church

#### Rosary

Tuesdays – 6:00 PM in St. Catherine's Chapel

All Masses at St. Catherine of Siena Church are in-person and livestreamed.

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**Parish Office Hours:** Monday-Friday 10:00 AM-4:00 PM  
Saturday 10:00 AM-2:00 PM

Please call the Parish Office to schedule dates for **Baptisms, Weddings** and **Sacrament of Reconciliation** (1st Saturday of every month or by appointment).



### Parish Renovation Update

To stay up to speed on our parish renovation progress, please visit our website **Home** Page at <https://stc-sta.org/> for the latest reports.

Please also consider using St. Catherine **Chapel** for **weekday private prayer** while the church narthex undergoes renovation.

## Mass Intentions and Celebrant Schedule\*

### Saturday, May 18

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions

**Celebrant:** Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

5:00 PM **Intention:** John de Csepel

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel A. Bernal

### Sunday, May 19

7:30 AM **Intention:** Josephine Yuen (living)

**Celebrant:** Fr. William F. Platt

9:00 AM **Intention:** Ersidia Groccia

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel A. Bernal

10:30 AM **Intention:** Orlando LaPegna

**Celebrant:** Fr. Michael A. Boccaccio

11:00 AM – Italian Mass

**Intention:** Vittorio & Carolina Ceci

**Celebrant:** Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

5:00 PM **Intention:** Richard A. Raffa

**Celebrant:** Fr. William F. Platt

6:30 PM **Intention:** Evelyn & Fred Arroyo

**Celebrant:** Fr. Jorge Obregon

### Monday, May 20

7:00 AM **Intention:** Julian Garcia Cancho

5:15 PM **Intention:** Joan J. & John J. Murphy

### Tuesday, May 21

7:00 AM **Intention:** Kay Jones

5:15 PM **Intentions:** Mary Romeo

### Wednesday, May 22

**Thursday, May 23** Gerald Kearney

7:00 AM **Intention:** Elizabeth Detscher

5:15 PM **Intention:** Anna Dalski

### Friday, May 24

7:00 AM **Intention:** Pascualina, Angelina, Teresa, Lucy & Maria

5:15 PM **Intention:** Christine Southard

### Saturday, May 25

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel A. Bernal

5:00 PM **Intention:** Brian Canfield

**Celebrant:** Msgr. Larry Bronkiewicz

### Sunday, May 26

7:30 AM **Intention:** Patricia Orrico Restoski

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel A. Bernal

9:00 AM **Intention:** Federico, Rosa & Anna Maria Palazzo

**Celebrant:** Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

10:30 AM **Intentions:** Salvatore Florentino (living)

**Celebrant:** Fr. William F. Platt

5:00 PM **Intentions:** Alicia Peralta

**Celebrant:** Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

6:30 PM **Intentions:** Maria Lopez (living)

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel A. Bernal

**\*Schedule subject to change**

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



*You are invited*

by Bishop Caggiano to a very special Mass for **EUCCHARISTIC RENEWAL** on June 1, 2024 at Fairfield University. A ticket is necessary to attend the Mass. If you would like to attend, please email Erika Gonzalez Randolph at [erika.grandolph@stc-sta.org](mailto:erika.grandolph@stc-sta.org) Tickets are limited. The schedule for the morning at Fairfield University is as follows:

8:30 am.....Doors Open  
8:30 am - 10:30 am.....Confessions  
9:30 am.....Pre-Liturgy Celebration  
11:00 am.....Mass

\*The invitation is principally for the Mass, however ticket holders may attend all of the events of the morning. If you have questions, please contact our Parish Representative:



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*The Parish of St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes  
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**May 12, 2024**



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**the**

**Rosary  
Tuesdays at 6:00 PM in the Chapel**

Join us in worship as we are led in  
the ROSARY every Tuesday in  
St. Catherine's Chapel,  
We begin at 6:00 PM. Please join us!

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS (*Continued*)

### ST. AGNES CHURCH CELEBRATION

On June 2, as a parish family of faith, we will celebrate the legacy of St. Agnes Church. United in love, we will place dearly held memories of St. Agnes Church within the broader context of our faith in Jesus Christ. It will be a celebration to commemorate the shared heritage of our merged parish and the decades of faithful service to the Church by the parishioners of St. Agnes.

Jamie Benincasa, a parish trustee, and former St. Agnes parishioner has been working with a group of parish volunteers to plan the event. The celebration will begin with the celebration of the 10:30 am Mass. A highlight of the Mass will be the inaugural presentation of a new hymn written by our Composer-in-Residence, Alexander Dmitriev, in honor of St. Agnes – “The St. Agnes Hymn.” Following the Mass, there will be a solemn procession to the chapel, where the statue of St. Agnes (from the St. Agnes Church sanctuary) will be permanently enshrined for veneration and devotion. A reception will follow.

We hope to gather pictures, videos, and mementos from over the years at St. Agnes Church so that we can display them digitally during the reception. Please send anything that you would like to share to [SaintAgnesChapel@gmail.com](mailto:SaintAgnesChapel@gmail.com).

We hope that you will join us for this joyful celebration.

Fr. Bill Platt, Pastor



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## More PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



### Memorial Day Holiday Schedule

In observance of **Memorial Day**, our Parish Offices will be closed on **Monday, May 27th**. Our regularly scheduled **Daily Mass** will be held at **7:00 AM**, which will be open for *In-Person* attendance and *Livestreamed* from St. Catherine's Church.



### PARISH FINANCIAL CENTER

*Thank you for supporting your Parish.*

Sunday, May 12, 2024:	\$ 4,782
Online:	\$ 4,396
Total:	\$ 9,178
Last Year:	\$ 9,027

If you prefer to make your donations online, please consider using one of the following:

1) Online Giving (OLG) allows you to make your Sunday Offertory and all other donations by credit card or bank check. Visit [www.stc-sta.org/stewardship/online-giving](http://www.stc-sta.org/stewardship/online-giving)



2) scan our QR code :

***Based on the Diocesan Finance Manual, "each parish will publish in the weekly bulletin or website the prior week's total collection as well as the amount collected in the corresponding week the year before."***

#### One In Christ – The 2024 Bishop's Appeal

#### Saint Catherine of Siena and Saint Agnes Parish

#### 2024 Bishop's Appeal as of 5/9/24

Bishop's Appeal Goal:	\$278,000
Total Pledged:	\$126,649 (45.56%)
Donors to Date:	157 Donors



To make a gift, or for more information, please visit us at [2024BishopsAppeal.org](http://2024BishopsAppeal.org), call (203) 416-1470 or scan QR code with your phone.

The Bishop's Appeal supports the ministries of the Catholic Church throughout Fairfield County. If you have not yet given your support, please prayerfully consider doing so. Your support is critical to the continued success of the ministries. Thank you!

### Children Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)

Children's Liturgy of the Word is held weekly at the **9:00 AM Family Mass**.

All children will begin Mass sitting with their parents in church.  
Children in Grades Kindergarten – 5th will be invited



### Catholic Social Teaching

There are seven themes of Catholic Social Teaching. The *Social Justice Committee* will present one theme each month. They provide a framework through which to understand modern Catholic Social Teaching and a guide to living our lives amidst the challenges of modern society.

#### This month's theme: **Solidarity**

We are one human family whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences. We are our brothers and sisters' keepers, wherever they may be. Loving our neighbor has global dimensions in a shrinking world. At the core of the virtue of solidarity is the pursuit of justice and peace. Pope Paul VI taught that if you want peace, work for justice. The Gospel calls us to be peacemakers. Our love for all our sisters and brothers demands



## FAITH in our Community



*Please pray for the sick members of our parish, especially for:*

Wilmar Acevedo  
Stephen Cheung  
Olga Iacobazzo

Leslie Nash

Joan Bartilucci  
Loretta DiMaio  
Sandra Judge

Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues

John Bambino  
Scion Estrella  
Lorraine Mallen

Claudia Bouchard  
John Hickey  
Faustino Garcia Morales  
Austin Shanley

The Social Justice Committee is again inviting our parishioners to support the children of St. Don Bosco R.C. Church in Port Chester with their summer camp needs. We are collecting board games and sports equipment like soccer balls, footballs, basketballs, and frisbees. Perhaps you have Legos, Lincoln Logs, Dominos; board games like Scrabble, CandyLand; art supplies like: crayons, markers, color pencils, scissors, glue; bubble soap, chalk, jump ropes, playing cards, card games, bingo games, etc that your family is no longer using. Please bring them to church and leave them in the containers designated "For St. Don Bosco" in the vestibule. Karen Francella will pick them up thru the month of June for use in the camp. Last year's donations proved very helpful to the children's summer enjoyment.



### *The Social Justice Committee of St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes continues their Food & Essentials Drive for Neighbor to Neighbor*

Please continue to be generous in your donations to *Neighbor-to-Neighbor* of non-perishable foods and personal care items. Our drives at St. Catherine's continue **every Tuesday from 9:00 - 11:00 AM** as does the need!

Each week, donations can be dropped-off in the parking area across the street from the Rectory. Or, when construction impacts the vestibule at the church entrance, donations may be left downstairs in the vestibule to the Lucey Parish Hall.



Visit [www.stc-sta.org/community-news](http://www.stc-sta.org/community-news) for details and items needed and how your donations are helping!

**Thanks to all for remembering your neighbors with your generous donations that fill the gap for so many!!**





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