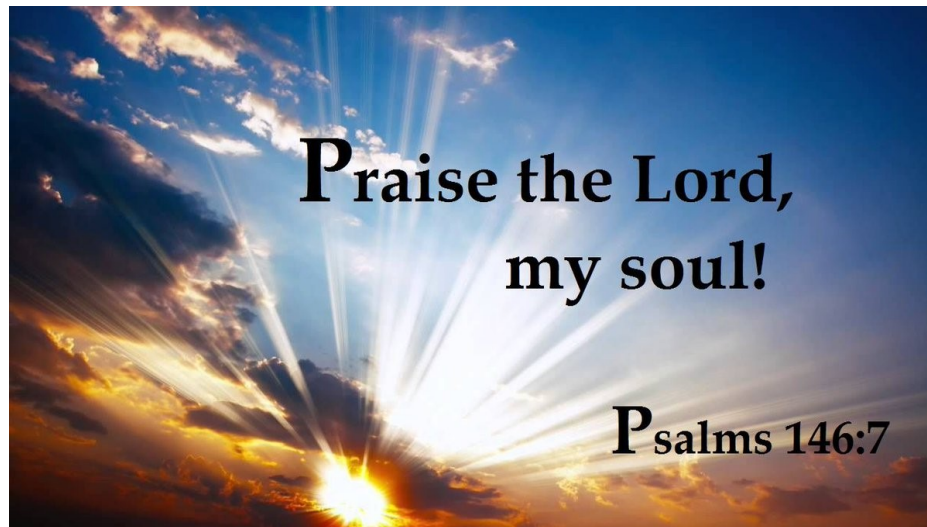




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The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 7, 2021

Rev. William F. Platt, Pastor
Rev. Christopher Johnson, Priest in Residence

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

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday

7:30 AM – Mass at St. Catherine's Church
8:30 AM – Mass at St. Agnes Church
9:00 AM – Family Mass at St. Catherine's Church
10:00 AM – Mass at St. Agnes Church
10:30 AM – Traditional Mass at St. Catherine's Church
5:00 PM – Teen Mass at St. Catherine's Church
MASSSES IN OTHER LANGUAGES in St. Catherine's Chapel
9:00 AM – Korean Mass
11:00 AM
French Mass - 2nd Sunday of the month
Italian Mass - 3rd Sunday of the month
Spanish Mass - 4th 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

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

Rosary

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

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Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Saturday 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

Faith Formation Office Hours:
By appointment—please call Kelly Myers at extension 328.

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

Financial Report: Sunday Offertory

(for the last four weekends)

October 9 & 10 SC & SA	\$12,835*
October 16 & 17 SC & SA	\$16,789*
October 23 & 24 SC & SA	\$13,856*
October 30 & 31 SC & SA	\$10,785*

*Offertory includes **Monthly** and **Online Giving (OLG)**

****Special Donations** to Parish for help with
ongoing Operating Budget

Mass Intentions and Celebrant Schedule*

Saturday, November 6

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

5:00 PM **Intentions:** Concetta, Francesco and Angelo Petron
Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

Sunday, November 7

7:30 AM **Intention:** Anna Marina Elda Rakas

Celebrant: Msgr. Larry Bronkiewicz

8:30 AM **Intention:** Maureen Fitzpatrick

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

9:00 AM **Intention:** Ann Dorrian

Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson

9:00 AM Korean Mass

Intentions: Parishioners

Celebrant: Fr. Yi

10:00 AM **Intention:** Clara Comeau

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

10:30 AM **Intention:** Dorothy Masy

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

5:00 PM **Intentions:** Michael and Ann Pavese

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

Monday, November 8

7:00 AM **Intention:** Patti Marra

5:15 PM **Intentions:** All Souls

Tuesday, November 9

7:00 AM **Intention:** Kelli Piro

5:15 PM **Intention:** Andrea Berzolla

Thursday, November 11

7:00 AM **Intentions:** Parishioners

Friday, November 12

7:00 AM **Intention:** Robert Gaffney

5:15 PM **Intention:** Romeo Sanna

Saturday, November 13

5:00 PM **Intention:** Vincent R. Ragusa

Celebrant: Msgr. Larry Bronkiewicz

Sunday, November 14

7:30 AM **Intention:** Rev. Ralph C. Verdi

Celebrant: Fr. Paul Sankar

8:30 AM **Intention:** Robert Intriari

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

9:00 AM **Intentions:** Claire and Gerald Rooney

Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson

9:00 AM Korean Mass

Intentions: All Souls

Celebrant: Fr. Yi

10:00 AM **Intentions:** Parishioners

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan F. Detscher

10:30 AM **Intention:** William McCarthy

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

11:00 AM French Mass

Intention: Marybeth Kalna

Celebrant: Fr. Gilbert D'Souza

5:00 PM **Intention:** Mario Russo

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

***Schedule subject to change**

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



2022 Mass Intentions Book Open Now

Our process for requesting Mass Intentions for 2022 will be the same as last year. We ask you to **submit only one form**, requesting no more than 5 Masses initially, **by November 7, 2021**. We will place all requests by November 30th and **confirm your requests** via phone/e-mail **by December 7th**. After this date, you may submit more requests. You may pick up blank forms in the back of the church or print them out from the website here:

https://www.stc-sta.org/images/Mass_Intentions_Request_Form_2022.pdf

Please drop off completed forms in the mail crate on the Rectory stoop or send to the Rectory by mail. The *Suggested Donation* is \$10 per date requested.

Please make checks out to:

"The Parish of St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes"

Check the top right corner of the Home page of our website www.stc-sta.org for current Mass days and times.

*The Parish of
St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes
congratulates and welcomes*

**Justin Torres
&
Audrey Blake**

Baptized into God's family on

October 30 & 31, 2021



Holiday Schedule: November 11

In observance of the **Veterans Day** holiday, our Parish Offices will be closed on **Thursday, November 11**. Our regularly scheduled **Mass** will be held at **7:00 AM**, which is open for *in-person attendance* and *livestreamed* from St. Catherine's Church.



1st Announcement

Thomas Costello & Allison Vizzo

Have made a Promise of Marriage

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

Wilmar Acevedo

Robert Adovasio

Claudia Bouchard

Loretta DiMaio

John Hickey

Olga Iacobazzo

Lina Iacono

Gwen Loughlin

Angela Lyons

Shirley Marzullo

Barbara Weltz

Please also pray for the deceased members of our Parish, especially for:

Leon Chervinski (10-29-21)

Peter Maloney (4-8-21)



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS (*Continued*)



*You're invited to join Deacon Robert Henrey
as he continues to present his 2021 lecture series. . .*

Early Encounters: European and Asian Cultures at the Crossroads **Sunday, November 7**

11:45 AM in St. Catherine's Lucey Parish Hall

Robert Henrey has resumed his 2021 lecture series, **Early Encounters: European and Asian Cultures at the Crossroads (1500-1850)**. His goal has been to share his long-standing interest in the historical, religious and linguistic backdrop to the complex but fascinating story of how adventurers, traders and scholarly missionaries brought back home a growing awareness of the richness they had encountered.

The series began this past spring with a four-part, virtual discussion of how 16th century Portuguese maritime dominance dramatically accelerated a process of mutual awareness that stretched back to the Ancient World and how India, with its long history of attracting and fostering diverse cultures, became the stepping stone for those looking to explore yet farther eastward. This fall series continues the story, by inviting discussion on how westerners made early inroads into China and Japan thanks, in large part, to the remarkable achievements of Jesuit missionaries – with dramatically different and unforeseen outcomes. These in-person, illustrated presentations also address how East and West gradually became aware of each other's cultures leading to our increasingly interconnected world and are designed to stimulate discussion--*the process of mutual understanding is taking on increasing urgency and is far from over!*

Join us for these remaining events on two Sundays following the 10:30 AM Mass!

November 7 – Part Three: **The Chinese Middle Kingdom keeps the Barbarians at Bay**

November 21 – Part Four: **Japan Bars the Gate leaving it a crack open to Dutch Learning**



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Tape the label stating whether it is for a boy or a girl and the age category on the outside of the box. On the Inside, **include a check** made out to **Samaritan's Purse** for the amount of **\$9.00**. This will cover the cost of shipping and handling.

Please be aware that there are certain items which MUST NOT be included such as candy, gum, toothpaste, toy guns, knives, military figures, chocolate, food, seeds, fruit snacks, drink mixes, liquids, lotions, medications, vitamins, snow globes, glass containers, aerosol cans.

The deadline for returning boxes is November 14. Please place the completed boxes on the table at the entrance of St. Catherine of Siena Church.

Thank you for your generosity!

More PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



ST. AGNES Music Ministries

present. . .

Autumn Revelations

A concert in commemoration of All Souls
Sunday November 14, 2021, 2:00 PM
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**St. Catherine's
Support Circle**

presents. . .

Cultivating Presence for Job Search Success

Thursday, November 18, 2021 from 7:00 - 8:30 PM

St. Catherine of Siena Lucey Parish Hall

Have you ever wondered why one person with the same skills and qualifications gets selected for a job over another? Many times, it comes down to presence, a term that may sound vague and elusive to some, but it is achievable. Sylvia Ann Hewlett, the author of *Executive Presence: The Missing Link Between Merit and Success*, defines professional presence as a vital leadership characteristic that can set you apart when interviewing for your next role. During this interactive session, co-facilitators Paul Stuhlman and Miranda DeSantis will share their top tips for developing presence that can positively impact your job search right away! Visit www.stc-sta.org/community-life/st-catherine-s-support-circle for details on the program and how to reserve a space at the SCSC table.

RSVPs are required to Miranda at mirandadesantis@me.com **by November 15th.**

More PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Catherine's Players presents:



AUDITIONS

December 14th & 15th

6:30pm: Youth* (9 by 12/31)

(*limited roles for 7 & 8 yr olds)

8:00pm: High School & Adults

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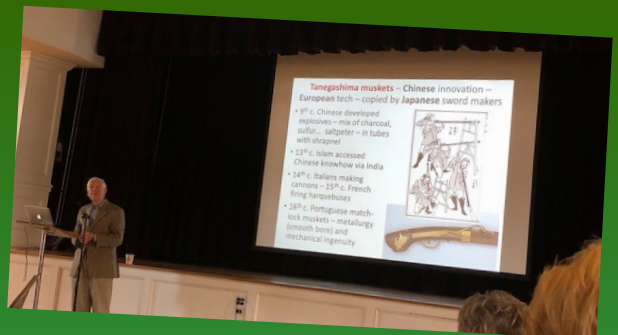
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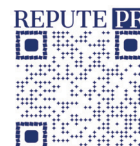
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