# NOTRE DAME OF EASTON

655 MOREHOUSE ROAD - EASTON, CONNECTICUT 06612



JULY 10, 2022 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Michael P. Lyons, *Pastor* Dr. Gerald F. Sabol, *Deacon* 

#### **RECTORY OFFICE**

640 Morehouse Road

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Email: churchladies@optonline.net

Office hours: Monday - Thursday, 9:00 am - 3:30 pm

The Rectory Office is closed on Friday.

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass) Sunday: 8:00 am & 11:00 am Monday - Thursday: 7:30 am

No Mass on Friday

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

**Saturday:** 4:15 - 4:45 pm

Pat Fischer & Barbara Kozlowski, Office Staff

Robert Gilmore, Director of Music 203-268-5838

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

(in the church)

Mrs. Patricia Steccato, *Director of Religious Ed.* 203-261-5596 / ndore@optonline.net

Mrs. Ellen Pease, Safe Environment Coordinator churchladies@optonline.net

#### PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Council Chairperson Mrs. Diane Baker

Finance Council Chairman Philip Adriani

Lay Members of the Parish Corporation

Mrs. Diane Baker & Philip Adriani, Jr.

Eucharistic Adoration Temporarily Suspended

Parish Nurse Program / Blood Pressure Screening Temporarily Suspended

First Friday Communion Calls or Anointing of the Sick Please call the Rectory office.

#### **Pre-Baptismal Classes**

Please call the Rectory office to schedule a class.

#### **Baptisms**

Please call the Rectory office to arrange Baptisms.

#### Weddings

Please call the Rectory office at least one year in advance to arrange a wedding.

#### **Hospital Visits**

Please notify the Rectory office concerning family members who are hospitalized.

#### Parish Registration

Please call the Rectory office to register.



# Mass Intentions for July 9th through July 17th , 2022



Sat. 5:00pm John Raymond Morgan, III r/b Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graze 8:00am Angelo Cavalli r/b the family Sun. 11:00am Carl LePare r/b Patty Steccato 7:30am Gino Cortina r/b Rinaldo and Anna DelCegno Mon.

Tues. 7:30am William Dotson r/b Jim and Lisa DeVoto Wed. 7:30am Michael Andras r/b his wife. Florence

Thurs. 7:30am David Sheehan. Sr. r/b the Women of Notre Dame

Fri. 7:30am No Mass 5:00pm June Collins Sat. 8:00am Charles Mac Vallee Sun.

r/b Francis Migliore 11:00am Laura Pagliaro r/b the Adriani family

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#### Notre Dame's Weekly Collections for:

#### July 2 & 3, 2022

Saturday 5:00pm \$1,185.35 Sunday 8:00am \$ 600.00 \$ 776,00 11:00am **Total Mass Collection** \$2,561.35 Other Offertory \$2,120.00 **Capital Improvement** \$ 73.00 Online Giving \$1,205,00 Online Giving-Peters Pence \$ 10.00 Online Giving-Capital Improv \$ 150.00 Online Giving for June \$4.935.00 Online Capital Improve -June \$ 20.00 Online Peter's Pence -June \$

Thank You!

#### **ONLINE GIVING**

Please consider Online Giving. It is a simple, safe way to contribute to weekly offerings. In order to register:

- 1. log on to our parish website;
- 2. click the Online Giving logo on the homepage
  - **3.** fill out the registration form.

If you have any questions please call: (800) 348-2886, option #2.

Thank You!

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Bequests to Notre Dame of Easton are Strongly **Encouraged and Gratefully Accepted** Suggestion: When a loved one dies, please advise friends and relatives to make donation to the "Notre Dame Sanctuary Fund" in memory of the deceased & include this wish in the obituary notice.



### Please Pray for the Sick

r/b Michelle Falcone

The names entrusted to this list will always be included in our prayers:

Susan Williams Alison Raver **Leah Ambrose** Christopher Vitale Angela Doescher Ed Kovac Joan McGrath Siobhan Smith Alice Martinich Pat Perrotta Elizabeth Morgan Georgia Egan Alfred Fressola Gabrella Reitmeyer **George Adams** Corrine Marsicano Anne Fivalka A Friend Jennifer Durgin Pat Petrocelli Gina LaPan Sal DiNardo Shirley Russo Carmen Cavanagh If you would like to place someone on the prayer list, please email <a href="mailto:churchladies@optonline.net">churchladies@optonline.net</a>, or call the Rectory office at 203-268-5838 during business hours.

## **Rectory Office Hours**

The Rectory Office hours are: Monday through Thursday 9:00am to 3:30pm. The Office is closed on Fridays.

> When attending Mass MASKS ARE OPTIONAL

## **Parish Registration**

We welcome you to Notre Dame Parish. Please stop by, or call the Rectory office. (203 268-5838), to officially register. Our office hours are 9am to 3:30pm Monday thru Thursday. The office is closed on Fridays.



# **Religious Education**

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 10am-4pm Other times by appointment: (203)261-5596 ndore@optonline.net

## 2022-2023 REGISTRATION

Registration forms for the 2022-2023 Religious Ed classes were mailed on Thursday, June 15<sup>th</sup> to all families currently enrolled in our Program for the 2021-2022 school year.

If you have not received forms for your children, or if your child will be new to the Program, blank registration forms are available online and in the Church vestibule.

Please register by August 1<sup>st</sup> to avoid late fees.

#### **EIGHTH GRADE PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:**

Eighth Grade Religious Ed classes are held in the Church on Monday evenings from 6:45pm-8:00pm.

#### **CONFIRMATION 2022**

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred on Thursday evening, September 29, 2022 at 6:00pm.

#### Please save the following dates:

<u>The Confirmation Review</u> will be held in the Lower Church on Sunday, September 25, 2022 from 12:00pm-1:30pm.

All students are required to attend.

The Confirmation Rehearsal will be held on Wednesday evening, September 28th, 2022 from 6:30pm-8:00pm.

Attendance will be required for both the student and sponsor.

#### PREPARATION FOR SACRAMENTS

The Diocesan requirement to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion is two years of preparation, beginning in first grade.

#### The Sacrament of First Reconciliation

is celebrated in the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade.

<u>The Sacrament of First Holy Communion</u>
will be celebrated in the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade.

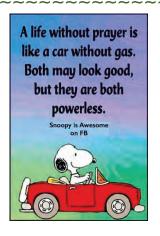
The requirement to receive First Reconciliation is completion of first and second grade Religious Education.
The requirements to receive First Holy Communion are reception of First Reconciliation and completion of second and third grade Religious Education.

15<sup>TH</sup> Annual Connecticut Catholic
Men's Conference
Save the Date Saturday, September 24, 2022
The Connecticut CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE
Is rapidly approaching. It will be a beautiful, faith-filled day with many great speakers and opportunities to nurture our Catholic faith.
Including our very own Bishop Frank Caggiano.

Diocesan Wedding Jubilee Mass
Bishop Caggiano will be celebrating the Wedding
Jubilee Mass on October 22<sup>nd</sup>,2022 at St. Mary's
Parish in Bethel at 11:00am.

This Mass will be for couples celebrating 25, 40, 45, 50 or more years of marriage.

Parishioners wishing to attend may feel free to either email Pat Hansen <a href="mailto:phansen@diobpt.org">phansen@diobpt.org</a> or call 203-416-1342.





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| Notre Dame Parish                        |                |
|------------------------------------------|----------------|
| 2022 Bishop's Appeal as of June 24, 2022 |                |
| ABA Goal:                                | \$54,100       |
| Total Pledged:                           | \$43,395 (80%) |
| Donors to Date:                          | 105 Donors     |

To make a gift, or for more information, please visit us at 2022BishopsAppeal.org, call (203) 416-1470 or scan with your phone.



#### Where Gifts To The Annual Bishop's Are Directed:

#### TO TEACH AND PREACH THE GOSPEL

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# BUILDING "BIDGES OF FAITH" and SERVING THE POOR

Catholic Charities St. Catherine Center for Special Needs Pastoral Care of the Sick and Elderly

#### **BUILDING COMMUNITIES OF FAITH**

Support of Retired Priests
Donation to the Seton Collaborative
Campus Ministry and Young Adult Support
Strategic and Pastoral Planning
"The Bridge" Center for Young Adult
Entrepreneurship Institute for Catholic Culture

Please remember in your prayers
Faith Sheehan
Mother of David Sheehan
May she rest in peace.



# Blessed Sacrament Church Food Collection



# School is out!!

That means for some families 3 meals a day for children.

YOU CAN HELP!

Fr. Skip and food director, Norma have some special requests. They are asking for 2 in 1 shampoo & conditioner (travel size & regular size)

Bars of shower soap (Not liquid soap).

There is always a need for toilet paper and paper towels (any kind).

They are asking for: Chef Boyardee canned pasta or the store brand is fine. Spaghetti sauce in preferably plastic jars or cans.

Cereal is always needed, but <u>NOT</u> the Giant Boxes please. Rice is always needed, but <u>NOT</u> in the huge bags, please.

The volunteers make up bags for the Clients. It is hard for them to separate Giant or huge size items.

The Pantry can always use:
Beans (no green beans please)
Peanut Butter, Jelly, Mac and Cheese,
Pasta, Tuna, and diapers.

When you bring your donations, please put them in the Church kitchen.

(lower church hall)

Blessed Sacrament Church is the only food pantry on the East side of Bridgeport.

With the cost of food rising so much, anything you can do will be greatly appreciated!

Thank you for all you do and have done!









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Baptism: Please call the Rectory office.
to arrange for a Baptism – 203-268-5838,
Monday thru Thursdays – 9:00am to 3:30pm.
A Pre-Baptism class is required for both
parents prior to the Baptism of their 1<sup>st</sup> child.

<u>Please take note</u>: It is a requirement for at least 1 Godparent to be able to get a sponsor certificate from the Church that they are registered in. A Sponsor Certificate is a letter/form from their church stating that they are a parishioner in good standing.

**Sponsor Certificates:** We <u>CANNOT</u> give you a *Sponsor Eligibility Certificate* unless you are a <u>registered member of the parish for at least 6 months</u> and attend Mass regularly.

Office of Safe Environments:

## DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

The Safe Environments Office is dedicated to ensuring the safety of all children in our Diocese. To report an incident of abuse or misconduct go to: (/safe-environments/incident-report-of-an-allegation-of-abuse-or-misconduct).

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