Mass Intentions for June 8th through June 16th, 2019

Sat. 5:00pm Daniel McPadden 8:00am Barbara Broderick Sun.

11:00am Grace Page – 6th Anniversary

7:30am Michael Joseph Zabada Mon. Tues. 7:30am John and Ann Lyons 7:30am Michael Andras Wed.

Thurs. 7:30am NO MASS Fri. 7:30am Roger Wollen

Sat. 5:00pm Joseph Peloso, Sr. and

Notre Dame's Weekly Collection:

offerings. In order to register:

Joseph Anthony Peloso, IV

Sun. 8:00am Joseph Packer and John Andras

Weekend Collection June 1st & 2nd - \$4,772.60

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Please consider Online Giving.

1. log on to our parish website;

3. fill out the registration form.

2. click the Online Giving logo on the homepage

It is a simple, safe way to contribute to weekly

www.notredameofeaston.com

ONLINE GIVING

11:00am All Fathers Living and Deceased

June 15th & 16th, 2019

Readers Eucharistic Ministers Altar Servers

<u>Saturday</u>

A. Fiyalka P.Martinich

Sunday

8:00am C. & M. Welch P. Altieri Grob's 11:00am K. Recine B. Marzik

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Readers – Eucharistic Ministers & Altar Servers: The new schedules have been mailed. It will be on our website as well.

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

Susan Williams **Muriel Meier Christopher Vitale Angela Doescher Frank Lyons Siobhan Smith Marian Basso** John Buckley Joan McGrath **Dennis Gallagher** Cece H. Michael Glowacki Larry Baldyga **Alice Martinich** Mildred Negri Georgia Egan **Mary Socci** Deanne Cingari Herlihy Kaia Lauro Jeanne Brideau If you would like to place someone on the prayer list,

please email churchladies@optonline.net, or call the Rectory office at 203-268-5838 during business hours.

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5:00pm A. Fiyalka

Pentecost Sunday

r/b his wife, Grace

r/b the Falcone family

r/b his wife, Florence

r/b Florence Andras

r/b Ron and Carole Smith

r/b the family

r/b Dori Wollen

r/b the family

r/b Nancy and Vinny Bassani

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

Ministry to the Homebound

Anyone who is seriously ill, having surgery, or homebound, may call the Rectory office and one of our Lay Caring Ministers will bring Holy Communion or just pay a visit. They visit parishioners in Nursing Homes as well.

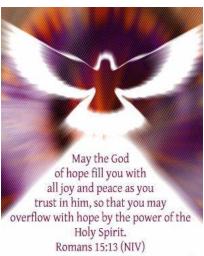
* For anointing of the sick please call the office so Father Lyons can visit.

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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 a donation to the "Notre Dame Sanctuary Fund" in memory of the deceased and include this wish in the obituary notice.





Walk Through the Bible:



Last class Tuesday, June 11th at_noon in the church hall.
All are welcome.

Light lunch and refreshments served

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St. Andrews Church
395 Anton St. Bridgeport
is holding its Annual Car
Show on Saturday, June 22
(rain date Saturday, June 29)—
10 am to 3 pm.
Open to all pre-1994 cars



and motorcycles. Classes and/or collectible cars of any year. Trophies, BBQ Cookout, Bounce Houses, a 50/50 raffle, Basket Raffle and much more. Family Fun for all. Classics arrive at 9 am, Gates open at 10 am. For more info contact Steve at: SFD1944@optonline.net or Sue at: 203.374.8118.

THE ORIGINAL ST. ANTHONY FEAST

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June 8, 2019 @ 6:00 pm – 11:00 pm St. Margaret Shrine 2523 Park Avenue - Bpt.

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WISDOM To value the things of God UNDERSTANDING To grasp faith's mysteries COUNSEL To make wise decisions FORTITUDE To strengthen your will KNOWLEDGE To enlighten your mind PIETY To love and serve God FEAR OF THE LORD To respect God's majesty

The Women of Notre Dame News!

Congratulations to
Victoria Marchetti and Jackson Hommel
on receiving the
2019 Liam Baker Memorial Scholarship
awarded by
the Women of Notre Dame
at the
Annual Spring Dinner on
Wednesday, June 5th!

God Bless you Victoria & Jackson!!

The Blessed Sacrament Food Pantry Collection will take place on the of weekend of July 6th & 7th.

For this collection they are asking for cereal, breakfast bars and peanut butter.

The Collection for Blessed Sacrament Food Pantry will continue all through the summer months—
August 3rd & 4th and September 7th & 8th.

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Our Lady of Fatima Affiliate St. Theresa Church

Are you being called to a deeper understanding of Faith and Truth? Come follow us in the footsteps of St. Dominic through prayer, study, and community and apostolate. Our Lady of Fatima, affiliate chapter at St. Theresa Church is growing! Please join us for an informal Inquiry Meeting on Thursday, July 18 at 7pm, at St. Theresa Church, 5301 Main St., Trumubll, CT in the lower Parish Center. For more information, call, text or email Michelle Rowe: oarapronobis20@gmail.com – 203-218-6882 or Michael Miller:

Michaelmiller910@hotmail.com - 203-529-7655

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<u>Baptism</u>: The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on Sundays at 12 noon. A Pre-Baptism class is required for both parents prior in the Baptism of their 1st child. Register by calling the Parish Office: 203-268-5838.

<u>Marriage</u> – Weddings are generally celebrated on Friday evening or Saturday afternoon. They must be scheduled at least 1 year in advance.

Please do not make final arrangements for your reception prior to contacting the Parish Office.

# **Religious Education**

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 10am-4pm
Other times by appointment: (203)261-5596
<a href="mailto:ndore@optonline.net">ndore@optonline.net</a>

### 2019-2020 REGISTRATION:

Registration forms for the 2019-2020 Religious Education classes were mailed on May 15th to all families currently registered in the Religious Ed Program for 2018-2019. If you have not received forms for your children, or if your child will be new to the program, blank registration forms are available in the Church vestibule.

### PREPARATION FOR SACRAMENTS

The Parish requirement to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion is two years of in-class preparation, beginning in first grade.
The Sacrament of First Reconciliation is celebrated in the 2nd grade. The Sacrament of First Holy Communion will be celebrated in the 3rd grade. The Parish requirement for receipt of First Reconciliation is completion of first and second grade Religious Education.

The Parish requirements for the receipt of First Holy Communion are receipt of First Reconciliation and completion of second and third grade Religious Education.

The Sacrament of Confirmation is celebrated in 9th grade. The Parish requirement is completion of 7th and 8th grade Religious Education in class.
Home schooling is not available

HOME-SCHOOLED STUDENTS
Completed home school materials were due April 30, 2019.

# Notre Dame High School Fairfield Lancer Open in Memory of Bob Shea

Notre Dame High School Fairfield's 19th Annual Lancer Open in Memory of Bob Shea golf tournament will take place on Monday, June 17 at the Great River Golf Club in Milford. For registration or sponsorship information, please log on

to <u>notredame.ejoinme.org/2019LANCEROPEN</u> or contact <u>tmarzik@notredame.org</u>.

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<u>Parish Registration:</u> We welcome you to Notre Dame Parish. Please stop by or call the Rectory office (203 268-5838) to <u>officially register with the parish</u>. Our hours are 9am to 3:30pm – Monday thru Friday.

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Sponsor Certificates: We cannot give you a sponsor certificate unless you are a registered member of the parish for at least 6 months and attend Mass regularly. If Father does not know you personally or by sight, the only other way of knowing you are a practicing Catholic is by tracking your contributions by check or envelope.

Pentecost Sunday

June 9, 2019

"In the same way, the Spirit too comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes



with inexpressible groaning. And the one who searches hearts knows what is the intention of the Spirit, because he intercedes for the holy ones according to God's will."

The promised Spirit has come and gives life to the church. Pentecost was not just an event or experience, but the beginning of a movement which continues to this very moment. The visible of wind, fire and noise may have subsided but the event becomes our experience.

The movement which began in the upper room, spread to the streets of Jerusalem, and moves us today. Our church, enlivened and motivated by the same Spirit, summons us to go out and transform a world seemingly distant from the gospel and its values. The Spirit, living in us, yearns to touch the lives of others. Because of the Holy Spirit we too have been changed, let the Spirit move you, or as Paul says 'don't stifle the Spirit.' We are accountable.



GLORY BEES

Island A Three Garden Tour and a Farm-to-Table Dinner







Thursday, June 20, 2019, 3-8 pm

"How sweet are your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth" - Psalm 119:103

Since they were gifted to the Edmundites in 1954, the gardens of Alys Enders have been preserved and cultivated for the enjoyment of generations both near and far. This natural beauty, surrounded by the grandeur of the Atlantic Ocean, has helped countless men and women have an encounter with God, that divine artist whose creativity and generosity gave us the beauty of every flower.

This year, we invite you on a tour of three local gardens where we will have the chance to experience the variety and splendor of our Creator. The afternoon begins at Stone Acres Farm where we will tour the grounds of the historic farm. From there, we will visit the home garden of Master Gardener Noreen Kepple. The afternoon will conclude in the gardens of Enders Island with a farm to table dinner—featuring items grown right here on Enders Island. Noreen Kepple will give a presentation on the importance of the pollinators who work round the clock to keep the gardens in bloom.

About 224 North Main Street

Come visit a quiet oasis and observe what a small garden can demonstrate. The gardens at 224 North Main Street exhibit raised vegetable beds, perennials, natives and herbs. The gardens provide a home for birds, beneficial insects and pollinators. There are touches of whimsy throughout with many container gardens as well. Peaceful and pesticide free manifesting best practices in gardening. You may even see "Manny" the resident chipmunk making his rounds!





About Stone Acres Farm

Dating back to 1765, Stone Acres Farm is an iconic property and former dairy farm located in coastal Stonington, Connecticut. The farm originally consisted of approximately 225 acres and has been in continual operation since before the Revolutionary War. During most of the 19th century, Stone Acres Farm provided produce to the landowners and the community during the thriving steamship and railroad trade in Stonington.

In addition to its orchards, vegetable gardens, chicken coops, and the dairy farm. Stone Acres Farm has in addition to its orchards, vegetable gardens, chicken coops, and the dairy farm, Stone Acres Farm has beautiful ornamental gardens dating back to the early 19th century. Many of the plants estill standing today, including the quarter mile of boxwood bushes that frame the formal garden. The gazebo, fish pond, and rose arbors located in the formal garden were first placed there in the late 1800s. The property is currently home to over forty varieties of daffodis and hundreds of varieties of plants, flowers and trees many of which were gifts from the Brooklyn Botanic Garden in New York.