

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH
1719 Post Road Fairfield CT 06824

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St. Thomas Prayer Line: email staprayerline@att.net

New Parishioners

Welcome to our Parish Community! Please register at the parish office and feel free to contact anyone on our staff regarding the Parish and its activities.

First Friday Masses

7 :00 am
8:15 am (School Mass)
12:10 pm

Sanctuary /Blessed Mother Candles

May be memorialized for a sick person, a deceased loved one, or in celebration of a special intention. Please call the parish office to reserve a date.

Parish Center Rentals

Contact The Parish Office

Rev. Victor T. Martin
Pastor

Rev. Lawrence A. Larson
Parochial Vicar

Rev. Roger F. McDonough
Retired-Resident Priest

Deacon Daniel J. Ianniello
Retired-Parish Deacon

Mary Jane Edwards
Pastoral Associate

Catherine T. Lopata
Office Admin./Cemetery Mgr.

Gerrie Desio
Office Receptionist

The
Season
of
Lent



Baptisms and Marriages

By arrangement with Parish Office.

Pre Baptismal Instruction

Required prior to Baptism.

Pre-Cana

Required prior to Marriage. Arrangements should be made at least 8 months in advance.

Communion Visit for the Homebound

Please call the parish office to request a visit

Jacqueline Herbert
Dir. of Religious Ed

David E. Harris
Organist/Music Director

Dr. Patrick Higgins
School Principal

Jessica Nayden
Youth Minister

Robert and Jessica Nayden
RCIA Coordinator

Jean Correa
Parish Accountant
203-255-1097

Mr. Richard Miller
Parish Advisory Bd. Chair
203-259-0824

Mr. Edward Dayton
Parish Finance Bd. Chair
203-255-5141

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Saturday

Vigil Mass 5:00 pm

Sunday

7:00 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12 Noon
and 5:00 pm

Weekday Masses

7:00 a.m. and 12:10 Noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 to 4:45 pm

Mission Statement:

For St. Thomas Aquinas Parish, prayer and liturgical worship is the essence of our faith community. The Gospel message is proclaimed by word and deed, nurtured by ongoing opportunities for religious formation, evangelization, social action and worship.

MASSES FOR March 7 to March 15

Sat.	5:00 pm	Joseph Campofiore Sr.
Sun.	7:00 am	Michael Lagarelli
	9:00 am	Goodwin, Morrissey and Curran Families
	10:30 am	Frank Ahlers
	12:00 Noon	John Golger (12th)
	5:00 pm	Margaret Carroll
Mon.	7:00 am	For Our Parish Family
	12:10 pm	Rebecca Scalera
Tues.	7:00 am	Elizabeth D'Agostino
	12:10 pm	Thomas Clark
Wed.	7:00 am	Edna Miller
	12:10 pm	Susan Schuller
Thurs.	7:00 am	Edna Miller
	12:10 pm	Edna Waters (47th)
Fri.	7:00 am	Trudy Lambert (14th)
	12:10 pm	Anne P Richard
	3:00 pm	Stations of the Cross
Sat.	5:00 pm	Anne Fenton
Sun.	7:00 am	Catherine Wylie
	9:00 am	Daniel and Ellen O'Shea
	10:30 am	Anne Leeber McCaffrey
	12:00 Noon	Sally Gore
	5:00 pm	Sr. Catherine Leonard CND

55+ CLUB for Seniors
Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday: March 10th following the 12:10 Mass in the Parish Center Conference Room.

Lenten Luncheon
with
Lenten Reflection
by
Ms. Eleanor W. Sauers Ph.D
Parish Life Coordinator
St. Anthony's Church

Please
RSVP To Parish Office 203-255-1097

PARISH SUPPORT

1st Sunday of Lent:	\$ 9,483.52
Loaves and Fishes:	\$ 1,742.00
February Capital Fund:	\$ 1,161.00
Electronic Giving:	\$ 1,402.00
TOTAL:	\$10,885.52



NEWLY BAPTIZED
Our parish Family
welcomes
those who were
recently baptized

Amelia Rose Como
Carmine Robert Celentano

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK



THE BLESSED MOTHER ALTAR CANDLE IS LIGHTED THIS WEEK FOR

Kenneth M. Eckert



OUR ST. JOSEPH ALTAR CANDLE IS LIGHTED FOR

All those Unemployed
(Praying for job opportunities)



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays during Lent
3:00 p.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS
ST. THOMAS
ANNUAL FISH FRY
Friday March 20th

**4:30 – 7:00 p.m. Dine in at the
Parish Center Gymnasium**

or

*Take out (Drop in or call ahead) (No take out
orders accepted after 6:00 p.m.)*

Cash Only!

Menu

Adult Dinners: \$15

Baked or Fried Cod, with choice of two sides:

*French Fries, Cole Slaw, Macaroni and Cheese, or
Clam Chowder*

plus one dessert and a beverage.

Children's Dinner: \$8

*Macaroni and Cheese with a roll, plus one dessert and a
beverage.*

New England Clam Chowder

Cup \$5/Pint \$8/Quart \$15

Beverages included with Dinner:

Water, Soda and Coffee

**Take Out Phone Number:
203-255-1097 (Parish Office)**

*Orders will be accepted on the day of the dinner from 12 noon
until 6:00 p.m.*

All take out orders must be picked up by 6:30 p.m.

Questions? Please contact Parish Office at 203-255-1097 or by
email at stthoaq@aol.com

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR

**Gerry Cohane Amelia Mikulka
Nancy Roche James McInerney
Edward Malloy Charlie Capalbo
Mary Toth Delores Weis
Maria Ines Galindo Anna Tapia
Amanda Morguelan Laura Terranova
Carl Collica Annette Ham Raymond
Smith Susan Hasiuk Walter Murphy
Ryan Keith Tom Lopex Liam Crane
Margaret Novicki Jane Harwood
James Rooney Zosia Bartusiak
Maureen Ford James S. Filippone
Romano DeCastro John Lengen
Jill McCormack Daly Maureen Ford
Brendan Maguire Jane Broderick
Joseph Mitchell Molloy
Veronica Hughes Noreen Hernandez
Sharon Mulcahy Maureen Broderick
Sister Monica Leonard CND**

2020 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Our Parish Goal

\$ 175,500

**Please pray for the success
of our goal!**

**Mass Cancellation
Due to Snow**

**If Fairfield Schools are Closed or Delayed
due to inclement weather our 7:00 am Mass is
automatically cancelled.**

**This is to provide for the safety of
EVERYONE!**





**Knights of Columbus
Council 2616**

**The Knights meets every first
Tuesday of the month at 7:30pm.**

**The Columbiettes meet on the 4th
Monday of every month at 7:30pm.**

**Men and women 18 years of age are
invited to join.**



**The Ladies Guild invites
parishioner's and friends to our
annual 'Lenten Reflection' on Tuesday
March 24th, at 6 pm in the
Parish Center.**

**Fr. Michael Dogali is our guest
speaker. Refreshments will be served.
Questions please contact Bernadette
at 203-254-7569. All are Welcome**



LAURALTON HALL

**Will host Discover Lauralton
Sunday, March 29 from 1:00-3:30pm**

**For 5th, 6th & 7th grade girls and their
parents. Visit
www.lauraltonhall.org/discover to
register by March 25th. Or call
[\(203\) 877-2786 ext. 115.](tel:2038772786)**



February News

March News

Thur. Mar. 19th: 2nd Grade Banner Day

April News

**Sat. Apr 4th: First Reconciliation 11:00am
(All Groups)**

**Mon-Thurs. Apr. 6th-8th: Grades 1-7
Last Week of Classes**

**Questions please contact Jackie at
203-255-1984 or Stthoaqccd@aol.com**

**When Fairfield Schools are closed or an
Early Dismissal
CCD classes are automatically canceled.
For information on weather related
cancellations
TV Channel 3, Channel 8, or Channel 12
and ctweather.com**



**All teens in grades 9-12 are invited to be
part of Fairfield Life Teen, Sunday evenings
from 6-8pm. !**

March Life Teen News

**Sunday, March 15
Life Night from 6-8pm at St Pius X**

**Sunday, March 22
Life Night from 6-8pm at St Thomas Aquinas**

**Sunday, March 29
Life Night from 6-8pm at St Pius X
Questions? ffldlifeteen@gmail.com**

**Middle school students are invited to join
Fairfield Edge, a dynamic and fun ministry,
which meets each Wednesday from 6:30-8pm
at St. Pius**

March Edge News

**Wednesday, March 11
Edge from 6:30-8pm at St Pius X**

**Wednesday, March 18
Edge from 6:30-8pm at St Pius X**