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**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

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).

**Financial Report: Sunday Offertory**

(for the last four weekends)

|                                            |          |
|--------------------------------------------|----------|
| <b>November 25 &amp; November 26</b> ..... | \$8,474  |
| <b>December 2 &amp; December 3</b> .....   | \$28,300 |
| <b>December 9 &amp; December 10</b> .....  | \$15,747 |
| <b>December 16 &amp; December 17</b> ..... | \$13,153 |

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

**Take the Simple Way to Support your Parish!**

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**Mass Intentions and Celebrant Schedule\***

**Saturday, January 20**

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions

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

5:00 PM **Intention:** Jean Moroney

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel Bernal

**Sunday, January 21**

7:30 AM **Intention:** Grace Castronovo

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel Bernal

9:00 AM **Intention:** Sean Lynch

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

10:30 AM **Intention:** Paul A. Linton

**Celebrant:** Fr. Michael Boccaccio

11:00 AM – Italian Mass

**Intention:** Gennaro Vitiello

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

5:00 PM **Intention:** Fred Whelan

**Celebrant:** Fr. Paul Sankar

6:30 PM **Intention:** Vicente Nieves (living)

**Celebrant:** Fr. Jorge Obregon

**Monday, January 22**

7:00 AM **Intention:** Vico Saenz de Tejada

5:15 PM **Intention:** Eileen Killeen

**Tuesday, January 23**

7:00 AM **Intention:** Robert W. Horan, Sr.

5:15 PM **Intention:** Christine Currivan

**Thursday, January 25**

7:00 AM **Intentions:** James B. Cavanagh  
Thomas Cavanagh

5:15 PM **Intention:** Joseph Badali

**Friday, January 26**

7:00 AM **Intentions:** Carl and Fred Van Aken

5:15 PM **Intention:** Maria Lopez (living)

**Saturday, January 27**

3:00-4:00 PM Confessions

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel Bernal

5:00 PM **Intention:** Joseph Carriero

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

**Sunday, January 28**

7:30 AM **Intention:** Gloria E. Ignazio

**Celebrant:** Msgr. Larry Bronkiewicz

9:00 AM **Intention:** Mary Downs

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel Bernal

10:30 AM **Intentions:** Ramon and Juan Sanchez

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

5:00 PM **Intentions:** Carl and Fred Van Aken

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

6:30 PM **Intention:** Leticia Bravo

**Celebrant:** Fr. Miguel Bernal

**\*Schedule subject to change**

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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



|                         |                          |                  |                 |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Wilmar Acevedo          | Joan Bartilucci          | Claudia Bouchard | Stephen Cheung  |
| Loretta DiMaio          | Scion Estrella           | Frances Funke    | John Hickey     |
| Olga Iacobazzo          | Sandra Judge             | Gwen Loughlin    | Lorraine Mallen |
| Faustino Garcia Morales | Joan J. Murphy           | Leslie Nash      |                 |
| Mayra Nieves            | Deacon Eduardo Rodrigues | Austin Shanley   |                 |
| Barbara Weltz           | Vinnie Yax               | Josephine Yuen   |                 |

*Please also pray for the deceased members of our parish.*



### Collection for the Church in Latin America

Next weekend, we take up the *Collection for the Church in Latin America!* Many people in Latin America and the Caribbean do not have access to church programs and ministries because of a rising secular culture, rugged rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers.

Your generosity enables our brothers and sisters in Latin America and the Caribbean to share in the life of the Church and grow closer to Christ.

Please be generous in the special collection!

To learn more, please visit: [www.usccb.org/latin-america](http://www.usccb.org/latin-america)

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

**Callum Read Glennan  
Connor Joseph Pessy  
Aoife Antonia Sheflott**

**&**

**Kellen James Lombardo**

*Baptized into God's family on*

**January 13 & 14, 2024**



### Pray 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*)



### In Music News. . .

We are excited to welcome Alexander Dmitriev as our *Composer in Residence* for 2024. In this capacity, Dr. Dmitriev will be commissioned to write music for special liturgies during the year, while our Traditional choir will be performing many of his already published works. Dr. Dmitriev is a renowned composer whose works are published by Oxford, UK. His compositions are regularly performed at festivals and concerts all over the world. He is a recipient of many honors and awards, most notably the First Prize at the *Socrasong International Choir Festival* in Krakow, Poland for his work for male choir *Dies Irae*. His works have been released by such labels as VDE-GALLO in Switzerland and Olympia in the UK. Anne Mignette of *New York Times* wrote: "one of the evening's best pieces: Alexander Dmitriev's 'Two Songs on Poems of Joseph Brodsky,' a simple and lovely setting that echoed the rhymes of speech and breathed music into the words of two fine poems."



A native of Luhansk, Ukraine, Dmitriev received his Masters and doctoral degrees in composition from Moscow Tchaikovsky Conservatory. Prior to immigrating to the US in 1993, Dr. Dmitriev was a professor at *Minsk University of Culture and Belarussian Academy of Music*. In the U.S., he continued teaching at the *St. Tikhon's Theological Seminary* in Pennsylvania. He is *Organist* and *Choral Director* of the historic *St. Joseph of Arimathea Episcopal Church* in White Plains NY.

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**Thursdays**

from **10:00 -11:30 AM**

**January 25 - March 28**

(off February 15 & March 14)

More info at

<https://stc-sta.org/walking-with-purpose>

**Questions?**

Contact

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## More on FAITH FORMATION

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Barbara Glynn and Barbara Linton have chosen a book for our next Bible Study:

*The Miracles: Understanding What Jesus Did*  
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Open to all interested adults in the parish. Please order your own copy of the book in the format of your preference. It is available on *Amazon* for about \$16.99. Then email [psloane22@gmail.com](mailto:psloane22@gmail.com) that you plan to participate.

Participants will need to read the *Introduction and Pages 9-22*, before the first session on February 14. Sessions will be in-person from **9:45-11:30 AM on Wednesday mornings** in the Lucey Parish Hall (to be confirmed) and will continue for about 8 weeks.

### Children Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)

Children's Liturgy of the Word will be 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 to go with committee members to the Lucey Parish Hall. Children will return to their parents after the Prayer of the Faithful.

Children's Liturgy  
of the **Word**

# PARISH RENOVATION UPDATE



## Renovation Update

January 15, 2024

The start of the much-anticipated St. Catherine of Siena renovation project is underway, as eighteen pews have been removed and stored and plastic tarp is now covering parts of the choir loft and side altars. After the renovation is complete, six pews will be reinstalled. A new ramp will be installed soon and will be connected to a new doorway on the rectory side of the church.

*The Renovation Committee* will share periodic status reports in order to keep the parish informed of current and future plans. Updates can be found in both the weekly bulletin and on the Parish website. You can also find renderings of the renovation plans posted along the temporary walkway into the church.

*Phase One*, the interior renovations, is expected to be completed in April 2024. *Phase Two*, the exterior plaza, is set to begin in March, and be completed by the end of June 2024. The dates are subject to change.

While this work is underway, we ask that you please observe the following:

- With the main entrance of the church sectioned off, we ask that you enter and exit using one of the three following access points:
  - The temporary ramp and entrance erected on the rectory side of the church;
  - The entrance via the Lucey Parish Hall; and,
  - The entrance on the Post Road side of the church.
- Donations for Neighbor-to-Neighbor can be dropped-off at the Lucey Parish Hall entrance near the stairs next to the rectory.
- Restroom facilities are available on the mezzanine level and in the Lucey Parish Hall.

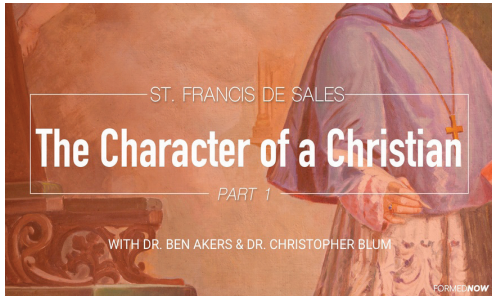
The generosity of our parishioners, the volunteers and talented team of contractors supporting this initiative, have all reaffirmed our vision and we are excited to see this project unfold.

Please reach out to our Father Bill Platt or the church leadership if you have any questions.

Eileen Grasso, *Chair*  
*The Renovation Committee*

# THIS WEEK ON **FORMED**

## Week of January 21, 2024



### Saint Francis de Sales and the Character of a Christian: Devotion (Part 1 of 4)

In this four-part series, Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Christopher O. Blum sit down to discuss St. Francis de Sales, his best known work "The Introduction to the Devout Life", and the character of a Christian.



### The Conversion of Saint Paul

Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Dr. James Prothro, Assistant Professor of Sacred Scripture at the Augustine Institute Graduate School, to discuss the conversion of one of the largest figures in Christianity, Saint Paul.



### The Hour of Our Death | Eternal Rest | Episode 3

The Anointing of the Sick is one of the seven sacraments of the Church. This session, we discover the role of this sacramental anointing in the spiritual struggle during serious illness, the final stages of our temporal life, and the hour of our death.

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