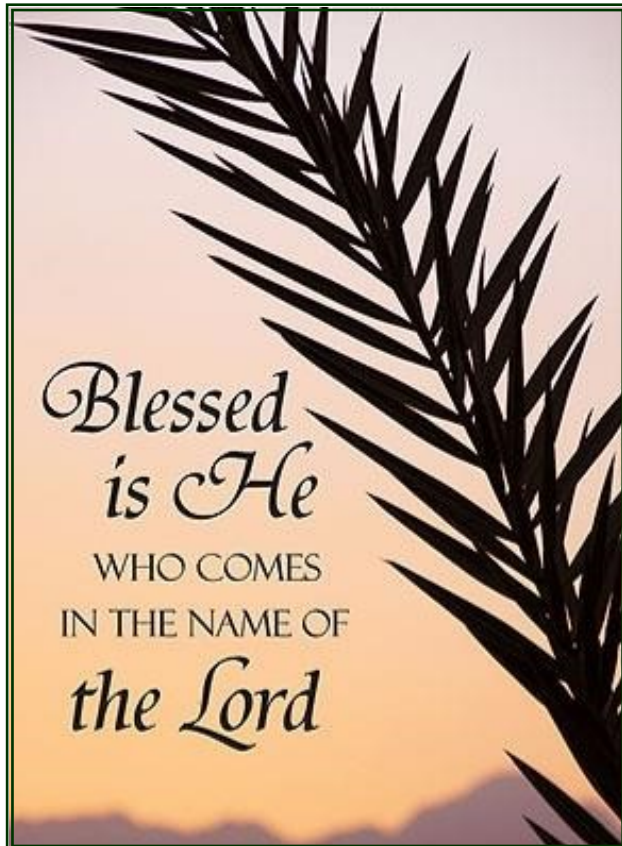




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*Palm Sunday
of the Passion of the Lord:
March 28, 2021*

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

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

SACRAMENTAL SCHEDULE

Our updated Mass Schedule, Attendance Guidelines / Directions and *SignUpGenius* link are posted on the **Home Page** of our website at: www.STC-STA.org

Please note: *Per guidelines from Bishop Caggiano, everyone must sign up to attend weekend Masses in person.*

VIEW THE LIVESTREAM HERE: <https://events.locallive.tv/worship/stc-sta>

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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.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

(Individual only)

Please call the Rectory to arrange for a Baptism and a Pre-Baptism Session for parents.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the Rectory 9-12 months before proposed wedding date to arrange for marriage preparation.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions will take place on the 1st Saturday of every month at St. Agnes Church or by appointment.

Please access **Daily Readings** at this web link:

<http://usccb.org/bible/readings/>

Mass Intentions and Celebrant Schedule

Palm Sunday, March 28

7:30 AM **Intention:** Albert Greco in thanksgiving to the Blessed Mother

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

8:30 AM **Intention:** Frank Masny

Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson

10:30 AM **Intentions:** Gilda Primante

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

11:00 AM **Intention:** All Parishioners

Celebrant: Fr. Gilbert D'Souza
(Spanish Mass)

5:00 PM **Intention:** Josephine and Albert Carusso

Celebrant: Fr. Michael Boccaccio

Monday, March 29

7:00 AM **Intention:** All Parishioners

Tuesday, March 30

7:00 AM **Intentions:** Theresa Bologna

Holy Thursday, April 1

7:30 PM **Intention:** Mass of the Lord's Supper

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

Good Friday, April 2

3:00 PM **Intention:** Service of the Lord's Passion and Death

Celebrant: Fr. Michael Boccaccio

Holy Saturday, April 3

7:30 PM **Intention:** Easter Vigil

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

Easter Sunday, April 4

7:30 AM **Intention:** Barbara Joan Asher

Celebrant: Fr. Paul Sankar

8:30 AM **Intention:** All Parishioners

Celebrant: Fr. Christopher Johnson

10:30 AM **Intentions:** The Greco Family

Celebrant: Fr. William F. Platt

11:00 AM **Intention:** Pierce Butler

Celebrant: Msgr. Alan f. Detscher

Financial Report: Sunday Offertory

(for the last four weekends)

February 27 & 28 SC & SA\$15,284*

March 6 & 7 SC & SA\$19,956*

March 13 & 14 SC & SA\$7,252*

March 20 & 21 SC & SA\$8,792*

*Offertory includes **Monthly, Annual (AEG)** and **Online Giving (OLG)**

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

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



Worship Schedule Reminders

Vigil Mass of Palm Sunday

March 27, 5:00 PM: St. Catherine Church and
Livestreamed into Lucey Parish Hall

Palm Sunday Mass

March 28 7:30 AM: St. Catherine Church and *Livestreamed* into Lucey Parish Hall
8:30 AM: St. Agnes Church
10:30 AM: St. Catherine Church and *Livestreamed* into Lucey Parish Hall
5:00 PM: St. Catherine Church and *Livestreamed* into Lucey Parish Hall

Teen-led Stations of Cross

March 28, 7:30 PM: St. Catherine Church

Prepared for sixth grade through high school age students, but younger students/adults are invited to attend.

Reconciliation

March 29, 3:00-9:00 PM (new date, time and place): St. Catherine Church

Holy Thursday: Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper

April 1, 7:30 PM: St. Catherine Church

Good Friday

April 2

Service of the Lord's Passion

3:00 PM: St. Catherine Church

Stations of the Cross

7:00 PM: St. Catherine Church

Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil Mass

April 3, 7:30 PM: St. Catherine Church

Easter Sunday Mass

April 4

7:30 AM: St. Catherine Church and *Livestreamed* into Lucey Parish Hall

8:30 AM: St. Agnes Church

10:30 AM: St. Catherine Church and *Livestreamed* into Lucey Parish Hall

11:00 AM: St. Agnes

Please note: We have recently increased the number of parishioners allowed to attend events in-person on our parish campuses. Check [HERE](https://tinyurl.com/AttendMass) (<https://tinyurl.com/AttendMass>) to sign-up for in-person attendance.

VIEW THE LIVESTREAM for all events HERE: <https://events.locallive.tv/worship/stc-sta>

Holiday Schedule: April 5

In observance of the holiday, our Parish Offices will be closed on **Easter Monday, April 5.**

Our regularly scheduled **Mass will be held at 7:00 AM**, which will be open for ***In-Person attendance*** and ***Livestreamed*** from St. Catherine's Church.

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

Robert Adovasio	Isabel Ballesteros	Rose Florita	
Olga Iacobazzo	Lina Iacono	Mark J. Marino	
Shirley Marzullo	Matt Massulli	Lucy Mendenhall	Joe Roe
Catherine Spezzano	Barbara Weltz		

Please also pray for the deceased members of our parish, especially for

Deacon Vincent Heidenreich (3-22-21)	Maurice Murphy
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FAITH FORMATION for YOUTH and ADULTS

Youth Faith Formation

CALENDAR		
Month of March	Living Our Faith: To shelter the homeless	Raise funds and donate to <i>Inspira</i> who is trying to break the cycle of homelessness by helping achieve permanent housing and stability in peoples lives. If interested, please email Kelly Myers.
Month of March	National Read Across America Day	Read scripture from the Bible. If interested, please email Kelly Myers.
Saturday, 3/6/21	Sacrament of First Reconciliation	St. Catherine from 12pm - 2pm or St. Agnes from 2pm - 4pm
Week of 3/21/21	ZOOM CLASSES	
Sunday, 3/28/21	Stations of the Cross	Students will lead prayer service. Livestreamed at 7:30pm. Invite to follow.



Lenten Resources

The Diocese of Bridgeport

- * They created an amazing poster titled, *40 Ways to Encounter Christ This Lent*
English: <https://formationreimagined.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/Lenten-calendar-2021.pdf>
Spanish: <https://formationreimagined.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/Lenten-calendar-2021-SP.pdf>
- * Do you want to understand how other cultures celebrate Holy Week? Or what the Holy Week symbols represent? Do you want to know why Christians fast? Or where Jesus walked?
Click on this link to find other useful resources: <https://formationreimagined.org/lenten-resources/>

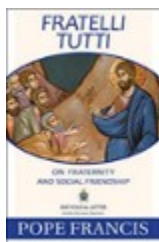
Catholic Brain (<https://www.catholicbrain.com/login>)

Fr. John is back! Please follow the below directions to create a new account.

- Step 1: Click on 'Student'. It is the 4th tab on the top of the screen.
- Step 2: Enter your child's name and your email account. You only need to register 1 child.
- Step 3: Create a user-name and password.
- Step 4: Enter STC76605 for the 'School Code'.
- Step 5: Pick your child's grade and enter 'St Catherine and St Agnes' as Parish name.



Adult Faith Formation



Fratelli Tutti – Third Encyclical - by Pope Francis

In this encyclical, the pope reflects on human solidarity and friendship. He addresses women and men as his sisters and brothers and calls us to consider what our familial connection calls us to.

Our next meeting will be on **March 29h at 7:00 PM** via Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88692914895>.

Please email Lori Wilson at Lori.Wilson@stc-sta.org to confirm your attendance.

Spiritual Direction

Enter holy ground...if you have a desire to deepen your faith and get in touch with your God Moments, moments when you know for sure that God is present, Spiritual Direction might be the answer. It is for anyone who is seeking a deeper connection with God. You and the director look at God's movement and presence in your life.

Please email Lori Wilson if you are interested at Lori.Wilson@stc-sta.org.



COMMUNITY NEWS



St. Catherine's Support Circle

An SCSC Presentation Via Zoom

Managing Key Challenges for Job Seekers Over 50 Thursday, April 8, 2021 at 7:00 PM

Job seekers over age 50 face particularly difficult challenges. On April 8, we'll feature an informative discussion about ways to overcome these challenges. Our SCSC *Chairman*, Bob Sloane will lead an interactive session, sharing his perspectives about reasons for the over 50 age bias, how to overcome this bias, how to make your age an asset, and the best ways to shorten your search. If you are currently over 50, or approaching that threshold, join us to gain some helpful job seeking insights.

[Click here \(www.stc-sta.org/community-life/st-catherine-s-support-circle\)](http://www.stc-sta.org/community-life/st-catherine-s-support-circle) for details on what you'll learn from this session and RSVP information.

RSVP is required to Meeting Chair, Lesley Friday at Lesley.dopp@gmail.com.

The Social Justice Committee's Save the Dates



April 10 – 11: **Inspirica**—New Bedding and Cleaning Supplies Collection

- Sheets all sizes, pillows and comforters
- All purpose cleaners, Sanitary wipes (such as Clorox Wipes) Windex
- *Amazon Wish List*:

https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/l/7U8ASQZ6N01K/ref=smi_ext_Ink_lcl_cl

- Leave all items on the stairs in the vestibule at St. Catherine's and in St. Agnes vestibule

April 20: **Books Behind Bars**—Paperback Book Drive—9:00 AM -12:00 PM

April 27: Rain date for **Books Behind Bars**

May 8 – 9: **The Undies Project**—New Underwear Collection

Food & Essentials Drive for Neighbor to Neighbor Continues

The Social Justice Committee
of St. Catherine of Siena and St. Agnes
continues the Food & Essentials drive for
Neighbor to Neighbor
every Tuesday from 9:00 - 11:00 AM
as long as weather permits.
The need is not going away.

Visit www.stc-sta.org/community-news
for details on drop-off and items needed.

Please note:

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 100 Riverside Ave,
also collects these items for *Neighbor to Neighbor*
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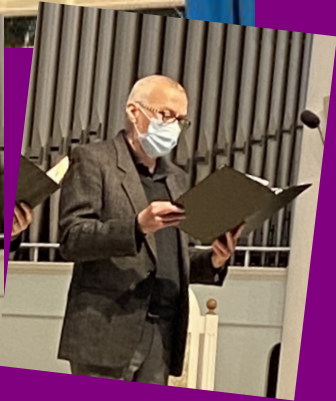
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