



Saint Martin of Tours Parish

January 3rd ~ January 11th
The Solemnity of The Epiphany of The Lord

SATURDAY, January 3rd

CANAAN 8:00 am
CANAAN 2:30-3:30 pm
CANAAN 4:00 pm

In Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary
Confessions
For Our Missionaries

SUNDAY, January 4th

LAKEVILLE 9:00 am
NORFOLK 11:00 am

For God's Blessings for the New Year
Sandra Plante † ~ The Catholic Women's Club

WEDNESDAY, January 7th

CANAAN 4:00 pm

A Special Intention ~ Carmela & Dave Barger

THURSDAY, January 8th

NORFOLK 8:00 am

Russell O'Connor, Jr. ~ Margo

FRIDAY, January 9th

LAKEVILLE 8:00 am

For the Deceased Members of Our Parish

SATURDAY, January 10th

CANAAN 2:30-3:30 pm
CANAAN 4:00 pm

Confessions
For the Sick and Homebound of Our Parish

SUNDAY, January 11th

LAKEVILLE 9:00 am
NORFOLK 11:00 am

For Vocations to the Priesthood
Ron McNamee † ~ Marybeth



Please pray for the health and wholeness in body, mind, and soul of: Catie Aakjar, Gary Allard, Ron Arambasick, Barbara Lynn, Ruth B., Lana Barges, David Barrett, Orson Benedict, Patricia Boyce, Daniele Braham, Ginger Brayer, Maureen Broderick, Deirdre Broderick, James & Jennifer Buck, Melanie C., Benny Camardi, Betsy Case, George Catrambone, Suzanne Christofferson, Ellen Ciccarelli, Rachel Clasemann, Benny Camardi, Mary Corbo, Richard Cousins, Helen Curtiss, Kelsey Cyr, N.D., Ginny Dawson, Lorraine Dubay, Eugene Dube, Laura Fabula, Todd Faedi, Dennis Hannafin, K.M.G., Darlene Gerace, Jane Gillmor, Rita Gingras, Raphael Gonzalez, Debbie Griffin, Mary Justin Hornish, Bob & Dee La Bonne, Denise Littlefield, Stephen M., Betty Maddock, M. S., Bruce McElory, Arielle McLaughlin, Allyson Martin, Deb Martin, George Martin, Joe Merola, Meyer Family, Peg Michaud, Jennifer Michalak, Beverly Michaelowski, Peter Mieras, Kristie Miller, Joseph N., Kay Naderite, Linda Neary, Cindy Newell, James Nivolo, Leah Newton, Margo O'Connor, John O'Hara, John O'Neil, Dixie Palmer, Carmen Parisi, Holly Peppe, Colton Poley, Denise Rice, George Rivera, Jr., Irene Redford, C.A.R., Jonathan Routhier Jr., Sally S., Marie Sanford, Rosa M. Santos, James Seitz, Mireille Smith, Spencer Robert Smith, Brian Stanley, Sophia Sterling, Carol Sterling, Carol Stevens, Kylan Stewart, Alyssa Stone, Eileen Sullivan, Adam Tedesco, A. L. Torres, Anita Turner, Linda Valenti, Doris VanDeusen, Tad W., Fr. Josh Wilbur, Drew Wilkinson, Brooks William, Michele Markey Witowski, Heidi Whitney, and Petey Zinke



at St. Joseph's Church on Wednesdays from 5:00pm-6:00pm with the recitation of the Rosary before our 6:00pm Mass.



Jesus, Name full of glory, grace, love, and strength! You are the refuge of those who repent, our banner of warfare in this life, the medicine of souls, the comfort of those who mourn, the delight of those who believe, the light of those who preach the true faith, the wages of those who toil, the healing of the sick. To You our devotion aspires; by You our prayers are received; we delight in contemplating You. O Name of Jesus, You are the glory of all the saints for eternity. Amen

St. Bernardine of Siena

MASS READINGS FOR The Baptism of the Lord January 11, 2026	
First Reading	Isaiah 42:1-4,6-7
Responsorial	Psalm 29
Second Reading	Acts 10:34-38
Gospel	Matthew 3:13-17

You may now request Masses for the year of 2026! Consider intentions for Healing, Thanksgiving, Repose of the Soul, or a Special Intention. Give the Gift that will be not be returned, and appreciated!

MEETING SCHEDULE	
Daughters of Isabella	No Meetings Until April
Knights of Columbus	January 6 th
Meeting	6:00pm ~ Bittermann
Catholic Men's Club	February 8 th
Meeting	9:30am ~ Klauer Hall
Catholic Women's Club	February 8 th
Meeting	9:30am ~ Klauer Hall

Being Good Stewards
We are grateful to the many parishioners who continue to support the parish week after week.

Though you may attend Mass at another church, or even in another state, please remember that Saint Martin of Tours still relies on your support!

You can mail or drop off your envelopes, or give on-line at:

<https://www.osvhub.com/stmartinofoursct/giving/funds>

Needed	\$8690.00
Weekly & 2nd	\$8926.00

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Scan the QR Code to make your gift online.



Second Collection	
January 11, 2026	Snow Removal

Sacred Heart Auto League~ Prayer for Travelers
 God our Father, you led Abraham and Sarah from their travels. You guided them safely to the destination you had chosen for them. Be with us now as we travel and guard us every mile of our journey. Help us to be attentive, cautious and concerned about our fellow travelers. Make our highways, skies and seas safe and keep us from all danger. Sacred Heart of Jesus, guide us to our destination and help us to travel prayerfully and carefully. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us. Amen.

The Sanctuary Candle that burns in every Catholic Church signifies the Eucharistic presence of our Lord Jesus in the Tabernacle and burns for seven days. If you wish to reserve a week or schedule a Mass in any of our churches, in memory of a Loved One or Special Intention please call our office.



BINGO will resume on January 9th at the Bittermann Center

Doors open at 5:15pm!

Many thanks to everyone for their thoughtfulness, generosity, and time during this Christmas Season to help make our Christmas celebration for the birth of Jesus so beautiful!



Spaghetti Dinner

Sponsored by The Catholic Men's and Women's Clubs will be in the Klauer Hall at

Immaculate Conception Church, 4 Main St., Norfolk on **Saturday, January 17th** after Mass. On this day we will have our **Vigil Mass at 4:00pm at Immaculate Conception Church**, and Mass on Sunday will be at 11:00am at St. Joseph Church. Dinner includes Spaghetti & Meatballs with salad, bread, beverage and dessert! Suggested offering only \$10.00 for Adults and Children Under 10 ~ \$5.00. This will be a great way to help support our parish and make new friends while enjoying a delicious dinner!

A Retreat for College Students

Navigating the New Year

Mercy by the Sea Retreat Center, Madison, CT

January 10-12, 2026
Saturday 4:00 PM - Monday 10:00 AM

FOR MORE INFO OR TO REGISTER VISIT:
MERCYBYTHESEA.ORG
a retreat to ground yourself for the year ahead

“COME FOLLOW ME!”

**Jesus is calling, will you answer?
Discern a vocation to be a Franciscan
Friar in the footsteps of Christ.
Attention Men aged 20-40!
Contact:
Br. Dan Cavalieri, OFM
917-830-4575
VOCATIONS@ICPROVINCE.ORG**

Our Parish will continue to support those who are in need in our Northwest Corner. We will be leaving boxes in all three churches for non-perishable food to help our local food pantries during these difficult times. Food will be distributed to:

Corner Food Pantry 80 Sharon Rd.,
Lakeville
Fishes & Loaves Pantry 30 Granite Ave.,
Canaan
Norfolk Food Pantry 12 Village Green,
Norfolk



Prayer Shawl Ministry

Blessed Shawls are in our Churches and in the Parish Office. If you know someone who would be comforted, please take one.

COFFEE HOUR SCHEDULE
2nd Sunday ~ Norfolk
3rd Sunday ~ Lakeville
Everyone is invited!
This is a great chance to meet and make new friends while enjoying coffee and sweet treats!

**FREE COMMUNITY DINNER at the
Bittermann Center ~ Wednesday,
January 14th ~ Serving 4:30- 6:00pm**

The Word Among Us Subscriptions will still be available for only \$25.00 annually. This monthly publication allows you to have your own missalette to follow the readings and Gospels of our Lord each week. It also has daily meditations to help you strengthen your faith and helps to bring your heart peace and joy! Please call the office 860-824-7078 if you wish to continue to receive your subscription for the New Year!

Message for Religious Ed Students

Just a reminder that Religious Education Students will be meeting on Sundays, January 4th and the 18th at the Bitterman Center from 1:00 to 3:00 pm



Archdiocese of Hartford
Wedding Anniversary Mass

The Archdiocese of Hartford is celebrating its' annual Wedding Anniversary Mass in conjunction with the observance of **National Marriage Week** (February 7 – 14, 2026) an international event seeking to strengthen marriages in communities and influence the current culture. *National Marriage Week* is an opportunity for the Catholic Church to focus on and celebrate the vocation to marriage and family life. It is an opportunity for the Catholic faithful to renew and deepen the lived experience of the Sacrament of Marriage – and bear witness to God's call to love. On **Saturday, February 7, 2026**, The Most Reverend Christopher J. Coyne, Archbishop of Hartford, will be honoring couples celebrating milestone marriage anniversaries: first and five-year increments from 5 to 60 years, and every year beyond 60 years during 2025 – 2026. *The Marriage Anniversary Mass* will be at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph in Hartford at 4:00 p.m. **Registration closes January 21.** (Snow date if necessary - February 28)



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