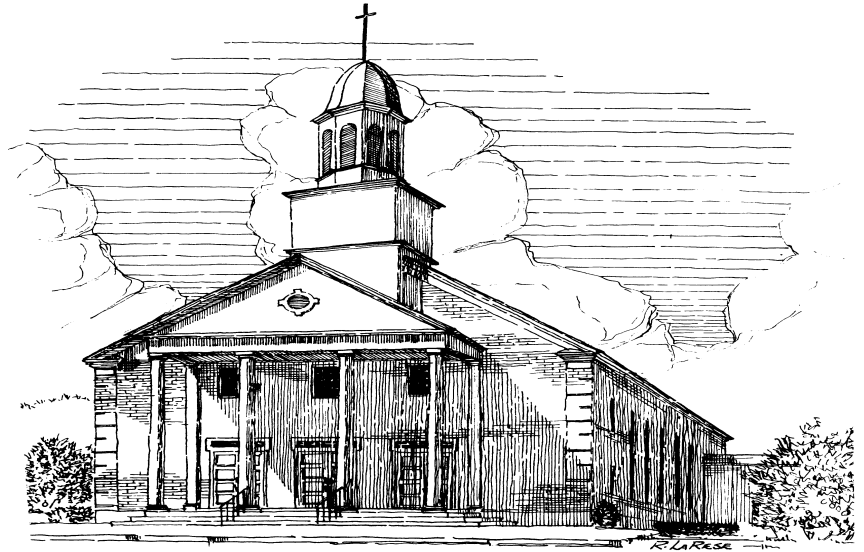
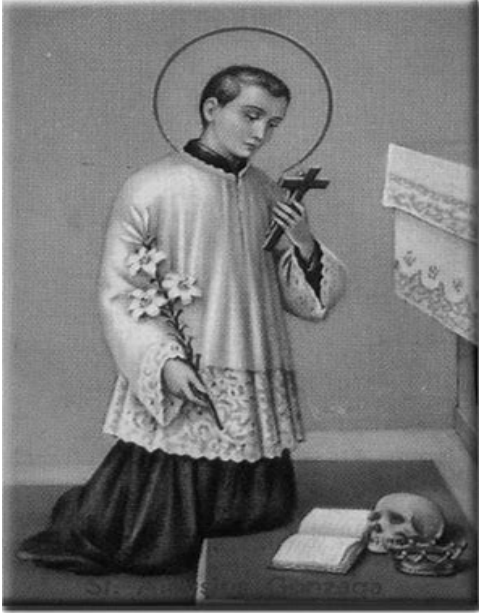


Saint Aloysius Parish

Est. 1961



Pastor: Rev. Ronald P. Zepecki

Deacon: Wayne Griffin

Mass Schedule

Weekday Masses:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 7:00 a.m.

Saturday (Sunday Vigil) 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

Holy Days 7:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Parish Office

254 Burritt Street, Plantsville, Connecticut, 06479

Phone: (860) 276-9208 Fax (860) 628-7650

Email: stalloysius@aohct.org

Website: www.stalloysiusplantsville.org

Parish Secretary: Jennifer Perrin

Office Hours:

Monday – Friday 9:30 a.m.—2:30 p.m.

SACRAMENTS:

Reconciliation: Saturday - 3:15 p.m. and by appointment

Baptism: 1st Sunday of the month after 10:30 Mass & 3rd Sunday of the month during or after 10:30 Mass. Baptism Preparation Classes: for first time parents - last Sunday of the month.

Marriage: Arrangements must be made at least 6 months in advance

Parish Membership: We welcome you into our Parish Family.

It is requested that every family in the Parish be registered and receive envelopes.

Sponsor Certificates: Those seeking a sponsor certificate must be a Catholic in good standing; attend Mass weekly; if married, be in a valid marriage, be a registered member of the parish, using the envelope system for at least 3 months.

Finance Council President: Fr. Ronald P. Zepecki

Trustees: Mr. Robert Corjulo; Mrs. Elizabeth Martin

Parish Council President: Anne Grey

Coordinator of Religious Education: Leslie Griffin

Music Director: Judy Miller

Holy Name Society President: Tom Fitzgerald

Ladies Guild President: Kathy Sima

Building and Grounds: Bill Langdeau; Larry Sima; Jim Sima

Meetings

Holy Name Society (Men's Club)

Every 1st Tuesday of the month at 8pm in the kitchen.

Ladies Guild

Every 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the auditorium.

Parish Council

Mondays every two or three months at 7:00 p.m. in the auditorium (dates to be announced)

St. Aloysius Church, Plantsville, Ct.

Celebration of St. Aloysius Gonzaga 1568-1591



Each year on June 21st the Church universal celebrates the Feast of **St. Aloysius Gonzaga**. This year the Feast of our patron Saint falls on Friday. We will be celebrating this Feast Day on the weekend of June 22-23, 2019. Last year, we had a very successful Pot-Luck dinner after the 4 p.m. Mass in his honor. We will repeat that again this year, too. The date is June 22, 2019. The place is the Church Hall. Since St. Aloysius was Italian and

of Italian Royalty (remember his name is Luigi) we are asking you to bring Italian dishes, for the most part, for our celebration. Last year we were entertained by the *Connecticut Trio*; this year we have a traveling accordionist who plays beautiful Italian music, as well as music from other nationalities. Sign up sheets for the Pot-Luck in honor of St. Aloysius are on the tables at the entrances of the Church.

Thank You



At this time we take the opportunity to thank all of you for contributing so generously to the *Baby Bottle Boomerang* to benefit *Carolyn's Place*. We are happy to announce that we realized \$2,797.59.

Thank you, again. God's blessings be yours.

Feast of The Sacred Heart of Jesus



Normally, we don't have the celebration of Mass on Fridays. This year, since Archbishop Blair has encouraged all to cultivate a devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, through his beautiful article about the Sacred Heart of Jesus in the *Catholic Transcript*; **there will be a Mass in honor of the**

Sacred Heart of Jesus on Friday, June 28, 2019 at 7:00 a.m. the actual Feast Day.

The Litany in Honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus has been made available to you in this week's bulletin for your spiritual edification.

A Personal Note from Fr. Ron

Last weekend we launched Forward With Faith and Archdiocesan Capital Campaign. In the 175 year history of the Archdiocese, this happens to be the very first Capital Campaign. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Miss. Anne Gray for Chairing the campaign along side of the Representative who has been assigned to us. I also extend a thanks to all those who have attended the meetings and have given us feed-back on this new endeavor.

This week, I am writing the history of this foundation. I spoke about it from the pulpit last week, if you recall. It's always good to read these things and not only hear them.

In the 1880's many businesses approached Bishop Lawrence McMahon (1879-1893) asking to help the Catholic Church succeed in the State of Connecticut, since they hired many good working immigrants. At that time, the Bishops Foundation was begun. These businesses contributed to the Church in Connecticut in various ways to help sustain us from the 1880's to 1945. Bishop Henry J. O'Brien called upon businesses again in 1945 to help sustain the Catholic Church in Connecticut which lasted until our contemporary times.

Now, with a changing Church in Connecticut, Archbishop Blair has renewed the Hartford's Bishops Foundation to serve the future of the Church in this state. Please know that Bishops Corner in West Hartford was named after the first Bishops Foundation.

Hopefully you will pray and consider a gift that will include the parish we belong to and the future endeavors of the Archdiocese of Hartford. Thank you for your kind generosity. A grid has been provided with suggested donations so that we may easily reach our goal.

Most Holy Trinity Sunday

Calendar of Events

Sunday, June 16, 2019

Father's Day Coffee and...in the Church Hall to honor all fathers after the 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. Masses.

Saturday, June 22, 2019

Pot Luck Dinner in honor of St. Aloysius after the 4 p.m. Mass in the Church Hall.

Father's Day Coffee and...

The St. Aloysius Ladies Guild will be hosting a Coffee and... to honor all fathers in the Church Hall TODAY, Sunday, June 16, 2019 after the 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Masses.

Organ Recital

Annunciation Parish presents an Organ Recital with *Dr. Janet E. Hunt*, Director of Music and Organist at Saint John's Seminary (Boston, MA), featuring the works of Bach, Widor and others on the magnificent Austin Organ of Saint Mary's Church. This event is free and open to the public! Save the date: Saturday June 23rd, at 3:00 p.m. at **Saint Mary Church (Annunciation Parish) 626 Willard Avenue, Newington, CT.**

Lourdes in Litchfield

The Grotto Gift Shop at Lourdes in Litchfield, located on 50 Montfort Rd., Rte. 118, Litchfield, is now open Tuesday to Saturday, 10:30am to 4:30pm and Sunday, 12:30pm (after Mass) to 4:30pm. The shop offers religious and seasonal gifts for all occasions: outdoor statues, small and large statues, medals, rosaries, graduation, Baptism, Confirmation, Father's Day, wedding, anniversary, and baby gifts. Also, there is a large selection of all occasion cards and religious jewelry. And Imported Lourdes water from France is available. ***For further information, call 860-567-0891.***

Pot Luck Supper

The Greater Meriden Council of Catholic Women invite all the women of the parish to attend our popular year end potluck supper on Thursday, June 20, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at the Holy Angels Campus, 585 Main St., South Meriden. Join us for good food and good company. Bring a friend or relative with you. We are looking forward to seeing you. Men are welcome to attend. For further information please call 203-237-8253.

St. Aloysius Refurbished

The statue of St. Aloysius, has been refurbished in time for his Feast Day, June 21st. As you see he has a prominent place in the Sanctuary for the month of June. He has been completely primed and repainted to last for the next 75 years. According to his biographical descriptions he had black hair. He is highlighted with gold-leaf. Once again a heartfelt thank you to the Ladies Guild and the Holy Name Society for their generous donation in refurbishing the statue.

Save the Date

Legion Of Christ College 10th Annual

Swing fore Seminarians Golf Tournament
On Monday, June 24, 2019 at the *Southington Country Club*. The day includes 18 holes, lunch and dinner. The cost per person is \$150.00. *To register or for more information contact Candy Nesbit at 203-915-6384 or email candy@elitetravelct.com.* To register online visit our website **www.lccheshire.org**. 10% of the proceeds to benefit St. Bridget Catholic School.

Courage and EnCourage Support Groups

June 2019

Courage: Tuesday. 18th at 7 p.m.

EnCourage: Wednesday. June 19th at 7 p.m.

Courage International is a Catholic network of confidential support groups for men and women who experience same-sex attraction and seek to live chaste lives in Christ. Courage International also sponsors separate confidential support groups (called "EnCourage") for those who seek to gain greater understanding and acceptance of their loved one's same-sex attraction, while honoring chastity. *For meeting locations and additional information, contact Fr. Robert Landback, Chaplain at 203-265-0961 ext. 2 or aohctcourage@gmail.com. The website for Courage International is couragec.org.*

Have You Herd?

VBS is coming to St. Aloysius Church July 22-26, 2019. This epic African adventure engages the whole herd. At Roar, kids explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that powers them through this wild life. Registration forms are available in the Church vestibules and Parish Office. Please return completed registration form along with payment by July 7, 2019 to the Parish office, Att. Mrs. Leslie Griffin



Weekly Mass Schedule

June 15, The Most Holy Trinity Sunday

Saturday

3:15 p.m.

Confessions

4:00 p.m.

All Living and Deceased Father's of St. Aloysius Church

June 16, The Most Holy Trinity Sunday

Sunday

9:00 a.m.

All Living and Deceased Father's of St. Aloysius Church

10:30 a.m.

All Living and Deceased Father's of St. Aloysius Church

June 17, 2019 Weekday

Monday

7:00 a.m.

Ferial Day

Richard Brady, requested by Mary and Jerry Olmeda

June 18, 2019 Weekday

Tuesday

7:00 a.m.

Ferial Day

Mr. And Mrs. John Gray, Jr., requested by Annie

June 19, 2019 Weekday

Wednesday

7:00 a.m.

St. Romuald, abbot

Mr. And Mrs. Gary Babow, requested by family

June 20, 2019 Weekday

Thursday

7:00 a.m.

Ferial Day

Mr. And Mrs. Ron Baker, requested by family

June 21, 2019 Weekday

Friday

*St. Aloysius Gonzaga, religious
No Daily Mass*

June 22, The Sunday

Saturday

3:15 p.m.

Confessions

4:00 p.m.

Irene and John Procko, requested by daughter, Barbara and family

June 23, The Sunday

Sunday

9:00 a.m.

Marie and Nunzio Guglioti, requested by family

10:30 a.m.

John Sorbello, Jr., requested by family

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Irene and John Procko

June 16, 2019

June Weekly Offertory Collection

June 2, 2019

Regular, Father's Day and Catholic Relief Collection

June 9, 2019

Regular Collection

June 16 2019

Regular Collection

June 26, 2019

Regular Collection

June 30, 2019

Regular Collection

Offertory Collection for June 9, 2019

Regular Offertory:

\$3,341.00

Catholic Campaign:

\$473.00

Online Giving:

\$677.00

Votive candles:

\$175.00



Holy Land 2020

REGNUM CHRISTI

Make the Bible come to life by walking where Jesus walked. Fr. Eric Nielsen of the Legionaries of Christ and Phil Liquori will host an unforgettable pilgrimage to the Holy Land from February 26 to March 5, 2020. Spaces are limited, so sign up now! www.cvent.com/d/56qrbc. Deadline to register is November 1, 2019.

Pro-Life Thought of the Week

We ourselves (pro lifers etc.) feel that what we are doing is just a drop in the ocean But the ocean would be less because of that missing drop.

St. Teresa of Calcutta (1910-1997)

Archbishop Annual Appeal

The goal for St. Aloysius Church for the Archbishop's Annual Appeal, 2019, Sharing the Joy of the Gospel is \$55,000.00. Thus far we have pledged \$47,293.00 Thank you for your generous support. Perhaps you may wish to consider a donation to the Appeal if you haven't done so already.



Please Pray For The Repose of the Soul of Judith Maloney