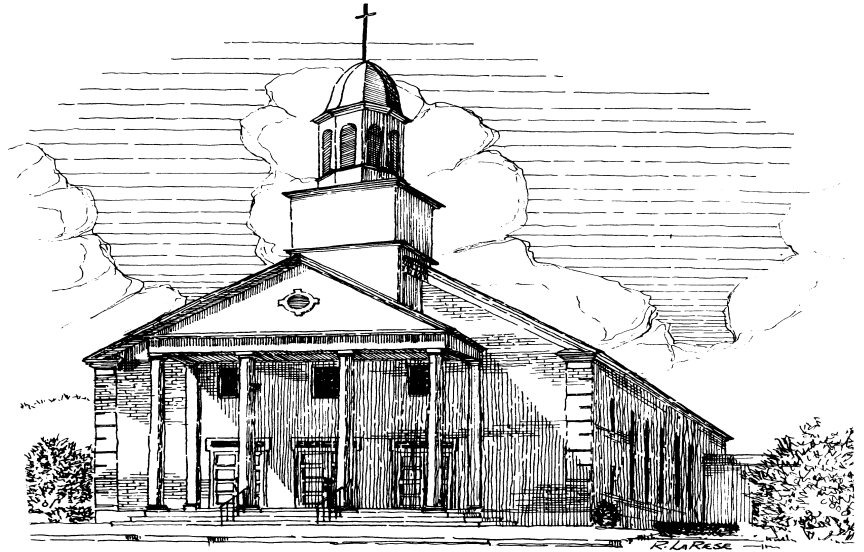
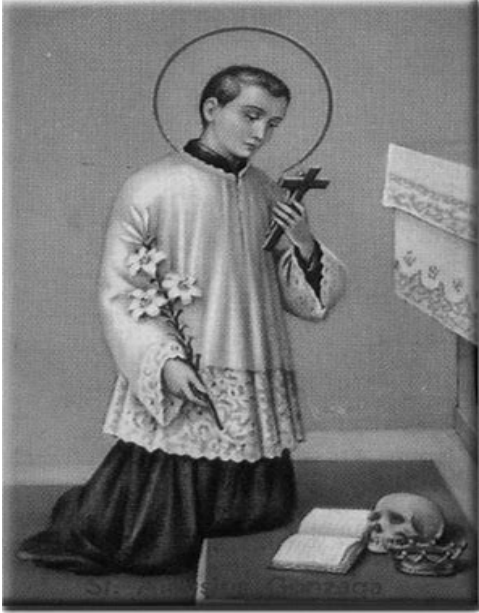


# Saint Aloysius Parish

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

**Pro-Life Representatives:** Carolyn Bean, Marlene Kulesa

**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.

## Tolton: From Slave to Priest Returns to Connecticut!

St. Luke Productions 90-minute live production of the story of **Father Augustus Tolton** returns to stages across Connecticut, sponsored by *Father Nadolny Good News Fund* (860.335.2342). Call Father Nadolny for more information. Watch the trailer for this show here.

October 3 - Notre Dame High School, New Haven

October 7 - Holy Cross High School, Waterbury

October 8 - Immaculate Conception High School, Danbury

October 9 - St. Paul High School, 2 shows morning and evening, Bristol

October 10 - Mercy High School, Middletown

October 11 - Colby High School, Bridgeport

October 20 - St. Pius the 10th Church, Middletown

October 21 - East Catholic High School, Manchester

October 22 - North West Catholic High School, West Hartford

October 23 - St. George Church, Guilford

October 24 - Xavier High School, Middletown

October 25 - St. Mary Church, Simsbury



## Pro-Life Adoration

**40 Days for Life 2019** occurs from **September 23, 2019 to November 3, 2019**. Each year we have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament to pray for an end to abortion in our country and throughout the world. Usually, we adore for twelve hours. This year our 12 hour adoration will take place on **October 7, 2019, The Feast of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary**. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed from **8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** with Benediction at **8:00 p.m.** Sign up sheets will be available soon.

## Holy Cross High School

What an exciting time it is at Holy Cross High School! In a few weeks, we will officially welcome our Class of 2023 as well as **Thomas Pompei** and **Dr. Thomas Pellegrino** as our Principal and President, respectively.

Upcoming events:

**Open House:** Sunday, October 20, 2019. All interested 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students as well as transfer students and their families are invited to join us to learn more about educational opportunities at Holy Cross HS from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

## Mary Our Queen Septemberfest

Mary Our Queen Church Septemberfest will be held Friday, September 13, 2019 from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., Saturday, September 14, 2019 from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. and Sunday, September 15, 2019 from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on the church grounds at 248 Savage St., Plantsville, Ct. A fun time will be had by all with rides by Maremma Amusements, food trucks, ice cream stand, cotton candy, fried dough, games for the children, face painting and glitter tattoos, raffles, bake sale and live entertainment each day! Entertainment Friday begins at 6:00 p.m.: FM Production; DJ with Karaoke; Saturday at 5:30 p.m.: The Red Hots; Jeff Przech; Bad Dog, Sunday at 12:45 p.m.: Jake Kulak and the Low Down; Coco-nuts; Francisco Castiglino.

## 2020 Mass Book Opening

**This Wednesday, September 11, 2019 the 2020 Mass Book will be open.** It is suggested that you make your offering when you schedule a Mass so that we are able to open the 2021 Mass Book at the same time next year. Thank you for your kind cooperation.



## Knights of Columbus September Activities

The Knights of Columbus Council 15 will be holding a monthly Council meeting on September 11, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at Mary Our Queen Church Hall. All members are asked to attend.

## Fall Flower Sale

The Holy Name Society will hold their annual Fall Flower Sale **THIS** weekend Saturday, September 7 and Sunday, September 8, 2019 before and after all Masses.



*"Fr. Michael McGivney, founder of the Knights of Columbus, was ordained priest in the Basilica of the Assumption in Baltimore, Maryland."*

## Twenty Third Sunday Ordinary Time

### Calendar of Events

**Sunday, September 8, 2019**

**Parish Picnic** after the 10:30 a.m. Mass on St. Aloysius Church grounds.

**September 23, 24, 25, 2019**

**2019-2020 C.C.D. Program** begins Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, September 23, 24, 25, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the C.C.D. Center.

### Picnic News

This year's Parish Picnic takes place **TODAY, Sunday, September 8, 2019 after the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Visit the Raffle table the day of the Picnic to drop off your ticket Returns or to purchase Raffle Tickets. Come enjoy being with your fellow parishioners for a few hours.**

### Mohegan Sun Bus Trip

**St. Aloysius Holy Name Society** is hosting a "Fun 4 fall" bus trip to the Mohegan Sun Resort Casino on Monday, September 23, 2019. The cost is \$30.00 per person. Passengers receive \$30.00 in coupons for food, shopping and a Free Bet on the Money Wheel. Proceeds from the trip benefit the Holy Name Society Scholarship Fund. To reserve your tickets please call 860-276-4011. **The bus leaves St. Aloysius Church parking lot promptly at 8:00 a.m. and returns at 5:00 p.m.**

### St. Stanislaus Church, New Haven, Annual Parish Picnic/Harvest Festival

St. Stanislaus Church, New Haven will hold its annual Parish Picnic/Harvest Festival, rain or shine, on Sunday, September 15, 2019, from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the P.N.A. Park, 171 North Plains Industrial Rd., Wallingford, Ct. All are welcome to attend. Polish food (pierogi, golabki, kielbasa, kapusta, etc.) and American food (hot dogs, hamburgers and French fries) will be available. Special Polish and Picnic dinners will also be sold. Music for dancing will be provided by the Grammy Award nominated polka band, Dennis Polisky and The Maestro's Men from Colchester, Ct. from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Children's activities and games will be featured from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., including a presentation by the "Amazing Andy" from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Admission is \$5.00 per person, children 16 and under are free. Parking is free. No BYOB or BYOF, please. For more information contact St. Stanislaus rectory at 203-526-2828



*Please Pray For The Repose of  
the Soul of Denise Olson, Beverly  
O'Connor, Deacon James Arena's  
Mother-in-Law*

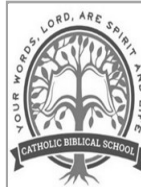


### Archdiocese of Hartford Wedding Anniversary Mass Celebration

Sunday, October 13, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.  
Cathedral of St. Joseph, Hartford.  
Last date for registration: Friday, September 20, 2019. Contact the parish office at 860-276-9208 to register. **This Wedding Anniversary Mass is for those celebrating their 25, 50, 60, 70 or any milestone Wedding Anniversary.**

### Connecticut Catholic Men's Conference

Greetings, Men of God! It's time to get ready for the **12th Annual Connecticut Catholic Men's Conference** at St. Paul Catholic H.S. in Bristol, CT. The conference will be held on Saturday, October 19, 2019. The Men's Conference is a **STATEWIDE** laymen collaboration for all Catholic Dioceses. Doors open 7:30am and the event concludes with the Vigil Mass at 4pm. We're calling all men of the parish to join us for a day of dynamic speakers, exhibitors, incredible worship, Confession, Adoration, fellowship, and food! This year's lineup includes Fr John Bartunek, Dan Burke, and Deacon Harold Burkesivers. The opening speaker is Bishop Juan Miguel Betancourt & the MC will be Sam Todzia. The ticket price is \$45 and includes lunch. Ticket prices rise 3 days before the event and at the door – so buy them now. **To purchase tickets online**, and to get more information, please go to the conference's website **www.ctcatholicmen.org**. Don't miss out on this wonderful faith-sharing event with Catholic men from all over Connecticut! If you have any questions, please call Ken Leclair at 860-877-1353.



### Hartford Catholic Biblical School

*Classes will be held at St. Aloysius this year! Meet Jesus in the Bible! Hundreds of Catholic adults have attained deep renewal of spirit by studying the Bible with us. Explore the possibilities contact us today: [catholic.biblical.school@aohct.org](mailto:catholic.biblical.school@aohct.org) or 860-242-5573. Check out our video online at [www.CatholicEdAOHCT.org/prospective-students](http://www.CatholicEdAOHCT.org/prospective-students)  
**Follow us on Twitter: @cbshartford. Like us on Facebook: @HartfordCatholicBiblicalSchool***

## Weekly Mass Schedule

### September 7, Twenty Third Sunday

#### In Ordinary Time

Saturday

3:15 p.m.

**Confessions**

4:00 p.m.

**Helen Dowd**, requested by family

### September 8, Twenty Third Sunday

#### In Ordinary Time

Sunday

9:00 a.m.

**James E. Keating**, requested by family

10:30 a.m.

**Jennifer Fitzgerald**, requested by Thomas Fitzgerald

### September 9, 2019 Weekday

*St. Peter Claver, priest*

Monday

7:00 a.m.

**Jeanette Norris**, requested by family

### September 10, 2019 Weekday

*Ferial Day*

Tuesday

7:00 a.m.

**Joseph P. O'Brien**, requested by Peggy Laurencelle

### September 11, 2019 Weekday

*Ferial Day*

Wednesday

7:00 a.m.

**Souls in Purgatory**, requested by a parishioner

### September 12, 2019 Weekday

*The Most Holy Name of Mary*

Thursday

7:00 a.m.

**Mark Ciesielski**, requested by family

### September 13, 2019 Weekday

*St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church*

Friday

7:00 a.m.

**No Daily Mass**

### September 14, Twenty Fourth Sunday

#### In Ordinary Time

Saturday

3:15 p.m.

**Confessions**

4:00 p.m.

**Albert Kulesa**, requested by wife and children

### September 15, Twenty Fourth Sunday

#### In Ordinary Time

Sunday

9:00 a.m.

**Rosalyn Teardo and Alexandria Teardo**, requested by family

10:30 a.m.

**Anthony and Louise Cardinale**, requested by family

*The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in loving memory of Jackson Palmer requested by family*

September 8, 2019

## September Weekly Offertory Collection

September 1, 2019	Regular Collection
September 8, 2019	Regular Collection
September 15, 2019	Regular Collection
September 22 2019	Regular Collection
September 22 2019	Catholic Elementary School Collection
September 29, 2019	Regular Collection

## Offertory Collection for September 1, 2019

<b>Regular Offertory:</b>	\$5,258.00
<b>Online Giving:</b>	\$658.00
<b>Votive candles:</b>	\$194.00

## Men's and Women's ACTS retreats

An ACTS retreat is a three-day, three-night Catholic lay retreat presented by men or women who have attended prior ACTS retreats, under the guidance of a Catholic Guide. Offering a unique format, this retreat is unlike anything you may have experienced in the past. The goals are to renew yourself spiritually, to strengthen your faith and its application in your daily life, and to create lasting and supporting friendships within your church communities. The Retreat begins Thursday evening, **with a 5:45 p.m. check.** at the sponsoring parish. Participants will then be transported to Our Lady of Calvary Retreat House, in Farmington, Ct. for the remainder of the retreat. The retreat will end **on Sunday**, with a morning Mass and reception at the sponsoring parish. Transportation to and from Farmington will be provided.

Go to [actsct.org](http://actsct.org) for more information about ACTS retreats. On the 'Events' page are links to an informative brochure and retreat registration form.

**Men's Retreat September 26-29, 2019**  
**Sponsoring Parish – Assumption Church Ansonia, Ct. For more information contact Hank Tessier at 860 729-8055 or John Coleman at 860 384-9427; Jeff Burkitt at 203 530-5335.**

**Women's Retreat:** November 14-17, 2019  
Sponsoring Parish – St. Dominic Church, Southington, Ct. For more information contact Ellen Leclair at 860 919-8196, Donna Finneran at 203 819-4461, or Paula O'Neil at 860 378-4488.

**Men's Retreat:** January 23-26 2020  
Sponsoring Parish—St. Dominic Church, Southington For more information contact Ed Baker 860 919-2030 for more information.