

July 19, 2020

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**Eucharist:**

**Mass:** Mon-Fri:

**New Time: 8AM**

**Sat. Vigil: 5:00pm**

**Sunday: 8:00am &  
10:30am**

**Reconciliation :  
(Confession)**

Saturday: 4:00pm -  
4:30pm and *anytime* by  
appointment.

**Anointing of the Sick :**  
(**& Ministry to the Sick**)  
Call the rectory anytime a  
person is sick and would  
like anointing or a visit

**Baptism:**

Please call our parish  
office to arrange pre-  
Baptismal instruction and  
the time of the ceremony.

**Holy Orders:**

Contact Fr. Joe Ashe or  
Fr. Walter Nagle, 860 434  
1660, if you want to *learn  
more about becoming a  
priest or deacon*, or,  
contact Fr. Greg Galvin,  
Vocations Office:  
860 887 9294.

**Matrimony:**

Preparation for marriage  
must begin at least six  
months before actual  
ceremony. Please call our  
parish office.

**Confirmation:**

Confirmation preparation  
begins in the 9th grade  
and the sacrament is  
received in the 10th grade.  
Adults can join the **RCIA**.

**Holy Days of Obligation:**

8:00am & 6:30pm

(No evening Mass the day  
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Tuesdays at 4:30pm.

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**16<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

"The righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom  
of their Father." - Mt 13:43a

**Fr. Joseph Ashe, Pastor; Fr. Walter Nagle, Parochial Vicar 860 434 1660 (Rectory)**

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# MASS SCHEDULE

Sat. July 18 St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest

**5:00pm** *The Healing of America*

**SUNDAY JULY 19 16th SUNDAY in Ordinary Time**

**8:00am** *Margaret Devery r/b Lee & Bernadette Olivier*

**10:30am** *Deceased members of St. Bernard's Class of 1960*

*James Francis O'Toole r/b The O'Toole Family*

Mon. July 20 St. Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr

**8:00am** *The Parishioners of CTK*

Tues. July 21 St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor of the Church

**8:00am** *Mary Miles r/b Hope Regan*

Wed. July 22 St. Mary Magdalene

**8:00am** *In celebration of Kurt's birthday r/b his family*

Thurs. July 23 St. Bridget, Religious

**8:00am** *The God Squad r/b Joan Moylan*

Fri. July 24 St. Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest

**8:00am** *Mark & Monica Whelan's 35th Wedding Anniversary*

Sat. July 25 St. James, Apostle

**5:00pm** *Andrew Maietta r/b his daughters Grace and Maria*

*Mary Miles r/b The God Squad*

**SUNDAY JULY 26 17th SUNDAY in Ordinary Time**

**8:00am** *In celebration of Eileen Field's 100th birthday  
r/b her daughter Mary Lou Rice and family*

**10:30am** *Mary Miles r/b Cheryl Cipolla & Lucia Miles*

**The Sanctuary Lamp this week will be  
lit for all married couples.**



FOR YOUR  
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**NATURAL FAMILY  
PLANNING WEEK**

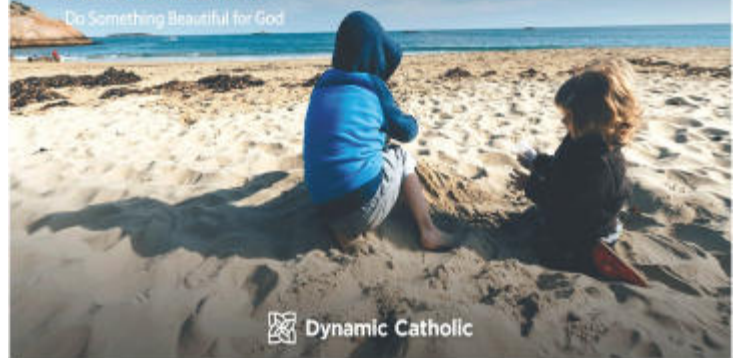


"Two years after joining the Catholic Church, my wife and I began practicing Natural Family Planning. I found that the chastity required to get through the periods of abstinence caused profound changes in me ... I became grateful for all God had given me, most of all for my wife. My appreciation for her and all that she gives me grew, improving an already good 20-year marriage." (Fletcher Doyle, "My Slogan—Practice Saved Sex!") Available at: [www.usccb.org/nfp/awareness-week/upload/Fletcher-Doyle.pdf](http://www.usccb.org/nfp/awareness-week/upload/Fletcher-Doyle.pdf)

"Many will tell you that the responsibility of being permanently faithful to one person is too great and that being open to life is too much of a burden. They say contraception brings with it freedom and life; however, we have found that it is in openness to God, to each other, and to new life that true freedom is obtained. This is what living Natural Family Planning can help couples to experience." (Michael and Alysha Chambers, "NFP, The Theology of the Body, and Our Marriage," available at: [www.usccb.org/nfp/what-is-nfp/couples-stories/upload/Chambers-NFP-TOB-and-our-Marriage.pdf](http://www.usccb.org/nfp/what-is-nfp/couples-stories/upload/Chambers-NFP-TOB-and-our-Marriage.pdf))

"Don't allow anything to interfere with  
your love for Jesus. You belong to Him.  
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**Welcome Back!**

**COME TO SUNDAY or  
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS!!!**

(Public WEEKEND Masses began again on July 4 & 5)

**SAT @ 5PM**

**SUN @ 8AM and 10:30AM**

**...OR COME TO WEEKDAY MASS!!!**

(began on June 8th)

**M – F at a NEW time: 8AM**

In coordination with the Archdiocese of Hartford, parishes of the Diocese of Norwich may resume the public celebration of **Sunday Mass, including any anticipated Mass(es) on Saturday evening, beginning the weekend of July 4 and 5.** Please note: the limitation on gatherings for religious worship, as amended by Executive Order No. 7SS of Governor Lamont, remains in effect. By this order, indoor gatherings are limited to **25% of capacity of the indoor space or a maximum of 100 people.** **Outdoor gatherings are limited to 150 people.**

We are complying with state orders by limiting attendance, social distancing, many pews are taped off and unused, **masks are to be worn, hand sanitizer at entrance, and reception of Holy Communion after mass.**

**The Most Reverend Michael R. Cote, Bishop of Norwich, dispensed of the Sunday Mass obligation and released the Parish**

**Reopening Guidelines to the Pastors of the**

**Diocese.** The primary goal in issuing these standards is to provide necessary guidance rooted both in sound liturgical principles as well as to keep everyone, faithful and clergy, as safe as reasonably possible given the requirements of the present circumstances.

Please see [norwichdiocese.org](http://norwichdiocese.org) and our website, [christthekingchurch.net](http://christthekingchurch.net), for further information.



**CONGRATULATIONS  
to all of our  
RCIA CANDIDATES**

who will receive Sacraments on  
July 19, 2020 at the 10:30AM Mass

Daphne Jewett - First Holy Communion  
and Confirmation

Fred Balsam - Confirmation

Andrew Follett - Confirmation

***ALLELUIA!***



***It's a great time to start, or continue,  
praying the rosary.***



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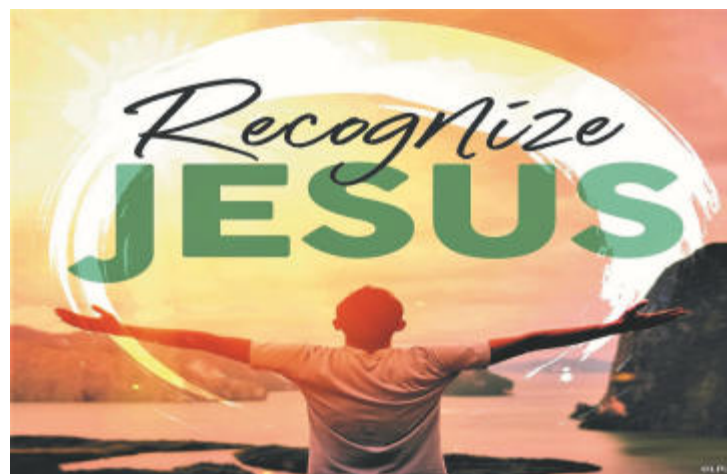
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***"Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of  
these least brothers of mine, you did for me."***

***Mathew 25:40***



***LIVE THE LITURGY  
INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK***

Grace and sin are found together. As much as our hearts long for union with God, there is always that part of us that resists. As much as I wholeheartedly believe in God, there is a dimension of disbelief with which I also wrestle. Even though we may seek purity and integrity in all of our thoughts, words, and deeds, there is also the path toward weakness and sin that we find ourselves traversing. Just as weeds can easily overtake the best of gardens, so too can weakness and sin overtake and overwhelm a person. The call is to realize the power the weeds of sin have to choke us off from God's presence. While God allows the wheat and the weeds to exist together, we must keep our eyes fixed on God's mercy and forgiveness and resist the death that comes from giving way to sin and evil. In God's time, the eternal harvest will come, and we will no longer have to worry about the weeds. For now, we must be vigilant and regularly seek the assistance of the Master Gardener.



PRAY  
WITH  
PURPOSE

**CTK Prayer Line**

To request prayers for ***any***  
intention, need, or in thanksgiving,  
please call Michele, 860-434-8529.

**LIFE.** We are here to add what we can do,  
not to get what we can from life.

- Samuel Taylor Coleridge

**SHOP SMALL &**  
Support your community



***If you are in need of a priest, please contact Fr. Joe and/or  
Fr. Walter at the rectory, 860-434-1660.***

**The Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA)  
in-pew collection has been rescheduled to  
July 25-26, 2020.**

This year's ACA theme, "One Faith, One Family" has been lived by each of us. We all have prayed that this COVID19 pandemic would come to an end, and in living our lives apart from each other, we have day and in day out, relied on our ONE FAITH, and the belief that by working together as ONE FAMILY we would get through this.

Please prayerfully consider how you can best help us to continue to keep the ministries of our diocese strong. If you have already made a gift to the ACA, thank you for your kindness.



**Readings for the week of July 19, 2020**

Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19/Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16 [5a]/Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30  
Monday: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc -17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mt 12:38-42  
Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8 [8a]/Mt 12:46-50  
Wednesday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [2]/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18  
Thursday: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11 [10a]/Mt 13:10-17  
Friday: Jer 3:14-17/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13 [cf. 10d]/Mt 13:18-23  
Saturday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 [5]/Mt 20:20-28  
Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130 [97a]/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46



***Marriage is not, then, the effect of chance or the product of evolution of unconscious natural forces; it is the wise institution of the Creator to realize in mankind His design of love. (Humanae vitae, no. 8)***

"[R]esponsible fatherhood and motherhood directly concern the moment in which a man and a woman, uniting themselves "in one flesh," can become parents. This is a moment of special value both for their interpersonal relationship and for their service to life: they can become parents—father and mother—by communicating life to a new human being. *The two dimensions of conjugal union, the unitive and the procreative, cannot be artificially separated* without damaging the deepest truth of the conjugal act itself. (John Paul II, *Letter to Families*, no. 12)

The moral law obliges ... [husband and wife] in every case to ... respect the biological laws inscribed in their person. It is precisely this respect which makes legitimate, at the service of responsible procreation, the use of natural methods of regulating fertility. (John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae*, no. 97)

Supported by science, experience has confirmed the educational value of Natural Family Planning in contributing to an integrated vision of sexuality, marriage and responsible procreation. (John Paul II, *Address to Participants in a Course Sponsored by the Centre for Studies and Research on the Natural Regulation of Fertility*, 1993)

**Live-Stream Weekend and Weekday Mass (*ALL Masses are once again held for the public in the church, but are also live-streamed.*)**

**8:00AM New Time (DAILY(M - F))**

<https://zoom.us/j/114188963?pwd=MnA5cWlHQThickY1UlZocmx3VGITUT09>  
Meeting ID: 114 188 936, Password: 226134

**5:00PM SATURDAY**

<https://zoom.us/j/223857915?pwd=d3l1YWdmRUNaSSStEcVYwMUlzVStlZz09>  
Meeting ID: 223 857 915, Password: 634317

**10:30AM SUNDAY**

<https://zoom.us/j/225302077?pwd=M2RQZWwhIVnllNmFNSXdBTtI6a3k1dz09> Meeting ID: 225 302 077, Password: 364282

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Bill Thomas, Ellen Cole,  
and of course, Fr. Joe  
and Fr. Walter!!!***



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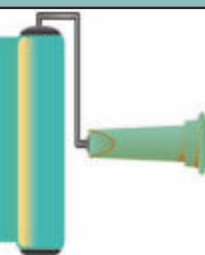
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