

Sunday November 28, 2021



ST FRANCIS CATHOLIC

INTRODUCING OUR NEW PAROCHIAL VICAR, FATHER EDUAR GUTIERREZ!



We are very pleased to introduce our new Parochial Vicar, Father Eduar Gutierrez. Father Gutierrez will begin his assignment, assisting Father Casey with the four parishes, on January 4th. Father Gutierrez is originally from Colombia. In 2012, he had the opportunity to come to the United States where he began his formation for the Archdiocese of Hartford and his theological studies at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD. Father Gutierrez was ordained by Archbishop Blair on May 20, 2017 for the Archdiocese of Hartford. He has served as Parochial Vicar at Our Lady Queen of Angels in Meriden and Most Holy Trinity in Wallingford. He is excited to begin his new assignment and help to form this new chapter for the whole Catholic community in New Britain. Upon his arrival, PLEASE GIVE FATHER GUTIERREZ A BIG HELLO & A WARM WELCOME!

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Friday, December 24:
Christmas Eve Vigil 4:30 pm
Saturday, December 25:
Christmas
Midnight Mass 12:00 am
Christmas Day 10:00 am and
12:00 noon

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2022

The Mass Book will open on December 1st. Mass Intentions can be booked for only January through March. With the new reduced Sunday Mass schedule, only registered parishioners may book a Sunday Mass intention. To schedule a Mass, call the office at St. Francis at (860)-225-6449. St. Francis is handling all booking of 2022 intentions for the four parishes at this time.

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS!
**FALL CLEAN-UP and CHRISTMAS
DECORATING at ST FRANCIS**
SATURDAY, December 4th
9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Please join our Knights of Columbus members in a final fall clean up of the church property as well as decorating for the Christmas season ahead. This is a great and fun service opportunity!

Giving- November 21, 2021

Weekly Collection.....\$3,136.82
(Includes basket, mail in, and online donations)
Campgn for Human Develpmt..\$ 314.00
Votive Candle.....\$ 233.00

To foster intentional giving, we are encouraging all wage earners to donate at least one hour's wage per week.