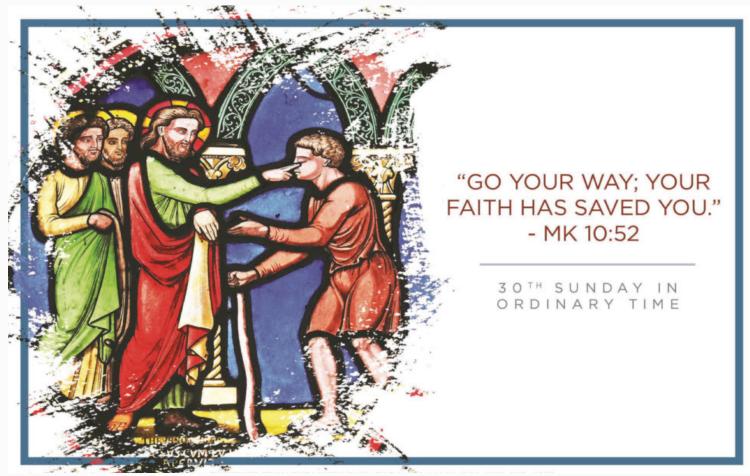


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South Windsor, CT 06074 Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm Sunday Mass: 11:00 am

Weekday Mass: 8:00 am-Tuesday &

Thursday

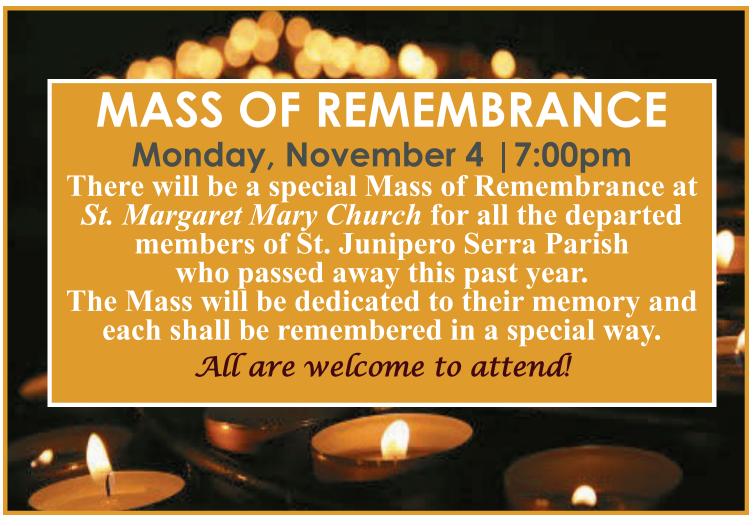
Confessions: Monday 6:00pm-6:45pm

Adoration & Holy Hour: Monday 6:00pm-7:00pm

(except Holy Days & Holidays)

OCTOBER 27, 2024

WE EXTEND A WARM WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS, NEW MEMBERS, AS WELL AS ALL PARISH MEMBERS.





WELCOME TO ST. JUNÍPERO SERRA PARISH

We extend a special welcome to new parishioners. We hope you will find our parish community a place where your faith-life will grow. We also hope you will share your special gifts with your parish family. Your presence, your talents and your prayers are always welcome. Please introduce yourself to Fr. Castro, after one of the Masses and also please formally register with the parish through our website at www.saintjuniperoserra.org or by contacting the office.

The churches are open for private devotions:

St. Francis of Assisi: Monday & Wednesday 9:00am-3:00pm St. Margaret Mary: Monday thru Friday 9:00am-3:00pm, Saturday 10:00am-4:00pm

Pastoral Staff

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Important Information

Baptisms: Parents must attend a pre-baptismal class and sponsor certificates for the godparents must be received before a baptism can be scheduled. Please call the parish office to register.

Prayer Line: For prayer requests or to join the Prayer Line, please call Donna: 860-938-4864, Joan: 860-402-3105

Weddings: At least six months preparation is necessary. Please call Fr. Castro at x109

Ministry to Homebound: Your parish priest, deacons and ministers are eager to help anyone who is unable to celebrate with us because of age, illness or handicap. There is no problem visiting private homes if we are notified. If you, or a relative living in the South Windsor Catholic Community would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick or would like to receive Communion, please call the parish office so that we may be of assistance.

Bulletin Submissions: The deadline for the bulletin articles is noon on Friday, one week before publication.

Email your submissions to: bulletin@sjs-sw.org

St. Vincent de Paul: 860-648-0216

Winter Snow Policy: Weekdays: When school is canceled or delayed there will be NO Morning Mass. Weekends: Please check our website, or Facebook page or Channel 3 for possible cancellation.



SATURDAY VIGIL, October 26

4:00 p.m. Donna Antaya by Family/

Special Intention for Michael

SUNDAY, October 27

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Sylvia DiBenedetto by DiBenedetto Family/

Edith Daigle by Marie Bastarache

11:00 a.m. Charles Manzella by His Family/

Special Intentions by Annamae Davis

MONDAY, October 28

8:00 a.m. Mary Loan Kim Do

by daughter, Mimosa Pham

TUESDAY, October 29

8:00 a.m. Helen Pesci by Best Friend

WEDNESDAY, October 30

8:00 a.m. Irene Corriveau by Connie Girard

THURSDAY, October 31

8:00 a.m. Irene Corriveau by Connie Girard

Vigil Mass: All Saints Day

7:00 p.m. SMM | Katherine (Kay) Martin

by Phil & Linda Smith

FRIDAY, November 1 | All Saints Day

Holy Day of Obligation

8:00 a.m. SMM | Patricia Mullane by Joan Raimondo

12:10 p.m. SFA |Leo Gauthier by Renee

SATURDAY VIGIL, November 2

4:00 p.m. Special Blessings 35th Wedding Anniversary

Stan & Lisa Grivers/ALL SOULS

SUNDAY, November 3

Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Robert Myette, 30th Anniversary by Family

11:00 a.m. Edward R. Palauskas, Jr. by Mother

SANCTUARY LIGHTS

St. Francis of Assisi's Sanctuary Light burns this week for MARY ESTEY JOSLIN

St. Margaret Mary's Sanctuary Light burns this week for CHARLES MANZELLA

If you would like to have the Sanctuary Light burn at St. Francis of Assisi or St. Margaret Mary Church for the intention of a loved one,

please call the parish office 860-644-2411.

Immacare Homeless Shelter meal preparation

November 11th. Needs list can be found on the parish Facebook page the week before meal preparation begins.

Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive November 2 & 3, 2024

Donations will be collected after all Masses at St. Margaret Mary Church and St. Francis of Assisi Church the weekend of November 2nd and 3rd. When you see the Knights...please be generous.

Mass Times | Holy Day of Obligation ALL SAINTS DAY Thursday, October 31

Vigil Mass: 7:00 p.m. | St. Margaret Mary Church

Friday, November 1 8:00 a.m. St. Margaret Mary Church 12:10 p.m. St. Francis of Assisi Church

Please remember in your prayers the following parishioners who are ill: Thomas Russo, Giacomo Ghasa, Scott Mosher, Anne Mosher, Rosemary Saad, Lydia Mele, Barbara Mansini, Tammy Cross, Mary Caswell, Linda Pratson, Beth Jamieson, Teresa Foran, Marie Donnelli, George Rousseau, Charles Flick, Joyce Abrahams, Carmen Rosa Chilicki, Karen Cerrato, Bertha Brasfield, Mark Weyrauch, Robert Billig, Adam Johnson, Taina Marquez-Johnson, Luca and Nicolas Marquez-Johnson, Simone Tedford, Frances P. Medina, John Ferrante, Michael Chappell, Rebecca-Lynn Scullion, Dylan McBreen, Susan Degennaro, Lisa Feinstein, Sylvia Gonsalves, Louise Hynes, Ginette Collin, Laurie Gilligan, Joan Paterna, Linda Nott, Ron Krug, Roy & Cheryl Hauck, Donna Smutney, Richard Holtz, Maureen D. West, Sophie Myzuzikevik, Tracy Robinson, Kate Laurie, Andrew Galinaro, Paul Marianella, Shelia Brown, John Weyrauch, Kenny Lopez, Vicky Vecchiolla, Atlas. Please call the parish office to add a loved one to our parish prayer list.

STEWARDSHIP

Total Offertory including Online Giving: 10/20/2024 Weekly Collection \$11,555.00 World Mission Sunday Collection \$2,722.00 These numbers will fluctuate due to monthly and quarterly donations.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Join us to pray the Rosary Monday - Thursday after the 8:00 am morning Mass

17 Annual Military Appreciation Dinner

On Sunday, November 17th at the South Windsor Senior Center. Sit down dinners or take out. If you're interested in attending, RSVP to one of the following {please leave a message if no answer)

Kevin Paradis @ 860-212-9661 or
kevin@kevinparadis.com or Susan Papapietro
@ 860-436-4821 or suepapapietro@cox.net

EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINE

We have an early transmission deadline.
Bulletin articles must be received
no later than noon
Wednesday, Oct 30th for Sunday, Nov 10th

Wednesday, Nov 6th for Sunday, Nov 17th. Email your submissions to: **bulletin@sjs-sw.org**

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St. Junipero Serra Parish

FY 2024 Annual Report to Parishioners

- The parish choir raised funds for the 2023 Christmas Concert covering the cost of contracted musicians, music, and even some preparations for this coming concert!
- Now that we have invested in CD's and opened an account at Morgan Stanley we are earning interest
 each month which significantly helps support our parish.
- Rental Income has gone up slightly due to a lease for a small part of the St. Francis of Assisi parking lot.
 That is ending in November 2024.
- We continue to allow Pleasant Valley School to use our lot during special events for overflow parking, as
 a good neighbor. The Town of South Windsor has obtained grant money to create sidewalks and they
 will be installing sidewalks along Ellington Road on the church property. They have stated that the
 Town will work with us to maintain our limited parking in the front and will thankfully assume
 responsibility for snow removal of the new sidewalk.
- You may have noticed the refreshed beauty of the SFA church roof. Gutters and the slate roof were cleaned, and repairs were made to the slate roof.
- Both religious education income and expenses were up this year, proving that we are revitalizing our
 parish through the faith of our families with youngsters. 37 Students had their First Reconciliation, and
 35 students received their First Eucharist this year. Our R.E. Department had fun teaching, and the
 students had fun learning our faith with 50 students, including campers and teen counselors, at
 Vacation Bible School this Summer.
- Steubenville East teens thanked the parishioners at Mass for their support and witnessed how God's Spirit touched and reached deeply into their hearts, in life changing ways at this event.
- The Knights of Columbus donated \$50,000 to the parish. These are the major things we did with this money:
 - Replaced the controller for the church bell at SFA
 - Cut and removed 3 trees at SFA and 1 at SMM, as well as sidewalk repairs at both locations per the safety inspection recommendations by the Archdiocese
 - Finished the final phase of the drainage project
- Here are some of the major projects still needed at our facilities:
 - Replace A/C units. The oldest was installed in 1993 and uses an obsolete refrigerant
 - Installation of a handicapped bathroom at SMM
 - Replace, do overlay, or patch the parking lots

We now must humbly ask you, as part of our parish family, if you can see it in your heart and in your budget to increase your regular giving by looking at the numbers and items needed on this report. It will make a big impact going forward as our contracted services, labor wages, and utilities all continue to climb, and we are making every effort to grow our Religious Education Program. Every bit helps, and we are most grateful to each of our parishioners not only for their monetary donations but for their gift of time and volunteering which cumulatively uplifts and strengthens our parish.

St. Junipero Serra Parish

FY2024 Annual Report to Parishioners

Ordinary Revenue:	FY2024	FY2023
Offertory-Weekly, Monthly, Holy Days	\$718,865	\$690,705
Annual Collection	\$144,218	\$178,047
Misc. Income (Candles, flowers, etc.)	\$24,331	\$31,696
Stole Fees	\$9,350	\$17,377
Gifts & Donations (incl Temp. Restricted)	\$38,055	\$45,875
Other Programs & Events	\$74,174	\$55,497
Religious Education	\$34,679	\$24,774
Investment Income	\$30,249	\$1,565
Rental Income	\$4,580	\$3,195
TOTAL INCOME	\$1,078,501	\$1,048,731

Bank Accounts as of 6/30/24		
Operating Checking	\$151,393	
Stipend Account	\$7,882	
Savings	\$189,664	
Investments (CDs & Morgan Stanley)	\$744,767	
TOTAL	\$1,093,706	

Ordinary Expenses:	FY2024	FY2023
Salaries & Payroll Taxes	\$431,875	\$438,794
Benefits	\$64,211	\$62,534
Contracted Services	\$119,520	\$157,012
Utilities	\$93,931	\$98,762
Insurance	\$29,534	\$26,961
Rectory Expenses	\$12,011	\$11,712
Church Maintenance	\$46,431	\$58,634
Sacramental & Liturgical Expenses	\$31,901	\$34,368
Religious Education	\$26,878	\$21,633
Community Charity & Social Ministry	\$10,980	\$7,628
Office Expenses	\$28,358	\$25,912
Parish Activities & Social Expenses	\$24,141	\$25,127
Professional Services	\$10,219	\$11,709
Misc. Admin. Expenses	\$2,777	\$811
Cathedraticum (Diocesan Expense)	\$104,032	\$135,959
Print, Publication & Membership	\$2,376	\$4,055
School Assessments (Diocesan Expense)	\$4,250	\$1,000
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,043,425	\$1,122,611

Statistics for FY2023	
Registered Families	2664
Baptisms	28
First Communions	44
Confirmations	41
Adults Baptized	0
Adults Received Into the Church	0
Weddings/Convalidations	8
Funerals	108
Students: K-8 Religious Education	268
Students: Confirmation Prep. Gr 9&10	84
Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Servers	79

Statistics for FY2024		
Registered Families	2655	
Baptisms	35	
First Communions	35	
Confirmations	53	
Adults Baptized	0	
Adults Received Into the Church	0	
Weddings/Convalidations	3	
Funerals	77	
Students: K-8 Religious Education	218	
Students: Confirmation Prep. Gr 9&10	106	
Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Servers	79	

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