

## ST. ANDRÉ BESSETTE PARISH

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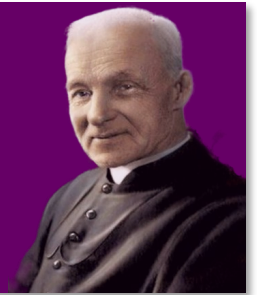
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*All Hallows, Moosup*

*St. Augustine, Canterbury*

*St. John the Apostle, Plainfield*



## WELCOME TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

### MASS TIMES

#### **Saturday Vigil:**

4:30 p.m. - Canterbury

#### **Sunday:**

8:00 a.m.- Moosup

10:30 a.m.- Plainfield

**Monday-** No public Mass

**Tuesday-** No public Mass

**Wednesday-** 6:00 p.m. Mass followed by Novena to St. Peregrine and Benediction- Plainfield

**Thursday-** 7:30 a.m.- Moosup and 6:00 p.m.- Canterbury (*Holy Hour to follow the 6 p.m. Mass*)

**Friday-** 8:00 a.m.- Plainfield (*Adoration after the First Friday Mass*)

*Holy Days will be announced in the bulletin.*

### SACRAMENTS

**Reconciliation:** Saturday 3:30-4:00 p.m. in Canterbury or by appointment.

**Hospital & Home Visits:** Please notify the priest of family illness. Please be advised that some institutions have an onsite chaplain.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Anytime by request, in the home of the sick.

**Baptism:** Please contact the office for an arrangement.

**Marriage:** Couples should call the office at least one year in advance to reserve a date and make arrangements.



## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

So they brought the colt to Jesus and put their cloaks over it. And he sat on it. Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. - Mk 11:7-8

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## MARCH 23 & 24, 2024



## WELCOME TO OUR PARISH COMMUNITY



**All Hallows**

126 Prospect St, Moosup



**St. Augustine**

144 Westminster Rd, Canterbury



**St. John the Apostle**

15 Railroad Ave, Plainfield

### Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Greg Jednaki  
Deacon: Timothy Marshall  
Secretary: Adele Comeau  
Bookkeeper: Patricia LaBonte  
DRE: April Gibson

### Parish Contact Information

Office Phone: (860) 564-3313 Rel. Ed: 860-230-5243

Fax: (860) 564-3314

Fr. Greg: (860) 839-0664 (For emergencies only)  
(Fr. Greg's days off: Monday & Tuesday)

Email: standrebparish@gmail.com

Rel. Ed. Email: standrereligioused@gmail.com

### Mailing Address (all correspondence):

10 Railroad Ave, Plainfield, CT 06374

### Website:

<https://standrebparish.wixsite.com/standrebessetteparis>

### Parish Office Hours

Adele: Mon-Fri.. from 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Patricia: Wednesday 8:30 a.m. -2:30 p.m.

### Sites of Worship Groups

All Hallows K of C: Meets the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Church Basement

St. John: Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Guild meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:15 p.m. in St. John's Church Hall. No meetings in January, June, July or August.

St. John & St. Augustine: K of C meets the 4th Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. at St. John's Church.

St. Augustine Ladies Guild: Meeting dates and times to be announced.

### Please make all checks payable to: St. André Bessette Parish

#### Online Giving: 03/17/24- \$1,148.02

Offertory (03/17/24):	\$5,188.00
Easter Flowers:	\$2,267.00
Easter:	\$ 15.00
Fuel:	\$ 20.00
Total:	\$7,490.00

Online: \$1,148.02 + Weekly: \$7,490.00 = \$8,638.02

#### Diocesan Collections- 03/17/24

Rice Bowl: \$2.00 Sick & Infirm Priests: \$2.00

### **Thank you for your continued generosity!**

The second collection this weekend (03/24):

**Rice Bowl**

The second collection next weekend (03/31):

**Easter Collection**

## Palm Sunday



*Hosanna In The Highest*

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### STEWARDSHIP

"Pilate again said to them, 'Then what shall I do with the man whom you call the King of the Jews?' And they cried out again, 'Crucify him.'" – MARK 15:12-13. Jesus told us "whatever you do for the least of my brothers, you do for me." Every day we are presented opportunities to help someone. Every day we have the opportunity to see the face of Jesus in others and be the face of Jesus to others. Every day we pass by someone in need. Pray for the strength and courage to be the answer to someone's prayer.



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## **MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, March 23rd**

**Palm Sunday– Vigil**

*St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop*

**4:30 p.m.– Canterbury:** †The Poor Souls in Purgatory *by Lorraine Wisniewski*; †Pat Leo *by Claire and the Leo family*; and †Bob Bernier *by Ralph Seney*

**Sunday, March 24th**

**Palm Sunday**

**8:00 a.m.– Moosup:** †Alfred & Doris Collelo, Phil Janetatos, and Francis & Sylvia Burton and Brian *by Ward*

**10:30 a.m.– Plainfield:** †Donna Lussier *by her family*; †Zenon Zawadzki *by his wife & family*; †Cecile Bachmann *by Dennis & Brenda Bastien*; and †Leszek Jednaki *(4th anniversary) by Fr. Greg*

**Monday & Tuesday–No public Mass**

**Wednesday, March 27th**

**6:00 p.m.– Plainfield:** †William Maruzo *by Cecile Lobe*; and †Robert & Anna Callahan *by family*

**Holy Thursday, March 28th**

**7:00 p.m.– Plainfield:** †William & Laura Demers *by family*

*\*No 7:30 am Mass in Moosup*

*\*No 6:00 pm Mass in Canterbury; No Holy Hour*

**Good Friday, March 29th**

**Stations of the Cross & Good Friday Service**

**3:00 p.m. in Plainfield**

*\*No 8:00 am Mass in Plainfield*

**Holy Saturday, March 30th**

**Easter Vigil**

**8:00 p.m.– Plainfield:** The parishioners of St. André Bessette and their intentions.

*\*No 4:30 pm Mass in Canterbury; No Confessions*

**Sunday, March 31st**

**Easter Sunday**

**8:00 a.m.– Moosup:** †Richard C. Watson *(10th anniversary) by Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Watson and family*

**10:30 a.m.– Plainfield:** †Claire Mason *by her family*; †Ed Kivela *(In memory of his 89th birthday) by his wife*; and †Cecile Bachmann *by Theresa & David Col-lard*;

## **Mass Attendance:**

**Mar. 16, 2024**

4:30 p.m.– Canterbury: 86

**Mar. 17, 2024**

8:00 a.m.– Moosup: 113

10:30 a.m.– Plainfield: 155

## **Holy Week Schedule**



**HOLY THURSDAY– March 28th**

**7:00 pm in Plainfield**

*\*No Mass at 7:30 am in Moosup and*

*\*No Mass at 6:00 pm in Canterbury (No Holy Hour)*

**GOOD FRIDAY**

**Stations of the Cross & Service– March 29th**

**3:00 pm in Plainfield**

*\*No Mass at 8:00 am in Plainfield*

**HOLY SATURDAY– March 30th**

**Blessing of the Food at 12:00 pm in Plainfield**

**Easter Vigil Mass at 8:00 pm in Plainfield**

*\*No Confessions & No Mass at 4:30 in Canterbury*

**EASTER SUNDAY– March 31st**

**8:00 am in Moosup**

**10:30 am in Plainfield**



## **FASTING & ABSTINENCE**

- **Catholics in good health ages 18 to 59 are required to fast and to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.**
- Fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal.
- Catholics age 14 and older are to abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent.





# PALM SUNDAY PANCAKE BREAKFAST



**All Hallows Church**  
**March 24, 2024**  
**9:00-11:00 AM**

**Adults: \$8.00**  
**Children 10 and under: \$5.00**

*Tickets will be available at the door.*



**St. André Bessette Rosary Group-** The group meets at 10:00 a.m. at St. John's Church. All are welcome to join us! Occasionally, the date/place must change (in the case of a funeral or Special Mass). Please contact the parish office to confirm.  
**\*\*Next dates:** Wednesdays: Mar. 27; Monday, Apr. 1st; Wednesdays: April 10, 17, & 24

**Chrism Mass-** This year, Bishop Michael R. Cote, D.D., invites you to the Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of St. Patrick in Norwich on Tuesday, March 26, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. The Chrism Mass is the Liturgy during which the sacred Chrism is consecrated and the Oil of the Sick and the Oil of the Catechumens are blessed. These oils are sanctified for use at the Cathedral and in all parishes in the Diocese of Norwich for Baptism, Confirmation and the Anointing of the Sick and for the Ordination of Priests. Together the three oils symbolize the sacramental life of the Church. **Since the Chrism Mass is truly a Diocesan event ALL parishioners are invited.**



## Blessing of the Food

**Saturday, March 30th**  
**12:00 pm - Noon**  
**Plainfield**

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY:

Tyler Belfleur, William Perreault, Anne Marie Messier, Claire LeNoir, Tyler Bixler, Marion Cole, Betty Ann Dailley, Molly Hoffman, Brock Nowicki, Bev Nickerson, Carrie Grzywacz, Earl Huber, Roy Ernest Cote, Mr. & Mrs. Leo Roberts, Robert Frederick Civardi, David Chartier, Carol Beebe Cartino, Linda Lussier, Mary Smith-Ridgway, Scott Wozniak, Ernest Charron, Rick Wheary, Susan Wallace, Robbie, Robert Desrosiers, Raymond Blanchard, Robert Bernek, Heather Barry, Jessica Maynard, Francine Goyette Zampini, Clare Despathy, & Bob (Bucko) Gauthier. *If you have someone you would like to add to the prayer list, please call the office (860) 564-3313 or send an email to: standrebparish@gmail.com.*

**Please contact the parish office with any updates for the Prayer List. Thank you!**



- **CCD Bread feast-** Mar. 24th during CCD Class
- **Confirmation Rehearsal-** Apr. 25th at 6:00 pm at the Cathedral of St. Patrick, Norwich
- **Confirmation-** Saturday, Apr. 27th at 10:00 am at the Cathedral of St. Patrick, Norwich
- **First Communion-** Saturday, May 11th at 10 am in Plainfield

**All Hallows Development Committee-** The AHDC will have a meeting Sunday, April 14th following the 8 a.m. Mass in the church basement. All are invited to attend! We are always looking for new members and ideas.

## MARCH

29	Fish Dinner 4-7 pm @ Plainfield
24	Palm Sunday Breakfast @ Moosup from 9-11 am
28	Holy Thursday- 7 pm Mass in Plainfield
29	Good Friday-Stations of the Cross & Service @ 3 pm. Office Closed
30	Holy Saturday Blessing of Food at 12 pm in Plainfield No 3:30-4 pm Confessions in Canterbury Easter Vigil @ 8 pm in Plainfield
31	Easter Sunday Masses: 8 am- Moosup and 10:30 am- Plainfield

## APRIL

1	Office Closed (Easter Monday)
14	ADHC mtg. after the 8 am Mass in Moosup
25	Confirmation rehearsal @ 6 pm at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Norwich
27	Confirmation @ 10 am at St. Patrick's Cathedral
28	K of C 6999 Pancake Breakfast 8 am-12 pm

### 1 Year Memorial Candles in St. John's Church

The blue candles (in front of Our Lady Statue)

*April 1, 2024– March 31, 2025*

If you are interested in a memorial candle, or would like to renew one, **you must contact the parish office @ 860-564-3313**. You may place the \$100.00 donation into the collection basket marked: Attn. Adele at the parish office, or bring it directly to the parish office. **The candles are on a first come, first serve basis.**

### **BINGO EVERY MONDAY NIGHT!**

All Hallows Church Hall (Basement Entrance)

**126 Prospect Street Moosup CT**

**Doors open @ 5:30 pm | Game starts @ 7:00 pm**

*Food and Drinks are available for sale!*

**Entrance is handicap accessible.**

*Parking is available behind the school.*

*Hosted by K of C Council 270*

### CEMETERY SPRING CLEAN-UP

St. Joseph – Norwich

St. Mary– Norwich

Sacred Heart– Norwich

St. Patrick– Uncasville

**Sacred Heart– Wauregan**

**All Hallows– Moosup**

St. Mary– New London

Resurrection– Westbrook

Beginning April 1, 2024, we will begin removing Winter decorations in the cemeteries. Please be sure to collect your winter decorations prior to April 1st. Please note: decorations for graves should be contained in a cemetery box no larger than 2' x 1'2". One decoration display per lot. Solar lights may be placed in the cemetery box. Decorations placed directly into the ground will be removed per our insurance regulations. For a complete list of rules and regulations on decorations, contact the cemetery office @ 860-887-1019.

### ST. MICHAEL PRAYER

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

**If you plan to attend, please let the parish office know. They would like to recognize people from St. André Bessette Parish that are in attendance.**



## SAINT ANDRE BESSETTE COMING TO ESSEX, CT

Our Lady of Sorrows Church  
(Saint Teresa of Calcutta Parish)

14 Prospect Street, Essex, CT 06426, USA

Phone: 860 767 1284 [www.stteresaofcalcuttaparish.org](http://www.stteresaofcalcuttaparish.org)

**Date: Sunday, April 14, 2024**

- ▶ **12 noon** : Mass in the presence of the Relic of Saint André Bessette
- ▶ **1:00 pm** : Talks on Saint Brother André
- ▶ **1:40 pm** : Veneration of the Relic and Blessing with the Oil of St. Joseph

Lead by: Fr. Jomon Kalladanthiyil, CSC



St. André Bessette Parish  
**LENTEN FISH DINNERS**

St. John the Apostle Church  
 15 Railroad Ave.  
 Plainfield, CT 06374



**This Friday is  
 the last fish  
 dinner!**

**TAKE OUT ONLY**  
**CALL: 860-564-8085**  
**Every Friday during Lent**  
**Feb. 16th—Mar. 29th**  
**4:00—7:00 PM**

*DINNERS SERVED WITH FRENCH FRIES OR MASHED POTATOES,  
 VEGETABLE OR COLESLAW*

**Dinners**

BAKED FISH DINNER .....	\$15.00
FISH & CHIPS DINNER .....	\$15.00
CLAM STRIP DINNER .....	\$15.00
SHRIMP DINNER .....	\$17.00
FRIED SCALLOP DINNER .....	\$17.00

**Sides**

FISH SANDWICH W/FRIES & COLESLAW .....	\$10.00
GRILLED CHEESE W/FRIES .....	\$ 5.00
FRENCH FRIES .....	\$ 4.00
ONION RINGS .....	\$ 5.00

CLAM CAKES ..... 1/2 DOZ. \$5.00 ..... 1 DOZ. \$10.00

RED OR CLEAR CLAM CHOWDER .... 16 OZ. \$5.00.....32 OZ. \$10.00

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RAFFLE**

Sponsor: Cathedral of St. Joseph Council 11405  
 140 Farmington Ave, Hartford, CT 06105

**NET PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT CT STATE COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**DRAWING DATE:**

**Saturday, April 20, 2024 at 9:00 pm**

Hartford Marriott Downtown

200 Columbus Blvd.

Hartford, CT

**TICKET PRICE \$10 EACH**

**TEN PRIZES TO BE AWARDED!**

1ST PRIZE-	\$5,000.00
2ND PRIZE-	\$3,500.00
3RD PRIZE-	\$2,000.00
4TH PRIZE-	\$1,500.00
5TH PRIZE-	\$1,000.00
6TH PRIZE-	\$ 600.00
7TH PRIZE-	\$ 500.00
8TH PRIZE-	\$ 400.00
9TH PRIZE-	\$ 300.00
10TH PRIZE-	\$ 200.00

**FOR TICKETS, CONTACT:**

**Tim Boyd:** 860-564-5298

**Erick Encarnacion:** 860-203-4589

**Scott LaPorte:** 860-230-7698

**Tom Sinkewicz:** 860-420-7090

*Ticket holders need not be present to win. Winner required to pay all Federal, State & Local taxes.*

**Knitting Retreat Day-** Saturday, April 6, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.. Presenter: Christine M. Berté During our time together, we will explore the history of the prayer shawl ministry, originating right here in Hartford, CT. While knitting and working on projects, participants will listen to spiritual writings. We will discuss ways in which our fiber work can be a message of spirituality and a way of bringing people together. Please visit [holyfamlyretreat.org/knitting](http://holyfamlyretreat.org/knitting) for more information. *Holy Family Passionist Retreat Center – West Hartford, CT.*

**St. Andre Bessette Men's Spirituality Group-** The Men's Spirituality Group will meet once a month on the 3rd Sunday for the next few months at All Hallows following the 8:00 a.m. Mass. The group ends by 9:40 a.m. Come join us!



**If you have a birthday or anniversary, please let Fr. Greg know before Mass. He will acknowledge it during Mass.**

**K of C Council 6999**  
**PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

**SUNDAY**  
**APRIL 28TH**  
**8 AM to 12 PM**

**St. John's  
 Church Hall**

**Pancakes, Tater Tots,  
 Scrambled Eggs, &  
 Sausage, Coffee,  
 Juice, Tea**

**Any donations will be  
 gladly accepted!**

**All donations to benefit St.  
 Andre Bessette Parish!**

