

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

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PARISH STAFF

Rev. Richard A. Scioli, C.S.S., Pastor

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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 4:00 P.M. Vigil

Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 A.M.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday

7:00 A.M.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday 3:00 – 3:30 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Second & Fourth Sunday 12:30 P.M.

RCIA and ADULT CONFIRMATION

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

One year prior notice required

MISSION STATEMENT

Guided by the Spirit of God, the Roman Catholic parish family of Sacred Heart of Jesus celebrates a living faith in Jesus Christ. As a people of God we are committed to worship in the Eucharist, to prayer and to an awareness of the needs of local and global communities as the Gospel message instructs us. We direct our efforts to promote excellence in the Catholic tradition of education at all levels. We are diligent and responsible in maintaining sound financial and physical resources to meet current and future obligations. We strive to see the face of Jesus Christ in every person and to utilize the diversity of gifts present in our parish through collaborative ministries and apostolates.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

(508) 473-1036

email: ccdoffice@sacredheartmilford.org

Coordinators:

Amy Donahue and Andrew Tomaski

Janet Morganelli, Ph. D. -

Safe Environment Coordinator

for Parish and School

MILFORD CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

(508) 473-7303

Marie Sciretta, Principal

July 14– July 20

 **MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE WEEK**

Mon.	7:00 a.m.	For All the Holy Souls in Purgatory, sponsored by Helpers of the Holy Souls
Tues.	7:00 a.m.	Eleanor Mussulli by her husband and family
Wed.	7:00 a.m.	Giuseppina & Prospero Cocimano by the family
Fri.	7:00 a.m.	Rose Annantuonio by son Anthony and family
Sat.	4:00 p.m.	Richard Pedroli, Jr. by the family
Sun.	7:30 a.m.	Vincenzo & Jennie Spallone by the family
	9:00 a.m.	For All Our Parishioners
	10:30 a.m.	Angelo Mazzuchelli by the family



Peter Consigli, Jr.
Louise Laronga
John Miller IV
Archbishop Moacyr Vitti, C. S.S.
Sr. Bette Gould, S.S.J.
Mario Ciccarelli
John Caezza



DAILY BREAD FOOD PANTRY

Our Daily Bread Food Pantry collection items for the month of July are **Baked Beans and Beef Stew.** If you wish to donate please bring the items to Mass and place them in the baskets provided at the entrances.



PARTNER' IN CHARITY

On behalf of thousands of people who will be assisted by programs funded by **Partners in Charity**, thank you if you have already made a pledge or gift for the 2014 Appeal. If you have not made a pledge or given a gift this year, but have in the recent past, a telephone call will be made in the near future on the parishes behalf to ask for you support. Supporting **Partners in Charity** is a meaningful way of expressing our gratitude to God for his many blessings he has bestowed on us. Thank you for this special consideration.



MASS SCHEDULE

The Sunday Mass schedule is changing to **8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.** on **January 1, 2015.** To allow everyone the opportunity of scheduling a Mass we ask that you limit your weekend intentions to **ONE MASS** per deceased (or other intentions). Masses for **2015** may be scheduled at the rectory during office hours: 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Your cooperation and understanding are truly appreciated.



Milford Catholic Elementary School and Little Angels Preschool are presently accepting registrations for the **2014-2015 school year.** Located at 11 East Main St. Milford Catholic Elementary School is fully accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. Milford Catholic offers full-time Kindergarten through Grade 6, as well as full and part-time three year old and four year old programs, providing a faith-based education with small class sizes and more personal attention for every student. Before and After School programs are available. **Tour the school, meet the teachers, and see what makes our school so special.** Call **(508) 473-7303** for more information.

PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE YOUR BULLETINS IN THE PEWS, TAKE THEM HOME WITH YOU FOR EASY REFERENCE DURING THE WEEK. THANKS.



Summer Program

College of Saint Mary Magdalen

Once again, the College of Saint Mary Magdalen in Warner, NH is pleased to announce the dates for its Summer Program for high school students. The Collegiate Summer Program offers participants the opportunity to study theology, philosophy, literature and political science. During the summer program, students also attend daily Mass and enjoy sports, socials and day trips including hiking and canoeing. The program is for students who will be entering their sophomore, junior or senior year of high school in the fall of 2014. It is also open to students who have just graduated high school. The Collegiate Summer Program is a two-week session that runs from Sunday, July 27 - Saturday, August 9, 2014. Register today at http://www.magdalen.edu/! For more information, contact the admissions office at admissions@magdalen.edu or (603) 456.2656.



SHUT-INS: If you are aware of an elderly or disabled parishioner, presently homebound, who would like to receive the Eucharist at home, please call rectory at (508) 634-5435 so that we may make arrangements.



Brown Bag Dinner

Thank you to those who have volunteered or donated food for the Brown Bag Dinner. We serve fresh fruit, vegetables and water to feed adults and children in our community on the last Saturday of the month. We have heard some of the following comments from our guests "Thank you for helping us in this time of dire need", "God bless you all for helping me and my children". "This is the first meal I've had all day". Clearly we are meeting a need in our community and we will continue to provide a free and nutritious brown bag dinner on the last Saturday of every month. If you would like to donate food or grocery store gift cards or if you would like to volunteer to help make and serve sandwiches at the Unitarian Universalist Church on Pine Street in Milford, please contact Lisa and Brian Blackwell at lnblackwell@gmail.com or 508-244-0109 or Donnalee Shain at tomatt4@verizon.net. or call 508-478-3536; Doors for guests are open from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.



The Sacred Heart Women's Club would like to thank everyone who supported our recent bottle and can drive. Your donation helped us to earn \$257 toward our first annual scholarship to be awarded next spring. It was so successful we have decided to hold another drive on Saturday, September 20th and possibly one in January! Please watch the bulletin and newspapers for details. Once again, thank you for your support and have a safe summer!



How about making a Cursillo weekend?

Cursillo or "short course in Christianity" is an uplifting and educational experience. Cursillo was brought from Spain to the United States in 1962. The weekend is conducted by a team of laypeople and clergy who deliver organized talks and discussions. What the presenters add to the talks is the witness of their own lives, their struggles and triumphs in Christ. The weekend is full of laughter, prayer, great music, wonderful meals and so much more. The next men's Cursillo weekend is being held December 18-21, 2014 at the Prindle Pond Conference Center in Charlton, MA. For additional information and/or an application, please contact: Carolyn Galgano at (508) 847-7005 or email at angels3cma@gmail.com or Joan Laracy at (774) 239-2474 or email at joanlaracy@yahoo.com.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER



Take time to reflect, renew and re-energize your marriage on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Week-ends on September 19-21, and October 17-19. For more information call Jim and Elaine Richard at 1-800-710 WWME or visit www.wwme.org.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND THE RELIGIOUS LIFE.

Parish Financials

Parish Support:.....6/29/14.....\$ 10,327.00
7/06/14.....\$12,342.33

Average Wkly. Expenses (June)\$ 9,398.40
Thank you for your continued support each week

JULY 13, 2014

TURN TO THE SAINTS
ST. VINCENT DEPAUL
PATRON SAINT OF CHARITIES

Vincent DePaul was born in 1581 in southwestern France, the son of a poor peasant farmer. He was an intelligent child and at the age of 15 was sent to study under the Franciscan Friars. He later continued his studies at the University of Toulouse and was ordained a priest at a very early age. He was immediately assigned to an important position as a teacher to wealthy families and lived rather comfortably. In 1605 having inherited a property from a wealthy family, he traveled to Marseilles to collect the inheritance. On the way home, his ship was hijacked. Vincent was captured by a group of Barbary pirates, taken to Tunis and sold into slavery. This future saint spent 2 years in bondage having been sold to 3 different masters. His last master was a former Catholic priest who converted to Islam in order to gain his freedom and he was married to a Muslim woman. This woman was drawn to Vincent and questioned him extensively about his faith. She became convinced that his faith was indeed the 'true' faith. Whereupon she admonished her husband for renouncing Christianity. Having become remorseful he decided to escape to France taking his slave, Vincent with him. Once back in France, Vincent returned again to parish life. One day as he ministered to a poor dying man, he suddenly realized how badly the poor people of France needed help. This revelation coupled with his experience in slavery led him to the founding of a congregation of Priests completely dedicated to the service of the poor. He made a pledge to God to serve the poor and relinquish any quest for power and prestige. The religious order of Priests became known as Vincentians, an order with vows of poverty, chastity, obedience and stability who would devote themselves entirely to the service to the poor. From here his ministry would grow. He organized groups of women to collect funds for missionary projects, founded hospitals and gathered relief funds for the victims of war and to ransom 1,200 slaves from North Africa. St. Vincent became known as the "Great Apostle of Charity." The Society of St. Vincent DePaul was established by French University students in 1833 and has a presence today in 132 countries throughout the world. St. Vincent is quoted saying: "It is not sufficient to love God if I do not love my neighbor. I belong to God and to the poor". St. Vincent DePaul died in Paris in 1660 and was declared Patron Saint of all Works of Charity by Pope Leo XIII. His feast day is September 27th.