

# Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

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Parish Founded 1905      Staffed by the Stigmatine Fathers

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## *PARISH STAFF*

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

Deacon Pasquale G. Mussulli

Rev. Gregory J. Hoppough, C.S.S. (weekends)

## *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](mailto: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

**November 3—November 9**

Mon.	7:00 a.m.	All Souls Novena
Tues.	7:00 a.m.	All Souls Novena
Wed.	7:00 a.m.	All Souls Novena
Fri.	7:00 a.m.	All Souls Novena
Sat.	4:00 p.m.	All Souls Novena
Sun.	7:30 a.m.	All Our Parishioners
	9:00 a.m.	Ben, & Louis Porzio, Tony & Dora Molinaro by Lucy Williams
	10:30 a.m.	All Souls Novena

 **MASS INTENTIONS  
FOR THE WEEK**



**We welcome into our Community of Faith**  
**Joseph Vincent Jencks**  
**Skylar Kenneth Speroni**  
**Braden David Whitefield**

We ask that you pray for them and their families. May God continue to shower them with his love.

**Religious Education** 

**Saturday and Sunday, November 1-2,** Some members of the Confirmation class will be experiencing a Retreat at the Betania II Spiritual Life and Marian Center in Medway. **Please keep these young adults in your prayers.**

**Sunday, November 2nd,** the **Year 2** Confirmation class "Made for the Mission" will be held in the Chapel Room from 6:00—8:00 p.m. for all 10th grade students.

**November 9.** The Religious Education Office will be sponsoring a Veteran's Day Service project from **11:30am-1pm** in the Chapel Room. Come join us making Christmas Cards for Operation Christmas Card, which send holiday cards to US troops serving overseas. Participants are asked to bring a toiletry article (shampoo, shaving cream, toothpaste, etc) to donate to a homeless veterans' shelter in Worcester.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN THE SERVICE. (THEY SERVE SO THAT WE CAN CELEBRATE OUR FREEDOM.)**



**DAILY BREAD FOOD PANTRY**

Our Daily Bread Food Pantry collection items for the month of **October are Hearty Soups, Ramen Noodles, and Baked Beans.** If you wish to donate please bring the items to Mass and place them in the baskets provided at the entrances. We wish to thank all the members of our parish family who support the Daily Bread Food Pantry through their volunteer activity, financial donations and prayers.



**PARISH CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2014**  
**MILFORD CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY**  
**SCHOOL CAFETERIA**  
**AFTER THE 10:30 A.M. MASS**

**For reservations call (508) 634-5435**

Coloring and face painting will be available (Under 2—free)—(3-12 yrs.—\$7.00)—(13 and adults—\$9.00).

Lunch includes: salad, dessert, coffee and juice.

***Please bring a gift with the child's name on it. Reservation deadline is December 2nd. You may bring your camera for pictures with Santa.***

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

**COMMEMORATION OF THE ALL FAITHFUL DEPARTED**



**MARIAN HIGH SCHOOL**

273 Union Ave, Framingham, MA 01702

**Admissions Office:** [admissions@marianhigh.org](mailto:admissions@marianhigh.org) or  
508-875-7646 x203;

**OPEN HOUSE**

**November 9, 2014: 1:00pm-3:00pm**

All Students Welcome

**High School Placement**

**Test Dates**

**November 15, 2014: 8:30am-10:30am**

**December 13, 2014: 8:30am-10:30am**

HSPT PREP COURSE DATES

**November 1<sup>st</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> from 9:00-12:15**



The Roland "Papa Smurf" Rugoletti Pavilion has finally been built at Camp Resolute, but the Fundraising Committee needs to finish paying for it. Join us for a fun evening of desserts, music, dancing, and a cash bar on **Saturday, November 8, 2014, from 7 to 10:30 p.m.** at the Italian/American Club, 4 Hayward Field, Milford, MA. The cost per person is \$10. To reserve your seat or for more information, contact Jack Armata at [djarmata@comcast.net](mailto:djarmata@comcast.net) or call him at 508-478-1289. Full table reservations of 8 people must be made in advance. Everyone is welcome.

**Knights of Columbus Veteran's Drive**



Council #80 of Milford will be collecting items for veterans at the Edith Nourse Memorial Veterans' Hospital in Bedford, MA. The drive will begin on November 2nd and end on November 9th. Baskets or boxes for your donations will be located in the sanctuary. Items needed

are: Men's and women's NEW sweatpants/sweatshirts, white socks & undershirts (large to XXLARGE), scarves, hats and gloves. Also, toiletries (not hotel size, please), such as deodorant, shampoo/conditioner, non-alcoholic mouthwash, toothpaste/toothbrushes, denture cleaner/poligrip, powder, body wash, baby shampoo, disposable razors, shaving cream, rechargeable electric razors (new), electric pre-shave lotion (alcohol free), aftershave, hand and body lotion, cosmetics, hair dryers, hair brushes/combs. Also accepting portable electronics such as i-pods, cd players, etc.) Thank you for your support.

Our parish prayer shawl and rosary beads ministries will resume this fall season on **Wednesday, November 5th** in the Kids Place at 6:00 p.m. Anyone interested in either of these ministries please call the rectory and leave your name and phone number.

**The Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Hopedale** would like to extend an invitation to parishioners of Sacred Heart of Jesus, Milford to visit their Twice Blessed Thrift Shop or visit their website at [www.shchopedale.org](http://www.shchopedale.org) to check out some of the specialty items in inventory. **Hours of operation are Thursday, 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. and Sunday from 8:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.** Because there is such a need to help others, the items are priced in a way to help those in need. Please stop by and check it out.



**SACRED HEART OF JESUS PARISH, HOPEDALE**

**Annual Christmas Fair**

**Crafters, vendors, raffles, food, bake sale, kids activities and pictures with Santa**

**DATE: Saturday, November 22, 2014**

**TIME: 10:00 AM – 2:00PM**

**PLACE: 187 Hopedale St., Hopedale**



Scouting For Food the largest food drive for the benefit of the Daily Bread Food Pantry in Milford will take place on **Sunday, November 2nd.** Local scouting volunteers will be picking up any food donations left out in plain view at your front door on **Sunday, November 2nd between the hours of 12-3pm.**

**MASS SCHEDULE**

The Sunday Mass schedule is changing to **8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.** on **January 4, 2015.**

**Parish Financials**

**Parish Support:.....10/26/14.....\$ 9,571.50**

**Average Wkly. Expenses (Sept.) .....\$ 7,796.39**

**Thank you for your continued support each week**

**NOVEMBER 3, 2014**

**FIRST FRIDAY – A DAY TO PRAY**

In the Gospel of St. Luke (18:1), Jesus reminded his disciples of the necessity to pray always and not to become weary. These same words of Jesus ring out so clearly in today's society. As baptized disciples of Jesus, should we not follow his advice when faced with the problems of this world? It takes faith, it takes courage, it takes persistence, to put ourselves in the complete trust of the Lord without becoming weary. Didn't Jesus also tell us to come to Him with our burdens of life and He would refresh us? When you feel so discouraged and the burdens of life are so heavy, this is when Jesus is calling you to come to Him. Lay your concerns before Him and He will comfort you and refresh you. One of those opportunities to pray is made available to you each **First Friday** when we can come and speak face to face with Jesus, present in the monstrance, during the hours of Eucharistic Adoration. Let this **First Friday, November 7<sup>th</sup>**, be the occasion to begin a new relationship with Jesus through prayer and adoration. **Mass will be celebrated at 7AM** in the Chapel of the Holy Spouses, Mary and Joseph, followed by **Eucharistic Adoration until 12 noon**. Set some time apart NOW, to come and visit **anytime** during these hours of adoration. Speak to Him and place all your concerns at His feet. Spend as much time as you need in prayer or silent adoration. The rosary is prayed every hour on the half hour beginning at 7:30 AM.



**PRAYER SERVICE**

**FOR ALL OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

Each time we pray the Apostle's Creed or renew our baptismal promises, we profess our belief in the Communion of Saints. This means that we believe that the Body of Christ, the Church, is ranked as the Church Triumphant, the Church Suffering, and the Church Militant. We on earth are the Church Militant. We are fighting the battle of choosing good over evil. The Church Triumphant are those who have attained eternal life, the Saints, and are celebrated on **November 1<sup>st</sup>**. The Church Suffering are those who have died and are not ready to enter into heaven because of the effects of sins carried with them into death. They need some purification before they can enter into heaven. It is our duty (as the Church Militant) to pray for the faithful departed (the Church Suffering) because they cannot pray for themselves. They are depending on us. The suffering of the Faithful Departed is that they see what is waiting for them (Paradise) but they need our prayers to get there. That is why we celebrate All Souls Day, on November 2<sup>nd</sup>, and we pray during the nine days for their repose. On **Friday, November 7<sup>th</sup>**, at **7 PM** we will have a special prayer service for all the Faithful Departed. We will remember them in a special way, by calling out the names of all our parishioners and friends who died this past year. Please join us in prayer on Friday in the Chapel of the Holy Spouses, Mary and Joseph. United in Christ, as the Communion of Saints, let us not forget our departed brothers and sisters.