

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 8:00 and 10:00 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

SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATORS:

Janet Morganelli, Ph. D. -

Tara Ridolfi, M. Ed.

Tricia Ridolfi, M. Ed.

MILFORD CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

(508) 473-7303

Marie Sciretta, Principal

July 13—July 19

 MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.	7:00 a.m.	For All Our Parishioners
Tues.	7:00 a.m.	Lucia and Nicola DiDomenico by their sons
Wed.	7:00 a.m.	Eleanor Mussulli by her husband and family
Fri.	7:00 a.m.	Palma DiFiore by her daughters
Sat.	4:00 p.m.	Mauriello and Arcudi families by the family
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Kathleen Thompson & Robert Michael Thompson by Charlene, Eric and Erica Thompson
	10:00 a.m.	Angelo Mazzuchelli by the family



Robert Tamulis, Sr.

Robert Capece

Donald Bliss



MISSION APPEAL SUNDAY

On the weekend of July 18th and 19th our parish is pleased to welcome Sister Maria Delaney SND of the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur who will preach at all Masses about her Community's missionary work and activities. This appeal is made through the Society of the Propagation of the Faith Office in Worcester. A second collection will be taken up to support the ministry of the Sisters. Parishioners are asked to be as generous as they possibly can in response to this appeal.



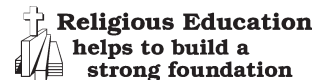
PARTNERS IN CHARITY

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2015 Partners in Charity Annual Appeal. Our parish has raised \$53,321. (71%). An additional \$21,679 is needed towards our goal of \$75,000. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment pledge envelope located at the entrance or visit www.partners-charity.net. Partners in Charity, formerly known as the Bishop's Fund, is the Annual Appeal for the Diocese of Worcester, serving 28 charitable, educational, and pastoral ministries. Through your generous support we are able to serve thousands of families and individuals in Worcester County through outreach, formation, evangelization, and worship. Thank you!!



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. 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.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

All family members of children are responsible for their religious education to enable them to grow in the faith of the church. All children in grades 1 through 10 should be registered for Religious Education. Registration forms are now available. Please open a registration form at www.sacredheartmilford.org.



PARENTS: Has your son or daughter ever expressed a desire to be an Altar Server? If so, and if they are 10 years of age or older please call the rectory at (508) 634-5435. Altar serving is not just for children anymore but for any adult with an interest to serve in this very important ministry of our parish. Consider participating as a family.

The rosary is prayed each weekday morning after the 7:00 a.m. Mass. All are welcome.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Women's Clubs

The Sacred Heart Women's Club Scholarship Committee is planning a **bottle and can drive** for **Saturday, September 19th**. Please save your redeemable bottles and cans for the club when you have your summer cookouts and parties. We appreciate your support. Time and place for drop off will be announced closer to the date. Have a wonderful and safe summer!



WHILE YOU ARE AWAY

This time of year many are going away during the weekends or throughout the summer. We ask you to please remember that we need your financial support during the summer months. Thank you for mailing in your donations when you are unable to attend weekend Mass here at Sacred Heart of Jesus. Your efforts make a considerable difference in helping us maintain our weekly *budget*. *Thanks for your support and God Bless!!!*



NOTICE

LEAVING MESSAGES ON THE VOICE MAIL

When leaving names and telephone numbers on the **RECTORY VOICE MAIL**, you should speak slowly and distinctly. Many times we are unable to properly get the names and telephone numbers of the callers because they speak so quickly. One should keep in mind that the secretary or pastor has to write down those items in order to call back. **Thank you!!!**

Our parish website is www.sacredheartmilford.org. Check it out for our Sunday bulletin, Mass schedule, information about our church, our music, our religious education program, our activities and much more.



If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious or lay person working for the church, and need a place to talk about your feeling of betrayal or hurt by the Church, call Frances Nugent, Victim Services Coordinator, Office for Healing and Prevention at (508) 929-4363. A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.



MASS SCHEDULE

The **2016 Mass** book is now available at the rectory. 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). Your cooperation and understanding are truly appreciated.



Milford Catholic Elementary School and Little Angels Preschool are presently accepting registrations for the **2015-2016 school year**. Located at 11 East Main St. in Milford, 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.



DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that we have a **"PRAYER INTENTION BASKET"** located in the vestibule in the Chapel of the Holy Spouses, Mary and Joseph? Paper and pen are waiting for you to write out your particular prayer request (**no names please**), and each morning, Monday thru Friday, your intention is prayed for by our Rosary Prayer Group after all the 7:00 a.m. morning Mass. They will also be placed before the Blessed Sacrament every First Friday during the hours of Adoration and at the Evening Prayer Service. After the First Friday devotions the petitions are burned and new intentions are collected for the following month. If you have a special need to be prayed for please stop by the Chapel or call the rectory **(508)-634-5435** and they will pass it on to Deacon Pat.

Parish Financials
Parish Support:.....7/05/15.....\$ 11,740.33
Average Wkly. Expenses (June)\$ 8,766.31
Thank you for your continued support each week

JULY 12, 2015

*Check
THIS OUT!*

**Volunteers Needed for
Rosary Bead Making Ministry**

Sandra Bonina is looking for people of all ages to learn how to make Rosaries. She has all the supplies and now needs people to put them together. There is a great demand for Rosary Beads from our local hospital for both patients and family members who are in crisis. We are always receiving requests for Rosaries from the Military for our men and women in the Service to our Country. Nursing homes are always requesting beads for their patients and family members and the list goes on. **This Ministry meets the first Wednesday of each month from September to June in the Chapel Room at 6:00 p.m. . Please call **Sandra at 508-473-8254 if you have any questions.****



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 you may visit their website at 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 less fortunate. Please stop by and check it out.



The Diocese of Worcester Commission for Women would like to welcome any woman interested in making a difference in our Church and society to come and visit one of its meetings. It strives to bond together the women of the Diocese through spiritual, educational, and social programs. Each year it studies pertinent books and discusses them during the meetings. All are welcome on the **3rd Tuesday** of each month at **7:00-8:30pm** in the meeting room at St. Mary's Church in Shrewsbury or you may also email us www.WorcesterCommissionForWomen.org.

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