

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

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PARISH STAFF

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

Deacon Pasquale G. Mussulli

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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

Director of Liturgical Music, Robert W. Blake, Jr

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

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Coordinators:

Amy Donahue and Andrew Tomaski

SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATORS:

Janet Morganelli, Ph. D. -

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MILFORD CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Marie Sciretta, Principal

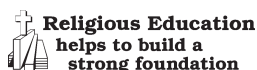
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Mon.	7:00 a.m.	For All Our Parishioners
Tues.	7:00 a.m.	Pasquale & Rose Annantuonio by their son and family
Wed.	7:00 a.m.	Joseph & Pierina Cifizzari by their son Anthony
Fri.	7:00 a.m.	For All the Holy Souls in Purgatory, sponsored by the Helpers of the Holy Souls
Sat.	4:00 p.m.	Anniversary for Theresa Mussulli by her brother-in-law Deacon Pasquale Mussulli
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Giuseppe DiFiore by his daughters
	10:00 a.m.	Deceased member of the Mazzini family by Joseph and Norma Mazzini



Carole DiDonato
Marie E Ciambelli



On **Tuesday, September 6** and **Wednesday September 7**, there will be a grade 1-10 parents meeting from 7 - 7:30 p.m. in the Bell Tower Room. **The CCD text books and information for all families will be distributed at this time.** Families with children in grades 1 and 3-8 may attend either date. Parents with children in grades 9-10 are asked to attend the **September 6** meeting, as additional information about Confirmation program requirements will be discussed from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Parents with children in grade 2 are asked to attend the **September 7** meeting, as additional information about Communion program requirements will be discussed from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The start of school brings the beginning of another year of learning about our Catholic faith for our Parish's children, either in the Parish's CCD program or through a Catholic school. On **Sunday, September 11th**, all families with children are invited to attend the **10 a.m. Mass**, so we may celebrate the start of another year of our children's journey of Faith as a Parish community. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Bell Tower Room and there will be service opportunities.

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



We welcome into our Community of Faith
Olivia Grace Cardoso
Ava "Judy" Stevenson

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



The rectory office will be closed on **Monday, September 5th** in observance of the Labor Day weekend

Sing Praise 

SERVICE MUSIC
September 4, 2016

Entrance: Holy Wisdom, Lamp of Learning (581)

Preparation: Take Up Your Cross (301)

Communion: I Received the Living God (383)

Recessional: Let All Things Now Living (458)



Parish Council

On **Monday, September 12th**, there will be a Parish Pastoral Council meeting in the Bell Tower Room at 7:00 pm. **All members are urged to attend.**

Sacred Heart of Jesus
Ministry Fair
October 8th and 9th
Bell Tower Room
After all Masses

Come see what our parish has to offer everyone and see what you can do to share your gifts of time and talent.

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Knights of Columbus, Valencia Council 80 of



Milford invites all boys and girls ages 9-14, including those enrolled in the Milford Hopedale Youth Soccer Association, to participate in the local level of competition for the 2016 Knights of Columbus Soccer

Challenge. The local competition will be held **Sunday, September 11th 2016**, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM at the Milford High School turf field. In the event of inclement weather a rain date is set for **Sunday, September 18, 2016**, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM at the same location. For entry forms to preregister or for additional information contact one of the following Valencia Council representatives: Gino Ante at e-mail cgasante@verizon.net. or call (508) 473-0923. or Dan Malm at (617)-799-0968 or email at dmal@sunriseerectors.com

Pilgrimage of the Silver Rose

The Knights of Columbus Silver Rose in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe that commemorates the "Events of Guadalupe" will be presented in the Lower Church on **Tuesday September 6, 2016** before the 7:00 AM Mass and will remain there for an hour of devotion following Mass. The Knights of Columbus Pilgrimage of the Silver Rose through Mexico, the United States and Canada represents a powerful expression of Marian devotion and intercontinental unity.

Knights of Columbus Meeting

The Knight of Columbus Valencia Council 80 will hold its next meeting on **Tuesday, September 6th** with installation of Officers at Saint Mary of the Assumption upper church. The Silver Rose will be presented at 6:00 p.m., the Rosary will be recited at 6:30 p.m. followed by the installation of officers at 7:00 p.m. This event is open to all parishioners, family members and friends of the Knights. A reception in the Lower Church conference room will follow the installation and all are invited.

Women's Clubs

SACRED HEART WOMEN'S CLUB

The **September** committee will meet in the Chapel Room on **Tuesday, September 13th** at 600 p.m. Please make every effort to attend.

Join Us For Coffee, 
Donuts and Conversation

Members of the Knights of Columbus will host coffee and donuts on **September 11th** in the Bell Tower Room after the **8:00 a.m. Mass**. Come join your neighbors and share a little friendship and conversation

DOING SOME FALL CLEANING!!!!

The Sacred Heart Women's Club is accepting donations for their Fall Rummage Spectacular!! They are looking for **GENTLY** used costume jewelry, handbags, accessories, Home and Holiday Décor and Cookbooks. Items may be dropped off on **Saturday, September 24th, October 1st, 8th and 15th** from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Elevator Entrance



Sacred Heart Women's Club Jewelry Sale

October 15th/16th (after all Masses)
Chapel Room

Come get an advance peek at items for our rummage sale on **Saturday, October 22nd**



AN INVITATION

TO A BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

On **Thursday, September 8th**, the Church celebrates The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Mary, the mother of Jesus, who was given to the Church (us) by Jesus Himself just before He died on the cross when He handed her over to St. John the Apostle is our heavenly mother who love us, her children. Just as we honor our earthly mothers on their birthday, we should all gather to honor our heavenly mother and thank her for the many blessings she has granted to us over this past year. **Mass** will be celebrated that morning at **7:00 AM**. In the evening we will gather at **7:00 PM** to pray the **rosary** in thanksgiving to Mary for the many blessings she has granted us, followed by her **Litany** and **Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament**. Following the evening service Birthday Cake and beverages will be served in the Chapel Room. This is a family event and all are invited to attend. Mass and evening services will take place in the Chapel of the Holy Spouses, Mary and Joseph.

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

Parish Financials

Parish Support:....8/28/16.....\$ 8,025.50
Average Wkly. Expenses (July).....\$ 8,174.46

Thank you for your continued support each week

SEPTEMBER 4, 2016



Milford Catholic Elementary School and Little Angels Preschool are presently accepting registrations for the **2016-2017 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 programs for three and four year olds which provide 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.

Women's Clubs

The Sacred Heart Women's Club scholarship committee will be sponsoring a bottle and can drive on Saturday, September 17th from 9 a.m. to Noon. The drive will be held at the Tran Redemption Center in the Hannaford's (soon to be Big Y) parking lot. Please save your beverage cans and bottles from your summer cookouts for our drive. We thank you for your support. Have an enjoyable and safe summer!

Rejoice

Sacred Heart of Jesus Adult Choir
Year 2016-2017

The Sacred Heart of Jesus Adult Choir would like to warmly welcome anyone interested in joining this year. If a full year commitment is too much, seasonal membership is also welcomed. All voices are needed and all skill levels are welcome; **no audition** is required. Rehearsals are in the choir loft **Thursdays** at **7:30 p.m.** and **Sundays 9:15 a.m.** The choir sings at all 10 a.m. Masses. For more information, contact Robert Blake, music director after Mass or by phone **(508) 634-5435**. **Our first choir rehearsal will be Thursday, September 22nd** at 7:30 p.m. in the organ loft and our first Sunday rehearsal and Mass will be **Sunday, September 25th** at 9:15 a.m.

IMPORTANT!

The next meeting of The Prayer Shawl Ministry and the Rosary Ministry will be held **September 7th** in the **CHAPEL ROOM** at 6:00pm.