

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

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

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, M. Ed. Principal

April 24—April 30

Mass  for the
Intentions *for the Week*

Mon.	7:00 a.m.	For All Our Parishioners
Tues.	7:00 a.m.	Savino Mele by Tom and Lucy Bellantuoni
Wed.	7:00 a.m.	Anthony and Eleanor Mussulli by the family
Fri.	7:00 a.m.	Feast of the Sacred Stigmata
Sat.	4:00 p.m.	Antoinette (Netta) Iannitelli by her husband
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Mass of Thanksgiving
	10:00 a.m.	Mazzini family by Joseph Mazzini



Jean Ruggiero
Arthur Iacovelli
Rev. Robert Masciocchi, C.S.S.

Paul Lavallee
Veronica Iacovelli
Andrew Chyko



SACRED HEART OF JESUS
Wednesday June 14, 2017
PAINT NIGHT

An exciting evening of painting will be held in the Bell Tower Room on June 14th as a fundraiser for the renovation of the Bell Tower Room. Cost is \$40.00 per person which includes the canvas, paints, and a social hour before the evening starts with appetizers and wine. Seating is limited.

Please call the rectory for reservations at (508) 634-5435.



YOUTH MINISTRY MULTICULTURAL NIGHT

The Youth ministries of St. Mary of the Assumption and Sacred Heart of Jesus Parishes of Milford are excited to present a fun multicultural night for teens and their families. All of our ethnic communities will be represented and each will share delicious foods, music and something special about their culture.

DATE: April 28th

TIME: 7-11 p.m.

WHERE: St Mary of the Assumption, Large Hall
RSVP, email us at multiculturalnight2017@gmail.com.
Sharing our Faith, Celebrating our Diversities



PARTNERS IN CHARITY

Thanks to all of our parishioners who have made their gift to the **2017 Partners in Charity Appeal**. Sacred Heart of Jesus is **64%** towards our goal of **\$71, 300.00**. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment pledge envelope located in the church entrances or visit www.partners-charity.net to do it online. 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 **April** are **shampoo, deodorant, and toothpaste**. If you wish to donate please bring the items to Mass and place them in the baskets provided at each entrance. 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.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

If you know of anyone who is ill, going to have surgery, depressed, in a nursing home or has lost a loved one please contact the rectory and a prayer shawl will be prepared. Anyone wishing to join may contact **Mary Maffia at (508) 473-8041** or **Barbara Iwanow at (508) 478-3397**.

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 can make arrangements.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Women's Clubs

SPRING TEA

The Sacred Heart Women's Club will be hosting a Spring Tea for the residents of Countryside Healthcare on **Friday, May 12th** at 2:00 p.m. Members who will be attending are asked to arrive at 1:30 with their pastries. If you have any questions, please call Marie Tomaski or Irene Ferrante.

Sacred Heart Women's Club Communion Breakfast Sunday, May 7, 2017 Following the 8:00 a.m. Mass



Tickets are \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members and may be purchased at the rectory. A buffet breakfast will be served. Members are asked to assemble in the Chapel by **7:40 a.m.** to proceed to Mass. Members who use the elevator should arrive at **7:45 a.m.** and sit in the reserved section.



Knights of Columbus Veteran's Drive

Valencia Council #80 of Milford will be collecting items for the Veteran's Hospital in Bedford. The drive will be held **May 13th/14th** and **May 20th/21st** at Sacred Heart of Jesus Parishes, Milford and Hopedale and St. Mary of the Assumption. A box for your donation will be located at the main entrance of each church. Items needed are: Men's and women's **NEW** sweat-pants/sweatshirts, white socks & undershirts (large to XXLarge), toiletries, such as deodorant, shampoo/conditioner, non-alcoholic mouthwash, toothpaste/toothbrushes, denture cleaner/adhesive, powder, disposal razors, shaving cream, aftershave, hand and body lotion, cosmetics, hair brushes/combs. **Thank you for your support!!**



Parish Council

SACRED HEART OF JESUS PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL RED SOX - YANKEES GAME August 12, 2017

Cost is \$114.00

Bus will leave from the parking lot across the street from the church.

Please call the rectory at (508)634-5435 for reservations.



Montrose School Open House: Wednesday, May 3 at 7:00 PM. Come and learn more about our nationally recognized program with lifelong results. **Intellect with character. Leadership with service. Faith with reason.** Inspired by the teachings of the Catholic Church, Montrose is an independent day school for girls in grades 6-12 in Medfield, MA. Visit MontroseSchool.org.



PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL SPONSORED BABY SHOWER FOR PROBLEM PREGNANCY

A Baby Shower for the Problem Pregnancy Group (a group of **volunteers** that help young women who choose to have their babies instead of an abortion) in Worcester will be held during May **and ending May 28th**. A basket will be in the main sanctuary. Items needed are: receiving blankets, onesies (0-3, 6-9 & 9-12), sleepers 0-3 6-9 and 9-12, baby toys, summer outfits 0-3, 6-9 and 9-12, bottles (4 & 8 oz.) and pacifiers. For mothers: Suave shampoo, conditioner and lotions. **NO COLOGNE.** **All items may be brought to the church and placed in the baskets (unwrapped) no later than May 28th.** **Members of the Women's Club may bring them to the next meeting on May 16th.**



The Milford Catholic Elementary School community prays each day for the personal intentions that are put on our Prayer Wall.

Milford Catholic Elementary School and Little Angels Preschool are presently accepting registrations for the **2017-2018 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. Call **(508) 473-7303** for more information.

APRIL 23, 2017

IMPORTANT!

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 Judith Audette, L.C.S.W., Victim Services Coordinator, Office for Healing and Prevention at **(508) 929-4363**. A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.



**Mount Saint Charles Academy's
May Entrance Exam
Saturday, May 6th at 8:15am.**

There is a \$30 application fee. For more information online, please visit: www.mountsaintcharles.org/exam. or contact Mr. O'Neill, Director of Admissions, at **401-769-0310 x137**, or at oneillj@mtstcharles.org. Walk-ins are always welcome.

In the tradition of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart, we are a private, Catholic, college preparatory 6th - 12th grade academy committed to academic excellence, moral values, and well-rounded students. Our commitment to caring means that each and every student is known, valued, and treasured.



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 facilitated 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. Our 2017 dates are: **June 22-25th** Women's **May 18-21st & October 12-15th**. All weekends will be held at the Immaculate Conception Spiritual Renewal Center in Putnam, CT. For additional information, please contact Carolyn Galgano at (508)-847-7005 or angels3cma@gmail.com. or Joan Laracy at 774-239-2474 or joanlaracy@yahoo.com.

Are you a registered parishioner? If you regularly attend Mass at Sacred Heart of Jesus Church and have not completed a registration form (or are new here and would like to join), please call the rectory at (508) 634-5435 to request a form.