



# Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

## PARISH STAFF

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Pastor

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## LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 4:00 P.M. Vigil  
Sunday 8:00 and 10:00 am

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday and Friday  
7:00 am

## 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

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

(508) 473-1036

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## Coordinators:

Amy Donahue and Andrew Tomaski

## SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATORS:

Janet Morganelli, Ph. D. - Tara Ridolfi, M. Ed. -  
Tricia Ridolfi, M. Ed.

## 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.

**March 11—March 17**



Mon.	7:00 a.m.	For All Our Parishioners
Tues.	7:00 a.m.	The deMatos family by the family
Wed.	7:00 a.m.	Alfred and Margaret Cox by their son & daughter-in-law
Fri.	7:00 a.m.	George and Mary Kearnan and their descendants living and deceased by Deacon Pasquale Mussulli
Sat.	4:00 p.m.	Lena Giacomelli by her daughter, granddaughter & son-in-law
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Rose Capuzziello & Alfred DeTore by the family
	10:00 a.m.	Attilio Ferretti by the family



**Timothy Stewart**



**Sunday, March 10th**, the Year 1 Confirmation class "Holy Week" will be held in the School Building from 12 noon-2:00 p.m. for all 9th grade students and any 10th grade make up students.

**Monday, March 11th**, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available for students in grades 2-10 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. in the Chapel of the Holy Spouses, Mary and Joseph. Please note that your child may arrive at any time during the scheduled hours. The children will receive this important sacrament of healing in the order in which they arrive.



**Special Collection**

**PARTNERS IN CHARITY**...Generate Joy! What an inspiration it is for all of us to know that when we support the Annual Partners in Charity Appeal we generate joy in the lives of those served by our many agencies and ministries. And you, in turn, share in the joy of bringing hope into the lives of those we serve.

**Text giving** is hands down the easiest and most secure way to give. If you know how to send a text message, you can make a gift to *Partners in Charity* in seconds on your phone. Best yet, our parish Sacred Heart of Jesus will receive credit! Text the word **donate to 84576**. In addition to giving you can also view the 2019 appeal video. You can also make your gift online at partners-charity.net. Thank you for your continued support!

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



**We welcome into our Community of Faith  
Nicholas Nieves**

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



**SERVICE MUSIC**  
**March 10, 2019**

**Entrance:** Organ Improvisation

**Preparation:** Led by the Spirit **(125)**

**Communion:** On Eagle's Wings **(436)**

**Recessional:** Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days **(137)**



**DAILY BREAD FOOD PANTRY**

Our Daily Bread Food Pantry collection items for the month of **March** are **toilet paper, kleenex, paper towels and napkins**. 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 and financial donations and prayers.

**LET'S ALL PITCH IN, PLEASE:** We request that you try to take a moment to tidy up the Church before you leave.. Simply return the Missalettes to their racks and take home the Parish Bulletin or return it to the entrances. We are appreciative of your doing this so that we can be ready for those who come to the next Mass. **Thank you !!!**

# FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



## Parish Council

On **Monday, March 11th** there will be a Parish Pastoral Council meeting in the Chapel Room at 7:00 pm. **All members are urged to attend.**



On **May 18th**, the Bell Tower Room Renovation Committee will again selling strawberry shortcake at **Celebrate Milford Day**. We encourage you to join us on this family fun day and support our parish.

On **May 15th** we will also be sponsoring a Pottery Painting evening in the Bell Tower Room.



## CHILDREN'S EASTER EGG HUNT

APRIL 7, 2019

BELL TOWER ROOM

11:30 a.m. (meeting in the Chapel Room)

For reservations call the rectory (508) 634-5435.

**COST:** under 2 is free—3—12 is \$6.00 and 13-adult is \$8.00.

Price includes: Salad, macaroni, meatballs, drinks and dessert.

To avoid confusion please reserve and pay at the rectory at (508) 634-5435. **Please bring a camera for pictures with the Easter Bunny and an Easter Basket for each child to collect eggs. Please meet the Easter Bunny in the Chapel Room at 11:30 a.m.**

Women's Clubs

The Sacred Heart Women's Club will once again be awarding a scholarship in the Spring to any woman in the parish pursuing higher education or a career certification program. This includes young women graduating from high school this Spring and those already enrolled in college or a certification program. Application packets, with eligibility criteria and instructions, can be obtained on the parish website, <http://www.sacredheartmilford.org>. Click on the "Events & News" tab. **You must print both documents** on the Sacred Heart Women's Club page. Applications must be received **no later than March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019**. If you have difficulty accessing the application, please contact Marie Tomaski at **(508)-478-3639**.

# WINTER RETREAT

## Multi-Parish Retreat 2019

### "A HOUSE BUILT ON SOLID ROCK – STRENGTHENING FAITH IN TIMES OF CRISIS"

Saturday, March 23, 2019

**Time is running out.** We hope you will join us for our multi-parish retreat. The cost is \$20.00 which includes breakfast and lunch. **When:** Saturday, March 23rd beginning at 8:00 a.m. and closing with Mass celebrated by Bishop Robert McManus at 4:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Parish Center, Milford. Download a form at <https://stmarysmilford.weshareonline.org> or register online by **March 18th**. For questions, contact Steve and Rosemary Trettel at (9508) 561-7745 or [strettel@comcast.net](mailto:strettel@comcast.net). Registration forms can be obtained in the parish rectory or back of the church.



## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Are there times in your life or marriage relationship when you judge you are in a spiritual desert? Bring life to your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are **Apr 13-14, 2019** in Brewster, MA and **Jun 8-9, 2019** in Medway, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://www.wmema.org/>.

# 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.

**We encourage all Altar Servers, Lectors and Ministers of the Eucharist to kindly get a replacement if you find that you are unable to fulfill your scheduled weekend obligation.**

## Parish Financials

Monthly Income (Feb.).....\$ 37,663.83

Ordinary Expenses: (Feb.).....\$ 42,627.68

Thank you for your continued support each week

**MARCH 10, 2019**

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**Special Collection**

For over 50 years, the Collection for the **Church in Latin America** has been a sign of the solidarity of the Church in the United States with the Church in Latin America and the Caribbean. The distance in rural areas and deteriorated roads make it difficult for some communities to have Mass regularly. Language barriers and lack of resources make the catechetical materials difficult to produce. We are called to share our faith with all and this collection is a prophetic and bold way to do so. You have helped young people accept the challenge to grow in faith by your ongoing support. You have given them the opportunity to grow as leaders and to develop missionary hearts. This collection will be taken up **this weekend, March 9th and 10th.** Please place your envelope in with the regular collection.



**19th Annual Diocesan Catholic  
Men's Conference  
Assumption College**

Men of all ages, (including teens and college students) are invited to this important annual Conference, scheduled for Assumption College on **Saturday, April 6th.** Visit the conference website at [www.firstmensconf.org](http://www.firstmensconf.org) for more information and to purchase tickets online or elsewhere. Come and hear dynamic talks from outstanding Catholic leaders: **Kevin Dunn, Francesco, Cesareo, Trent Horn, Father Warren Savage, Mike Aquilina and Eric Mahl.** Bishops and priests will hear confessions. Bishop McManus will offer the Conference Mass. For a Conference brochure, further information or registration, call Sara Smillie at (508) 929-4345. **Adult tickets are \$45.00 until March 25th, afterwards \$60.00.** Student tickets are always \$30.00.



**Don't  
Forget!**

**JUST A REMINDER**

If you or a loved one is sick, you should call the rectory at **(508) 634-5435** to have a priest visit and anoint the sick with oil in the name of the Lord. Never hesitate to call the rectory to ask for a priest for prayer and the Sacrament of the Sick prior to surgery or when diagnosed with a serious illness. This Sacrament is not to be looked upon as the "Last Rites" but as a powerful instrument of God's healing presence. Please make use of this gift. Also, if anyone is dying or near death, please call.