



Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

PARISH STAFF

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

Pastor

Deacon Pasquale G. Mussulli

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

5 East Main Street • Milford, MA 01757

Parish Founded 1905 Staffed by the Stigmatine Fathers

Telephone (508) 634-5435 Fax (508) 478-4993

Web Site: www.sacredheartmilford.org

Rectory email: office@sacredheartmilford.org

email: bulletineditor@sacredheartmilford.org

Women's Club email: shwc@sacredheartmilford.org

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

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.

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.

Mass  for the
Intentions  Week

August 26— September 1

Mon.	7:00 a.m.	For All Our Parishioners
Tues.	7:00 a.m.	Piotr Iwanow by the family
Wed.	7:00 a.m.	Gino and Antoinette (Netta) Iannitelli by the family
Fri.	7:00 a.m.	Gerardo Zullo by the Arcudi family
Sat.	4:00 p.m.	Arnold Sturks, Oreander & Gaetano DePasquale & Cindy Small by the family
Sun.	8:00 a.m.	Angelo and Anne Mazzuchelli by the family
	10:00 a.m.	Mary Ferrecchia



Jennifer Duffy-Rossetti
Linda DeDominick



We welcome into our Community of Faith
Gianni Veto Pendola

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



August 25, 2019
Service Music

Entrance: All People That on Earth Do Dwell (309)

Preparation: Be Thou My Vision (396)

Communion: One Bread, One Body (339)

Recessional: For the Beauty of the Earth (587)



The Altar Society is seeking members to make baptism bibs. All materials are provided. If you like to sew and are willing to help please call Carol at the rectory at (508) 634-5435 at the rectory.



DAILY BREAD FOOD PANTRY

Our Daily Bread Food Pantry collection items for the month of **August** are **toilet tissue, 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 activities, financial donations and prayers.

CEMETERY LOT OWNERS

Please remove all shrubs that overhang the monument base by **4 inches** or more by **September 1st**. Thank you!



PARTNERS IN CHARITY

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the **2019 Partners in Charity Appeal**. To date, Sacred Heart Parish has raised **\$52,066.00** and is **73%** towards our goal of **\$71,300**. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment pledge envelope located at the entrances to the church or visit www.partners-charity.net to do so on line. 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!**



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 !!!**

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

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Religious Education registration forms have been mailed to all families and are also posted on the Parish website. Families will be contacted with class schedules shortly.



Our prayer shawl and rosary bead ministry is in need of new members to join us in these very important ministries which will resume on **September 4th at 6:00 p.m.** in the **CHAPEL ROOM**. If you are interested in joining us please contact Mary Maffia at 508-473-8041 or Barbara Iwanow at 508-381-1089 for more information.



Valencia Council #80 Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a Memorial Mass for their departed **brother Todd Clemens** on **Monday August 26, 2019** at St. Mary of the Assumption Church 17 Winter Street, Milford, MA at **10:00 AM**. Everyone is welcomed to pray for and pay their last respects to Todd.



The Sacred Heart Women's Club will be sponsoring another bottle and can drive on **Saturday, September 21st from 9 a.m. to Noon**. The drive will be held at the Tran Redemption Center (outside) in the Big Y parking lot. Please save your beverage cans and bottles from your summer cookouts for our drive. All proceeds will go toward our 2020 scholarship award. We thank you for your support. Have an enjoy able and safe summer!



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 (July).....\$ 37,871.23
Ordinary Expenses: (July).....\$ 36,688.70

Thank you for your continued support each week



RCIA—Come Closer to Christ

The **RCIA** Team at Sacred Heart of Jesus is currently registering new candidates for the **2019-2020 Program**. This program is for those who wish to become Catholic or are already Catholic and seek Confirmation. In addition, we welcome anyone who wishes to refresh one's knowledge, understanding and commitment to the Catholic faith. If interested please contact Cindy Grimes at **(508) 473-6755**, or you may call the rectory at **(508) 634-5435**. Also, we encourage you to pass this information along to anyone you know who has expressed an interest in conversion to Catholicism or is a Catholic seeking Confirmation. Meeting times are Sundays at 9:00 a.m. Our first meeting this year will be on **September 29th**.



JUST A REMINDER

If you or a loved one is sick, you should call the rectory at **(508) 634-5435** to have a priest 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 contact the rectory at (508) 634-5435.



WELCOME!!! We are happy that you are with us today to celebrate your thanks for the gift of Christ in your heart!! If you are a visitor, we hope that you have a prayerful time with our parish family. If you are new to our parish or haven't been with us for a while, **we welcome you with open arms**. If you have not yet registered as a parishioners, we hope that you will take a minute to complete a registration form and either send it to the rectory or drop it into the collection basket.

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

AUGUST 25, 2019



**WORCESTER CATHOLIC
WOMEN'S CONFERENCE**

**Assumption College
November 23, 2019**

All women are invited to this exciting Conference, to be held at Assumption College on Saturday, November 23rd. Hear dynamic talks from outstanding Catholic leaders: Kathleen Beckman, L.H.S., Michelle Schmidt; Mother Miriam of the Lamb of God, O.S.B.; and Tim Francis. Bishops and diocesan and religious priest will hear confessions. Bishop McManus will offer Mass. For more information or to register, visit us at worcestercatholicwomensconference.com or call Corinn Dahm at (508) 277-3969. Seating is limited, register today!



A PRAYER FOR WORLD PEACE

Almighty God, Creator of all things, we place our request for world peace into your hands. Continue to be our refuge and our strength as we undertake this challenge. We pray for people of all nations. Fill their hearts with the desire to ensure justice and equality for all. We ask that You watch over those exposed to the horrors of war. Let your compassion shine on all who dwell in these war-torn areas. Guide our daily path to the way of peace. Let us all, in some way, be an instrument of Your peace. Heavenly Father, let peace reign throughout the world. Bless with Your divine protection our servicemen and women. Let their faith and trust in You never weaken. Bring them safely home to their loved ones. Let Your heavenly wisdom direct our world leaders to seek peace. Through their actions, may harmony and justice be secured. **Amen.**

IMPORTANT!

UPDATE OUR PARISH RECORDS: Is there any change that our parish should have to update our records? Have you moved or are you planning to move soon? Has your telephone number changed? Should we add or delete a name? If any of these questions can be answered with a "yes" we would appreciate your calling the rectory at (508) 634-5435 with the updated information. We are trying to keep our Parish records as up-to-date as possible. Please call the rectory office for any clarification.