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SACRED HEART MISSION STATEMENT

“We the community of Sacred Heart are committed to serving God and each other through our faith in Jesus Christ. We strive to do this through a joyful celebration of the Eucharist, a spirit of hospitality, a commitment to community outreach, a sense of responsibility to others and through the ongoing nourishment of our minds and hearts.”

SUNDAY LITURGIES

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Thursday 4:30-6:00 PM

or by appointment

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

As listed inside

WE WELCOME YOU TO SACRED HEART PARISH FAMILY. If you are new to the parish please introduce yourself to Father Stan after Mass. We would also appreciate it if you would come to or call the office and register. We need to know who you are so that we may serve you better.

SHUT INS

Please notify us of parishioners who are in the hospital. If any parishioner is unable to celebrate Liturgy with us because of illness or handicap, please notify the office so that we may bring Eucharist to them.

“Handicapped Accessible”

Fourth Week of Ordinary Time

On the **Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time**, Matthew's Gospel gives us the essence of Jesus teaching in the Beatitudes. "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted."

Monday is the **Memorial of Saint John Bosco, priest**. Wednesday is the **Feast of the Presentation of the Lord** with its own special readings. Saturday is the **Memorial of Saint Agatha, virgin and martyr**.

The first reading this week continues with the **Letter to the Hebrews**. Jesus is priest and we should not be discouraged.

In **Mark's Gospel** this week, Jesus continues to heal and teach. A man in the Gerasenes is healed of unclean spirits and wants to stay with Jesus but he tells the man, "Go home to your family and announce to them all that the Lord in his pity has done for you." The young daughter of a synagogue official is sick and on the way to cure her, as Jesus stood in a crowd, he felt the power go out of him as a woman with a hemorrhage touched his cloak. "Your faith has saved you," he reassures her. To the synagogue official he says, "Do not be afraid; just have faith" and heals his daughter. He teaches in the synagogue in his hometown "and they took offense at him." He was not able to perform miracles there, because of their lack of faith. Jesus sends his apostles, in twos, to share the good news. After publicly promising a dancer anything she wants, Herod reluctantly gives the girl her wish and orders John the Baptist to be beheaded. When Jesus' disciples return from their journeys, he encourages them, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." But as they tried to get away "and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things."

On the **Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**, Jesus encourages his disciples to let their light shine: "Your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father."

Readings for the Week

Sunday:	Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/1 Cor 1:26-31/ Mt 5:1-12a
Monday:	Heb 11:32-40/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	Heb 12:1-4/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40
Thursday:	Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Mk 6:7-13
Friday:	Heb 13:1-8/Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Mk 6:30-34
Next Sunday:	Is 58:7-10/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

Remembrance Mass & Program for Haiti's Earthquake Victims

A **Mass in remembrance of victims of Haiti's earthquake** last January will be hosted by the Archdiocese of Hartford at 6pm, Monday, January 31st at **Saint Peter Claver Church** at 47 Pleasant St., **West Hartford, CT**. A **light supper and program will follow** the Mass, celebrated by Archbishop Henry Mansell. **Nora Collins**, from Catholic Relief Services, will be the program's guest speaker. The evening events will run 6-8:30 p.m.

For more information, please contact the Office for Catholic Social Justice Ministry at 203-777-7279, or email: ocsjm@catholicalsocialjustice.org.

Daily Prayer This Week

The readings this week seem to be about healing and call. In our ongoing renewal, we can ask our Lord to be continually healed of what is getting in my way and to continually be more and more open to my call.

Even though we are trying to be people who find intimacy with God in the very midst of our everyday lives, there might be moments this week when we plug into a really great connection with our Lord. So often that happens when we find ourselves in need of healing. Perhaps after many years of one part of our life being dominated by an unclean spirit, we discover a readiness to be whole again, pure again. Maybe we encounter a sin that has become "my" sin, my obstacle to growth in my relationship with God. This may be the week to open my heart to pure grace and reconciliation.

This could be the week when we discover what a handicap fear itself is in my life. It may be the reason we don't ask or even reach out to touch Jesus for healing. This may be the week we are being invited to no longer be afraid and to let our Lord love us and heal us. Touching his cloak, without words, may be enough for us.

This week, like so many, can be a time for us to be consciously aware of our being called - placed in a position of being his disciple. In that situation, whatever way the invitation comes to us, we are clearly facing an opportunity to be a source of good news, rather than bad news; to love tenderly, rather than selfishly; to be a gatherer of others, rather than a divider; and to be a source of compassion, rather than a heartless judge. And, when that happens, we can delight in spending a bit more time with Jesus, comforting us for being his disciple there. We can "come away with him" for even a brief moment and give thanks that we had that taste of his ministry, happening through us.

When we rest each night this week, expressing our thanks for this daily prayer is quite in order.

Taken from the "Weekly Guide for Daily Prayer" on the Creighton University's Online Ministries web site: <http://www.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/online.html> Used with permission.

Valentine Project

On this Valentine's Day we would like to reach out to those who are homebound, in nursing homes, elderly, grieving, lonely or sick. We would like to brighten this sometimes dreary season by **sending them a Valentine card**. But to do this **we need your help**. First, if you know anyone who would enjoy receiving a card, let us know their name and address. Second, on the weekend of February 5th and 6th, pick a slip from the Valentine heart display and send a card to that person. You may add a note or it may be anonymous. The names may be given in person or by phone to Edie Hilton, 860-896-1812 or Larry Deraleau, 860-749-4139. **The names are needed as soon as possible as the time is short**. Valentine's Day is February 14.

First Eucharist Parents Meetings

The parents of children who are preparing to receive their First Holy Communion have received letters informing them of parent meetings. The dates for the parent meetings are:

Monday, January 31 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Rooms

Monday, March 7 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Rooms

Monday, March 21 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Rooms

If you have not received a letter, please contact Rella as soon as possible. Thank you!

Attention, Please

Rella will be attending a steering committee meeting in Worcester, MA for the 2011 Convocation for Religious Education on Friday, February 4. The faith formation office will open at 12:30pm on this day.

First Reconciliation Parents Meetings

The parents of children who are preparing to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time have received letters informing them of parent meetings. The dates for the parent meetings are:

Monday, February 7 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Rooms

Monday, February 28 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Rooms

Monday, March 14 at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Rooms

If you have not received a letter, please contact Rella as soon as possible. Thank you!

Flower Offerings

The following people have also donated toward the purchase of Christmas flowers:

Gertrude Pinette in memory of **Richard Pinette**

Charles McKenna in memory of **Sally McKenna**

Aurea & Fernando Rodriguez in memory of

Cecilia Torres

Please remember these people in your prayers.

Welcome

The parish family of Sacred Heart welcomes you!

Whether this is one of your first visits with us or your first visit in a while; know that you are always welcome here.

Whatever called you to be with us today; know that we were all called here once, just like you were. Pray with us. Celebrate with us. Walk together with us in faith. We eat together a lot; there's always plenty of food and it's always good so please join us for that, too.

Above all, please let us know when there is anything we can do, any question we can help you answer, any need we can fill – anything at all that we can do to help you on your journey of faith.

The Deacon's Corner

FORGIVENESS

Bear with one another and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another.

Forgive as the Lord forgave you.

COL 3:13

Caught by conscience in my sin I drag myself before Your face and all my shame shouts out my guilt and calls for condemnation.

But as Your eyes look into mine and neither blink or change I hear the fall of stones unthrown and weep in my salvation.

ANN COLE

Still He goes on loving me, loving me all the time. I have wounded Him, His patience tried, spurned His tenderness, His name denied.

But still He goes on loving me, loving me all the time.

FRANK HOUGHTON

Humanity is never so beautiful as when praying for forgiveness, or else forgiving another.

JEAN PAUL RICHTER

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat

... for healing and peace for those who are silently grieving after an abortion. It is an opportunity for any person who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion to take the first steps of healing and peace at a retreat weekend. All inquiries are confidential. Retreat March 4-6 in Westerly, RI call: Carol at 401-421-7833 ext.118. Retreat March 18-20 in Litchfield call: Mary at 203-882-1326. Retreat March 25-27 in Springfield, MA call: Mary at 413-783-8619. Spanish Retreat March 25-27 in Bridgeport call: Christina at 203-394-3898. Rachel's Vineyard Website: www.rachelsvineyard.org

Planning a Wedding?

One of the most important parts of your wedding planning is your marriage preparation program. **Engaged Encounter** is a weekend-long program and meets all the aspects of marriage preparation required by the Diocese. Engaged Encounter weekends: Feb. 25-27 and April 8-10 at Immaculata Retreat House, Willimantic call 860-536-8665. March 11-13 in Framingham, MA call 508-788-1142. Early registration is advised. Visit www.engagedencounter.org.

Pastoral Council Minutes

January 4, 2011 Present: J. Augustyn, R. Bernabucci, P. Chaffee, L. Deraleau, A. Furey, B. Gonsalves, B. Hess, S. Rice, K. Smith, Fr. Stan **Absent:** J. Crane, R. Gaughan, D. Gessay, E. Golnik, J. Higgins, M. Kurban, M. Oliver, M. Tracey

The meeting opened with scripture, reflection, and sharing.

OLD BUSINESS

- PAST MEETING MINUTES** – The Council **accepted the 11/2/10 minutes as is.**
- FAITH FORMATION REPORT** – The **Christmas parties** went well. The **Youth Group** did a **fundraiser – 5 raffle prizes were donated**, and **\$316** was made and will be put **toward the retreat**. A young person in the **RCIA** process will be going to the **Cathedral at 2:00 on 3/13/11** for the **Call to Continuing Conversion Rite**.
- PARISH COOKBOOK** – **125 have been sold**, 200 were printed. **Positive feedback** on the recipes was received and shared.
- PARISH RESTRUCTURING** – The restructuring committee had its **first meeting 12/06/10**, and minutes from that meeting were shared and read over. In summary, it was **an informative meeting for the 8 parishes in the Vernon deanery which are broken into 3 clusters**. The Diocesan Superintendent of Schools gave information regarding the parishes that have schools. Each cluster met and discussed general strengths and weaknesses of each church. **More detailed statistics will be forthcoming in future meetings – this is just a start of a conversation**. The minutes will be published in our bulletin, and feedback is welcome.
- COFFEE HOUR** – A request was made to switch weekends with the Caregivers. Starting 1/9, the **Pastoral Council will host coffee hours every 2nd Sunday of the month**. We agreed that we should **order from Gerry's** since it is more **cost-effective**. We discussed an inquiry from **Helen Syriac from the Cornerstone** regarding working with the Pastoral Council at one of our coffee hours. We agreed that it would be fine if she wanted to **help one Sunday** in order to donate any profits from that week to the Cornerstone. It was mentioned, however, that the **coffee hours are a social function**, not necessarily a fund-raising event, and that any money donated is for the purpose of covering the expense of the donuts. Any extra profit will be held until the end of the Pastoral Council's year, at which time we will make a lump-sum donation to whatever cause we vote on.

NEW BUSINESS

- WELCOME LETTER** – Larry offered to draft a welcome letter to be **combined with our parish's welcome brochure**, and **mailed to people** in our area who recently have **purchased a new home**, based on the weekly report of new homeowners as listed in the newspaper. We hope this will attract new members to our community.

- SPECIAL MASS** – **Father Ray Introvigne** will present a **Mass of Healing and Hope on March 13th at 2:00**. Plan to be a part of an exciting event.

The meeting **closed with prayer**.

The **next meeting** of the Pastoral Council will be **February 1st at 7:00 p.m.**, and the one after that will be **March 1st at 7:00 p.m.** We will be able to **meet in the Fellowship Room** for both meetings.

Respectfully submitted,
Peggy Chaffee

Assumption School Open Houses

Are you looking for an exceptional, faith-enriched, solid educational experience for your child? We invite you to come and meet our dedicated teachers and families and see what a wonderful educational future we can provide for your child. Open Houses will be held **TODAY** Sunday Jan. 30th 10:30am-1pm at the Main Campus, and 1pm-3pm at the Upper Campus, Feb. 2nd 9am-11:30am and Feb. 3rd 6pm-8pm on both campuses. Our Main Campus is for students in Pre-K - 5th grade, and our Upper Campus is for students in 6th-8th grade. If you are unable to attend one of our open houses or have any questions, please contact our school office at 860-649-0889 to arrange a personal tour at your convenience. Assumption School's Main Campus is located at 27 South Adams St, Manchester and our Upper Campus is located at 45 Ludlow Rd, Manchester. www.assumptionschoolct.com "Come for a day, we are sure you will want to stay."

Classes on Natural Family Planning

(NFP) the Sympto-Thermal Method, is scientifically sound, easily learned and 99% effective. No dangerous chemicals, synthetic hormones or side-effects. Looking for Marriage insurance? NFP couples have a less than 5% divorce rate. 3- Part class begins on Monday Feb.21st 7pm at St John's Church in Old Saybrook, for info call The Collisons at 860-399-8265. 3-Part Class in Westerly, RI begins on March 5th 12pm. For info call the Brodeurs at 401-596-3443. To register for a NFP class go to www.ccli.org . Please register two weeks in advance for materials. Home study NFP course is also available at www.ccli.org . For info: Susan Williams, Office of Family Life, at 860-889-8346 ext. 283.

Haiti Needs

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please keep in mind that we are now
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QUART-SIZED ZIPLOCK
BAGS**
for the people of Haiti.



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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

At this time of year annually throughout the nation, we celebrate Catholic education. We celebrate what the Catholic Church has accomplished during the last 150 years; we celebrate what the Church is accomplishing today; and we celebrate the hope that the future of Catholic education will be as effective and successful in fulfilling its mission on behalf of the Church and this democratic society.

We are all acutely aware that the last two decades of the 20th Century and the first decade of the 21st Century have change many aspects of our lives. While the United States has grown in wealth and power, it has also experienced unprecedented economic turmoil. Lives have been affected; families have had to adjust to the new structures of economic reality; and institutions we have come to believe were immutable have ceased to exist or, have, at least, significantly changed. Catholic schools have certainly been affected. Some have closed and some have changed. But Catholic education is and will continue to be a positive force for children, families and the Church even as it adjusts to a changing world.

In this age of secularism and relativism, our Catholics schools teach children the skills that they need to function in the world. They teach children the discipline they need to be productive members of a nuclear family. They teach children to make good decisions about their personal and social lives. They teach children about Jesus, the God man, who took on a human body to suffer and die for sin. They teach child how to grow in holiness so that they can demonstrate their love for God and neighbor. They teach children to live the Gospel every day of their lives.

We are cognizant of the financial difficulties which this current economy presents to the parents of children who desire to be educated in the faith. We are also cognizant of the contributions which our schools are making to our society in general. Our schools help to produce good citizens who contribute to the social good without any substantial support from government sources. It is important that our schools continue to serve; it is important that our schools continue to excel; it is important that all Catholics support the work of our Catholic schools and in particular the families whose economic conditions make it difficult for them to pay the tuitions at Catholic schools.

We are indeed fortunate that so many good people have served our children as teachers and aides and support staff over the years. They are truly people of faith with a commitment to learning and to the Gospel. May the Lord bless them always as they inculcate the truths of the Gospel in the children of light.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Michael R. Cote
 Bishop of Norwich

The Annual Catholic Appeal

The Annual Bishop's Appeal (ABA) was initiated in 1978 to provide for the ever-increasing educational, human, pastoral, and spiritual needs of the people of New London, Windham, Middlesex, and Tolland counties and Fishers Island. The Appeal enables our Church to implement and administer these and other critical services in a comprehensive framework in order to carry out the work of Jesus Christ. It would not be possible to carry out His work without your assistance.

Through the Annual Bishop's Appeal, the Catholic Church of Eastern Connecticut assists elderly persons in need, families in crises, people who are homeless, lonely, vulnerable, youth, young adults, and our parishes and Catholic schools. The Appeal also enables the Church to promote social justice, respect for human life and to communicate with all who seek to hear the teachings of Jesus Christ.

Through their assigned campaign goal, every Parish and Mission is required to support our Diocesan operations, services and ministries that in turn meet the physical, educational and spiritual needs of thousands throughout our four county faith community that one Parish could not meet alone. This allows each one of us, as one, united in faith, to fulfill God's call to spread the good news and to love and serve one another.

As we prepare for the conduct of the 2011 Annual Appeal, we are pleased to announce a number of changes and improvements for this year's campaign.

- In an effort to better describe the comprehensive nature of the Appeal, we have decided to rename the campaign: **The Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA)**.
- The time frame of the 'active phase' of the campaign will be changed to coincide with the Lenten Season.
- The Deanery Socials will be modified from seven Parish-based functions to three Diocesan-wide Socials.
- The traditional Pre-Appeal and In-Pew Commitment weekends will be 'shifted- away' from the first two weekends in May to avoid conflicts with First Eucharist Liturgies at the Parishes. For the 2011 Annual Catholic Appeal, Pre-Appeal Weekend will be March 26/27, 2011 and the In Pew Commitment Weekend will be April 2/3, 2011.
- This year's Appeal theme is **"Do This in Memory of Me,"** which is part of the Eucharistic Prayer of Mass.

The Word of God This Week

Set time aside each day this week with other members of your household, with other members of your parish or alone to listen to and reflect on the living Word of God. Use these passages from the Lectionary that are assigned for Liturgy this week. Reflect on how the Lord is inviting you to a deeper union with him.

TODAY

Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12–13
1 Corinthians 1:26–31
Matthew 5:1–12

MONDAY

Mark 5:1–20
"Come out of the man, you unclean spirit!"

TUESDAY

Mark 5:21–43
"The child is not dead but sleeping."

WEDNESDAY*

Luke 2:22–40
"... they brought him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord..."

THURSDAY

Mark 6:7–13
"Then he went about among the villages teaching."

FRIDAY

Mark 6:14–29
"Jesus' name had become known."

SATURDAY

Mark 6:30–34
"Come away... and rest a while."

*The Presentation of the Lord

Blessed Are You

The Sermon on the Mount, or Beatitudes, appears in both the Gospel of Matthew and the Gospel of Luke. In Matthew, it is the first of the five discourses that are a central part of the structure of this Gospel. While Luke places the event on a plain, Matthew indicates that Jesus is on a mountain, like the new Moses, the Teacher who gives the new Law.



According to Matthew's theology, the Beatitudes are the new commandments for the community of faith; unlike that in Luke, it is addressed not only to the disciples but also to the crowds. The section we read today describes those who will be blessed (happy). Among them, "the poor in spirit": in the Old Testament,

the poor (*ānāwim*) are those who are without material possessions and whose trust is only in God. Matthew added "in spirit," which extends the beatitude to all, whatever their social rank, who recognize their complete dependence on God. Those who mourn will be comforted by God. Those who seek to do God's will shall be satisfied. Those whose hearts are clean will see God, not only in the

temple as described by Psalm 24:4, but in the coming of the kingdom. Finally, Matthew encourages the early Christians who were being persecuted with the words of Jesus, "Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."



The Faith of the Church

Jesus came to "preach the good news to the poor" whom he calls blessed. He identifies with them from the cradle to the cross. The Beatitudes are a challenge for all Christians and call us to seek God above all else because true happiness is not found in wealth, power, fame, or even a person, but in God alone who is the source of all love and goodness (Cf. *Catechism of the Catholic Church* 544, 1723).



Questions of the Week

The Beatitudes are a radical invitation to all Christians to revisit our priorities. Jesus is asking us to value everything that society rejects: poverty, suffering, hunger, etc. and blesses us if we are poor in spirit or persecuted for his sake.

Adults

Which Beatitude do I identify with in my own life? How or why?

Children

Am I a peacemaker as Jesus asks me to be or do I ever bully others?

Visit us at www.FaithFirst.com (click on "Gospel Reflections") and share today's Gospel reading as a family.

Responding to God's Word . . .

The Beatitudes stand in contrast to the common notion of happiness. They do not make sense to the unbeliever and sometimes not even to believers. How can we accept that things that we consider calamities could be blessings?

At the time Matthew wrote the Sermon, the Roman Empire controlled the Holy Land. People were expecting a savior—a warrior who would restore the kingdom of Israel. Instead, Jesus appears, defying their expectations.

How could they win a war by being merciful to their enemies; how could peacemakers defeat the Roman

Empire? These unexpected blessings turned upside down the values of the time that held that wealth and prosperity were signs of God's favor.

The Beatitudes are not meant to exalt poverty and suffering, but to assure us that as followers of Christ, we can trust God's love for us and his presence even in bad times. They also remind us of how radical the Gospel is. In the violent society of his time, Jesus blessed the peacemakers, and called them children of God. Today, his words continue to challenge us to be poor in spirit, peacemakers, and willing to suffer for the sake of justice.

SUGGESTIONS

Use one of these suggestions or one of your own to respond to God's Word this week.

In the home. During this week, try to avoid unnecessary conflicts and try to be peacemakers whenever possible.

In the workplace or in school. When you are with your friends or coworkers, remember that being a peacemaker does not mean letting others bully you!

In the community. Join others in your community to organize seminars on home and street violence and how to deal with these evils of our society.



Meditation Moment

A Hindu parable concerns two friends: a mud pie and a dry leaf. One day, they decide to pilgrimage to the holy city of Benares. Knowing the wind and the rain will be their enemies on the pilgrimage, they devise a plan for protection. When the wind blows, the mud pie will sit on the dry leaf; and when the rain pours, the leaf will sit on the mud pie to keep it dry. The plan worked fine, until one day the wind blew and the rain poured at the same time. The result? The leaf blew away and the mud pie dissolved into nothingness.

For reflection . . .

To be "poor in spirit" means to realize that we cannot go through life alone. There will be times when even our friends can't help us. We will need God.

[JESUS SAID,] "I AM THE VINE,
AND YOU ARE THE BRANCHES . . .
YOU CAN DO NOTHING WITHOUT ME."
JOHN 15:5

FROM *VISION* BY MARK LINK, SJ

Let Us Sing to Our God!

We sing to you our God;
We come into your presence
with thanksgiving; and sing with
songs of praise!
For you are a great and compassionate
God, who loves us unconditionally.
In your hand are the depths of the earth;
and also the heights of the mountains.
We thank and worship you,
O God, our Maker!
For you are our God, and we
are your people, the work of
your hands. Amen.

ADAPTED FROM PSALM 95

Carry this thought in your heart as a
guide for your faith journey this week.

Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called children
of God . . . You are the salt of
the earth . . . You are the light of
the world . . . let your light shine
before others, so that they may
see your good works and give
glory to your Father in heaven.

Matthew 5:9, 13-14

Profile in Faith

Blessed Angela de Foligno
(1248-1309)

Angela lived for wealth and social status, but at 40 she dedicated herself to prayer and works of charity. Shortly after her conversion, her husband and children died. Angela entered the Secular Franciscans and wrote her *Book of Visions and Instructions*. This book and her life earned her the title "Teacher of Theologians."
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Prayer, Praise and Sacrament

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY

4:30pm **Mass: *Maria Mercieri***, requested by the Sacred Heart Parish Family

SUNDAY

8:00am **Mass: *Joseph Aiello***, requested by Frank & Maria Neri

10:30am **Mass: *Ernest Golnik, Sr.***, requested by Mary Kuhn

TUESDAY

9:00am **Mass: *For an End to Abortion***

WEDNESDAY

9:00am **Mass: *For the People of the Parish***

THURSDAY

4:30-6pm **Sacrament of Reconciliation**, Living Room

7:00pm **Mass: *Paul "Herby" Herbst***, requested by Helena Daly & Family

7:30pm **Intercessory Prayer**, Eucharistic Chapel

FIRST FRIDAY

9:00am **Mass: *For the People of the Parish***

9:30am - **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** until

4:30pm **Close of Adoration**

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY

4:30pm **Mass: *Lois Dunham***, requested by a friend

SUNDAY

8:00am **Mass: *Anne White Haynes***, requested by the Family

10:30am **Mass: *Ernest Golnik, Sr.***, requested by Theresa Cison

Meetings

SATURDAY

7:30pm **Narcotics Anonymous**, North Activity Rooms

SUNDAY - Fellowship before and after Mass

9:10am **Faith Formation, Grades 1-5**

6:15pm **Faith Formation, Grade 6 – Confirmation Prep**

7:30pm **Youth Group**

MONDAY OFFICES CLOSED

TUESDAY

7:00pm **Pastoral Council**, in the South Community Rooms or whatever room is dry

WEDNESDAY

8:00pm **Alcoholics Anonymous**, South Community Rooms

THURSDAY

10:00am **Bible Study**, South Community Rooms

7:30pm **Alcoholics Anonymous Big Book**, South Community Rooms

SATURDAY

7:30pm **Narcotics Anonymous**, North Activity Rooms

SUNDAY - Fellowship before and after Mass

9:10am **Faith Formation, Grades 1-5**

NO **Faith Formation, Grade 6 – Confirmation Prep** or **Youth Group** on **SUPERBOWL SUNDAY**

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

– BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Parents please call three months prior to baptism date for an appointment with a Pastoral Team member who will detail the program for parents.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY –

Couples planning to marry take part in marriage information program at least nine months prior to the wedding date.

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