# **Sacred Heart Church**

# 311 River Street Waltham, MA. 02453

# Father William Kennedy, Temporary Administrator

Rev. Janvier Nduwayezu: In Residence

"The Sacred Heart Parish Community warmly welcomes all who join us in worship. Whether you are new to the parish or just visiting the area, please introduce yourself to us."

# MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses: Saturday, 4:00PM Sunday, 7:30AM & 10:00AM

Daily Mass Schedule: Monday & Wednesday, 7:30AM Tuesday, 7:00PM St. Anthony Devotion following Tuesday Mass

# **PARISH STAFF**

Parish Secretary, Patricia Cristina & Sheri Kenney Director of Faith Formation, Bernadette Scalese Coordinator of Youth Ministry, Laura Peterson Coordinator of Children's Choir, Buddy Bergeron Coordinator Of Adult Choir, Lisa Custodinho

# **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday 9:30AM-1:00PM Closed on Fridays

# **CONTACT US**

Parish Office Phone: (781) 899-0469 Fax (781) 899-0081 Parish E-Mail: SacredHeartWaltham@gmail.com Parish Web Site: www.sacredheart311.com Religious Education/Youth Ministry Office Phone: (781) 893-8461 Fax: (781) 893-6276 Religious Education: <u>SacredheartED@AOL.com</u> LIFE TEEN: <u>SacredheartIifeteen@comcast.net</u> Food Pantry Hours: Thursday 4:00PM—5:00PM

# PARISH COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Parish Council and Finance Council

# **New Parishioners**

If you are a newcomer to the parish we welcome you and invite you to introduce yourself to the Priests. To register please contact the parish office.

# PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Pastoral care to those who are ill or homebound may be arranged by contacting the parish office.

# SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:00-3:30PM or by appointment

# BAPTISMS

Baptisms take place on the Second Sunday of the month. Parents are required to attend baptism preparation class prior to the baptism. Please make arrangements at least two months in advance

# MARRIAGE

Couples planning marriage are asked to contact the parish office and meet with the priest one year prior to the intended wedding and to attend the required marriage preparation program.

# **RCIA**

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is an ongoing process. Those interested in exploring the Catholic faith through the RCIA should contact the religious education office.

# **PARISH ORGANIZATIONS**

Knights of Columbus St. Francis of the Sacred Heart Council #14091 Contact: <u>Sacredheartknights@hotmail.com</u>

> Society of St. Clare Women's Group

Deadline for bulletin announcements is Tuesday at noon.

On entering the tomb they saw a young man sitting on the right side, clothed in a white robe, and they were utterly amazed. He said to them, "Do not be amazed! You seek

Jesus of Nazareth, the crucified. He has been raised; he is not here.

Behold the place where they laid him. But go and tell his disciples and Peter, He is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him, as he told you" Mk. 16:5-7



## **Masses and Memorials**

Holy Saturday April 16				
8:00PM	Easter Vigil Mass			
	Easter Flower Memorials			
Easter Sunday April 17				
7:30AM	For Parishioners			
10:00AM				
Monday,	April 18			
7:30 AM	Walter Gustafson, 30th Anniversary			
	Memorial, Request of Cate Pettingell Family			
Tuesday,	April 19			
7:00PM	Elizabeth Murphy, Anniversary Memorial,			
	Request of her loving family			
Wednesday, 7:30AM	April 20			
Saturday	April 23			
Sunday	April 24			

#### Memorials

The Easter Candle was donated in memory of Father Dennis Wheatley

The Palms which were blessed and distributed at the Masses of Palm Sunday were donated in loving memory of Palma and Alfred D'Angio by the D'Angio Family

#### Readings for the week of April 17, 2022

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Sunday:	Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-
	23 [24]/ Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:
	1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or, Lk 24:13-35
Monday:	Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-
	10, 11/Mt 28:8-15
Tuesday:	Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/
	Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday:	Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk
	24:13-35
Thursday:	Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk
	24:35-48
Friday:	Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-
	27a/Jn 21:1-14
Saturday:	Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18,
-	19-21/Mk 16:9-15
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#### **ONLINE GIVING**

For those seeking a safe and convenient way to support their parish, online giving through WeShare offers several options of giving whether recurring or as a "one-time gift". Visit our website :

https://sacredheart311.weshareonline.org/

If you have any questions about setting up online contributions, contact Customer Service at: weshare@4lpi.com

We thank each of you for your continued offertory support. Whether you contribute at Mass or online your stewardship is gratefully appreciated.

#### STEWARDSHIP: SHARING TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE

"The community of believers was of one heart and mind and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own." Acts 4:32

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your talents and abilities – these are all gifts from God. We aren't really owners of anything; we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with.

Week ending April 10, 2022	
Offertory	\$ 5,569.00
WeShare (One-time donations)	\$ 515.00
WeShare (Recurring donors)	\$ 2,050.00
HVAC	\$ 500.00
Snow Removal	\$ 50.00

# **BUDGET & FINANCE**

# Financial Statement for March 2022

Offertory and On-line Donations:	\$45,121.00
Payments:	\$47,429.00
Electric/ Natural gas	\$ 9,295.00
Snow removal	\$ 8,604.00
Payroll/taxes	\$ 8,092.52
RCAB Insurances	\$ 6,638.69
Oil	\$ 3,499.35
Cleaning of church and parish hall	\$ 2,550.00
Payment for HVAC	\$ 2,000.00
Purchase of safe, repair to door locks	\$ 1,730.00
Alarm repair and 6 month contract	\$ 1,436.00
Heat repair	\$ 560.80
Trash	\$ 473.17

Plus \$8871.92 on the books to be paid.



#### Easter Blessings

Alleluia, He is Risen! He is Truly Risen. With these words Christians around the world celebrate Jesus' resurrection from the tomb. The sadness of Good Friday and Holy Saturday give way to our joyous celebration. We begin a 40-day season focusing on the love of God and our new life, "through water and the Holy Spirit," that we received through baptism. We have taken time to reflect on our lives, to repent for our sins, to pray and help others less fortunate than ourselves. Now we bathe ourselves in God's forgiveness and glory. In His resurrection Jesus has conquered sin and death and opened the gates of heaven to His people. "For God so loved the world that he sent His only Son that whoever believes in Him may have eternal life. May God bless each of you and shower His richest blessings upon you and your loved ones.

Father Bill Kennedy

#### A Sincere Thank You

We would like to thank all the people who helped to make our Lenten and Easter seasons so special. A large number of you pitched in to prepare our special Masses, services, Stations of the Cross, and cleaning and decorating of the church. This was a wonderful opportunity for the parish to celebrate Lent and Easter as a worshipping community in our church after 2 years of the pandemic. May we all enjoy God's richest blessings throughout the Easter season.

#### **GOD BLESS OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED**

Congratulations to Annie and Steve Cappadonna on the baptism of their son David Anthony Cappadona

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

We wish to congratulate Sylvia Hobbs, a participant in the RCIA process who received into full communion at the Easter Vigil when she received the Sacrament of Confirmation and Holy Communion. Sylvia formally entered the RCIA process prior to the pandemic and has become an engaged and faithful parishioner during the RCIA process. Her faith journey has been, and will continue to be lifelong and we pray that she will continue to nourish her faith here at Sacred Heart. Congratulations Sylvia, may the gifts of the Holy Spirit continue to inspire and strengthen you in faith.

#### **311 CLUB**

The 311 Club would like to thank all past, present, and future members for the support and dedication to a wonderful parish. Due to the COVID pandemic our numbers have drop significantly and we are working to get back to and increase our active enrollment to 500. Dues is 60 dollars per year, which makes you eligible to win one or more prizes each month. Two \$25.00, One \$50.00 and One \$250 dollar prizes. If you would like to participate, please fill out an application form and mail it to address on the form marked "311 Club" or drop it in the collection basket in an envelope marked "311 Club" We will call you with your number. For questions about the 311 Club, to renew old numbers, to check the status of your number or if you would like additional numbers. Please leave a message at 781-330-2184, ask for John.

#### **COFFEE SOCIAL NEXT WEEKEND**

The Knights of Columbus and

Society of St Clare will co-host a Parish Coffee Social on Sunday, April 24th following the 10:00AM Mass. Please join us in the Parish Hall and help us to welcome back this longstanding tradition of socializing over coffee and donuts after Sunday morning Mass.

**SOCIETY OF SAINT CLARE** The Clares next meeting will be on Sat., May 7,2022 at 10:00 am in the Parish Hall. Any inquiries, contact Noreen Cooke 781-893-2651 or ncooke43@comcast.net.

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Be part of something special! The nights of Columbus is a global Catholic fraternal service order founded by Michael J. McGivney on March 29, 1882. We are catholic men putting our faith in action to service and protect families. We come from many places, backgrounds, and stages in our lives, but we are all of one faith. Check out the website at kofc.org/online membership to learn more about the K of C and the many benefits offered to its members. The Knights of Columbus Council here at Sacred Heart Church meet monthly in the parish hall. If you are a member please join us! General Council meetings are held on the third Monday of every month at 6:30PM. Questions? Contact our Council at Sacredheartknights@hotmail.com.

#### **HOSPITAL VISITS**

If you would like Fr. Kennedy to visit you in the hospital, please call the office and let him know. It is important that you let the people at the hospital know that you would like to see a priest. Due to patient privacy laws, we cannot get a list of Catholic patients.

#### **COMMUNION CALLS/HOME VISITS**

Please call the office if you know of someone who is not able to come to Mass and would like to have Fr. Kennedy come by to visit, bring Holy Communion or hear confessions

#### WEEKEND AND WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS

We have open dates for those interested in reserving Mass intentions for Sunday Masses for those who would like to reserve a Mass intention as a birthday or anniversary memorial, or for a month's mind. Memorial such as altar flowers, blessed Mother Flowers, altar bread, wine, candles etc. may also be offered in memory of your loved ones. To reserve a Mass or memorial please contact Sheri Kenney at the parish office, (781) 899-0469 Monday through Wednesday from 9:30AM to 1:00PM.

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#### THE CATHOLIC APPEAL

Thank you for your generous response to the Catholic Appeal. Our assessment was \$23,126. The diocese set a goal of 56 donors. As of April 5<sup>th</sup>, a total of 102 donors had pledged \$27,474 (119% of our assessment). Our parish will receive a portion of the money raised over our assessment. Your generosity and willingness to help others in this difficult time is a true reflection of Jesus' commandment to, "Love one another as I have loved you."



#### SUPPORT FOR UKRAINE

Your generous response to Cardinal Sean's request for a special collection to support the people of Ukraine allowed us to send \$3,492 to Catholic Relief Services. One Hundred per cent of the funds will go to the people of Ukraine.

#### Catholic Stewardship Reflections

He is risen! He is truly risen! This is what the celebration of Easter is all about — the truth that Jesus was crucified for our sins and three days later rose from the dead, conquering death once and for all. We know it's true, but this Easter Sunday, let's ask ourselves if we live as if it's true. Do we live as witnesses to the glorious reality of the Resurrection? A witness, of course, is one with first-hand knowledge. Our readings today focus not only on the Resurrection itself, but also on those who were witnesses to it. In the Gospel, St.John describes the very first witnesses to the empty tomb, Mary Magdalene, John ("the disciple whom Jesus loved"), and Peter. Each had an individual "experience" of the empty tomb. Each went up close to see for themselves what Jesus' love had accomplished. How can we as Christian stewards all these years later see for ourselves and so become His witnesses? We "see for ourselves" when we prayerfully read the Scriptures knowing they are a living love letter from God with a message to each one of us. We "see for ourselves" each time we receive the precious Body and Blood of our Lord in the Eucharist. We "see for ourselves" when we experience His personal and healing power in our hearts during Reconciliation. We "see for ourselves" when we pour out our lives in loving service to those around us and experience the deep satisfaction that only comes when we are imitating our Savior. This Easter, resolve to live as if the saving power of the Resurrection is true. Experience Jesus for yourself every day from now on. You will be a powerful witness to the truth that He is risen! He is truly risen!



#### **CENTENNIAL CONGRATULATORY VIDEOS**

Please stop by the Blessed Mother Chapel after Mass anytime this month to a short (30 second) congratulatory greeting in honor of our upcoming Centennial. If you prefer, you can record your message at home and submit it to: Centennialsacredheart@gmail.com. These videos will be a part of a montage in the Sacred Heart Centennial video and will be available to view on our parish website once it is completed.

#### **GROUP PHOTO OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY**

On **Sunday, May 1st**, following the 10:00AM Mass we plan to take a group photo of members of the Sacred Heart Parish community in front of the church. We hope to have everyone plan to be here for the photo. We hope to use this image for print and social media as we mark our church centennial celebration in the fall. If you ordinarily attend another Mass on Saturday or early Sunday morning, please make every effort to come back for the photo shoot which will take place at approximately 10:45AM.

#### WE NEED YOUR HELP!

As part of this year's Centennial Celebration, we will produce a video of parish history and memories of the last 100 years. If you have memorabilia or photos from sacrament al celebrations, holidays and other church events, please share them! Hard copies will be returned to you after scanning. Submissions will be accepted through May 1<sup>st</sup>. To access electronic consent form, please visit https://www.sacredheart311.com/centennial-2022

Completed consent forms along with digital photographs and/or movies may be sent to: **centennialsacredheart@gmail.com** To submit physical media contact Bernadette Scalese at (781)893-8461 or Nick Pulsone at (617)527-2149.

#### CENTENNIAL MASS

Please save the date and plan to attend Sacred Heart Church's Centennial Mass on Sunday, December 4, 2022 at 10:00AM. Please put this on your calendar and join us for this special celebration of our parish.

#### **CENTENIAL EVENTS: MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

#### Sunday, September 18th Centennial Tailgate Party

This Family friendly event will be a fun and engaging one, so get your football jerseys ready and pack up the grill for a fun-filled afternoon. More details to come!

Sunday, September 25, 2022. The 2nd Annual Golf Outing and Dinner sponsored by St. Francis of the Sacred Heart Knights of Columbus is being planned at the Wayland Country Club. Partial proceeds from this event will help benefit the Sacred Heart Centennial Celebration. The golf outing is open to ALL skill level of golfers. The most important activity for the day is to have FUN! Golfers will be delighted with golf, lunch, dinner and prize holes. Non-golfers are also invited to have dinner with golfers after golf at the clubhouse. Look for more information in our bulletin as we get closer to the date.

# FAITH FORMATION UPDATES

#### **CONFIRMATION REHEARSAL**

There will be one rehearsal for the Sacrament of Confirmation which will take place on **Thursday**, **April 28th from 6:30-7:30PM** in the church. All candidates and their sponsors must plan to attend.

#### FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATION

We will hold an additional virtual class for all the candidates preparing for First Holy Communion on **Monday**, **April 25<sup>th</sup> at 5:30PM.** The Zoom link invitation will be sent via email.

#### FIRST COMMUNION REHEARSAL

A rehearsal for first holy communion will take place on **Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:30PM.** All students must attend since there will be just one practice. The rehearsal will be approximately 45 minutes.

#### MAY PROCESSION AND MASS

On **Sunday, May 1st** we will hold our annual May Procession. We will meet at 9:30AM, in the lower parish hall/religious education center before the procession to the church begins This is a very special year for us at Sacred Heart as it marks our parish Centennial and likely our 100th May Procession! We will process around the buildings and plan to take a photos with the procession group in front of both the "old church building" and the main church before arriving for the start of the 10:00Mass. Please plan to join us for this special event that honors the Blessed Mother as we begin the month dedicated to Mary.

#### **BAPTISM RECORDS NEEDED**

Final reminder! We are required to document official records of the baptism of all First Communion and Confirmation candidates if they were not baptized here at Sacred Heart. Please contact the church of your child's baptism by phone or email to obtain a copy of their baptism record. NOTE: If your child's baptism took place at St. Charles Borromeo, Waltham, the baptism record is available at the Archives Office of the Archdiocese of Boston. You can access that office calling the Pastoral Center in Braintree at (617) 254-0100 and ask for the archives office. You may also find the Archives and submit an email via the Archdiocesan website rcab.org.

#### RCIA/ RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Are you or is someone you know hungering for a sense of belonging to God and to a Faith community? Are you or someone you know thirsting for a deeper experience of the heart when it comes to God and the Faith community? Are you intrigued by the possibility of exploring the Catholic Faith through the RCIA or knowing more about the Catholic Church? Do you have a child over the age of 8 who has not yet been baptized and would like to bring them into the sacramental life of the Catholic Church? The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Rite of Christian Initiation for Children), continues throughout the year. Those who would like to consider exploring the Catholic Faith or the possibility of receiving or completing the sacraments, please give us a call and we'll be happy to explain the process and work out a time schedule that most fits your own. For additional information contact Mrs. Bernadette Scalese at (781) 893-8461 or E-Mail us at sacredheartED@aol.com.

#### POPE JOHN XXIII SEMINARY GOLF TOURNAMENT

The 30th Annual Pope St. John XXIII National Seminary Golf Tournament is scheduled for Monday, May 23rd, at The Weston Golf Club. This premier charity event is held to benefit the educational program for the seminarians. Tuition covers only half the cost of educating a seminarian and the proceeds from this tournament will help bridge the gap and keep the cost of educating them affordable. The \$250 player entry includes lunch at the Club, 18 holes of golf with cart, and door prizes; followed by a social hour, silent auction and dinner for each golfer and a guest at the seminary. To register: <u>https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=4b5c89</u> or call 781.899.550.

#### SACRED HEART CHURCH'S BRISTOL LODGE DINNER

Each month on the first Wednesday of the month, our parish members sponsors the meal for the Bristol Lodge Soup Kitchen by preparing or purchasing a portion of the monthly meal. We have been providing this monthly dinner for more than 25 years, and the Bristol Lodge is grateful for our service. Since covid restrictions are fewer now than they were last year we have returned to a more normal meal plan rather than "grab and go" as was he case last year. Those who might consider helping by preparing or purchasing a portion of the monthly meal can check out the menu and/or sign-up via our parish website www.sacredheart311.com and scroll and click on the Bristol Lodge Soup Kitchen. You may also sign up and check the menu when you come or go from church. You will find the menus and sign up sheets in the Bristol Lodge on the table at the parking lot entrance of the church. The next meal that the parish will host will be on Wednesday, May 4th and the entrée will be pasta, meatballs or sausage.



#### **HEARTBEATS PREGNANCY HELP CENTER**

Has your baby transitioned to milk leaving unopened infant formula or has your infant outgrown clothing or unused packages of disposable diapers? Items such as these are much needed for mothers of newborns and infants. Heartbeat Pregnancy Help is a Catholic all-volunteer pro-life ministry helping hundreds of needy families in surrounding communities. Since 1994 they have provided critical assistance to thousands of needy expectant mothers and families with small children providing clothing, car seats, strollers, baby beds, diapers, formula and so much more. Their increased expenses have left their funds at crisis levels! Their financials can be viewed https://givingcommon.org/ profile/1086846/heartbeat-crisis-pregnancy-center/, where there is also a donate tab. Please consider donating. Hearbeats is always in need of funds, help with fundraising, as well as donations of gift cards to Market Basket, Target & Walmart, and/or gently used maternity and children's clothing up to size 18/20. Heartbeat also accepts donations of gently used baby bouncers, swings, and folding high-chairs. If you can help with any of these items, please consider donating. For questions or assistance, email Muriel at PregnancyMA@verizon.net or call 781-229-7887; mailing address is Heartbeat, PO Box 153, Burlington, MA 01803.

#### SAINT ANTHONY DEVOTION THIRTEEN TUES-DAYS

The Thirteen Tuesdays devotion leading to the Feast Day of Saint Anthony of Padua on June 13th has begun. The Tuesdays Novena is a tradition which is said to have begun because of miracles that took place following Saint Anthony.

#### THIRTEEN TUESDAYS PRAYER REFLECTIONS

Week four reflection on the virtues of Saint Anthony.

Fourth Tuesday: Living Faith

St. Anthony, you carried out the daily responsibilities of your religious life with attention, care and loving faith. May I dedicate myself in the same spirit of love to the tasks God has given me in union with Jesus.

### PRAYER CORNER

#### Please Pray For...

Sophia Corsini, Maureen Connell, Emily Daddona, Lindsey Yetton, Rev. Gregory J. Hoppough C.S.S., Kathy MacDougall, Charlie Porpora Joe D, Janet Roberts, Donna and Joe Vanaria, Rick T. Jonathan Perez, Ann, Devin, Patricia Cristina, John Bellan, Mary Caramanica, Jeffrey Sullivan, Ann W, Michael Attardo, Henry Hank" Pilla, Victoria Huff, Ruth Mullgan, V. Pallazzo, Roberta J and Marylow R. We pray in a special way for the people of Ukraine.



Heavenly Father, Your Son taught us "Blessed are the Peacemakers for they shall be called Children of God." In this time of great worry, we leaders wisdom and prudence. Yet, may they also have the strength and perseverance to defend their land from all adversity and foreign attacks. Help us all to live according to your Divine Will. O God, our Father, in the days to come, we beseech you to comfort the suffering, heal the wounded, and accept the souls of the faithful departed into Your Heavenly Kingdom. We ask also that the Most Holy Mother of God extend her blessed mantle of protection over our Ukraine. Amen fervently pray that Your Holy Spirit sustain all the people of Ukraine to be vigilant and dedicated to peace and justice. Grant their .

Source: Ukrainian Catholic National Shrine of the Holy Family

### PROJECT RACHEL RETREATS

Project Rachel is the post-abortion ministry of the Archdiocese of Boston which offers hope and healing for women suffering from the pain of a past abortion. Project Rachel offers confidential support, retreats and referrals for Sacramental Reconciliation (Confession). Spring 2022 retreats April 23, May14, and June 4. For more information, contact Project Rachel at 508.651.3100 or help@projectrachelboston.com

# NEWS FROM AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE



#### DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY WITH CARDINAL SEÁN

Cardinal Seán O'Malley invites all Catholics to finish out the Octave of Easter by spending time with the merciful Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. On April 17, Divine Mercy Sunday, join CatholicTV for a special devotion beginning at 12pm ET. There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, a novena of prayers, Scripture readings and reflection, the Stations of the Cross and the Holy Rosary, concluding with the chanting of the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm. Gather with your loved ones for three hours of peace and watch live on CatholicTV, <u>CatholicTVLIVE.com</u> or on YouTube Live at <u>YouTube.com/CatholicTV</u>

Cable: Comcast Ch 268, Verizon Ch 296, RCN Ch 85 Daily Masses: <u>WatchtheMass.com</u> Also available on Roku, Apple TV and Amazon FireTV, Samsung Smart TV, iOS and Android apps

#### ARCHDIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

The Archdiocese of Boston will host a Eucharistic Congress on June 18, 2022. This day-long event will be held at the Tsongas Center in Lowell. **Jesus is Here** is an opportunity for us to deepen our understanding of the mystery of Jesus' presence with us—by listening to powerful talks on the Eucharist, by receiving Jesus in the Eucharist at Mass, and by adoring Him in a time of adoration and worship, The Congress will feature Cardinal Seán O'Malley, Bishop Robert Barron, Bishop Daniel Flores, and more. For information visit: https://www.bostoncatholic.org/jesus-is-here

#### PRE-EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS EVENT

Prior to the Eucharistic Congress, there will be a scheduled event for young adults on Friday evening June 17, 2022 from 7:30PM-9:30PM at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. The event will be hosted by Fr. Matt Williams and will feature Cardinal Seán O'Malley and guest speakers Jackie and Bobby Angel, with Music by Village Lights. Tickets are \$10 per person with special pricing for families. Learn more at:

bit.ly/jesusishereyyayearoftheeucharist@rcab.org

#### **HEALING MASS, LOWELL MA**

Wednesday, May 25th, Immaculate Conception Church in Lowell, MA. Will host a Healing Mass in honor of Saint Peregrine for cancer patients. Saint Peregrine is the Patron Saint of cancer patients, and is the Saint many cancer patients, family members, and friends pray to for comfort and strength. During this Mass, the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be offered to cancer patients and any who wish to partake of this Sacrament of God's healing. All are invited to come and pray with and for those afflicted with cancer. Immaculate Conception Church is located at 144 East Merrimack Street in Lowell.





