

Sacred Heart Church

311 River Street Waltham, MA. 02453

Father William Kennedy, Temporary Administrator

“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: SacredheartED@AOL.com

LIFE TEEN: Sacredheartlifeteen@comcast.net

Food Pantry Hours: Thursday 4:00PM—5:00PM

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 their child's 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: Sacredheartknights@hotmail.com

Society of St. Clare, Parish Women's Group

Those who wish to submit bulletin announcements may call the parish office, the deadline for submission is Tuesday at noon.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest. Go on your way; behold, I am sending you like lambs among wolves. Carry no money bag, no sack, no sandals; and greet no one along the way. Into whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this household.' If a peaceful person lives there, your peace will rest on him; but if not, it will return to you
Luke 10:2-6



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 Sacredheart311.com.

<https://sacredheart311.weshareonline.org/>

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

Masses and Memorials

- Sat. July 2** 4:00PM Marc LeBlanc, Anniversary Memorial, request of Family
- Sun. July 3**
7:30AM Parishioners
10:00AM Raffaele and Maria Manfredonia, Anniversary Memorial, request of Family
- Mon. July 4** 7:30AM
- Tue. July 5** 7:00PM
- Wed. July 6** 7:30AM Leonard Spinelli, Anniversary Memorial, request of the Mangini Family
- Sat. July 9** 4:00PM Gerald Allain, Anniversary Memorial, request of Emilia and Renee Allain
- Sun. June 26** 7:30AM 10:00AM Parishioners



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*

Week Ending June 27th

Offertory	\$ 4,055.00
Peter's Pence	\$ 1,162.00
WeShare	\$ 2,645.00

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

CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

In today's Gospel passage, from Luke, we find our Lord appointing disciples to go out and prepare others to receive His invitation into the Kingdom of God. Every verse has something to say about the way a Christian steward should approach others. Let's consider at least one of the coaching tips Christ gives. "The Lord appointed seventy-two others whom He sent out ahead of Him in pairs to every town and place He intended to visit." In His wisdom, Christ sent His disciples out not as individuals but in pairs, as teams. This approach to evangelization certainly provided practical advantages. The disciples could lean on each other for mutual support and encouragement, helping each other to stay on task and to put their heads together to pray and problem-solve. This teamwork approach is just as relevant to us modern-day Christian stewards. It takes courage and commitment to go out and invite others into the Christian life. We need to work together to do it well. But there is also symbolic importance to working in teams. It points to the reality that when we invite others to embrace the Good News of the Gospel, we are not merely inviting them into a belief system, but into a relationship with Christ and through that relationship, into Christ's family, our fellow Christian disciples near and far. Our parish is our immediate spiritual family in this extended worldwide fold. We are not meant to live as isolated individuals within the parish any more than we are meant to live in isolation within our families. We are meant to be a community. That is why it is so important for us to foster a vibrant, supportive, welcoming parish life. This is why we emphasize hospitality as one of the pillars of stewardship. It is not enough just to point others to Christ; we must invite them to join us in community with Him; we must offer a place and mission for them in the Church and within our parish family.



Readings for the week of July 3-10, 2022

- Sunday:** Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 [1]/Gal 6:14-18/
Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9
- Monday:** Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26
- Tuesday:** Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-38
- Wednesday:** Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7
- Thursday:** Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15
- Friday:** Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-23
- Saturday:** Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33
- Next Sunday:** Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [9]/
Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37



FR. JANVIER

Father Janvier has moved from Sacred Heart Parish. He has taken a position at St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Unfortunately, we did not have time to plan a hold a suitable event to express our appreciation for his help during his stay here and our best wishes for him in the future. We will work with him to set something up in the future. Once we receive his permission to publish his new contact information we will do so.

THE WALL THAT HEALS

The Wall that Heals is a three-quarter scale replica of the Vietnam War Memorial that honors the more than three million Americans who served in the U.S. Armed forces in the Vietnam War and bears the names of the 58,281 men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice in Vietnam. It is scheduled to be at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Bedford September 22-24, 2022 and will be open to the public 24 hours a day. Organizations or individuals desiring to volunteer during or sponsor the visit may contact VA Bedford via email at vhbedTheWall-ThatHeals@va.gov to express their interest.

WEEKEND AND WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS

We have several Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses available for those interested in having a Mass said in memory of a deceased loved one. If you would like to reserve a Mass we will be happy to take your request. Memorial remembrances such as altar or blessed Mother Flowers or altar bread, wine, candles etc. may also be offered as memorials. 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.

SAVE THE DATE!

On Wednesday, October 26th at 6:30PM Sacred Heart Parish will hold a special event featuring a presentation by Peter Kreeft Ph.D., professor of philosophy at Boston College. He will speak on the Catholic Church's long history of prosperity and hardships and present his perspective on evangelizing the next generation and will respond to the question "How do we get the faithful back and fill our churches once again". You can preview Professor Kreeft's talks on YouTube as he has shared many talks and television interviews over the years. We hope that everyone will mark their calendar for this very special event.



PRAYER CORNER

Please Pray For...

Steven Sylvester, Janice LeFort Phillip, Todd S., Sara, Jeffrey Sullivan, Elizabeth Corsini, Gary S. Sophia Corsini, Maureen Connell, Emily Daddona, Janice Phillips, Sara, Jeffrey Sullivan, Elizabeth Corsini, Gary S. Sophia Corsini, Maureen Connell, Emily Daddona, Lindsey Yetton, Rev. Gregory J. Hopough 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, Ann W, Michael Attardo, Henry Hank" Pilla, Victoria Huff, Ruth Mullgan, V. Pallazzo, Roberta J and Marylou R.

JULY 4TH HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Offices will be closed for the Independence Day holiday on Monday, July 4th. The offices will reopen on Tuesday, July 5th. We wish everyone a safe and enjoyable 4th of July!

YOUNG ADULT VOLUNTEERS

Are you a young adult interested in helping to inspire and shape the faith of high school aged teens? We would welcome your help in parish youth ministry. This fall we plan to resume a monthly youth group (tentatively on the first Wednesday of the month), as well as our Sunday morning high school faith formation classes. Individuals and/or couples who are interested may contact Laura Peterson at Sacredheartlifeteen@gmail.com.

CATECHISTS NEEDED FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We are in need of catechists for the upcoming year on Sunday mornings (8:30 or 10:45AM). We are also in need volunteers to serve as middle school and high school team leaders to work with small groups of teens. Grades 6-10 are held on alternating Sundays at 10:45AM. Please consider sharing your time and faith. For more information please contact Bernadette Scalse via email at sacredheartED@aol.com or call (781) 893-8461.

REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2022-23

If you are new to the parish, or if you are parishioners whose children were **not enrolled** in religious education last year, please contact Bernadette Scalse, by phone at (781) 893-8461 or via email at SacredheartED@aol.com to be certain that you are in our database. Please note the schedule listed above. In addition to classes for Grades 1-10, we offer an early childhood RE program for 4 and 5 year-olds at 8:30AM or 10:45AM on Sundays.

CATHOLIC APPEAL UPDATE

We received a recent update on this year's Catholic Appeal. We have well surpassed our assessment goal of \$23,126 with pledges totaling \$30,239, reflecting 131% of our original goal. Our donor goal of 56 has more than doubled with 121 donors, reflecting 216%. Thank you all for your generous contributions to this year's Catholic Appeal.

ADVERTISING IN THE PARISH BULLETIN

Advertisers pay for the publishing of our weekly bulletin. We are grateful for those individuals and companies that support us by purchasing ads. As you can see, we do not have a surplus of advertisers. If you own a business or think that your employer would be willing to advertise, please send contact information to the parish. A representative of the publisher will be reaching out to potential advertisers the week of June 20th. She would appreciate any leads.

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SACRED HEART CHURCH

HVAC UPDATE

We hope everyone is feeling comfortable in the church. The A/C seems to be working well. The contractors are putting the finishing touches on the work that Fr. Dennis contracted. We thank everyone for their generosity in supporting this effort. Unfortunately, we have another project that needs to be addressed. The reason the church was so hot during last winter was that the controller system (which allows the thermostats to regulate the boiler) was original to the church. It was a good system in the 1960s. It has failed and needs to be replaced before the coming heating system. We are soliciting bids for the work and will need to raise funds. As soon as we know the price, we will let you know. We know that everyone is feeling the pinch financially these days and appreciate (in advance) your support.

BRISTOL LODGE DINNER

Our next monthly dinner for the Bristol Lodge Soup Kitchen will take place this coming Wednesday, July 6th. The summertime menu consists of any combination of hamburgers, hot dogs, sandwiches and assorted salads (potato, macaroni or pasta salad, garden salad or coleslaw). Grilled veggies or other side dishes are also welcome. Those who wish to contribute should log on to our parish website www.sacredheartwaltham@gmail.com scroll to the Bristol Lodge meal link and click there to sign up. Or you may sign up in person when coming to Mass. The sign-up book is located at the side entrance of the church. Please drop off your food donations by 2:00PM at Sacred Heart in the parish hall kitchen fridge or deliver directly to the Bristol Lodge located in the Immanuel Methodist Church on the corner of Moody and Cherry Street by 2:30PM.

311 CLUB DRAWINGS

The parish's monthly 311 Club Drawings are being held in the parish hall on the third Wednesday of each month. Next month's drawing will take place on Thursday, July 21st. All are welcome to join us in the parish hall for these monthly drawings.

311 CLUB

For those who wish to join please fill out an application. The drawing year runs from March through February. The cost is \$5/month (ex: June – Feb is 9 months = \$45). Please make out your checks to Sacred Heart and put 311 Club in the memo section. 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 John Huff at 781-330-2184.

311 Club Membership Form SACRED HEART CHURCH

311 River Street
Waltham, MA 02154

I wish to enroll in the "311 Club" at **\$5 dollars per month.**

Name _____

Street _____

City/Town _____

Telephone _____

Email address _____

Please return this form with your payment by mail to the address above or place in the offertory basket in an envelope marked "311 Club".

CENTENIAL EVENTS

Plans for the Sacred Heart Church Centennial events are in full swing and there is something for everyone. As the committees continue to finalize the events please check the website, bulletin and social media for details and updates. Thank you for your support.



Centennial Tailgate Party

This Family friendly event, taking place on **Sunday, September 18th** will be a fun and engaging one, so get your football jerseys ready and pack your car for a fun-filled afternoon. More details to come!

2nd Annual K of C Golf Outing

The response to our golf outing has been FANTASTIC!! We currently have requests for all 40 of our golf player spots. Those interested in playing are encouraged to still submit a player form, and will be placed on a waiting list. Golf player spots may certainly open up between now and September 25th, and we will contact you should that happen. Those who wish to join us for the dinner that afternoon may reserve a space to enjoy dinner, raffles and socialize. If you have any questions or want more details, please contact Jim Colantropo at jcolantropo@gmail.com

Movies and Memories

Join us on the weekend of **November 5th and 6th** for Movies and Memories This event will feature memorabilia displays as well as viewing of the Centennial Video: *Sacred Heart: 100 Years of Community, Faith and Hope*. The film will be shown before and after the 4:00PM Mass on Saturday Mass and 10:00AM Mass on Sunday and following the 7:30AM Mass on Sunday. Bring a friend and enjoy all the popcorn you can eat!

Centennial Mass

Please save the date and plan to attend Sacred Heart Church's **Centennial Mass on Sunday, December 4, 2022 at 10:00AM**. The Centennial Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated by the Most Reverend Robert P. Reed, Auxiliary Bishop of Boston. Be sure to mark this on your calendar and join us for this special celebration of our parish.

First Holy Communion at Sacred Heart Church

Recognize anyone you know? We received this wonderful photo of a first holy communion celebration which features a very young Father Ettore Canzano C.S.S. pictured on the left. If you recognize any of the children or young adults pictured below, please let us know their name)) , and where they are located in the group photo.



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