



SACRED HEART CHURCH

A Stephen Ministry Parish

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Hopedale, MA 01747

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Becoming and Making Disciples, Welcoming all to Follow Jesus Christ.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil – 4PM
Sunday – 8:30AM & 10:30AM
Monday – Thursday 9AM
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Pastoral Team & Staff

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Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday
9:30am – 4:30pm

CONNECT:



Never miss Mass again!

Watch Mass on TV
Verizon Fios Channel 29
Comcast Channel 8

Thursdays & Sundays
8:30am & 10:30am

ALL ARE WELCOME

All people are welcome at Sacred Heart Parish. Regardless of your experience of Church, regardless of your marital state, regardless of your personal history, background or sexual orientation. Please know that you are invited, accepted and respected at Sacred Heart.



Audio/Visually
Enhanced

May 20, 2018

Pentecost Sunday

Dear Parish Family:

It's that time of year! Don't you just love it? Spring is in the air. It seems like the leaves have popped out overnight and gone is the winter that would never end. During spring and early summer, it is like someone put their foot on the accelerator and there is so much to do, but so little time to do it! It is hard to believe that our summer Mass schedule begins next weekend. Masses are on Saturday at 4PM and Sunday at 9:30AM only!

Graduation is only a few weeks away – it doesn't seem possible. It's interesting that the graduation ceremony is referred to as a COMMENCEMENT ceremony. Commencement means beginning. So... graduation is NOT the end of something as much as it is the start of something hopefully something new, exciting and fresh. On that note, next Sunday, May 27th at the 9:30 Mass we will be celebrating our graduating senior's COMMENCEMENT! We will celebrate all their accomplishments to this point but also all the OPPORTUNITIES before them to become and accomplish something great.

On June 3rd, Fr. Bill will celebrate the 40th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. His 40 years of faithful service has been a generous gift to all the people whom he served in all of his assignments; the parish of St. Joan of Arc in Worcester, the parish of St. Mark in Sutton, the young people of the diocese of Worcester through the office of Youth Ministry and the many people of the diocese of Les Cayes, Haiti. For the past 16 years, we have been blessed to share our faith journey with Fr. Bill as our pastor and share in the joy of his priestly ministry.

God has a special place for each of us to serve. Fr. Bill chooses to be God's hands, feet, and voice to express God's love in the world. To thank him for his willingness to give of himself and be used where God has placed him, everyone is invited to celebrate Fr. Bill's 40 years of service on Saturday, June 16th beginning at the 4PM Mass, followed by hors d'oeuvres in the Fr. Reilly Center. There will also be a dinner at Willowbrook Restaurant at 7PM. Tickets will be available for dinner by contacting Gina Russell—gmrussell75@gmail.com or 508-277-9535.

Spring is a time for celebrations! Congratulations to all our graduates! Congratulations and Thank You Fr. Bill!

"I hope your dreams take you to the corners of your smiles, to the highest of your hopes, to the windows of your opportunities, and to the most special places your heart has ever known." ~Author Unknown

Pam Chaplin

REMEMBER
in your prayers

Alice Slattery
Dorothy Breen
Ed Holland Sr.
Elaine Malloy
Jack Dwyer
Jynetta Reise
Mary Bacon
Mary Volpe
Nelson Clement
Rita O'Brien
Robert Marelli
Rita Coffey
Jim Griffith
Janice Griffith
Ted Powers
Cristina Hurley
Lynn Dillion
Phyllis Collins
Deb Clare
Dennis DiGiando
Karen Walker
Mike Iacovelli
Charles Lee
Joseph Kenney



Gladys King
Elizabeth Alden

SANCTUARY LAMP

Philip W. Morin, Jr.

MASS ATTENDANCE

5/13/2018

4:00PM	195
8:30AM	124
10:30AM	100

FINANCIAL REPORT

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

5/13/2018

Weekly:
\$3,878.00

Monthly:
\$220.00

Fuel, Utilities,
Maintenance &
Repairs:
\$100.00

Capital Campaign:
\$887.00

SUMMER
worship
HOURS

Mark your Calendars!

Start of the Summer Mass Schedule:

Sunday May 27th

Saturdays @ 4pm

Sundays @ 9:30am

Weekdays @ 9am*

*except Memorial Day

Monday May 28th @ 7:30am



Parish Life Night Notes

Faith Formation: Vacation Bible School Will be Aug 13-17. Youth Ministry is planning to start monthly meetings beginning Aug 19. The meetings will be run by the kids with adult volunteers available.

Community Engagement: Discussed a successful Italian night. Planned coffee & for Pentecost Sunday and confirmed the continuation of coffee & during the summer. Begin looking ahead to Day in the Park, Harvest fest and Fill-A-Ford.

Worship: Will be increasing our accessibility to the deaf and visually impaired. Started Advent planning.

Stewardship: Worked on next Stewardship weekend plans for July and also determining ways to manage the Stewardship Commitment in October both with traditional cards and also and web-based Ministry Commitment.

Operations: Discussed the repair of the front stairs and lawn maintenance. Reviewed the budget lines.

Message Shapers Corner

On this feast of Pentecost, as we celebrate the formation and the mission of the whole Christian community, we also need to reflect on the particular role that God has for me; to reflect on the particular contribution that I can make to the mission of the Church and the parish with which I am involved.

QUESTIONS TO PONDER...

- ◆ Who is the Holy Spirit to you? If you have a relationship with the Holy Spirit, how did it begin and develop?
- ◆ What gift of the Holy Spirit do you most desire or need at this time in your life?
- ◆ How have you experienced the Holy Spirit's presence and activity in your life?

THIS WEEK AT
CHURCH

Saturday, May 19th

8:30a AA Meeting

3:00p Reconciliation

4:00p Mass: Philip W. Morin Jr.

Pennelope Ann Lobisser Baptism

Sunday, May 20th

8:30a Mass: Edward Larkin

9:00a Thrift Shop open

9:30a Coffee &...

10:00a Vacation Bible School Mtg for potential volunteers, Hall

10:30a Mass: Ted Brothers

4:00p Girl Scout Troop Mtg

Monday, May 21st

9:00a Mass: Jeff Pokorny

6:00-8:00p Eucharistic Adoration

7:00p Pastoral Planning Mtg

7:00p Cub Scout Mtg

Tuesday, May 22nd

9:00a Mass: Jeannette Kanniard

Wednesday, May 23rd

9:00a Mass: Our Parish Family

9:30a MFN Playgroup

7:00p Small Group House

Thursday, May 24th

9:00a Mass: Our Parish Family

9:00a Thrift Shop Open

4:00p Girl Scout Troop Meeting

7:00p Small Group, House

Friday, May 25th

9:00a Communion Service

7:30p AA Meeting

Saturday, May 26th

8:30a AA Meeting

3:00p Reconciliation

4:00p Mass: Virginia Lucier & Esther Tominsky

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Call the office prior to your child's birth to begin preparation.

Marriage: Call the parish office one year prior to your wedding date to begin preparation

Reconciliation: Saturday – 3PM or by appointment

Anointing of the Sick: Second Sunday of the month after the 10:30 Mass

Our parish follows the guidelines of the national Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People approved by the US Bishops and the Diocese of Worcester in screening those who work with children in our care and in helping victims of abuse find healing. If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a Church employee or volunteer in the past, please contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator for our diocese at 508-929-4363 (direct line & confidential voicemail). If you are concerned about a current case of abuse, please contact the local civil authorities immediately.

Parish News

WE'RE HIRING!

In an effort to provide for the spiritual and formational needs of the young people of the parish, Sacred Heart is seeking a dynamic, faith-filled, and team oriented individual to serve as **Coordinator of Youth Faith Formation**.

This position is part-time and will serve as a member of the parish staff. This individual will oversee and coordinate various aspects of evangelization and catechesis for the young people in the parish in grades 7-12. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and resume to:

Coordinator of Youth Faith Formation Position
Sacred Heart Church
187 Hopedale St.
Hopedale, MA 01747

Or email: pchaplin@sacredhearthopedale.org



NOMINATIONS

We currently have 2 "At-Large" seats (3 year term) vacant on the pastoral planning team and 2 "Youth Seats" (1 year term) for high school students who have been confirmed. The Pastoral Planning Team identifies and provides direction for our spiritual life, sets ministry priorities, sets short-term and long-term goals and sets policies for the parish. It is made up of the members of the Parish Operations Team, the Coordinators of our Parish Life Teams, 3 "At-Large" positions.

We will be accepting nominations for these seats throughout the month of June. Prayerfully consider who you would like to have as your voice on this team. Please write their name(s) (or nominate yourself!) on a nomination form and submit it to the office by Wednesday, June 27th at noon. Please ensure that the person you nominate is willing and able to serve on this team prior to nominating them. The Pastoral Planning Team meets on the 4th Monday of the month from 7:00-9:00PM in the loft library. The 3 names will be drawn at the 9:30am Mass on Sunday, July 1st. New PPT members will begin serving their term in September.

NO SCHOOL MEANS NO BREAKFAST OR LUNCH

for many Hopedale Students

Please support Sacred Heart's School's Out Summer Food Drive through May 27 to provide meals and snacks to feed children throughout the summer



The following is a list of suggested non-perishable items being collected:

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| Whole Grain Cereal | Soup |
| Pancake Mix (Just Add Water) and Syrup | Canned Pasta |
| Peanut Butter, Nutella or Nut-Free Spread | Mac & Cheese |
| Jam or Jelly | Canned Tuna, Chicken or Turkey |
| Canned Fruit, Fruit Cups or Applesauce | Pasta, Pasta or Alfredo Sauce |
| 100% Juice (Boxes or Bottled) | Rice |
| Granola Bars or Snack Bars | Canned Vegetables |
| Raisins, Craisins, Fruit Snacks | Canned Beans, Baked Beans |
| Healthy Snack Crackers and Microwave Popcorn | Mayonnaise, Vegetable or Canola Oil |

- Bring your donations to church in one of the marked boxes or leave in the parish office -



Thank to all who donated to the Mustard Seed this month. Please keep in mind our next trip will be June 19th. Drop off: Hall Kitchen, Monday May 14th 9:30-4:30 or Tuesday May 15th 9:30-

-3:30. Sign up by going to the link on our website, call (508-473-1900) or email tbuckley@sacredheart



Shipwrecked Vacation Bible School

Aug 13-17 9am-12pm VBS Mass 9:30 Aug 19

At Shipwrecked VBS, kids discover how Jesus rescues us through life's storms.

Shipwrecked is filled with incredible Bible-learning experiences. Kids will see, hear, touch, and even taste! Team-building games, cool Bible songs, and tasty treats are just a few of the standout activities that help faith flow into real life. Plus, we'll help kids discover how to see evidence of God in everyday life—something we call God Sightings. We are so excited!!!!

Registration forms are at the entrances to the Church or through the link - <https://vbspro.events/p/events/fcfd61> \$40 per child, \$75 two children, \$95 3 or more children.



ALL GRADUATING SENIORS ARE INVITED!

Sunday, May 27th at the 9:30AM Mass...to celebrate the accomplishments of our graduating seniors and thank those for their faithful service to our parish community. If you are graduating from high school and are planning on attending, please RSVP to the parish office or by emailing Pam Chaplin by May 23rd.



Boston Red Sox Tickets - Raffle

Game TBD in 2018 Season
2 Box Seats on Third Base Line
\$10 donation

Drawing will be on June 3, 2018 after the 9:30 Mass. Purchase tickets after Masses, in the Parish Center during coffee &... or contact any of the following:

Brenda Fishlock Christine Gaffney Tina Buckley
Donated by Francis & Virginia Larkin

Proceeds to benefit Hukanovic Families



TRINITY CHURCH COMMUNITY SUPPERS

Exchange Street Milford
MAY 25 JUNE 29 JULY 27

Various needs include Cooks, Servers, Clean-up.

Looking for 10 to 20 people

Pick your time slot:

1PM-3PM	Cooking & Meal Prep
4PM-5:30PM	Food Prep & Serving Meals
5PM 6:30 PM	Cleanup

EASY SIGN UP BY GOOGLE DOC & Parish Web Site

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