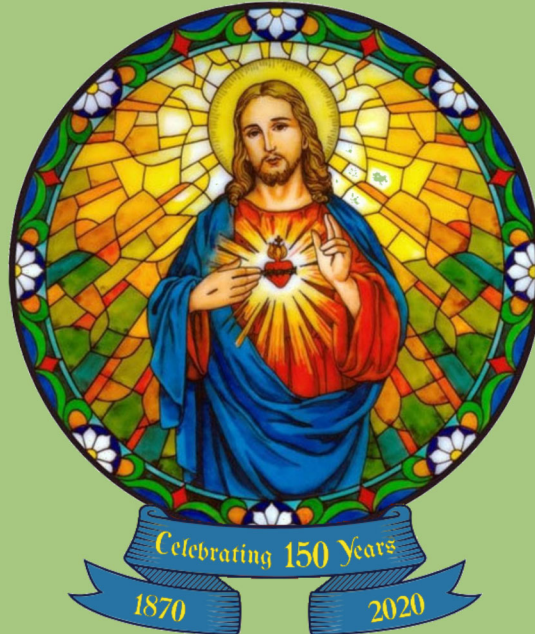


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~MASS SCHEDULE~

Saturdays at 4:00 PM

Sundays at 8:00 & 11:00 AM and 6:00 PM

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday at 8:00 AM

Wednesday at 7:00 PM

First Fridays at 7:00 PM

OCTOBER 5~6, 2019

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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24 hours a day, seven days a week at the Emmaus Center
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~SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION~

Saturday 3 - 3:30 p.m., or upon request anytime

~BAPTISM~

Please call the rectory for arrangements, preferably a few
months before the baby is due.

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Couples are requested to contact the rectory at least one
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~WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS~

Please introduce yourself to Fr. Adam after Mass or at
the rectory. We want to know and serve you.

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Sat. 10/12 4 p.m. ~ Max & Sam Palaia
Sun. 10/13 8 a.m. ~ Bernadette Lesieur
11 a.m. ~ Hayley & Marissa O'Connell,
Hailey Werbecki
6 p.m. ~ Lexus & Brayden Erickson,
Carlos Torres

*For emergency scheduling conflicts, please call
Marianne Lesieur at 508-987-3092.*

Thank you

**Saturday, October 5****10 a.m.** ~ Healing Mass**4 p.m.** ~ Michael McHugh, by Pam Snyder**Sunday, October 6****8 a.m.** ~ Members of Sacred Heart Parish**11 a.m.** ~ George & Elizabeth McClune, by Mary & Meaghan**6 p.m.** ~ Anthony Mazzone, by Sacred Heart Parish**Monday, October 7****8 a.m.** ~ Al Pion, by the Morin family**Tuesday, October 8****8 a.m.** ~ Eva & Albert Dumont, by daughter Marilyn**Wednesday, October 9****7 p.m.** ~ Ed Blair, 5th anniversary, by his wife**Thursday, October 10****8 a.m.** ~ Members of Sacred Heart Parish**Saturday, October 12****4 p.m.** ~ Rose Morissette, by the family**Sunday, October 13****8 a.m.** ~ Joseph Mikolajczak, by Susan Schade**11 a.m.** ~ Maureen - Conley Penny, by Sacred Heart Parish**6 p.m.** ~ Members of Sacred Heart Parish**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MINUTE**

In today's Gospel Jesus tells his disciples, "When you have done all you have been commanded, say: We are unprofitable servants; we have only done what we were obliged to do."

This week, please help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring the love and mercy of Jesus to those who feel left out and abandoned, for indeed we are only doing "what we are obliged to do".

FROM THE BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Our Eucharistic Lord Jesus, our Companion, our Divine Physician, our Good Shepherd is made available day and night, for anyone to come to him to praise him, to pour out one's heart to him, to ask for inspiration, to be consoled and comforted in afflictions, to express sorrow for sin, to ask favors, to ask guidance, to get encouragement, to get strength, to give thanks, to be healed of spiritual and physical infirmities.

Please consider becoming a scheduled adoror here at our adoration chapel and help to keep this chapel open. Jesus is awaiting you.



Won't you please consider becoming a scheduled adoror? All hours are available, but these hours are in need of dedicated adorers:

Tuesday	1-2 p.m.
Wednesday	6-7 a.m.
Thursday	3-4 p.m., 9-10 p.m.
Friday	1-2 a.m.
Saturday	4-5 a.m., 3-4 p.m., 4-5 p.m.

We are also in need of substitutes - those willing to cover an hour for someone who is sick or has an appointment or for whatever reason they cannot make their hour with Jesus. Please consider being placed on our substitute call list. Please contact Kendall or Jane Sprague at (508) 943-8955, Barbara Avery at (508) 943-1489 or Jeanne Guerin at (508) 208-9064. Thank you.

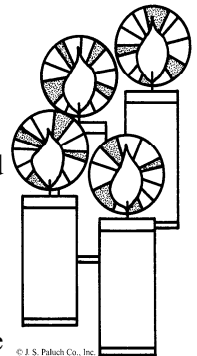
THIS WEEK THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ALTAR CANDLES BURN:

For Ann Caplette's speedy recovery

For Ann Bernier, 8th anniversary, by Marie Nawrocki

For Camile Harvanek, schooling and safety in Berlin, by Irene Harvanek

For engaged couples, by an adoror



Candle intentions are available, please consider having your special intention or memorial intention recognized with the purchase of a weekly altar candle at the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

STEWARDSHIP NOTE

"My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established..." (Luke 16:25-26)

When God created the world He declared that it was good and He gave it to all mankind for us to enjoy. However, over the years we have created a chasm between those who have great gifts and those who do not. In today's Gospel we see that with our own generosity we must bridge that gap between those who have much and those who have little or we may find ourselves on the wrong side of the chasm in the next life.

FROM THE RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY**UPCOMING PRO-LIFE EVENTS****OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH*****Today is Respect Life Sunday!***

As Catholics, we believe that every life is sacred, from the moment of conception until natural death. Each year in October, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops launches a new theme for the year to help Catholics understand and honor the dignity of every human person. This year's theme is "Christ Our Hope: In Every Season of Life." Find the reflection on this year's theme by visiting: respectlifeprogram.org/reflection

"Only with prayer – prayer that storms the heavens for justice and mercy, prayer that cleanses our hearts and souls – will the culture of death that surrounds us today be replaced with a culture of life." - Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities, U.S. Catholic Bishops

DID YOU KNOW?

That through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils, community outreach and with God's help, the worldwide 40 DAYS FOR LIFE campaigns have inspired 1,000,000 volunteers. Here are the proven results in 24 coordinated campaigns:

- **16,004 babies saved from abortion**
- **190 abortion workers converted**
- **100 abortion centers closed**

Here's how to take part in 40 Days For Life in our community:

Vigil location: outside the Planned Parenthood, 470 Pleasant St., Worcester

Vigil Hours: 7 am to 7 pm daily

Local contact: Lee Crowley, 508-887-1064 or LeeCrowley67@gmail.com

Learn More... get involved...and sign up for prayer times by visiting our campaign at <https://www.40daysforlife.com/worcester>

Please contact Linda Paquette -- 508-949-1218 or linpaqu@hotmail.com if you would like more information regarding the Respect Life Ministry or the upcoming pro-life events.

COUPON

Bring this coupon to **Webster House of Pizza** and 10% of your purchase will be donated to **Sacred Heart Parish**.

**PARISH EVENTS/NEWS****Parish and Neighborhood Picnic
Thank You !!!!!**

To all who helped in many various ways with our annual picnic. It was a great success - which couldn't happen without dedicated souls who gave whatever time, treasure and talents they had.

The generosity shown through financial assistance we received from gift cards, monetary and in-kind donations covered the expenses, so the parish didn't have to pay for any part of the picnic once again!

We enjoyed a memorable evening of fun and fellowship with parishioners and many wonderful neighbors who we were blessed to get to know a little better and gather as one community. Everyone got to enjoy good food, uplifting music, kids games, face painting and a pie eating contest.

A special thank you to the Planning Committee who put in many hours behind the scene allowing for the day to go as smooth as it went. You all exhibited the true meaning of being a Steward of Christ.

Most importantly, we thank the Good Lord and Mary our Mother who answered our prayers for a beautiful day.

"Whatever you ask for in prayer with faith, you will receive." *Matthew 21:22*

Daughters of Isabella

Bernadette Circle No. 709, D. of I. will meet on Tuesday, **October 8th** (moved from the 1st) at the Parish Hall on Day Street, starting at 6 p.m. The committee members are Sharon Whalen, Gloria Brown and Linda Paquette. Members are requested to bring in non-perishables to make Thanksgiving Baskets for St. Vincent de Paul. Additionally, following the business meeting, a Pound Auction will be held. The last bus trip this year is on October 6th, the "Turkey Train", which has been sold out for quite some time. Thank you all for supporting our bus trips and our charity drawing this year, as the monies collected for our fundraisers is distributed to local charities in this area.

**PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE
ARCHANGEL**

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray. and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

In Dire Need of a New Roof and Siding



At the back of the church parking lot is a tool shed in which we for many years have stored landscaping and snow removal equipment, such as several snow blowers. This snow removal equipment is used to clear snow from around our six parish-owned buildings. For at least a couple years, shingles have been

stripped from the roof of the tool shed on windy days and the wood siding has been deteriorating. Given that we lack an alternative place to store the gasoline, snow blowers and other equipment, we currently lack the option of tearing down the building to reduce future maintenance costs. Therefore your help would be appreciated in the form of a donation to offset the expense of the supplies and labor needed to put a new roof and siding on this equipment storage building.

Catholic Girls Club

The Catholic Girls Club meets on the third Saturday of the month between October and May from 2-3pm. On **October 19th**, we will meet in the Emmaus Center, (please use Day Street entrance), to discuss the life of St. Margaret Mary Alacoque and do a corresponding activity. The club is open to girls ages 6 and up, but if younger siblings wish to attend, we will have coloring pages of the chosen saint available for them. There are no fees or long-term commitments. You can sign up online and ask any questions to Melissa McDonald at kyleandmelissa2004@gmail.com. Please sign up by **October 13th**. We invite you to join us and meet some wonderful ladies!

150th Anniversary Committee is looking for Wedding Pictures

As part of Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish's 150th anniversary celebration we are asking for people to donate copies of pictures of weddings that took place at this church. We are also seeking copies of photographs from weddings of current Sacred Heart parishioners that took place at other churches. The pictures may be used in displays made available for people to enjoy at events like



a scheduled renewal of wedding vows and the reception following our 150th anniversary liturgy.

Essential in this effort is receiving not just photographs but some of the story behind them, otherwise they can seem less meaningful to the average observer. To this end, our parish archivist will be on hand at the Emmaus Center open house to receive any donations of wedding photographs and to learn a little about them. At that time he will have the ability to make a copy of a wedding picture if an individual wants to retain the original.

So please bring your wedding photos to Ron Heroux during our upcoming open house taking place at our **Emmaus Center** on Sunday, **October 20th** from noon until 1:30 p.m.

Come See Your Parish Ministry Center

The Sacred Heart Parish Emmaus Center is a somewhat expansive building encompassing three floors. Its features include a youth center, the Blessed Sacrament Chapel with associated office and storage area, St. Vincent de Paul food pantry and secondary food storage area, SPRED Learning Center, seven meeting areas and two offices. Ministries currently utilizing the Emmaus Center include, but are not limited to, the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Calix, Edge, Faith Formation, Intercessory Prayer, Ladies of St. Anne, Life in the Spirit Seminar, Life Teen, R.C.I.A., Religious Education, and SPRED. This past summer renovations were undertaken to allow for religious education classes to be held entirely at this one location.

Come and enjoy a brief tour of this very fine parish resource on Sunday, **October 20, 2019**. A representative from several ministries will be available to answer questions people may wish to ask about them. Stop by any time that day between noon and 1:30 p.m. Please enter the Emmaus Center from the Day Street side.

Shining Stars!

I nominate Rick Nolan along with Brian and Pat Morissette as Stewardship Shining Stars. All three individuals have been officers in the St. Vincent de Paul Ministry here for many years. They have been of enormous service to the group and the many people SVDP serves on a yearly basis. In fact, I was surprised that Rick Nolan had not previously been nominated. The amount of hours he works behind the scenes with St. Vincent de Paul is staggering. Perhaps it is a particularly opportune time to name them Shining Stars, given that they have recently stepped down from their long held positions but are committed to continuing to help that critical ministry. Thanks for all you have done, Rick, Brian & Pat!!!

Come Learn if the SPRED Ministry is Right for Someone You Know

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish in Webster is now hosting a SPRED learning center for all those with learning and intellectual disabilities in the South County area. SPRED, an internationally accepted method of instruction, is a program that provides religious development for children, teens, and adults who are unable to thrive in the typical religion classes or who, as adults, would benefit from gaining a deeper sense of God, the Church, and Christ. An open house will be held at the learning center, 17 East Main Street, on Sunday **October 20th** from 12-1:30 p.m. For more information please contact Fr. Adam Reid at 508 943-3140 or father.adam@sacredheartwebster.org.

This opportunity is being presented as part of a larger event hosted by Sacred Heart Parish on that occasion at which people will be able to tour the *Emmaus* parish ministry center.

Organ Craft Fair

Please join us at a parish vendor/ craft fair on Saturday **November 9** from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. at 11 Day St. in Webster.

The purpose of the vendor/ craft fair will be to raise awareness and funds towards the restoration of the pipe organ at Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish. There will be a small public display with information regarding the pipe organ and music ministry.



All Saints Day Free Party



On Sunday, **November 3rd**, we want to celebrate the feast of "All Saints' Day" with a free party for families! The event will take place in the Parish Center after the 11am Mass until about 2pm. Food will be served and there will be chances to win "Saintly" raffle baskets and play many games which focus on the Saints. Sign-up sheets are available in Church or you may email Kyle or

Melissa at kyleandmelissa2004@gmail.com. We would greatly appreciate donations of "Saint baskets", nut-allergy safe food, and would love to see our Sacred Heart community get involved sponsoring different "Saint Stations!" Pinterest has many ideas for "All Saints' Day Parties!" Please sign up or email by October 20th, so that we have time to order the goodies! Come and join us at this fun-filled, family party!

DIOCESAN EVENTS/NEWS

Support Our Seminarians



The Serra Club South is hosting its annual Chicken Pot Pie Dinner-Fundraiser and Chicken Pot Pie Sale. The "Dinner" is on Saturday, November 2, at St. Roch's Church Hall, Oxford. For dinner reservations and pie orders call 508-892-4783 or email AllForOurLady@gmail.com. Dinner seats @ \$14.95pp; pie sales range from \$10 to \$33. Orders must be received by October 26th. *This is the Serra South's major fundraiser to support our local seminarians.*

Fashion Show!

St. Joseph Women's Club will be hosting its annual fundraiser, "**FALL INTO FASHION**" Sunday **November 10, 2019** in the Richard A Nowak Gymnasium, St. Joseph School. Doors will open at 10:30am with vendor shopping. Brunch will be served from 11am to 12:30pm. Fashion Show at 1pm. **Cost \$25.00 before 10/1 and \$30.00 after 10/1.** Tickets are on sale by contacting Jo-Ann Canty, 509-943-8587 or jijo09@msn.com, Connie Favreau, 508-943-8293 or confav@aol.com.

2019 WORCESTER CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Register Now!

All women are invited to this exciting Conference, to be held at Assumption College on Saturday, **November 23**. 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 priests will hear confessions. Bishop McManus will offer Mass. For more information or to register, visit our website at www.worcestercatholicwomensconference.com or call Corinn Dahm at 508-277-3969. Seating is limited, register today!

REGIONAL EVENTS/NEWS

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

God has entrusted your spouse to your care. Show that you are trustworthy in that care by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are **Oct 18-20, 2019** in LACONIA, NH and **Dec 13-15, 2019** in Duxbury, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://www.mema.org/>.

Mini-retreat for Women

The Commission for Women of the Diocese of Worcester invites you to join us for a Mini-retreat for Women on Saturday, **October 19** at St. Mary's Parish Hall, Main St., Shrewsbury. The topic will be "Re-entering the Paradise of the Heart: A Spiritual Path for Healing" and will be facilitated by Sr. Kathryn Hermes, a Daughter of St. Paul. Through quiet prayer, guided inner exploration and Scripture meditation this retreat will help you take back your self-ownership when you learn how to stand at the door of your heart, when you re-enter the paradise of the heart. You will leave the retreat with prayer guides and life tools you can continue to use in your daily life. The day will begin with Mass at 8:30 AM, followed by registration and coffee/pastries. Lunch will be included with the \$15 offering and the program will conclude by 1:30 PM. Further information and a registration form may be found at www.worcesterdiocese.org/commission-for-women. Any questions or to have a registration form mailed to you, please call Jacqueline at 508-841-5621 or e-mail us at worcestercommissionforwomen@gmail.com.

Upcoming Cursillo Weekends

Cursillo or "short course in Christianity" is an uplifting and educational experience. Cursillo was brought from Spain to the United States in 1962. The weekend is facilitated by a team of laypeople and clergy who deliver organized talks and discussions. What the presenters add to the talks is the witness of their own lives, their struggles and triumphs in Christ. The weekend is full of laughter, prayer, great music, wonderful meals and so much more. Our 2019 Fall dates are: Men's - **October 10-13**; Women's - **November 14-17**

All weekends will be held at the Immaculate Conception Spiritual Renewal Center in Putnam, CT.

For additional information, please contact one of the following:

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 Joan Laracy, 774-239-2474, joanlaracy@yahoo.com
 George Leite, laydirector@fourthday.org
 Fr. Robert Grattaroti, St. Joseph's Parish, Charlton, 508-248-7862, stjoecharlton@aol.com



Bulletin announcement for Mission Appeal Talk
MARYKNOLL LAY MISSIONERS
Kathleen Maynard & Marcelo Maiorano
Speaking October 12 -13, 2019

Kathleen Maynard joined Maryknoll Lay Missioners in 2016 along with her Husband Marcelo Maiorano, and their two children, Cecilia and Maëlle. Since then they were working in São Paulo- Brazil. As lay missionaries, they focus their work on providing holistic support to individuals facing health challenges and on promoting wellness among at-risk youth at a youth resource center and women and men in prison. Kathleen's studies and work as a nurse practitioner are enabling her to provide information and support, to promote health among vulnerable populations.

Kathleen and Marcelo will speak at all masses at Sacred Heart of Jesus church the weekend of 12-13 of October to share their mission experience as part of the Missionary Cooperation Plan 2019. The second collection will be taken to support Maryknoll Lay Missioners. Your kind welcome and generous support is most appreciated.

Maryknoll Lay Missioners is a Catholic organization inspired by the mission of Jesus to live and work with poor communities in Africa, Asia, and the Americas, responding to basic needs and helping to create a more just and compassionate world. Maryknoll Lay Missioners sends and supports long – term missionaries who work in Health care, Education, Pastoral Work, Justice and Peace and Economic Development. To learn more visit www.mklm.org