

# **Sacred Heart Parish**

The United Parish Family of Sacred Heart and Saint Joseph

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> Follow us on Facebook at Sacred Heart, Suffield Website: SacredHeartCT.com Office Hours: Mon. thru Thurs, 8:30 AM – 2:00 PM Office Closed on Friday

# **Mass Times:**

Weekends: Saturdays: 4:00pm Sundays: 8:30am, and 10:30am through 8/31. Daily Mass: 8:00AM Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday (NO Thursday Mass) Holy Day: Please consult the Bulletin.

## Sacraments:

**Confessions:** Saturdays 2:30 - 3:30pm or by appointment. **Baptisms:** Sundays at 12:00 Noon. Please call the Rectory to schedule a date. **Holy Matrimony**: At least six months of notice should be given to arrange for weddings. **Anointing of the Sick** Please call the office.

# On going devotions:

*Weekly Morning Rosary*: Tuesdays at 7:30 AM *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*: Mondays 6 to 7 PM, Fridays 7:30 to 8 AM

# Parish Staff

**Pastor:** Fr. Joseph Keough Email: <u>frjfk@aol.com</u> Administrative Assistant: Jackie Dion email: <u>SacredHeartSuffield1@gmail.com</u>

> Religious Education: 860-668-7766 Fax: 860-370-5164

Director: Miss Donna M. Swols email: <u>shc\_dre@sbcglobal.net</u> Assistant : Jackie Dion email : <u>reledaa22@proton.me</u>

## **Directors of Music**

Floyd Higgins & Gretchen Collins floydandgretchen@comcast.net

\*Please note that neither Fr. J Keough nor any staff member, volunteers, or members of Sacred Heart Parish will ever call or text requesting donations of gift cards online, bitcoin or electronic transfer of funds. Please report any suspicious activity to the parish office and/or Suffield Police.

To report an incident of sexual abuse in the Archdiocese, visit our website or the archdioceseofhartford.com

# June 2, 2024 Corpus Christi Sunday

<u>Saturday, Ju</u>	ine 1	╵╺		
	For Vocations			
Sunday, June 2 <b>~Chorpus Christi Sunday</b>				
8:30 AM	,			
10:30 AM	Glenn Packard Thomas & Rose Modelesky Jay Adamczyk			
<u>Monday, Ju</u>	<u>ne 3</u>			
	Jennie "Olga" Colson			
6 – 7 PM	Holy Hour			
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8:00 AM	Christina White		A	
<u>Wednesday</u>		L	in	
8:00 AM	Elizabeth "Betty" Peckakonis Marie Helen Tysiak			
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8:00 AM	NO MASS			
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4:00 PM	For Our Parishioners	St. M St. B		
<u>Sunday, Jur</u>	<u>ne 9</u>			
8:30 AM	Matthew & Richard Roy Alfreda Beneski			
10:30 AM	Osowiecki Family			

Bible Study will be on Hiatus until sometime in June.

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# **Our Weekly Offertory**

On May 26, 473 members and visitors

worshipped with us at Sacred Heart Parish.

May 26, 2024, Parish Support:
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\$768.50	Online Giving			
\$5,789.50	Total			
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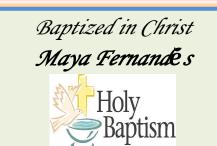
#### Fair trade

Fair Trade items will be available for purchase after ALL Masses this weekend June 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please stop n and support the Fair-Trade Farmers! Thank you!

> SAVE THE DATE June 7-9 – Men's Retreat

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PARISH REGISTRATION/UPDATE

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New Registration

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The Beginning Experience® Ministry is a peer led ministry that serves those grieving the end of a marriage or spousal relationship due to death, divorce, or separation. We are pleased to announce that we have two upcoming programs, and we invite men and women of all ages to attend.

In the Beginning...Coping with Life Alone. This is a one day remote via zoom program held on Saturday, June 22, 2024, from 9AM to 4PM. For information or to register please call Jim at 845 220 7883 or Denise at 845 325 3147. <u>Healing Weekend</u>. This is a 48-hour overnight program held at the Dominican Conference and Retreat Center in Niskayuna, NY held on July 26 to July 28. For information or to register, please call Gloria at 914 261 5812 or Phyllis at 646 281 4790.



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# SPIRITUAL EXERCISES

### & Ignatian Prayer?

The Loyola University of Maryland will once again offer the opportunity to pray the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius Loyola during the 2024-25 academic year.

Our approach will be one that Ignatius himself proposed for busy people – a way to make a prayerful and potentially transformative retreat in *everyday life*. Over the course of nine months of daily prayer with Scripture, journaling, and regular conversation with a guide, one can experience the same graced movements and discoveries that a privileged few get to make in 30 days of secluded silence.

For more information, please attend a Zoom Meeting:

Zoom Information Session (Thursday, June 20<sup>th,</sup> or August 8th, 2024; 7-8:30 p.m.). The Zoom meeting link: <u>https://loyola.zoom.us/j/9671575255</u>.

Should you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact us:

sue-cesare@dexterco.com OR sspahn@loyola.edu OR LUMspiritualexercises@gmail.com

#### <u>RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS</u> Office hours: Tuesday 10am-12noon and by appointment only Closed holidays and vacations

Donna Swols, DRE: shc\_dre@sbcglobal.net Jackie Dion, Adm. Asst.: reledaa22@proton.me Please use voicemail, email or our handy outdoor mailbox as necessary to conduct Religious Ed business.

<u>2024-2025 REGISTRATION INFORMATION</u>: Registration information for the 2024-2025 Religious Education year will be available June, 2024. This will be for both new and returning students. Please note that families/students must register each year for Religious Education at Sacred Heart. Check the bulletin, your email and our website for information about re-registering and registering your children for the Sacred Heart Religious Education Program for the 2024-2025 school year. Thank you.

<u>IMPORTANT NOTICE:</u> We are in the process of preparing year end progress reports for the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester. \*\*Please note that non-submission of make-up work, community service hours and other requirements affect grade promotion for the year 2024-2025. If you have received a notice of overdue work and/or owe any other requirements such as service hours, etc. please submit them no later than June 15, 2024! Additional requirements may also affect your child's promotion to the next grade in 2024-2025 also. Any questions please email the DRE at <u>shc dre@sbcglobal.net</u>. Thank you!



#### Enrollment is Now Open!

Enroll in the New England Catholic Biblical School to study all 73 books of the Bible! Jesus is teaching! You are invited!

In-person and online Classes begin September 7, 2024.

Class locations for Year 1 Class: Our Lady of Loreto, Waterbury, Thurs 6:30-8:30pm St Aloysius, Plantsville, Tues 10-12noon Online, Wed 6:30-8:30pm Visit: www.NewEnglandCatholicBiblicalSchool.com





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#### Important Upcoming Dates:

- The 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament at the Suffield Country Club is scheduled for Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup>. Net profits for this event will be used to support scholarships to graduating seniors. There is still availability for parties interested in registering to play golf (\$150 individual), funding a corporate sponsorship at the level of \$100, \$200, or \$500, or volunteering to help out on the day of the tournament. Please contact Craig Tini at (860)888-6697 for more information.
- Adult and teenage family members are welcome to join the Connecticut Knights of Columbus members volunteering in support of the 2024 CT Special Olympics Summer Games scheduled for Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup> & Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> at Southern Connecticut State University. Anyone interested in joining this worthy cause can contact Dennis Lisee for more information at dennis.lisee@yahoo.com or go to the scheduling website. www.signupgenius.com/go/CTOlympicTown
- Next local K of C council meeting is scheduled for June 2, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. Father Ted Hall.

This weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of Corpus Christi; the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, the Son of God. This feast is the totality of our faith! This is what makes us Catholic—the Eucharist is the "source and summit of our lives". This one feast is the summary and meaning of every other Feast Day, Holy Day, Sunday, and daily Mass of every year.

If you attended the Mass Classes or picked up a copy of the booklet by Timothy P. O' Malley, you saw his introduction to the section on the Liturgy of the Eucharist (p.17), "God loves you. And God wants you to love him with all your heart, all your soul, and all your strength. The Liturgy of the Eucharist is the way that we remember, experience, and are taken up into the heart of God's love." This beautiful understanding of what we should be as we accept Christ's invitation to come to the Eucharist to become one with him is just amazing. At each Mass, we receive Jesus, not a memorial of Jesus, a "good thought" about Jesus or a symbol of Jesus. We receive Jesus Christ, so it is imperative that we are well disposed, thoughtful and deliberate in our prayerfulness. Take the time to prepare in your heart before the Mass begins. Be attentive to the prayers of the Mass, especially the Eucharistic Prayers (often mistaken as the "priest's prayers) and reverently approach your Savior and your God in the Blessed Sacrament. Spend time in private, quiet thanksgiving as you return to your pew.

Most importantly, become more and more like this Jesus whom you have received. In the words of recently declared "Blessed" Carlos Acutis, "people who spend time in the sun become tan. People who spend time with the Eucharist become saints".

Have a blessed week!!

Fr. Joe Keough <u>frjfk@aol.com</u>

<u>VOCATION MINISTRY UPDATE:</u> WE ARE CLOSING IN ON ROCKY HILL! We need 50 more great people like YOU to take the lead! Have you signed up to pray for 1000 new priests, religious sisters, and Catholic marriages in the Archdiocese of Hartford? Visit

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St. Bernard, Enfield 7:30 AM, and later at 11:30 AM at Holy Family, Enfield

SOME ONE IS IN **MY** PEW! One of the blessings of the Summer Mass Schedule is that we are coming together from three different Masses into two new ones. The heart wrenching awareness that "my pew at the 11:00 Mass" was also someone else's pew at 8:00 and or 9:30! You have several options here, find a new pew and possibly a new perspective on the Mass or meet a new person and pray with them. We could be Christ like and welcome one another and enjoy the experience—no matter how challenging of loving the other person as you want to be loved. Just when we get used to being nice to one another, it will be September and we will be back to "our Mass and our pew". GOOD LUCK!