

# *Sacred Heart Church*

## **A Roman Catholic Faith Community**



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Rian Grimmer  
Music Director/Accompanist



### ***Liturgical Schedule:***

Saturday: 4:30 P.M.  
Sunday: 8:00 A.M. and 10:15 A.M.

Daily Mass Schedule  
8:00 A.M. (Monday, Tuesday,  
Thursday & Friday)

Holy Days:  
8 a.m., 12:10 & 7p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation  
Saturdays 3:45 P.M.- 4:15 P.M.  
or anytime by appointment.

# Sacred Heart Parish, Bloomfield

*Stewardship: The Gift you have been given, give as a gift*

(Mt 10:8)

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 23, 2024

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 22 4:30 p.m.	<i>12th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Michael Buda By Ellen & Donald Buda
Sunday, June 23 8:00 a.m.	<i>12th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> People of the Parish
10:15 a.m.	Alan Collette By Belinda & Anita
Monday, June 24 8:00 a.m.	<i>The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist</i> Robert Russell By John & Linda Clancy
Tuesday, June 25 8:00 a.m.	<i>Weekday</i> Sandra Ann Weaver
Wednesday, June 26	<i>Weekday</i> No Morning Mass
Thursday, June 27 8:00 a.m.	<i>St. Cyril of Alexandria</i> Rich & Renee Santo Wedding Anniversary
Friday, June 28 8:00 a.m.	<i>St. Irenaeus</i> Conrado Carrasquillo & Juanita Rodriquez By Joan & Epi Carrasquillo
Saturday, June 29 4:30 p.m.	<i>13th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Anna Kearns By Mary Ann & Bob Kalinowski
Sunday, June 30 8:00 a.m.	<i>13th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Kendall Jaunai (Blessings) By Anastasia Jaunai
10:15 a.m.	Joseph & Rose Losecco By The Tubiola Family



## TUESDAY ADORATION

Please join us for Adoration and the Rosary on Tuesday, June 25th from 6:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. There will also be Adoration after the 8:00 morning Mass on Friday, June 28th.



## SACRED HEART BOOK CLUB

All are invited to attend the next meeting of the Sacred Heart Book Club on Wednesday, June 26, at 1:30 to discuss **The Door to Door Bookstore**, an uplifting novel about friendships forged through reading. At this meeting, we will also plan for next year's reading.

## ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

Through the generosity of our parish community, \$56,680 has been pledged to this year's effort; this is 87.20% of our financial target. I encourage everyone to consider a gift that is appropriate for them; let's work together to exceed our parish goal. Every gift makes a difference and has an incredible impact. Thank you for your consideration.

## PREVIOUS WEEK'S PARISH SUPPORT

Weekly:	\$ 5,165.00
On-Line:	\$ 522.00
Total Received:	\$ 5,687.00
Budgeted:	\$ 5,000.00



## LIVING WITH CHRIST

Whether in church or at home, *Living with Christ* is ready to guide you through the prayers and readings of the Mass each day, ready to encourage and console you in hard times, ready to inspire you and ennoble your spirit as you go through your day. The missalette arrives on a monthly basis. If you would like a monthly subscription you can do it on your own or through the parish. We get the bulk rate of \$21.00 per year. If you would like to order through Sacred Heart, please send a check for \$21.00 by June 24th to the parish office..



## Words from Fr. Michael

On Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, Archbishop Coyne ordained two priests and two transitional deacons for the archdiocese. It is a beautiful and joyful day. One of the new priests (Rev. Daniel Hackenjos) has been assigned to New Britain and the other (Rev. Colin Lane) to

Wallingford. The two new deacons (Rev. Mr. Martin Chouinard and Rev. Mr. Mitchell Kendroioski) have one more year of seminary to complete and they will be ordained to the priesthood next year.

It is a privilege for me to be part of these ordinations as the director of Worship for the archdiocese. I help plan, rehearse, and oversee the Ordination Mass. It is exciting to be close to the wonder of the day and it is a powerful reminder of my own ordination day.

Please continue praying for vocations. The prayer after Mass, our own prayers, and the investment the archdiocese is making by dedicating Fr. Federico to vocation ministry is bearing fruit. We have five new seminarians starting in the fall and a large number of men (around 80) who are seriously discerning God's call.

Last weekend we were asked to fill out those "Called by Name" cards after Mass. Consider the people that are in your life and ask yourself if you think there may be someone who is called to be a religious sister or brother, a deacon, or a priest. Pray for that person and don't be afraid to ask them if they have thought about it. There is an amazing statistic that most priests report that someone asked them if they had thought about being a priest three to six times before they took the thought seriously. Building a culture of vocations to answer God's call requires us to pray, speak about it, and to invite.

*O God, Who wish all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of Your truth: send, we beg You, laborers into Your harvest, and grant them grace to speak Your word with all boldness; so that Your word may spread and be glorified, and all nations may know You, the only God, and Him Whom You have sent, Jesus Christ Your Son, Our Lord, Who lives and reigns world without end. Amen.*



### YOUR IDEAS PLEASE!

We have just completed the installation of a walking path in the back of our parish center. It is a short walk (a little under .2 miles) but beautiful. We invite everyone to stop by and take a trip around the grounds. We would like to add to the walking path with perhaps the stations of the cross, benches, flowers, etc. We would love your ideas. Fr. Michael would like to put together a committee to design the path. If you are interested in joining this group, please call or email the parish office.



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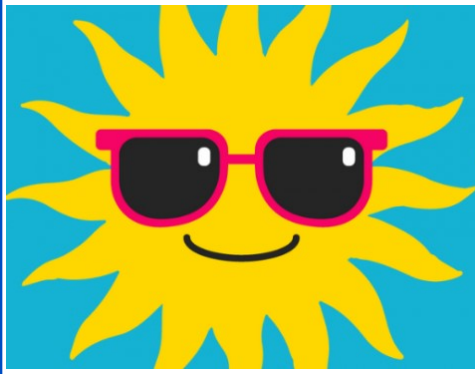
Class locations for Year 1 Class: Our Lady of Loreto, Waterbury, Thurs 6:30-8:30pm  
St Aloysius, Plantsville, Tues 10-12noon  
St Pio of Pietrelcina, New Haven, Thurs 10-12noon

Online, Wed 6:30-8:30pm Visit:  
[NewEnglandCatholicBiblicalSchool.com](http://NewEnglandCatholicBiblicalSchool.com)



### POPE FRANCIS ON TWITTER

We are in the world to step out of our comfort zones and reach out to those in need. We will only find ourselves by giving ourselves for others, for life is gained only when we offer it for others.



# SUMMER FUN

Are you going away this summer?  
Doing something fun?  
Send us a postcard!

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## **WE ARE HERE TO SERVE!**

**Do you know of someone who is no longer able to come to Mass regularly? Would they like a visit to receive the Holy Eucharist, the Sacrament of Reconciliation or the Sacrament of Anointing? Would they like a visit just to say hello, or would you like to make one of these visits. If you answered yes, please contact the parish office by calling (860-242-4142) or emailing: [sacredheartblct@gmail.com](mailto:sacredheartblct@gmail.com).**

**Welcome to Sacred Heart Parish. If Fr. Michael or the staff can be of assistance to you, or if you would like to register as a member of the parish, please call the office at 860 242-4142 or send an email to [sacredheartblct@gmail.com](mailto:sacredheartblct@gmail.com). Please remember to notify the parish office if you or someone you know is at home or in the hospital and in need of a visit.**

*Welcome*