

Precious Blood Parish

St. Agnes Church
400 Merwin Avenue
Milford, CT 06460



St. Mary Church
(Parish Office)
70 Gulf Street
Milford, CT 06460



15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"The seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold." - Mt 13:23

Precious Blood Parish is a Roman Catholic community of faith in Milford, Connecticut rooted in the Word of God and the sacraments, especially the Eucharist. We are missionary disciples who seek to bring the presence and the message of Jesus Christ to others through prayer, faith formation and assisting the needy through ministries grounded in the works of mercy.

We Welcome All Visitors

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil
4:30 pm St. Mary
5:00 pm St. Agnes

Sunday
7:30 am St. Agnes
8:30 am St. Mary
10:00 am St. Mary
10:30 am St. Agnes
11:30 am St. Mary
4:30 pm St. Mary

DAILY MASSES

7:00 am St. Mary
7:30 am (Saturday) St. Mary
9:00 am (Mon-Fri) St. Agnes

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30 pm—4:30 pm St. Agnes
Monday 6:00 pm—7:00 pm St. Mary

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PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH, MILFORD

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. Agnes Church

Mon July 13 St. Henry

9:00 *Ten Plus Five* by Carolyn Gagliardi

Tue July 14 St. Kateri Tekakwitha

9:00 No Intention

Wed July 15 St. Bonaventure

9:00 *Eleanor Rosa* by her husband Robert

Thu July 16 Our Lady of Mount Carmel

9:00 *Carl and Joan Rocco and Alex Conte*

Fri July 17 Weekday

9:00 *Margaret Walkowski* by Linda St. Cyr

Sat July 18**Vigil**

5:00 *In celebration of Glen Hale's birthday*

Sun July 19 Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

7:30 No Intention

10:30 *Tyne Catapano* by her husband

St. Mary Church

Mon July 13 St. Henry

7:00 *Edward Howarth* by his brother

Tue July 14 St. Kateri Tekakwitha

7:00 *Robert G. Falcone* by his family

Wed July 15 St. Bonaventure

7:00 *Marguerite Shea* by her estate

Thu July 16 Our Lady of Mount Carmel

7:00 *James Bachman* by Janet and Michelle

Fri July 17 Weekday

7:00 *Rolando Trovini* by his wife Christina

Sat July 18 St. Camillus de Lellis

7:30 *Helen Mettler* by Dorothy Mettler

Vigil

4:30 *Sue & Walt Zaneski* by daughter Karen

Sun July 19 Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:30 *People of Precious Blood Parish*

10:00 *Umberto Racci* by his family

11:30 *Julia and Clifford Demarest* by their family

4:30 *Jozefa Stradecki* by Barbara & Mark Winkler

Readings for the week of July 12, 2020

Sun: Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14 [Lk 8:8]/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

Mon: Is 1:10-17/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/ Mt 10:34—11:1

Tue: Is 7:1-9/Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8 [cf. 9d]/Mt 11:20-24

Wed: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15 [14a]/Mt 11:25-27

Thu: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21 [20b]/Mt 11:28-30

Fri: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16 [cf. 17b]/Mt 12:1-8

Sat: Mi 2:1-5/Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14 [12b]/Mt 12:14

Next Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19/Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16 [5a]/Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30



The Sanctuary Lamp
Week of July 12, 2020
Is in memory of *Helen DeLillo*

**SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

“My Jesus, I believe that Thou art present in the most Holy Sacrament. I love thee about all things, and I desire to receive Thee into my soul. Since I can not now receive thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace thee, as if thou wert already there, and unite myself wholly to Thee; never permit me to be separated from Thee.”



Kateri Tekakwitha was the first person born in North America to be canonized (by Pope Benedict, Oct. 2012). She was born in Auriesville, NY in 1656 to a Mohawk chief and Algonquin Christian mother, both of whom died of smallpox. Adopted by her uncle, the new Mohawk chief, she was inspired by Jesuit missionaries, was baptized and took a vow of chastity. Because she refused to marry a Mohawk brave, she was treated like a slave. Finally she stole away and walked 200 miles to a Christian Indian village at Sault St. Louis, near Montreal. She died April 17, 1680.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOTICE REGARDING THE RESUMPTION OF WEEKEND MASSES

Dear Parishioners:

Archbishop Blair has announced that weekend Masses may resume the weekend of July 4-5. On that weekend, we will be celebrating Masses according to our regular schedule, namely:

at St. Mary Church at
4:30 PM Saturday, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 AM, and 4:30 PM Sunday
and at St. Agnes Church at
5:00 PM Saturday, 7:30 and 10:30 AM Sunday.

Please note **that we are limited to no more than 100 persons at any one Mass in either church**. If you are elderly, infirm in any way, or if you care for someone who is elderly or infirm, you should refrain from returning to Mass at this time. If you are nervous or frightened in any way, you should also refrain from coming. Please note that the Archbishop has extended the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass to every Catholic in the Archdiocese through September 6.

All who attend Masses **must wear cloth facial coverings (masks)**. If you cannot wear a face covering, it is advisable to refrain from attending Mass at this time. The pews will be marked off by tape to assist in maintaining social distancing, but members of the same family who live together may sit in the same pew.

At the first Masses when we return, we will be providing guidance regarding how to receive Communion, and for the near future only the priests and deacons will be distributing Holy Communion. **Gloves should not be worn at all**. The Center for Disease Control (CDC) discourages the use of gloves by anyone but medical personnel. The church will be cleaned and sanitized appropriately after each Mass.

While we can not be sure how many of you may want to return, we nevertheless cannot allow either church to have more than the regulated capacity of 100 persons. We suggest that some may wish to consider, for now, coming every other weekend. This is new to all of us, and we must all cooperate to make it work. Daily Mass is available at 7:00 AM on Monday through Friday (and at 7:30 AM on Saturday) at St. Mary and at 9:00 AM Monday through Friday at St. Agnes. Neither of these has proven to be overcrowded and may be an option for some to consider.

Know that we are grateful to all of you for your prayers and for the very generous ongoing financial support of the parish during the months we have been out of church through now. At weekend Masses, there will be no formal collection, but baskets will be available for you to drop your envelopes or donations into on your way out of church.

We ask God's blessings on all of us as we return to weekend Mass!

Rev. William T. X. ...
Deacon John ...



Holy Baptism

Please welcome into our parish family the following children who were baptized here during the month of June:

*Violet Mai Cadrin, Cooper Doerr,
Anja Marie Engel, Cole Bernard*

Murray, Mason Christopher Nichols, Anthony James Wisniewski.

PRAYER FOR DONNING A FACE MASK



Holy Spirit, whose very breath brought creation into existence:

Grant me the grace to wear this mask, with all its discomforts and inconveniences, in wisdom and charity. Help me to bear this cross which I carry for the most vulnerable among us. Hold us all close in your care and bring this pandemic to a swift end. Amen.



Our Online Giving is getting an upgrade to a newer, easier-to-use platform! If you currently give online, you will soon be receiving an email with instructions on how to log into the new system. Best of all, your existing payment and donation information will be migrated over so you will not have to set up your gifts again! Keep an eye on your email for more information coming very soon. Please let us know if you have any questions or need any assistance.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

The stress and anxieties of family life are like “thorns which choke off” any opportunity to reflect on God’s presence in our lives. Notice in today’s gospel Jesus “left the house” so He could connect with His Father. Grasp five minutes each day to appreciate God walking with you.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

If you have a child entering 11th grade this fall, please visit our website Preciouosbloodparish.org for Confirmation information.

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Click the icon & it will take you to the Alerts page where you will see the messages from the parish going forward

The Parkinsons Support Group will be on hiatus until the end of the year. Hopefully circumstances will be greatly improved regarding the Covid-19 virus and we will be able to hold our monthly meetings again (weather permitting) in January.

PARISH CLERGY

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Rev. Sam John, Parochial Vicar
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Jordan Grassmann USN,
Capt. Stephen Shumaker, Pfc.
Ron Murray, Michael A. Eno USN, SR Justin Plantamura USN, John Henry Phelan, Capt. Richard Brantley, Alec Rossetti MA2USN, Maj. Patrick T. Horvat, SSgt. Michael Foss, Michael Casey USN, Lt. Col. Jason Dymond, SSgt. Armando Lizasuain CPO, Joshua Ehret Po1USN, Dakota Owen USA, Pfc. Daniel Hewston, Colin O’Sullivan USAF, Spec. Anthony Olenski, William F. Gilson USAF, SSR Matthew Hunt USN, CDR Matthew Fanning, Maj. Jonathan Rembetsy, 2nd Lt. Brendan Hayes, Col Andrew Whiskeyman, MSgt Carlie Blacklidge



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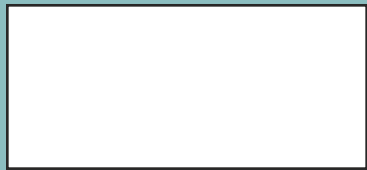
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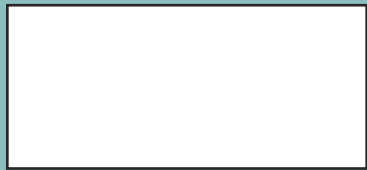

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