Precious Blood Parish

St. Agnes Church 400 Merwin Avenue Milford, CT 06460



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

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

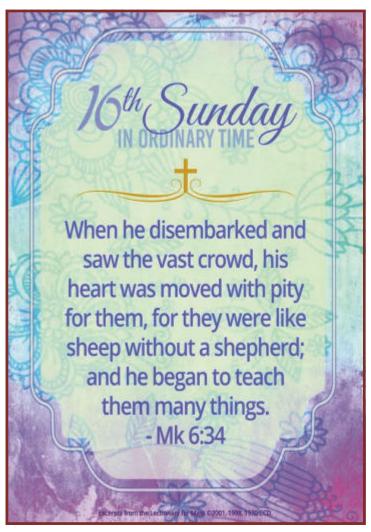
RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30 pm—4:30 pm St. Agnes Monday 6:00 pm—7:00 pm St. Mary (Except Holidays)

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Benediction and Rosary Monday @ 7:30PM St. Mary Church

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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.



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On Friday, August 13, at the Oakdale Theater in Wallingford, we as the clergy and laity of the Archdiocese of Hartford will gather to celebrate the closing Mass of the Archdiocesan Synod. Each parish

has been asked to send thirty (no more and no less) representatives to the Mass on August 13. We have hired a coach bus for transporting our parish representatives to the Mass. It will leave the St. Mary parking lot at 4:00 PM and should return about 10:00 PM. If you would like to go to the Mass and ride the bus, please contact Deacon John and we will put your name on the list. If we exceed thirty people in terms of interest, we will start a waiting list.

Almighty God, Watch over and protect our nation's military members and their families. Sustain them with your everlasting arms. As they serve around the world, we ask that you guard their families and loved ones back home.

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Schedule of Meetings & Parish Events



Monday, July 19	Novena	
	Saint Mary Church	7:30 pm
Tuesday, July 20	Legion of Mary	1
	rectory basement	10:00 am
	Legion Officers Meeting	
	rectory basement	7:00 pm
Wednesday, July 21	Parkinson's Support Group	
	Fr. Cronin Hall	1:00 pm
	Book Club	
	Fr. Cronin Hall	3:30 pm
	Legion of Mary	
	rectory Basement	7:00 pm
	Knight of Columbus	
	Fr. Cronin Hall	7:00 pm
Thursday, July 22	Wind Chime Making	5
	Fr. Cronin Hall	6:30 pm

🖳 From the Desk of the Pastor

Dear Friends:

One of the most important things we can and must do is to plan for the future and do so prudently. There has been much discussion in the news lately about how little so many have saved for their retirement years and how challenging it will be for those who do not. While many of us hope to have supplementary income through Social Security payments and perhaps a pension plan, it is also wise to try to set aside, save and invest money for the future might live decently that one comfortably.

That being said, Archbishop Blair, with an eye to the future needs of the Archdiocese of Hartford, its parishes and its ministries, established several years ago The Hartford Bishops' Foundation. The purpose of this foundation, which is under the direct control of a lay board of directors, is to insure that the Archdiocese in the future will have sufficient funding to enable it to fulfill its vital mission. We, as members of Precious Blood Parish, are part of a family, a community of parishes that comprise the Archdiocese of Hartford. We are not entities unto ourselves. In communion with other parishes in the Archdiocese we are united under the Archbishop, and through him, united with other Catholics around the world who, as the Church, are one with the Holy Father, the Successor of Peter and our link to Jesus himself.

That being said, it is now our turn as the people of this parish to make a sacrificial gift to The Hartford Bishops' Foundation. This gift can be made in the form of a pledge that can be paid monthly over several years. The amount suggested as a gift might seem daunting, but it is a one-time request that, when taken with all the pledges and gifts of other parishioners around the Archdiocese will insure that the Foundation will have adequate funding to meet the needs of the future. It is our chance as the Catholics of today to leave a legacy behind us for the Catholics of tomorrow. It is sad to say that the Church in the Archdiocese of tomorrow will be smaller in size. But we can insure here and now that the future will be provided for quite well financially by making a gift to the Foundation.

As we have received as a legacy the parish buildings and grounds from the people of the past, we are invited to leave behind us a legacy of financial security for the Church of tomorrow.

the weeks to In come. some parishioners will receive a letter from me asking for a bit of time to meet with them and present them with a packet containing information about the Foundation and a specific request for a sacrificial gift. In the fall, everyone else in the parish will receive a letter from me asking for their support in the form of a sacrificial gift. All that I ask of you is that you receive the information, look it over carefully, take into consideration the request and then do what you can given your financial circumstances. For the record, I myself fully support the idea of the Foundation. I believe it is vital for the future of the Archdiocese and its mission and I myself have made a pledge to the Foundation. I invite all of you to do what you can in doing the same.

I will have more to say about The Hartford Bishops' Foundation going forward. Have a good week! Roy Clean & Verseline

Offering

Christ the Redeemer envelope users implements will receive parish envelopes in August for use in Sept and October. If you know your envelope number please include it on your check or envelope for credit. If you do not know your

number please include your name and address and your account will be credited to reflect any contributions



Our Bereavement Support Group will be meeting again. This 10 week program will meet on Thursdays from 1pm—3pm in Fr. Cronin Hall.

It will meet from August 5th—October 7th. Anyone coping with a loss of a loved one, whether recent or years ago is welcome.

Since 2008, This group has helped people dealing with grief. For more information or to register (required ahead of time) call Ellen at (203) 283~1934



Mass Intentions



St. Agnes Church

Monday, July 19 Weekday 9:00 *Charles & Phyllis Wrenn* by their family

Tuesday, July 20 Weekday 9:00 *Carol Ruggiero by her husband*

Wednesday, July 21 Weekday 9:00 *Quirk Family by Breda Quirk*

Thursday, July 22 Saint Mary Magdalene 9:00 *Jean Mosher by family & friends*

Friday, July 23 Saint Bridget 9:00 *Philip Tucciarone by his sister Anna*

Saturday, July 24 Saint Sharbel Makhluf
No intention

Vigil

5:00 *Pedro & Anatolia Bartolome* by their family

Sunday July 25 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 People of Precious Blood Parish 10:30 Frederick Schmitt by the Philpott, Posey and Honcz families





Join us for the Group Rosary Recitation every Sunday at St. Mary church after the 8:30 Mass

I myself will gather the remnant of my flock from all the lands to which I have driven them and bring them back to their meadow; there they shall increase and multiply. (Jer 23:3)

St. Mary Church

Monday, July 19 Weekday 7:00 *Dorrie Varian Meehan by Mary & Gary O'Rourke*

Tuesday, July 20 Weekday 7:00 *Carol Rugerio By husband Albert*

Wednesday, July 21 Weekday 7:00 *Anne Childs by Mary Ellen Childs*

Thursday, July 22 Saint Mary Magdalene 7:00 Dolores DeLuca by Anna Abbazia

Friday, July 23 Saint Bridget 7:00 Sean Earel by his parents

Saturday, July 24 Saint Sharbel Makhluf 7:30 William Hoagland

Vigil

4:30 William & Margaret Myers by the Sennett Family

Sunday, July 25 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 Donald Cozzolino by Gettinger Family 10:00 Al Homa by Donna Dutko 11:30 Jane Sahorer Sawyer by Roger & Theresa Hueglin

4:30 Joseph & Elileen Ianotti



The Sanctuary lamp is lit this week for Rose Cassano

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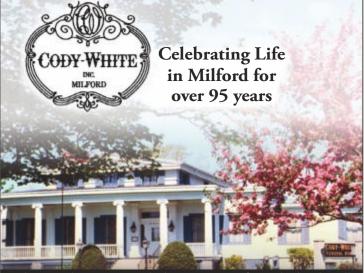
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