

# 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

8:00 am St. Mary  
9:00 am (Mon-Fri) St. Agnes

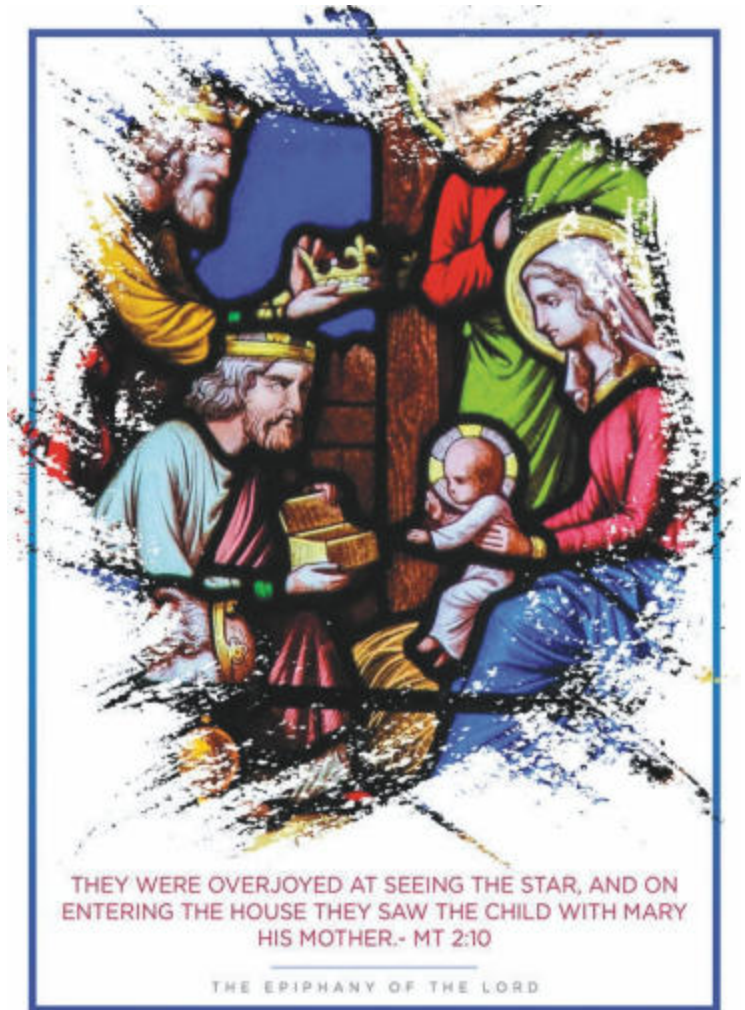
## RECONCILIATION

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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St. Mary School

St. Mary School in Milford is now accepting applications for the 2022-23 school year for all classes in preschool through grade 8. They are also offering in person tours, so call the office at (203) 878-6539 to schedule yours. The school is located at 72 Gulf Street in Milford learn more at [saintmaryschoolmilford.org](http://saintmaryschoolmilford.org)

The Haiti Committee would like to thank everyone who supported our notecard fundraiser this Christmas. Thanks to your generosity we will be able to continue to support Father Joseph and the school. The cards are still available in the rectory should anyone like to purchase more !



Please note the time change in the daily Mass at Saint Mary. The new time is now 8am Monday—Saturday.





## A Note from Deacon John ...

At Epiphany, the Magi brought precious gifts to the new born King. Gifted as we are, we must be moved to give ourselves, and accept the challenge to be Eucharistic people, to be the living presence of Jesus Christ for others. This seems like the perfect time to challenge us all with homework for the coming year:

First, start with family. Start by trying to overlook the faults of those you love the most. After all, their faults are minimal compared to our own, just ask them. If we could all do just this, families would be graced and gifted so much more.

Second, let someone help you this year. Maybe with help you do not even need, or think you need. Accept the gift that you have those who are willing to help, even when the help is a cause of frustration for us.

Third, translate your thanksgiving here in Eucharist into action. Be willing to show off the presence of Christ that we celebrate here. Be generous with the poor, help to feed the hungry, do with less yourself so that others may have more.

Fourth, pray with all your heart. Pray for peace, pray for justice, pray for what you need, pray for the needs of those around you, pray for all God's family, pray for the health of all. A chorus of prayer would show to all our connectedness to God and our willingness to place ourselves in His care.


Follow the star with the Magi, the wise men who came bearing gifts to someone they had never met. Let your celebration be authentic because you are bringing your gifts, and presenting them to Jesus himself when you encounter Him in those around you. Those who are vulnerable in their poverty, vulnerable in their loneliness, vulnerable because they think they are forgotten by God or not connected to Him. Be their connection, be their reminder, walk by the light. Then, as Isaiah says, you shall be radiant at what you see, your heart shall throb and overflow, you will be making the presence of God a reality. May God bless you all in this New Year.

*Deacon John*




## Schedule of Meetings & Parish Events

Monday, Jan 3	Novena <i>Saint Mary Church</i>	7:30 pm
	St. Joseph Society <i>(St. Agnes) Fr. Callahan Hall</i>	5:30 pm
Tuesday, Jan 4	Legion of Mary <i>Rectory Basement</i>	10:30 am
	Knitting Group <i>(St. Agnes) Fr. Callahan Hall</i>	10:00 am
Wednesday, Jan 5	Legion of Mary <i>(St. Agnes) double classroom</i>	7:00 pm
Thursday, Jan 6	Choir Rehearsal <i>St. Mary Church</i>	7:00 pm
	Knights 4th degree <i>(St. Mary) Fr. Cronin Hall</i>	7:00 pm
Friday, Jan 7	Blood Drive <i>(St. Mary) Fr. Callahan Hall</i>	1:00 pm
	Nocturnal Adoration <i>St. Mary Church</i>	7:00 pm

 Reminder there are no religious education classes for all grades the month of January. Classes will resume on Monday, February 7th.


The monthly meeting of the St. Joseph Society will be held this Monday, Jan 3rd in Fr. Callahan Hall at 6pm with dinner at 5:30 pm. All men of the parish over age 21 are welcome to join us.



 The annual "Full Breakfast" sponsored by the St. Joseph Society will be held on Sunday Jan 23 from 8am to 12pm in Fr Callahan Hall. Ticket are \$5 per person or \$15 per family. Children up to 6 years old are free. Tickets will be on sale after masses Jan 8-9 and Jan 15—16.

The Mass book for 2022 is open and many masses are still available. Please stop in or call the rectory at 203-878-3571 to book a mass for 2022.



 The Rosary Group at Saint Mary will meet Monday—Saturday after the 8:00 am mass starting January 3rd.



# Mass Intentions



## St. Agnes Church

Monday, January 3 Weekday  
9:00 Tony Romano by Brelsford Family

Tuesday, January 4 Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton  
9:00 Joseph Walsh by Kim Nguyen

Wednesday, January 5 Saint John Neumann  
9:00 No Intention

Thursday, January 6 Weekday  
9:00 No Intention

Friday, January 7 Weekday  
9:00 No Intention

### Vigil

5:00 Robert Raynor by the Men's Society

Sunday, January 9  
Baptism of the Lord

7:30 Margaret Lovett by her daughter  
10:30 Earl Whiskeyman by his family



## St. Mary Church

Monday, January 3 Weekday  
8:00 Ginny Chion by Tony Rodono

Tuesday, January 4 Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton  
8:00 Sr. Beth Dowd, OSU  
by Bud and Diane McEntee

Wednesday, January 5 Saint John Neumann  
8:00 Leonard Lye by Al and Paula Tonry

Thursday, January 6 Weekday  
8:00 Stanley Joseph Dykty by his nephew

Friday, January 7 Weekday  
8:00 George Zamary  
by Marjorie & Bob Micklos

### Saturday, January 8

8:00 Deborah Warrek by her family

### Vigil

4:30 Claire Cavallaro by Michael Cavallaro

Sunday, January 9  
Baptism of the Lord

8:30 Matteo Stantig  
by Joe & Tatiana Monteleone

10:00 Joshua Castellano by Colleen Gerbino

11:30 Peter W. Groos  
by Gildea & Ardolino Families

4:30 Theresa Abbott  
by her daughter and family

Join us for the Group Rosary Recitation  
at Saint Agnes Church  
Monday—Friday at 9:30 am  
and Sundays at 9:45 am



The Sanctuary lamp is lighted this  
week for  
Margaret and George  
Beecher



**"Faith lifts the soul. Hope supports it.  
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