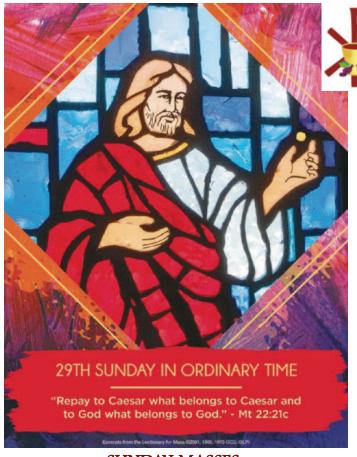
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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil

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

Sunday

Saint Mary

8:30 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am & 4:30 pm Saint Agnes 7:30 am & 10:30 am.

DAILY MASSES

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

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

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Mass Intentions

St. Agnes Church

Monday, October 23 St. John of Capistrano 9:00 Andrew Anastasio by cousin

Tuesday, October 24
St. Anthony Mary Claret
9:00 James Ramos Heavenly Birthday
by wife Irene

Wednesday, October 25 Weekday 9:00 James Ramos by wife Irene

Thursday, October 26 Weekday 9:00 Sean Donahue by MaryAnn & Joe Fitzpatrick

Friday, October 27 Weekday 9:00 Kathryn McIntyre by Pat & Mary Risko

Saturday, October 28 (Vigil Mass) 5:00 Nicholas & Edith Falcone by family

Sunday, October 29 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 People of Precious Blood Parish 10:30 Damiano & Lori Pirulli by family

LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

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One collection next week (Oct. 29) Weekly

St. Mary Church

Monday, October 23 St. John of Capistrano 8:00 Nancy Sennett by Joan & Joe Wolf

Tuesday, October 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret 8:00 Mr. & Mrs. George Oxer by Sophia Oxer

Wednesday, October 25 Weekday 8:00 Mr. & Mrs. John Brennan by Sophia Oxer

Thursday, October 26 Weekday 8:00 Peter Butanowicz by mom Marilyn

> Friday, October 27 Weekday 8:00 William Phelan by Paula Phelan & children

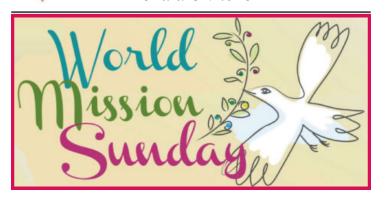
Saturday, October 28 Saints Simon & Jude 8:00 Antonio & Francesca Ciarnelle by daughter & son in law

4:30 (Vigil Mass)
Angelina & Vincent Guccione by family

Sunday, October 29 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 Althea & Grover Wilson by family
10:00 Jack & John Knapp by Marie
11:30 John Reynolds by Bill & Joanne Swann
4:30 Jospeh & Florence Tatroe by family

The Sanctuary lamp at Saint Mary was lighted last week in memory of Donald Civitello



WINTER ITEMS NEEDED



Precious Blood Ladies Guild is collecting winter coats, gloves, hats, scarves, sweatshirts and donating them to Milford's Beth El Center. The population of homeless people here in our own city is continuously growing and as winter approaches these individuals are living on the streets, staying in emergency accommodations and have no permanent house or place to live safely and warmly.

This cold weather clothing drive will continue through Tuesday November 14th at which time Jennifer Paradis, the Executive Director of Beth El, will be present to accept our clothing donations and expound on Beth El's mission to extend dignity and respect to all individuals. If a parishioner would like to participate in donating, kindly bring your new or slightly used warm weather gear donation to Danielle in the Rectory Office during normal business hours, Mon-Fri 9am ~2pm by Tuesday November 14th or to Father Cronin Hall after 12pm on November Let's experience the feeling of "thanks" and "giving".



Jonathan Law High School Post Prom Committee will be hosting a Comedy Night featuring comedian Dave Reilly on Friday, November 10th at 8:00pm in the Jonathan Law High School Auditorium. Tickets are \$30 in advance and \$40 at the door. As a bonus, with your advance ticket purchase you can receive 10% off your dinner purchase at Bin 100 or Dockside Brewery the night of the show. Just show your ticket purchase receipt. Come out, have some laughs and support a great cause. Use the



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The Santa Maria Council of Knights of the Knights of Columbus again be selling Boscov's gift cards for their

Friends Helping Friends Discount Day. Gift Cards cost \$5 each and entitle the buyer to receive up to a 25% discount on in-store purchases on Wednesday, October 18th. Knights will be selling the Cards after all Masses at both churches the weekends of Oct 7~8 and 14~15.

The money collected stays with the Knights, and will be used to provide Thanksgiving gift cards (or turkeys) for underprivileged families in Milford. Boscov's generously offers these discount cards as a way to support the good works of nonprofit organizations.

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Moonlight and You! Precious Blood Ladies



Guild Auctiongood wine, good music, fine hors d'oeuvres (just an idea of what our menu will be: Mini quiche, stuffed mushrooms with sausage & mozzarella, scal-

lops wrapped with bacon, toasted asparagus rolls, cranberry & goat cheese phyllo cups, spring rolls, chicken teriyaki skewers) and of course our beautiful dessert table. Join us on Saturday, October 28th, Father Callahan Hall at St. Agnes Church. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. LAST WEEKEND OF TICKET SALES OCTOBER 22ND . Tickets on sale at St. Mary's Rectory until October 24h. No tickets sold at the door. \$40 per person.

Please call Diane at 203-722-0532 if you would like to contribute an auction item. Auction items valued at \$50 or more are appreciated and very much welcomed. Please note drop off dates for donated auction items will be accepted on Wednesday, October 25th 1-4 p.m.; Thursday October 26th 3-6 p.m. and Friday October 27th 11 a.m. - 12 noon in Father Callahan Hall at St. Agnes Church.

TWENTY NINETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING

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Monday, Oct 23	Novena	7:30 pm
Tuesday, Oct 24	Saint Mary Church Legion of Mary	10:30 am
	Rectory Basement Knitting Group	10:00 am
Wed, Oct 25	St. Agnes Classroom Legion of Mary	6:30 pm
Thursday, Oct 26	(St. Agnes) double cl Bereavement Group	1:00 pm
	(St. Mary) Fr. Cronin Hall	
	Choir Rehearsal St. Mary Church	7:00 pm
	NAMI	7:00 pm
Saturday, Oct 28	St. Agnes Classroom Ladies Guild Auction	
Sunday, Oct 29	(St. Agnes) Fr. Callah Legion Juniors Rectory Basement	
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There is Group Rosary Recitation at Saint Mary Monday -Saturday after the 8:00 am Mass and Sundays after the 8:30 am Mass. At Saint Agnes Monday-Friday at 9:30 am and Sundays at 9:45 am. All are welcome to join us.

TIVES.

Saint Agnes Saturdays 3:30 –4:30 pm Saint Mary Mondays 6:00—7:00 pm



The Parish Nurse Program is offering an afternoon session for all members of



the parish provided by Rae the director of YouTherapy in St. Agnes Church hall on Saturday Nov 4th from 2-4 pm. The program will provide information on f all prevention. There will also be individual balance assessments. All are invited and no preregister is necessary.

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The members of the Senior Legion of Mary honor October as Mary's rosary month by making mission rosaries. Each decade is

different color depicting various regions of the world. Rosaries are available at the entrance of each church. Let's join together this October in praying for God's people the world over for peace and unity.



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A Note from Deacon John

At the doors of both our churches, you will find envelopes for All Souls Day, which is November 2. All Saints Day, November 1, is a Holy Day of Obligation, All Souls is the day when we remember all our dead. During the month of November, all the envelopes for All Souls are collected, and placed on the two altars, and special prayers are said for all our beloved dead. You can put your envelope in the basket on the weekend. Grief is hard, and is a process, and points us toward our faith in the resurrection. Jesus' death and resurrection are His promise to us that death does not have the final word, that death is overcome, and we are all created for this life eternal by our loving God.

What is striking in the gospels, and all of scripture, is the enduring love God has for each one of us. Our command, in a nutshell, is to love the Lord with all our heart, our mind, and soul, and to love our neighbor as ourselves. As well as we might learn to love, we often fall short. God's love never falls short, and God's love is powerful. So powerful, it is not incorrect to say that God's love is stronger than death. This is why we are a pro-life church because God's love leads us to life.

We see this clearly each week when we worship together, and Jesus offers himself again and again for us. He does so because He loves us, not because any of us deserve His sacrifice. This should lead us to a posture of gratitude, and accompanying actions that express our gratitude. We need to reach out to those who are poor, those who are sick and suffering, those on the margins of society. Our prayer should include all those on the margins, and all those in desperate circumstances, like in parts of the middle east and Ukraine. When our prayer points us toward the sacrifice of our Savior, then we are better able to model the sacrifice we are each called to emulate.

As we are in October, a month dedicated to the Rosary, may our rosaries and all our prayers help us to honor our beloved dead, lead us to do more for those in need, and bring each of us to a greater appreciation of all God had done for us. God bless you all.



Readings Week

Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6/Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10 (7b)/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21

Monday: Rom 4:20-25/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Lk 12:35-38

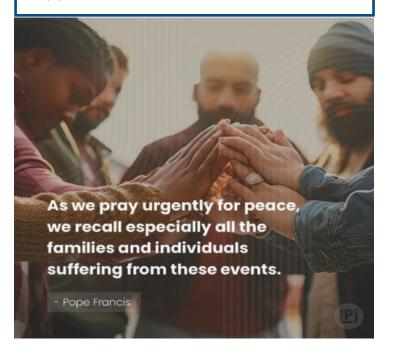
Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Rom 7:18-25a/Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 6:12-16

Next Sunday: Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 (2)/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40





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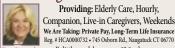








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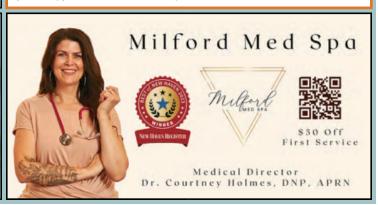


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