

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

I AM THE
LIGHT
OF THE WORLD

JOHN 9:5

SACRED HEART PARISH

MARCH 15, 2026

ROSLINDALE, MA

© Pilot Bulletins

✠ From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners of Sacred Heart,

The Pastoral Council met on Monday, March 2nd and here are the highlights of our meeting. Two representatives from the RISE (Roslindale IS For Everyone) gave us a presentation of the many services that they offer our local community. They “are a growing coalition of Roslindale community groups, labor unions, non-profits and faith based organizations concerned about increasing ICE activity, federal intervention in Boston and growing food insecurity.” We will have leaflets available at the church entrances that detail ways that you can be involved and/or you or someone that you know may need their assistance.

We also discussed ways in which our community welcomes those who may be visiting us, celebrating a life milestone and how we come to know fellow parishioners with whom we have been worshipping with for many years. There was a consensus that all of our priests continue their ways of welcoming the congregation and employ best practices from each other to create a more welcoming atmosphere. Radical hospitality as practiced by our ushers is appreciated. There was a suggestion to have a workshop on how we can all continue to strive to make our parish a place of welcome by describing the skills and techniques for this to occur.

Please know that all parishioners are welcome to attend Council meetings which are scheduled for the first Monday of every month from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the Murray Room, although because of Easter Monday our April meeting will be held on Monday, April 13th. A representative from the Hallow AP will join us via Zoom to outline their outreach to parishes.

Peace,

Father Clary

Del Escritorio del Párroco ✠

Queridos Parroquianos del Sagrado Corazón,

El Consejo Pastoral se reunió el lunes 2 de marzo y a continuación, los puntos destacados de la reunión. Dos representantes de RISE (Roslindale IS For Everyone) nos presentaron los numerosos servicios que ofrecen a nuestra comunidad local. Son una coalición creciente de grupos comunitarios de Roslindale, sindicatos, organizaciones sin fines de lucro y organizaciones religiosas preocupadas por el aumento de la actividad de ICE, la intervención federal en Boston y la creciente inseguridad alimentaria. Habrá folletos disponibles en las entradas de la iglesia que detallan cómo pueden participar o cómo usted o alguien que conocen podría necesitar su ayuda.

También hablamos sobre cómo nuestra comunidad da la bienvenida a quienes nos visitan, celebran un momento importante en la vida y cómo llegamos a conocer a otros feligreses con quienes hemos estado compartiendo nuestros servicios durante muchos años. Hubo consenso en que todos nuestros sacerdotes deben mantener su forma de dar la bienvenida a la congregación y aplicar las mejores prácticas de cada uno para crear un ambiente más acogedor. Agradecemos la hospitalidad radical que practican nuestros acomodadores. Se sugirió realizar un taller sobre cómo podemos seguir esforzándonos por hacer de nuestra parroquia un lugar acogedor, describiendo las habilidades y técnicas necesarias para lograrlo.

Les invitamos a todos los feligreses a asistir a las reuniones del Consejo, programadas el primer lunes de cada mes de 6:30 a 8:00 pm en la Sala Murray. Sin embargo, debido al Lunes de Pascua, nuestra reunión de abril se celebrará el lunes 13 de abril. Un representante de Hallow AP se unirá a nosotros por Zoom para explicar su labor de difusión en las parroquias.

La Paz,

Padre Clary

LAETARE SUNDAY

The Fourth Sunday of Lent is the midpoint and known as Laetare Sunday. Laetare means “rejoice” and the Church expresses hope and joy in the middle of our penitential Lenten practices. Rose is the color of rejoicing, so you might see your priest wearing rose colored vestments this Sunday!



DOMINGO DE LAETARE

El Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma es el punto intermedio al cual se le conoce como Domingo de Laetare. Laetare quiere decir “regocijo” y la Iglesia expresa esperanza y regocijo a la mitad de nuestras prácticas penitenciales de Cuaresma. ¡El color del regocijo es el rosado!



Saint Patrick

C. 389-461

FEAST DAY: MARCH 17

Legend has it that St. Patrick was responsible for ridding the Emerald Isle of snakes; but more importantly, it is said that Patrick used the shamrock as a symbol to explain the Trinity to Unbelievers, i.e., how God is One God in Three Persons. “Patrick would hold up a shamrock and challenge his hearers, “Is it one leaf or three?” “It is both one leaf and three,” was their reply. “And so it is with God,” he would conclude.

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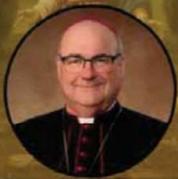
Saturday, April 18, 2026
"To Whom Shall We Go?"
John 6:68



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John Edwards

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Lenten Journey Following the Rice Bowl to Timor-Leste



This week the Rice Bowl takes us to Ermera, a remote village in the coffee-growing region of Timor-Leste.

Here we meet a teen-age girl who participates in a program that offers health education, nutrition classes, and healthy snacks through the schools. The Rice Bowl program supports these efforts working with local government.

Sunday, March 15
11:00 am in the Lower Church
immediately after the 10am Mass
for fellowship and discussion

Light meal of Batar Da'An based on a recipe from the Rice Bowl program will be served. Do you wonder what Batar Da'An is? It's a vegetable stew!

*Creator, you give the world new life by your sacraments.
May we, your Church, grow in your life and continue to receive your help on earth.*

-Lenten Morning Prayer



Limpieza de la Iglesia

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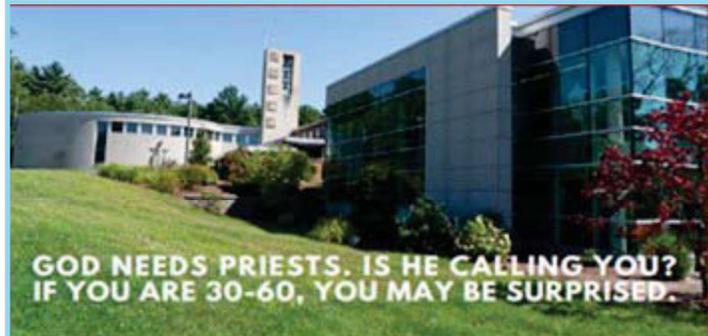
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March 28th
From
9am to 3pm

More details to follow.

28 de marzo de
9am hasta 3pm

Easter Cleaning!
¡Limpieza para la Pascua!

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IF YOU ARE 30-60, YOU MAY BE SURPRISED.**

FIRST FRIDAY VISIT

April 17

5:00 PM EST

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HOLY HOUR AND EVENING PRAYER

In-Person Visit: Includes Dinner with seminarians and tour of the Seminary

Register: Contact Msgr. William Fay
781-899-5500 ext. 134
firstfriday@psjs.edu

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International Exhibit of Eucharistic Miracles

April 25-26, 2026

Sacred Heart School Gym 1035 Canterbury St. Roslindale, MA

The exhibit will be open:

Sat, Apr 25, 10 am - 7 pm

Sun, Apr 26, 9 am - 5 pm



Talk on St. Manuel González García Bishop of the Abandoned Tabernacle



Saturday after 8:30 am Mass in the Murray Room

Manuel González García was born in Seville, Spain in 1877 and ordained a priest in 1901. He was assigned his first parish mission in the little town of Palomares del Río. It was there, where Our Lord spoke to him from an abandoned tabernacle, that was a defining moment in his life and clarified the direction for the rest of his priestly ministry.

Talk on Eucharistic Miracles and St. Carlo Acutis The 1st Millennial Saint!



Sunday after 10 am Mass in the school gym

Saint Carlo Acutis lived in Italy from 1990 -2006. During his short 15½ years, he was always joyfully sharing the faith, especially his love of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. At the age of 11, as part of his work as a catechist, he created a website which catalogued many of the principal Eucharistic Miracles which have taken place throughout the world and have been recognized by the Church.

1st class relics of both St. Carlo and St. Manuel will be available for veneration

For more info, call the parish office at (617) 325-3322

Sacred Heart Parish Health Ministry

Blood pressure screening will take place March 29 at 11:00 am followed by a Health Ministry meeting at 12:00 pm. Both in the Lower Church.

Contact the group at shphealthministry@gmail.com for more information.

“Where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.” Mt. 18:20

As an effort to build parish community beginning on 2/22/26 at the 10:00 am Mass and on the last Sunday of the month, we will be offering parishioners the opportunity to know each other by wearing name labels at Mass. This is voluntary. Come earlier, put your name on a label and wear it. Read your neighbor’s name and greet them.

4th Sunday of Lent



READINGS, SAINTS, OBSERVANCES 2026

SUNDAY Mar 15	4th Sunday of Lent 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38
MONDAY Mar 16	Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2+4, 5-6, 11-12a+13b/Jn 4:43-54
TUESDAY Mar 17	<i>Saint Patrick, Bishop</i> Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 5:1-16
WEDNESDAY Mar 18	<i>Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i> Is 49:8-15/Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18/Jn 5:17-30
THURSDAY Mar 19	<i>Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27+29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24 or Lk 2:41-51a
FRIDAY Mar 20	Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21+23/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
SATURDAY Mar 21	Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12/Jn 7:40-53
SUNDAY Mar 22	5th Sunday of Lent Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

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Mass Intentions

SACRED HEART WEEKLY MASSES

SATURDAY, March 14

8:30 am James Hurst *Anniversary*
4:00 pm Evangelina Lynch *Anniversary*
7:00 pm Sunday Mass: *No Intention*

SUNDAY, March 15

8:00 am Sacred Heart Parish
10:00 am Souls in Purgatory
12:00 pm Dinora Rodriguez de Abreu, Emma Pagan
5:15 pm Luigi, Christina, Dominic Musto and the Musto Family

MONDAY, March 16

8:30 am Souls in Purgatory

TUESDAY, March 17

8:30 am Osagie & Family *Special Intention*

WEDNESDAY, March 18

8:30 am Diana Velasquez *Birthday*
7:00 pm Weekday Mass: *No Intention*

THURSDAY, March 19

8:30 am Fr. Robert Maguire *Memorial*

FRIDAY, March 20

8:30 am The Ngobidi Family *Thanksgiving*

SATURDAY, March 21

8:30 am Weekday Mass: *No Intention*
4:00 pm Jean Joseph *Memorial*
7:00 pm Sunday Mass: *No Intention*

SUNDAY, March 22

8:00 am Marie Nau *Thanksgiving*
10:00 am Sacred Heart Parish
12:00 pm Leonardo Perez, Hector Chacon, Cesar Santana *Memorial*
5:15 pm Sunday Mass: *No Intention*

Parish Finances & Stewardship

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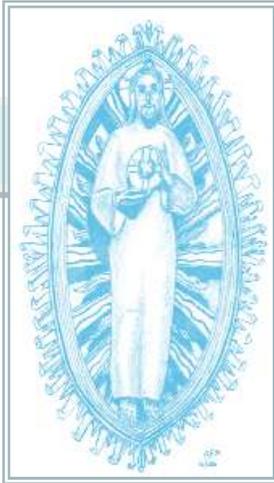
Offertory	01/18	01/25	02/01	02/08	02/15
Sunday Offertory	\$4,146	\$3,059	\$5,525	\$2,967	\$5,541
We Share Donations	\$1,195	\$1,700	\$5,564	\$1,067	\$1,560
One Time Donation	\$50	\$200	\$1,100	\$75	\$50
2 nd Collec-tion SHP				\$2,855 Utilities	
Other Offertory	\$585		\$1,094	\$1,413	
TOTAL	\$5,976	\$4,959	\$13,283	\$8,377	\$7,151
Budget	\$15,413	\$15,413	\$15,413	\$15,413	\$15,413
Deficit/ Surplus	\$8,033	\$9,437	\$10,454	\$2,130	\$8,262

SECOND COLLECTIONS TO THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BOSTON

01/25/26		
Church in Latin America		\$ 1,099
		\$
		\$
		\$

2ND COLLECTION/HOLY DAY OFFERING 2026

- 01/01/26 Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
- 01/25/26 Church in Latin America (Second Collection)
- 02/08/26 Utilities & Energy Costs (Second Collection)
- 02/18/26 Catholic Charities // Ash Wednesday Collection
- 02/22/26 Support of the Church Around the World (2nd Coll)
- 03/08/26 Annual Catholic Appeal (Second Collection)
- March 2026 Easter Flowers (Second Collection)
- 04/03/26 Holy Land Shrines // Good Friday
- 04/05/26 Easter Collection/Clergy Benefit Trust
- 05/14/26 Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord
- 05/24/26 Seminarians (Second Collection)
- 06/21/26 Promoting the Gospel (Second Collection)
- 07/12/26 Holy Father & Apostolic Work (Second Collection)
- 08/15/26 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 09/13/26 CCD Collection (Second Collection)
- 09/20/26 Clergy Benefit Trust (Second Collection)
- 10/18/26 World Mission Sunday (Second Collection)
- 11/01/26 All Saints Day
- 11/02/26 All Souls
- 11/22/26 Collection for Retired Religious Sisters(2nd Collection)
- 12/06/26 Flowers for Christmas (Second Collection)
- 12/08/26 Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
- 12/25/26 Christmas Collection/Clergy Benefit Trust (RCAB Collection)



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MISSION STATEMENT

As a united family in Christ, our parish has its roots in the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Our diverse parish welcomes all with open arms to celebrate our faith with love, joy, and compassion. Through prayer we strive to work humbly with a great acceptance and understanding of our neighbors and how best to serve those in need. Guided by the Holy Spirit we pray to grow together and live charitably by the Lord's teachings.

Parish Resources

Rev. Brian M. Clary, Pastor
Rev. Succes Jeanty, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Paulinus Nweke, In Residence

Parish Secretaries: Maggie Laboy
Susan Carroll

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Eve (Vigil): 4:00 pm in English & 7:00 pm Spanish
Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 am, and 5:15 pm in English
12:00 pm in Spanish

Weekday Masses

Monday through Saturday: 8:30 am in English
Every 4th Tuesday & each Wednesdays at 7:00 pm in Spanish

Penance:

Friday after the 8:30 am Mass, Saturday at 3:00 pm
and by appointment

Baptism: Call Rectory for arrangements.

Marriage:

Call Rectory to speak with one of the priests at least
6 months before the marriage.

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Sacred Heart STEM School:

Mrs. Caitlin Sullivan, Principal
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Tuition: 617-325-0229

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The Week Ahead Activities

SATURDAY, March 14

First Penance	10:00 am Lower Church
Religious Ed/CCD (Spanish)	11:30 am School
Confessions	3:00 pm Lower Church

SUNDAY, March 15

Adult English Choir Rehearsal	9:30 am Upper Church
CRS Rice Bowl Series	11:00 am Lower Church
Clases para Adultos (RICA)	10:30 pm Murray Room
Spanish Coffee	1:30 pm Murray Room
Confirmation Classes	6:30 pm School

MONDAY, March 16

Taller de Oración y Vida	6:30 pm Office Library
Lector Meeting (Spanish)	5:30 pm Murray Room

TUESDAY, March 17

Spanish Prayer Group	6:00 pm Lower Church
OCIA Adult Classes	5:30 pm Office Library

WEDNESDAY, March 18

Youth Choir Practice	6:00 pm Murray Room
Lenten Group Reflection	7:00 pm Murray Room

THURSDAY, March 19

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	6:00 pm Lower Church
Spanish Prayer Group Meeting	6:45 pm Murray Room

FRIDAY, March 20

Spanish Choir Children & Adult Practice	6:00 am Murray Room
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SATURDAY, March 21

Religious Ed/CCD (Spanish)	11:30 am School
Baptisms (Spanish)	12:30 pm Upper Church
Confessions	3:00 pm Lower Church

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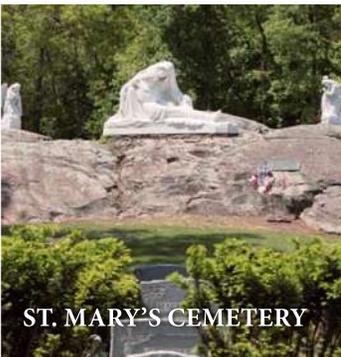
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