Sacred Meart Parish

If they will not listen to

Moses and the prophets,

neither will they be persuaded

if someone should rise from the dead.

Luke 16:31

† From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners of Sacred Heart,

Thanks to the Sacred Heart International Group for coordinating and planning our annual "Welcome Back Potluck Picnic" last Sunday. The weather was ideal and by my count there were about one hundred and fifty attendees throughout the afternoon. There was not a morsel of the delicious foods leftover by the end of the day and our many nations were well represented with the generous offerings. Thanks to all those who kept us well fed!

The calories consumed were worked off by playing basketball, four-square or taking a Zumba class. Father Succes gets first place for best dancing priest, followed by Father Paulinus while I took honorable mention for my twenty seconds of "blink and you missed it" attempt at letting the rhythm hit me. The Boston Police provided ice cream and Boston Fire brought a truck for our young ones to admire.

Several people told me that we need more happy gatherings like this especially when there is so much division, fear and conflict in our world today. To that I say "Amen!"

Peace,

Father Clary





THANK YOU...

...to everyone who came together for the Sacred Heart Parish Fall Harvest Homecoming Potluck Picnic last week! Thanks to all the volunteers, everyone who helped plan the event, and everyone who prepared food, we had a wonderful welcome back to parish life!

GRACIAS...

¡...a todos los que se reunieron para el picnic de bienvenida de la cosecha de otoño de la parroquia Sacred Heart la semana pasada! ¡Gracias a todos los voluntarios, a todos los que ayudaron a planificar el evento y a todos los que prepararon la comida, tuvimos una maravillosa bienvenida de regreso a la vida parroquial!

BLESSING ANIMALS

BLESSING OF ANIMALS

Please join us for our annual Blessing of Animals on the Feast Day of Saint Francis of Assisi, Saturday, October 4th at 1pm in the front of the rectory.

(Rain date, Saturday, October 11th).

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Queridos Parroquianos del Sagrado Corazón,

Gracias al Grupo Internacional del Sagrado Corazón por coordinar y planificar nuestro "Picnic Compartido de Bienvenida" anual el domingo pasado. El clima estuvo ideal y, según mis cálculos, hubo alrededor de ciento cincuenta asistentes durante toda la tarde. Al final del día no sobró ni un bocado de la deliciosa comida y nuestras diversas naciones estuvieron bien representadas con las generosas ofrendas. ¡Gracias a todos los que nos mantuvieron bien alimentados!

Quemamos las calorías jugando baloncesto, haciendo cuatro cuadrados o tomando una clase de zumba. El Padre Succes obtuvo el primer lugar como mejor sacerdote bailarín, seguido por el Padre Paulinus, mientras que yo recibí una mención honorífica por mis veinte segundos de "parpadea y te lo pierdes" intentando dejarme llevar por el ritmo. La Policía de Boston nos dio helado y los Bomberos de Boston trajeron un camión para que nuestros pequeños lo admiraran.

Varias personas me dijeron que necesitamos más reuniones alegres como esta, especialmente con tanta división, miedo y conflicto en el mundo actual. A eso digo "¡Amén!".

La Paz,

Padre Clary

"The Forgotten Gifts of Heaven"

Please join us for another presentation by catechist Ivy Chan on Saturday, October 18th following the 8:30am Mass in the lower church. She will be speaking about the Miraculous Medal, its history and how this devotion can nourish our spiritual lives.



CLASES PARA RECIBIR LOS SACRAMENTOS PARA ADULTOS (RICA)

Las clases para adultos para recibir los sacraments de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación comenzarán el domingo, 5 de octubre a las 10:30 am.

Para preguntas, favor de hablar con Betzayda Acevedo o Chisel Martinez a betzayda 28@hotmail.com.

Favor de registarse en la rectoria de la casa parroquial.



Bendición de Animales

Únase a nosotros para nuestra Bendición anual de Animales en el día de la festividad de San Francisco de Asís, el sábado 4 de octubre a la 1 p.m. frente a la rectoría.

(Fecha de lluvia, sábado 11 de octubre).



READINGS & OBSERVANCES 2025 YEAR C

26TH SUNDAY Am 6:1a, 4-7/Psalm 146:7, 8-9, 9-10/1 Tm 6:11-16/ Lk 16:19-31 Sept 28

Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels MONDAY Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12ab/Ps 138:1-2ab, Sept 29

2cde-3, 4-5/Jn 1:47-51

Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church TUESDAY Sept 30 Zec 8:20-23/Psalm 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 9:51-56

WEDNESDAY St Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin, Doctor of the Church Neh 2:1-8/Psalm 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6/Lk 9:57-62 Oct 1

THURSDAY The Holy Guardian Angels

Oct 2 Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 18:1-5, 10

FRIDAY

Bar 1:15-22/Psalm 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9/Lk 10:13-16 Oct 3

SATURDAY Saint Francis of Assisi

Oct 4 Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/Ps 69:33-35, 36-37/Lk 10:17-24

27TH SUNDAY Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4/Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 1:6-8, ORDINARY TIME Oct 5

13-14/Lk 17:5-10

Pilot Bulletins

Mass Intentions

SACRED HEART WEEKLY MASSES

SATURDAY, September 27

8:30 am Fausta Rene Memorial 4:00 pm Robert S. Casto Memorial 7:00 pm Luis Enriquez, Juana & Quiterio Santos Memorial

SUNDAY, September 28 8:00 am Sacred Heart Parish 10:00 am Megan Tremblay Anniversary 12:00 pm Ysabel & Ernest Arias, Lira A. Mejia, Memorial Luis R Reyes, Maria H. Gonzalez 5:15 pm Ed Celata Anniversary

MONDAY, September 29

8:30 am Sacred Heart Memorial

TUESDAY, September 30

8:30 am Sgt. Angel Luis Manzueta Memorial

WEDNESDAY, October 1

8:30 am Vincent & Anna Kleponis Memorial 7:00 pm Weekday Mass: No Intention

THURSDAY, October 2

8:30 am Armando, Alba, David & Annelise Special Intention

FRIDAY, October 3

8:30 am Olivia Birthday

SATURDAY, October 4

8:30 am Weekday Mass: No Intention

4:00 pm Sacred Heart Parish

7:00 pm Sunday Mass: No Intention

SUNDAY, October 5

8:00 am Mirielle Charles 10:00 am Theresa, Mary, Joseph, Anthony, & Joseph Jr. Kindamo 12:00 pm Efrain Bohorquez, Luis R Reyes, Maria Garcia Memorial Memorial

5:15 pm Helen & Catherine O'Connor

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Parish Finances & Stewardship

Sacred Heart Parish, Roslindale, MA

	JULY	JULY	JULY
Week	2023	2024	2025
1	5147	8504	8315
2	6643	6528	8397
3	5275	6821	7265
4	6903	7333	7832
5	6286	N/A	N/A

(includes Mass offertory and electronic giving via WeShare: https://www.wesharegiving.org/app/giving/weshare-20000224? tab=home)

Sunday Parish Tithes for July 2025 (3% of offertory)

St. Mary's Center for Women and Children	\$ 239
St. Francis House	\$ 239
Bethany Hill Place	\$ 239
Mission Collection: Society of St. James	\$ 3,150

Offertory	07/20	07/27	08/03	08/10	08/17
Sunday Offertory	\$3,879	\$4,402	\$4,838	\$4,817	\$4,449
We Share Donations	\$1,485	\$1,370	\$5,804	\$1,137	\$1,380
One Time Donation	\$200		\$75	\$20	\$50
Other Offertory	\$757	\$830	\$278	\$1,428	\$1,662
TOTAL	\$6,321	\$6,602	\$10,995	\$7,402	\$7,541

Total budget average weekly expenses for 2024-2025: \$15,552

SUNDAY PARISH TITHE

If you have a non-profit in mind, please let us know what or to whom Sacred Heart Parish can be of help in the weeks to come.

09/07/25 Province of St. Mary of the Capuchin Order

09/14/25 CCD Collection

09/21/25 Clergy Benefit Trust

09/28/25 Pilot Subscription Envelope

10/05/25 Holy Father & Apostolic Work

10/12/25 The O'Connell House, Inc.

10/19/25 World Mission Sunday

10/26/25 Massachusetts Citizens for Life



A CONVERSATION BETWEEN AND A PRIEST & A RABBI

To mark the 60th anniversary of the "Declaration on the Relation of the Church to Non-Christian Religions" (known also as "Nostra Aetate) we are hosting a special event during this Jubilee Year of Hope. Father David Michael, the Associate Director for Interreligious Relations for the Archdiocese of Boston will be joined by Grand Rabbi Y. A. Korff, Chaplain to the City of Boston and Rabbi at the Jerusalem Great Synagogue for an evening to dialogue about their experiences in working to promote understanding and collaboration amongst men and women of faith.



UNA CONVERSACION ENTRE UN SACERDOTE Y UN RABI

Para conmemorar el 60° aniversario de la Declaración sobre la Relación de la Iglesia con las Religiones No Cristianas (también conocida como Nostra Aetate), organizamos un evento especial durante este Año Jubilar de la Esperanza. El Padre David Michael, Director Asociado de Relaciones Interreligiosas de la Arquidiócesis de Boston, se reunirá con el Gran Rabino Y. A. Korff, Capellán de la Ciudad de Boston y Rabino de la Gran Sinagoga de Jerusalén, para una velada en la que dialogarán sobre sus experiencias en el trabajo para promover el entendimiento y la colaboración entre hombres y mujeres de fe. El evento tendrá lugar el lunes 27 de octubre a las 7:00 pm en la iglesia inferior, seguido de una reunión social en el Salon Murray.





Sacred Heart's St Vincent de Paul **Clothing & Book Drive**

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be holding its fourth annual Clothing drive on Saturday and Sunday, October 18th and 19th.

Usable clean clothes and footwear, as well as books, are accepted. Donations are for the Saint Vincent de Paul Society's diocesan store located in Stoughton MA, which serves the Greater Boston Area.

Location:

Sacred Heart Church 169 Cummins Highway, Roslindale (Lower Church Parking Lot) Dates: 10/18 and 10/19 Times: 8am to 1pm both days

Please help us to help those in need by donating usable clothing, footwear, and books.

As always, Thank You for your anticipated generosity and support.



Colecta de Ropa y Libros de San Vicente de Paúl del Sagrado Corazón

La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl llevará a cabo su Cuarta colecta anual de ropa y libros el sábado, 18 y domingo, 19 de Octubre.

Se aceptan ropa y calzado limpios y utilizables, así como libros. Las donaciones son para la tienda diocesana de la Sociedad de San Vicente de Paúl ubicada en Stoughton, MA, que presta servicios en el área metropolitana de Boston.

Ubicación:

Iglesia del Sagrado Corazón 169 Cummins Hwy, Roslindale (Estacionamiento de la iglesia inferior) Fechas: Octubre 10 y Octubre 19 Horario: 8:00am a 1:00 pm ambos días

Ayúdenos a ayudar a los necesitados donando ropa, calzado y libros utilizables.

Como siempre, gracias por su generosidad y apoyo anticipados.



St. Vincent de Paul Collection

The St. Vincent de Paul Society will be collecting at the outside church doors at the end of all the Masses this weekend September 27th & 28th. We thank you for your generosity in helping those in need in our community with their food, clothing, rent, and utilities.

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SODALITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

Holy Name's Sodality will hold its first meeting of the 2025-2026 season on Monday, October 6th at 1:00 p.m. Mass will be celebrated by Fr. Thomas Macdonald. Recitation of the rosary to follow Mass. Light refreshments will be served. All members of the Parish are welcome! Please note the new start time.



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LET US PRAY FOR THOSE WE KNOW AND LOVE WHO SHARE IN CHRIST'S SUFFERING THROUGH ILLNESS: Martina Aguguo - Lucy Algere Knox - Yaritza Baerga - Danielle Broderick - Francisca Cruz - Tara Daniels

- Christine Carroll - Kathleen McKeown - Gabriela Gonzalez - James Gordon - Kathy Hardiman - Chet Havey - Richard Fraser - Andres Hernandez - Ileana Thompson - Anthony Iarrobino - Christopher Keegan - Carmine Lavoi - Robert Lynch - Barbara McAveeney - Jennifer McGoldrick - Helen Kearns Moffie - Bridget Mulkerrin - Rhonda Owens - Jahaidy Nova - Marie Poledo Monica Santiago - Evelyn Shanahan - Midge Whelan - Jason Lamb - David Rosario - Elaido Orozco - May Christ heal all their ills.

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Let us pray for those who have served and are serving in our armed forces, that their suffering and service lead to a peace-filled world, especially for our parishioners:

Samantha Stuke, Chad Courville, O'Neil Joseph, John E. Lee, III, Billie O'Brien, Brian Gillis, Isaac Buck, and Alex Alcántara.

May Christ protect them and bring them back home safely.





Calling all those who like to knit or crochet! The Parish Health Ministry is running low on Prayer Shawls. We are looking for folks to help replenish our supply so that we can give

them to those in need.

Next blood pressure screening will take place on Sunday October 5, 2025 at 11am in the Lower Church. Meeting of the Health Ministry to follow at 12pm also in the Lower Church.

For more information e-mail the group at **shphealthministry@gmail.com.**



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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 greater 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

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Rev. Succes Jeanty, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Paulinus Nweke, In Residence

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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 & Wednesdays at 7:00 pm in Spanish

Penance:

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

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

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The Week Ahead Activities

SATURDAY, September 27

Confessions 3:00 pm Lower Church

SUNDAY, September 28

Adult English Choir Rehearsal 9:30 am Upper Church CCD Rel. Ed. Class (English) 11:00 am School Spanish Coffee 1:30 pm Murray Room

MONDAY, September 29

No Activities

TUESDAY, September 30

Spanish Prayer Group 6:00 pm Lower Church St. Vincent de Paul Meeting 6:45 pm Murray Room

WEDNESDAY, October 1

Youth Choir Practice (English) 6:00 pm Murray Room

THURSDAY, October 2 All Day Adoration

Adoration 9:00 am Lower Church Prayer Group Meeting 9:00 pm Murray Room

FRIDAY, October 3

Youth Choir Rehearsal Spanish

Adult Choir Rehearsal Spanish

6:00 pm Murray Room

7:00 pm Murray Room

SATURDAY, October 4

Baptism Class (Spanish) 12:00 pm Murray Room Confessions 3:00 pm Lower Church

SUNDAY, October 5

Adult English Choir Rehearsal
Health Ministry
Clases para Adultos (RICA)
CCD Rel. Ed. Class (English)
Spanish Committee Mtg
Spanish Coffee

9:30 am Upper Church
9:45 am Lower Church
10:30 pm Murray Room
11:00 am School
1:00 pm Library
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