



# Sacred Heart Parish

The United Parish Family of Sacred Heart and Saint Joseph

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Office Hours: Mon. thru Thurs, 8:30 AM – 2:00 PM

Office Closed on Friday



## Mass Times:

**Weekends: Saturdays:** 4:00pm **Sundays:** 8:30am and 10:30am.

**Daily Mass:** 8:00AM Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday (NO Thursday Mass)

**Holy Day:** Please consult the Bulletin.

## Sacraments:

**Confessions:** Saturdays 2:30 - 3:30pm or by appointment.

**Baptisms:** Sundays after the last Mass. Please call the Rectory to schedule a date.

**Holy Matrimony:** At least six months of notice should be given to arrange weddings.

**Anointing of the Sick** Please call the office.

## On going devotions:

**Weekly Morning Rosary:** Tuesdays at 7:30 AM

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** Mondays 6 to 7 PM (Fall-Spring 3-4PM), Fridays 7:30 to 8 AM

**Rosary:** First Sunday of the Month 8:00 AM

## Parish Staff

**Pastor:** Fr. Joseph Keough Email: [frjfk@aol.com](mailto:frjfk@aol.com)

**Administrative Assistant:** Jackie Dion email: [SacredHeartSuffield1@gmail.com](mailto:SacredHeartSuffield1@gmail.com)

### Religious Education:

860-668-7766 Fax: 860-370-5164

**Director:** Miss Donna M. Swols email: [shc\\_dre@aol.com](mailto:shc_dre@aol.com) (Temporary)

**Assistant :** Jackie Dion

### Directors of Music

Floyd Higgins & Gretchen Collins [floydandgretchen@comcast.net](mailto:floydandgretchen@comcast.net)

**\*Please note that neither Fr. J Keough nor any staff member, volunteers, or members of Sacred Heart Parish will ever call or text requesting donations of gift cards online, bitcoin or electronic transfer of funds. Please report any suspicious activity to the parish office and/or Suffield Police.**

To report an incident of sexual abuse in the Archdiocese, visit our website or the [archdioceseofhartford.com](http://archdioceseofhartford.com)

# June 14, 2026 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Tabernacle Candle this week burns in Memory and Honor of *Tom Thayer*.



*Dedicated by Tom & Joan Heffernan.*

## Our Weekly Offertory

On **June 7, 562** members and visitors worshipped with us at Sacred Heart Parish.

June 7, 2026, Parish Support:

\$11,029.00	Offertory
\$732.55	Online Giving
\$11,761.55	Total

*Thank you for your support!*

### Saturday, June 13

8:00 PM Lucia Miranda

### Sunday, June 14

8:30 AM Leo & Regina Morency

10:30 AM William Leary Jr, and Ann Leary

### Monday, June 15

8:00 AM Margaret E. Flint

6 – 7 PM Holy Hour

### Tuesday, June 16

8:00 AM David Desmarais

### Wednesday, June 17

8:00 AM Tom Thayer

### Thursday, June 18

8:00 AM **NO MASS**

### Friday, June 19

8:00 AM Jackie(L)~Birthday Wishes

### Saturday, June 20

4:00 PM Gloria Ridel

### Sunday, June 21

8:30 AM Matthew & Richard Roy

10:30 AM Roland Desmarais

**\*Apologies for any misspelled names**



Parish Support made easy: Online giving is always available (and safe). Visit our website for information at [www.sacredheartct.com](http://www.sacredheartct.com) or scan the QR Code in this bulletin for My E-Offering. Thank you for your generous support!

*Please keep Our Church clean! Please put Missalettes & Hymn Books back in their places and remove any items you may have in your pew. Thank you!*

**Fair Trade! Items from Fair Trade will be available for purchase after ALL Masses this weekend, June 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>. There will be no sales until after the summer, so stock up now.**

### Suffield Community Aid Pantry Needs

*Cereal (non-Cheerios), Dish Detergent, Small Hand Soap, Paper towels, Laundry Detergent, Shampoo/Conditioner, Snacks*

**Items will be collected June 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>.**

**Thank you, Sacred Heart Human Needs Ministry♥**

### SAVE THE DATE

**June 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>** – Fair Trade after all Masses-this weekend

**June 17<sup>th</sup>** – Book Club 10:30-11:30AM Fr. Ted Hall

*The Lion Women of Tehran*

**June 20 & 21** – George from the Holy Land Artists is BACK!

**October 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>** – Pilgrimage to Mexico, Our Lady of Guadalupe.

**October 18<sup>th</sup>** – Incredible Pancake Breakfast

**October 24<sup>th</sup>** – Barn Dance

***Bible Study is on break until September.***

### PARISH REGISTRATION/UPDATE

NAME/s: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(Please include all family member names and children's age)

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

New Registration  Request Envelopes

Change Address, E-Mail, Phone Number

Moving out of parish.

**STATUS:** Single, Married, Divorced, Widowed (circle one)

Would you like to receive ENVELOPES: YES NO

You may leave it in the marked basket in the church lobby or drop it in the mailbox outside the rectory office.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Summer office hours: By appointment only

Closed holidays and school vacations

Donna Swols, DRE: [shc\\_dre@aol.com](mailto:shc_dre@aol.com) (temporary)

Jackie Dion, Adm. Asst.

Please use voicemail, email, or our handy outdoor mailbox as necessary to conduct Religious Ed business.

PLEASE NOTE

**2026-2027 REGISTRATION INFORMATION:** Registration information for the 2026-2027 Religious Education year will be available July 2026. This will be for both new and returning students. Please note that families/students must register each year for Religious

Education at Sacred Heart as well as being a registered member of the parish. The bulletin, your email and our website will be updated with information about re-registering and registering your children for the Sacred Heart Religious Education Program for the 2026-2027 school year. Thank you.



Happy Flag Day,  
June 14<sup>th</sup>!

### Catholic Communication Campaign

Thank you for your generosity toward last week's collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps CCC fulfill its mission of love to share the gospel message of hope. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Visit [www.usccb.org//ccc](http://www.usccb.org//ccc). To support the national efforts of CCC with an online donation, visit [iGiveCatholic at usccb.igivecatholictogether.org/org/organizations/usccb-catholic-communication-campaign](http://iGiveCatholic.usccb.org/organizations/usccb-catholic-communication-campaign).

**BIKING for BABIES** is a Pro-Life Ministry that supports pregnancy centers and maternity homes through fundraising one pedal at a time. This weekend we welcome Mary Anderson who will speak after the Mass regarding her upcoming bike-ride fund raiser. For more information contact Mary at [mandersonblue@gmail.com](mailto:mandersonblue@gmail.com) or [www.bikingforbabies.com](http://www.bikingforbabies.com)

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You Are Cordially Invited to  
**TRY ALPHA**  
Welcome to all people 18 to ~39 years old

If you're looking for a casual place to meet new people, explore and learn more about your faith, come to the Summer Alpha Young Adult Group.

Thursdays, June 4 – Aug. 27  
6:00pm to 8:00 pm

St. Margaret Mary Rectory Basement

Join us for food, friendship, faith, and fun!

If you have any questions, text us at 860-816-6149

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter:

Find out how to grow in your relationship by checking out the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on the dates listed below. For more info go to [wwme.org](http://wwme.org):

**June 26-28, 2026, Huntington Seminary, Huntington, NY**

**August 28-30, 2026, Holy Family Retreat House, West Hartford, CT**

Worldwide Marriage Encounter sponsors a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, seven weekdays. Couples explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration limited; a \$100 application fee. For more information or to apply, call Frank & Margie Pearson at 860-337-2447 or [wwme.org](http://wwme.org).



Knights of  
Columbus®

Suffield Council # 6281

Ed McAnaney, Grand Knight

### Important Upcoming Dates & Knights News:

- The Suffield Council # 6281 will again be working with the Suffield Rotary Club to host the Annual **Suffield on the Green** weekend. Anyone interested in volunteering to assist with the Information Booth or in some other way on **Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup> and/or Sunday September 13<sup>th</sup>** are asked to contact Brian Kruczek at 203.886.8884 or [BK60611@gmail.com](mailto:BK60611@gmail.com).
- In celebration of the 250<sup>th</sup> birthday of the United States, the exhibit **In God We Trust: The Knights of Columbus and the American Experience** explores how the history of the United States helped shape the 1882 founding of the Knights in New Haven, CT. The exhibition illustrates the Knights' development into a global institution that has persevered in improving society through its core principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism. Plan a visit from **now until September 5, 2026**, to the Blessed Michael McGivney Pilgrimage Center, 1 State Street, New Haven, open Wednesday through Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. With **free admission and free parking**.

**From the Pastor's Desk**

*THANK YOU to everyone who helped make our parish picnic such as success! The dedicated Picnic Committee members, Knights of Columbus, the Ukulele Band, volunteers, donors, and everyone who attended. Thanks to everyone who prayed for good weather! It was great to see a mix of ages and activities with the classic picnic menu.*

*I enjoyed it and I didn't have to "use my pastor voice"! Can't wait for our next one!*

*Have a blessed week!*

*Fr. Joe Keough*

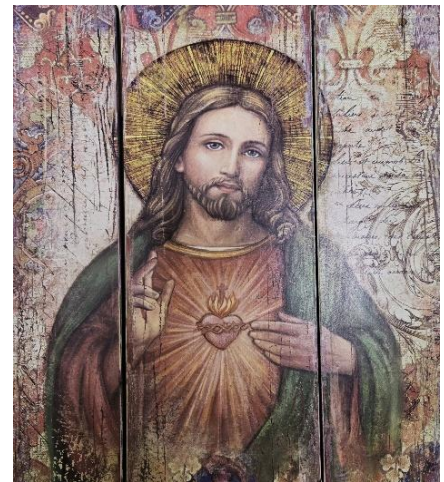
*And the winners were: The **Basket Raffle Winners** who completed the "Meet New Friends" survey at the picnic were, PEG PARKS and BOB LONIS. Congratulations to them both! If you did the survey and met new friends, you're a winner, too!*

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**June is the Month of the Sacred Heart:**

**From the diary of St. Margaret Mary Alacoque:**

**"Our Lord Jesus Christ desires that we should, by sanctifying ourselves, glorify His all-loving Heart; for it was His heart that suffered the most in His Sacred Humanity."**



**CAN YOU HELP SAVE THE LIFE OF A PRIEST?** Fr. Josh Wilbur, a priest of the Archdiocese of Hartford is in desperate need of a liver donor (yours will grow back). He is a young pastor currently serving in Oxford, CT at St Thomas the Apostle Parish. Fr. Josh has a rare liver disease and is in the "end stage" unless a donor is found. For more information on how you could help (ages 22-55) please visit [www.frjoshwilbur.com](http://www.frjoshwilbur.com) Whether you can donate a liver or not, please keep Fr. Josh in your prayers!

**Congratulations to our newly commissioned Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Jennifer Roy and Bernard Elliott who were installed in this ministry last Sunday, the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. May God bless them and all our Ministers of Communion as they help us encounter Christ in the Most Blessed Sacrament!**

**GEORGE IS COMING BACK!** Our friend, George from the Holy Land is back again with us **next weekend** after all the Masses. George will have a display of handcrafted artwork made of olive wood by Christians in the Holy Land. Please take a few moments after Mass to see these beautiful faith-based items. If you can support them in any way, it would be greatly appreciated. Gift items for baptisms, First Communion, Confirmation, Weddings as well as other inspirational items will be available. Cash or Credit cards, gladly accepted.