

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

November 9, 2025

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Mass Schedule

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 a.m.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday 2:45-3:15 p.m. and by appointment. Baptisms: By Appointment

Low Gluten Hosts are available at each Mass. Go to a priest's line for Communion and ask for a low gluten host.

Website www.holyinfantorangect.com
You may find a video of the 7:30 a.m. Sunday Mass on our website. The Mass is videoed and posted by Jeff Cap after 10 a.m. on Sundays.

Faith Formation:

Please go to Faith Formation Office for all information. We follow the Public School calendar, so if there is a day off from school, the office is usually closed. 203-799-2417. Office Hours Monday & Tuesday from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m.; Wednesday from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. at this time.

Baptism Instruction:

Call Father Norman to set up an appointment. Parents and Godparents must attend a Baptismal class with their first child. When registering, please inform the secretary if this is an additional child so as not to attend another session.

Weddings: Make arrangements at least 1 year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion for the home bound: Call the Rectory: (203) 799-2379.

For those parishioners who are in the hospital, please let the parish office know so that Father Norman can visit them. Due to the HIPAA laws we only know if you are hospitalized if you inform us. Hospitals can no longer inform us.

Blood Pressure Screening in the Guild Hall after the 9:30 mass on the third Sunday of each month.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held on Thursdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. after 9 a.m. mass.

<u>Bulletin notices</u> must be in the rectory office <u>at least 1 week in advance</u> of the publication date.

Census forms are available for you to register with Holy Infant Parish. You may pick one up after mass, get off our website or call the parish office. One must be registered in order to be a sponsor for Baptism, Confirmation or a witness at a Wedding.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, November 8

4:00 Curtis Taylor by Family

Sunday, November 9

7:30 Richard Spierto, Sr. by Nick M. Piciw

9:30 Brian D'Orso by Family

Monday, November 10 9:00 No Mass Today

Tuesday, November 11 9:00 No Mass Today

Wednesday, November 12 9:00 No Mass Today

Thursday, November 13 9:00 No Mass Today

Saturday, November 15

4:00 Antonio, Anthony, Anne & Mark Greco by Family

Sunday, November 16

7:30 Stephen J. Lostritto, Jr. by The Galatioto Family9:30 Joanne Choiniere by Family

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We remember all the souls names placed upon our altar for the month of November as we celebrate mass each day. May these souls rest in the peace of Christ, now and forever. Amen.

NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

This weekend Father Bob Kwiatkowski will be with us to celebrate mass as 14 of us are on our pilgrimage to Rome during the Jubilee Year of Hope. On this day, I will be celebrating mass at the Lateran Basilica for our group. What a tremendous opportunity on this actual day to be doing this. My prayers will be for all of our parishioners and their families, as well as for all of the souls names placed upon our altar during the month of November.

Our Women's Guild and Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a Breakfast with Santa on December 7th in our school gym. They have some great ideas for family fun and breakfast. Buy your tickets as they come available.

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE REFLECTIONS

Ezekiel relates his vision of a remarkable temple, built in a restored Jerusalem. The water that flows from this temple once salty, makes it fresh. This water made fresh now purifies the sea to enable the trees and all the produce that surrounds it to produce a great harvest. As we were baptized, the water poured upon us washed away the original sin to give us life abundance as well. How do we give life to those who surround us? Is it like the life-giving water that flowed from the temple in Ezekiel's vision?

Financial Report November 2: \$ 6,991 Energy: \$ 2,119

Thank you for your generous support! This week's second collection is for the Archdiocesan Military. REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS those who are ill, the home bound, the dying, and their caregivers. Gina Raffone, Lucille Insalaco, Marie McCarthy, George Kuechel, Marion Drobish, Tanya Gilbert, Elena Audie, Fran Martino, Frank Mona, Thomas & Sandra Ryan, Angela Gurcyznski, Garrett Owen, Ed Wynne, Daniel Quinion, Joseph Lembo, Barbara Reznar, Nelson Curtis, Lynn Novicki, J. Owen, Maureen Johnston, Cody Jalowiec, Mark Kuechel, Ted Vasilovich, J. Willard Moyer, Tony Perry, Vincent & Carmel Maiorano

Faith Formation Corner

Office 203-799-2417 Monday Classes 3:20-4:20pm & 7:00-8:00pm Tuesday Classes 3:20-4:20 pm & Classes 7:00-8:00pm Wednesday Classes 3:20-4:20pm & NO Classes 5:00-6:00pm

Our next Children's Mass will be held on November 23rd at the 9:30 am mass. Children from Peck Place will be helping with the mass by reading, doing the petitions, taking up the collection, and bringing up the offertory gifts. Let us remember each child in our program who is lifting us up in prayer on these days when they participate. The 8th grade students and their teachers will be providing for our Coffee And which will follow in the Guild Hall.

Next week our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human development. Nearly 38 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usceb.org/cchd.

Women's Guild November Meeting

Please join us as we plan our Christmas celebrations, **Tuesday, November 11, 6:30 PM, Guild Hall.**All members are warmly encouraged to attend! We have important business to cover, but we'll also enjoy some fun with our jigsaw **puzzle competition** Refreshments will be served. Let's make it a productive and joyful evening together!

Upcoming Events

Future Coffee Ands

For November 9th will be the Knights of Columbus; for November 16th will be the Women's Guild; and for November 23rd will be the 8th grade students and our Peck Place students in our Faith Formation Program. No Coffee And on November 30th or December 7th as Breakfast with Santa will take its place.

As is our ongoing tradition we will be having our next food drive in November. Your donations will be collected on Nov. 8 & 9. Please be as generous as you can, food insecurity is an ongoing problem for many.

Morning Mass will be celebrated at the following parishes for people to attend during my time in Rome from November 6th to November 13th. Assumption (81 Center Rd.), Woodbridge is Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday at 8:30 a.m. St. Louis in West Haven is Monday thru Friday at 12:00 p.m. St. Mary in Milford is Thursday and Fri day at 8:30 a.m. St. Agnes in Milford is Monday-Wednesday at 8:30 a.m.

Breakfast with Santa – Sunday, December 7 | All families welcome!

Hosted by the Holy Infant Women's Guild & Knights of Columbus

Join us for a joyful morning filled with holiday cheer! Snap a photo with Santa ~ Write a birthday card to Baby Jesus ~ Decorate a keepsake ornament ~ Enjoy a delicious breakfast with family and friends

Faith Formation families should have already received their einvites. Paper copies are available at all church entrances. Please follow the RSVP instructions or visit our table on the portico next weekend.

Let's celebrate the season together with faith, fun, and fellowship!

Women's Guild Christmas Dinner

All women of the parish are invited to celebrate the joy of the season at the Women's Guild Christmas Dinner, **Thursday**, **December 4**, at Birchwoods at Oaklane.

All active Guild members should have received their invitation via email. Flyers and posters with complete information are available at all entrances to the church. Tickets on sale now. Find us at the parking lot portico next week, November 15 & 16 to purchase yours!

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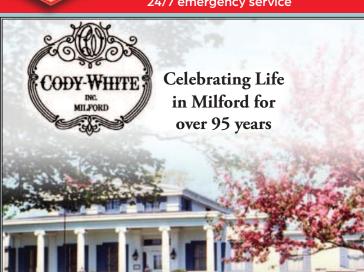
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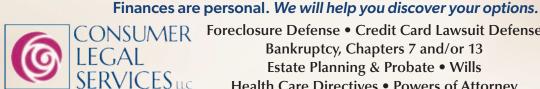
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