

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

455 Hunter Avenue, West Islip, NY 11795

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Rev. Andrew Garnett, Associate Pastor

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Parish Office

Phone: 661.3224, press 1
Monday-Thursday: 9:00am-7:30pm
Friday: 9:00am-5:00pm
Saturday: 9:00am-3:00pm
Sunday: 9:00am-2:00pm
E-mail: ParishOffice@ollchurch.org
Fax: 661.7143
Website: www.ollchurch.org

Our Lady of Lourdes School

Phone: 587.7200, press 2
Monday-Friday: 9:00am-3:00pm
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Religious Education Office

Phone: 661.5440, press 3
Monday-Friday: 9:00am-Noon,
1:00pm-5:00pm, 7:00pm-9:00pm
E-mail: ReligiousEd@ollchurch.org

Parish Outreach Office

Phone: 661.9262, press 4
Monday-Friday: 9:30am-3:30pm

SAGE (*Senior Advocates for Growth and Enrichment*)

Phone: 661.3224, Ext. 122
E-mail: Sage@ollchurch.org



Liturgical Schedule

Daily Mass

8:30am

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 12:30pm
and 6:00pm

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturday: 4:00pm-4:45pm or by appointment

Rosary

Daily at 8:00am

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday at 8:00am

Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick

Throughout the liturgical year. If needed sooner, please call the Parish Office.

Baptism

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment.

Marriage

Arranged at least six months in advance, please call the Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

A process to be embraced by the Catholic Church. For non-Catholics and for Catholics who have never received formal religious education. If interested, please call the Parish Office.

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time • June 28, 2015



Welcome to our Parish Family

New Parishioners are cordially invited to register as members of our Parish Family. Please call or visit our Parish Office.

Remember: Together, we can do something beautiful for God!

- Mother Teresa

Pastoral Council

Msgr. Brian McNamara
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Nilo DeLeon
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Parish Organist
Anne Gregg
School Office
Mary Anne Lettieri
Parish Office
Rita Spera
Religious Education Office
Lori Walsh
Bulletin Editor/Website
Pat Young
Parish Office

Mission Statement

As stewards of all that God has given us, the Parish Family of Our Lady of Lourdes serves and ministers to all who come to this place.

Regardless of a person's history, ethnicity, gender, orientation, age or race, we commit ourselves to open wide the doors of our Parish to provide a place of welcome and hospitality.

Readings for the Week of June 28

Sunday: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/ 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/ Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43
Monday: Acts 12:1-11/ 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/ Mt 16:13-19
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/ Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/ Mt 8:28-34
Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19/ Mt 9:1-8
Friday: Eph 2:19-22/ Jn 20:24-29
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/ Mt 9:14-17
Next Sunday: Ez 2:2-5/ 2 Cor 12:7-10/ Mk 6:1-6a

Financial Summary

June 21, 2015

Weekly Collection	\$ 17,242.00
Weekly Budget	- \$ 17,800.00
+/- for the week	\$ (558.00)

The estimated weekly collection needed to maintain and operate our parish buildings, ministries, programs and salaries is \$17,800.



Rest In Peace

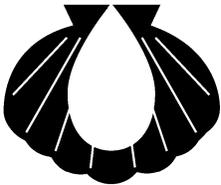
Charles Teufel

We extend our prayerful sympathy to the families and loved ones of those recently deceased.



Upcoming Marriages

*Meaghan Lucie, OLL,
and Patrick Kemp,
St. Agnes Cathedral, RVC*



Baptism

*Mikayla Jhene Baquiran
Mark & Mackenzie*

*Jase Matthew Benedetto
Stefanie*

*Robert Michael Isoldi
Robert & Jennifer*

*Jack Michael Kearney
Bret & Regina*

*Logan James Rosato
Matthew & Kristin*

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 29

St. Peter and St. Paul

8:30am Vincent McCarthy

Tuesday, June 30

The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

8:30am Kay Blackford

Wednesday, July 1

Blessed Junípero Serra

8:30am Louis & Rosalie Montanino

Thursday, July 2

8:30am Kerry McGrath

Friday, July 3

St. Thomas

8:30am Josephine Sabella

Saturday, July 4

8:30am Jim Selzer, Robert A. Ledee, Margaret Pearce

5:00pm Bill Heartt

Sunday, July 5

8:00am Eleanor Siegfried

9:30am Rick Munkwitz

11:00am Emma Cameron

12:30pm Dorothy Sawyer

6:00pm People of the Parish, Fred Hervey,
Nick & Claudette Baggio, Eileen M. Stigliano,
Lawrence Ward, Carolina DeCicco,
Rose Russo, Peter Delutro

Greetings from Fr. Bob,

This is my official farewell letter for the bulletin. That being said, right off the bat, I have to say how much I enjoyed writing these letters and hope you found them helpful (or, at least, entertaining). Of course this is about saying goodbye, but it is also another opportunity for me to express my gratitude.

You might remember I mentioned a little evergreen tree in one of these letters. I planted it too early in the spring and, because it snowed, I thought that it might die. At first it looked like it might not make it at all. It continued to just barely survive; dry, brown and a little ugly, but surviving. Then, all of a sudden, it not only began to thrive, but became lush, soft and green. As I watched that happen this past month or so, I realized the little tree is pretty emblematic of what happened to me here.

I arrived rather raw and feeble, hoping to start a new life, but not completely sure if I could or if I deserved to. At the beginning, I felt like I was just surviving, waiting to see if the soil would be good, if the roots could reach where they needed to, feeling dry and ugly. There was welcoming, understanding, compassion and forgiveness. Nothing was dismissed or swept under the carpet, yet; my past was also not the defining element of who I was to you.



You invited me here and created an atmosphere where slowly but surely I could not only survive but thrive, coming closer than I have so far to the person I've always wanted to be. In many very real ways, I am not the same person that became your Associate Pastor 9 years ago, and I have you to thank for that.

We use the term "paschal mystery" to talk about dying and rising. It is a profound theological term to express something quite ordinary and rather simple. Human beings need to sometimes be broken, dry and a little ugly, in order to come back to life. We need to die to something in order to be reborn into something else. Thank you for allowing me a safe and healthy place to go through that unpleasant yet necessary experience.

And, as with my little tree, it seemed like all of a sudden I began to thrive, grow lush, and soft; the winter fading into a memory, the dying taking its proper place and proportion in the larger picture of what life could be. Sounds rather dramatic, or at least poetic, but it is the truth, and I will always attribute it to you and be grateful to you for everything that you have given me in these 9 years.

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

To the Family of Our Lady of Lourdes,

*I will never cease to be amazed at your generosity.
I wanted you to know that I have read every note, every card;
I have opened every package and bundle, and I am humbled
(almost to the point of embarrassment) at your affection toward me.*

*I know I already said thank you, but I wanted you to know
how much your sentiments at my departure meant to me
(plus, my parents drilled in our heads to always send “Thank You”
notes, and, although I usually do, I knew that this time
I would not be able to do that individually).*

*THANK YOU so much for your generosity and
for making the unpleasant experience of leaving so wonderful.*

*My prayers always,
Fr. Bob*



Respect Life Ministry



Thank You!

The Life Center of Long Island sincerely thanks Our Lady of Lourdes Parish for their donation to the baby bottle fundraiser. Your generosity raised \$9,942!

May God bless you for your support of life!

There are still 400 bottles that have not been returned. Please return the bottles to the Parish Office, no matter how filled they are!

Healing After Abortion

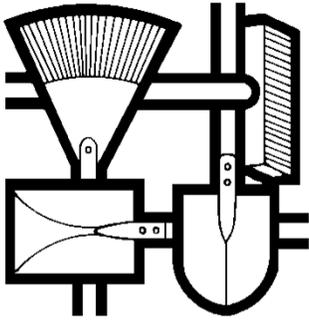
Have you suffered an abortion? Experience God's love and mercy and begin the journey of healing. Please call the Sisters of Life: 866.575.0075 or email: hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org. For men, call Theresa Bonopartis at Lumina: 877.586.4621 or email: Lumina@postabortionhelp.org.

"Behold, sons are a gift from the Lord; the fruit of the womb is a reward. Like arrows in the hand of a warrior are the sons of one's youth. Happy is the man whose quiver is filled with them."

~ Psalm 127:3-5

Peter's Pence Collection

This weekend, our Diocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Through your generosity, we can cast the peace of Christ upon the world.



Parish “Clean-up” Party

On **Saturday, July 4**, we will be having a Parish “Clean-up” Party from **9:00am to 11:00am**. Please bring hand clippers, loppers, hand saws, rakes, etc. We need to do some extra cleaning up.

All are welcome; no experience needed!

Blood Drive

On **Monday, June 29**, Our Lady of Lourdes Parish will hold a BLOOD DRIVE from 3:15pm to 9:15pm. The Drive will be held in the Parish Center. All eligible donors are strongly urged to give blood.

About 50 percent of the population can donate, yet less than 5 percent actually do. If you live to the age of 76 in the United States, there is a 95 percent chance that you will need blood. The only way there will be an adequate supply of blood is if each and every member of the community does his/her part.

Take a moment to think of the miracle you can accomplish and the many lives your one donation can affect. Your donation can help at least 3 patients.

You can make a difference.



Donations to Parish Outreach

If you would like to make a donation to Parish Outreach in memory of a loved one, please call Trish Frodell, Director of Parish Social Ministry at 661.3224, press 4.



Cereal
Cookies
Crackers
Juice
Peanut butter / jelly

Altar Society

Altar linens this week will be cared for by *Carol Grillo*. If you would like to help care for our altar needs, please call the Parish Office at 661.3224.

Members in the Military

We ask that you pray especially for those in our parish that are on active duty in the Middle East conflict.

Michael Fantauzzi-*US Air Force*

Christopher Florca-*US Marines*

Christopher Jensen-*US Air Force*

Anthony Mannino-*US Marines*

James Rooney III-*US Marines*

... and remember those of our parish family that are in the armed services, listed in our Parish Book of Intentions.



Pastoral Care of Our Sick

Please call the Parish Office at 661.3224 to leave the names of parishioners who:

- Are homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist.
- Are in Good Samaritan Hospital and/or a local nursing home and would like to be visited by a member of our Pastoral Care Ministry.
- Would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick.

Parish Spiritual Care Companions

Do you know a parishioner who is homebound and would welcome a visit from one of our trained Parish Spiritual Care Companions? Please call Rick Danowski at 586.2192, Vita Scorgia at 669.4717 or Charlie Zeiss at 669.7189.

Pray for Our Sick

Please remember to keep in your thoughts and prayers ...

Helene Abizeid, Ann Marie Agresto, John A. Alanzo, Salvatore Albanese, David Aslin, Patricia Beni, Diane Boylan, Dorothy Caiazzo, Thomas J. Calogero III, Patricia Carlson, Anna Cinquemani, Luigi Cinquemani, Patti Cinquemani, Kevin Crowley, Karen DellaVecchia, Margaret DeLuca, Jane Desthers, Fran DiMino, Amanda DiTingo, Mark Dixon, Roseann Dorohow, Frank Edwards, Paula Edwards, Jake Feldman, William Fuchs, Kenneth Garretson, Robert Garretson, Jeanette Giordano, Ralph Giordano, Tommy Haughney, Patrick Anthony Heffron, Thomas Hicks, Jr., Betty Infurno, Shena Kahn, Anne Kerrigan, Charles Klages, Rose Kordulak, Lisa Letterel, Gary Levitt, Frank Licciardi, Sean Lillis, Barbara Malmquist, Margery Marotta, Jean McCauley, Una McGrade, Marian McNamara, Vinny Meade, Tara Moore, Peter Murray, Ruth Murray, Patrick Joseph O'Connor, Dorothy Proctor, Joyce Reale, Jimmy Reilly, Jo Ann Roccaro-Kellner, Peter Rooney, Mike Savino, Joseph J. Schiavoni, Ann Marie Schiraldi, Donald Twomey, Susan Vanduyne, Camille Watts, Charles Zeiss

Names of the sick are listed for **five weeks** for short-term requests and **five months** for long-term.

SAGE

The SAGE Group (*Senior Advocates for Growth and Enrichment*) will meet on **Tuesday, June 30 in the Parish Center at 9:00am.**



Nocturnal Adoration

“Come to me all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest.”

This is Jesus Christ’s invitation every first Saturday of the month. The Blessed Sacrament is taken to the altar after the 5:00pm Mass and will be exposed up to 9:50pm. Everyone is invited to spend some time in front of the Blessed Sacrament to offer prayers, petitions and thanksgiving to Jesus. Nocturnal Adoration will follow the 5:00pm Mass on **Saturday, July 4**, concluding with Benediction at 9:50pm. Please come and pray with us. All are invited and welcome. Bring a friend!



Prayer Shawl Ministry

Bring your prayer and creativity together in a gift of love.

Join us...

Wednesday, July 8 at 9:30am in the Parish Center. All you need to bring is scrap yarn, knitting needles or crochet hooks (patterns and instructions will be given to you) and your gifts of love and prayer.



Children's Liturgy of the Word

There will be no Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 9:30am Mass during the months of **July and August**.

The committee wishes to thank everyone for their enthusiastic support and help this year. We will be using this time to plan and prepare for the upcoming year. We are always anxious for new ideas and new members for the committee. Please contact Cathy Danowski at 631.586.2192 if you are interested.

Have a safe and blessed summer.

The Parish Office will be **closed Friday, July 3** in observance of Independence Day.

The Parish Office will reopen on Saturday at 9:00am.



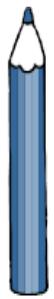
Goal:	\$107,300.00
Pledges:	\$ 89,741.00
# of Donors:	424
Payments (<i>as of 6/22</i>):	\$ 68,136.44

Once we reach our goal in paid pledges, the Parish receives a rebate of 20%. Help the good work of the Diocese and help our Parish at the same time! Please pledge today.



Send your child to camp at Our Lady of Lourdes this summer!

During the summer, children get a well deserved vacation from school, but parents still have to work. **Camps 'R' Us** takes the worry out of planning your child's summer vacation. **Camps 'R' Us** provides families with the most safe, fun and affordable summer day camp experience available. Its award-winning camp programs offer children, ages 3 - 15, a diverse summer experience, including Sports, Arts & Crafts, Games, Swimming, Bowling, Trips, Special Events and much more. Their premier facilities, top-notch staff, and unique affordability have earned them the reputation as one of the best summer camps on Long Island. Visit: www.campsrus.org for more information and details! Questions? Call 516-935-2267 or email: info@campsrus.org



O.L.L. SCHOOL

Looking for a school for September?
Look no further than our Parish School!

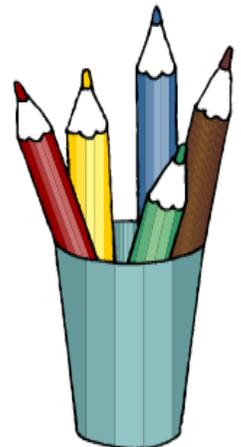
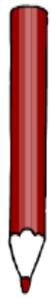
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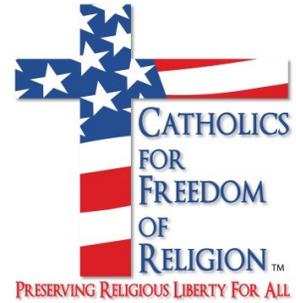
"Someone Special & Me,"
Nursery, Pre-Kindergarten
Full day Kindergarten
Grades 1-7

Call the School Office at 631-587-7200 ext. 100, or email
(agregg@ollschool.org) and visit our web site at ollschool.org

*Schedule a tour of our wonderful school
and learn first-hand about our programs!*



★ JUNE 21 to JULY 4, 2015 ★
FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM **FREEDOM TO BEAR WITNESS**
FORTNIGHT4FREEDOM★ORG



www.CFFOR.org 631-896-8331

4th Annual Fortnight For Freedom: Freedom to Bear Witness Designated by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

"Those who deny religious freedom seek to end the influence of faith and morals in our society. As Catholics our actions must make it clear, we will not surrender our religious liberty." - Bishop William Murphy

Here, in America, our Religious Freedom had always been a model for the world. Our 1st amendment guarantees what we Catholics know to be a gift from God, our freedom of conscience.

But we've seen our culture change, so that religious beliefs and practices are denigrated and marginalized. We hear misleading praise for America's Freedom of Worship. That phrase is deceptive and dangerous. Freedom of Worship confines faith inside the four walls of our churches. Our founders gave us Freedom of Religion which encourages our faith and morals to influence our family lives, community and country.

Pope Benedict warned the American Bishops in Jan., 2012, that "It is imperative that the entire Catholic community in the United States come to realize the grave threats to the church's public moral witness..." He asked that lay Catholics in America be engaged, articulate and courageous in bringing the Christian vision of man and society into the public square.

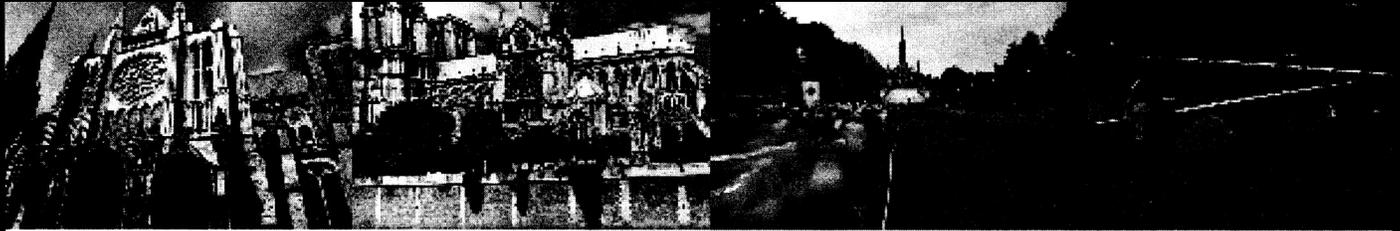
In 2012 a grass roots ministry, Catholics for Freedom of Religion, (CFFR), was begun on Long Island. These lay Catholics work to restore and preserve rights of conscience and religion for Americans of all faiths, or of none. Through prayer, education, speaker presentations, bulletin items, etc. many thousands of Catholics are learning the importance of true religious liberty and recognizing the threats to that freedom.

To encourage the developing faith of our children, CFFR developed "Free to Speak" which teaches students their rights to religious expression in the public schools as set forth in the US Department of Education's guidelines. Thousands of students were reached already and the program is expanding rapidly.

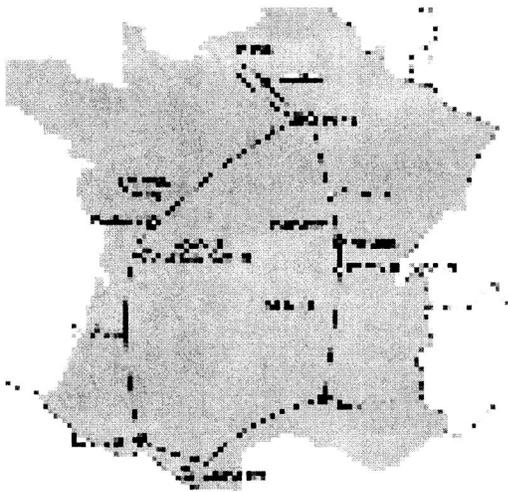
After a "Free to Speak" lesson Chris, from Maria Regina church in Wantagh, wrote, *"I have learned that we can start after school clubs that involve Christianity. We are also allowed to write about God and Jesus in our essays. Also, we are able to speak about Jesus in speeches for school and graduations."*

***Fortnight Opening Mass. St. Agnes Cathedral, June 21, 11am**
***Rally for Religious Freedom. Robert P. George, Keynote speaker.**
Darby Auditorium of Chaminade H.S, 340 Jackson Ave, Mineola. June 25, 7:30pm
To register for rally call: 516-766-0161 or 631-896-8331
***Fortnight Closing Mass. St. Agnes Cathedral, July 4, 9am**

Pilgrimage to France - August 26-September 7, 2015



Join Father Brian McNamara on a Spiritual Pilgrimage to THE SHRINES OF FRANCE & LOURDES



Air & Land \$3582
Land Only \$2149

August 26 - September 7, 2015
Paris to Paris (12 days)

Headsets throughout the tour

Sightseeing: Visits to Lisieux, Poitiers, Carcassonne, Avignon, Paray-le-Monial, Nevers, Chartres

Scenic Highlights: Château Country, Dordogne, Burgundy

Mass/Religious Service: Lisieux, Lourdes, Avignon

Guides: Local Guides for city sightseeing in Paris and Lourdes; services of a professional Tour Director while touring

PARIS Kyriad Bercy (ST)

POITIERS Ibis Centre (F)

LOURDES Quality Alliance (ST)

AVIGNON Mercure Cité des Papes (F) or Ibis Styles Avignon Sud (ST)

NEVERS Kyriad Centre (ST)

- Buffet breakfasts; 5 dinners

Vacation overview

Meet your Tour Director and fellow travelers in Paris, where guided sightseeing features all major sights and visits the Basilica of Sacre Coeur and Notre Dame Cathedral, where the relics of the Passion of the Christ can be seen on the first Fridays of the month (departures April 3 & July 31 only). During an excursion to Lisieux, visit Les Buissonnets, family home of St. Therese, and the basilica. Also visit St. Peter's Cathedral and the Carmelite Convent, where she lived as a nun. Back in Paris, special visits have been included to the Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Shrine, where the Virgin Mary appeared to St. Catherine Laboure in 1830, and the St. Vincent de Paul Shrine. Travel south to Poitiers and visit the baptistry of St. John, then arrive in Lourdes, one of the world's most famous places of pilgrimage, where you will stay for three nights. Visit the grotto where the Virgin Mary appeared to St. Bernadette in 1858, the Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, and St. Bernadette's birthplace and family home. You may wish to bathe in the healing waters, attend the "Blessing of the Sick," or join the evening's rosary and candlelight procession. A full day at leisure allows the chance to join an optional excursion to the nearby Pyrenees. Via medieval Carcassonne, travel to Avignon to see the Palace of the Popes and to attend Mass in the Cathedral of Avignon. Stop in Paray-le-Monial, home to the Chapel of the Apparitions, and visit the Basilica of the Sacred Heart before arriving in Nevers. Here, visit St. Gildard, then on to Chartres, where you visit the magnificent cathedral. Return to Paris for a final overnight.

Tour Price: \$2149 p/person (based on double occupancy; singles and triples available upon request)

Air from JFK: \$1433

Insurance, \$199, highly recommended to protect your vacation investment, **must be paid at time of deposit to cover pre-existing conditions.**

CruiseOne

Contact: Monica Colonna

631.539.9756 or mcolonna@cruiseone.com



Ministry of Praise

Members pray at home for the intentions of the Church and Parish; designed for the homebound, senior citizens, etc. Monthly calendar is available in the Narthex. Prayer requests can be left in the Ministry of Praise box along with the name and address of any homebound person who might want a copy of the calendar mailed to them (please print).

Good Samaritan Prayer Group of L.I.

The Good Samaritan Prayer Group of Long Island holds their meetings every Friday (except the first Friday of the month) at OLL School in Room 16 from 8:00pm until 10:00pm. All are welcome to experience singing, praying and fellowship.

Prayer for Divine Mercy

An invitation to all men and women to be part of God's plan. We invite you to meet in prayer for the world and our nation to put their trust in God. Our hope is that the nations will have a new spirit of morality. Please come with your love and hope for humanity as well as your prayer requests. We gather together every **Thursday at 1:30pm** before the Blessed Sacrament for about one half hour. For more information, call Charles Argento at 586.8528.



Boy Scout Troop 179

For more than 41 years, Our Lady of Lourdes has been sponsoring Boy Scout Troop 179 of West Islip. We meet every **Thursday** in the School Cafeteria from **7:30pm to 9:00pm**. If you are interested in joining Boy Scouts, check out our website and stop by a meeting!

Website: <http://witroop179.wix.com/bsatroop179#>

Email: WIBSATroop179@outlook.com

Support Groups *(all meetings are in Lourdes Hall - lower level of Convent)*

Alcoholics Anonymous: Monday and Tuesday at 8pm and Saturday at 11am and 7pm.

ALANON: Wednesday at 10am. Beginner's meeting at 9:30am. Free babysitting available.

AA Day-by-Day/Girls Night Out: Thursday at 7:30pm.



In addition to our parish website, please visit us on *Facebook* at **The Parish Family of Our Lady of Lourdes**. Click "Like" and you will receive the latest news on upcoming parish events and information.

Position Open: Secretary for Faith Formation Office

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, located in Lindenhurst, is seeking a Parish Assistant (*i.e.*, secretary) for our Faith Formation (Religious Education) Office. This full-time position requires evening and Saturday hours. The assistant must be a responsible individual who will provide administrative services in support of the Director of Faith Formation. It is important that the candidate have strong interpersonal skills, knowledge of the faith, and be able to multitask in a busy environment. The ideal candidate must have strong computer skills which include Microsoft Office, knowledge of social media, and fast data entry skills. Please email your résumé to Msgr. Joseph DeGrocco at msgjrjoe@oloph.org in order to apply for the position.



Cub Scout Pack 279

For 43 years, Cub Scout Pack 279 of West Islip has been serving boys, grades one through five, through scouting. See what adventures await you! For more information, contact Kelly Wood at 631-983-8026.

Music Man

When: Sunday, July 19, 2015
2:30pm Matinee

Where: BayWay Arts Center
265 East Main Street
East Islip, New York

Price: \$25.00

Reservations / Ticket Information: Contact Kathy Coletti at (631) 666-5679

50/50 Raffle

All proceeds benefit **Catholic Daughters of America** (Bay Shore Court Victory #595)

2015 Annual Catholic Charismatic Conference

Come and join us at the 2015 Annual Catholic Charismatic Conference in Scranton, Pennsylvania held at Scranton University. Conference dates are July 31, August 1-2, 2015.

"Father That They May be One" - *Jn. 17:21 (Theme for 2015)*

A bus has been chartered for the conference and will be picking up all interested at Saint Cyril and Methodius Parish in Deer Park and at Our Holy Redeemer in Freeport.

For registration and transportation information, call Anna Baciuska at (516) 223-8594.

Pre-Independence Day Pro-Life Face the Truth Event

Friday, July 3, 2015; 3:00pm to 4:30pm
LIE Exit 70S and Route 111, Manorville

Pro-lifers are invited to join this peaceful outreach on the public sidewalk to stand against abortion and for the unalienable right to life. Signs provided. Rain or shine.

Sponsored by Long Island Coalition for Life (631-243-1435; info@prolifeLI.org).

Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Please join the Lay Carmelites of the St. Elias Province as we celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel located at Our Lady of the Island Shrine in Manorville, NY.

Saturday, July 18, 2015

9:00am - Arrival

9:30am - Morning Prayer

10:00am - Conference: "A Pattern for Life: Rule of St. Albert
and the Carmelite Laity"

Fr. Patrick McMahon, O. Carm., PhD

11:30am - Eucharist

12:30pm-1:30pm - Lunch

2:00pm - Conference

3:00pm - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Evening Prayer



After Mass, there will be the blessing and enrollment of the Brown Scapular. For more information, call 631.738.1035.

Religion and Rock

Tune into "Religion and Rock" with Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sunday from 7am to 8am on WBAB 102.3 FM or 95.3 on the East End of Long Island. Listen on Saturdays at 11pm on Sirius Radio, Channel 159, the Catholic Channel and at 11pm on XM Satellite, Channel 117. Next Sunday's theme is "**Independence Day.**"

Sharing the Gospel

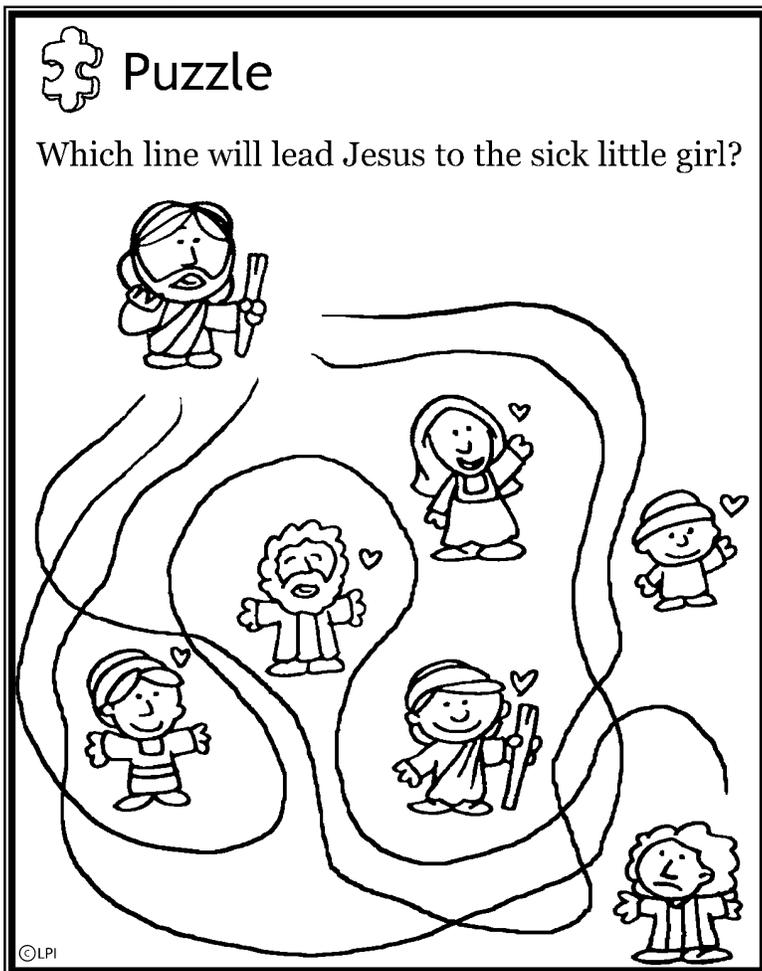
In today's Gospel reading, Jairus asked Jesus to come to his house. The daughter of Jairus was dying, and he knew Jesus could make her well again. While they were walking to his house, she died. Did Jesus give up? No way! Jesus told Jairus not to be afraid, but to keep believing that Jesus could help her. Jesus was even stronger than death. He walked into the house, held her hand, and told her to get up. Jesus admired the faith Jairus had.



Mission for the Week



Jairus knew that Jesus could help him. Write down three things that you are afraid of, and ask God to help you.



Prayer

Dear God,
you are
even
stronger
than death. Help me
to have faith in you
like Jairus had.
Amen.



Something to

Draw

Draw a picture of Jesus and the daughter of Jairus holding hands.

