

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

455 Hunter Avenue, West Islip, NY 11795

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Parish Office

Phone: 631.661.3224

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

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Website: www.ollchurch.org

Religious Education Office

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Monday-Friday: 9:00am-Noon,

1:00pm-5:00pm, 7:00pm-9:00pm

E-mail: ReligiousEd@ollchurch.org

Parish Outreach Office

Phone: 631.661.9262

Monday-Friday: 9:30am-3:30pm

SAGE (*Senior Advocates for Growth and Enrichment*)

Phone: 631.661.3224, 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.

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ • Sunday, June 23, 2019



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!

- Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Pastoral Council

Msgr. Brian McNamara
Eileen Rega
Mary Borgs
Lisa Cantalino
Sonia DaSilva
Nilo DeLeon
Jerry Esposito
Trish Frodell
Pam Gagliano
Deborah Lamb
Rosalie Mangels
Deacon Jack Meehan
John Muldoon
Dottie Perdue
Vita Scorgia

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 23

Sunday: Gn 14:18-20/ 1 Cor 11:23-26/ Lk 9:11b-17
Monday: Is 49:1-6/ Acts 13:22-26/ Lk 1:57-66, 80
Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18/ Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/ Mt 7:15-20
Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/ Mt 7:21-29
Friday: Ez 34:11-16/ Rom 5:5b-11/ Lk 15:3-7
Saturday: Acts 12:1-11/ 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/ Mt 16:13-19
Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/ Gal 5:1, 13-18/ Lk 9:51-62

Parish Staff

Patti Anderson
Parish Office/Bulletin Editor

AnnMarie Buonaspina
Director of Youth Choirs

Michael Buonaspina
Parish Organist

S. Kathleen Carberry, CSJ
Parish Office

Maggie Frodell
Parish Office

Carol Grillo
Parish Office

Rita Spera
Religious Education Office

Financial Summary

June 16, 2019	
Weekly Collection	\$ 14,461.00
Weekly Budget	- \$ 17,800.00
+/- for the week	\$ (3,339.00)

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

Dear Parishioners:

The chairman of the USCCB's Committee for Religious Liberty, Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz of Louisville, encourages Catholics to pray and act in support of religious liberty at home and abroad during **Religious Freedom Week 2019** which begins on June 22, the Feast of Saints Thomas More and John Fisher, and ends on June 29, the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul.

The theme for this year, **Strength in Hope**, is taken from the Second Vatican Council's Decree on the Apostolate of the Laity:

“Among the trials of this life they find strength in hope, convinced that ‘the sufferings of the present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory to come that will be revealed in us’ (Rom. 8:18)” (*Apostolicam Actuositatem*, 4).

Archbishop Kurtz stated: “Catholics face challenges both in our current political climate of polarization and within the Church. Christian child welfare institutions and Catholics in public life are encountering significant obstacles to their work, while our brothers and sisters in places like Nigeria suffer violent persecution. We want to build solidarity and to encourage Catholics to persist in the struggle to advance the kingdom of God by finding hope in Jesus Christ.”

On Thursday, July 4, **Catholic Faith Network**, will be televising a patriotic concert focusing on this constitutional right. There will be music, dance with Scripture readings, and readings from the Constitution, highlighting the importance of religious freedom. Check the schedule for **Catholic Faith Network** on the 4th of July.

I would like to take this opportunity to highlight that two of our parishioners were awarded the prestigious **Eagle Scout Award** last Saturday. Congratulations to **Salvatore Soriano Jr.** and **Ryan Weydig**. Sal's Eagle Scout project centered around beautifying the entrance to Pinelawn National Cemetery in Farmingdale. Ryan's Eagle Scout project was installing a handicapped accessible ramp to the convent. Now people who use the Spiritual Life Center can more easily enter the building. Congratulations to both of them, and congratulations to Boy Scout Troop 179. The troop has an impressive history of Eagle Scouts.

As we begin the summer season, I encourage everyone NOT to take a vacation from Christ and His family, the Church. Even when you are on vacation outside of the area, please make an effort to go to Mass. God's grace does not take a vacation from us; let's not take a vacation from Him! The reception of the Eucharist is essential to drawing closer to Christ. Holiness is a life-long project and takes a spiritual discipline. It is not easy, BUT it is possible for everyone!

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

In Christ,

Fr. Brian

Peter's Pence Collection

Next week, we will take the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. As always, thank you for your generosity. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

Altar Society

Altar linens this week will be cared for by *Joyce Petersen*. If you would like to help care for our altar needs, please call the Parish Office at 631-661-3224.

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.

Maria Caputo-US Army
Michael DiMatteo-US Marines
Michael Fantauzzi-US Air Force
Christopher Florca-US Marines
Patrick Harty-US Coast Guard
Colby Matthew Kelly-US Army
Anthony Mannino-US Marines
Anthony Memoli-US Marines
Andrew Perniciaro-US Army
Brandon Ranzie-US Army
Stephen Rolston-US Army
Michael Wilkinson-US Army
Peter Zaccaria-US Navy

... 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 631-661-3224 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.

Pray for Our Sick

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

Connie Ambrosino, Frank P. Bambara, Paula Bembek, Chelsea Brandt, Thomas Calogero, Laura Leonetti Castro, Sharon Collins, Diane Cullen, Margaret DeLuca, Paula Edwards, Joseph Carl Emerson, Carl Falco, Harold Ferguson, Anna Ferrante, Mike Ferrante, Ron Graziano, Denis Heffron, Josephine Heffron, Patrick Anthony Heffron, Angela Hopkins, Margaret Kegel, Eileen Kendrick, Anne Kerrigan, George Koehler, William Kudrick, Christine Molinari, Lorraine Montouri, Margaret Mooney, Darlene O'Connor, Roberta Palumbo, Dorothy Proctor, Anne Salzman, Christina Sanchez, Joan Schechtel, Joseph J. Schiavoni, Anne Marie Schiraldi, Natalie Stone, Harry Strack, Loretta Sullivan, Marie Wilson

Names of the sick will be listed for **six weeks** for short-term requests and **six months** for long-term.



Rest In Peace

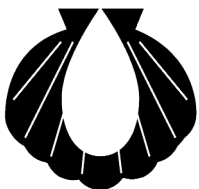
Anna M. Fogel

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



Upcoming Marriages

Kaitlin M. Sardi, OLL
and
Ronald A. Spinelli,
Holy Cross, Nesconset



Baptism

Anna Rose Chojnowski
Hallie Shea Hayes
Vivian Dolly Lee
Asher Miguel Louis Rosenthal

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 24

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
8:30am Frank Lisi

Tuesday, June 25

8:30am Catherine & Nick DiFrisco

Wednesday, June 26

8:30am Christopher D'Ambrosino

Thursday, June 27

St. Cyril of Alexandria
8:30am Laurene Gallo

Friday, June 28

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
8:30am Elsie Barone

Saturday, June 29

Sts. Peter & Paul
8:30am Vincent McCarthy, Margaret Donnelly,
Jack Fitzgerald

5:00pm Bunny Vilim
Msgr. Brian McNamara

Sunday, June 30

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am Alice Bilz
Msgr. Brian McNamara

9:30am Emma & Angelo Crisci
Fr. Greg Breen

11:00am Vincent Meade
Fr. Greg Breen

12:30pm Barbara Harrington
Msgr. Brian McNamara

6:00pm People of the Parish, Susan Kuhn-Bailey
Msgr. Brian McNamara



Gabriel's Courage Perinatal Support Program

Gabriel's Courage is a family centered program for families who receive a life-limiting prenatal diagnosis during their pregnancy. The program offers a multidisciplinary team approach to care and support throughout pregnancy, birth and post birth. Gabriel's Courage is a program of Catholic Health Services and Good Shepherd Hospice. This program offers hope, affirms life and provides an opportunity for the family to welcome their baby, as well as assisting in saying goodbye. Gabriel's Courage is seeking financial support to continue this im-

portant program. If you are interested in making a donation to Gabriel's Courage, please contact Good Shepherd Hospice Development Office at 631-465-6350.

At times, infant burial can be challenging financially. Gabriel's Courage seeks to honor the lives of these babies and support parents in their wishes to bury their child. A burial is the last act of parenting for some of our families. We ask that you consider donating resources for burials which could include financial support or donation of an available grave. If you are interested in making a donation, please contact Peter Ryan, Director of Catholic Cemeteries, at 516-334-7990, Ext. 109. Thank you for your support of this special program and the recipients in its care.

Pregnant? Need Help?

Birthright, Inc. 24 Hour Helpline 1-800-550-4900

Islip: 631-277-3888 - Hampton Bays: 631-728-8900 - Rocky Point: 631-821-9727

Southold: 631-876-5138 - Wantagh 516-785-4070

SAGE

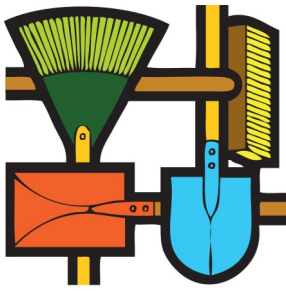
The SAGE Group (*Senior Advocates for Growth and Enrichment*) will meet on **Tuesday, June 25 in the Parish Center at 9:00am.**

Donations to 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 631-661-3224, option 4.



Canned Corn
Cannellini Beans
Canned Pasta
Egg Noodles
Toilet paper



Parish “Clean-up” Party

On **Thursday, July 4**, we will be having a Parish Grounds “Clean-up” Party from **9:00am to 10:30am**. 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!

Monday, June 24, 2019
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Center
3:15pm - 9:15pm

BLOOD DRIVE EMERGENCY

On Monday, June 24, 2019, Our Lady of Lourdes will hold a BLOOD DRIVE from 3:15pm to 9:15pm. The Drive will be held in the Parish Center. **Won't you please save lives and donate.**

All Volunteers - VIRTUS TRAINING

Are you aware that the Diocese of Rockville Centre requires all volunteers (18 years or older) to attend the Virtus class? CYO Coaches, Religious Education, Catechists, Cantors, Ushers, Parish Volunteers (feast workers, mailing team, etc.) are all required to complete the Virtus training course, if they have not yet done so. You **MUST** register online by visiting www.Virtus.org, then click the link for first time registrants. View the list of sessions to find a course, and then complete the registration online. ***If you have already taken the VIRTUS course you need not repeat it.***

PLEASE NOTE: After completion of VIRTUS training, you will receive a certificate of completion. **Please retain your certificate and training completion date for future use.**

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

What's it all about?

IF you are an adult *AND*

- ... you were never Baptized
- ... you were Baptized in another faith and would like to become a baptized Catholic
- ... you never received Holy Communion (Eucharist)
- ... you never received your Confirmation

IF you are an adult *AND* one or more of the circumstances above apply to you ...

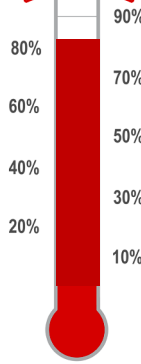
IF you feel you would like to become a baptized Catholic or become more fully initiated into your Catholic faith... Our email address is RCIA@ollchurch.org or call the Parish Office at 631-661-3224, and we would be happy to help you.





RESTORE OUR CONVENT

GOAL



As of June 18, 2019:

Parish Goal: **\$442,840**
 Percentage attained: **83%**
 Amount Pledged: **\$369,417**
 Total Paid to Date: **\$366,604**
 Number of Pledges: **935**

As members of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, we are faced with a challenge that we can only overcome together. As you know from the recent mailing, there are urgent maintenance needs at our convent. It is important that each and every member of the Our Lady of Lourdes Parish family participates in this worthy project. It is only by our generosity in making a sacrificial gift that we will be able to accomplish our objectives. **We have established a goal of \$442,000 in order to accomplish our objectives.** While this seems like a large amount, participation by all members of the parish family will make this goal not only attainable, but one that we can surpass. If every family pledges \$400, after a \$40 down payment, your sacrifice would be \$1 a day for one year. We can all do that. If you are able to pledge a higher amount, please do so. We're asking for equal sacrifice, not equal giving.

TOTAL PLEDGE	10% DOWN	QUARTERLY PAYMENTS 4 PAYMENTS	MONTHLY PAYMENTS 12 PAYMENTS
\$5,000	\$500	\$1,125	\$375
\$2,500	\$250	\$563	\$188
\$1,000	\$100	\$225	\$75
\$750	\$75	\$169	\$56
\$400	\$40	\$90	\$30

As you make your gift, please remember...

- Pledges and one time donations are welcomed and greatly appreciated.
- Payment reminders will be mailed to you in accordance with your payment plan.
- All contributions are deductible for tax purposes.
- Any questions?
Call Fr. Brian at 631-661-3224

Please make your check payable to:

Restore Our Convent Campaign

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/ State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Env. #: _____

Email: _____

I/we pledge to the Campaign as follows:

Amount of Pledge/ Donation: \$ _____

Down Payment: \$ _____

Balance: \$ _____

I/we prefer to pay the balance:

Monthly _____ Quarterly _____

Please send information about paying my pledge by Credit or Debit card

Signature _____

Adult Confirmation for our Baptized Catholics

Sunday, June 9, 2019, on the Feast of Pentecost, all over the world, the Catholic Church ended the 50 days of our Easter Season, and we at Our Lady of Lourdes celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation for:

***Catherine Bartels, Christopher Cody Browne, Colette Clark,
Joseph Dunn, Dominick Frank, Maya Garay Rojas, Corrieann Gill, Kristy Hirsch,
Samantha Maniscalco, Christin O'Brien, Lou Polisi, Brittany Robert,
Michael Sowinski, Alfredo Varella, Cassie Varella and Tiffany Whitehead***



They have now completed their sacraments of Initiation; having already been baptized Catholic, received Eucharist and now Confirmation. We congratulate them on this important step in their faith journey. As a parish family, let us remember them in our prayers, as they become more fully committed in living out their Catholic faith.

Bake Sale Fundraiser

**June 22 & 23
After All Masses**



John Cannarella from Troop 179 will be having a Bake Sale after all Masses on June 22 and June 23.

The Bake Sale is to raise money for John's Eagle Scout Project. John has installed a wheelchair accessible checkerboard table at West Islip Beach. Select a few tasty treats to bring home while also supporting John's endeavor.

Do you know a Senior who is about to graduate from High School?

It is that time of year again – graduation! As many of our teens move onto college, you can help them continue their journey of faith. Many colleges, secular and parochial, provide a *Newman Center* for incoming Catholic students. These Centers provide pastoral support and ministry to students, in addition to providing a space to meet other Catholic students interested in growing in their faith.

Please send the graduate's First & Last Name and the Name of College, City/State they will be attending to Patti Anderson at: panderson@ollchurch.org.

The respective *Newman Connection* campus leader will be informed and will welcome the student when he or she arrives in the fall.





In addition to our parish website (ollchurch.org), 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.

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 from 4:00pm until 6:00pm. (except the first Friday of the month), from September through June, in the Media Center of the OLL School Bldg. 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 631-586-8528.



Boy Scout Troop 179

For over 40 years, Our Lady of Lourdes has been sponsoring Boy Scout Troop 179 of West Islip. We meet every **Thursday during the school year** 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

Families Anonymous

Twelve-Step program giving Hope & Strength to parents, family and friends concerned with a loved one’s destructive behavior caused by alcohol, drugs or related behavioral problems.

For further information call: Donna at 631-589-3790 or Diane at 631-587-0966

or visit www.familiesanonymous.org

Anxiety Disorder Sufferers

A **Recovery Group** for those suffering from **Anxiety Disorder** meets on Tuesdays from 2:00pm - 4:00pm in the Spiritual Life Center (in Convent building). The Group is led by a trained and certified Anxiety Disorder Group Leader.

For more information, please call Michael at 631-968-9154.

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

Alcoholics Anonymous: Monday and Tuesday at 8:00pm and Saturday at 11:00am and 7:00pm.

ALANON: Wednesday at 10:00am. Beginner’s meeting at 9:30am. Free babysitting available.

Upcoming Workshops

Training of Volunteers in the Ministry to the Sick - Eucharistic Minister Training Part B

St. Joseph Hospital, Bethpage

Saturday, June 29, 2019

8:30am to 3:30pm

Healing our Every Ill: Responding

in Faith to Brokenness and Crisis - June 24, 2019

St. Edward the Confessor, Syosset

11:00am to 1:00pm

St. Raphael, East Meadow

7:00pm to 9:00pm

Retention after Confirmation - July 22, 2019

St. Bernard, Levittown

11:00am to 1:00pm

St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays

7:00pm to 9:00pm

Spirituality of the Catechist and the Child - July 23, 2019

St. Joseph, Ronkonkoma

11:00am to 1:00pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lindenhurst

7:00pm to 9:00pm

Formation in Early Childhood - July 24, 2019

Our Lady of Grace, West Babylon

11:00am to 1:00pm

St. John the Evangelist, Riverhead

7:00pm to 9:00pm

Basic Religious Studies Course Series (2019) - St. James, Seaford

Old Testament: July 8-July 11, 2019

9:30am to 12:00pm

New Testament: July 8-July 11, 2019

1:00pm to 3:30pm

Christology: July 15-July 18, 2019

1:00pm to 3:30pm

Church: July 15-July 18, 2019

9:30am to 12:00 pm

Morality: July 22- July 25, 2019

9:30am to 12:00pm

Liturgy & Sacraments: July 22-July 25, 2019

1:00pm to 3:30pm

Catechist Training for New and Nearly New Catechists

Option 1 - Immaculate Conception Church, Westhampton Beach

August 12, 14, 19, 21 and 26, 2019 from 6:30pm to 8:30pm

Option 2 - St. Joseph, Ronkonkoma

August 13, 15, 20, 22 and 27, 2019 from 10:00am to 12:00pm

Catechetical Congress 2019

St. John the Baptist High School, West Islip

Saturday, September 14, 2019

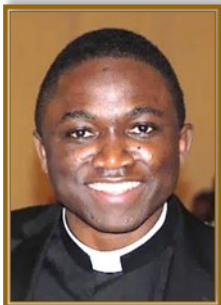
8:30am to 3:00pm



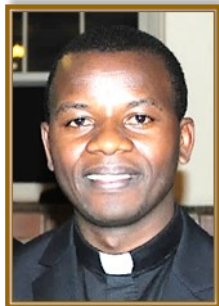
For more information or to register for any workshop online, please visit: www.drvc-faith.org/event

OUR PARISH IS PROUD TO PRESENT:

“AN INCREASE IN VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD”



FATHER JACOB ONYUMBE



FATHER VIAN NTEGEREJ'IMANA



FATHER JAMES HANSEN



FATHER ALESSANDRO DA LUZ



FATHER JOHN WACHOWICZ



WITH HELP FROM THE CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL!



Your pledge today will increase our Priests tomorrow!



Ordination Day: 22 June 2019 at Saint Agnes Cathedral

Photos courtesy of Gregory A. Shemitz and the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

Please consider what you can do to make a difference! Make your check payable to: Catholic Ministries Appeal

Parish: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Donor Signature: _____

Pledge: \$ _____

Down Payment: \$ _____

Balance: \$ _____

Monthly Quarterly

Annually Other

Catholic Ministries Appeal, Diocese of Rockville Centre, P.O. Box 4000, Rockville Centre, New York 11571-4000 www.drvc.org/cma.html



Fire Safety Day

Saturday, July 20, 2019 9:00am - 1:00pm

Claude R. Boyd-Spencer Funeral Home

255 Higbie Lane, West Islip, NY 11795

demonstrated by the

West Islip Fire Department

**SAFETY TRAINING FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY
EDUCATE YOURSELF — PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY & LOVED ONES**

Music & Fun for All

For further information, please call the Funeral Home at 631-669-8338

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**Fire Island Preservation Society
18th Annual**

ART SHOW

**At the Fire Island Lighthouse
June 21 - July 14, 2019**



Summer School and Regents Review Classes

St. John the Baptist DHS is offering Summer School and Regents Review Classes in various subjects. Registration is July 1st and 2nd from 9:00am to 11:00am. For additional information, please visit: stjohnthebaptistdhs.net/academicresources or call 631-587-8000 ext.117

Church Census Information

Has your contact information changed, or are you moving?

The process of updating our Parish Data System information is an ongoing process. We ask that you please submit any recent changes -- address, family members, phone numbers, etc. With your help, our parish data information will be more accurate, and receipt of Parish Offering Envelopes and other church information can be distributed more efficiently. Please mail the information to the Parish Office or email to parishoffice@ollchurch.org.

Preparing for Marriage?

Engaged Encounter is an effective Pre-Cana program designed to provide you with the tools for a successful marriage. Couples are given the opportunity to explore many aspects of their relationship through a series of presentations, writings and dialog.

There are no group discussions. Our next weekends will be held as follows:

Aug. 9-11, 2019 - Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington, NY

(Couples must register before July 31 for the August 9-11 weekend.)

Nov. 15-17, 2019 - Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington, NY

For information please call Lenny & Pat Walker at: 631-563-1032

or visit: www.engagedencounterli.org



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Let Jesus multiply the love in your marriage. Strengthen, renew, and rekindle your marriage sacrament by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are June 28-30, 2019 in Huntington, NY and Nov. 8-10, 2019 in Huntington, NY. For more information, call John & Toni Torio at 877-697-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmenyli.org/>.

The Sisters of St. Dominic of Amityville Celebrate Annual Luncheon

Join us on Friday, June 28th, 2019 from 11:00am-3:00pm as the Sisters of St. Dominic of Amityville host their 18th Annual Beauty of the Spirit Luncheon at Crest Hollow Country Club in Woodbury, NY. Each year our luncheon celebrates the beauty of the spirit of women - their strength, compassion, and wisdom. Our guests enjoy fantastic auctions and raffles, as well as an inspirational lecture from a Sister keynote speaker. This year's event will be emceed by News 12 Long Island Anchor and Journalist, Carol Silva. Tickets are \$80. Proceeds from the event benefit our retired Sisters - the beautiful and dedicated women who have spent their entire lives serving the tri-state area and beyond; now it is our turn to care for them.

For more information, please call 631-842-6000 ext. 246. Or visit us at: www.sistersofstdominic.org

A Summer Week-Long Catholic Family Retreat

Marianist Family Retreat Center, Cape May Point, NJ

Retreat weeks start each Monday beginning June 29 through end of August.

July 15-20 – Special Single-Parent Family Week

Cost* for the week: \$220pp ages 8+; \$145 ages 2-7; under 2 free.

*Price includes meals, room, program, beach access and more! Financial Aid is available.

Join together with other families for the week. Mass and other family liturgies are complemented by skits, presentations, family sharing, peer group discussions, sunset beach walks and other fun activities. Scheduled recreation and free time (4-5 hours DAILY), with **ocean swimming** (*beach is only 1/2 block from our house*) are part of all family retreats. To sign up or for more information visit www.capemaymarianists.org or call 609-884-3829



37th Annual Catholic Charismatic Conference

Scranton University in Scranton, Pennsylvania

Conference dates are August 2, 2019 through August 4, 2019

This year's theme is, "O Lord, my God, I cried out to you for help and you healed me." Psalm 30:2
Pope Francis has been quoted to say, "Jesus is the Good Shepherd...the One who heals."

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 Baciaska 516-776-5750.

2019 Healthcare Job Fair
Tuesday, June 25, 2019 from 9:30m-2:30pm

Mediterranean Manor Caterers
303 E. Main Street, Patchogue, NY 11772

FREE Admission for Job Seekers!
Healthcare companies looking for great new hires!

Wear proper attire and bring plenty of copies of your resume!
For more information, contact Long Island Job Finder at 631-696-8568

Catholic Voices for the New Evangelization
Saturday, October 19, 2019 - 9:00am-4:00pm (concludes with Mass)
Cost: \$25.00 (includes lunch)

Kellenberg Memorial High School
1400 Glenn Curtiss Blvd., Uniondale, New York

The conference will feature presentations from Catholic Authors: Dr. Scott Hahn and Jennifer Fulwiler
For more information and to register, contact Mr. Alex Basile at 516-292-0200, ext. 342 or via e-mail
at mrbasile@kellenberg.org

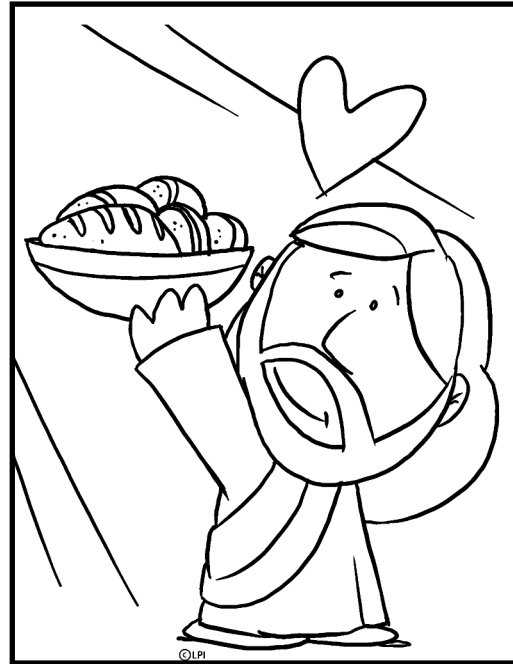
Religion and Rock

Tune into "Religion and Rock" with Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sunday from 7:00am to 8:00am on WBAB 102.3 FM or 95.3 on the East End of Long Island. Listen on Saturdays at 11:00pm on Sirius Radio, Channel 159, the Catholic Channel and at 11:00pm on XM Satellite, Channel 117. Next Sunday's theme is "Growth".

To listen online or for more information, visit: www.ReligionandRock.com.

Sharing the Gospel

Jesus told His friends to give a whole crowd of people something to eat. All they had was a little fish and bread. How could they possibly feed all those people with so little food? God gave them what they needed to help other people. When you want to help other people, trust God to give you what you need.



Mission for the Week

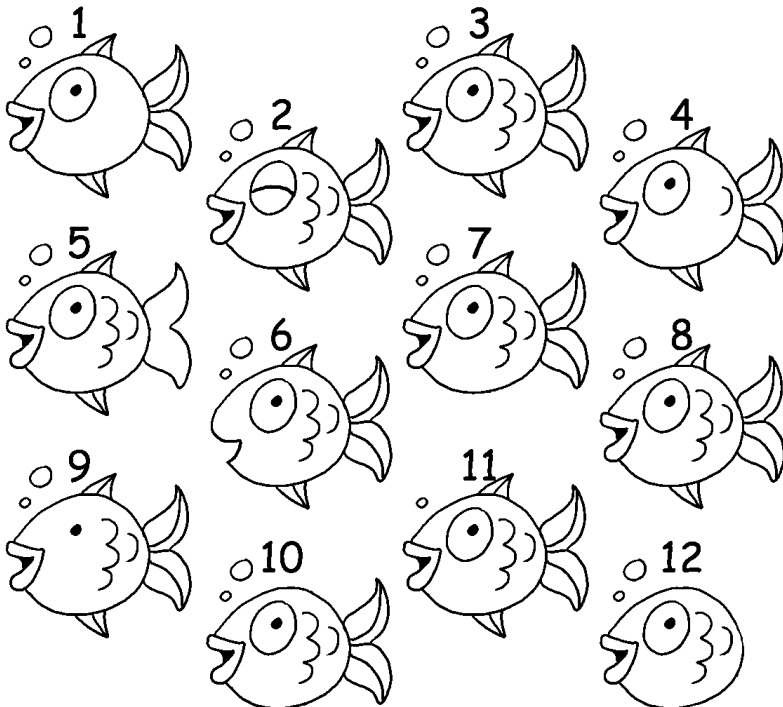


If God has blessed your family with plenty of food to eat, make sure you also give food to people who are hungry.



Puzzle

Find the identical fish!



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ANSWER IS NUMBER THREE AND NUMBER EIGHT

Prayer

Dear God,
with Your
power I can
really help
other people.
Amen.



Something to Draw

Draw a picture of yourself sharing your lunch with a friend.

