



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF
Ss. CYRIL AND METHODIUS

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To bring the universal love preached by Christ,

2nd Sunday of Lent

March 8, 2020

READINGS THIS SUNDAY

1st Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a God promises Abram a great blessing.

2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10 Through God's grace we are called to holiness.

Gospel Reading: Matthew 17:1-9 Jesus is transfigured on the mountain in the presence of Peter, James, and John.

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

It's the Second Sunday of Lent. 10 days has passed. Let us check our resolve to truly allow ourselves to be strengthened by our Lenten Exercises: How are we in our fasting and abstinence, prayer and alms giving. If we have been sidetracked, we can still get back on track. Let us not think that fasting and abstinence only involve food like chocolate and meat. It may also involve lessening the use of the phone especially when with family and friends or reducing social media use, or cutting negativity. A practical suggestion for prayer. All one needs is 3 to 5 minutes every night (or every morning for that matter). It is just finding a quiet moment with God, just to be with him, share what is in your heart. The key is consistency, and make that "time with God" a fixed and non-negotiable time. And almsgiving can take many forms: sharing time, treasure and talent. If you are interested, email me I have a few ideas to make this happen.

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UPCOMING EVENTS ... this week and next

March
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We will be celebrating St. Patrick and St. Joseph at our 9:30am Family Mass, with breakfast following! We are asking all who attend to wear green to celebrate these two very special Saints!

All
Fridays
of Lent

Stations of the Cross every Friday of Lent at 12:45pm following the 12:15pm Mass.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:30 am (Family Mass),
 11:00 am (Choir), 12:30 pm
 4:00 pm (Vietnamese Mass) & 6:00 pm

Weekdays: 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 12:15 pm
Saturday: 8:30 am

Holy Day Schedule

Eve of Holy Day: 5:00 pm
 Holy Day: 7:00 am, 8:30 am
 12:15 pm & 7:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Monday - Friday: after the 12:15 pm Mass
 Saturday: 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm
 and by appointment by calling the Parish Office

PARISH OFFICE

Tel: (631) 667-4044
 Fax: (631) 589-9010
 Email:

OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Wed: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
 Thursday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
 Friday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
 Saturday: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

PARISH CENTER OFFICES CLOSED ON SUNDAY

BAPTISM: Saturday at 12:30 pm and Sunday at 2:00 pm. Contact the Parish Center to arrange for an interview and to register for the required preparation class.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance and prior to wedding reception plans. Call the Parish Center for an appointment with the priest or deacon you wish to officiate at your wedding.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: Holy Communion will be ministered by appointment to those confined to home. Contact the Parish Center to schedule a visit by a Eucharistic Minister.

THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Each Saturday morning at the 8:30 am Mass. In an emergency, call the Parish Office to request a priest. Outside office hours, call (631) 667-4044, Ext. 9

PASTORAL STAFF: (631) 667-4044

Rev. Gius Garcia, *Pastor*, Ext. 121
 Rev. Moise Aime, *Associate Pastor*, Ext. 120
 Rev. Patrick J. T. Grace, *Associate Pastor*, Ext. 166
 Rev. Francis D. Sang, *In Residence*, Ext. 170 (Retired)

Deacon John F. Fitzpatrick, Ext. 124
 Deacon James A. Murano, Ext. 127
 Deacon William Sperl, Ext. 112

Ms. Amora Laucella, *Religious Education*, Ext. 145
 Ms. Georgette Fromigia, *Parish Social Ministry*, Ext 105
 Mr. Timothy Leitch, *Youth Ministry*, Ext. 154
 Deacon Philip A. Mills, Jr. *Business Manager*, Ext. 110
 Deacon James A. Murano, *Liturgical Music* Ext. 127
 Sister Susan Snyder, CSJ, *School Principal* , Ext. 133

PARISH TRUSTESS

Mary Malerba
 John Grieb



Mrs. Jane Carleo, Ext. 111
Bookkeeper
 Mrs. Joan Ann Loring, Ext. 122
Parish Secretary / Bulletin Editor
 Mrs. Marianne Saffran, Ext. 115
Baptism, Wedding & Calendar Coordinator

MASS INTENTIONS**Monday, March 9**

7:00 AM - Robert Schortemeyer
8:30 AM - Mary and Louis Vierling
12:15PM - Lucille Carillo

Tuesday, March 10

7:00AM - For Jeffrey Kravitz's intentions
8:30 AM - For Donald Quigley's intentions
12:15PM - For all those in Ministry

Wednesday, March 11

7:00 AM - Leah Mitchell
8:30 AM - Sally LaBella
12:15PM - For Peace

Thursday, March 12

7:00 AM - John Hovanec
8:30AM - Anthony J. Tesoriero
12:15PM- For Jade and Justina Caliendo's intentions

Friday, March 13

7:00 AM - Beatrice Downes
8:30 AM - For Donald Quigley's intentions
12:15PM- For all those in the Military

Saturday, March 14

8:30 AM - Purgatorial Society
5:00 PM - Edward J. Kaminski, Charles Blaise Beauharnais, Theresa Nugent, Rosemarie Macaluso, Santo Macaluso Jr.

Sunday, March 15

8:00AM – John J. McMahon
9:30 AM – Domingos and Eugenia David
11:00AM– Marie T. Nocella, Mildred Velotta, for Donald Quigley's intentions and for Chuen Kam Chan- Shek's intentions
12:30PM- For Our Parishioners
6:00 PM - Cherpak and Powers Family

PRIEST CELEBRANTS FOR NEXT WEEKEND**Saturday, March 14**

5:00 pm - Fr. Patrick Grace

Sunday, March 15

8:00 am - Fr. Moise Aime
 9:30 am - Fr. Gius Garcia
 11:00 am -Fr. Patrick Grace
 12:30 pm -Fr. Moise Aime
 Deacon John Fitzpatrick
 6:00 pm - Fr. Gius Garcia

BANNS OF MARRIAGE**Third Banns**

Devin McHugh – St. Louis de Montfort
 Kristen Matos – Ss. Cyril and Methodius
 Richard Castillo - Ss. Cyril and Methodius
 Christine Halpin - Ss. Cyril and Methodius

NEWLY BAPTIZED**We pray for the new members of our family**

Niko Paul Balabus

REST IN PEACE

Marlene Dautner
 Stephen S. Tarenc
 Ronald J. Wroblewski, DDS

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Baby T. J. Hicks, Baby Christian Daniel, Baby Owen Chapman, Baby William Shirk, Rita Haggerty, Catherine Rizzo, Rosemarie Dorsty, Jamie Bufalino, Margaret McCartney, Richard J. Murphy, Kevin Lixfield, Nuala Egan, Theresa Schaefer, Leonard Caltabiano, Mary Massa, Joseph Massa, Jacqueline Lullis, Amelia Verme, Mary Anne Farrell-Tzanetos, Jonathan Pultz, Frank Persico, Louis Gerbino, Joan Olcott, Dick Friend, Barbara Dunne, Barbara Wineberger, Connie Rigert, Joseph Catalano, Steve Peterson, Frank Peterson, Diane Peterson, Catherine Troiano, Luida Samson, Matthew Locascio, John Giusto, Omar Stuart, Robert Glaser, Lucille Sanelli, Michael Ferro, Charles Gulotta, Robert Flaherty, Stanley Urbanowski, Michael Rossano, Sean Jarrod Boyden, Carol Travers, Angelina Diramacco, Joseph Giammarino, Maryann Farrell, Louise Whitehead, Stephen Neveroski, Eugene Sheehy, Angela Mistretta, Jack Doyle, Anthony DeAngelis, Robert Filardi, Clair Barneva, Robert Walsh, Marilyn Theiling, Anne Marie Goldberg, Edward Muldowney, Karen Canepa, Alberto Sanelli, Stephen M. Murphy, Rose Giusti, Ann Marie Franzese, Lucy Symes, Jean Fortunato, Glenn Tarquinio, Bertha Banta, Doris Friend, Michelle Seccafico, Sarah Mantione, Marilyn A. McDonald, Martha Dagostino, Thomas Quigley, Armondo Rio, Donald Quigley, John Hyde

CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

Due to the outbreak of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) we are asking that you refrain from holding and shaking hands at the sign of peace. A smile and a friendly nod of the head would be prudent. Please use common sense.

FROM THE PASTOR

...from cover page

We are including in the next issue of the bulletin the names of military family members of parishioners who are on active duty or deployed in a foreign country. Please submit their names by calling the parish front desk or email Joan Loring at jloring@sscmdp.org.

Thank you to all who came last Friday evening to watch CALLED: A Musical Celebration of Christian Vocation. I hope you enjoyed it and had been enriched by it just as everyone who performed enjoyed and were deeply moved by you coming to support us. We had a great turn out! The proceeds will greatly alleviate operational costs both in the school and also the parish. In the future, under the co-direction of Deacon James Murano, I would like to promote Ss. Cyril and Methodius as a quarterly musical venue, to encourage local musical artists to share their talents for evangelization. My idea is to host a concert four times a year, 3 of which will be free admission and one major fund raiser concert. Every time it will try to feature talents from the school, from faith formation kids, from the youth, from our adult musical talents; all performances will inspire faith and express and promote religious devotion.

Fr. Gius Garcia**MEMORIALS — March 8 to March 14****BREAD AND WINE** - Available

ALTAR CANDLES - In loving memory of **Mildred Velotta**. Happy Birthday Mom. Forever missed in our hearts always. Love, Al, Lisa, George, Vinny and all your Grandchildren.

CANDLES AT BLESSED MOTHER'S SHRINE - Available**CANDLES AT ST JOSEPH'S SHRINE** - Available**ALTAR FLOWERS** - Not Available during Lent**FLOWERS AT BLESSED MOTHER'S SHRINE** - Not Available during Lent**FLOWERS AT ST JOSEPH'S SHRINE** - Not Available during Lent

Altar Candles and Candles at Our Lady's Shrine and St. Joseph's Shrine Offering \$25; Bread & Wine \$50 Flowers at Blessed Mother and St. Joseph's Shrine \$50; Altar Flowers \$50 per Vase \$100 for both.

*Stewardship***February 23, 2020****\$18,799.00****Church in Need****\$1,582.00****CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL****Goal \$126,300****\$25,872.50 Pledged****20% of Parish Goal**

Thank you, and God Bless you, for your faithful weekly Stewardship of our Parish and for your support of the 2020 Catholic Ministries Appeal!

The Transfiguration of Christ was a very powerful moment in the life of the Apostles who saw it. The Catechism states that this moment was meant to strengthen the faith of the Apostles for Christ's Passion.

**OUR STEWARDSHIP PLEDGE:
THREE (3) HOURS TO THE LORD**

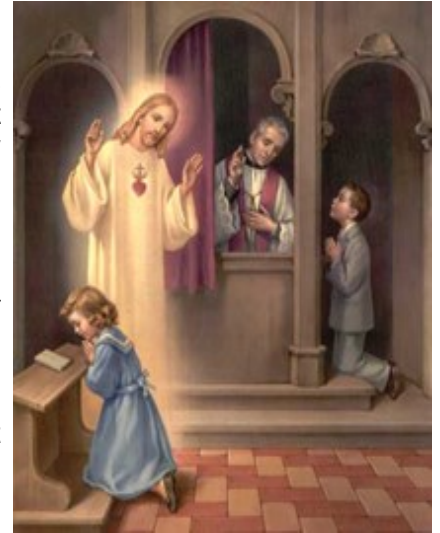
- One hour in prayer each week
- One hour in service to others each week
- One hour's wages financial support of our parish family.

Family Faith Formation and Religious Education

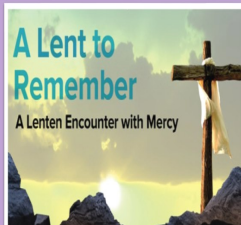
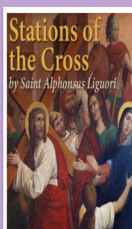
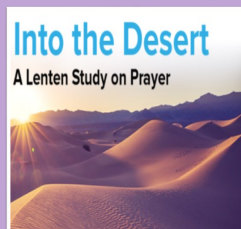
Sacrament of Reconciliation

It is officially sacrament Season at Ss. Cyril and Methodius! This weekend and next, our Level 2 students will be receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the very first time! They have been preparing very hard for this moment, and are very much looking forward to it! Likewise, our older students in Levels 6 and 7 will be going to Confession during their classes these next two weeks, so that all of our students can prepare their hearts and minds for Lent, as we journey through this prayerful and sacred time together. Please be sure to keep all of our students in your prayers these next few weeks as they share this special time with our Lord.

If you are a parent who would like to talk to your child about what it means to go to Confession, click the link in our Instagram bio: There is a link to a video called "How Do I Go to Confession" for your convenience!



JOURNEY
THROUGH
LENT



Lent on FORMED

We have some really great resources available for all of our students, parents, families, and parishioners on FORMED this year for Lent! Our recommendations for anyone who wants to do some Formation on their own for some one-on-one, personal time with Christ are "Into the Dessert: A Lenten Study on Prayer", Stations of the Cross, "A Lent to Remember: A Lenten Encounter with Mercy", and "Brother Francis: Let's Learn about Lent" for our students. Be sure to check our Instagram, bulletin board, and here for recommendations throughout this Lenten Season; Remember, it's **FREE** for you, so sign up today! For easy access, click the link in our Instagram bio.

Family Programming: St. Patrick and St. Joseph's Day Breakfast

Next **Sunday, March 15th**, we will be celebrating St. Patrick and St. Joseph at our 9:30am Family Mass, with breakfast following! We are asking all who attend to wear green to celebrate these two very special Saints!



Administration

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faith.formation@sscyrilandmethodius.org
Instagram: SSCMFamilyFaithFormation

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Dear Friends of Outreach,

Many of the people our pantry serves depend on government assistance as well. While the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program SNAP, helps as we do to feed their families, it doesn't provide for the non-food items we'd all be hard-pressed to do without. People look to us for soap, toothpaste, etc. Your donations have helped fill the gap. You all are to be thanked.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

Coffee	Boxed potatoes	Beans	Crackers
Juice (large bottled)	Peanut butter	Cookies	Shampoo
Jelly	Soup	Deodorant	Bar soap
Canned fruit	Tea	Napkins	Tooth Paste
Pasta meals in a can	Rice	Tooth brushes	Toilet Tissue
Mac n cheese	Pasta	Paper towels	Detergent

Food Store Gift Certificates are so important because they help us to purchase meat and non perishable items. Outreach is open Mon, Wed, and Friday from 10:00am to 3:00pm for intakes (BY APPOINTMENTS) and 1:00pm to 3:00pm for Pantry.

God bless you, the Volunteers, and God Bless America.

Georgette Fromigia and the outreach volunteers

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

"We Help People"

If you have been reading this column, you know that all of the funds raised by our Parish Conference are used to assist our neighbors in Deer Park and North Babylon. In the past five months, 35 individuals or families have reached out to us for help. In just the last month, we have helped two individuals/families pay their rent. We have assisted another family to pay their PSEG and water bill in order to avoid termination of service. We have provided furniture for two families, we have helped another family put oil in their tank, and we have arranged transportation for an individual who needs life sustaining medical treatment three times per week. Without your financial support, we would not be able to assist our neighbors in need. Thank you for your continuing support.

The next conference meeting will be held on March 16, 2020 in the Senior Room.

If you, or anyone you know is in need of assistance, please contact us at 631-667-4044, ext. 175, or at sscmstvincentdepaul@gmail.com

Don't Forget Your Baby Bottle!

On the **weekend of March 7th & 8th** SS Cyril and Methodius Parish will be hosting a Baby Bottle Fundraiser to benefit The Life Center of Long Island. The Life Center is a pregnancy help center that counsels women and men who are experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. Did you know that they provide: free pregnancy test kits, free sonogram referrals, maternity housing with eligibility, requirements referrals, medical care referrals, material aid including car seats, cribs, cloths, diapers and many other needed baby items, and Male advocates available to speak with fathers.

We are asking that you pick up a baby bottle and fill it with your donation. **(Make checks out to the Life Center of L.I.) PLEASE RETURN THE BOTTLES ON April 18th & 19th**

Most importantly, we are asking you to recite the prayer on the bottle. The prayer attached to the bottle will enable the counselors at The Life Center to say just the right words a mother or father may need to hear. It especially opens a mother's heart to accept the truth. We believe these prayers lead abortion-minded women to call The Life Center in the first place.

Let us pray with our whole heart for the lives of our preborn children.

SSCM ANNUAL AUCTION

SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2020 * 6:30-10:30PM



\$40.00 per person- Pre-sale

\$45.00 if paid at the door

Includes: Door prize ticket

(Door prizes are \$500.00 off your tuition or an outdoor furniture set)

Cocktail hour, buffet dinner including carving, dessert

bar and unlimited beer, wine and soda, DJ and dancing

OVER 100 AMAZING PRIZES!

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL! \$35.00 PER PERSON

IF PAYMENT IS RECEIVED BY 4/6/2020

Last Name: _____

Grade: _____

Amount of people _____ x \$40.00 = _____

21 AND OVER ONLY



Youth and Young Adult News

YOUTH GROUP MEETS MARCH 15th


**L.I. CATHOLIC
YOUTH DAY**

"ARISE"

4.4.20

ST. ANTHONY'S HIGH SCHOOL


FEATURING
JOEL STEPANEK



AUTHOR, SPEAKER,
EVANGELIZER
www.joelstepanek.com

REGISTER HERE:
<http://bit.ly/LICYD>

FOR MORE INFO:
YOUTHMINISTRY@DRVC.ORG
WWW.DRVCYOUTH.ORG




STATIONS of the CROSS

Weather permitting, we will be walking the Stations of the Cross on Deer Park Ave. on Good Friday, April 10th from noon until about 2:30 pm. We will meet in the church. If you are a teen and would like to be involved, call or Text Tim at 631-806-4715. Those helping out should meet at the Youth Ministry Office by 11:45 a.m.

Confirmation Retreat

We are offering a Confirmation Retreat on March 14th from 1-4:30 at Sacred Heart Church in N. Merrick. If you are a teen or young adult and would like to help call or text Tim Leitch at 631-806-4715.

Make Easter baskets for those in need

We will be making Easter Baskets for the families of our Outreach Program. All 7th-12th graders are welcome to participate in the project on March 29th. We begin after the 6:00 pm Mass and will work until 9:00. Call or Text Tim at 631-806-4715 OR email timpleitch@aol.com if you are interested.

Upcoming meetings:

March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 19
No meeting March 8th

YOUTH GROUP meets weekly in the gym area on Sunday evenings from 7-9 pm. ALL teens of the parish are strongly encouraged to attend AND serve at the 6:00 pm Mass. Youth Group meetings follow the 6 pm Mass. We meet in the breezeway and then proceed in to the Senior Room for our meeting.

Our next meeting is March 15th. If you are interested in the LI Catholic Youth Day, (see left) please contact Tim Leitch 631-806-4715

COME AND SEE!



We are on Facebook

Youth Group- sscmym@groups.facebook.com

Young Adults- Ss. Cyril & Methodius Young Adult Group

Get updates on meetings, activities and stay connected.

For information on Youth Program Activities please contact **Tim Leitch** at:

H: 631-667-8043, O: 631-667-4044 X154, C: 631-806-4715

Email: timpleitch@aol.com.



MINISTRIES AND PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

SENIOR ADULT CLUB

Attention Seniors: Next Business Meeting, Social and Birthday Celebration will be

Tuesday, April 7, 2020 at 2:30 pm.

Members must wear their badges to the monthly meeting and any other functions in the school. Sign up for bus trips after the business meeting. Deposits will be required for future trips. Exercise classes on Wed. & Fri. at 9:30am, Bowling on Tues. at 12:00 Noon, Art class on Thurs. at 1:00pm, Card Games on Fri. at 12:00 Noon.

For information call Mary Indelicato, President at 667-2998. For trip information call Connie Catalano 595-1490 / Pat Lodico 586-6837.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The devotion to the Eucharist is the most noble because it has God as its object; it is the most profitable for salvation, because it gives us the Author of Grace; it is the sweetest, because the Lord is Sweetness Itself...(Pope St. Pius X).

We have Eucharistic Adoration every Wednesday from 1:00pm to 4:00pm in the Parish Center Chapel. The first hour we pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy. The last two hours we spend in silent prayer.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Monday evenings at 7:30pm in the Church.

We gather weekly to recite the Novena near the statue of Mary. Make this powerful 20 minute prayer an essential and routine part of your spiritual life. Let our Blessed Lady intercede for your needs to her son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

ROSARY BY ST. JOSEPH'S STATUE

St. Joseph is inviting you to say a rosary with us on **Saturday, March 21st at 2:00pm** in the Church for Traditional Marriage and Families.

"There is no surer means of calling down God's blessings upon the family...than the daily recitation of the rosary." Pope Pius XII

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

"For this is our God, whose people we are, God's well tended flock. Oh, that today you would hear his voice." Psalm 95:7

Are you seeking a deeper walk with the Lord, or to enrich your prayer life & have fellowship with others who love the Lord? Join us as we pray & praise the Lord through Scripture & song each Tuesday in the Pulice Senior Center from 7:30 to 9:30 pm All are invited to join in prayer or praise. At the end of each meeting, there are prayer teams to pray over those who are in need of prayer. Bring a Bible & a friend. For info call Lucille 631-586-2438, or Charlie 631-667-4673.

"FLAME OF LOVE" DEVOTION

Jesus said, "I have come to set the earth on fire (with my love) "and how I wish it were already blazing" (but) how great is my anguish until it is accomplished." Luke 12:49-50

We have seriously answered Mary's plea to return to Jesus by offering prayers and sacrifices for the atonement of all sins. **We meet every Friday from 1:00pm to 2:00pm in the Parish Center Chapel.** For information call Anna Mancini at 631-586-5214.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Holy Name Mass 8am Sunday, March 8, 2020. **Meeting Monday, March 9th at 7:30pm in the Senior Room.** Defensive Driving Course March 21st in the Pulice Senior Room from 9am to 3pm.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

Rosary Mass 11am Sunday, April 5, 2020.

We will not be saying the Rosary at 10:30am due to Palm Sunday. **Meeting Monday, April 6th at 8pm in the Father Behan Hall.** This is our Baby Shower meeting.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

There will be Stations of the Cross every Friday of Lent at 12:45 p.m. following the 12:15 p.m. Mass

SS. CYRIL AND METHODIUS HOLY NAME SOCIETY

is Sponsoring a 6 hour
DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

Saturday, March 21, 2020

In the Pulice Senior Room

from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

COFFEE AND BAGEL BREAKFAST at 8:30am
DONATED BY MANGANO FUNERAL HOME

LUNCH PROVIDED BY PAPA CINOS,
297 Bay Shore Rd., Deer Park, NY

\$35.00 PER PERSON

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE
HOLY NAME SOCIETY

NO WALK INS ALLOWED

For information call Phil Hogan at 631-667-
9148 or Bob Traverso at 631-455-7845

METS TICKETS AVAILABLE

**METS V LA DODGERS
SUNDAY, MAY 31ST
AT 7:10PM**

LEFT FIELD LEVEL RESERVE
TICKETS \$46 (Regularly \$55)

Bus from Our Lady of the Assumption \$25
if you want. If interested please contact
Deacon Phil at 631-667-4044 ext. 110
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

Lenten Regulations for Fasting & Abstaining

All Catholics who have reached their 14th year are bound to abstain entirely from meat/poultry on Ash Wednesday and ALL the Fridays of Lent. All Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive are also bound to observe the law of fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. This means limiting oneself to a single full meal and avoiding food between meals. Two other light meals, which together do not equal a full meal, may be taken during the day.

GIFT CARDS

Birthdays, Anniversaries, Weddings,
Showers, even Groceries

This is an excellent way to **support
Ss. Cyril & Methodius.**

Everyone needs groceries. So before you go to the supermarket, come and buy your gift cards. You pay nothing additional, and our Parish receives approximately 5% Call ahead to make your purchase at the Parish Center, and we will be happy to have your order ready. We offer gift cards for these stores:

Supermarkets	Restaurants	Pharmacies
Stop & Shop	Panera Bread	CVS
Shop Rite	Starbucks	Walgreens
	Dunkin Donuts	
	Texas Roadhouse	

Others: Barnes & Noble, Lowes, JC Penney's, Macy's, Kohl's, Home Depot Bed Bath & Beyond, Tanger Outlet, Walmart, Target, Staples, Regal, Speedway, Visa

**Go to glscip.com for a complete list
of available gift cards.**

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY COLUMBIETTES

LENTEN MASS AND JOINT LUNCHEON

Columbiettes, Knights & Corporation
SUNDAY, MARCH 29th

**11AM MASS AT SS CYRIL & METHODIUS
FOLLOWED BY LUNCH AT THE
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #4428**

**COST \$11 PER PERSON and
BRING A DESSERT**

Cash Bar

Money due by March 23rd
No tickets sold at door

For info contact Tammy Loring
at 631-242-1151

THANK YOU THANK YOU

The Columbiettes would like to thank all who attended or donated to our Mardi Gras on Feb. 22nd. We hope it was a fun night for all. **With all of your help we raised \$1,200 for Outreach.** What a great way to start Lent. May God Bless all of you for your kindness and generosity.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY RESORTS CASINO TRIP

Holy Name Society
Resorts Catskills Casino Trip

Saturday, May 2, 2020

Cost of the trip is
\$45.00 per person
\$25.00 cash return and
\$15.00 food voucher

Proceeds to benefit Ss. Cyril and Methodius
Scholarship Fund.

Please park in the South Parking Lot opposite
White Castle by the Deer Park Ave. fence by
7:45 a.m. Bus leaves at 8:00 a.m.

Bagels on Bus Bring your own Coffee

Reservations call Phil Hogan at 631-667-9148

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY BABY SHOWER FOR LIFE

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY
BABY SHOWER FOR LIFE

MONDAY, APRIL 6TH

8:00 P.M.

in the Father Behan Hall

The Life Center is in need of crib sheets and
toiletries such as baby shampoo, lotion, wipes,
soap, diapers, diaper rash cream, etc.

New clothing from infant to 3 toddler

"EVERYONE IS WELCOME"

You do not have to be a Rosarian to attend
YOUR BABY GIFT IS YOUR ADMISSION
REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED

**If you cannot attend, but would like to
donate a baby gift, you may bring your gift to
the Parish Center through Monday, April 6th.**

GIFTS FROM BETHLEHEM OLIVEWOOD HANDCRAFTED FROM THE HOLY LAND

**Weekend of March 28th & 29th
In the Breezeway
After all Masses**

Olivewood Handcrafted from the Holy Land

A traditional Art and Livelihood for Holy Land
Christians.

Thank you for your vital support for a Christian
tradition and in protecting this very important
culture and industry.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY COLUMBIETTES MEET AND GREET

Our Lady of the Rosary Columbiettes
invites all Catholic ladies to a

**Meet and Greet
Sunday, March 22nd
from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
in the Breezeway**

Be our guest and meet some members and
see what we have done and what we will be
doing in the future; and how you can get
involved by becoming a member of this great
Catholic women's organization. We serve God
and our Community through faith, hope and
charity.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY LITURGY

This Spring, couples who have been married fifty years will be honored at a Mass on Sunday,
May 3, 2020 at St. Patrick's RC Church, 280 E Main St., Smithtown, NY 11787. Mass will begin
at 2pm, Bishop Robert J. Coyle will preside. Registration forms and complete instructions can be
obtained at the Parish Center. Space is limited. Registration will be accepted on a first come first
served basis. The forms can also be found on www.drvc-faith.org If you have any questions you
may call 516-678-5800, ext. 223



“...let us stand beside our brothers and sisters in need, sharing our spiritual and material goods with them.”

- Pope Francis

Almsgiving in Lent

During the Lenten Season we are asked to pray, fast and give alms.

Lent is a perfect time for us to pray for those in need - whether it is for their material, emotional or spiritual needs. And when you practice fasting and abstinence during these forty days, please remember those of our neighbors who are hungry, and consider sharing your gifts with them.

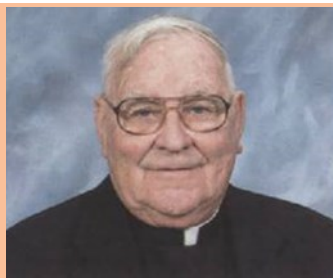
One way to do this is by making a gift to the **Catholic Ministries Appeal**, which supports programs that help to feed people in our community each year through Catholic Charities and our Parish Outreach programs.

Have you thought about “fasting” from a regular purchase of something – i.e., a hand-crafted beverage? Over a 10 month period, this simple “fast” can serve many people in need!

\$6.25 a week for one month is \$25 -- over 10 months it is \$250.



For more information about the Catholic Ministries Appeal, please visit CatholicMinistriesAppeal.org or call 516-678-5800 ext. 296.



REV. MSGR. THADDEUS ROONEY

Memorial Golf Outing & Dinner

Honoring:

Nick Keller Mike Conboy Russell Salerno Mary Malerba

Timber Point Country Club, Great River

Sponsored by **Mangano Funeral Home, Inc.**

Thursday, June 11, 2020

12:00 PM	Barbeque and Registration	\$170.00 per person for Golf (Soft Spikes required), Barbeque, Green Fees,
2:00 PM	Shotgun Start	Beverage Cart, Dinner & Cocktails
6:30 PM	Cocktails - 3 hour open bar	\$75.00 Dinner only
7:00 PM	Buffet Dinner, coffee, tea and dessert	

PRIZES INCLUDE: Closest to Pin, Closest to Pin Second Shot,
Longest Drive (60 and over, 70 and over, 80 and over and 60 and under).

SPONSORS NEEDED FOR: Tee/Greens: \$110; Flag Sponsor: \$150;
Driving Range: \$300; Beverage Cart: \$800; Golf Carts: \$900;
Cocktail Hour: \$900; Dinner: \$900; Dessert: \$900; Barbeque: \$900

ALL FLAG ORDERS DUE BY MAY 24th
ALL MONEY DUE BY JUNE 1st

For further information please call:

Sal Mangano (631) 586-3600, Mike Conboy (631) 539-8932, Rosemarie Brady (631) 681-6336,
Mary Malerba (631) 291-7020 Russell Salerno (631) 291-7020, La Toya Dennis (516) 749-2813,
Carol Tannehill (631) 988-9906, Dcn. Phil Mills (631) 667-4044 X 110

Please find enclosed a check payable to: Ss. Cyril & Methodius,
c/o Dcn. Phil Mills, 125 Half Hollow Road, Deer Park 11729

In the amount of \$_____ to cover the cost of #_____ golfers.

Names: _____

Item sponsored _____ Amount \$ _____



YOU ARE INVITED!

Come to the Parish Center Chapel to watch the beautiful continuing series on our Faith By Bishop Robert Barron each Tuesday from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. It has been shown in over 4,000 parishes.

Thank you. Fr. Grace