

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF
**Ss. CYRIL &
METHODIUS**

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125 HALF HOLLOW RD, DEER PARK, NY 11729

EASTER SUNDAY

April 4, 2021



Dear Parishioners,

Jesus Christ is risen today! Halleluiah! Halleluiah!

I would like to greet everyone a Happy Easter! May this time truly be a re-birth for us all. May it bring us true comfort and security when things are not stable, unwavering hope confronted with darkness, and reconciliation and unity when we are in turmoil from hate and division.

As Christians, there are two dominant symbols that are most associated with Easter. First is the Empty Tomb and second the Paschal Lamb.

On the third day after his crucifixion, the women who had been followers went to his tomb and found it empty. They told the disciples, some of whom also went to the tomb and found it empty. And they left wondering what had happened to Jesus' body? Why is the empty tomb important? Its primary importance is that it points to the bodily resurrection of Jesus. That death could not hold him. And because Jesus has risen, we can look forward to our own resurrection as well. The empty tomb demonstrates that death is not the end of the journey. There is much more to come. This Sunday, as you return the nails that were given to you on Holy Friday, you profess of the truth of the empty tomb: Death has no power over Christ!

Readings this Sunday

1st Reading: Exodus 20:1-17 (or shorter form, Exodus 20:1-3,7-8,12-17)
Moses is given the Ten Commandments.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:22-25 Paul preaches Christ crucified to the Corinthians.

Gospel Reading: John 2:13-25 Jesus drives out the moneychangers from the Temple and says that he will destroy the temple and raise it up again.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:30 am: Family Mass - LIVESTREAM,
11:00 am, 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: (Children's Chapel)

Monday, Wednesday & Friday: after the 12:15 pm Mass

Saturday: 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm
and by appointment by calling the Parish Office

PARISH OFFICE

Tel: (631) 667-4044

Fax: (631) 667-6237

Email: parishoffice@sscmdp.org

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Saturday & Sunday

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Tuesday & Thursday:

4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

PANTRY AND OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Other hours by appointment only.

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. Patrick Grace, *Associate Pastor*, Ext. 166

Rev. Francis D. Sang, *In Residence*, Ext. 170 (Retired)

Rev. Gregory Cappuccino, *Occasional Help*, (Retired)

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday April 5

7:00 AM: For Bailey Kravitz's intentions
 8:30 AM: For Father Gius's intentions
 12:15 PM: Doris Friend

Tuesday April 6

7:00 AM: For Jeffrey Kravitz's intentions
 8:30 AM: Giuseppe, Amelia and Frank Polito
 12:15 PM: Gerard J. Jokubiel

Wednesday April 7

7:00 AM: For Mary Bridget Kravitz's intentions
 8:30 AM: Aeda Vasquez
 12:15 PM: Donald J. Booth

Thursday April 8

7:00 AM: For Lawrence Malerba's intentions
 8:30 AM: Mary Scanlon
 12:15 PM: For Chuen Kam Chan-Shek's intentions

Friday April 9

7:00 AM: Ryan T. Horodnicki
 8:30 AM: Jean Muenkel
 12:15 PM: Joan McCarthy

Saturday April 10

8:30 AM Purgatorial Society
 5:00 PM Richard, Marcellina and Michael Solomita,
 Richard J. Daoust, Sophie and George Kassick

Sunday April 11

8:00 AM Henry Koehler
 9:30 AM Donald F. Quigley
 11:00 AM Marcolina Rodriguez, Domingos David, Osvaldo
 Aponte, Gustavo Bermudez, and for Chuen Kam
 Chan-Shek's intentions
 12:30 AM Aniello Balzano
 6:00 PM For Our Parishioners

PRESIDERS FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASSES

Saturday, April 10

5:00 PM: Fr. Greg Cappuccino

Sunday, April 11

8:00 AM: Fr. Gius Garcia
 9:30 AM: Fr. Patrick Grace
 11:00 AM: Fr. Greg Cappuccino
 12:30 PM: Fr. Gius Garcia
 6:00 PM: Fr. Patrick Grace



REST IN PEACE

Vivian Iannotta, Anthony A. Schiano, Fred A. Rivera,
 Rosemarie Brown

PRAY FOR THE SICK

T. J. Hicks, Christian Daniel, Owen Chapman, William Shirk, Baby Bella Barra, Rita Haggerty, Catherine Rizzo, Rosemarie Dorsty, Margaret McCartney, Richard J. Murphy, Nuala Egan, Theresa Schaefer, Leonard Caltabiano, Mary Massa, Joseph Massa, Jacqueline Lullis, Mary Anne Farrell-Tzanetos, Frank Persico, Joan Olcott, Barbara Wineberger, Connie Rigert, Steve Peterson, Frank Peterson, Diane Peterson, Catherine Troiano, Luida Samson, Matthew Locascio, John Giusto, Omar Stuart, Robert Glaser, Lucille Sanelli, Michael Ferro, Stanley Urbanowski Angelina Diramacco, Joseph Giammarino, Maryann Farrell, Stephen Neveroski, Eugene Sheehy, Edward Muldowney, Alberto Sanelli, Stephen M. Murphy, Clemente Oropallo, Kevin Talbot, Jean Fortunato, Gayle Ryan, Jen Scicutella, Anthony Ferrero, Luke Vaughn, Joyce Ratushny, Barbara Dunne, John Townsend, Myra Bianco, Hazel Mills, Kristen Mills, Caroline Palma, Diane Canavan, Phyllis Catapano, Michael Naglieri, Christopher Scheuer, Geralyn, Joseph, Nicole and Meala Vizzari, Glenn Tarquinio, Lisa Hulsen, Eleanor Collazo, Jean Simeone, Providence Hulsen, Antoinette Fisher, Patricia LaMotte, Tony Bufalino, Jackie Becker, Maureen Edwards, Baby Bradley James Reich, Baby Chase Everett Reich, Donna Daly, Edward Henry, Kathy & Michael Rivera, Patricia Brennan, John Daly, Kathleen Jacobi, Carmine Soldano, Salvatore Piazzolla, Keith Thomas, Frank Ribando, Anthony Marchese, Carmelo Mal Controne

WE PRAY ESPECIALLY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

Sgt. Joseph Evola, Karley Hawkins, Gabriella Hawkins, Ryan Ferrara, Sean O'Farrell von Fenton, Lt. Patrick H. LaMonica, Lt. Jonathan W. LaMonica, 1st Lt. Charles Gulotta, 1st Lt. Matthew Gulotta, James Powers, Cordel Breitenstein, Commander Christopher Grande

If you would like your family member added to the list or if one has returned home, please contact the Parish Office or email jloring@sscmdp.org

The second powerful symbol of Easter is the Easter or Paschal lamb which symbolizes the Risen Lord, Jesus Christ. The Lamb of God is the

JESUS IS RISEN Halleluiah

Christian symbol of the Passover Sacrifice of Jesus' Death to Life. A picture can be found on page 5. As part of a yearly tradition, you may tear out the page and tape it by your front window or the storm door of your home, witnessing to what we believe as Catholic Christians: "We are an Easter People and Alleluia is our song." The symbol of the Lamb remains in a prominent place from Easter Sunday (April 4, 2021) until the Easter season is completed 50 days later on Pentecost Sunday (May 23, 2021). It is taken down at the end of the day.

Fr. Gins Garcia

MEMORIALS — April 4 to April 10

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FLOWERS AT BLESSED MOTHER'S SHRINE - In loving memory of our mother,
Joan McCarthy. All our love, the entire McCarthy Family.

CANDLES AT ST JOSEPH'S SHRINE - Available

FLOWERS AT ST JOSEPH'S SHRINE - Available

ALTAR FLOWERS - Thanks to you our Parishioners.

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

MARCH 28, 2021

Regular Collection \$18,240.43

Online Giving \$ 1,661.22

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Goal \$124,100

\$44,135.00 Pledged

35.56% of Parish Goal

Thank you, and God Bless you, for your faithful weekly Stewardship of our Parish and for your support of the 2021 Catholic Ministries Appeal!

Alleluia! He is risen! Jesus Christ has risen from the dead just as He said He would. In today's Gospel, Mary Magdala, Peter and the Beloved Disciple (believed to be John) go to the resting place of Jesus, only to find He is not there.

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.

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JOSEPH *silent* NO MORE



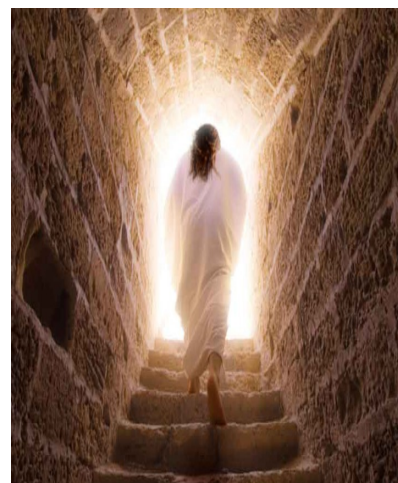
Coming Soon!!!

Family Faith Formation and Religious Education

Weekly Greeting from Ms. Laucella

HE IS RISEN! I am so happy that this year, this joyous and High Holy Day of our Christian Faith includes all of us celebrating it together, with most of us sharing it together in person!

Today is a day of new life, light overcoming the darkness, and remembering that the Love of Christ is stronger than any fear, worry, or anxiety that we may have. That darkness died on the Cross with Him, and we, as an Easter People, now live in His Love and in His Light. On behalf of our Family Faith Formation Office Staff, I wish all of you in our Parish Family a very Happy and Holy Easter!



EASTER BREAK



Closed for Easter Break

We are reminding all of our families that we are **CLOSED** this week for Easter Break until Friday April 9th. No new lessons will be assigned during this time, to give everyone the opportunity to catch up on any lessons that were assigned after February 22nd, and to enjoy this time with their families! We will be reopening again on **Monday, April 12th.**

FORMED Recommendations

We hope that everyone enjoyed all of the recommendations that were shared during Lent! I am excited to share some recommendations that I have for all of you for the Easter Season!

Did you enjoy all of the episodes of "The Search"? To give all of you a behind-the-scenes look into the Catholic teaching behind each individual episode, I am recommending to all of you the series "**After The Search**". Each of these individual episodes are discussion-style interviews between Dr. Tim Gray and Chris Stefanick, and discuss the questions that make up all of "The Search"'s original episode titles. I am also recommending for all of our families "**He is Risen!**" from the Brother Francis Collection! Use the QR codes below to take you directly to each video series; Just scan with your phone in the camera app to start watching, and enjoy!



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SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - "We Help People"

We can hardly grasp the joy and glory of Easter Sunday! The disciples didn't understand, but they came to believe. So can we. Easter Sunday is more than a celebration of the resurrection of Christ. It is also an invitation to each of us to preach the Gospel and take our place in the long line of witnesses to Jesus' resurrected life. This is why we are so awed at the mystery: not only that Jesus was raised from the dead, but that God has called us to be witnesses of the mighty deed of resurrection, and has entrusted us with Jesus' mission to live the Gospel and to go forth and serve others. We at the SS Cyril and Methodius Conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul wish you and yours a most blessed and joyous Easter.

Those interested in donating furniture should call 631-858-0380.

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.



ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

Please join us every first Saturday of every month for Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 8:00am followed by the 8:30am Mass and recitation of the rosary. Our Lady requested at the Fatima apparitions her desire for this devotion for the conversion of all souls and world peace. The world is in great need of prayers at this time. The next First Saturday of the Month is May 1, 2021. Please consider joining the Rosary Altar Society. Call Nancy Lanni at 631-242-5078. Due to COVID-19 restrictions there will be no meetings until after Easter.



MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. Maintaining social distancing practices 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.



FLAME OF LOVE DEVOTION

Will gather in the Church, by Our Blessed Mother's Shrine, every **Friday afternoon from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.** Our Mother is begging for our help! Won't you say yes? Any questions call Anna Mancini at 631-586-5214.



RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Join the Rosary Altar Society every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6pm. You may tune in to the communal recitation of the Rosary on ZOOM CONFERENCE as led by the members of the Holy Rosary Society of Saints Cyril and Methodius. Download the **Zoom app** on your phone or login to **zoom.us**
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Divine Mercy Sunday April 11th

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament immediately following the 12:30 PM Mass

2:00pm to 3:30pm Divine Mercy Meditations

Recitation - Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Divine Mercy Meditations

Divine Mercy Novena

Please join us beginning on Monday, April 5th through Friday, April 9th for the Divine Mercy Novena (Friday, April 2nd, Saturday, April 3rd and Sunday, April 4th recite the Novena at home)

We will gather after the 12:15pm Mass in the Church for the recitation of the rosary followed by the novena.

To prepare for Divine Mercy Sunday, go to confession, receive Holy Communion, perform the works of mercy and venerate the image of Divine Mercy. Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy. (mt 5:7)

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Why NO NAME LABELS for each Saint tile? One purpose of the wall is to become a challenge for our students to be able to enumerate as many names of the Saints as possible without a cheat sheet. Names and their donors will be posted on the Bulletin Board by the elevator in the near future to be our reviewer and also to acknowledge the donors of the tiles.

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Christ is Alive through our Parish Outreach and Catholic Charities programs that serve the needs of the disadvantaged in our Community.

Christ is Alive through our Faith Formation programs, educating our Lay Leaders and children. And through our Seminary as we train our future priests and deacons.

Christ is Alive in our Youth, Young Adult and Campus Ministries as our young people grow closer to the Lord.

Christ is Alive in our schools as children learn in an environment that's vision is directed by the teachings of our Lord.

Christ is Alive in our Respect Life Office as we promote the sanctity of life at all stages.

And most of all **Christ is Alive** as we join together to celebrate the Eucharist at our Parish.

Thank you for your help in keeping Christ Alive in our Long Island Community through your financial support and prayers for the Catholic Ministries Appeal!

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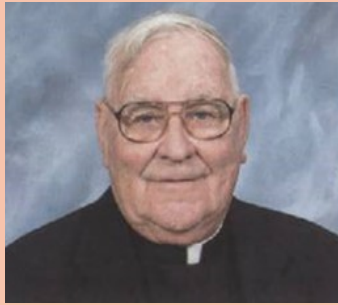
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Thursday, June 17, 2021

12:00 PM Lunch and Registration

\$170.00 per person for Golf (Soft Spikes required), Lunch, Green Fees, Beverage Cart, Dinner & Cocktails

2:00 PM Shotgun Start

6:30 PM Cocktail Hour at SSCM

7:30 PM Dinner, coffee, tea and dessert

\$75.00 Dinner only

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

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For further information please call:

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JUNE 19, 2021

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