

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

WWW.SSCMDP.ORG  
125 HALF HOLLOW RD, DEER PARK, NY 11729

## 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 10, 2021

### STATE OF THE PARISH

It has been a little over 2 years since I took over Saints Cyril and Methodius parish as pastor. And as the fiscal year has just recently ended, I realize that it is time to make a personal assessment of where the parish is and to look at the various aspects of the parish to recognize and encourage the good work that has been contributed, to be aware of the challenges that we continue to grapple with and likewise to see the areas that need attention, revision, and improvement. I was not able to do this last year as everyone's attention was concentrated on the pandemic - on how to deal with it, how to operate as a parish with it, how to continue to function as Church despite the many restrictions and limitations that we needed to put in place. We are still a long way to go in dealing with this challenge, but I believe we

are in a slightly better place now than where we were last year.

This assessment will be lengthy and will thus be published in parts. There will be areas that will not be touched at the present time but for sure will be dealt with in the future.

Let us start with our financial status. The pandemic has certainly made a great impact on the finances of the parish and has also affected operations. Collections went down which is what happened in all other parishes in Long Island, and we needed to cut or reduce many expenses while not neglecting necessary operations and maintenance. We successfully applied for and received two PPP Loans (Pandemic relief from the government) that covered payroll (for both parish and school), paid the employees medical benefits and operational costs for a certain period of time. We were also fortunate to have received generous

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### Readings and Songs this Sunday

#### 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B No. 1174 in the Blue Gather Hymnal

1st Reading: **Wisdom 7:7-11**

2nd Reading: **Hebrews 4:12-13**

Gospel Reading: **Mark 10:17-30 (shorter form  
Mark 10:17-27)**

#### LITURGICAL MUSIC for the Holy Mass:

Lift Up Your Hearts	<b>#624</b>
Shepherd Me, O God	<b>#35</b>
Come to the Banquet	<b>#931</b>
We Are the Light of the World	<b>#592</b>

(All Masses except Sunday 6pm)

Congratulations Bishop Robert Brennan on being named as the Bishop-designate of the Diocese of Brooklyn.



## 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

## Parish Social Ministry Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Other hours by appointment only.

Email: socialministry@sscmdp.org

**BAPTISM:** Saturday at 12:30 pm and Sunday at 2:00 pm. Contact the Parish Office 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 to make an appointment for the initial intake.

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

**THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Saturdays after the 8:30 am Mass (inform priest before Mass or request for it after 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. Christopher Deh, *Associate Pastor*, Ext. 165

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

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

Deacon John F. Fitzpatrick, Ext. 124

Deacon William Sperl, Ext. 112

Deacon James A. Murano, *Liturgical Music* Ext. 127

Ms. Amora Laucella, *Religious Education*, Ext. 145

Ms. Janet McEnany, *Social Ministry*, Ext 105

Mr. Timothy Leitch, *Youth Ministry*, Ext. 154

Deacon Philip A. Mills, Jr. *Business Manager*, Ext. 110

## PARISH TRUSTEES

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John Grieb



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*Bookkeeper*

Mrs. Joan Ann Loring, Ext. 122

*Parish Secretary / Bulletin Editor*

Mrs. Marianne Saffran, Ext. 115

*Baptism & Wedding Coordinator*



## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	October 11
8:30 AM:	October 11 <b>COLUMBUS DAY</b> There will only be one (1) Mass on Columbus Day
Tuesday	October 12
7:00 AM:	Francisco Bautista
8:30 AM:	Barbara Ann Renz
12:15 PM:	For Chuen Kam Chan-Shek's intentions
Wednesday	October 13
7:00 AM:	For Gemma DeGracia's intentions
8:30 AM:	Sophie McMahon
12:15 PM:	Mary Wawrynek
Thursday	October 14
7:00 AM:	Robert Kephart
8:30 AM:	Eleanor Owen
12:15 PM:	Dolores Theresa Murphy
Friday	October 15
7:00 AM:	Kevin Hoar
8:30 AM:	Raphael Laucella
12:15 PM:	Jeremiah and Antoinette Sullivan
Saturday	October 16
8:30 AM	Purgatorial Society
5:00 PM	Sophie and Edward Kaminski, Salvatore Caldarello, Mary Szewczuk
Sunday	October 17
8:00 AM	Alexis Amber Basile
9:30 AM	For Our Parishioners
11:00 AM	Milton & Fedora Sawicki, Elizabeth & Matthew Zack, Vanna & James Ruggio, Edi & Barney Missiura & for Chuen Kam Chan-Shek's intentions
12:30 AM	Salifou Ouedraogo
6:00 PM	Maureen Mullins

## PRESIDERS FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASSES

Saturday,	October 16
5:00 PM:	Fr. Christopher Deh
Sunday,	October 17
8:00 AM:	Fr. Gius Garcia
9:30 AM:	Fr. Patrick Grace
11:00 AM:	Fr. Christopher Deh
12:30 PM:	Fr. Gregory Cappuccino
6:00 PM:	Fr. Patrick Grace

### REST IN PEACE

Susan M. KandyBowicz, Mary M. Szewczuk,  
Almira "Mira" I. Bianco, John Wilson, Roberta A.  
Murphy

### BANNS OF MARRIAGE

#### Third Banns

Joseph Carbone — Ss. Cyril and Methodius  
Gina Donato — Our Lady of Grace, West Babylon

Robert Arrasata — St. Lawrence the Martyr, Sayville  
Samantha Effinger - Ss. Cyril and Methodius

#### Second Banns

Edgardo Diaz — Ss. Cyril and Methodius  
Lourdes Paulino — Ss. Cyril and Methodius

#### First Banns

Alex Guglielmi — Ss. Cyril and Methodius  
Deanna Racanelli — Ss. Cyril and Methodius

### NEWLY BAPTIZED

#### We pray for the new members of our family

Amelia Jade Alfonso-Zea, Shane Steven Lashuay,  
Natalie Grace Marciniak, Romy Willow Smith, Blake  
Naomi Basich, Joseph Owen Corbi, Charles Joseph  
Williams

### PRAY FOR THE SICK

T. J. Hicks, Christian Daniel, Owen Chapman, William Shirk, Baby  
Bella Barra, Baby Frank Barra, Margaret McCartney, Theresa  
Schaefer, Richard J. Murphy, Leonard Caltabiano, Joseph  
Massa, Joan Olcott, Connie Rigert, Stanley Urbanowski Joseph  
Giammarino, Stephen Neveroski, Eugene Sheehy, Clemente  
Oropallo, Kevin Talbot, Jean Fortunato, Joyce Ratushny, Barbara  
Dunne, Hazel Mills, Kristen Mills, Tony Bufalino, Jackie Becker,  
Patricia Brennan, Keith Thomas, Anthony Marchese, Carmelo Mal  
Controne, Joseph Battista, Brianna Barra, Chrisie Carbona, Julio  
Cesar Rivera, Lydia Reveron, Christopher M. Wall, Peter  
Sheppard, Robert Glaser, Jonathan Pultz., Robert D'Amato, Baby  
Ezra Folcik, Omar Stuart, Myra Bianco, Joseph, Sydney & Parette  
Torres, Diane Ryan, Lucy Symes, Brendan Gould, John Viviani

### 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, Captain Matthew Gulotta, James Powers,  
Cordel Breitenstein, Commander Christopher Grande,  
Spc. Vincent Tullo, Thomas Anthony Brick US Marines.  
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](mailto:jloring@sscmdp.org)



grants from the Norma Pace Foundation and multiple times from a very generous parishioner. We are a big parish and maintenance is costly. Without the loans and the grants, we would be in the red now.

But in my assessment, all things considered - even with the fact that for many months we were not allowed to have congregational gatherings in Church; and even when numbers in weekend Mass attendance have not gone back up to where we would like it to be – weekend collection has been stable. And this is because people have been consistently generous. In fact, more than generous. Parishioners have religiously mailed in or dropped off their weekly envelopes and used the electronic giving portal on our website. Your generosity warms my heart.

We needed to be creative with our fundraising efforts since relying on the collection alone is not sufficient. We were not able to hold the Family Festival for the past two years and Bingo was also put on hold. These are two of our major sources of added income. But the parish raffles have been very well received and continue to be supported by many. We found ways of celebrating and raising some money as well – through the two musical concerts (one by the parish and one virtually by the school) that we staged. We also did two 5k fun runs and Makers Market. We also did the Banquet at the Inner Garden which everyone who came enjoyed. The grocery bags continue to be sold. And we were able to hold our annual Msgr. Ted Rooney Golf Outing. We owe the success of these not only because people supported them but because many volunteered their time and talent to make them happen. The Portal of Saints catechize but also improved the look of the school entrance from the breezeway and raised some money as well. The 2020 Easter collection was very low from what we had projected as people were still unsure about coming back to Church. But the response for the 2020 Christmas appeal (1000 100s) has been overwhelming. This appeal made up for the loss at Easter. We are very pleased with the return of Bingo last month as this truly will alleviate the parish finances since all of the proceeds will now go exclusively to the parish. But we need more volunteers for it to be sustained. We continue to explore other ways to raise additional income for the parish.

The matter of the school will be discussed in the coming weeks but suffice it for now to say that with reduced financial support that we give to the school, hopefully our fundraiser efforts will be limited to some degree in the future.

Over-all, at least at the present time, we are in a relatively stable place financially. But financial conditions are volatile. Let us not rest our laurels but continue to be supportive and work hard for our parish to be stable and operate efficiently. Above all, with stable finances, we should aim to do well with the ministerial works of charity and evangelical mission that we are meant to do. Again, for all your continuing support and overflowing generosity, I am truly grateful. Let us remember, the Lord can never be outdone in his generosity for us.

The financial reports for the past two years will be included in next week's bulletin and will be posted in the website ([www.sscmdp.org](http://www.sscmdp.org)) as well.

In Opus Ministerii,

*Fr Gius Garcia*



# Our Lady of Guadalupe School

*Always our mother. Always your children.*

*Good news for families on Long Island!*

**Inspired by the Morning Star Initiative  
& led by the DRVC & the Marianist Brothers,  
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Email: [information@olgschools.org](mailto:information@olgschools.org)

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(203) 442-5065 (English)

(203) 442-5392 (Spanish)

WEST CAMPUS: 105 HALF HOLLOW RD. DEER PARK, NY 11729

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

In the tradition of its founder, Blessed Frederic Ozanam, and patron, St. Vincent de Paul, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a Catholic lay organization inspired by Gospel values. The Society leads women and men to join together to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to those who are needy and suffering. As a reflection of the whole family of God, members, known as Vincentians, come together from every ethnic and cultural background, age group and economic level. Vincentians are united in an international society of charity which is nourished by prayer and reflection and by mutually supportive gatherings. Organized locally, Vincentians witness God's love by embracing all works of charity. The Society collaborates with other people of goodwill in relieving need and addressing its causes, making no distinction in those served because, in them, Vincentians see the face of Christ. There are many opportunities within the Society for you and your talents. If you feel a stirring in your heart, if you feel you are being called, please reach out to us at the number below and we will be happy to give you more information about being a Vincentian and help to answer any questions you may have.

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance in addressing rent, mortgage, utilities or other crucial bill arrears, or needs assistance with furniture, clothing or dental needs, please email us at [sscmstvincentdepaul@gmail.com](mailto:sscmstvincentdepaul@gmail.com) or call us at (631) 667-4044 ext 175.

Those interested in donating furniture should call (631) 858-0380. Bins for clothing donations are available in the parking lot on the north side of the Church.

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### **OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY COLUMBIETTES**

Our meeting is this Monday, **October 11th at 7:00 pm** at the Council on Long Island Avenue. Masks are mandatory. Any questions call Tammy Loring at 631-242-1151

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### **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 November 6, 2021.** The Rosary Altar Society will meet on **Monday, November 1st at 7:30pm** in the Father Behan Hall. Any questions call Nancy Lanni at 631-242-5078.

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### **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.

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### **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.

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### **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** **Meeting ID: 82505467253** and **Password: TV369x**



# Family Faith Formation and Religious Education

## Weekly Greeting from Ms. Laucella

Our Faith Formation Staff has been SO hard at work these last few weeks! We are so glad to see so many Registration Forms from both our current families and new families who are enrolled with us this year for the first time! We are moving at a great pace, taking into account all of the changes that have been taking place these last few months.

Once all of our families' information is inputted and updated, information will be sent out regarding everything to get all of our registered families ready for the fall, as promised. All families who registered with us for this year will be included in this update when it goes out at that time. We so appreciate everyone's patience and prayers as we get everything ready for all of you! Please keep sending prayers our way!



## Blessing of the Animals

We had SUCH a great turnout for our Blessing of the Animals honoring the Feast Day of Saint Francis this past Monday, October 4th! It was so wonderful meeting all of our Parish pets (from dogs, cats, rats, lizards, and more!), and for all of our families to come together in prayer! **If you have any pictures of your family with your pets that you would like to share with us, be sure to email them to [faithformation@sscmdp.org](mailto:faithformation@sscmdp.org)** so that we can post them on our Instagram account!



## Administration

Ms. Laucella  
Director of Family Faith Formation,  
Programming, & Religious Education  
(631) 667-4044 ext. 145  
[amlaucella@sscmdp.org](mailto:amlaucella@sscmdp.org)

## Office Information

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:30am-2:30pm  
(631) 667-4044 exts. 146 & 147  
[faithformation@sscmdp.org](mailto:faithformation@sscmdp.org)  
Instagram: SSCMFamilyFaithFormation  
Facebook: SsCyrilandMethodiusRCC

# BINGO

**EVERY THURSDAY  
DOOR OPENS 6:00 PM**

## **EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER of HOLY COMMUNION Training Opportunities - Fall 2021**

This training is required for **all** those who are beginning as Ministers. This “BASIC” training is required for **all** Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Those who wish to minister in hospitals, nursing homes and to the homebound are required to attend “SPECIALIZED” training in addition to BASIC training. One **must** attend BASIC training prior to SPECIALIZED training.

### **Dates and Locations for Ministry Training**

**Suffolk County:** St. Rosalie / Hampton Bays: **Saturday, October 30, 2021**  
9:00 am - 12 noon (Community Center)

Doors will open one half hour prior to start time so that attendees can check-in and pick up materials.

Those 18 years and above, interested in serving the parish as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion should request to be registered for this training. Please call the parish rectory for more information.

## **Praying the Rosary for America America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally**

Please join the Rosary Altar Society  
**Saturday, October 16, 2021 at 12 Noon**

Outside by Mary's Grotto

As human efforts fail to solve America's key problems,  
we turn to God through His Holy Mother asking His urgent Help.  
The solution was given by the Blessed Mother at Fatima in 1917  
when She told people to pray the rosary for world peace.



# TRAINING OF VOLUNTEERS IN THE MINISTRY TO THE SICK

**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Part B.** All appropriate candidates are encouraged to apply for this ministry. Advanced registration plus \$40 payment is required. All registrants **MUST** have previous **EMHC 'A' Training**.

## Location Dates and Time:

**Nassau County:** St. Paul the Apostle, Brookville: Saturdays, October 16 & October 23, 2021, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm  
St. Francis Hospital, Port Washington: Saturday, October 30, 2021, 8:30 am - 3:30pm

**Suffolk County:** St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays: Saturdays, November 6 & November 13, 2021, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm  
Good Samaritan Hospital, West Islip: Saturday, November 20, 2021, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

**Attendance required at all 3 sessions**

**Cost:** \$40 per person (includes lunch)

Please call Suzanne Lynn at 516-744-6850 or email [slynn@drvc.org](mailto:slynn@drvc.org) with any questions

**Please call the Rectory if you are interested in attending these Training sessions.**

**Please forward the completed registration form along with a check payable to : Office of Worship  
Mail form to Suzanne Lynn, Diocese of Rockville Centre, 42 Dover St., Williston Park, NY 11596**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Parish \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Registration Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ I will attend NASSAU \_\_\_\_\_ SUFFOLK \_\_\_\_\_

## **MEMORIALS — October 10 to October 16**

**BREAD AND WINE** - Available

**ALTAR CANDLES** - In memory of **Lorraine Engemann**. From Richard and Elizabeth Keller.

**CANDLES AT BLESSED MOTHER'S SHRINE** - Available

**CANDLES AT ST JOSEPH'S SHRINE** - Available

**FLOWERS AT BLESSED MOTHER'S SHRINE** - For my Mother in Heaven, **Leila Leggiere**, Happy Birthday. Love you always.

**FLOWERS AT ST JOSEPH'S SHRINE** - Available

**ALTAR FLOWERS** - Forever in our Hearts, **Salifou Ouedraogo**. Love, your Wife and Children.

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.

## **OCTOBER 3, 2021**

**Regular Collection \$17,328.84**

**Online Giving \$ 870.14**

## **CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL**

**Goal \$124,100**

**\$99,985.75 Pledged**

**80.57% 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!

In the first reading, we are taught of the importance of wisdom. It is to be desired more than all riches.

## **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.

**VANCO**  
FAITH

# LITURGICAL MINISTER TRAINING FOR LECTORS

The Office of Worship will be offering LECTOR TRAINING for those who wish to proclaim the Word of God at their parishes. All men, women and young adults who wish to become a lector at their parish should attend a diocesan training session. Even seasoned lectors are invited to participate and refresh their skills and meet others who participate in this valuable ministry.

## Dates and Locations for Lector Training

**Suffolk County:** St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays: *Saturday, October 30, 2021* 9:00 am—12 noon

WORKSHOP FEE: Lectors: \$20 per person, please make checks payable to "Office of Worship"

Please call Suzanne Lynn at 516-744-6850 or email [slynn@drvc.org](mailto:slynn@drvc.org) with any questions

**Please call the Rectory if you are interested in attending anyone of these Lector Training sessions.**

## REGISTRATION FORM FOR LECTOR TRAINING

Mail form to Suzanne Lynn, 42 Dover St., Williston Park, NY 11596  
or email to [worship@drvc.org](mailto:worship@drvc.org) or fax 516-746-6900

I wish to register for Lector Training at St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays on *Saturday, October 30, 2021*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parish \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

My Pastor has allowed me to Bill the Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

## Our Lady of the Rosary Columbiettes

# SPOOKTACULAR HALLOWEEN BINGO

## Proceeds to benefit SSCM Social Ministry

**Saturday, October 23 from 6:00 pm –9:00 pm — Ss. Cyril and Methodius Father Behan Hall**

Adults \$10 Children \$5 or a family of 4 for \$25 Costumes optional

Come and enjoy pizza and bingo games

There will also be a spooktacular raffle

For information contact Sue Hogan at 631-667-9148 or Annemarie D'Attoma at 631-586-8551

Make checks payable to OLOR Columbiettes

All money due by October 18, 2021

Drop off checks in the Columbiette mailbox at the Rectory

Last chance to get tickets will be on Saturday October 16th in the Breezeway after the 5pm Mass Only

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

# OF ADULTS \_\_\_\_\_ # OF CHILDREN \_\_\_\_\_ FAMILY OF 4 \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_ CK# \_\_\_\_\_



## SS. CYRIL & METHODDIUS HOLY NAME SOCIETY

## 6 HOUR DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE— WAITING LIST ONLY

If you would like to put your name on a waiting list  
please contact Phil Hogan at 631-667-9148

Due to unforeseen circumstances the October 16th Class  
has been rescheduled to October 23rd

## SS. CYRIL AND METHODDIUS SENIOR CLUB

The Ss. Cyril and Methodius Senior Club will meet on **Tuesday, October 5th at 2:30pm** in the Father Behan Hall. Any questions call Mary Indelicato at 631-667-2998.

## ADULT CHOIR RETURNS

Our Adult Choir will be returning to the 11:00 a.m. Mass next Sunday, October 17<sup>th</sup>  
Rehearsals resume this coming Tuesday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. in the church.

Anyone who enjoys singing and is high school age and older is welcome to join!

Please see Deacon James for further details.

Remember, ***“Those who sing pray twice!”***

# PORTAL of SAINTS

# ORDER FORM

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Saint: \_\_\_\_\_

In memory of: \_\_\_\_\_ (optional)

Requested by: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact info: \_\_\_\_\_ (Email)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Phone number)

\$100 - Payment: (check one) Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_\_

**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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# Director of Parish Social Ministry

Hello everyone. Well I suppose fall is officially here although we are looking forward to some warm weather in the next week or two.

I really don't know where the time has gone. It is hard for me to believe that I have been at Ss. Cyril and Methodius for a little over 6 months. It has been delightful getting to know the people that have crossed my path so far.

The parishioners here are so warm and welcoming. I do look forward to meeting more of you as time passes.

We have had a number of parishioners come to see what we are up to in the pantry. However, I would like everyone to realize that we are more than just the pantry.

As more people are returning to Mass (so wonderful!) I hope that means more of you are reading the bulletin. I am still looking forward to getting more ideas on how we can reach out to the community. What would you like to see the parish more involved in? Everyone has a talent. What is yours? How can that be used for the betterment of the community?

What ideas do you have for getting the older students from our Lady of Guadalupe school involved in helping the community? So many things that they have been able to do in the past are no longer viable because of the pandemic. I am sure there are many things that I have not thought of but you have.

I know that I have said this in the past, however, it does bear repeating. When I ask for donations for the food pantry those are things we really really need. I understand some people are used to getting certain things especially when they are on sale. I would like you to think along these lines if you would, If you make a budget of how much you want to spend on donating to the food pantry it is more beneficial if you purchase one or two more expensive items on the list rather than 10 inexpensive items. As within your own homes there is just a finite amount of storage space here in the pantry. So when there are items being asked for every week they are things needed now. If it is not in the bulletin it is because we have no space to allocate for other items not on the list.

I truly hope you understand that we are very appreciative of the donations we receive.

May God Bless each of you abundantly! Please stop by and say hello when you have a chance. We are a friendly bunch!

## PANTRY NEEDS:

### FOOD

1. Chili with beans
2. Chili with no beans
3. Beef Stew
4. Chef Boyardee canned ravioli
5. Ketchup
6. Mustard (yellow and or brown)
7. Jello
8. Progresso or Campbell Chunky soups  
(I don't ask for the ones that you need to add water to because they are not as filling. Sometimes that could be a clients only meal.)

9. Pudding
10. Instant mashed potatoes
11. Canned Yams
12. Minute rice
13. White rice (2lb bag or smaller)
14. Brown rice (2lb bag or smaller)
15. Chicken gravy (packages are fine)
16. Spaghetti sauce in the jar
17. Spam

### NON FOOD ITEMS

1. Toilet paper
2. Paper Towels
3. Tissues
4. Toothpaste
5. Shampoo
6. Shower Gel
7. Shaving Cream
8. Deodorant (men & women)
9. Razors (men & women)

*Janet*



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## **2022 MASS BOOK WILL OPEN ON Saturday, October 16th from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. IN THE BREEZEWAY**

The Parish 2022 Mass Book will open on Saturday morning, October 16th from 8:00am to 10:00am in the breezeway.

Throughout the month of October and into the rest of the year the Mass Book will receive your intentions as usual, during regular office hours at the Rectory. In the interest of charity and fairness we will not accept requests over the phone or by mail. Once we have given those with particular, special dates an opportunity to make those arrangements on the 16th, Masses will be available on a first come first serve basis.

The stipend (offering) for each announced Mass (as per Diocesan policy) is \$20.00. Again, in your charity and spirit of cooperation and fairness please limit your requests on the initial days to five (5) Masses per person. As per Church regulations only one (1) intention may be reserved for each Mass. Again, as per Diocesan policy, we will offer our Saturday evening, 5:00 p.m. Mass and our Sunday morning, 11:00 a.m. Mass for "multiple intentions." We hope that you all have the opportunity to prayerfully remember your loved ones at the altar of God, on or near, the dates you request.



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