

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

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

**27th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**October 3, 2021**

**RESPECT LIFE MONTH 2021 | REFLECTION**

**St. Joseph: Faithful Protector of Mother and Child**

The infant Christ “came into our world in a state of great vulnerability. He needed to be defended, protected, cared for and raised by Joseph” (PC 5). The humble and often hidden carpenter of Nazareth accompanied Mary in her pregnancy, assisted at the birth of the Messiah in a stable, presented Jesus in the Temple, fled with his family far from their homeland to protect them, and lovingly raised Jesus as his own son in the years to come.

While the angel of the Lord appeared to Mary to announce that she would bring forth the Savior of the world, it was revealed to Joseph in a series of dreams how God’s plans would be brought to fulfillment. As Pope Francis highlights, “God trusted Joseph, as did Mary, who found in him someone who would not only save her life, but would always provide for her and her child” (PC 5).

*October 2021*  
**RESPECT LIFE  
MONTH**

*St. Joseph,  
defender of life,  
pray for us!*

[respectlife.org/celebrate](https://respectlife.org/celebrate)



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**Readings and Songs this Sunday**

**27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B  
No. 1171 in the Blue Gather Hymnal**

1st Reading: **Genesis 2:18-24**

2nd Reading: **Hebrews 2:9-11**

Gospel Reading: **Mark 10:2-16 (shorter form  
Mark 10:2-12)**

**LITURGICAL MUSIC for the Holy Mass:**

Morning Has Broken **#855**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling **#641**

Bread of Life, Cup of Blessing **#947**

Lord of All Hopefulness **#663**

(All Masses except Sunday 6pm)

**Upcoming Events**

**October 3 - Respect Life Sunday** - reflect on how to build a culture that protects life from conception to natural death.

**October 4** - Blessing of Animals (see page 7)

**October 11 - Columbus Day**

**October 24 - World Mission Sunday** - a global effort to build up thousands of local churches in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands and parts of Latin America and Europe.

## 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



Mrs. Catherine Henery Ext. 111,

*Bookkeeper*

Mrs. Joan Ann Loring, Ext. 122

*Parish Secretary / Bulletin Editor*

Mrs. Marianne Saffran, Ext. 115

*Baptism & Wedding Coordinator*



## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Monday</b>	<b>October 4</b>
7:00 AM:	Michael Fusco
8:30 AM:	Renee Cortese
12:15 PM:	Monica Behnke
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>October 5</b>
7:00 AM:	Robert Malerba
8:30 AM:	Lisa Albano
12:15 PM:	For Joan Richter's intentions
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>October 6</b>
7:00 AM:	Sheila Malerba
8:30 AM:	Ray and Margaret Fernandez
12:15 PM:	Francesco Ieraci
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>October 7</b>
7:00 AM:	Joseph Malerba
8:30 AM:	For Aarav Alex's intentions
12:15 PM:	For Chuen Kam Chan-Shek's intentions
<b>Friday</b>	<b>October 8</b>
7:00 AM:	For Jeffrey Kravitz's intentions
8:30 AM:	Leonardo Mamaril
12:15 PM:	Dominick Giusto
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>October 9</b>
8:30 AM	Purgatorial Society
5:00 PM	Louise Fierro, Rita Brown, Eric Sattler
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 10</b>
8:00 AM	Priscilla Bautista
9:30 AM	For Our Parishioners
11:00 AM	Salifou Ouedraogo, Michael J. D'Amico, John Sands, Marie Beatrice and for Chuen Kam Chan-Shek's intentions
12:30 AM	John J. McMahon
6:00 PM	For Matthew Malerba's intentions

## PRESIDERS FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASSES

<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>October 9</b>
5:00 PM:	Fr. Gius Garcia
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>October 10</b>
8:00 AM:	Fr. Patrick Grace
9:30 AM:	Fr. Christopher Deh
11:00 AM:	Fr. Gius Garcia
12:30 PM:	Fr. Patrick Grace
6:00 PM:	Fr. Christopher Deh

### REST IN PEACE

Gloria Pepe, Catherine Scavone, Camille Zaloga,  
Dennis F. Arena, Nicoletta Monahan

### BANNS OF MARRIAGE

#### Second 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

#### First Banns

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

### NEWLY BAPTIZED

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

Caleb Anthony Cardoso, Michael Aaron Ron,  
Leonardo Fabian Sandoval-Preciado

### 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, Baby Bradley James Reich, Baby Chase Everett Reich, 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, Madelyn Simonetti, Omar Stuart, Myra Bianco, Nicole Hudson, Briget McElroy, Virginia Paull, Gaetana Carucci, Joseph, Sydney & Parette Torres, Diane Ryan, Lucy Symes, Brendan Gould

### 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)



## FROM THE PASTOR

...from cover page

Like every other human family, the Holy Family had to confront real and concrete challenges. Yet, “in every situation, Joseph declared his own ‘fiat’” (PC 3). His “yes” to the Lord meant that regardless of the hardship and personal sacrifice to himself, he consistently chose to put the needs of Mary and Jesus before his own. Joseph’s devotion helps reveal to us our own call to show special care for the lives of those whom God has entrusted to us.

During this Year of St. Joseph, each of us can find in him “an intercessor, a support and a guide in times of trouble” (PC, Intro). Joseph shows us how to say “yes” to life, despite our own fears, frailties, and weaknesses. For it is Joseph who was “chosen by God to guide the beginnings

of the history of redemption. He was the true ‘miracle’ by which God saves the child and his mother” (PC 5).

May we, too, be miracles in the lives of those who are most in need, especially at the beginning and end of life. Dear St. Joseph, you who were “able to turn a problem into a possibility by trusting always in divine providence” (PC 5), help us to imitate your faithful trust and courage.

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### MEMORIALS — October 3 to October 9

**BREAD AND WINE** - Available

**ALTAR CANDLES** - Available

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

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

**FLOWERS AT BLESSED MOTHER’S SHRINE** - Available

**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.

## Stewardship

### SEPTEMBER 26, 2021

**Regular Collection \$15,429.01**

**Online Giving \$ 1,636.18**

### CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

**Goal \$124,100**

**\$99,934.50 Pledged**

**80.53% 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 today’s Gospel, Jesus speaks of the spiritual union that takes place in marriage.

### **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.

## GIVE PLUS<sup>+</sup>





# 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,  
a dual-campus N-8 Catholic elementary school will open  
in September 2021 in Deer Park & Central Islip**

*\*What is special about OLG? \**

- \* An extended school day will provide time for rigorous academic pursuits with special attention given to the development of strong mathematics and reading skills - all grounded in a robustly Catholic culture.
- \* A free after-school enrichment program will offer opportunities for academic, spiritual, and social-emotional growth with a special focus on the arts, sports, health, and community service.
- \* Partnering with Boston College, OLG offers a dual-language immersion program will begin in our Nursery and Pre-Kindergarten classrooms, starting children on the path to becoming bilingual and biliterate in English and Spanish.

*Please connect with us to learn more!*

Website: [www.olgschools.org](http://www.olgschools.org)

Email: [information@olgschools.org](mailto:information@olgschools.org)

Facebook & Instagram @olgschools & Twitter @school\_olg

(203) 442-5065 (English)

(203) 442-5392 (Spanish)

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

EAST CAMPUS: 82 CARLETON AVE. CENTRAL ISLIP, NY 11722



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

In the past few weeks, we have provided resource information to help those in the community address some of their financial burdens. We hope this also sheds some light on the types of aid our Conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul provides to our neighbors in the Deer Park/ North Babylon community.

As a Vincentian, which is what members of the Society are called, we help provide both corporal and spiritual acts of mercy in the aid we provide to our neighbors. In the past month alone, we have paid for an emergency oil delivery for an individual/family, we have assisted three families/individuals with their rent or utility arrears, and we have provided furniture to two individuals/families as well. These are examples of the corporal, physical, acts of charity we provide, but we also strive to support our neighbors spiritually as well. We offer an ear to listen to their needs, offer an encouraging word, and at times we are even moved to pray with our neighbors. This is not only an important part of what we do, it is a blessing and a calling. The spiritual component of our work gives those who are struggling the knowledge that they are not alone and there is support to help them through their rough times. It also provides the Vincentian the opportunity to grow deeper in his/her faith. How wonderful is that!

Jesus, said to His disciples: "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." Matthew 9:37-38. Have you ever thought of wanting to make a difference in a person's life and in yours? Truly, all you need is a willing heart. If you are not sure you have what it takes to make a difference, know this: God doesn't call the qualified, He qualifies the called.

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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## 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, October 4th 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

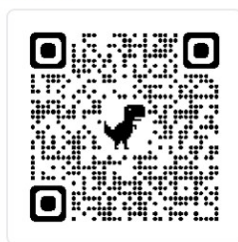
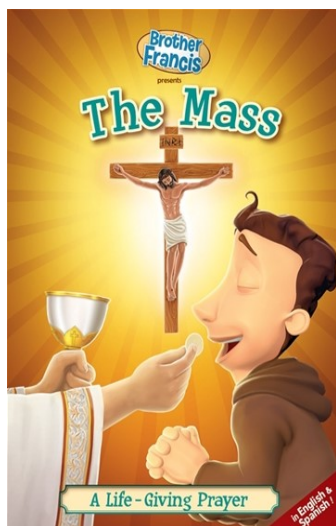
Our Faith Formation Staff has been SO hard at work these last few weeks! We are so glad to see so many Registration Forms from both our current families and new families who are enrolled with us this year for the first time!

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!



## Family FORMED Recommendation

Now that school is back in session and everyone is starting to get back into a routine again, I am so looking forward to seeing our families back at Mass (especially with dispensations being lifted on the Feast of the Assumption on August 15th!!) For some of our families, this may be their first time back at church in person since March of 2020. To remind all of our boys and girls and their families how wonderful it is to have them back, and to remember what a beautiful gift of love the Mass is, my FORMED Recommendation is "**The Mass: A Life-Giving Prayer**" from the Brother Francis Collection.



## Blessing of the Animals

I am once again inviting all of the members of our Parish Family to our first Family Faith Formation event of the year! **Tomorrow, Monday, October 4th**, join us at **5:00pm at the Gazebo** for the Blessing of the Animals, in honor of the Feast of Saint Francis! We hope to see you, and of course, all of our Parish pets, as we come together in prayer!



## Administration

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

## Office Information

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:30am-2:30pm  
(631) 667-4044 exts. 146 & 147  
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

St. Francis Hospital, Port Washington: Saturday, October 30, 2021

**Suffolk County:** St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays: Saturdays, November 6 & November 13, 2021

Good Samaritan Hospital, West Islip: Saturday, November 20, 2021

9:00 am—4:00 pm

8:30 am—3:30pm

9:00 am—4:00 pm

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 \_\_\_\_\_



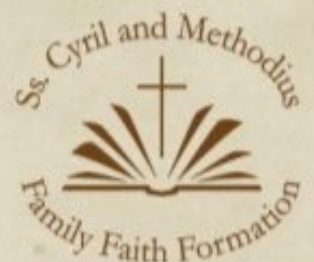
JOIN US FOR THE

*Blessing of the Animals*

IN HONOR OF THE

*Feast of Saint Francis*

Monday, October 4th  
5:00pm at the Gazebo



# 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

◇ St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays (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# \_\_\_\_\_



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

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.

## More information to follow

**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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at the Rectory.  
\$5.00 per Bag

# Director of Parish Social Ministry

Hello again everyone.

This brings me to the heading on this little newsletter if you will. Parish Social Ministry. This encompasses so much more than outreach and the food pantry. We are here to reach out to the community at large and not just our parish family. As we make this journey, hopefully, we will help people to see what the Catholic Church is all about and why we are an asset to the community. We are after all a community based on service.

I would like to ask you to contemplate what you believe to be the greatest needs in the community. Beyond that I would also like you to think about the best way to address those needs. Of course every program that we know to be important always comes with a price. For the time being I would like you to consider making a monetary commitment to the Parish Social Ministry rather than gift cards to local food stores.

I hope you will help with this endeavor through your thoughts, prayers and discernment where you see us going forward. I thank you for your prayers and I know we can count on you for your time and talents as we proceed in this undertaking.

## PANTRY NEEDS:

### FOOD

1. Sugar (smaller than 5lbs if possible)
2. Flour
3. Juice (not refrigerated)
4. Crackers (Ritz type)
5. Cookies
6. Mayo
7. Ketchup

### NON FOOD ITEMS

- |                               |  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| 1. Toilet Paper               | 6. Dishwashing Detergent<br>(not dishwasher) |
| 2. Paper Towels               | 7. Laundry Detergent                         |
| 3. Shaving Cream              | 8. Shower Gel                                |
| 4. Razors<br>(men & women)    | 9. Shampoo                                   |
| 5. Deodorant<br>(men & women) | 10. Tissues                                  |
|                               | 11. Toothpaste                               |

If you would like to donate refrigerated items please call and I will make arrangements to get them. Unfortunately people have put refrigerated items in the bins. The bins do not get processed until Monday so unfortunately by this time we are not able to salvage them.

God Bless all of you abundantly for your generosity!

*Janet*



# 2021 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

DIOCESE OF  
ROCKVILLE CENTRE



*One Family in Mission*  
Creating Pathways to Faith

## ***Pathways to Bringing the Face of Jesus to Others***

Your donation to the Catholic Ministries Appeal helps Catholic Charities and Parish Outreach programs bring care and love to those in need. Other services include housing for seniors and people with disabilities, mental health, substance abuse and food programs.

### **Some of What You Helped to Make Possible:**

**#'s served**

- Addiction Treatment Services..... 1,870
- Food and Nutrition ..... 7,669
- Housing ..... 3,759
- Mental Health Outpatient Services ..... 2,573
- Mental Health Residential Services ..... 332
- Parish Social Ministry ..... 3,403
- Regina Maternity Services ..... 75
- Residential Services for People with  
Developmental Disabilities ..... 107
- Senior Services ..... 4,216
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**In 2020, Catholic Charities and Parish Outreach programs provided more than 1 million services to those in need.**



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

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**To make a donation, you can also visit <https://www.drvc.org/CMA/>**

**or call us at 516-678-5800 ext. 296.**

**Thank You!**

# SSCM Parish \$5000 Raffle

**We still have a number of unsold tickets.**

Tickets are \$50 each. one Red, one White and one Blue  
(only 200 tickets of each color will be sold)

Win **BIG** and be a **BIG HELP** to your Parish

**RED**

**\$ 5,000**

1 in 200 chance of winning

**WHITE**

**\$ 5,000**

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**Drawing: Postponed**  
**We have 20 \$5,000 tickets left**

**Tickets are available at the Rectory  
or you may purchase your tickets  
after Mass in the Breezeway**

Whoever purchased Red ticket number 34  
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