

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

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125 HALF HOLLOW RD, DEER PARK, NY 11729

**Palm Sunday**

**April 10, 2022**

We are republishing the liturgical notes regarding our celebrations for Holy Week. Please be guided accordingly. You will find on page 5 the complete **Holy Week 2022 Schedule**.

The diocese has given us a few directives to follow for Holy Week adhering to recommendations from USCCB and the Vatican Commission on Worship. But we have added some adaptations to make certain liturgies meaningful and relevant for us.

For **Palm Sunday**, the ushers will hand out palms as people enter the Church at the beginning of each Mass. We are encouraging everyone to take **ONLY** one palm per person. We wish to make sure people attending the later Masses will have palms as well. Note: We will not be giving palms at the end of Mass nor in between Masses. Remember part of the significance of these palms is that they have been

“Blessed is the king who comes  
in the name of the Lord.  
Peace in heaven  
and glory in the highest”

blessed as people hold them at the entrance procession of each Mass.

The **Diocesan Day of Penance** will take place as usual on Monday of Holy Week. Every parish in the Diocese will provide the Sacrament of Reconciliation to the faithful continuously from 2:00 to 4:00 pm and from 6:00 to 9:00 pm.

The **Holy Thursday** Mass of the Lord's Supper Liturgy at 8:00 pm is a remembrance of the Last Supper. The Rite of Washing of the Feet returns this year. After the Mass, the Most

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**Readings and Songs this Sunday**

**No. 1035 in the Blue Gather Hymnal**

1st Reading: **Isaiah 50:4-7**

2nd Reading: **Philippians 2:6-11**

Gospel Reading: **Luke 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49**

**LITURGICAL MUSIC for the Holy Mass:**

All Glory, Laud and Honor	<b>#498</b>
Were You There	<b>#511</b>
Draw Near	<b>#935</b>
Jesus, Remember Me	<b>#510</b>

(All Masses except Sunday 6pm)

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

Every Friday during Lent,  
12:45pm



And on **GOOD FRIDAY** join us for the **OUTDOOR Stations of the Cross** on **DEER PARK AVENUE** at **12:00 Noon** returning to the Church about **2:30pm** Make this tradition part of your **Triduum** this year.

In the event of inclement weather, we will pray the stations in the Church.

## 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

Please check the Bulletin and the Parish Website.

**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 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 to make an appointment for the initial intake.

**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:** 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

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## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Monday</b>	<b>April 11</b>
7:00 AM:	For Chelsea Kravitz's intentions
8:30 AM:	Alfonso Mantovani
12:15 PM:	James P. Balletti
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>April 12</b>
7:00 AM:	For Russell Salerno's intentions
8:30 AM:	Aida Feliciano
12:15 PM:	Frank Mulligan
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>April 13</b>
7:00 AM:	For Jeffrey Kravitz's intentions
8:30 AM:	Jean Muenkel
12:15 PM:	Linda Ulysses
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>April 14 Holy Thursday</b>
8:30 AM:	Morning Prayer
8:00 PM:	Mass of the Lord's Supper
	Vigil/Solemn Adoration until 11:00 PM
<b>Friday</b>	<b>April 15 Good Friday</b>
8:30 AM:	Morning Prayer
3:00 PM:	The Solemn Service of the Lord's Passion
7:00 PM:	The Solemn Service of the Lord's Passion
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>April 16 Holy Saturday</b>
8:30 AM	Morning Prayer
8:00 PM	The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>April 17 Easter Sunday</b>
8:00 AM	For Our Parishioners
9:30 AM	For Our Parishioners
11:00 AM	For Our Parishioners (simultaneous Mass –Gym)
12:30 AM	For Our Parishioners
	NO 6:00 PM Mass

Please check the Holy Week Schedule which can be found on page 5 of the bulletin for liturgies this week. We encourage you to participate in all of them in order to have a more meaningful celebration of Holy Week



### REST IN PEACE

Thomas C. DiFiore

### NEWLY BAPTIZED

**We pray for the new members of our family**  
Emma Elaine Baierlein

### BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Second Banns

Joel Cerezo — Ss. Cyril and Methodius  
Grezen Micua—St. Charles Borromeo, Toledo Ohio

Nicholas DiFazio — Our Lady of Grace, W Babylon  
Gina Napoli — Ss. Cyril and Methodius

Michael Baruch—St. Joseph, Kings Park  
Chelsea Tavella—Ss. Cyril and Methodius

### PRAY FOR THE SICK

T. J. Hicks, Christian Daniel, Bella Barra, Frank Barra, Margaret McCartney, Theresa Schaefer, Leonard Caltabiano, Joseph Massa, Connie Rigert, Stanley Urbanowski Stephen Neveroski, Eugene Sheehy, Clemente Oropallo, Kevin Talbot, Jean Fortunato, Joyce Ratushny, Barbara Dunne, Louis Xavier Maldonado, Kristen Mills, Tony Bufalino, Jackie Becker, Susan Marsillo, Carmelo Mal Controne, Joseph Battista, Brianna Barra, Cathy Salegna, Chrisie Carbona, Julio Cesar Rivera, Baby Ezra Folcik, Omar Stuart, Lucy Symes, Carmine Soldano, Joseph, Sydney & Parette Torres, Diane Ryan, Brendan Gould, John Viviani, Petey Muller, Mark Dixon, Troy Liddell, Rosemarie Maloney, Peter Franzese, Joann Awe, Salvatore Piazzolla, Mark Glatzer, Rosemarie Dorsty, Annmarie Costiglio, MP, Mellie, Eileen Conlin, Marie Merrifield, 50 Joey, Carl Zajac, Barbara Fasano, Cynthia Nieves, Junior, Laurence Taylor, Theresa Scheuer Smith, Sylvia H., Ronald Beauzais, Angelina Duramacco, Luke Mohan, Mary Phelan, Pat Berberich, baby William Shirk, Patti Lazarich, Maria Garcia, Tom Fitzgerald, Robert Glaser, Keith Thomas, Lydia Reveron, Christopher M. Wall, Bob Walsh Diana Walsh, Rose Guisti, Madelyn Simonetti

### 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, Sgt. Vincent Tullo US Army, Thomas Anthony Brick US Marines, Staff Sgt. Jason Miller, Warrant Officer Kelly Johnston, Chief R. Travis Johnston, Petty Officer 2nd Class Kaitlyn Parisi, Petty Officer 2nd Class Kacey Medrano, Petty Officer 1st Class Hugo Medrano, Petty Officer 2nd Class Vincent Parisi III, Major Salvatore W. Garcia. 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

Blessed Sacrament will be processed and transferred to the Gym for the vigil until 11:00pm.

For **Good Friday**, On Good Friday, we have brought back our old tradition of Outdoor Stations of the Cross on Deer Park Avenue at 12:00 noon.

In addition, there are two Liturgies of the Word, at 3:00 and 7:00 pm, that include the Veneration of the Cross. The cross will be unveiled but individual veneration of the cross is still suspended this year. Instead, the ushers will be handing out nails as people leave the Church. This is a symbol of the event of the crucifixion of Jesus on the cross that we carry and bring home. There is a higher level of meaning, as we ask you to come back and attend any of the Easter Sunday Masses and ask you to drop your nails back in assigned baskets in the Church. As you give up the cross on Easter Sunday, be reminded that Jesus has been removed and freed from being nailed to the cross and has been raised from

the dead. It is a reminder also of our resolve to give up our sinful ways. Please do not place the nails on the cross in the Sanctuary.

The **Easter Vigil** (Saturday at 8pm) will include the reception the Sacraments of Initiation for our two Elects, who have prepared themselves through the RCIA Program. The vigil will include the blessing of the paschal candle and the baptismal font.

Masses on **Easter Sunday** are 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am and 12:30 pm. There is no 6:00 pm Mass. All Masses are in the Church. There is another simultaneous Mass in the Gym at 11:00 am.

We encourage you to attend all of the liturgies, which includes the **Morning Prayer on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday at 8:30 am**. For those who are unable to be in Church, we made sure that most of the liturgies are available at home on livestream on Facebook and YouTube.

### MEMORIALS — April 10 to 16

**BREAD AND WINE** - **Angela Macaluso**, First year in Heaven. An angel on earth and in heaven. Love always and forever Anthony, Anthony Jr., Jessica, John, Amanda, Aaron and Robert.

**ALTAR CANDLES** - **Grandma Angela Macaluso**, our little hearts miss you so much. Love you Julieanna, Sienna and Joseph Macaluso.

**CANDLES AT BLESSED MOTHER'S SHRINE** - Happy Birthday in Heaven, **Josephine Bonacasa**. Always in our hearts. Love your Family.

**CANDLES AT ST JOSEPH'S SHRINE** - Available Altar Candles and Candles at Our Lady's Shrine and St. Joseph's Shrine Offering \$25; Bread & Wine \$50. **NO FLOWERS DURING LENT!**

*Stewardship*

**APRIL 3, 2022**

**Regular Collection \$18,476.06**

**Online Giving \$ 1,190.43**

**Dominican Republic \$ 9,797.00**

### **CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL**

**Goal \$125,200**

**\$51,028 Pledged**

**40.76% of Parish Goal**

Thank you, and God Bless you, for your faithful weekly Stewardship of our Parish and for your support of the 2022 Catholic Ministries Appeal!

Today is Palm Sunday. When Jesus entered the city, He was greeted with palms and love. In a few days, on Good Friday, we will remember how He was betrayed, beaten and killed.

### **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

# HOLY WEEK

**Palm Sunday, APRIL 10** – (Regular Sunday Mass Schedule)

**Holy Monday, APRIL 11**

Masses: 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 12:15 am

Confessions: 2:00 – 4:00 pm, 6:00—9:00 pm

**Holy Tuesday, APRIL 12**

Masses: 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 12:15 am

4:00 pm – Chrism Mass, St. Agnes Cathedral

(Please check [www.drvc.org](http://www.drvc.org) for TV coverage and livestream)

**Holy Wednesday, APRIL 13**

Masses: 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 12:15 am

**Holy Thursday, APRIL 14**

8:30 am – Morning Prayer (Livestream)

8:00 pm – Mass of the Lord's Supper

Vigil/Solemn Adoration until 11:00 pm

**Good Friday, APRIL 15**

8:30 am – Morning Prayer (Livestream)

12:00 noon – Outside Stations of the Cross

3:00 pm – Service (Livestream)

7:00 pm – Service

**Holy Saturday, APRIL 16**

8:30 am – Morning Prayer (Livestream)

8:00 pm – The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

**Easter Sunday, APRIL 17**

8:00 am Mass

9:30 am Mass (Livestream)

11:00 am Mass (another simultaneous Mass – in the Gym)

12:30 pm Mass

**NO 6:00 pm Mass**

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# Family Faith Formation and Religious Education

## Weekly Greeting from Ms. Laucella

Happy Holy Week! We have reached the week of the year that is filled with all of our High Holy Days as Catholics. This week is the pinnacle of what we believe, and is the reason for the shared faith that we all so love. My favorite scripture passage that I always find myself reflecting on this week every year is from Matthew 26:41: “[Watch and pray](#)”.

This week starts on a high with Palm Sunday; A day of celebration and welcoming our King as He enters Jerusalem, with shouts of “Hosana!”. The tone of the week turns uneasy when we get to Tenebrae, or Spy Wednesday, the day when Judas arranged for Jesus’ arrest for thirty pieces of silver. The day following on Holy Thursday, the tone changes again to gratitude, as we remember two of the Sacraments that Christ gave the Church; The Gift of the Eucharist and the Gift of Holy Orders in the form of the priesthood. Good Friday follows, and is a day of sadness; It is the day that we have been dreading all Season long, but one that is necessary for our Salvation. Holy Saturday is a day of quiet, waiting, and of Hope. The earth sleeps, mirroring the Body of Our Savior buried in the tomb.

This week is sacred, and although Easter is only a week away, it feels like so much longer than that. Let us all take this week to remember, to pray, and to reflect on the Love that was given to us so freely, willingly, and unconditionally. May all of us use this week to “[Watch and pray](#)”.



## Reconciliation Monday

Over these last few weeks, you have kept up with us and have watched so many of our students receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This gift of forgiveness and opportunity for repentance is so incredibly special, that I wanted to take this opportunity to extend a special invitation to our parents, grandparents, and other family members.

This [Monday, March 29th](#) is known as [Reconciliation Monday](#). All across the Diocese that make up New York State, churches will be open from [3:00pm until 9:00pm](#) for the Sacrament of Confession. We hope that you share in this special day with us.

PRAYER  
FASTING  
ALMSGIVING

We've missed you.  
Come home  
at Easter.



RECONCILIATION  
MONDAY  
March 29 | 3:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Visit a Catholic church near you during our extended Confession hours. To find a church and continue your Lenten journey, visit:  
[ArchNY.org/Lent](#)  
[Diocese of Brooklyn DiocesofBrooklyn.org/Lent2021](#)  
[Diocese of Rockville Centre drc.org](#)

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Facebook: [SsCyrilandMethodiusRCC](#)

We are grateful to the **NORMA PACE FOUNDATION** for their generous donation of \$24,000 for this year 2022. They have supported the parish consistently and with great magnanimity for the past 4 years. Thank you Alex LePore for the assistance in facilitating the donation to be given to Saints Cyril and Methodius Parish and to the Norma Pace Foundation Board for choosing us. We are in the process of designing a spot in the Church lobby to acknowledge her on-going contribution and recognize the other generous contributors to the parish as well.

Let us remember Norma Pace in our prayers.

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

Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of the holiest of Christian weeks. Let us pray for the grace to take up our own cross and to follow Jesus through death to new life. Let us remember those among us who are struggling with physical or mental health issues or who are struggling with financial difficulties and let us pray that the grace of our Lord be extended to all who are in need.

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance in addressing rent, 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.

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

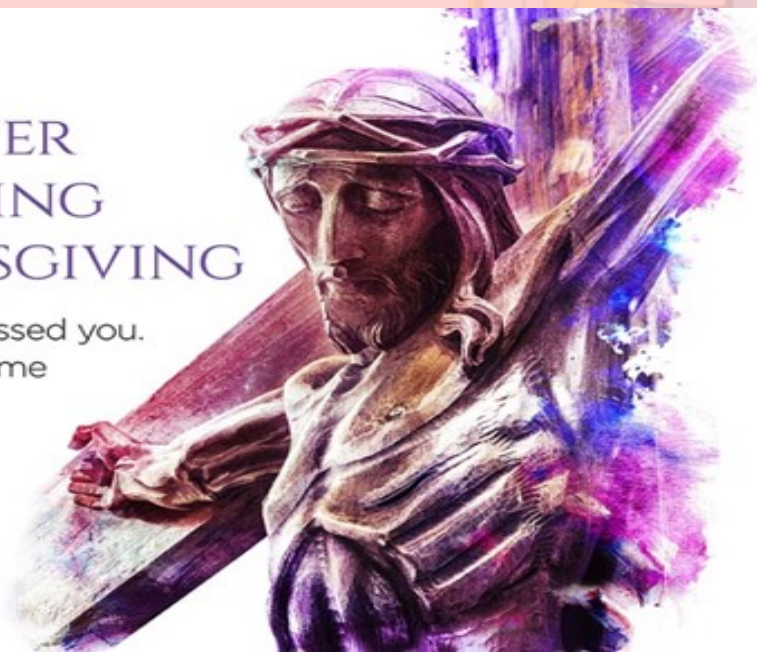
Our next meeting is **April 11th at 7:00 p.m. at the Council**. Please note we will meet at 7:00 p.m. due to the Initiation Ceremony for new members. For more information contact Tammy Loring at 631-242-1151.

### **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. **The next First Saturday of the month is May 7, 2022.** Our next meeting is **May 2nd at 7:30pm in the Church** for the Living Rosary and May Crowning. Any questions call Nancy Lanni at 631-242-5078.

PRAYER  
FASTING  
ALMSGIVING

We've missed you.  
Come home  
at Easter.



## RECONCILIATION MONDAY

**April 11**

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Visit a Catholic church near you during our extended Confession hours. To find a church and continue your Lenten journey, visit:

**Archdiocese of New York**  
[ArchNY.org/Lent](http://ArchNY.org/Lent)

**Diocese of Brooklyn**  
[DioceseofBrooklyn.org/Lent2022](http://DioceseofBrooklyn.org/Lent2022)

**Diocese of Rockville Centre**  
[drvcc.org](http://drvcc.org)



### **ALTAR SERVERS**

We are looking for boys and girls in 4th grade or above to become part of our Altar Server Ministry. For more information call Father Christopher Deh at 631-667-4044 ext. 165.

### **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** **Meeting ID: 82505467253** and **Password: TV369x** Any questions call Leslie Barra at 631-586-1663.

### **THE LOVE OF CHRIST CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP**

A group that has been together for 54 years will meet every **Tuesday starting April 5th from 1:00pm to 3:00pm in the Senior Room.** Any questions call Lucille at 631-586-2438.

### **Ss CYRIL AND METHODIUS HOLY NAME SOCIETY**

6 HOUR DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE - Our next **Defensive Driving Course** is **May 21st**, in the Senior Room. Space is limited. If you would like to sign up for the Defensive Driving Course, please contact Phil Hogan at 631-667-9148.

### **SENIOR CLUB**

Our next meeting will be on **May 3, 2022 at 2:30pm** in the Father Behan Hall.

### **USHERS**

Ushers are needed at all Masses. If you would like to help out at the Mass you attend then please speak to an Usher at that Mass for more information.

12:00 PM Lunch and Registration  
 2:00 PM Shotgun Start  
 6:30 PM Cocktail Hour at SSCM  
 7:30 PM Dinner, coffee, tea and dessert

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

We are in need of prizes for our raffles, such as Gift Cards or Store Gift Certificates in the \$10 - \$25 range. New bottles of Liquor.

**ALL FLAG ORDERS DUE BY MAY 24**  
**ALL MONEY DUE BY JUNE 6**

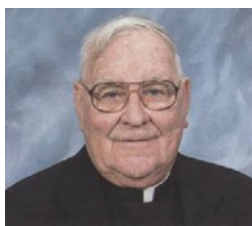
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## REV. MSGR. THADDEUS ROONEY

### Memorial Golf Outing & Dinner



**HONORING:**  
**John and Jane McMahon**  
**Mike Gonzalez**  
**John Giebel**

**TIMBER POINT COUNTRY CLUB, GREAT RIVER**  
 Sponsored by **MANGANO FUNERAL HOME, INC.**  
**Thursday, June 16, 2022**

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 \$\_\_\_\_\_

**GIFT CARDS** for sale at the parish office during office hours. The list is what we currently have in stock. If there is something else that you would like, please call 631-667-4044 ext. 110.

**As requested, we now have Olympic Diner Gift Cards!**



- \$100** - Amazon, Kohl's , Texas Roadhouse - **\$100**
- \$50** - Panera, Stop & Shop, Kohl's., Texas Roadhouse - **\$50**
- \$25** - Apple Bees, Barnes & Noble, Bed Bath & Beyond - **\$25**
- \$25** - CVS, Dick's Sporting Goods - **\$25**
- \$25** - Home Depot, Kohl's, Lowes, Macy's, Michael's, Olympic Diner - **\$25**
- \$25** - Panera, Pet Smart, Red Lobster, Regal Movie, Rite Aid, Shutterfly - **\$25**
- \$25** - Speedway, Staples, Stop & Shop, Tanger Outlets - **\$25**
- \$25** - Target, Texas Roadhouse, Walgreens - **\$25**
- \$10** - Dunkin Donuts, Panera, Regal Movie, Starbucks - **\$10**



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# 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 \_\_\_\_\_

# SAINTS CYRIL & METHODIUS



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# Director of Parish Social Ministry

Just when we thought it was spring..... I suppose one of these days we will wake up to spring or summer insert a smile on my face here!

As we move along, and things look like they are getting back to a life we somewhat remember I would like to ask people who like to grocery shop to help the pantry by going to the grocery store for needed items. I have the gift cards if you have the time.

Right now we need gift cards for gas so that our clients that are able to work can get to work. Most of them have very low paying jobs so you can imagine that paying for gas is a great drain on their resources.

I am also in need of foldable grocery carts for our people who walk to the pantry. Some walk two or three miles to get here. As you can imagine that means they cannot carry very much with them on the way back home.

We are going to need a lot of volunteers to pull off this rummage, tag sale garage sale. I also need dates in June or the very latest early July that people are available. Kerry had many trips that got postponed during the pandemic that must be taken now so she does not lose the money she and Steve have already paid. If you want to contact her with your availability that is fine also.

I would also like you to provide me with the names of anyone you think would need a friendly visitor. I would like to restart that program, so we do not have people feeling that we do not care.

Thank you as always for your generosity.

*Janet*

We have been receiving refrigerated items in the bins. Please do not do this. We received ground beef and a whole chicken in the bin. They leaked on the other food. By the time we are able to empty the bins on Monday morning any refrigerated items have to be thrown out. Please call me to make arrangements for these items to be donated. This is very important.

## PANTRY NEEDS:

**Please do not purchase items in the big box stores most of our families are really small. Regular sized items from regular grocery stores such as Stop and Shop, Shoprite, Aldi (you can get quite a lot there reasonably) or Lidl**

### FOOD

1. Shelf stable juice
2. Rice white and brown
3. Jelly
4. Jello
5. Cake mix
6. Icing
7. Brownie mix

8. Cookies
9. Ketchup
10. Canned potatoes
11. Canned kidney beans
12. Pasta sauce (jars not canned about 24 oz.)
13. Chili with and without beans
14. Spam

### NON FOOD ITEMS

1. Shaving cream
2. Hair conditioner
3. Paper towels
4. Napkins

**\*\*Please no brown sugar or confectioners sugar or pasta\*\***

# BINGO

**Please consider becoming a VOLUNTEER  
DOOR OPENS 6:00 PM**



**Word on Fire with Father Grace  
every Tuesday at 7:15 p.m. in the Father Behan Hall.**

Word on Fire is a Catholic media organization founded by Bishop Robert Barron that uses digital and traditional media to introduce Catholicism to the broader world. Word on Fire harnesses beauty, goodness, and truth to draw people into or back to the Catholic Faith.

## EASTER DECORATING

**If you would like to help us decorate the church for Easter, we will begin the project on Saturday, April 16th at 10:00 am in the church. If you have any questions, please call or text Tim Leitch at 631-806-4715. No experience is needed.**



## NY Mets vs. San Diego Padres

**Friday, July 22, 2022, 7:10pm**

**Ticket \$59**

**Left Field, Field Level Reserved - Section 137**

**For reservation of tickets or information, please  
contact Deacon Phil as soon as possible at  
631-667-4044 Extension 110**



## Join Bishop Andrzej for Liturgical Catechesis

# SYNOD on SYNODALITY

Journeying Together

Communion + Participation + Mission

This lecture will be presented via ZOOM

All are Invited to Participate.

New Date!

Wednesday, April 13

Participation

Wednesday, May 18

Evangelization

All at 7:30 pm

To receive the ZOOM link, please call Suzanne at 516-744-6850 or email [westernvicariate@drvc.org](mailto:westernvicariate@drvc.org). If you previously registered for prior ZOOM calls, there is NO need to register again – you will automatically receive the ZOOM link via email.



"The Synod calls the People of God, in all their diversity, to embark on a journey together toward a common mission to witness to the love of God at work in the world."

### 20 Catholic Ministries Appeal

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"God's love calls us to move beyond fear. We ask God for the courage to put on faith, hope and love as we go out into the world and become the Word in body as well as spirit."  
— Pope Francis

One Family in Mission – Building a Community of

FAITH

HOPE

& LOVE

### Building a Community of Love

*"You pray for the hungry. Then you feed them. This is how prayer works."*

—Pope Francis

Your donation to the Catholic Ministries Appeal supports Catholic Charities pastoral programs to bring care and love to those in need. These services include housing for the vulnerable, mental health and substance abuse programs, food programs and advocacy. Below is a highlight of its Parish Social Ministry.

**We all have been touched by the rising inflation rate – close to 8% on Long Island. The spike in gas and food prices combined with the high cost of housing has caused a shift of people who are turning to their local parish outreach for assistance.**

***"There are many families working in our community and they do not qualify for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits -- they are struggling to purchase the basic necessities. They are the new clients of our parish outreach."*** Paula Malloy, Director of PSM, Catholic Charities of Long Island.

**Catholic Charities provides support and resources to local parish social ministry efforts on Long Island through several programs.**



Make checks payable to: **Catholic Ministries Appeal**

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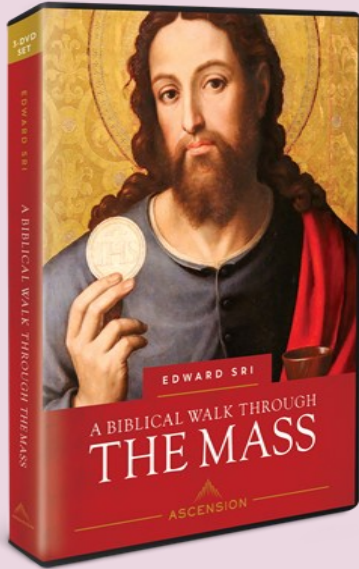
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To donate, you can also visit [drvc.org/CMA](http://drvc.org/CMA) or call us at 516-678-5800 ext. 296 Thank You.

## Bible Study Class Continues....

All are welcome!

### A Biblical Walk Through the Mass by Edward Sri



**This study** explores the extraordinary biblical roots of the Liturgy and reveals what it all means and why it all matters. **This fascinating tour of the Mass will renew your faith and deepen your love for and devotion to the Holy Eucharist.**

Session One – Introduction: The Biblical Foundations of the Mass

Session Two – The Introductory Rites

Session Three – The Liturgy of the Word

Session Four – The Liturgy of the Eucharist, Part I

Session Five – The Liturgy of the Eucharist, Part II, and the Concluding Rites

**Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, beginning April 27th, 2022 in Father Behan Hall**

For more information and to register please call Mary at 631.291.7020

## Liturgical Minister Training – Spring 2022

The Diocese of Rockville Center will offer training for those who wish to serve as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors. **Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:** Part A - 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 Part B training in addition to BASIC training. One **must** attend Part A training prior to Part B training. **Lector training** is available for both new and experienced lectors.

### Dates and Locations for Liturgical Minister Training

**Tuesday, April 26** - St. Elizabeth / Melville - Msgr. Kane Hall; 7 pm - 10 pm.

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, Part A AND Lectors

**Wednesday, April 27** - St. Christopher / Baldwin - McGoldrick Hall; 7 pm - 10 pm.

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, Part A AND Lectors

**Saturday, April 30** - St. Paul the Apostle / Brookville - Lower Hall; 9 am – noon.

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, Part A ONLY

**Saturday, May 14** - Christ the King / Commack - Pastoral Center Gym; 9 am – noon.

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, Part A AND Lectors

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Part B** Presented in conjunction with Catholic Health:

**Saturday, May 14** - St. Paul the Apostle / Brookville - Lower Hall; 9 am - noon

**Tuesday, May 17** - St. Elizabeth / Melville - Msgr. Kane Hall; 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

**Saturday, June 11** - Christ the King / Commack - Sienna Room; 9 am - 12 noon

A letter from your pastor will be required to complete your registration and must be received at least five days prior to the session you wish to attend. **To request registration for any of these sessions, please contact the rectory.** Thank you for your interest! For questions, please call Suzanne Lynn at 516-744-6850 or email [worship@drvc.org](mailto:worship@drvc.org)