

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

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125 HALF HOLLOW RD, DEER PARK, NY 11729

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 13, 2022

In the context of Luke, today's Gospel appears near the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem, just prior to the events that will lead to his crucifixion. His warnings and predictions are ominous but can be read in many ways.

To those who first heard Luke's Gospel, those may have been words of encouragement. The destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem by the Romans was history (70 A.D.); Luke's Gospel, Catholic scholars propose, was written between 80 and 90 A.D. His audience was probably Gentile Christians. Luke here tries to interpret the fall of Jerusalem for them and to locate it in God's plans for humankind (salvation history). At the same time, Luke is suggesting to his audience that there will be a considerable elapse of time before Jesus' final coming. Luke's listeners have likely seen much upheaval and are anxious to know if these are the

signs of Jesus' coming. Luke is urging greater patience.

In the second part of today's Gospel, Jesus warns that his followers will face persecution for their beliefs. Luke presents persecution as an opportunity for the followers of Jesus for "It will lead to your giving testimony" (Luke 21:13). In persecution God's wisdom and power will be shown in the example of followers of Jesus. Perseverance in the face of persecution will lead to their salvation.

Here Jesus is assuring his followers that God is present to all believers, even in times of trouble. Ultimately, Jesus will witness to this with his own death. As disciples of Jesus, we try to follow his example, trusting in God's mercy and protection, even when we are facing difficulties.

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Scripture Readings and Music this Sunday

No. 1190 in the Blue Gather Hymnal

1st Reading: **Malachi 3:19-20**

2nd Reading: **2 Thessalonians 3:7-12**

Gospel Reading: **Luke 21:5-19**

LITURGICAL MUSIC for the Holy Mass:

Praise and Thanksgiving **#861**

Center of My Life **#679**

Life-Giving Bread, Saving Cup **#926**

America the Beautiful **#984**

(All Masses except Sunday 6pm)

Upcoming Events

November 25 - Thanksgiving Day - One Mass only at 8:30 AM.

December 2, 9 & 16 - ADVENT TRIPTYCH - 3 Friday nights of Advent Prayer and Reflection. See page 13 for details.

December 12 - 5:00 pm Mass in celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. To be followed by a re-enactment of the apparition of the Lady to Blessed Juan Diego.

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: (Confessionals)

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 - 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

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

Rev. Paul Bersamin, *Associate Pastor*, Ext. 167

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

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

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John Grieb



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Baptism & Wedding Coordinator

Ms. Allison Taibi Ext. 111, *Bookkeeper*



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	November 14
7:00 AM:	For Chelsea Kravitz's intentions
8:30 AM:	Sabastin Thottakara
12:15 PM:	Debra A. Penberg
Tuesday	November 15
7:00 AM:	For Matthew Malerba's intentions
8:30 AM:	For Ellen Bland's intentions
12:15 PM:	Lawrence Maiale
Wednesday	November 16
7:00 AM:	For Lisa Malerba's intentions
8:30 AM:	Charles Shokey
12:15 PM:	For Father Gius's intentions
Thursday	November 17
7:00 AM:	For Jeffrey Kravitz's intentions
8:30 AM:	For Father Gregory Cappuccino's intentions
12:15 PM:	Eileen T. Doyle
Friday	November 18
7:00 AM:	For Robert Salerno's intentions
8:30 AM:	For Father Sang's intentions
12:15 PM:	Debra Penberg
Saturday	November 19
8:30 AM	Purgatorial Society
5:00 PM	Lawrence Granton, Frank Tricarico, and for the Family of Pius Onwuzo's intentions
Sunday	November 20
8:00 AM	Janet Graziano
9:30 AM	Angela Macaluso
11:00 AM	Catherine Barcia, Gloria M. Giordano, Richard Charles Staufenberg, Mariana Rivera, Ursula Kecher, Vicente Castro, Robert Leith
12:30 AM	For Our Parishioners
6:00 PM	Frederick D. Miller

PRESIDERS FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASSES

Saturday,	November 19
5:00 PM:	Fr. Paul Bersamin
Sunday,	November 20
8:00 AM:	Fr. Paul Bersamin
9:30 AM:	Fr. Patrick Grace
11:00 AM:	Fr. Gius Garcia
12:30 PM:	Fr. Patrick Grace
6:00 PM:	Fr. Gius Garcia

REST IN PEACE

Sabatino F. Di Iorio, Rose Sarno, Lawrence R. Manganello Sr., Santa King

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Third Banns

Brendan Mollica — Our Lady of Guadalupe, Brooklyn
 Alexis Porcelli — Christ the King, Commack
 Todd Benevento — Holy Family, New Rochelle
 Nicole Sena — Ss. Cyril and Methodius

Second Banns

Dylan Doyle — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
 Dana Englehardt — Ss. Cyril and Methodius

NEWLY BAPTIZED

Moir Ann Conboy, Alana Rae Gonzalez, Ashton Reign Greene, Benjamin Noah Scalera

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, Ezra Folcik, Omar Stuart, Carmine Soldano, Diane Ryan, Brendan Gould, John Viviani, Mark Dixon, Troy Liddell, Rosemarie Maloney, Susan and Paul Mattei, Salvatore Piazzolla, Mark Glatzer, Rosemarie Dorsty, MP, Mellie, Eileen Conlin, Marie Cipriano Merrifield, 50 Joey, Theresa Scheuer Smith, Sylvia H., Ronald Beauzais, Angelina Duramacco, William Shirk, Maria Garcia, Robert Glaser, Keith Thomas, Lydia Reveron, Jackie DeCerbo, Diana Walsh, Christopher M. Wall, Bob Walsh, Rose Guisti, Madelyn Simonetti, Angela Mento, Susan Semetsis, Anne Sheppard, Kathleen Jacobi, Louis D'Agostino Ding Caliendo, Julio Cesar Rivera, Joseph E. Torres, Parette Gisele Torres, Sydney Ann Torres, Lucy Piazzola, Renee Hovanec, Eric, Joseph Pepe, Padraic Beach, Mary McMahon Alex, Emma Villarola, Paulette Giusto, Kristin Piazzola, Ralph Savastano, Rocco Oliveri, Richard DiMaggio, Arlene McMahon Lisa Hulsen, Providence Hulsen, Thomas Kane, Baby Dominic, Danielle E. Shingler, Bob Lockwood, Heather Dunne, Ellen Bland, Tammy Walsh, Mary Theresa Deegan

WE PRAY ESPECIALLY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

Sgt. Joseph Evola, Karley Hawkins, 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, Staff Sgt. Justin Gallo, Sgt. 1st Class William J. Braun.



CHURCH UPGRADES

...from cover page

If you pass through the transept entrance on the Walgreens side, you would notice a preview of a wonderful upgrade to come. (See picture of door on the left compared to undone door on the right) Bob Thielemann, one of our parishioners, has done an incredible job with the door and will begin work on all the other inside wooden doors of the Church soon. He is doing it alone for now but if you know woodwork, and have some extra time, he will gladly use the extra hand. We hope to uplift the "face" of the Church to heighten the beauty of the Church and for it to reflect the good heart of the parishioners who come for worship.

Work is also being done to recap the stain glass window above the main entrance of the Church. This is to conserve energy, promote efficiency and stop one of the causes of flooding in the narthex of the Church.

More exciting upgrades to come in the future!



We remember how you loved us...
NOVEMBER 13 to NOVEMBER 19

BREAD AND WINE

- In memory of Lawrence Maiale. From his loving family.

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

- Available

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

Stewardship

NOVEMBER 6, 2022

Regular Collection \$17,665.01

Online Giving \$ 2,089.27

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Goal \$125,200

\$86,909.00 Pledged

69.42% 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!

"In today's Gospel, Jesus warns of the coming persecutions for those who follow Him.

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

**Join Fr. Gius Garcia on a Pilgrimage to
Our Lady of Guadalupe & Mexico City**



JANUARY 26-31, 2023



For details and to
register online,
its safe and easy,
scan the barcode
or visit
www.pilgrimages.com/frgius

Group Leader:
CARMEN GOMEZ

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER of HOLY COMMUNION

Training Opportunities - Fall 2022

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.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Part B

presented in conjunction with Catholic Health

Tuesday, Nov. 15 - St. Elizabeth of Hungary/Melville
Msgr. Kane Hall 6:30pm—9:30pm

Saturday, Nov. 19 - St. Paul the Apostle/Brookville
Lower Level 9am –noon

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

Walk-ins not accepted. 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.

Family Faith Formation and Religious Education

November:

Celebrating All Saints and Souls

"Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith." Hebrews 12:1-2

Even though we wrapped up the three-day triduum feast of Hallowtide, we celebrate November as the month of All Saints and All Souls all month long! But how do we celebrate All Saints and All Souls this month?



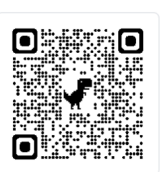
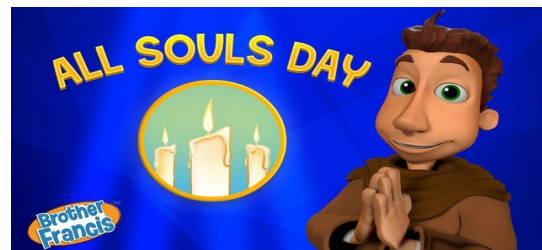
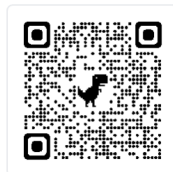
You can honor the Saints by praying with your Patron Saint. These holy men and women were human, and know what it means to feel what we feel, whether that be joy, sorrow, or mental, physical, or spiritual exhaustion. They are praying with us and for us, interceding all the way from Heaven!

You can honor the souls of those we love and miss in lots of ways! You can offer up your prayers for the souls in Purgatory, have Masses said for your loved ones who have passed, and visit the cemetery and pray over their graves. To have a Mass said for a loved one, contact the Parish Office at (631) 667-4044, ext. 100.

May this month of All Saints and All Souls be one in which we honor and pray with and for all of those who have gone before us to Glory. All you Holy Men and Women and Saints of God, pray for us!

FORMED Recommendations

This month, my FORMED recommendation for all of our families is the "[The Saints: Our Heavenly Friends](#)" and "[All Souls Day](#)", both the Brother Francis Collection! Use the QR codes below to take you directly to each video; Just scan with your phone in the camera app to start watching, and enjoy!



Christmas Pageant Signups

The Google Form to sign up for our Christmas Pageant is now open! To sign up, fill out the Google Form using the QR Code that was emailed to our families in our November Newsletter by [Monday, November 21st](#), so that all families who signed up can receive their welcome email before Thanksgiving Break.

Administration

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

Office Information

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(631) 667-4044 exts. 146 & 147
faithformation@sscmdp.org
Instagram: SSCMFamilyFaithFormation
Facebook: SsCyrilandMethodiusRCC

CATHOLICISM



Join Father Grace on Tuesday, **November 15th from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** in the Father Behan Hall. **Episode 5: "The Indispensable Men: Peter, Paul, and the Missionary Adventure"** presents the Church's missionary endeavor which begins with the adventures of Saint Peter and Saint Paul. From Ephesus, Corinth, Athens, and Rome and to the far reaches of the world, Bishop Robert Barron traces the influence of these two great apostles and their enduring legacies in the life of the Church.

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 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 Tuesday and Thursday 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

In contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law. Galatians 5:22-23. Meets every **Tuesday from 1:00pm to 3:00pm in the Senior Room.** Any questions call Lucille at 631-586-2438.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every **Friday from 1:00pm to 4:00pm in the Chapel.** The first hour we pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy. The last two hours we spend in silent prayer.

BLACK CATHOLICS MINISTRY

If anyone is interested please contact Donna Dixon at 631-664-5692.

SENIOR CLUB

Our next meeting will be on **December 6, 2022 at 2:30pm** in the Father Behan Hall. Any questions call John Kelly at 631-586-0827. Join us at our Christmas Party at Captain Bills. For more information call Mary Indelicato at 631-667-2998.

USHERS

Ushers are needed at all Masses. If you would like to help out at the Mass you attend then please call Paul Coppola at 631-587-9649 for more information.

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

We would like to thank everyone who attended, donated, organized, sponsored and helped to make the Masquerade Murder Mystery Dinner a success. A good time was had by all and the funds raised will allow us to continue to help neighbors in our community. Our biggest fund raiser is the annual Craft Fair on Sunday, November 27, 2022 from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm. Please join us that day maybe do some Christmas shopping or treat yourself to something nice. If you have any questions, please call Mike Gonzalez at 917-705-5355 or Jane McMahon at 516-816-1930.

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 or call and leave a message at 631-667-4044 ext. 175.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

There is no meeting in December. Instead please join us at our **Christmas Party on December 4th**. Information on page 18. Any questions call Alba Barra at 631-274-5570.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY COLUMBIETTES

Our next meeting is **November 14th at 7:30 p.m.** at Our Lady of the Rosary Council on Long Island Ave. Any questions call Inez Schillinger, President at 631-586-2176.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

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 December 3rd, 2022.** Any questions call Nancy Lanni at 631-242-5078.

SS CYRIL AND METHODIUS HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Our next 6 Hour **Defensive Driving Course** is **November 19th**, in the Father Behan Hall. Coffee and bagel breakfast at 8:30am donated by Mangano Funeral Home. Pizza lunch provided by Shannon Macleod Elder Law Attorney. Space is limited. No Walk Ins allowed. If you would like to sign up for the Defensive Driving Course, please contact Phil Hogan at 631-667-9148.

CHURCH DECORATING FOR ADVENT

We will be decorating the church for Advent on Friday, November 25th. We'll meet in the church at 1:00 pm. No experience is necessary. If you have any questions, please contact Tim Leitch 631-806-4715. Thank you!

COME JOIN US
SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL PRESENTS
917-705-5355 FOR INFO
FREE ENTRY
8:30AM - 4PM

Christmas CRAFT FAIR

27 NOV

- MUSIC
- VENDORS
- FOOD
- RAFFLES
- DOOR PRIZES
- 50/50'S
- PHOTOS WITH SANTA
- FACE PAINTING

SS CYRIL & METHODIUS CHURCH
125 HALF HOLLOW RD, DEER PARK, NY

Councilman Anthony Manetta
is teaming up with the
Deer Park Knights of Columbus
Council #4428
to collect **NEW, UNWRAPPED** toys for
Emily's Awesome Toy Drive!



This Drive-Up Drop-Off Event
will take place on
December 3, 2022 from 9am-12pm
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PARKING LOT
759 Long Island Avenue ♦ Deer Park, 11729

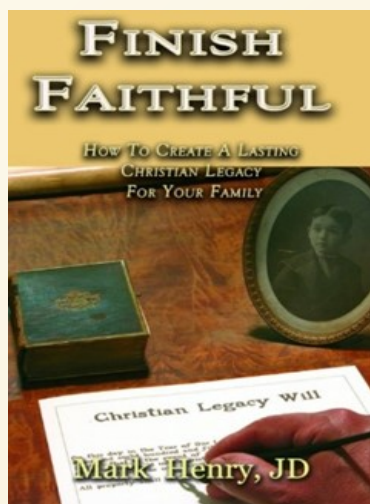
If you cannot make it, please drop off your toy donation to
Councilman Manetta's office or call 631-957-4482
for more information!

SAINTS CYRIL AND METHODIUS

presents

CATHOLIC BIOETHICS: Its Impact on You, Your Family & Your Planning



Guest Speaker:
Mark Henry, JD
author, FINISH FAITHFUL



IMPORTANT SUBJECTS TO BE COVERED:

- ♦ Lessons Learned from The Covid-19 Pandemic
- ♦ Catholic Teachings on Life Sustaining Care & Euthanasia
- ♦ Steps Catholics Can Take to Ensure Their Health Care Decisions Are Carried Out
- ♦ New Ways to Save More Taxes When You Give
- ♦ How Catholics Can Protect Their Families and Leave a Legacy

NEW DATE!

Day/Date/Time: **Saturday, November 12, 2022, 6:00 PM** (*after the 5:00 PM Mass*)

Location: **Fr. Behan Hall**

REFRESHMENTS AND SNACKS WILL BE SERVED

This is a parish hosted event so there is no charge, but seating is limited, so please arrive early to assure your seat by calling 516-578-5800 ext. 257.

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Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, in the Father Behan Hall. For more information and **to register** please call Mary at 631.291.7020

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-Pope Francis

The Catholic Ministries Appeal enables us to serve more than 600,000 people in our community each year.

Let us join and cheerfully share our gifts, so that we can:

Feed and clothe the needy

Comfort the sick and dying

Protect the dignity of all life

Teach our children about our Faith through religious education programs

Educate seminarians on their path to becoming priests

Support outreach programs at the Parish level

Bring our Faith to young people through youth, young adult and campus ministry programs

Thank You!

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OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

PATRONESS OF THE AMERICAS

PATRONESS OF THE UNBORN

*Come celebrate as we share Mary's
Concern for the Poor and Powerless*

On:

Monday, December 12 at 5:00pm

PROCESSION AND MASS AT

THE PARISH OF

STS. CYRIL AND METHODIUS

125 Half Hollow Road, Deer Park N.Y., 11729

*Following the Mass Re-Enactment Apparitions of
OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE,*

Will be the OLOG

Celebration Dinner at

Father Behan Hall- (church auditorium)

Featuring "Latin America" Cuisine

200 people Limit

Donation: \$10 Adult, children free

❖ Raffle Table 3tkd x \$5.00 - 7tkts x \$10.00

***Proceeds to Ss Cyril and Methodius Church
and Our Lady of Guadalupe Schools***

For more information contact Carmen Gomez # (631) 243-6146

FRIDAYS OF ADVENT

December 2, 9 and 16 at 7:00 pm in the Church



Please join us for an **ADVENT TRIPTYCH**
three nights of ADVENT PRAYER AND REFLECTION

December 2 – Advent Evening of Recollection for Children and Families, Christmas story telling.

December 9 – Lessons & Carols

December 16 – Advent Holy Hour & Vespers. Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament, Evening Prayer and Benediction, with music lead by our choir

An open book with musical notes flowing over it. The notes are yellow and gold, and the background is a textured purple.

Lessons & Carols

Friday, DECEMBER 9, 2022 AT 7:00 PM in the Church

A Ceremony of Lessons and Carols is a service of Scripture and song that dates to the late 19th century. In this service, we listen to nine Scripture lessons which recount the Fall, the promise of a Messiah, the Incarnation, and the Great Commission to preach the Good News. Each lesson is followed by a carol or other song that reflects on the lesson's message and a brief prayer.

Please mark your calendar and be sure to join us, as we prepare to celebrate the birth of our Lord!

Make a Joyful Noise!

FUTURE EVENTS

Friday, December 9th , 7:00PM – **A CEREMONY OF ADVENT LESSONS AND CAROLS**, featuring the combined choirs, cantors and musicians of our parish and those of several neighboring parishes. This will be the perfect way to properly prepare for the coming of our Lord at Christmas!

Friday, March 10th , 7:00PM – **LENTEN TAIZE PRAYER AROUND THE CROSS**, featuring Taize chants accompanied by piano, flute, violin and guitar in a prayerful atmosphere, uniquely lit by candlelight. This will be a striking meditation on the meaning of the cross of Christ and promises to be an essential Lenten experience.

Friday, May 26th , 7:00pm – **PARISH SPRING CONCERT**, featuring sacred and secular works performed by our own musicians, choirs, cantors and our pastor, priests and deacons! This concert will be a time to celebrate our parish and the gifts our Lord has showered on us all. This year's tentative theme: ***“Encounter, Listen and Discern”***.

If you would like to help defray the costs of these special events, as well as, regular Music Ministry expenses, please consider becoming a ***Liturgical Music Patron***. If you have been blessed and are able to help, please leave a message for Deacon James with the receptionist at the rectory - 631 667 4044 x100.

Respect Life

The Respect Life Ministry is implementing the **“WALKING WITH MOMS”** ministry where we will be available to assist Moms in need with necessary baby needs items and support.

This will be an evolving mission, and we will learn as we grow, where it will take us!

If being a part of this ministry is of interest to you, please call and leave a voice mail message on the Respect Life Ministry #631-667-4044 Ext. 120

Margie Reilly

If you or someone you know is in need of support (items like diapers/wipes, or formula) for your newborn, toddler or expectant baby, please call us at 631-667-4044 Ext 120 and leave a voice message. We are here for you and will get back to you and help in any way that we can!

**** Please join in the Diocesan Rosary for Life**
GO TO: WWW.DRVCLIFE.ORG website for the zoom link
WHEN: Every Friday at 3:00pm

This is a beautiful way to put your faith into action by way of saying the Rosary with others!

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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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BINGO

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

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Thank you to all those who donated. Through your generosity 45 pints of blood was donated. Just a few minutes of your time (and a pint of your blood) has changed so many lives. Not just of those receiving it, but of their loved ones as well. Not only does your donation save lives but because of you 45 lbs. of food was donated to our Food Pantry. Thank you again and may God bless you abundantly.

Parish Social Ministry

PANTRY NEEDS:

FOOD

1. Ramen Noodles
2. Crackers (Ritz type)
3. Canned Corn
4. Oil
5. Vinegar
6. Sugar
7. Flour
8. Jello
9. Pudding
10. Mayonnaise
11. Ketchup
12. Mustard
13. Salad Dressing
14. Pasta sauce (24 oz. jars)
15. Boxed Pasta

NON FOOD ITEMS

1. Toilet Paper
2. Paper Towels
3. Tissues
4. Napkins
5. Laundry detergent
6. Dishwashing Liquid

Gift cards are always welcome. Please purchase gift cards from the rectory if possible as the church receives a percentage of the sale and it does not cost the parishioner or user any more than purchasing at the store. This helps both the Church and Parish Social Ministry at the same time. Thank you.

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HELPFUL PHONE NUMBERS

Alcoholics Anonymous 24-Hour Hotline:

631-669-1124

Al-Anon Suffolk County: 631-669-2827

American Red Cross: LI:516-747-3500

Pregnancy Support Hot Line:

631-476-LOVE (5683)

Brighter Tomorrow (Domestic Violence):

631-395-1800

Catholic Charities (Food Stamp Info):631-789-9546

Child Advocacy Center (CAC) (Child Abuse):

631-439-0480

Fidelis Insurance (Family Health Plus):

1-888-343-3547

Gamblers Anonymous Hotline: 1-855-222-5542

Good Shepherd Hospice:631-376-3758

Hope House Ministries:631-473-6030

L.I. Women's Coalition (Domestic Violence):

631-666-8833

Narcotics Anonymous:631-689-6262

National Suicide Prevention Hotline:

1-800-SUICIDE

Response Crisis Center:

631-751-7500 (Suicide Hotline)

The Retreat (Domestic Violence Hotline):

631-329-2200

Conexion Linea de Crisis (Mon-Fri: 5-10 PM)

631-751-7423

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

- In need of **Adult Altar Servers** for the 8:00 am Mass. Leave a message at the front desk for Fr Chris Deh or email him at frchris@sscmdp.org. Some training is involved

- **Cleaning Ministry** - Meets Friday at 1:45 after Confessions. To volunteer, contact jloring@sscmdp.org.

- In need of **Livestream Technician** for the 9:30 am Sunday Family Mass. Training will be offered. A good inclusion to your resume if you are studying communications. College kids welcome.

- **Reach OUT Ministry.** Volunteers are needed as "call center agents" to give about two hours per week to come to the parish office and call the numbers in the Parish Registry (about 6,000 members) over a period of time to check how people are and see how we can serve them better - if they are receiving their envelopes, if they have pressing needs that our Social Ministry can assist with, if they want to receive bulletins in the mail, and inquire about other concerns.

The Rosary Altar Society CHRISTMAS PARTY

Sunday, December 4, 2022

12:30 pm in the Father Behan Hall

DONATION \$10.00 Adults

RSVP by November 25, 2022

Make checks payable to the Rosary Altar Society

For information call Alba Barra at 631-274-5570



**Please bring a can of food, a toy or a blanket
for the dogs and cats in the
Babylon Animal Shelter**

Let's make their Christmas merry and bright