

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

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125 HALF HOLLOW RD, DEER PARK, NY 11729

Pentecost Sunday

May 28, 2023



Dear Parishioners,

Let us pray for our boys and girls who will be confirmed this Tuesday, May 30th, 2023 by Bishop John Barres. May they be inspired to exercise the gifts of the Holy Spirit given to them on the day of their Confirmation.

As we look out at the trees and flowers brought by springtime, there is a newness of creation everywhere. Today there is a newness, completion to the Liturgical year as we celebrate **PENTECOST**, the coming of the Holy Spirit. There are so many ways to meditate

on this special feast – from consideration of the meaning of the name itself to the way the apostles approached this feast. Perhaps we could start with the words of the Sequence:

Come, Holy Spirit, come!
And from your celestial home
Shed a ray of light divine!

It was in that upper room that Jesus appeared to His apostles on Easter and today it is the Holy Spirit that rests on each person as a invisible tongue of fire, giving each one that special gift to speak – live. On this special day let each one of us be quiet, open to the Spirit at this time as with the apostles when “suddenly there comes a noise like a strong driving wind, that fills the entire house. Then appear tongues of fire that come to rest on each one so that they are filled with the Holy Spirit.”

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Readings and Songs this Sunday

No. 1084 in the Blue Gather Hymnal

1st Reading: **Acts 2:1-11**

2nd Reading: **1 Corinthians 12:3b-7,12-13**

Gospel Reading: **John 20:19-23**

LITURGICAL MUSIC for the Holy Mass:

Come, Holy Ghost **#559**

O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God **#902**

We Are Many Parts **#834**

City of God **#766**

(All Masses except Sunday 6pm)



MEMORIAL DAY
in gratitude for the sacrifice

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: Transept 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, 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

Rev. Gius Garcia, *Pastor*, Ext. 121

Rev. Christopher Deh, *Associate Pastor*, Ext. 165

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)

Deacon John F. Fitzpatrick, Ext. 124

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

Deacon William Sperl, Ext. 112

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

Mary Malerba

John Grieb



Mrs. Joan Ann Loring, Ext. 122

Parish Secretary / Bulletin Editor

Mrs. Marianne Saffran, Ext. 115

Baptism & Wedding Coordinator

Ms. Allison Taibi Ext. 111,

Bookkeeper

MASS INTENTIONS	
Monday	May 29
	Memorial Day
8:30 AM:	In prayerful remembrance of all our nations war dead Only one Mass at 8:30 AM
Tuesday	May 30
7:00 AM:	For all those who received the Sacrament of Confirmation
8:30 AM:	For all those who received the Sacrament of Confirmation
12:15 PM:	No 12:15 pm Mass due to Confirmation
Wednesday	May 31
7:00 AM:	For Laura Malerba's intentions
8:30 AM:	Laura Fiore Ostermann
12:15 PM:	For Heather J. Paulino's intentions
Thursday	June 1
7:00 AM:	For Mary Bridget Kravitz's intentions
8:30 AM:	Theresa Young
12:15 PM:	Catherine and Catello Scala
Friday	June 2
7:00 AM:	For Russell Salerno's intentions
8:30 AM:	Diane Laing
12:15 PM:	Joseph C. Freely
Saturday	June 3
8:30 AM	Purgatorial Society
5:00 PM	Louise Compitello, Renee Pisotti, Kathleen Schutte, Charlie and Eileen McCarthy
Sunday	June 4
8:00 AM	For Chuen Kam Chan-Shek's intentions
9:30 AM	Filomena Rose Ariola
11:00 AM	Angel Louis Lomena, Eileen McErlain, Jean Nowicki, John Schutz, Damian J. Aiello Jr.
12:30 AM	Filomena Rose Ariola
6:00 PM	Ronald Rosato

PRESIDERS FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASSES	
Saturday,	June 3
5:00 PM:	Fr. Gregory Cappuccino (50th Anniversary)
Sunday,	June 4
8:00 AM:	Fr. Paul Bersamin
9:30 AM:	Fr. Christopher Deh
11:00 AM:	Fr. Patrick Grace
12:30 PM:	Fr. Gius Garcia
6:00 PM:	Fr. Christopher Deh



REST IN PEACE
Alfonso J. Cellini, Paul DellaUniversita

NEWLY BAPTIZED
Christopher Julian Ibarra, Gianna Elizabeth Joseph, Neil Joseph Mazella, III

BANNES OF MARRIAGE
Third Banns
James Siefert — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
Deana Hajduk — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
Second Banns
Harrison Lave — St. David Armenian Apostolic Church
Kristin McDonough —
Devin T. Ahern —
Kathleen M. Dauz — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
First Banns
Joseph Panzarella — Our Lady of Lourdes, West Islip
Sarah Geary — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
Michael Valenti — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
Kelly Martin — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
John Soldinger — St. Patrick, Bay Shore
Erika Stern — St. Patrick, Bay Shore

PRAY FOR THE SICK
Margaret McCartney, Leonard Caltabiano, Connie Rigert, Stanley Urbanowski, Theresa Schaefer, Stephen Neveroski, Eugene Sheehy, Clemente Oropallo, Kevin Talbot, Jean Fortunato, Joyce Ratushny, Louis Xavier Maldonado, Kristen Mills, Tony Bufalino, Jackie Becker, Carmine Soldano, Diane Ryan, Brendan Gould, Julio Cesar Rivera, Joseph E. Torres, Parette Gisele Torres, Sydney Ann Torres, Eric, Joseph Pepe, Providence Hulsen, Lisa Hulsen, Thomas Kane, Baby Dominic, Danielle E. Shingler, Bob Lockwood, Heather Dunne, Tammy Walsh, Mary Theresa Deegan, Edmond Fitzgerald, Inez Schillinger, Jackie McDonald, JoAnn Oberlies, Paul Kabaservice, Helene Horodnicki, Lauren Lombardi, Maggie McLoughlin, Nicholas Schiralli, Joseph Castellano, Eliana Vasquez, Olivia Marie, Dennis Lombardi, David Lombardi, Joseph Fay, Hilde Fenton, Vita Rose Cacace, Michael Castellano, Baby Harry, Anthony Luparello, Dolores Otten, Roseanne Pupillo, Rosa Maria Calvo, Sebastian Viera, Doreen Hulsen, Matthew DiCamillo, Mary Anne Tarquino, Christopher Wall, Lydia Revero, Maria Garcia, Rosemarie Dorspy, Kathleen Jacobi, Rosa Maria Calvo

WE PRAY ESPECIALLY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN
Staff Sgt. Joseph Evola, Karley Hawkins, Sean O'Farrell von Fenton, Lt. Patrick H. LaMonica, Lt. Jonathan W. La Monica, 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, Kyle Chanley US Army



FROM THE PASTOR

...from cover page

Wisdom - exercise good judgment

Understanding - have insight and discern meaning

Counsel - inform, guide, warn, encourage.

Fortitude - an unwavering commitment to God

Knowledge - acquire information – use it for constructive purposes.

Fear of the Lord - awe, reverence, and respect for God.

Piety - live a decent life, devoted to God, obedient to His will.

Which tongue of fire does the Holy Spirit have for each of us at this time?

Come Holy Spirit,
fill the hearts of your faithful,
kindle in them the fire of your love.
send forth your Spirit,
they shall be created.
You shall renew the face of the earth.



Fr. Gins Garcia

We remember how you loved us...

MAY 28 to JUNE 3

BREAD AND WINE

- Deacon John Fitzpatrick on his 25th Ordination Anniversary to the Deaconate. Love, Kerry and Steve.

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

- In honor of Maria Cusanelli. Requested by Richard and Liz Keller.

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

MAY 21, 2023

Regular Collection \$14,913.65

Online Giving \$ 1,371.32

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Goal \$125,200

\$70,090.00 Pledged

55.98% of Parish Goal

Thank you, and God Bless you, for your faithful weekly Stewardship of our Parish and for your support of the 2023 Catholic Ministries Appeal!

Veni, Sancte Spiritus! Come, Holy Spirit!

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

Congratulations!!!

Deacon John Fitzpatrick

25th Ordination Anniversary

Who is a Deacon?

A deacon is an ordained minister of the Catholic Church. There are three groups, or "orders," of ordained ministers in the Church: bishops, presbyters and deacons. Deacons are ordained as a sacramental sign to the Church and to the world of Christ, who came "to serve and not to be served." The entire Church is called by Christ to serve, and the deacon, in virtue of his sacramental ordination and through his various ministries, is to be a servant in a servant-Church.

What are these "various ministries" of the Deacon?

All ordained ministers in the Church are called to functions of Word, Sacrament, and Charity, but bishops, presbyters and deacons exercise these functions in various ways. As ministers of Word, deacons proclaim the Gospel, preach, and teach in the name of the Church. As ministers of Sacrament, deacons baptize, lead the faithful in prayer, witness marriages, and conduct wake and funeral services. As ministers of Charity, deacons are leaders in identifying the needs of others, then marshaling the Church's resources to meet those needs. Deacons are also dedicated to eliminating the injustices or inequities that cause such needs. But no matter what specific functions a deacon performs, they flow from his sacramental identity. In other words, it is not only WHAT a deacon does, but WHO a deacon is, that is important.

Respect Life

Learn More, Be Informed

"Holding fast the faithful word which is in accordance with the teaching, so that he will be able both to exhort in sound doctrine and to refute those who contradict." -Tit. 1:9

We must be knowledgeable on all life topics, keep informed on legislative issues, and learn how our Catholic moral teaching is applied to matters of daily living especially in the biological sciences and healthcare, i.e. bioethics.

[Education – DRVC Office of Human Life, Family, & Bioethics \(drvc.org\)](http://drvc.org)

At the Top of the DRVCLIFE.ORG page click on EDUCATION to find the following informational topics;

Concerns of Human Life & Family

Abortion, Chemical / Abortion, Surgical
Adoption / Aging
Biomedical Research (Stem Cells, cloning, etc.)
Chastity/Marriage / Conscience Protection
Contraception / Death Penalty
Euthanasia/Assisted Suicide / End of Life Issues
Fatherhood / Human Dignity / Human Trafficking
Natural Family Planning / Pornography / Redemptive Suffering
Same Sex Attraction/Gender Identity Discordance
Suicide / Vaccines / Women's Health

Maternal Support Service:

If you are pregnant or in need of assistance, for yourself, your newborn or toddler:

Call the Respect Life Ministry @ 631-667-4044 Ext 120 & leave a message.

Know that you are not alone, and we are here to walk this journey with you!

[Join us on the Diocesan Rosary for Life by ZOOM](https://www.drvc.org)

[Fridays at 3:00 pm www.drvc.org \(EASY LINK ON TOP OF PAGE\)](https://www.drvc.org)

Family Faith Formation and Religious Education

Happy Pentecost!

*Come, Holy Spirit, come!
And from your celestial home
Shed a ray of light divine!
Come, Holy Spirit, come!*

*On the faithful, who adore
And confess you, evermore
In your sevenfold gift descend;
Come, Holy Spirit, come!*



This Sunday, we celebrate Pentecost, the day that the Holy Spirit came down on Mary and the Apostles fifty days after Easter. It is the Church's Birthday! This Feast Day marks the official liturgical end of the Easter Season, and gives us all a command (and is one of my favorite scripture passages!); "Go forth and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit" (Matthew 28:16-20)! May all of us continue to spread the Gospel Message through our actions, and our love of our Catholic Faith, and that our hearts be burning with love for our Lord today and always. **Happy Birthday, everyone!**

This week, our Level 8 students will be encountering the Holy Spirit in a deeply personal way as they receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please be sure to keep all of them in your prayers!

May Crowning

On Sunday, May 14th, we held our May Crowning at our 9:30am Family Mass! Special thanks to all of our boys and girls who came to help us present flowers to our Blessed Mother, especially our students who came in their First Holy Communion outfits! We loved celebrating Mama Mary and all of our moms at this very special Mother's Day Mass!



Administration

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Facebook: SsCyrilandMethodiusRCC

**We congratulate our boys and girls
who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.**

Almendares, Melanie
Aquino, Aidan
Arrascue, Daniel
Atteniese, Justin
Azzaretto, Ava
Barrera, Valentina
Belliard, Miguel
Benlioglu, Ayden
Bernabel, Orlando
Biondo, Julianna
Bloom, Colin
Bosquet, Sebastien
Bossier, Olivia
Bruno, Evan
Burns, Philip
Busse, Emily
Cafiso, Antonietta
Caparco, Joseph
Caroleo, John
Caruso, Valentina
Castro, Ashley
Clark, Jaxon
Colon, Cristian
Coppola, Gabriella
Cordaro, Gia
Cornelia, Chelsea
Cortes, Alyssa
Cristelot, Chloe
Damiano, Joseph
Dang, Logan
Dang, Travis
Davila, Matthew

Delargy, Jenna
Dowd, Colin
Dragotta, Nicholas Jay
Duffy, Finley
Escobar, Elijah
Fernandez, Christian
Figueroa, Sarah
Franco, Gianessa
Franz, Connor
Galan, Raylucas
Galluccio, Salvatore
George, Joseph
Giunta, Angelina
Gloria, Matthew
Goldberg, Savannah
Hamar, Lana
Hannan, Melissa
Hastie, Leila
Hauser, Dominic
Hector, Javion
Hoang, Brian
Horner, Emily
Howe, Michael
Hyney, Aubrey
Ierulli, Eva
Jarvis, Madison
Kappel, Ruby
Kierran, Meredith
Konopka, Emily
Lam, John
Leh, Michael
Lopez, Bianca

Mathieu, Travis
McGuinness, Connor
McNamara, Tyler
Melendez, Matthew
Merolus, Laurie-Ann
Samantha
Milankovic, Anthony
Miller, Jack
Montes, Gianna
Moran, Leah
Nguyen, Martha
Olthoff, Noah
Orellana, Briana
Orrego, Michael
O'Haire, Marissa
Pena, Kevin
Pham, Andy
Pham, Jessica
Pham, Kimly
Pham Vinhson
Pichardo, Louis
Pisano, Francesco
Reina, Joseph
Rodriguez, Anthony
Rodriguez, Guillermo
Rodriguez, Jaylene
Rodriguez-Andino,
Mauricio
Rodriguez Perla, Beatriz
Ruiz, Alex
Sambolin, Matthew
Scelzi, Michael
Setiadi, Jayden



Sganga, Paul
Silverstein, Talon
Simono, Yanieli
Sosa, Melanie
Stallone, Luciano
Steed, Samantha
Tejero, Alessandra
Ticas, Ryan
Torre, Alex
Tran, Samantha
Valdemira, Rosalina
Vento, Vincent
Vila, Kaelyn
Vo, Martha
Vuono, Nicholas
Wallace, Grace
Warren, Abigail
Zaccagnino, Patricia
Zappola, Cayden

CATHOLICISM



Join Father Grace on Tuesday, **May 30th from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** in the Father Behan Hall.

Episode 5: Priest, Prophet, King In this deeply biblical presentation, Bishop Barron brings us closer to Christ not only as our Savior, but also as the consummate Priest, Prophet, and King as foreshadowed in the Old Testament. These divinely-ordained roles become our calling as well once we are baptized into Christ.

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

"Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire which parted and came to rest on each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit." Acts:2:3-4 Meets every **Tuesday from 1:00pm to 3:00pm in the Senior Room.** **We will not meet Tuesday, May 30th.** 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. **Will resume in the near future.**

BLACK CATHOLICS MINISTRY

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

SENIOR CLUB

Our next meeting will be on **June 6th, 2023 at 2:30pm** in the Father Behan Hall. Come join our picnic in June. Any questions 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.

GREETERS

Greeters are needed at all Masses. If you would like to greet at the Mass you attend then please call Cathie Taibi at 917-597-1559.

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

Today we celebrate Pentecost, Jesus says to his disciples: "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you". May we be disciples to our neighbors in need.

If you would like to donate clothing, the bins in the north side of the church are for clothing only. To donate furniture, please call 631-858-0380. To donate household goods, please visit the SVDP Thrift Stores at 1705 Jericho Turnpike, Huntington, NY 11743 or 2160 Jericho Turnpike, Garden City Park, NY 11040 or visit www.svdpli.org for additional information. Thank you!

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

Our next meeting is **Saturday, June 3rd at 9:00am in the Fr. Behan Hall.** Any questions call Alba Barra at 631-274-5570.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY COLUMBIETTES

Our next meeting is **June 12th at 7:30 p.m.** at Our Lady of the Rosary Council on Long Island Ave. At this meeting we will install our Board of Officers for 2023-2024. If you would like to become a member please call Inez Schillinger, President at 631-586-2176.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

We meet the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month. Please call Grand Knight Dan Thompson at 646-529-4850 if interested in becoming a member.

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 June 3rd, 2023.** Any questions call Nancy Lanni at 631-242-5078.

SS CYRIL AND METHODIUS HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Our next 6 Hour **Defensive Driving Course** is **June 17th** 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.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Has been cancelled until further notice. For more information call Diana at 845-428-2272.

WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets every **3rd Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Senior Room.** For more information call Diana at 845-428-2272.



Liturgy is something that the whole Body of Christ celebrates together. Jesus, the one true High Priest, together with His Body, the Church in heaven and here on earth (all of us!).

While the Holy Mass is what we usually think of when we hear the word "liturgy," any public communal prayer event of the Church is liturgical. This includes the various rites the Church celebrates outside of the Holy Mass, including the Liturgy of the Hours, Baptisms and Wedding ceremonies, to name a few.

We all "do" liturgy together, with one another and with Jesus Christ present in and among us, as one body.

The crowning jewel of Catholic liturgy is the celebration of the Holy Eucharist, where Jesus becomes present to us in the Sacred Host. Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity. What a glorious gift indeed!

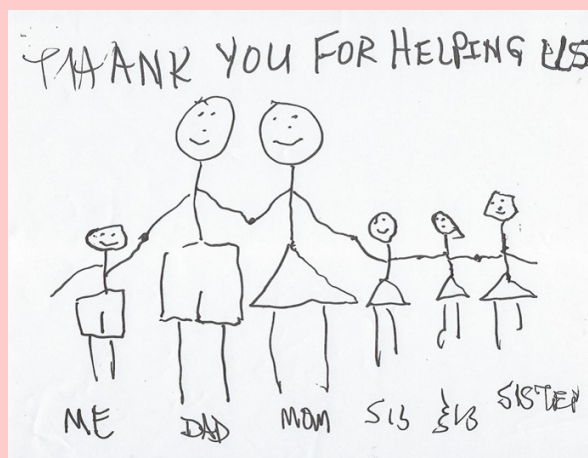
Parish Social Ministry

This "Mom and Dad" are actually an older couple.

The children were sent to them from Florida because no one else would take them in. The actual Mother and Father were each sentenced to 25 years in prison.

Keep this family in your prayers.

They have made a beautiful home for them.



We are very much in need of Bilingual Volunteers. If you, or someone you know is bilingual and can volunteer some hours to the Parish Social Ministry program please call me. I will do whatever I can to work around your schedule. 631-667-4044 ext 105.

Thank you in advance for considering helping us.

Have a great week and God Bless you all.

Janet

PANTRY NEEDS:

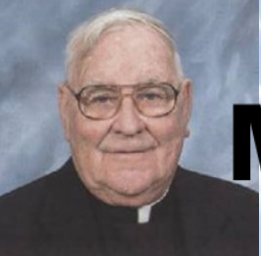
FOOD

1. Pasta Sauce Jar
2. Boxed Pasta
3. Ramen Noodles
4. Vegetable Oil
5. Shelf Stable Juice
6. Salad Dressing
7. Sugar
8. Flour

NON FOOD ITEMS

1. Laundry detergent
2. Bar Soap
3. Shower Wash
4. Toilet Paper
5. Paper Towels
6. Dishwashing Liquid
(not for dishwasher)
7. Toothbrushes (badly needed)

We have a lot of shampoo and conditioner
(literally cases of it)



Rev. Msgr. Thaddeus Rooney Memorial Golf Outing & Dinner

Thursday, **JUNE 15, 2023** + Timber Point Country Club, Great River

Sponsored by **MANGANO FUNERAL HOME, INC.**

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 & Cock-
tails

\$75.00 Dinner only



PRIZES INCLUDE: Closest to Pin, Closest to Pin Sec-
ond 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 26

ALL MONEY DUE BY JUNE 6

FOR MORE INFO,
PLEASE CALL:

Sal Mangano
(631) 586-3600,
Mike Conboy
(631) 539-8932,
Rosemarie Brady
(631) 681-6336,
Mary Malerba
(631) 291-7020
Russell Salerno
(631) 291-7020,
Joe & Teri Schiano
(631) 595-1709,
Carol Tannehill
(631) 988-9906,
Dcn. Phil Mills
(631) 667-4044 X 110

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 \$ _____

LITURGICAL MINISTER TRAINING – SPRING 2023

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 Workshop is available for both new and experienced lectors.

DATES AND LOCATIONS FOR LITURGICAL MINISTER TRAINING

Saturday, June 3 – St. Paul the Apostle / Brookville – Lower Level; 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, June 3 - St. Paul the Apostle / Brookville – Lower Level; 1:00 – 4:00 pm.*

*We are offering Part A and Part B on the SAME day. Those who attend Part A in the morning are welcome to bring lunch or leave for lunch and return for the 1pm Part B session. Only those pre-registered for part B will be allowed to stay for this second session.



*One Family - Journeying together in
Communion, Participation and Mission*



"Welcoming people with disabilities and responding to their needs is a duty of the civil and ecclesial communities,"

-Pope Francis

The goal of the Parish Social Ministry is to connect and bring people together in communion in order to build community. At Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, Centerport, there are approximately 15 ministries that are a part of the PSM; youngsters to seniors minister to build a community of faith, hope and love.

Christopher is a Leader in the OLQM Special needs Respite Program for many years.

"It's a very fun way for people with special needs to socialize and meet new people by participating in various activities, games and special breakfasts with prayer and guest speakers. There is a Special Needs mass and I lector. The program has helped me build more confidence socially and to step outside of my comfort zone and to interact with more people with special needs. My family is blessed to have me a part of the program," shared Christopher.



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WON'T YOU BE MY NEIGHBOR

Our *Reach Out* committee of 5 has been slowly contacting our parishioners to update our records and see what needs they have. We can use more help in making these calls. See below on how to volunteer.

We have had requests for receiving the bulletin at home and also a friendly visit to those who can't get out. Won't you be a *neighbor* and drop off a bulletin to someone in your *neighborhood* on the way home from church.

Can you spare a bit of time to stop in and visit a *neighbor*, it would be so welcome.

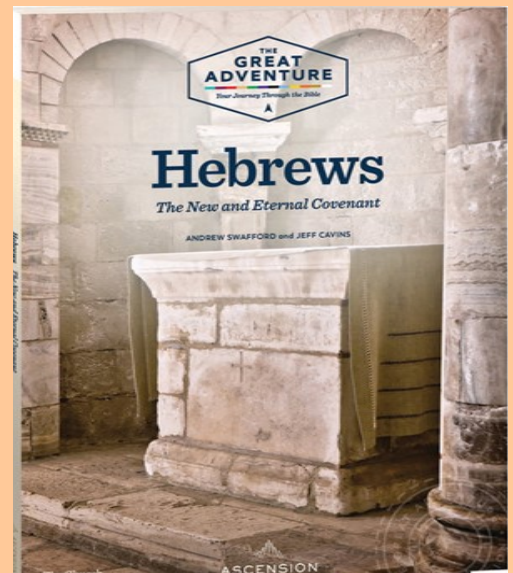
Please call Kerry Brennan at 631 586 6294 to help

Bible Study Class Continues.... All are welcome!

Hebrews: The New and Eternal Covenant is a 4-week study program that takes Catholics on a guided tour of what is considered the "Holy of Holies" of biblical theology.

Presented by Dr. Andrew Swafford and Jeff Cavins, this study program draws out the meaning of the book of Hebrews **in a simple way** so Catholics can see, appreciate, and **take hold of the riches God has given** them in the New Covenant.

Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, beginning May 17th – June 7, 2023 in Father Behan Hall For more information and **to register** please call Mary at 631.291.7020



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there is something else that you would like,
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CVS, Dick's Sporting Goods - **\$25**

Home Depot, Kohl's, Lowes,

Macy's, Michael's, Olympic Diner - **\$25**

Panera, Pet Smart, Red Lobster,

Regal Movie, Rite Aid, Shutterfly - **\$25**

Speedway, Staples, Stop & Shop, Tanger Outlets - **\$25**

Target, Texas Roadhouse, Walgreens - **\$25**

Dunkin Donuts, Panera, Regal Movie, Starbucks - **\$10**

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