

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

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

Baptism of the Lord

January 12, 2025

Today we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. In today's Gospel, as in the other Gospel accounts of Jesus' baptism, we hear John the Baptist address the confusion of the people who thought that John might be the Messiah. In response, John contrasts the baptism that he performs with the Baptism that Jesus will inaugurate. John the Baptist says that he has baptized with water, but that someone will come and baptize with the Holy Spirit. The type of baptism that John performed was not yet a Christian Baptism; it was a preparation for Christian Baptism through which sins are forgiven and the gift of the Holy Spirit is received.

The baptism of Jesus is reported in each of the three Synoptic Gospels—Matthew, Mark, and Luke. Clearly, it was an event of great significance for Jesus and for the early Christian community. The Evangelists Mark and Luke report the story from Jesus' perspective; the

voice from heaven is addressed to Jesus. Compare this to Matthew's Gospel in which the voice from heaven speaks to everyone. In Luke, however, the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus during his time of prayer after his baptism. Through his Gospel, Luke will show Jesus to be a person of prayer who withdraws regularly from the crowds and his disciples to pray to his Father.

The baptism of Jesus is considered a manifestation of God in Jesus, another "epiphany." On this, the last day of the Christmas season, our Gospel reveals to us Jesus' relation to God: the son of Mary and Joseph is also God's own Son. In Luke's Gospel, all three members of the Trinity are manifested here: God the Father in the voice, the Holy Spirit descending, and Jesus the Son. At the beginning of his Gospel, Luke is communi-

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Readings and Songs this Sunday

No. 1014 in the Blue Gather Hymnal

1st Reading: **Isaiah 40:1-5,9-11**

2nd Reading: **Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7**

Gospel Reading: **Luke 3:15-16,21-22**

LITURGICAL MUSIC for the Holy Mass:

Baptized in Water **#903**

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

Here I Am, Lord **#777**

City of God **#766**

(All Masses except Sunday 6pm)



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: (Confessional)
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 — Saturday
9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Tuesday & Thursday:
4:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Sunday — closed

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
10:00 am - 3:00 pm
Other hours by appointment only.
Email: socialministry@sscmdp.org

BAPTISM: Saturday at 12:30 pm and Sunday at 2:00 pm. Contact the Parish Office to arrange for an interview and to register for the required preparation class.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance and prior to wedding reception plans. Call the Parish Center to make an appointment for the initial intake.

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

THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Saturdays after the 8:30 am Mass (inform priest before Mass or request for it after Mass) . In an emergency, call the Parish Office to request a priest. Outside office hours, call (631) 667-4044, Ext. 9.

PASTORAL STAFF: (631) 667-4044

Rev. Gius Garcia, *Pastor*, Ext. 121
Rev. Christopher Deh, *Associate Pastor*, Ext. 165
Rev. Paul Bersamin, *Associate Pastor*, Ext. 170
Rev. Gregory Cappuccino, *Occasional Help, (Retired)*

Deacon John F. Fitzpatrick, Ext. 124
Deacon James A. Murano, *Liturgical Music* Ext. 127

Ms. Carol Tannehill, *Rel Ed Coordinator*, Ext. 145
Mrs. Janet McEnany, *OFS, Social Ministry*, Ext 105
Mr. Timothy Leitch, *Youth Ministry*, Ext. 154
Deacon Philip A. Mills, Jr. *Business Manager*, Ext. 110

PARISH TRUSTEES

Tom Richardson
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	January 13
7:00 AM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
8:30 AM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
12:15 PM:	Vincent DiVasto
Tuesday	January 14
7:00 AM:	Myrtha Mathieu
8:30 AM:	Frank Mondiello
12:15 PM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
Wednesday	January 15
7:00 AM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
8:30 AM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
12:15 PM:	For Carol and Frank Matos's intentions
Thursday	January 16
7:00 AM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
8:30 AM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
12:15 PM:	Catherine and Arthur Baumann
Friday	January 17
7:00 AM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
8:30 AM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
12:15 PM:	(Open: no offered intentions)
Saturday	January 18
8:30 AM	Purgatorial Society
5:00 PM	Frank Biscardi
Sunday	January 19
8:00 AM	For our Parishioners
9:30 AM	Carmen Roman
11:00 AM	Richard Charles Staufenberg, Dorothy Forstell, Arthur and Hector Pichardo
12:30 AM	Vincenzo and Vincent Della Peruto
6:00 PM	(Open: no offered intentions)

PRESIDERS FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASSES

Saturday,	January 18
5:00 PM:	Fr. Gregory Cappuccino
Sunday	January 19
8:00 AM:	Fr. Paul Bersamin
9:30 AM:	Fr. Gius Garcia
11:00 AM:	Fr. Gregory Cappuccino
12:30 PM:	Fr. Gius Garcia
6:00 PM:	Fr. Paul Bersamin

REST IN PEACE

Jeanette M. Robertson, Mary Conlon, Steven L. Blair, Anthony R. Falese, Timothy J. Brosnan Jr., Olympia (Libby) Ann Lippert

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

First Banns

Eric Saporito — St. Patrick, Smithtown
Diana Cotrone — Ss. Cyril and Methodius

AVAILABLE MASS INTENTIONS

January 21 - 7:00 am, 8:30am, 12:15pm

January 22 - 7:00 am, 8:30am

January 23 - 7:00 am, 8:30am

January 24 - 7:00 am, 8:30am

January 26 - 11:00 am

January 27 - 7:00 am, 8:30am

Please see or call the receptionist during office hours to offer Mass intentions for family members and loved ones, living or deceased.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Leonard Caltabiano, Joyce Ratushny, Kristen Tonnesen, Brendan Gould, Olivia Marie, Baby Marina Grace, Donald Martino, Baby Ryan Crystal LaCalamita, Catherine O'Neill, Marc Baboff, Owen Chapman, Carmine Lagattuta, Bill Luce, Tony Kennedy, Allison Arbeiter, Mark Vonilla, Connie Rigert, Lucille Oppedisano, Nick Tihal, Phil Hogan, David Kriegsman, Lillian Harrington, Janine Giovelli, Kathy Boggia, John Morgan, Mike Rodriguez, Judith Moroz, Ann Bermudez, Dominick "50", Kathleen Jacobi, Ann Scardino, Rick Bodt, Penny Dowd, Mike (Repel) Muller Jr., Grayson Danielski, Anna Rose Regan, Christa Erario, Janina Wiczynski, Luciana Maujeri, Josephine Marino Perry, Joseph DeSena, Lisa Hulsen, Ramone Antonio Delgado, Mark Bonito

We ask that you email jloring@sscmdp.org or leave a message at X122 with the name of your sick family member.

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

Kyle Chanley US Army

Luis Xzavier Maldonaldo Army National Guard

Corporal Louis Muniz US Marines

Isaiah Adams US Air Force Airman

Sgt. William Bozzello US Marines

We will only publish 5 names at a time for 2 weeks to highlight them. We will publish their names 2x after that they will be taken down. This is to make room and accommodate more names that we could publish. Email jloring@sscmdp.org if you want a name included.

cating to us important information about the identity of Jesus. In the verses that follow, Luke lists the genealogy of Jesus, tracing Jesus' ancestry back to the first person, Adam, who is also identified as the son of God. We, the children of Adam and Eve, are again made children of God through Baptism.

ORDINARY TIME

Tomorrow, Monday January 13 is the beginning of the first Sunday in Ordinary Time. In the Catholic Church, Ordinary Time is a time for growth and maturation, and a time to order one's life around Christ. The season begins on the Monday after Pentecost and ends before the First Sunday of Advent.

Focus

Scripture readings during Ordinary Time focus on the events of Jesus' life, from his birth to his resurrection.

Symbolism

A common symbol for Ordinary Time is two fish and a basket of bread, which represent Jesus' "Loaves and the Fishes" miracle

Length

Ordinary Time is 33–34 weeks long, depending on the days of the week in a given year

In 2025, the Catholic Church will celebrate the Year of Jubilee, which is a time of hope for the world. The theme for 2025 is "Pilgrims of Hope".

Stewardship

JANUARY 5, 2025

Regular Collection	\$16,710.93
Online Giving	\$ <u>2,363.63</u>
Total	\$19,074.56

CHRISTMAS TOTALS AS OF JANUARY 5, 2025

Christmas	\$64,002.81
Christmas Flowers	\$ 5,101.59

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Goal \$125,200

\$81,297.00 Pledged 64.93% of Parish Goal

CHRISTMAS 1000 LIGHTS

1000 Lights Campaign - to date: \$8,755.00

Goal: \$50,000 **(- \$41,245.00)**

This week we are up **\$1,574.56** above our weekly collection goal of **\$17,500** in order for our parish not to operate on a deficit.

We are still running a deficit of:

Year to date: **(-\$632.93)**

We are aware of the increased cost of living that we all experience in Long Island. In fact we in the parish feel this even more as we try to maintain a very big property.

If you are able, we appeal to your generosity if you are able to increase with **\$2, \$5 or \$10** dollars your weekly donation to the Church. This would help us

VANCO
FAITH

Thank you

FOR TOUCHING OUR LIVES



Virginia Fanning
Frank & Fran Pipolo
Suzanne Engrassia
Roseann Pipolo Suspenski
Viny Castagna
Richard Charles Staufenberg
John Fanning
Suzanne Engrassia
Fenice/Messina
Louis Gerbino Sr.
Lester Ernest
Joseph & Mary Caraccia
Joseph Ninivaggi
Mario & Donna Longo
Gerard & Joan McCarthy
Erik Brown
Christina McGee
Raymond P.
Diorio Catanzaro & Family
Lester Ernest
Indelicato Family
Salifou Ouedraego
The Harris Family
Christopher LaMonica
My God
David Wawrzynski
Marie Di Croce
Benedetto Cataldo
Ted & Pat Boody
Dorothy Congro
The L'Abbate Family
George
Joseph Ninivaggi
Hickam Family
Frank Acierro
Chuen Kam Chan Shek
Antonette Hidalgo
Angela Macaluso
Edward J. Kaminski
Carmen Moffett
The Richardson Family
Sr. Marion Puszcz
McCormick Family
The Jean-Pierre Family
The Holy Family
Annette Pavone
Joe Werkmeister
Christopher Lanni

Hoschler Family
Grace
Bill Gould
Frank & Josephine
Adam Jangel
Delores Kelly
Chris Papa
Cesare Litterini
Robert Rue
Anthony Graziano
George Cipriano
Janet Graziano
Agnes Moffett
Dorothy Forstell
Anthony Polito
Theresa Gusmerotti
Marie Fischetti
Raymond Downey
Frank T. Mazzola
Fannie
Dorothy E. Mallon
Thomas Inman
Ronald Rosato
Richard Kirschenheiter
Rosary Altar Society
Ralph Fiore
Evelyn & Mario Ferro
Helen Rosina
Dad Arnie "Akanui"
Mom "Sarge"
Linda & Tony
Cristin Bambino
Jeryl Ann Jacobs
Rose & Anthony Caporaso
Jonathan & Kate
Patricia Walsh
James & Margaret Cunningham
Mary Malerba
Gregory Thielemann
Chet Foley
Linda & Tony
Aderemi Ogundiran
Vincent Parisi Sr.
Nena & Boy
Gloria Saavedra

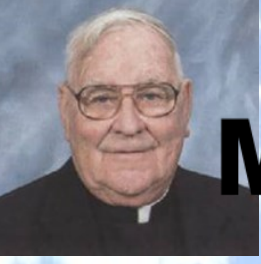
Salvatore V.
Lillian Mercurio
Theresa Napoleon
Alberto Sanelli
Raymond J. Pomerence
Edward Baker
Lucille Sanelli
Raymond L. Pomorenke
Barbara Winter
John Paul Otto
Russell Salerno
Rae & George Lange
Gerard St. George
Aunt Jeanne Doscher
Jerry Ryall II
Dorothy St. George
Rebecca, Jim, Eric Guerin
Margaret Vespa,
Carmen Soto
Oronzo D'Attoma
Jean & Robert Muenkel
Berenice Wisniewski
Alice Scrivani
John Scrivani
Marisol Cordero
Mercedes Monegro
Thomas Gallub
Mauro & Leticia Retoria
Armando Daus
George A. Jackson
Coonelly Family
Constance Rokicka
Ramona Rovero Cruz
Millie & Dom Benedetto
Aurora Manejar
John Dusenberry
Rosemarie
Daniel Santiago
Juarsta Cruz
Anne Donoghue

Robert Donoghue
Francis Otto
Sr. Marie Pierre
Bill Dowler
Merle Penlow
Margee Dunn
Elizabeth Donoghue
Benjamin Freed
Cookie
Yasmine Adeclat
Frenz Adeclat
Carol Genova
Ben & Lina Morlacci
Donald Erario
Melida Hidalgo
Attard Family
Jeanne Braun
Paness, Bayles,
Armament Families
Ingrassia Family
Tran Family
Hovanec Family
Gary Gobernuck
Toby Yeros
Koras Yeros
Susan Lamanna
Powers Family
Salmon Family
Carin LaMotte Rivera
Connie
Kabaservice Family
Adrian Arzaga
Ryan T. Horodnicki
Lois Biscardi
Roth Family
Barone Family
Chezpak Family
Michael "Mikey" Wisniewski
Powles Family
Nancy and Ralph Fiore
Perez Family

Church Decorating

If you would like to help us decorate the church for Ordinary Time, we will be meeting in the church on January 13th at 1:00 pm. No experience necessary!

Call or text Tim Leitch at 631-806-4715 if you have questions or would like to volunteer



Rev. Msgr. Thaddeus Rooney Memorial Golf Outing & Dinner

Thursday, **JUNE 12, 2025** + Timber Point Country Club, Great River

Honoring:

Tom Richardson, Retired FDNY Chief,
Phil Maniaci, PGK, DD and **Kerry Brennan**

\$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

FOR MORE INFO,
PLEASE CALL:
Sal Mangano
(631) 586-3600,
Mike Conboy
(631) 539-8932,
Rosemarie Brady
(631) 681-6336,
Joe & Teri Schiano
(631) 595-1709,
Carol Tannehill
(631) 988-9906,
Dcn. Phil Mills
(631) 667-4044 X 110

We are in need of prizes for our raffles:

- 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



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 \$ _____

LIVE STREAM

We continue to look for more volunteers "8th graders and above". Highschool and College students may consider volunteering to gain experience and to complete Service hours. You will be taught how to do it. If you are interested, please contact Peter Mercado at peter_mercado@yahoo.com or call the Parish front desk and provide us with your name and phone number.

INTERNATIONAL CATHOLIC MINISTRY

If interested in joining together in fellowship and prayer, please contact Donna Dixon at 631-664-5692.

ALTAR SERVERS

We are looking for boys and girls in 3rd 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.

THE LOVE OF CHRIST CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Meets every **Tuesday from 1:00pm to 3:00pm in the Senior Room.** We wish our brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus a very Merry Christmas and many blessings in the New Year. We will return for prayer and fellowship on **March 11, 2025.** Any questions call Lucille at 631-586-2438.

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 February 1, 2025.** Any questions call Annette Arena at 631-661-9109.

SENIOR CLUB

Our next meeting will be on **February 4, 2025 at 2:30pm** in the Father Behan Hall. Any questions call Debbie Vickovich at 631-520-4455.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

For more information call Diana at 845-428-2272.

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 the Baptism of the Lord. After Jesus was baptized, he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and a voice was heard "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." As we give to the poor, we also can hear these same words.

Is there a family or someone you know who may need assistance in addressing rent, utilities or other crucial bill arrears, or needs assistance with furniture or clothing, please have them email us at sscmstvincentdepaul@gmail.com or call and leave a message at 631-667-4044 ext. 175. You will receive a call back from one of our volunteers using a blocked number. Please answer the phone so we are able to assist you if we can.

If you would like to donate clothing, the bins on the north side parking lot of the church are for clothing only. To donate furniture, please call 631-858-0380 or visit <http://www.svdpli.org> for additional information.

SS CYRIL AND METHODIUS ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

We do not meet in January, or February. Our next meeting will be **March 3, 2025** in the Senior Room. Any questions call Rose Guerin at 631-806-6578. We wish you and your families a Happy and Healthy New Year.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY COLUMBIETTES

Our next meeting will be **January 13, 2025**. If you would like to become a member please call Geri Cavanaugh, President at 973-479-4234.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

We meet on the 1st Thursday of the month. Please call Grand Knight Brian Breckles at 631-667-8542 if interested in becoming a member.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Winter registrations for support groups have begun here at St Cyril's. If you or someone you know who is young (under 65) and has had a recent loss of spouse, fiance, boyfriend, girlfriend this group is for you. Let us help you with your grief with our loving and compassionate volunteers. 8-week program for Widows starting January 8th, Wednesday 7:00 pm -9:00 pm in the Senior Room. Chat and Connect 8-week program starting Thursday, January 9th from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm in the Senior Room. For more information call Widowednotalone.com Contact Kathryn Monaco Douglas at [631- 647-5675](tel:631-647-5675). For loss of a child support group please contact Amanda directly [-917-751-1514](tel:917-751-1514)



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Wednesday from

**1:00pm to 6:30pm
in the Crying Room.**

Any questions call Carol Matos
at 1-813-323-8602.



We are looking for boys and girls in 3rd grade or above to become part of our Altar Server Ministry.

The next training sessions are starting soon.

01/23/25	6:30 PM	Thursday
01/25/25	2:00 PM	Saturday
01/30/25	6:30 PM	Thursday
02/01/25	12:30 PM	Saturday
02/06/25	6:30 PM	Thursday

Training meets in the Main Church

(Enter through the breezeway.)

Attendance at 3 sessions is required.

For more information, contact the AS Ministry at sscyril.altarservers@yahoo.com.

You can also leave a message at the front desk of the rectory at 631-667-4044.

Parish Social Ministry

On behalf of the Parish of Social Ministries, we hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! Looking forward to 2025.

Through our Ministries in 2024, we were able to help 7148 people. We also gave out 7,000 in other assistance. We are grateful for all your generosity in supporting our Program initiatives and making this Holiday Season possible for many families.

Janet

PANTRY NEEDS:

FOOD

1. Canned Chicken
2. Dry Beans
3. Pasta Sauce
4. White Vinegar
5. Mac & Cheese
6. Oatmeal

NON FOOD ITEMS

1. Body Wash
2. Women's deodorant
3. Shave Cream
4. Men's Deodorant
5. Dish Detergent
6. Toilet Paper
7. Paper Towels

It is important to donate what we have on the list as this is what we need the most.

Thank you to all who helped decorate the Church for Christmas. You heightened the spirit of joy at Christmas by creating an environment fitting for joyful worship and liturgy.



Meets every Sunday After the 6:00 pm Mass

Upcoming Youth Group Meetings Dec.2024—Feb.2025

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| Jan. 12th-Youth Group Meets | Feb. 2nd– Super Bowl Dinner |
| Jan. 14th– Sacrament Class | Feb 9th– No Meeting |
| Jan. 19th– Painting Party | Feb. 10th– Sacrament Class |
| Jan. 26- Youth Group Meets | Feb. 16th-Youth Group Meets |
| * These meetings will dismiss from the breezeway | Feb. 23rd- Youth Group Meets |

FAITH + FRIENDSHIP + FUN + SERVICE

PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY

Contact: Tim Leitch
631-6674044
timleitch@aol.com



Respect Life

The Respect Life Ministry would like to wish you and your family a Joyous and Wonderful New Year!

Thank you for continuing to support us so that we may continue doing what we do!

Particularly needed are consumable items like:

Diapers (larger sizes 5/6/7) ~ Fragrance Free Wipes ~
Baby Food/Cereals/Snacks ~
Enfamil Gentle Ease and Enspire Formulas ~
Baby Shampoo & Lotion

(Call 631-667-4044 Ext 120 and leave a message if any questions)

FIAT HOTLINE PREGNANCY/HEALTH & RESOURCE SUPPORT

631-476-LOVE ~ (631-476-5683)

DIOCESAN ESTABLISHED

CATHOLIC HEALTH SERVICES

Please Visit our Pro-Life Material rack in the back foyer of the church
(The DP Ave Exit)

Here you will find many valuable resources for all of life's stages—
from Conception to End of Life and everything in between!
Call if you have any questions and we will refer you to the proper resources!

Cyril & Methodius Parish Music Ministry *presents* **THE 3rd SEASON OF**



Make a Joyful Noise

Join your fellow parishioners and friends from around the diocese for these exceptional musical events throughout the year!

Tentative calendar of events:

Friday, March 14th 7:00PM – **Lenten Taize Prayer Around the Cross**, featuring Taize chants accompanied by piano and violin in a prayerful atmosphere, uniquely lit by candlelight. This is a striking meditation on the meaning of the cross of Christ and is an essential Lenten experience.

May/June 2025 **Parish Music Series Spring Event TBD!**

**COMING SOON
AUGUST 14-17, 2025
BUT WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!**



Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled



The Gospel of Luke takes you on a journey that begins with the foretelling of John the Baptist's birth and culminates in Jesus' ascension into heaven. On the road to Emmaus, a story unique to the Gospel of Luke, Jesus gave us the greatest Bible study of all time, laying out his fulfillment of the Old Testament. In Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled, you will witness key moments in salvation history including the Annunciation, the Nativity, his public ministry, and Jesus' suffering, death, and glorious Resurrection. There are parables found only in Luke, including the Prodigal Son, the Good Samaritan, and the rich man and Lazarus which will show you the mercy and compassion that Jesus has for each one of his children.

Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, beginning January 22, 2025, in Father Behan Hall.

For more information and to register*, please call Marianne Grimaldi at 631-463-7886

*deadline to register for workbook is January 13th, \$25. Registrants thereafter, welcome to participate and watch the videos at class.

New York Blood Center

Blood Drive



K of C # 4428 – Our Lady of the Rosary

759 Long Island Avenue, Deer Park NY 11729

**Tuesday January 14, 2025
3:00pm-7:30pm**



Each Presenting Donor will receive a Voucher for 2 Tickets to a 2025 Islanders Home Game



Please Scan the QR Code to Schedule your

Prepare to donate

-  Eat well and hydrate
-  Bring a photo ID
-  Feel good and symptom free
-  Must be 17+ or 16 with parental consent form
-  Meet minimum weight requirements

For full eligibility requirements and COVID-19 information, visit nybc.org/eligibility.



2025 OPEN HOUSES

Experience the Catholic School Difference!



St. Martin of Tours School

Amityville, NY

Sunday, Jan. 26

10 AM - 1 PM



Our Lady of Guadalupe School

Deer Park, NY

Sunday, Feb. 2

12 PM - 2:30 PM

Scan the QR Code to Learn More!

www.drvcschools.org/visit

DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS

BEHOLD 2025

**PENTECOST
SUNDAY**

LOCATION
ST. ANTHONY'S HIGH SCHOOL
SOUTH HUNTINGTON, NY

JUNE 8



WWW.DRVC.ORG/CONGRESS



BINGO

**EVERY THURSDAY - Fr Behan Hall
DOOR OPENS 6:00 PM**