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Making Disciples through Prayer, Faith Formation and Service



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Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday: 8:00am, 5:00pm Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am

& 12:00pm (Noon)

Weekdays: Monday to Friday 9:00am

Confessions

Saturdays: 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm (or appointment)



Faith Formation Registration

FORMS ARE DUE ASAP FOR ANY NEW IST GRADE CHILDREN OR EXSISTING GRADE CHILDREN SEE INSIDE

August 4, 2019

Phone: (631) 732-3131

Parish Center Summer Office Hours

Open for Walk-In Business Morning Afternoon **Evening**

9 am - 1 pm 2 - 4^{pm} Mon., Weds., Thurs.

9 am - 1 pm 2 - 4^{pm} 7 - 8^{pm} Tuesday

> Friday Closed Closed Saturday Closed Sunday

> > Fax (631) 732 - 8827

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Time, Talent & Treasure

Stewardship Thought for the Week.

Pillar of Service:

Focus on doing good for those in need. Many are hungry, tired, scared and in need of hearing the Good News. This is a good week to buy some cans of food for your local parish food pantry.

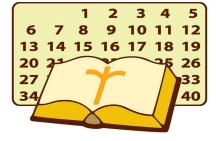
Sacrificial Giving

Thank you to all who so generously give to the support of our parish. You are returning to God what God has so generously given to you.

	#	201		2018	#
Collected at Mass	245	\$ 9,15		\$ 8,885 ^{.75}	320
Mailed Envelopes	12	2,11	$17^{.67}$	1,126	15
Electronic Donations	31	1,77		2,178	36
Total Collection	332	\$13,05	54 ^{.42}	\$12,189 ^{.75}	371
Mass Attendance	5 ^{pm}	8 ^{am}	10 ^{am}	12 ^{pm}	Total
Last Sunday	188	175	183	208	754
Last Year	236	173	NC	223	+632

Readings for Next Sunday Ningtgenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading	Wis 18: 6-9
Second Reading	Heb 11: 1-2,8-19
Gospel	Lk 12: 32-48



PARISH MEMBERSHIP: We welcome all new parishioners! We ask them to register at the Parish Center and encourage the use of weekly envelopes. If you are moving, please notify the office.

MARRIAGES: Couples should make arrangements in person at least one year in advance for required interview. At least one of the parties must live within the parish boundaries, or be a registered member of the parish. Please call the Parish Center for an appointment. No dates will be set over the telephone.

BAPTISMS: Prospective parents should telephone the Parish Center about three months before the expected birth to discuss the arrangements for your child's baptism and enroll you in the required baptismal class. Baptism classes are held monthly on the 1st or 2nd Sunday of the month. The baptism date will be set at the time of the class. The child's birth certificate as well as the godparent's "sponsor certificate" (godparents must be Confirmed practicing Catholics) must be presented before a date is finalized.

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE ~ **Parish Center:** Monday through Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.; 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.; Closed on Fridays.

PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRY ~ **Parish Center:** Tuesday and Thursday 10 am -1 pm. and 2 - 4 pm.;. Call for appointment.

Masses for the Week

Family members and/or those who requested the Mass are always welcome to present the gifts of bread & wine at the offertory procession. On weekends, please introduce yourselves to our ushers or call the office during the previous week.

Monday - August 5th 9:00 A.M.

Stanislaw Chelminski

Tuesday - August 6th 9:00 A.M.
William Mc Fadden

Wednesday - August 7th 9:00 A.M.

Aimee Given

Thursday, - August 8th 9:00 A.M.

No Mass

Friday - August 9th 9:00 A.M.

Mary Ann Bozzanca

Saturday - August 10th 8:00 A.M.

Jennifer Buckstein

5:00 р.м.

For All Parishioners

Sunday – August 11th 8:00 A.M.

Natalie Nizza

10:00 A.M.

Jon Michael Lasher Nancy & Joseph Maresca

12:00 P.M.

Dolores Murgola Thomas Santo

For all our parishioners suffering HE HEALED from chronic illness, as well as Terri Persina, Jillian Brown, Paul Tomko, Patricia Wowk, Eric Chan, John Augusta Jr., June Tamillow, Joe & Sue Callari, Lucy & Sarah Behie, Eppie Larke, Alyssa Baisch, Marilyn & Steven Vacchio, Natasha Roucoulet, Wendiann & Nicholas Alfieri, Michael C. Liotta, Anne Logan, Laura Durant, Warne Family. Sue Finnigan, James Finnigan, Lorraine Vogel, Sharon Klyn, Vincent Rutherford, Marie Positano, Christina & Baby Muller, Laura Positano, Maria Russo, Joseph Kiely, Dominic Percoco, Frank Guttilla, Robert Finger, Cathy Reynolds, Patricia & Roger Ferrere, John Fiscina, Eric Cohen, Cindy Byrne, Dylan Joseph Sergio, Virginia Butler, Estelle Beauchamp, Robert Valletta, Christine Mc Cusker, Dana Glasser, Enrigue Mora, and the De Santis Family.

Family members, please resubmit names for those who are ill. We will list them for 4 weeks, and then remove them unless told otherwise. Please notedue to privacy issues, we can include names given by the individual or a health care proxy only. Thank you.

Dear Parishioners and Visitors.

For a change of pace on these Sundays until Labor Day, I'm offering examples of people from the 20^{th} century whose lives give us a chance to appreciate the different ways that faith can be lived and shared. ~ Fr. Jiw

Alicia Domon

Martyr (1937–1977)

During the period of 1976 to 1983 a military dictatorship in Argentina conducted a "dirty war" against "subversives" and dissidents. Thousands of civilians were killed; many more were "disappeared"—abducted by the military, never to be seen again. Two French nuns, Sisters Alicia Domon and Leonie Duquet, were among them. Both members of the Toulouse Institute of the Sisters of Foreign Mission, these women were among the many foreign missioners who came to work in Latin America in the 1960s.

While at first they engaged in traditional ministries, by 1969, like many other religious of the time, they had moved out of their convent and into an urban shantytown to share the life of the poor.

Sr. Alicia became involved with the "Mothers of the Disappeared," who gathered in the central plaza each day, holding photographs of their missing children, offering a silent rebuke to the military regime. On December 8, 1977, she and eleven other women were seized. Her housemate Sr. Leonie was also picked up. Though neither of them was ever seen again, later reports confirmed that they had been tortured and then tossed from an airplane over the Atlantic Ocean.

Several months before her death Alicia had written to the archbishop of Toulouse: "I would ask you not to do anything to save me which could endanger others. I have already made the sacrifice of my life."

"I didn't come here [to the shantytown] to tell people what they had to do but in order that we could help each other and share life's joys and sorrows."

-Sr. Alicia Domon

PARISH EVENTS This Week

Monday August 5

9:30 am Women's Bible Sharing.....Rm 207

Tuesday August 6

7 pm K of C......Rm 207

Aug 7-11

No Activities Scheduled

CLOSED FRI., SAT., SUN, FOR THE SUMMER.

PARISH CENTER SUMMER HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday ~ 9 - 5 (Closed Lunch 1-2) Tuesday ~ 9 - 5 & 7-8 pm (Closed Lunch 1-2) Closed Friday, Saturday & Sunday Please note—evening hours on Tuesdays only..

Women's Bible Sharing

Come meet other women in the Parish on Monday mornings for an hour of fellowship and discussion. Meet in the Parish Center at 9:30 AM. Bring a friend!





Mass Book ~ 2020

St. Margaret's Mass Book is open for 2020 Masses.

Sacraments are Celebrations! Baptisms

Gianna Rose Adami

GENNESARET RETREAT

for those facing serious illness.

A retreat especially designed for persons who live with a serious illness is planned on **Sept. 20-22** at the Montfort Spirituality Center in Bay Shore, NY. This retreat offers a respite, a quiet time, an oasis, to enable one to continue the journey. The retreat focuses on God's love, forgiveness and faithfulness. To register or info please call Colette Fanelli at 631-665-7052.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Jesus calls us to love the Lord and to love one another. Deepen your communication, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends Nov 8-10, 2019 & Jan. 31-Feb. 2, 2020 in Huntington, NY. For more info, call John & Toni Torio at 877-697-9963 or visit them at HTTPS://www.enyll.org/.

Diocese Young Adult Ministry

Check out their new website <u>YOUNGADULTMINISTRY@DRVC.ORG</u> for all the current happenings for young adults ages twenties, thirties and forties, single or married on Long Island.

Mass Times @ Neighboring Parishes

While our front bridge is under construction there will not be a handicapped entrance. Below are the times for weekend Masses at our neighboring Parishes. (English)

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Centereach Saturday-5:30 pm / Sunday - 8:00, 9:30 & 11:30

St. Frances Cabrini, Coram

Saturday-5 pm / Sunday - 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 Church of the Resurrection, Farmingville Saturday-5 pm / Sunday-9:00 am & 12 pm St. Gerard Majella, Pt. Jefferson Station Saturday 5pm / Sunday - 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00



Faith Formation

REGISTRATION NEWS

FORMS ARE DUE ASAP FOR ANY NEW

IST GRADE CHILDREN OR

EXSISTING GRADE CHILDREN



Any questions, please contact Jackie at our Faith Formation office at 631-732-3131 x131.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd



There are still openings in the 4/5 year old program on Tuesdays at 4:30. If interested in the program for your child, please contact Jackie Mirenda, Faith Formation Coordinator, at 631-731-3131 x131 or JMIRENDA@SAINTMARGARET.COM.

RESOURCES:

Back to School

Kids In the Know: www.kidsintheknow.ca Net Smartz: www.NetSmartz.org

Center for Missing/Exploited Children: www.missingkids.com
United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: www.usccb.org
Stop It Now!: www.stopitnow.org VIRTUS: www.virtus.org

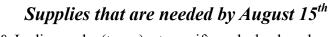
Kid Smartz: www.KidSmartz.org

Child Lures Prevention: www.Childluresprevention.com



Parish Social Ministry

Back to School



Men & Ladies socks (teens), store gift cards, backpacks, binders, marble notebooks, loose leaf paper, crayons (24 ct), folders, washable colored markers, colored pencils, glue sticks, highlighters, erasers and rulers.

BACK PACKS needed by Aug. 15th Thank you for all you do!



OUR PANTRY SHELVES IS <u>LOW</u> ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS

BEEF STEW, COOKIES, CANNED CORN, GRAVY PACKETS, INSTANT MASHED POTATOES, SALTINE CRACKERS, JUICE BOXES, LAUNDRY DETERGENT, & TOOTHPASTE. Thank You!

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

Cards are available in our *Outreach* office, if you would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one. For more info, visit or call the Parish Center at 732-3131 x119.

THRIFT SHOP

Tues. & Thurs. 9:30 -12:30 (Closed Saturdays for the summer) Come Visit & Shop!

Helpful Phone Numbers

- Domestic Violence 1-800-799-SAFE & 631-666-8833
- Post Abortion Counseling days 722-4355
- Project Rachel evenings 242-0907 or 1800-456-HOPE
- Crisis Pregnancy/Counseling 243-2373
- 24 hr State Child Abuse 1-800-342-3720

- Baby Safe Haven Hot Line 1-877-796-HOPE
- Depression after Delivery 1-800-944-4PPD
- The Life Center 243-2373
- Drug Hotline 1-800-522-5353
- Suicide Prevention 1-800-639-5433

Concert Under the Stars & Laser Light Show featuring the West Point Benny Havens Band

Friday, August 16th, 2019 6:30 PM - 10 PM



Outdoors at the Long Island State Veterans Home 100 Patriots Road, Stony Brook, NY 11790

6:30 PM Opening Performer - Tommy Sullivan from Johnny Maestro and the Brooklyn Bridge 7:45 The West Point Benny Havens Band 9:15 Laser Light Show

Arrive early!
This is a free, outdoor concert.

Rain or Shine.

Bring your blankets & chairs. Food vendors will be on-site. Special Concert Parking available in Staff parking lot A at Pellegrino Drive after 5 PM. Shuttle buses will provide transportation to the concert site throughout the evening.

For More Information, Call 631-444-8606

St. Anthony of Padua Reunion

We are so excited to announce that on October 12, 2019, we will be having a Reunion for all alumni from St Anthony of Padua <u>elementary school</u> in E. Northport. For info go to Facebook ~ SaintAnthony Reunion or call me at 631-252-2884. Bernadette Hehir-Gartner & the Reunion Committee.

Parenting Tips & Videos

Go to DRVC.ORG/FAITH FORMATION/ PARENTING AND FAMILY LIFE for up-to-date ideas, activities, reflections and advice.



St. Margaret's Website

Keep up to date with all our activities, info & bulletins. Go check it out & make it a favorite! <u>SAINTMARGARET.COM</u>

Family Center ~ Town of Brookhaven

Family Support free of charge ~ Middle Country Library Referrals to Community Agencies, Health & Social, Child Care, Immigration & Residency, English Second Language, Food, Clothing & Utility Assistance, programs for Parents & Children & more. To schedule an appointment or <u>confidential message</u> ~ 631-585-9393 x290 or email FAMILYCENTER@MCPL.LIB.NY.US.

Take Five for Faith

Due to our smaller summer bulletin, Take Five for Faith. will resume in September. For all who enjoy & use it, please go to their website for the daily readings. Free daily email & app available at <u>TakeFiveForFaith.com/subscribe</u>.

In Need of Bereavement Counseling?

If your family is in need of Bereavement counseling, go to https://www.drvc-faith.org/bereavement for a full list of locations or call the Parish Center at 631-732-3131 x133. A six month wait after the death is suggested.

Traveling this Summer?

To find out Mass times where you are go to MASSTIMES.ORG to find out what works best for you.



Reminder For Summer Thursday Mass

Beginning July 11th, there will not be a daily Mass on Thursday throughout the summer.

Thursday Mass will resume on 9/5/19.



Watch for These Warning Signs of Abuse in Minors

No longer interested in activities they used to enjoy

Is overly interested in spending time with minors

Does not believe the rules apply to them (or, does not follow rules or protocols)

> Has inappropriate or suggestive conversations with minors

Tries to get minors alone

Changes in personality

Tries to hide use of technology

Gives lavish gifts to minors

Keeps secrets with minors

Is overly interested in spending time with minors



Takes photos without approval, or asks minors to send them photos

Commits physical and emotional boundary violations

Allows or encourages minors to break laws or rules

Demonstrates
Aggressive or angry
behavior

... and These Warning Signs of Perpetrators



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Free Comprehensive Child Care

The Children's Community Head Start Birth to Five Program provides free comprehensive early childhood education and family support services to eligible expectant mothers and low income families with children ages birth to five in Central Suffolk County. To see if you qualify call 631-585-3131-Ronkonkoma & 631-476-9698-Port Jefferson or visit www.childrenscommunityhs.org

Project Rachel

Are you or someone you know suffering from abortion loss? PROJECT RACHEL is the official outreach of the Catholic Church for post abortion healing. It is a network of special trained caregivers & clergy who are prepared to assist. A confidential call to 1800-456-HOPE (4673) can begin healing. www.hopeafterabortion.com.

Job Opportunities at Catholic Charities

For a full list of jobs f/t and p/t– <u>CATHOLICCHARITIES.CC/JOBS</u>. Respond by mail, email, or fax. The website will assist you.

Envelopes do Help

A special thank you to the parishioners who have been using envelopes. Please remember that the parish is not able to record your donation for tax purposes unless it is in an envelope. Use of envelopes helps us when asked to sign forms attesting to eligibility to serve as a sacramental sponsor, determine Faith Formation parish support, as well as Catholic school subsidy for individual families. *Please do not use staples or scotch tape. Thank you!*

Campaign Catch Up



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Total Pledged: \$857,880

10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90% 100%

They Cast the First Stones



Last Saturday morning the masons arrived bright and early. By the time the 5pm Mass started, they had laid most of the pavers for the bridge.

As of this writing (Tuesday evening), the center medallion and sidewalk are to be poured on Wednesday. This work will make the main entrance to the church more attractive. You should be seeing the results while coming into mass today.

Shortly, work will begin on replacing the heating system in the parish center. The current oil powered boiler and hot water system will be replaced by an efficient gas fired system. The old tank will be abandoned, filled and certified.

Proposed Schedule of Work

PHASE I

Fall 2018

Approximate Cost: \$450,000

- Replace the Church Entrance Bridge and Side Stairways
- Mandated Removal of the oil tank in the Parish Center and replace the Boiler
- Update the Kitchen in the Auditorium

PHASE II Fall 2019

Approximate Cost: \$290,000

- Update Auditorium Bathrooms and Replace Parish Center's Handicapped lift
- Add Handicapped Parking spaces and Re-coat & re-stripe the Parking lot

• Install new padding on the kneelers

PHASE III

Fall 2020

Approximate Cost: \$210,000

 Update Fire and Security Alarm systems in the Church and Parish Center

• Re

- Replace the Sidewalks
- Replace the Windows in the Parish Center

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