

Our Lady of Hope Church



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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 am

Holy Days as announced

Weekday Mass Schedule-Mon to Fri 9:00 Mass

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday at 4:00 pm or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Celebrated on the 1st and 3rd Sunday at 1:00 pm.

Please register in advance. There is a Baptismal Preparation Class on the last Sunday of alternating months after the 10:00 am Mass. Parents must attend the class prior to the child's baptism. Godparents are welcome.

Godparent Pre-Requisites - Godparents must be practicing Catholics in good standing, 16 years of age or older, Baptized and Confirmed Catholic.

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE

The Church provides certain times and preparation for weddings. Please contact the Church Office at least nine months in advance to begin the process.

CARE OF THE SICK

Please notify the Church Office when someone is seriously ill so that we can provide spiritual care.

OFFICE HOURS

Parish Office 334.6288

Mon to Fri 9:30 am to 4:00 pm, Sat 9 am to 2 pm

Sunday closed

Religious Education Office 334.4781

Email rel-ed@olhope.org

See www.olhope.org for more information

St. Brigid / Our Lady of Hope Regional School
333.0580

101 Maple Ave, Westbury, NY 11590

Mr. Paul Clagnaz, Principal

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REGISTRATION

Every family and person within the parish is encouraged to register with the Church Office.

ON BECOMING A CATHOLIC

Those seeking information about the Catholic Faith are invited to contact the Church Office at 334.6288.

PRAYER

Novena Tues after 9:00 am Mass

Rosary after each weekday Mass

Holy Hour Thurs 1:00 pm

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parish family of Our Lady of Hope, commit ourselves to continue the mission of Jesus Christ, to proclaim His Gospel, and to love one another as He loves us. We are a welcoming community of faith, guided by the Holy Spirit and centered on God's Word and the Eucharist. Through the Sacraments, prayer, and the stewardship of our God-given gifts, we provide opportunities to grow closer to God and to serve members of the community.



Our Lady of Hope This Week

WE CANNOT AFFORD TO TAKE THE GIFT OF EUCHARIST FOR GRANTED

There are many reasons people give for no longer going to church. There is one great reason to attend. It is here as a community of believers we receive the most precious and sacred of all gifts from our God this side of heaven. It is here we receive the most sacred gift of Jesus in the Eucharist.

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

In our reading from Exodus, Moses and the people commit to the Lord and His covenant. In Hebrews, the author uses the image of a mediator in describing Jesus' role in the new covenant we have with the Father. The Gospel recalls the first Eucharistic meal.



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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

The Bishops' stewardship pastoral asks, "And what do Christians bring to the Eucharistic celebrations and join there with Jesus' offering?" The answer: "Their lives as Christian disciples; their personal vocations and the stewardship they have exercised regarding them..."

Last Sunday's collection 5/20/18	\$8,055.50
Same Last Year	\$8,999.79
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	\$1,400.50
Attendance 5/20/18	532
Same Last Year	608
<i>Thank you for your generosity in returning to God some of what He has given you.</i>	

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Today Catholics celebrate the solemnity of the **Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ** also known as Corpus Christi Sunday. We have been most fortunate, here at Our Lady of Hope Parish, to have many men and women of both virtue and piety serving as Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist. It is most fitting that we celebrate their "recommissioning" by Bishop John O. Barres on this particular weekend. In addition to their service at weekend and daily Masses, many of these men and women also bring Holy Communion to the sick and homebound. Let us remember them gratefully in our prayers!

ALTAR BREAD, ROSE FOR LIFE & SANCTUARY CANDLE

If you wish to donate the bread and wine for the week's Sunday and daily Eucharist celebrations, the offering is \$50. Opportunities to donate a Rose for Life are also available. The offering is \$5 per week. The sanctuary candle is available for memorialization. The offering is \$15.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

The class for Baptism will be held every other month on the last Sunday of the month at 11am in the lower church. The next class scheduled is July 29.

2018 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL	
Goal	\$51,900.00
Pledged	\$52,034.00
Paid	\$41,961.00
% of Goal pledged	100%
% of Goal paid	81%
Donors	164

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration for new students is still open. Due to a computer glitch, not all eligible families were notified. Please pass the word to families of current kindergartners. If interested in enrolling your child, be sure your family is registered in the parish. If not registered, visit the Church Office to register, and then come to our office to register for Religious Education.

Tuition Raffle:

We will once again have a Religious Education free tuition raffle. All families that submit their full payment by June 23, 2018 will be entered to win. Please note that sacramental fees are not included in the raffle. All payments of outstanding fees will be appreciated.

Calling All Would-Be Catechists:

We are already in the process of looking for Catechists for September 2018. We are looking for teachers for existing Levels 2-4 classes on Mondays, Tuesdays, at 4pm and 5:15pm. And Level 1 classes beginning in January. All classes are here in Midura Hall. If you are interested in teaching the children of our parish, please contact alonegan@olhope.org to learn about the requirements. You do not need to have a child in the program to volunteer and all materials are provided.

All Current Catechists:

Reminder for all Catechists: Catechist Training is being held Wednesdays, June 6 through June 27 at 6:30-9pm at Holy Name Church in Valley Stream. Please see email for more information and perhaps a carpool.

Please complete the Religious Education Class Evaluation forms and submit them to the office as soon as possible for September 2018 placements. We will be starting classes in late September and are beginning the process of class placements for our families. Please contact alonegan@olhope.org or leave a message at 334-4781.

Prophet Skit Costumes and Electronics Donations:

We will be collecting costumes for our Prophet Skits. Graduation Robes of any colors except red and white are most welcome. Scarves and belts are also needed. All donations can be dropped off in the box outside our office. We'd also be interested in an HDTV 32" or larger, a VHS player and a DVD player. Please call the church office before dropping off. Thank you for your kind generosity.

Office Hours:

The Religious Education Office will be open in June on Monday through Thursday, 10am to 3pm and by appointment. All outstanding work may be submitted in the box outside the office.

FATHER'S DAY

This Sunday, June 17, is Father's Day. Spiritual Bouquet Mass Cards are available in the church. If you wish to have someone remembered in the Father's Day Novena, please place the envelope with the names of your loved ones in the collection basket or deliver it to the Church Office. The envelopes with the names of those to be remembered in the novena will be placed on the altar.

VIRTUS TRAINING-PROTECT OUR CHILDREN!

Virtus is a program that gives us a specific plan in identifying and preventing child sexual abuse. The training is required of all diocesan personnel and volunteers in all parishes.

If you are a volunteer and still need to fulfill this obligation check the Long Island Catholic or the Diocesan website, www.drvc.org for training sessions available in the area. Please register for the class online or stop in the Church office.

The Office for the Protection of Children and Young People maintains a confidential phone line: 516 594-9063. We are available to help you or anyone who has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church. All calls are responded to within 24 hours.

KING KULLEN RECEIPTS

Please save your register tapes from King Kullen in Garden City Park. 1% of your purchases are donated to the parish. Proceeds from register receipts are forwarded to various charities through the St. Vincent de Paul Conference of Our Lady of Hope.

<p align="center">OUR LADY OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY</p> <p>At this time, the Food Pantry is in need of the following items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Soup-Chicken, vegetable & beef ▶ Jelly ▶ Jarred tomato sauce <p>Thank you for your continued and very generous support!</p>
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Let us pray...

FOR OUR PARISHIONERS SERVING IN UNIFORM

Michael B. Kilgannon, USAF, AC2 Eric Cullum, US Navy (D), Captain Kristofer Seibt, US Army (D), Cpl. Matthew Ketcham (D), Lt. Col. Matthew Kessler, USMC, Master Sgt. James Higgins, USMC, Robert Weingartner, Matthew Ziminsky, Daniel J. Vincent USAF, Timothy Vincent USMC, Captain Caitlin M. Drumm, USAF-MC, LTJG Joe Wengler, US Navy.

**D = Deployed*

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED...

especially those who have no one to pray for them.



Sanctuary Candle

\$15



Rose for Life

\$5

FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK

Maria Acierno, Cecelia Aguilar, Mary Alba, Elvia Aleman, Ronald Aman, Eleanor Angelis, Yvonne Angeles, Maya Annunziato, Mikey Armand, Jeanne (Porcelli) Aroyo, Anthony Barbera, Concetta Baso, Susan Blum, Marion Bonura, Deborah Bourassa, Peter Burkhardt, Giuseppe Burro, Eustacia Calderone, Michael Caplice, Brianna Cardenas, Eileen Caro, Maria Carrillo, Richard Casella, Gianna Casella, Marcel Chaillo, Louis Cianca, Joan Clarke, Judy Clickner, Gina Corleto, Marie Corte, George Costidis, Esther Curran, Dana Day, Kim DeRidder, Marie DeSimone, Joseph DiBiasi, May Dong, Hailey Eimer, Joe Farinaro, Alice Feldt, Margaret Flahive, Marie Francis, Grace Franzese, Mario Gaigan, Karen Gass, Gerry Georgio, Linda Gildea, Donna Girardi, Susan Goode, Theresa Gravina, Emily Grimm, Art Howell, Tanner Jadezuk, Helen Jara, Eileen Kawiecki, Jacqueline Klein, Barbara Knapp, Tom Knapp, Bill Kogler, Susan Goglia Kopas, Marietta Lettau, Lois Lewis, Raymond Licata, Vincent Luciano, John Malavolta, Sherrie Mayzie, John McDonald, Elaine Medoro, Heather Morella, Baby Viviana Mortellaro, Angelina Muzio, Danny Noble, Theresa Noto, Maureen Ostrowski, Angela Pascarella, James Passarella, Rylie Pederson, Antonio Perrino, Sr. Ann Peters, Loraine Pino, Joseph Piscitelli, Lorraine Poduch, Victor Praete, Fran Precipuo, Vincent Purcell, Kathleen Rainone, Joel Rivera, Daniel Roche, Nicole Roeder, George Rottkamp, Alex Salvaggio, Sara Sammartino, John Saunders, Cristofaro Scaccia, Joseph Schaefer, Anthony Schiano, Maureen Schroeder, Wayne Skuthan, Randy J. Smith, Donna Spano, Mark Sterlacci, Darrell Stone, Nancy Tandi, Kerri Taylor, Florence Theroux, Joan Thue, James Tirone, Marie Tricarico, Flo Vaccaro, Christopher Velez, Joseph Vigotty, Doug Walling, Maureen Wotten, Sondra Yannone, Rose Youngblood

Please call the parish office, if someone on this list has returned to reasonable health and can be removed from the list. At times, names may be taken off when we do not have any information about the person listed.



Altar Bread & Wine

For the intentions of Lorraine Christsen & Nathan Henry -by the family

MINISTERS AT MASSES June 9 & 10				
	5:00pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Fr. Arnao	Fr. Tomaz	Fr. Al	Fr. Dowling, SJ
LECTOR	L. Masucci	D. Oreste	B. Corrigan	A. Santana
ALTAR SERVERS	C. DeSimone L. DeSimone	V. Natalie G. Iannucci	S. Mogavero	A. Mastrangelo
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	S. Dowling G. So J. Wilde J. Pieper P. Wilde <i>Volunteer needed</i>	J. Blum L. Boone N. Boone B. Horan B. Kilgannon M. O'Leary	J. Waters M. Schultz R. Reilly A. Lonagan T. Barilla M. Barilla	F. Stein M. Cecere E. DiFrisco <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>
MUSIC MINISTERS	Cantor/Organ		Cantor/Organ	Cantor/Organ

**Congratulations and thank you for your service
The following have been recommissioned
as Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist.**



Lucy Acierno
 Dorothy Auguston
 Frances Barbuto
 Francesco Antonio Barilla
 Maria Barilla
 Rose Biggin
 Janice Blum
 Natalie Boone
 Larry Boone
 Dorothy Buttgerit
 Freda Cantwell
 Michael Cecere
 Virginia Daly
 Virginia DeRicco
 Margaret DeRidder
 Eileen DiFrisco
 Susan Dowling
 Regina Driscoll
 Elizabeth Dunphy
 David Evans
 Maryann Evans
 Carol Fullhardt
 Richard Grillo
 Robert Harrs
 LuAnn Heller
 William Horan
 Edmund Kelly
 Patricia Kelly
 Brian Kilgannon
 Margaret Lavin
 Susan Light

Anne Lonegan
 Ann Mandaro
 Donna Manley
 Leonard Masucci
 John Messina
 Nadine Moir
 Tamara Musella
 Elizabeth O'Donnell
 Mildred O'Leary
 Dominic Oreste
 Janet Pieper
 Rosemary Reilly
 Anne Rich
 George Rottkamp
 Bill Ruth
 Mary Ryan
 Aleida Santana
 Elena Santana
 Maria Sardos
 Mary Schultz
 Rosemary Scott
 Gerard So
 Felice Stein
 Phyllis Walsh
 Janet Waters
 James Wilde
 Patricia Wilde
 Joanne Winter
 Richard Winter
 Sondra Yannone

St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School



CELEBRATING OUR CENTENNIAL
1918 2018

SAVE THE DATE
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2018
FOR OUR ANNUAL
GOLF OUTING
**WHEATLEY HILLS GOLF CLUB
IN EAST WILLISTON**

ST. BRIGID/OLH REGIONAL SCHOOL, 101 MAPLE AVENUE, WESTBURY, NY 11590 • 516-333-0580
LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THE WHEATLEY HILLS GOLF CLUB 147 EAST WILLISTON AVENUE, EAST WILLISTON, NY 11596

FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT NANCY WYGAND OR VINCENT MASSINA AT [GOLF@STBOLH.ORG](mailto:golf@stbolh.org)

NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTION



Eleven members of the Class of 2018 were inducted into the school's chapter of the National Junior Honor Society. The Society recognizes students for their Scholarship, Character, Leadership, Service and Citizenship. The ceremony was run by the provisional members in seventh grade, and it was attended by the new members' families and schoolmates. Congratulations to the newest members of the NJHS and their families!



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Discovering hope and joy in the Catholic faith.

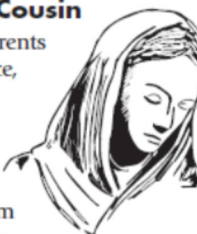
June 2018

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One Minute Meditations

St. Germaine Cousin
 Born to poor parents near Pibrac, France, St. Germaine had a deformed right hand, suffered from sores on her neck and was sickly from neglect and abuse. Despite her sufferings, she found comfort in God's presence, and prayed the Rosary while she tended the family sheep. She was generous with the poor, despite her own poverty. She even forgave her stepmother, who badly mistreated her. She is the patroness of abuse victims, people with disabilities, and shepherdesses.



Mindfulness
 When we make efforts to be fully aware and awake to everything we do and all that surrounds us, we become mindful of God's gifts and the grace available to us. "Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth" (Colossians 3:2). This takes practice, joyful effort, and discipline.

"The heavens declare the glory of God; the firmament proclaims the works of his hands.
 Psalm 19:3



Spring cleaning for the soul

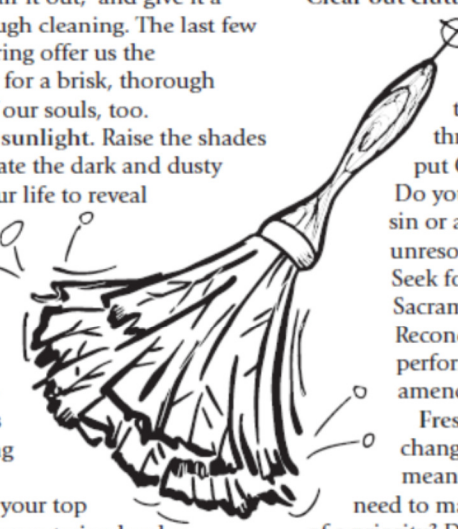
When a home is closed up during a long, stuffy winter, Spring is a time to open it up, air it out, and give it a brisk, thorough cleaning. The last few weeks of Spring offer us the opportunity for a brisk, thorough cleansing of our souls, too.

Let in the sunlight. Raise the shades and illuminate the dark and dusty places of your life to reveal whatever is keeping you from a close relationship with God. Is accumulating money or possessions your top priority? Are you trying harder to impress others than working to please God? Do bad habits (excessive food, alcohol, drugs) dominate your

life? Make an honest spiritual assessment and get busy cleaning.

Clear out cluttered closets. Is there something stuck in the corners of your conscience that needs to be cleaned out and thrown away so you can put God first in your life? Do you harbor unconfessed sin or an old grudge or unresolved disagreement? Seek forgiveness in the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation (Confession), perform your penance, make amends, and let it go.

Freshen up. What spiritual change have you been meaning to make? Do you need to make weekly Mass more of a priority? Does your prayer life need refreshing? Have you wanted to learn more about your faith? Now is the time.



Why Do Catholics Do That?

Why do Catholic Bibles have more books than Protestant Bibles?

When Martin Luther translated the Bible into German, he chose to leave out the Old Testament books that weren't originally written in Hebrew: Tobit, Judith, Wisdom, Sirach, Baruch, 1 and 2 Maccabees, and parts of Esther and Daniel.



However, the Catholic Church, under the Holy Spirit's guidance, confirmed that the books Luther removed are divinely inspired and chose to keep them (Catechism of the Catholic Church, #120). The Council of Trent (1545-1563) affirmed the current composition of the Bible.

Take a new look at the Mass

"Mass is the same every week. I don't always get something out of going." Sound familiar? A ritual we know so well can seem predictable or even routine. Consider these gifts you get from attending Mass:

Open your mind to something new. Within the Mass are lots of intriguing, mysterious, or just plain interesting ideas. Listen during the Scripture readings, the homily, or the Eucharistic prayer for something that strikes you and talk with God about it. He'll help open your mind to something new.



Help others without leaving your seat. We all know people near and far we would like to help. Distances and barriers disappear at Mass. When Jesus becomes present in the Eucharist, the entire Body of Christ is present. So you can pray for anyone you would like to support and the entire Body prays with you.

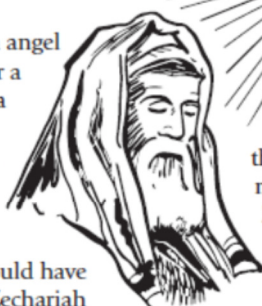
Make a change. Find at least one idea within the Mass that makes sense and seems possible and put it into practice. One new idea can change your life.

from Scripture

Luke 1:57-66, 80, God means what he says.

Sometimes God has to take drastic action to get our attention. Before John the Baptist was born, Zechariah was visited by an angel and told that his prayers for a son would be answered in a miraculous way. He also said Zechariah's son would prepare Israel for the long hoped-for Savior.

One might think that the appearance of an angel should have been enough to convince Zechariah of the truth of the message, but he was still skeptical that what the angel said was possible. He wasn't listening with all his heart, so God shut Zechariah's mouth



to make it easier for him to hear and see the truth. When the baby was born, Zechariah demonstrated his obedience in deciding to name the child John, just as the angel had said, and his mouth was opened. Zechariah's first words showered praise on God and told the people around him of God's faithfulness and awesome love. He reminded us that we can always trust God's love and care. Listen for God's voice and remember that all things are possible for God.

Q & A My prayer life is dull. How can I spice it up?

One of the struggles of many Catholics is "praying more." More than an item on our to-do lists, prayer is meant to be a conversation between us



and the One who loves us. Here are some tips to "spice" it up: When: Pick a time of the day to pray when you are alert and can

do your best thinking. 15-20 minutes is recommended for best results. Pick a time and protect it.

What: With so many devotions to choose from, it can be hard to pray well in 20 minutes. Choose one devotion and set a number of days for it - two weeks, a month, two months. If the quality of your prayer didn't improve afterwards, pick a different devotion.

Why: Many times, we go to God looking for answers, which is good. However, prayer's purpose isn't about getting information from God, but developing a relationship with him. The best thing we can do is be present to the one who loves us and wants to be with us.

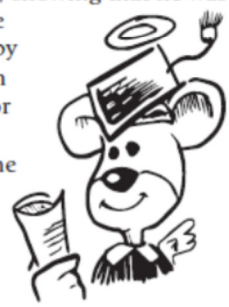
Feasts & Celebrations

June 1 - St. Justin Martyr (165). Justin was a Christian convert who searched for Truth. After his conversion, he held debates with pagans. When ordered by a judge to renounce his faith or die, St. Justin responded, "Nobody in his senses would give up truth for falsehood." He was martyred for his undying faith.

June 8 - Solemnity of the Sacred Heart (1765). At the end of the seventeenth century, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque began receiving visions of Jesus, who urged her to spread devotion to the Sacred Heart. The

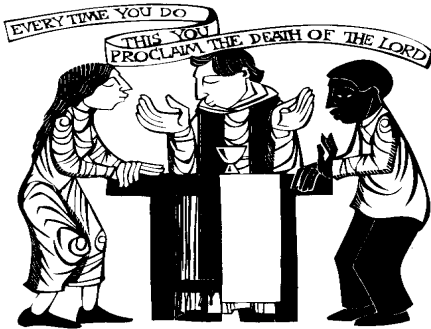
image of Jesus with his heart exposed in unquenchable flame - the Sacred Heart - is a reminder of his intense and eternal love for us.

June 29 - Saints Peter and Paul (1st Century). Peter was the apostle chosen by Jesus to lead the Church. The Gospels include some unflattering stories of Peter, showing that he was ordinary, made extraordinary by God's grace. An early persecutor of the Church, Paul became the Great Apostle, also transformed by grace.



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MASS INTENTIONS for the week of June 2



Saturday – June 2, 2018

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

5:00 PM – Larry Wachter (by Janet Diamond & family)

-Helen Minchella (by Denise, Heather & Mike)

Sunday – June 3, 2018

8:30 AM – Pasquale Veneziano (by the DeRidder family)

In the missions:

-Lee Giordano (by family)

10:00 AM – Bob Buttgerreit (by Dot Buttgerreit)

In the missions:

-Frank DeRicco (by Joe & Joanne Benincasa & boys)

-Albert J. Stellato (by the Mead family)

11:30 AM – For the People of the Parish

Monday – June 4, 2018

9:00 AM – For the intentions of Catherine Walsh on her 80th birthday (by Peter & Phyllis Walsh)

Tuesday – June 5, 2018

9:00 AM – Helen & Jack Havecker (by Dot Buttgerreit)

In the missions:

-For the intentions of Joan Wilson (by Freda Cantwell)

Wednesday – June 6, 2018

9:00 AM – Charlie Schmitt (by John & Mary Ryan)

In the missions:

-For the intentions of Patrick Lavin (by Freda Cantwell)

Thursday – June 7, 2018

9:00 AM – Helene Gorski (by the family)

Friday – June 8, 2018

9:00 AM – Lyde Newman (by John & Mary Ryan)

Saturday – June 9, 2018

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

5:00 PM – Helen Minchella (by Jim & Rei)

-Vincent Ippolito (by Cathy & Bob Small)

-John Waters (by Dan & Lynn Minchella)

Sunday – June 10, 2018

8:30 AM – Frances & Edward Chiusano (by the family)

In the missions:

-Lee Giordano (by the family)

10:00 AM – Ann Ierardi (by Patricia Ierardi)

In the missions:

-Madeline Lione (by Michael Lione)

-Frank DeRicco (by Joanne Lecci)

11:30 AM – For the People of the Parish

In the missions:

-For the intentions of Colette Wood (by Freda Cantwell)



SOMETHING FROM DEACON JOHN

1. Which is the only Portuguese speaking country in the Americas? Argentina, Brazil and Peru?
2. In a rainbow, what color is the outer part of the arch? Red, orange or violet?
3. What is an Orange Swift? Is it a bird, a sandal or a moth?
4. Which bear is smarter than the average bear? Paddington Bear, Yogi Bear or Pooh Bear?
5. For what occupation was Jesus trained? A tax collector, a carpenter or a fisherman?
6. What is the more common name for the olfactory organ? The nose, the ear or the mouth?

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FAMILY, MARRIAGE AND INDIVIDUAL THERAPY

Family, marriage and individual therapy, provided by NYS licensed therapists including therapists who specialize in Depression, Divorce Mediation and Domestic Violence, are available to our parishioners at 147 other parishes. This program, under the direction of Dr. George Giuliani, has been conducted in the diocese for the past 41 years for the convenience of parishioners. It is provided by the Catholic Counseling Center, which is independent of and not controlled or supervised by the parish or diocese. Most insurance policies, including Medicare, are honored. We are currently looking for licensed therapists in Nassau, Suffolk and Queens. For confidential information and appointments, please call Dr. Giuliani at the Catholic Counseling Center at 631 243-2503 or go to: <http://www.thecatholiccounselingcenter.com>.

FREE FOOD FOR LOW INCOME SENIORS

The CSFP (Commodity Supplemental Food Program), funded by USDA, NYSDOH and administered by Catholic Charities is offering free food for 6 to 12 months post-partum women, children from the age of 5 up to their sixth birthday, and seniors age 60 and over, who are income eligible. The food package includes cheese, milk, starches, cereals, juices, canned fruits, vegetables, canned fish, meats and more. Income guidelines for seniors are as follows: Gross monthly income; for single senior-\$1,180 or less, for senior couple-\$1,594 or less. For further information and income guidelines for women and children in Nassau and Suffolk, please call 631 623-4568 or 631 491-4156.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

...bringing hope for a better future to people in need.

Today as we celebrate the gift of the Body and Blood of Christ, let us pray for those who are hungry, malnourished and starving.

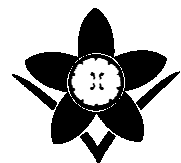
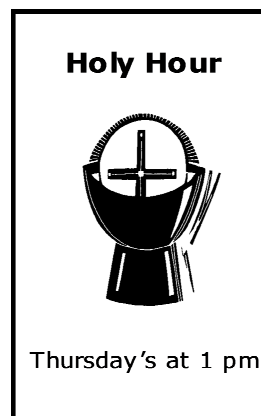
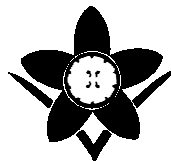
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Our Lady of Hope Parish Library

Please visit the Library, located in the front, right stairwell of the Church. If you have a question about your faith, you can find the answer in many of the library's titles. There are books on meditation and spiritual healing. The video collection contains lives of the saints and other religious subjects.

MEMORIAL BRICKS

We are accepting orders for the memorial bricks which will be placed in front of the Grotto on the parking lot side of the church. An order form are available in the church office. The cost of a memorial brick is \$125. If you have any questions, please call the church office.



Courtesy Announcements

The following are published as courtesies for a two-week period as space allows. They are not an endorsement of any functions or persons. If there are any difficulties or problems experienced with any ad, please call the Church Office so that we can remove the ad immediately. We apologize for any typographical errors.

FIRST NOTICE

HAVE YOU HEARD THE GOOD NEWS-Fr. Edward Dowling's wonderful books of our *Sunday Gospel Reflections* are available for you to read anytime! His collection of homilies are for everyone who would like to be better acquainted with the Sunday readings. Wonderful and thorough, these books are an absolute treasure! **Three volume set is \$25.** Please contact Tam Musella tmmc4me@aol.com or 790-7778.

BALLOONS BY DESIGN-decorate your next event with balloons. Communion, Graduations, Birthdays, Showers. Table centerpieces, arches, floor displays and much more. Contact OLH parishioner Margie Fiorillo at 445-0831. 10% of Balloon by Design's profit will be donated to Our Lady of Hope.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER-Allow God to give you grace in abundance and transform your marriage relationship by attending a WWME Weekend. The next Weekends are November 16-18 and February 8-10 in Huntington, NY. For more information, call John & Toni Torio at 877 697-9963 or visit www.wwmeli.org.

POWER IN MY HANDS PREMIERE-coming to NY: a film for our time for individuals, families, teens, young adults, single, married, priests and religious. This feature film shows the beauty of the Rosary and the miracles that occur from Mary's intercession. Your prayer life won't be the same after hearing from this all-star case about the moments when their lives changed forever. View a preview and purchase tickets for the July 12 premiere 7pm DGA Theatre, by visiting www.powerinmyhandsthemovie.com

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND-October 13-22. Fr. Peter is our Spiritual Guide (206TOURS). Price \$3,999, all inclusive-double occupancy. Call Fr. Peter 631 757-7435 ext 5 or 206Tours at 1 800 206-8687, ask for a color brochure. Information night in the rectory at St. Francis, Greenlawn at 8pm on June 20 and July 23.

SECOND NOTICE

3RD ANNUAL MATT LORENZO SCHOLARSHIP FUND GOLF OUTING-The scholarship will go to a student at the CPHS who shows academic excellence and personifies hard work and what it means to be a team player both on and off the athletic field. Monday, July 2, Rockville Links Country Club. Registration/Breakfast buffet 10am. Shotgun start: 12 noon. \$260 includes golf, breakfast, lunch, dinner and open bar. Dinner only: \$115 Hole sponsorships: \$125 suggested donation. For questions contact: mattlorenzscholarshopfund.com

PART-TIME MAINTENANCE WORKER-Holy Name of Jesus, Woodbury is seeking a Parish Maintenance worker. This PT position provides cleaning and maintenance for the parish buildings

and grounds. Hours can be 8am to noon or 9am to 1pm. Must be flexible M-F and weekends may be required. Individual will report to the Pastor and/or the Business Manager. For a complete list of responsibilities and requirements please contact OLH office at 334-6288. Interested candidates should email or fax resume and cover letter to bullet007@hnjchurch.net or fax to 516 682-8161 indicating Maintenance Worker in subject line.

WANTED-carousel slide projector. Please call Paul 997-7043.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT IN OUR DIOCESE-Please visit our helpful website: www.drvc-faith.org. Simply click on the word **Bereavement** on the bar in the middle of the home page and then click on **Support groups available now** and you will find: Monthly & weekly support groups, groups for children, memorial programs, Help for the Holidays, Conferences and much more. Or for more information call Kathleen Logan, Bereavement Coordinator, 516 678-5800 ext. 236.

PROJECT INDEPENDENCE-Senior Transportation Program for all Town of North Hempstead residents age 60 and over for non-emergency medical visits and food shopping. Registration required. Call 311 or 869-6311 and get your Project Independence membership card. Shopping service is free, taxi rides to the doctor, dentist or treatment center are at half price. Call for brochure and more information.

STEADFAST CAREGIVERS-provides home companion services to seniors and home-bound adults. Our home care professionals are comprehensively screened, bonded, insured and monitored on an ongoing basis to ensure the highest quality care and companionship. Whether you need care on an hourly or live-in basis, Steadfast Caregivers offers affordable care. We offer a free and confidential in home assessment and are happy to answer any questions. 516 747-0570.

MEALS ON WHEELS-EAC Network program is available to individuals 60 years and older in Westbury, Carle Place and New Cassel. The basic requirements are; living alone, no longer driving and have a limited support system. 516 539-0150 ext. 219.

EAC NETWORK'S IN-HOME RESPITE PROGRAM-is a not for profit social service agency that provides respite for caregivers of the elderly in Nassau County. This service provides 2-6 hours of in-home companion care/week, serve any Nassau County resident caring for an adult 60 or older and companions are screened and trained. Call 539-0150 ext 215 or Christine ext 218 to find out more about the program.

ANSWERS TO DEACON JOHN'S QUESTIONS

1. Brazil
2. Red (red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo, violet)
3. A moth
4. Yogi Bear
5. A carpenter like St. Joseph
6. The nose