

# Our Lady of Hope Church



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Pastor Rev. Thomas V. Arnao, J.C.D.

Deacons Thomas B. Rich,

Raymond J. Tirelli, Patrick J. Dunphy

## Sunday Priests

Rev. Edward Dowling, SJ

## Staff

Rei Cornelius, Parish Office Manager

Mr. Raymond Henderson, Liturgical Music Director

Mrs. Anne Lonagan, Coordinator of Religious Education

## 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](mailto:rel-ed@olhope.org)

See [www.olhope.org](http://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

**St. Vincent de Paul Society 334.6288 x 18**

## 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

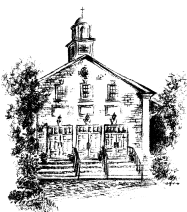
Novena Tues after 9:00 am Mass

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

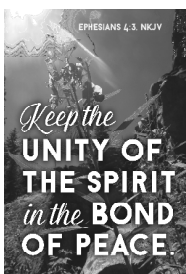
### IT IS NOT ENOUGH TO COUNT OUR BLESSINGS WE NEED TO SHARE THEM

We have to fight the temptation to “not share” what we have with others for fear there may not be enough for us in the future. Jesus calls us to be more than spectators in the work of salvation. We must be agents of His love and mercy at all times.

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### LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, Elisha takes twenty barley loaves and through God’s grace and by His promise, feeds a hundred people. Saint Paul, writing from prison, calls for unity among the Church of Ephesus. In the Gospel, Jesus feeds thousands with one boy’s five barley loaves and two fish.



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### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“The hand of the Lord feeds us,” says the Psalmist, “He answers all our needs.” Both Elisha’s servant in the first reading and the disciples in the Gospel story who witnessed the feeding of the five thousand saw this happen and knew it to be true.

Last Sunday’s collection 7/22/18	\$7,082.50
Same Last Year	\$9,891.50
A/C Collection	\$2,975.00
Same Last Year	\$2,707.00
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	\$2,373.50
Attendance 7/22/18	499
Same Last Year	660

*Thank you for your generosity in returning to God some of what He has given you.*

### A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Last weekend, some of our parishioners were approached by a woman in the parking lot asking for money after Sunday morning Mass. Unfortunately, this happens from time to time and we have discovered that more often than not they are scams. This particular woman from Suffolk County and driving an older model car with a broken trunk had been here in May. The scenario is always the same: she needs money and only money for an emergency. I did approach her and had a conversation with her and she willingly left the property. Although non-catholic, she was resistant to any offer of legitimate help through our St. Vincent de Paul Society or even a church of her own denomination. She visits various churches each Sunday, and often approaches older women. After a conversation with the police, several pastors have been directed to offer the following advice: Do not engage this individual in conversation, but simply proceed to your car. If the individual is persistent, you may wish to return to church and use your cell phone to call 911. If you do not have a cell phone, there is an emergency phone in the sacristy. When people are genuinely in need, they cooperate with us and go through the proper channels for assistance. Sadly, too many are con artists and take advantage of the good nature of our people. It is with regret that I must write such a letter, but your well being is of significant concern and I so not wish any of you to be deceived or unjustly manipulated by these individuals.

2018 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL	
Goal	\$51,900.00
Pledged	\$55,784.00
Paid	\$50,406.00
% of Goal pledged	108%
% of Goal paid	97%
Donors	186

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**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](http://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.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**Calling All Catechists:**

Save the date on your calendars for our first Catechist Meeting of the year: Tuesday, August 28 or Thursday, September 6 at 6:30-8pm. All catechists are expected to attend one of these meetings.

**Electronics Donations:**

We will be collecting VHS players and DVD players. Please call the church office before dropping off. Thank you for your kind generosity.

**Office Hours:**

The Religious Education Office summer hours are by appointment only. We will return to our regular business hours on September 5. All outstanding work may be submitted in the box outside the office. If you have any questions you can leave a message at 334-4781 and [alongegan@olhope.org](mailto:alongegan@olhope.org). We will respond as soon as possible.

**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.



**SUMMER OFFICE HOURS**

The Church office will close on Fridays at 1pm for the months of July and August. Happy summer!

**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.

**WE SHARE ONLINE GIVING**

Online giving is available at Our Lady of Hope and it's safe, simple and convenient. Please visit [olhope.weshareonline.org](http://olhope.weshareonline.org) to get started. The site is very "user friendly", but if you still have questions please do not hesitate to call the church office or WeShare directly at 855 800-4273.

**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.



**OUR LADY OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY**

At this time, the Food Pantry is in need of the following items:

- ▶ Peanut butter and jelly
- ▶ Beans-all varieties
- ▶ Vegetables-all varieties
- ▶ Canned tomatoes-diced, stewed & crushed

Please remember the Food Pantry when doing your weekly shopping. The Pantry shelves tend to get depleted during the summer months. Thank you for your generosity. **\*Please be aware of expiration dates when making donations. Open & partially consumed products are unacceptable and should never be donated.**

The Food Pantry Staff

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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 Phyllis Brody and  
Barbara Hobbie.



#### Sanctuary Candle

\$15



#### Rose for Life

\$5

### FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK

Maria Acierno, Mary Alba, Elvia Aleman, Ronald Aman, Eleanor Angelis, Yvonne Angeles, Maya Annunziato, Mikey Armand, Jeanne (Porcelli) Aroyo, Anthony Barbera, Concetta Basso, 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 Chaillol, 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, Emily Grimm, Art Howell, Tanner Jadeszuk, 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. Maria Perrino, Ann Peters, Loraine Pino, Joseph Piscitelli, Lorraine Poduch, Victor Praete, Fran Precipuo, Vincent Purcell, Kathleen Rainone, Joel Rivera, Daniel Roche, Nicole Roeder, Alex Salvaggio, Sara Sammartino, John Saunders, Cristofaro Scaccia, Joseph Schaefer, Anthony Schiano, Maureen Schroeder, Wayne Skuthan, Randy J. Smith, Donna Spano, Mark Sterlacci, Sr., Darrell Stone, Nancy Tandi, Kerri Taylor, Florence Theroux, Joan Thue, James Tirone, Marie Tricarico, Flo Vaccaro, Christopher Velez, Joseph Vigotty, Marie Wachter, Doug Walling, Frank Wetmore, 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

In loving memory of Reilly Family  
-by the family

MINISTERS AT MASSES August 4 & 5				
	5:00pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Fr. Tomaz	Fr. Dowling, SJ	Fr. Tomaz	Fr. Kealey
LECTOR	N. Moir	B. Kilgannon	B. Ruth	B. Corrigan
ALTAR SERVERS	C. DeOliveira C. DeOliveira	V. Natalie	E. Johnson	A. Mastrangelo
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	F. Barbuto L. Masucci R. Scott <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>	L. Boone N. Boone B. Horan A. Mandaro M. O'Leary <i>Volunteer needed</i>	J. Waters R. Winter M. Barilla T. Barilla D. Buttgerreit R. Biggin	M. Cecere B. Dunphy P. Wilde J. Wilde <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>
MUSIC MINISTERS	Cantor/Organ		Cantor/Organ	Cantor/Organ

# St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School



**SATURDAY November 24, 2018**



# 5K

**5K Start 9:00AM KIDS FUN RUN 8:30AM**

**REGISTRATION  
ONLINE:  
<http://bit.ly/stbolh>**



**MORE INFORMATION: [Run@Stbolh.org](mailto:Run@Stbolh.org)  
OR VISIT: [www.stbolh.org](http://www.stbolh.org)**

St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School  
**CENTENNIAL HOMECOMING**

# RUN & WALK

**KIDS FUN RUN & ALUMNI REUNION**

This event is for **EVERYONE**, serious runners, alumni, parishioners, parents, students and friends.

**DON'T MISS EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT RATES**

Awards Ceremony, Music & Celebration following race.

Homecoming Alumni Reunion fee: \$5 OR complimentary with 5K Registration!



**FIRST 100 5K REGISTRANTS GUARANTEED A RACE T-SHIRT!**



If running or walking is not your thing, there are still plenty of ways to catch the Centennial spirit!

**Come out, pitch in and cheer us on!**

Please contact [run@stbolh.org](mailto:run@stbolh.org) or call the school office at 516-333-0580 to learn more about volunteer opportunities for this event.

## Sponsorship opportunities

Partner with us for the **St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Centennial Homecoming 5K Run & Walk!**

Would you like to contribute to our celebration and be part of the branding of this event? Contact [run@stbolh.org](mailto:run@stbolh.org) or call the school office at 516-333-0580 for more information on sponsorships.

*Thank you in advance for helping us celebrate 100 years of Catholic education!*

# Our Lady of Hope Grotto - Memorial Garden

4"x8" engraved brick memorials are now available for the brick pavement in front of the Grotto of Our Lady of Hope on the east side of the church. The funds raised as a result of this project will be used to complete the beautiful pipe organ in the church begun in 2002. The economic down turn and emergency repairs on the church building and systems, required a delay in completing the organ. While the entire organ has been in the building since 2004, there were only funds to have 1,500 of the 3,000 pipes working. The loudest sets of pipes were installed, leaving the softer sounds to be set up at a later time. Our organ is among the most beautiful on Long Island and is very unique in that it is built of "recycled heritage" parts, many over a century old. Our organ contains the choicest pipes of organs built by the best organ makers of the late 19<sup>th</sup> century through the 20<sup>th</sup> century. The magnificent carved oak case was formed of elaborate choir stalls from a former monastery chapel. The system which operates the keyboards and pipes is run by state of the art computers. Please consider memorializing a loved one, while at the same time helping the parish complete one of its most beautiful attributes.

Some Engraving Options – 3 lines of ¾" Letters – 13 Characters per line (including space between words)

	IN LOVING MEMORY OF JOHN SMITH	GOD BLESS THE JONES FAMILY	IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE CAROL WHITE									

All characters will be capitalized in the same font. Spaces between words are counted as characters.

Please fill out the order form clearly and completely and return to the Parish Office.

Checks should be made out to: Our Lady of Hope Church

Name [PLEASE PRINT]

Address City State Zip Code

Telephone email (optional) ☐

4" x 8" Memorial Brick @ \$125.00

4" x 8" duplicate for home @ \$50.00

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

Date

## Every Family Should Know About the Expertise and Comfort Provided by Good Shepherd Hospice



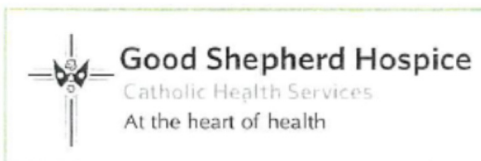
**Good Shepherd Hospice** provides comfort for your loved one. We offer expert medical, emotional, and spiritual care for people facing the end of life as well as support for their families.

Through the care and skill of a compassionate staff, we help people meet their goals while living with advanced illness.

Hospice is not about losing hope; it's about living each day to the fullest, with the highest quality of life possible.

*Services are covered by Medicare, Medicaid and most insurance programs.*

*If you are interested in learning more about our program please call us at:*



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**Phone: 631-465-6363 / 516-586-1420**

**Fax: 631-465-6533**

[www.goodshepherdhospice.chsli.org](http://www.goodshepherdhospice.chsli.org)



**@GSHCare**

## What Family Members Say About Good Shepherd Hospice

*“Your care and concern while we dealt with Mom’s illness was heartfelt. Everyone involved made our journey to Mom’s passing less stressful and more meaningful.”*

*“My father came onto your hospice program on so many medications. It was so difficult for him to stay awake when we desperately wanted to spend every minute with him. Within a few hours of your care, and with the help of your doctor, his medications were managed and he was in total comfort and as a family we were able to talk, laugh, and enjoy our time together.”*

*“Your nurse Anna was a guardian angel to myself and my cousin...My cousin went on her journey knowing that she was loved here on earth. After the experience of seeing my cousin pass, your staff stayed with me and comforted me.”*

### Good Shepherd Hospice

*Is a proud member of the Catholic Health Services continuum of care:*

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## MASS INTENTIONS for the week of July 28



### Saturday – July 28, 2018

*Anticipated Mass for Sunday*

- 5:00 PM – Davis, Shanley, & McNerney families (by Margaret Davis)  
 -Cecilia Aguilar (by Janet Diamond & family)  
 -Robert Helfst (by the family)  
 -Joan McCarthy (by the family)

### Sunday – July 29, 2018

- 8:30 AM – Benjamin Luciano (1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary in Heaven) (by Rose Luciano)  
 In the missions:  
 -Marilyn Roland, Jane Oliviero, Lena Schiano, Joan Rezac, John Frame & Vern & Gertrude Smith (by Rosalie Mediate)  
 10:00 AM – For the People of the Parish  
 11:30 AM – Marjorie Kerins (by Jerry Kerins)

### Monday – July 30, 2018

- 9:00 AM – Msgr. Francis Midura (by Mr. & Mrs. Miguel Araya)  
 In the missions:  
 -For the soul of Walter Andrews (by the family)

### Tuesday – July 31, 2018

- 9:00 AM – Ignacio Brant (by Daughter/Granddaughter)  
 In the missions:  
 -Bogumil Kumbatovic (by Lisa Kumbatovic)

### Wednesday – August 1, 2018

- 9:00 AM – Alfonso Valdivieso (by Daughter/Granddaughter)  
 In the missions:  
 -For the intentions of Martha McCaffrey (by Fredda Cantwell)

### Thursday – August 2, 2018

- 9:00 AM – Philip Morella (10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in Heaven) (by Lois Morella)

### Friday – August 3, 2018

- 9:00 AM – Edward Kessler (30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) (by Marilyn Kessler)  
 -Ginger Bosch (by Linda Scanlon)  
 -For the intentions of Pat Stack (by Fran Burgdorf)

### Saturday – August 4, 2018

*Anticipated Mass for Sunday*

- 5:00 PM – Cecilia Aguilar (by Betty Ann & Wayne Margan & family)  
 -For the intentions of Alex & Caron Dick on the occasion of their 10th Wedding Anniversary (by Liz Dick)

### Sunday – August 5, 2018

- 8:30 AM – For the People of the Parish  
 In the missions:  
 -John Moriarity (by Peg & Bill Krumenacker)  
 -John Fiorillo (by the family)  
 10:00 AM – Maria Duarte (by the Duarte family)  
 In the missions:  
 -Benjamin Luciano (1st Anniversary in Heaven) (by the family)  
 11:30 AM – Francis Kerins (by Jerry Kerins)  
 In the missions:  
 -Stefanie Gute (by the Dunphy family)

PEACE  
 BE WITH  
 you

**SOMETHING FROM DEACON JOHN**

1. What is the name of the rapid transit system in Paris? The Metro, the Subway or the Rapide?
2. Who lives in Hundred Acre Wood? Paddington Bear, Rupert the Bear or Winnie the Pooh?
3. Which planet is fifth from the sun? is it Earth, Saturn or Jupiter?
4. Approximately how many Roman Catholics were there in the USA in 2005? 40 million, 60 million or 80 million?
5. In the Book of Revelation, what color will the moon turn? Will it turn red, blue or green?
6. According to the song, where does "Puff the Magic Dragon" live? Atop a tree, by the sea or underground?

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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.*

*In the Gospel, Jesus supersedes both the apostles' and the crowds' expectations: with little, He feeds many...Jesus is the sign of God's lavish presence and love. Your donation to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is indeed a sign of God's extravagant love to the lonely and the poor.*

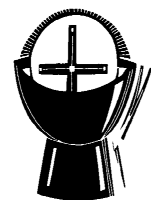
**(516) 334-6288 ext. 18**

**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.



**Holy Hour**



Thursday's at 1 pm

### 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](mailto:tmmc4me@aol.com) or 790-7778.

BALLOONS BY DESIGN-decorate your next event with balloons. Communions, 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.

WESTBURY ARTS-Come out & support your local Arts Council! Shop Westbury Arts’ Farmers & Artists Market every Sunday 10am-3pm until 10/28 at the Piazza Ernesto Strada, Maple & Post Aves. Listen to live music, find locally sourced honey, fruits & vegetables, pickles, gifts, jewelry & much more! Shop local!

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER-Let Jesus feed your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are November 16-18 and February 8-10 in Huntington. For more information, call John & Toni Torio at 877 697-9963 or visit [www.wwmeli.org](http://www.wwmeli.org).

CONGRATULATIONS!-to those students from our parish who attend Kellenberg Memorial HS and have achieved Final Honor Roll. They are: Marisa Bavaro, Alexandra Carrillo, Joseph Ciserano, James Dieguez, Victoria Dieguez, Kristen Erker, Brielle Johns, Jacqueline Kumbatovic, Darien Lloyd, Matthew Moncada, Justin Renner, Alex Scagnelli, AnnaMaria Vargas, Richard Whigham and Jack Williamson. Keep up the good work!

OUR LADY OF MERCY 11TH ANNUAL SUMMER FAIR-Wednesday August 1 to Sunday August 5. 500 S. Oyster Bay Road, Hicksville. Great rides and games and delicious food. Free entertainment every night. This year the fair is dedicated to our brave men and women of the US military, both active and veteran. Admission is free.

#### SECOND NOTICE

NYU WINTHROP BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT FOR 2018-Bereavement Support Groups for anyone who has lost a loved one, beginning Thursday, August 9, meeting weekly for six sessions 12pm to 1:30pm. Registration is required. Contact the Pastoral Care Department 516 663-4749.

STB/OLH REGIONAL SCHOOL-Toddler Program for toddlers and their caregivers, 18 months by December 1. Tuesday or Thursday mornings. Toddler Plus/Pre-Nursery for toddlers who are 24 months old by December 1. Previous school experience required, meets Tuesday and Thursday. For more information, tuition rates and dates please call 516 333-0580.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT IN OUR DIOCESE-Please visit our helpful website: [www.drvc-faith.org](http://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. The Metro
2. Winnie the Pooh
3. Jupiter, Earth is the third
4. 60 million
5. Red
6. By the sea