

# Our Lady of Hope Church



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## Sunday Priests

Rev. Edward Dowling, SJ

## Staff

Rei Cornelius, Parish Office Manager

Mr. Raymond Henderson, Liturgical Music Director

Deacon Thomas Rich, Director 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 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

Maria Vargas & Diane Austria, Coordinators

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

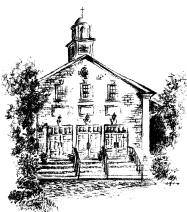
Novena Tues after 9:00 am Mass

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

### CHRIST CALLS US TO UNITY WITH HIM AND THE FATHER

Jesus prays for His Church to be one, to be a visible sign of Christ to the world. In His great love, Jesus invites us into His own relationship with God the Father: *I in them and you in Me*. God’s powerful love enables believers to live in a unity so attractive it draws others into the love of God.

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### LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, Stephen sees a heavenly vision before he is thrown out of the city and stoned by the crowd. In Revelation, John reveals Jesus’ testimony as the Alpha and the Omega, and His invitation to receive *the gift of life-giving water*. In the Gospel from John, Jesus prays for His disciples and those who will follow, asking His Father to perfect them in unity.

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### LIVING STEWARDSHIP

Always let your faith grow. You can never have enough God! Let Him guide you to do His will and make your faith flourish!



Last Sunday’s collection 5/26/19	\$8,738.39
Same Last Year	\$8,055.50
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	717.61
Attendance 5/26/19	418
Same Last Year	532

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

### CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS CAMPAIGN

This week, our second collection is for the Catholic Communications Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ, here and around the world in developing countries, through the internet, television, radio and print media. And fifty percent of funds collected remain in our diocese to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message! To learn more, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR THE HOMEBOUND

If you are Eucharistic Minister and are able to visit the homebound or already visit the homebound and are able to add another visit, please call the church office. The act of bringing the Eucharist to the elderly and infirm means so much to those on the receiving end. Thank you for your service to our church!

### 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 800 950-9952.

2019 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL	
Goal	\$51,900
Pledged	\$48,895
Paid	\$40,038
% of Goal pledged	94%
% of Goal paid	77%
Donors	155

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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 14, 2019 will be entered to win. Please note that sacramental fees are not included in the raffle. Payment of any outstanding fees is required to participate in the raffle.

**Calling All Would-Be Catechists:**

We are already in the process of looking for Catechists for September 2019. We are looking for teachers for existing Levels 2-5 classes on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays at 4pm and 5:15pm, as well as, Level 1 classes that begin in January. All classes are in Midura Hall. If you are interested in teaching our faith to the children of our parish, please contact Maria Vargas or Diane Austria at rel-ed@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:**

Please complete the Religious Education Class Evaluation forms and submit them to the office as soon as possible for September 2019 placements. We will be starting classes in late September and are beginning the process of class placements for our families. Please contact rel-ed@olhope.org or leave a message at 334-4781.

Our office hours for June will be Tuesday and Wednesday 10-3 and Thursday 1-6 and by appointment.

**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.

**FATHER'S DAY**

Sunday, June 16, 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 bring it to the 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.

**Baptisms at Our Lady of Hope**  
Elijah Joseph Jusino  
Olivia Josephine Colantuoni  
Hudson Maurus Kaiser  
Kylie Rose Lossowsky  
Margaret Elizabeth Scott  
*Welcome to our Church family!*

**OUR LADY OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY**

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

- ▶ tea
- ▶ bottled fruit juice
- ▶ mac & cheese

Thank you for your continued support of the people we all serve.  
The Food Pantry Staff

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## Let us pray...

### FOR OUR PARISHIONERS SERVING IN UNIFORM

LCpl. Joseph T. Hughes, USMC (D), Steven J. LaRosa, USMC, Michael B. Kilgannon, USAF, AC1 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, LT Joe Wengler, US Navy.

*\*D = Deployed*

### FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED...

especially Peter Rocco and Mary Burke.

### 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, Vincenzia Berasti, Susan Blum, Deborah Bourassa, Mary Broyles, Peter Burkhardt, Giuseppe Burro, Diana Cabral, Eustacia Calderone, Michael Caplice, Brianna Cardenas, Maria Carrillo, Richard Casella, Gianna Casella, Marcel Chaillol, Joan Clarke, Judy Clickner, Gina Corleto, Marie Corte, George Costidis, Lona Cruz, Esther Curran, Dana Day, Peter DeFilippo, Kim DeRidder, Marie DeSimone, Joseph DiBiasi, Bernard Dicks, May Dong, Hailey Eimer, Joe Farinano, Alice Feldt, Margaret Flahive, Marie Francis, Grace Franzese, Mario Gaigan, Gerry Georgio, Linda Gildea, Patricia Gioffre, Donna Girardi, Susan Goode, Emily Grimm, Mary Lou Hickey, Art Howell, Helen Jara, Patricia & Ralph Keck, Jacqueline Klein, Sue Klein, Barbara Knapp, Tom Knapp, Susan Gloglia Kopas, Dorothy Kuchler, Marietta Lettau, Lois Lewis, Raymond Licata, John Malavolta, Sherrie Mayzie, John McDonald, Elaine Medoro, Maria Merz, Heather Morella, Baby Viviana Mortellaro, Angelina Muzio, Danny Noble, Theresa Noto, Maureen Ostrowski, Angela Pascarella, James Passarella, Rylie Pederson, Antonio Perrino, Ann Peters, Lorraine Pino, Joseph Piscitelli, Lorraine Poduch, Victor Praete, Fran Precipuo, Vincent Purcell, Kathleen Rainone, Joel Rivera, Daniel Roche, Nicole Roeder, Alex Salvaggio, Rosa Santos, John Saunders, Joseph Schaefer, Maureen Schroeder, Randy J. Smith, Darrell Stone, Nancy Tandi, Kerri Taylor, Florence Theroux, Joan Thue, James Tirone, Marie Tricarico, Rose Unquhaver, Flo Vaccaro, Christopher Velez, Joseph Vigotty, 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.*



**Sanctuary Candle**

\$15



**Rose for Life**

\$5



**Altar Bread & Wine**

\$50

<b>MINISTERS AT MASSES June 8 &amp; 9</b>				
	5pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Fr. Tomaz	Fr. Dowling, SJ	Fr. Arnao	Fr. Blake
LECTOR	N. Moir	J. Stein	C. Phillips	B. Ruth
ALTAR SERVERS	C. Ferrandina	V. Natalie	E. Johnson G. Winter	D. Barbour
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	G. So R. Scott <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>	D. Evans M. Evans B. Horan P. Kelly A. Rich F. Stein	J. Waters R. Biggin V. DeRicco R. Grillo A. Lonagan E. Kelly	M. Cecere B. Dunphy E. DiFrisco L. Masucci J. Wilde P. Wilde
MUSIC MINISTERS	Cantor/Organ		Cantor/Organ	Cantor/Organ



# St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School



## ART SHOW AND CONCERT

The visual and performing arts were showcased in our annual Art Show & Spring Concert. Samples of student work were on display in the vestibule of the Auditorium for guests to browse as they arrived. Our concert began with the Violin Ensemble, followed by both the Beginner and Experienced Band. Next, the third graders performed selections on their recorders before the Chorus took the stage and treated us to several songs including a medley of Queen's greatest hits. Many thanks to our teachers for bringing out the gifts and talents of our children!



## MIX IT UP DAY!

Mix It Up Day is an international program created by Teaching Tolerance, a project of the Southern Poverty Law Center. The premise is simple but has profound implications: Step out of your comfort zone and connect with someone new over lunch. At our school, the program is sponsored by Kids for KIRA, a student group dedicated to promoting our core values of Kindness, Integrity, Respect and Acceptance.





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Discovering **hope and joy** in the Catholic faith.

June 2019

**Our Lady of Hope Church**  
Rev. Thomas V. Arnao, Pastor


## One Minute Meditations

**St. John Fisher**  
Born in Beverley, England, St. John Fisher became a renowned scholar and bishop. He even served as chaplain to the mother of King Henry VIII. Things with the royal family soured when St. John denounced the king's divorce from Queen Catherine and refused to recognize King Henry as Head of the Church of England. He was arrested twice but remained loyal to the Catholic Church, even to death. He shares his feast day with St. Thomas More.



**St. Joseph's way**  
In St. Joseph's life, God found the silence he needed to be heard over the noise of a carpenter's routine and was able to establish an immediate rapport. When God spoke, St. Joseph immediately obeyed. God will speak to us, too, in the silence of our lives.

*"If we acknowledge our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive our sins and cleanse us from every wrongdoing"*  
(1 John 1:9).



## Is sin real?

The world tells us that sin doesn't really exist and we should just try to be good people. Frankly, that isn't enough. Sin results when we don't follow God's laws. Dealing with sin is uncomfortable but the consequences are eternal.

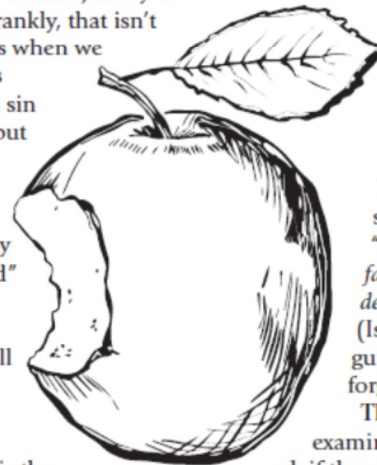
God's rules rule. While we may think we are "good" and others may look up to us, eventually God will decide if we have been what he considers "good." Since his opinion is the one that matters, his rules rule.

Sin is real. The world tells us that sin doesn't exist but Catholics know that "sin is a deliberate thought, word, deed, or omission contrary to the eternal law of God" (*Catechism of the*

*Catholic Church*). The law can be found in the Ten Commandments, the Beatitudes, and in Scripture. The law says sin is real.

No guilt, no forgiveness. Unconfessed sin separates us from God. *"For you have hidden your face from us and have delivered us up to our guilt"* (Isaiah 64:6). Avoiding guilt means losing God's forgiveness.

The plan. Each evening, examine the day's actions and ask if they please God or not. Resolve to do better and take steps to change. Seek absolution through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Then when you meet God he will say, *"Well done, my good and faithful servant"* (Matthew 25:23).



## Why Do Catholics Do That?

## Why do Catholics believe the Church is holy?

The Church is holy, not because of her individual members, but because God, who created, guides, sustains, and purifies her, is holy. She also has the means to grow in holiness: the sacraments, the Ten Commandments, prayer,



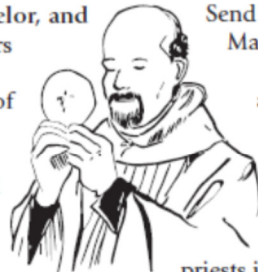
and the virtue, charity. This holiness comes from the lives of the saints, who followed Christ faithfully and practiced heroic virtue. "The Church, then, is 'the holy People of God,' and her members are called 'saints'" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC)*, 823).

# We can help our priests help us.

The parish priest is celebrant, teacher, counselor, and financial manager. He works more than 60 hours weekly, doing everything from administering Sacraments to taking out the trash, yet nine out of ten priests report being happy in their ministry. Our support can help them stay strong:

Pray for a priest every day. Let him know, and the knowledge of your prayers will strengthen him in difficult times.

Express appreciation. Tell your priest when something he has done or said makes a difference to you.



Send an encouraging note or e-mail, or mention it after Mass.

Wait for the facts. A priest's visible position can attract misunderstanding. Until you have the facts, give your priest the benefit of the doubt.

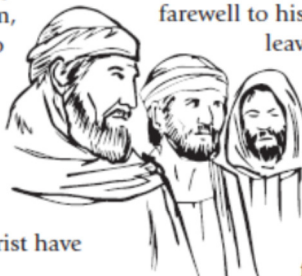
Roll up your sleeves. A priest's job is easier if we each use our gifts in our parishes. Ask how you can help.

Attend Mass. The best way to support our priests is to attend Mass every weekend and Holy Day. Acting in the person of Christ is the greatest job benefit.

## from Scripture

### Luke 9:51-62, The profile of a disciple

This Gospel passage is all about the requirements of discipleship. The first man, filled with enthusiasm, blurted out his intention to follow Jesus. Jesus reminded him that he had no home, no family, and no place to sleep. The difficulties of having to "let go" and, if needed, "do without" to follow Christ have turned many away.



For the second man in the story, the problem was priorities. Jesus called him personally, but instead, the man wanted to fulfill his duty to his dying father first. Whenever God invites us to follow him, we can't delay him. Our

duty, as disciples, is to obey.

The third man wanted to say farewell to his family at home before leaving. Jesus knew that looking back while plowing can ruin the job. He used that example to help the third man understand that, if we are serious about following Christ, we can't constantly be changing our decision.

We will have to make sacrifices to follow Jesus, but he promises us that the rewards will be worth much more than anything we leave behind.

## Feasts & Celebrations

June 5 - St. Boniface (754). The "Apostle of Germany," St. Boniface was a monk dedicated to spreading the Gospel in Germany. He converted many to Christianity and restored dioceses in Bavaria, Thuringia, and Franconia.

June 17 - St. Emily de Vialar (1856). Born into the French aristocracy, St. Emily used her inheritance to found a religious order—the Sisters of St. Joseph of the Apparition. They cared for the sick and started schools in Europe, Africa, and Asia.

June 23 - Corpus Christi Sunday. On

this solemnity, we celebrate the transformation of the bread and wine into Jesus' Body and Blood in the Holy Eucharist. This solemnity was established by Pope Urban IV in 1264 in response to the need for a Eucharistic feast day.

June 29 - SS. Peter and Paul (1st century). Peter, an ordinary fisherman made extraordinary by God's grace, was chosen by Jesus to lead the Church. An early persecutor of the Church, Saul became the Great Apostle Paul, also transformed by grace.



## Q & A "Catholic guilt?"

Popular culture often refers negatively to "Catholic guilt," implying that Catholics are weighed down by a regretful awareness of having done

wrong. Actually, guilt has a purpose. Our conscience is like the compass in our car, and guilt is what tells us we're going the wrong way. It helps us to get back on the road—in this case, to Heaven.

There's good guilt and bad guilt. Good guilt is what someone feels if he did something he knew was wrong on purpose, i.e. if he sinned. Sin hurts our relationship with God and is harmful to us. "Healthy" guilt calls for a contrite heart and a change of behavior. For Catholics, guilt should disappear when we're forgiven in Confession.

However, guilt with no corresponding sin, or lingering guilt over confessed sins, is bad guilt. This "useless" guilt denies God's goodness, mercy, and power to save. It also robs us of peace and joy. If you struggle with bad guilt, talk to a priest, counselor, or trusted friend for help.

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## 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



## MASS INTENTIONS for the week of June 1



### Saturday – June 1, 2019

#### *Anticipated Mass for Sunday*

5:00 PM – Marie Wachter (by Fran Burgdorf)  
 -Bob Buttgereit (by his wife, Dorothy)  
 -Michael Moran (by Margaret & Pat Lavin)  
 -Bernard Smith (by the Flecker family)  
 Mark Sterlacci, Sr. (by Maureen & Luigi D’Onofrio)

### Sunday – June 2, 2019

8:30 AM – For the intentions of Joan & Victor Arnao  
 (by Ellen Weglarz)  
 In the missions:  
 -Frances Chuisano (by the family)  
 -Lee Giordano (by the family)  
 10:00 AM – Sharon D’Agostino (by the Our Lady of Hope Food Pantry)  
 In the missions:  
 -Marguerite Maidhoff (by Gloria Gregory)  
 -Barbara Dobrzeniecki (by Patty & Ed Kelly & family)  
 11:30 AM – For the People of the Parish

### Monday – June 3, 2019

9:00 AM – For the Intentions of Ellen & Tom Weglarz (by Fr. Arnao)  
 In the missions:  
 -Larry Wachter (by Janet Diamond & family)  
 -Bernard Gomes (by his Mom & Dad)

### Tuesday – June 4, 2019

9:00 AM – Charlie Schmitt  
 In the missions:  
 -For the Intentions of Taylor & Lucas (love, Mom)

### Wednesday – June 5, 2019

9:00 AM – For the Intentions of Tommy & Molly Weglarz (by Ellen Weglarz)  
 -Helen & Jack Havecker (by Dorothy Buttgereit)

### Thursday – June 6, 2019

9:00 AM – Patricia Ruth Chetuck (by Bill Ruth)  
 In the missions:  
 -Edward Rawlings (by the Scagnelli family)  
 -Mary Marrian (by the family)

### Friday – June 7, 2019

9:00 AM – Helene Gorski (by the family)  
 -Ann Powell (by Rose Diasparra)

### Saturday – June 8, 2019

#### *Anticipated Mass for Sunday*

5:00 PM - Bernard Smith (by the Kelly family)  
 -Robert & Nadine Helfst (by the family)  
 -Patricia Gibbons (by the Savitsky family)

### Sunday – June 9, 2019

8:30 AM – Sharon D’Agostino (by Our Lady of Hope Food Pantry)  
 In the missions:  
 -Lee Giordano (by the family)  
 -Rudy Prevete (by Brian, Doris, Caitlyn & Michael Kilgannon)  
 10:00 AM – For the People of the Parish  
 11:30 AM – Rosalind Pehoski (by the Wilde family)  
 In the missions:  
 -Mark Sterlacci, Sr. (by Carol & Paul Mila)



**SOMETHING FROM DEACON JOHN**

1. In Spain, and other parts of the world, what is the word for an afternoon nap? Fiesta, siesta or barista?
2. Which city in the world has the largest population? Shanghai, Karachi or Tokyo?
3. Which is the first month of the year to have exactly 30 days? No hints!
4. In what town do the Flintstones live? Flint, Granite City or Bedrock?
5. Who was the tallest of Robin Hood's Men? Little John, Friar Tuck or Will Scarlet?
6. Which animal is regarded as the one having the longest lifespan? The giant tortoise, the macaw or the African elephant?

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**OUR LADY OF HOPE ADULT CHOIR**

Any adult who enjoys singing and is able to match pitches correctly is most heartily encouraged to participate in the Adult Choir which sings at the 11:30am Sunday Masses (October through June). It is not necessary to have music reading skills, only the room in your schedule to join with us on most Sundays and rehearse on Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 8:30pm. If you have ever considered singing in the choir, now is the ideal time to come and check us out. Please call Ray Henderson at 334-6288 ext. 19 for any further information.

**DEFENSIVE DRIVING**

There will be a 6 hour Defensive Driving course held in Msgr. Midura Hall on Saturday, June 22, 2019 from 8:30am to 3pm. This course is a way to lower your insurance premiums, reduce your driver record violation points, and sharpen your driving skills. The cost is \$45 (check made payable to Our Lady of Hope Church). Please call the church office to register in advance. Please bring a brown bag lunch and your license.



**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.



**Society of St. Vincent de Paul**

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

*As we celebrate the feast of the Ascension this past week, we are reminded that Christ's saving work on earth continues through His disciples...and now through us.*

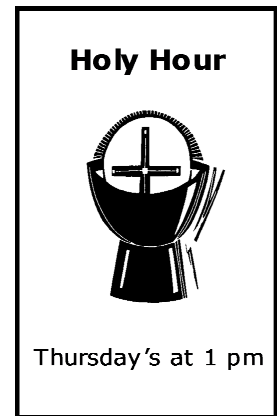
**(516) 334-6288 ext. 18**

**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.

**\*\*\*Please note\*\*\***

**There is no parking directly in front of the church. This is reserved for emergency vehicles if needed. Please respect the safety of the parishioners of Our Lady of Hope Church. Thank you!**



## 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

GOOD SHEPHERD HOSPICE-is proud to announce that our new hospice center at Mercy Hospital in Rockville Centre is officially open. We are excited to continue our mission to provide compassionate, comprehensive and family-focused care to patients and families in Nassau County. For more information please call 631 465-6350. For intake questions call 631 465-6363 or 516 586-1420. Visit our website [goodshepherdhospice.chsli.org](http://goodshepherdhospice.chsli.org) to learn more.

TV MASS FOR THE HOMEBOUND-Is someone you love unable to join us at mass on the weekend? For the faithful at home or in healthcare settings, the Heart of the Nation Sunday TV Mass brings spiritual comfort and the blessing of joy-filled hope in our Risen Savior. Please invite anyone you know who cannot get out to church to tune in Catholic Mass of TV or watch online anytime on Sundays at [www.HeartoftheNation.org](http://www.HeartoftheNation.org).

### SECOND NOTICE

AUDITIONS BEING HELD-for this year's St. Paul's Centerstage's production of *Peter and the Starcatcher*, the prequel to *Peter Pan*. Anyone can sign up to be a part of the show-build/paint sets, refreshments. Show dates are August 1-4 at St. Edward the Confessor in Syosset. For more information call 528-0294 or email [centerstagemisinstry@gmail.com](mailto:centerstagemisinstry@gmail.com).

LIFE CENTER OF LI ANNUAL PASTA DINNER & CHINESE AUCTION-Sunday, June 2 from 1-5pm at Our Lady of Grace, West Babylon. For more information on the Pasta Dinner please contact Phil at 631 766-3388 and for more information on the Chinese Auction please contact Gloria at 798-8746.

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.

RELIGION AND ROCK -Tune into "Religion and Rock" with Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sunday from 7am-8am on WBAB 102.3FM or 95.3FM on Long Island's East End. Listen on Saturdays at 11pm on Sirius Radio, Channel 159, the Catholic Channel and at 11pm on XM Satellite, Channel 117. Next Sunday's theme is "Relaxation" don't miss it! [www.religionandrock.com](http://www.religionandrock.com)



### ANSWERS TO DEACON JOHN'S QUESTIONS

1. Siesta
2. Shanghai
3. April
4. Bedrock
5. Little John
6. The giant tortoise