

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

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

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

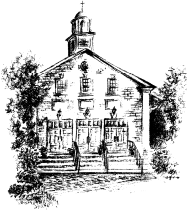
Novena Tues after 9:00 am Mass

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

THE OUTPOURING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT MARKS THE BIRTHDAY OF THE CHURCH

On Pentecost, the disciples go from fearful and hesitant to confident and bold. May we open ourselves to receiving the Holy Spirit so that we may live the fullness of discipleship.

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading from Acts, we hear the account of the Holy Spirit coming to rest upon the disciples and followers, enabling them to proclaim the Gospel in many languages. In the second reading, Paul, writes to the Corinthians about the variety of gifts and service but one Spirit and Lord. He speaks of the Church as the body of Christ. In the Gospel (in a passage often referred to as "John's Pentecost"), John gives an account of the disciples and their first experience of the risen Christ-Christ who breathes on them and tells them to *Receive the Holy Spirit*.



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Last Sunday's collection 6/2/19	\$8,036.50
Same Last Year	\$8,180.76
Catholic Communications	\$979.00
Same Last Year	\$1,495.50
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	\$1,419.50
Attendance 6/2/19	385
Same Last Year	499

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

EUCCHARISTIC 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. We are always looking for volunteers. 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!

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

The Church office will close on Fridays at 1pm beginning June 21 and for the months of July and August. Happy summer!

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 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.

LIVING STEWARDSHIP

Pray. Listen to what God is telling you. God may be moving you to do something for His church or He may be putting someone in your life and asking you to do something for them.

2019 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL	
Goal	\$51,900
Pledged	\$49,096
Paid	\$40,288
% of Goal pledged	95%
% of Goal paid	78%
Donors	158

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration for new students is still open. 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. And Level 1 classes beginning in January. All classes are here 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:

If you haven't completed your Religious Education Class Evaluation forms and submit them to the office as soon as possible for September 2019 placements.

Office Hours:

The Religious Education Office will be open in June on Tuesday and Wednesday 10am to 3pm, Thursday 1pm to 6pm and by appointment. All outstanding work may be submitted in the box outside the office. Our July office hours will be by appointment only, and the office is closed in August.

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.

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.



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 Catherine Baumer
and Jo-Anne Battista.



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, 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 Farinaro, Alice Feldt, Margaret Flahive, Marie Francis, Grace Franzese, Mario Gaigan, Gerry Georgio, Linda Gildea, Patricia Gioffre, Donna Girardi, Susan Goode, Emily Grimm, Norman Gruenfelder, Mary Lou Hickey, Art Howell, Helen Jara, Patricia & Ralph Keck, Jacqueline Klein, Sue Klein, Barbara Knapp, Tom Knapp, Susan Goglia Kopas, Dorothy Kuchler, Marietta Lettau, Lois Lewis, Raymond Licata, John Malavolta, Sherrie Mayzie, John McDonald, Elaine Medoro, Maria Merz, Heather Morella, Baby Viviana Mortelaro, Angelina Muzio, Danny Noble, Theresa Noto, Maureen Ostrowski, Angela Pascarella, James Passarella, Rylie Pederson, Antonio 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, 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.



Altar Bread & Wine

\$50

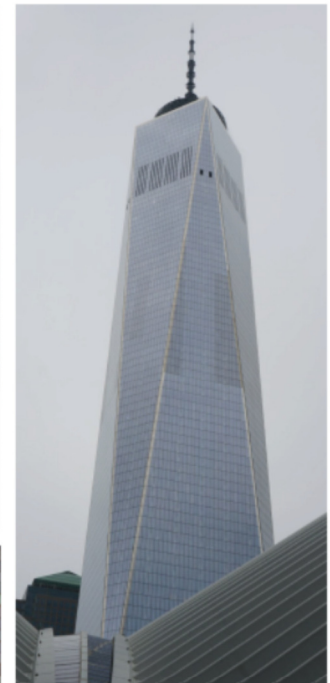
MINISTERS AT MASSES June 15 & 16				
	5pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Fr. Tomaz	Fr. Dowling, SJ	Fr. Blake	Fr. Arnao
LECTOR	L. Masucci	D. Oreste	B. Corrigan	A. Santana
ALTAR SERVERS	L. DeSimone C. DeSimone	C. Ferrandina	M. McCarthy A. Kubovic	C. DeOliveira C. DeOliveira
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	D. Auguston F. Barbuto S. Dowling L. Heller N. Moir <i>Volunteer needed</i>	L. Boone N. Boone M. O'Leary B. O'Donnell A. Mandaro B. Kilgannon	J. Messina R. Reilly M. Schultz J. Waters R. Winter J. Winter	E. Santana B. Harrs J. Wilde P. 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



EIGHTH GRADE TRIP TO NYC!

The Class of 2019 had a memorable day in New York City. First, they visited the 9/11 Memorial, a powerful memorial and museum commemorating the September 11 attacks and 1993 bombing. They also visited two historic churches in downtown Manhattan, Old St. Peter's and Old St. Patrick's. After that, they enjoyed an interactive performance of the Blue Man Group, with seats in the "splatter zone". Last stop: Chinatown, for shopping and dinner at Ping's Palace.



For children entering Kindergarten through Grade 8 in September 2019

Staffed by certified teachers, college and high-school aged junior counselors. Activities may include: Arts and Crafts, Computers, Dance, Drama, Science Activities, Sports, Storytime, Cooking, Cheerleading, Martial Arts, and Music. Each week may also include a "Day Adventure"-- game show, magician, carnival or an animal show.

- Week 1:** July 1st - July 5th (excluding July 4th)
- Week 2:** July 8th - July 12th
- Week 3:** July 15th - July 19th
- Week 4:** July 22nd - July 26th

MORNING SESSIONS: 9 AM to 1 PM
or
FULL DAY SESSIONS: 9 AM to 5 PM

Register online: <http://bit.ly/stbolhcamp>

20 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL
19 DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE



Witnessing Forgiving Loving Helping Teaching Igniting Evangelizing
 Teaching Igniting Evangelizing Forgiving Loving Helping Witnessing

Supporting *Dramatic Missionary Growth* in Our Community

"Growth in holiness is a journey in community, side by side with others."

- Pope Francis

Please consider making a gift to the
 2019 Catholic Ministries Appeal.



For more information, to watch our video
 or to make a donation,
 visit www.drvc.org/CMA
 or call us at 516-678-5800 ext. 296





Focus on Religious Freedom

www.cffor.org

Banning "God" from Graduation Speeches

More than two centuries after Freedom of Religion and Freedom of Speech were enshrined in the First Amendment to the Constitution, these rights are often in the news during Graduation season.

* **A H.S. graduating senior in PA, whose faith is a driving force behind everything she does, was surprised when the school tried to force her to leave out any reference to her religious beliefs from her graduation speech.** Determined not to be silenced for her beliefs, she asked First Liberty Institute for help. They sent a letter to the school district reminding them that the student's remarks were her own "private speech, not "government speech," and as such, could not violate the First Amendment Establishment Clause. The letter also cited the landmark Supreme Court decision which held that students do not "shed their constitutional rights to freedom of speech or expression at the schoolhouse gate."

* **A university in CO reversed its decision to remove a Bible verse from the graduation speech of a nursing student selected by her classmates to address the class.** Alliance Defending Freedom (ADF) sent a letter to the school stating, "It is ... well established that university officials cannot silence speech simply because it expresses a particular viewpoint, including a religious one." The ADF attorney noted that while universities often believe they are "fulfilling the commands of the First Amendment" when barring religious speech, "they're actually violating it."

* **An IL valedictorian was told just ten minutes before graduation that he would not be permitted to deliver his speech because it was too religious.** The all-star student was told to deliver generic comments devoid of the true inspiration for his academic performance. "It was terrible. I felt like I wanted to cry... For that to be taken away ..."

"These school officials ruined the only high school graduation Sam will ever know," said First Liberty Institute. "How many more graduations have to be ruined before school officials will learn that the First Amendment protects student remarks at graduation?"

(washingtontimes.com, 5/23/18; dailysignal.com, 5/16/18; firstliberty.org, 6/13/17; godtv.com, 5/16/19)

"If we are to guard against ignorance and remain free, it is the responsibility of every American to be informed." Thomas Jefferson

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 19th century through the 20th 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

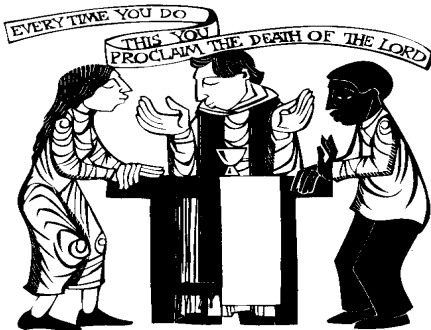
4" x 8" duplicate for home @ \$50.00

Total \$ _____

Signature

Date

MASS INTENTIONS for the week of June 1



Saturday – June 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 the 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)

Monday – June 10, 2019

- 9:00 AM – In honor of St. Philomena (by Ellen Weglarz)
 In the missions:
 -Anna Pesce (by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Sforza)

Tuesday – June 11, 2019

- 9:00 AM – Howie Blum (by the Blum Family)
 In the missions:
 -Madeline Lione (by Michael Lione)

Wednesday – June 12, 2019

- 9:00 AM – Charles Mancuso (by Fr. Arnao)

Thursday – June 13, 2019

- 9:00 AM – Lottie and Walter Skipka (by the Light family)
 In the missions:
 -For Special Intentions in honor of St. Anthony
 -For the intentions of Fran Burgdorf (on the occasion of her 95th Birthday) (by Janet Diamond & Family)

Friday – June 14, 2019

- 9:00 AM – Richard Frost (by Jim & Mimi Frost)
 -Lyde Newman

Saturday – June 15, 2019

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

- 5:00 PM – Howie Blum (by the Blum family)
 -Bill Diamond & Larry Wachter (by Janet Diamond & family)
 -Pasquale N. Bavaro, Rose & Vito Lauria, Angelica & Joseph Bavaro, Michael Lisa, Dorothy & Albert Flach & Guiseppe and AnneMarie Lauria
 -Arthur Jefferson, Walter Liber, Norvell Hardy (by Susan Provost)
 -Giovanni Ferrarelli (by Frank & Gina Cinelli)
 -Louis Spera (by Debbie Andreuzzi)
 -Paul D. Clarke (by the Clarke family)

Sunday – June 16, 2019

- 8:30 AM – Father’s Day Novena
 In the missions:
 -Alfonso Valdivieso (by his daughter/granddaughter)
 -Tom Bray (by Peggy & family)
 -Ronald Mankowski (by Catherine & Dominick Masiello)
 -Lee Giordano (by the family)
 10:00 AM – For the People of the Parish
 In the missions:
 -Philip D’Alessio (Happy Father’s Day) (by the Maiale and Bunt family)
 -Domenico Buffolino (by his wife and kids)
 11:30 AM – Alexis Ziegler-Bass (by Ellen Weglarz)
 In the missions:
 -Patrick Marrinan (by the family)



SOMETHING FROM DEACON JOHN

1. Cirrus and cumulus are examples of what? Bones in the body, Roman gods or clouds?
2. What is the third major planet from the sun in our solar system? Venus, Earth or Mars?
3. What is the capital of Australia? Sydney, Melbourne or Canberra?
4. Dracula suffers from staurophobia? What is that the fear of? Crucifixes, daylight or garlic?
5. What is the name of Dr. Seuss's egg-hatching elephant? Marvin K. Mooney, Horton or Yertle the Turtle?
6. In J. Edgar Hoover, what did the J stand for? James, John or Joseph?

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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 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.

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*****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!



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

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

Today as we celebrate Pentecost, the Holy Spirit wants to make us advocates of God's presence to bring new life to others, especially those who do not know the love of God in their lives.
(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.



Miraculous Medal
Novena

Tuesday's after
the 9am Mass



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

FATHER'S DAY PANCAKE BREAKFAST-Boy Scout Troop 45 will hold its annual Pancake Breakfast at the K of C Hall on Jericho Tpke., Mineola from 7:30am to 12 noon. Tickets are \$5 each, children 4 and under are free. Please come out and enjoy breakfast with your family, your friends and your neighbors while supporting Troop 45.

DO YOU NEED TO FULFILL YOUR MARRIAGE PREP REQUIREMENT?-Engaged Encounter is an effective Pre Cana program designed to provide you with the tools for a successful marriage. Couples are given the opportunity to explore many aspects of their relationship through a series of presentations, writings and dialog. Our next weekend will be held at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington on August 9, 10, 11. For information please call Lenny & Pat Walker at 631 563-1032.

SECOND 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 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.

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.

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 "Being Joyful" don't miss it! www.religionandrock.com



ANSWERS TO DEACON JOHN'S QUESTIONS

1. Clouds
2. Earth
3. Canberra
4. Crucifixes
5. Horton
6. John