

Our Lady of Hope Church



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Deacons Thomas B. Rich,

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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, D.Min., J.C.L.

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

GOD’S LOVE IS LIKE A RAGING FIRE!

In today’s Gospel, Jesus outlines many of the ways in which His coming into the world will cause division, and not peace. He comes to *set the fire*—not to destroy it, but to emblaze it with the fullness of God’s love for us. The divisiveness arises not from Jesus Himself, but from peoples’ response to Him: choosing either to build up that fire, or to tamp it down. Let us be those who feed the fire of the kingdom, not extinguish it.

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

Jeremiah is imprisoned under the authority of King Zedekiah because the people are upset by his words. But a court official convinces the king to release him. The writer of Hebrews challenges the community to *rid (themselves) of every burden and sin* and to keep their *eyes fixed on Jesus*. In the Gospel, Jesus tells His disciples He has come not to establish peace, but division.

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SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

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

Last Sunday’s collection 8/11/19	\$8,902.00
Same Last Year	\$7,604.50
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	\$554.00
Attendance 8/11/19	509
Same Last Year	540

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

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

In today’s second reading, St. Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart, but to persevere in following Jesus. Our willingness to stand up for the Truth, even in the face of conflict and division, is one way to measure our discipleship.

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 August 25.

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.



2019 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL	
Goal	\$51,900
Pledged	\$51,661
Paid	\$45,223
% of Goal pledged	99%
% of Goal paid	87%
Donors	170

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Calling All Would-Be Catechists:

We need you! We are in need of teachers for Levels 3 & 4 on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays at 4pm beginning in September, and Level 1 classes beginning in January. All classes are held 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.**

Catechists:

Save the date on your calendars for our first Catechist Meeting of the year for grades 2 through 8: Wednesday, August 28 from 7-8pm or Thursday, September 12 from 6-7pm. All Catechists are expected to attend one of these meetings. Also, please mark your calendars - Catechist Sunday is September 15 and will be celebrated at the 10am mass.

Parents: Save the date for our Fall Parent Meetings: Wednesday, September 4: 6:30-7:30pm for Levels 2-5 and 7:30-8:30pm for Levels 6-8, Monday, September 16: 6-7pm for all Levels 2-8.

Class Notifications for Rel Ed 2019/2020 will be mailed out the first week of September.


Office Hours:

The Religious Education Office Summer Hours are by appointment only. We will return to our regular business hours on September 3. **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 rel-ed@olhope.org. We will respond as soon as possible.

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.

**The Banns of Marriage are announced
for the third time between:**



Anthony Arvelo, Our Lady of Hope
and Melissa Buck, Our Lady of Hope

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.

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.



OUR LADY OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY

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

- ▶ **canned vegetables**
- ▶ **soup**
- ▶ **canned tomatoes**

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 John DiLauro and
James Sheridan.



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, Brianna Cardenas, Maria Carrillo, Dominic Catalano, 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, Angelina Fortner, Marie Francis, Grace Franzese, Mario Gaigan, Gerry Georgio, Linda Gildea, Patricia Gioffre, Donna Girardi, Susan Goode, Emily Grimm, Norman Gruenfelder, Art Howell, Helen Jara, Patricia & Ralph Keck, Jacqueline Klein, Sue Klein, Barbara Knapp, Tom Knapp, Susan Goglia Kopas, Dorothy Kuchler, Mary Lou Lavelle, 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, Loraine Pino, Joseph Piscitelli, Lorraine Poduch, Victor Praete, Vincent Purcell, Kathleen Rainone, Joel Rivera, Daniel Roche, Nicole Roeder, George Rottkamp, Alex Salvaggio, Rosa Santos, John Saunders, Joseph Schaefer, Maureen Schroeder, Irene Smith, Randy J. Smith, Darrell Stone, Nancy Tandl, 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 August 24 & 25				
	5pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Fr. Tomaz	Fr. Tomaz	Fr. Dowling, SJ	Fr. Blake
LECTOR	P. Varol	B. Corrigan	D. Restivo	B. Ruth
ALTAR SERVERS	C. DeSimone L. DeSimone	C. Ferrandina	C. DeOliveira C. DeOliveira	V. Natalie E. Johnson
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	G. So R. Scott <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>	J. Blum P. Kelly B. Horan D. Oreste L. Masucci P. Schaefer	J. Winter M. Barilla T. Barilla E. Kelly R. Winter R. Sewnauth	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



ANNUAL
GOLF OUTING
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2019
HONORING
MICHAEL SIMONS '78
DEAN OF ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW
AT THE WHEATLEY HILLS GOLF CLUB

GIVE-AWAYS • PRIZES • AWARDS • RAFFLES • SILENT AUCTION • A HOLE IN ONE COULD WIN YOU A NEW CAR!

Sponsorship Opportunities	Registration
Reception Sponsor \$3,000 Includes foursome	\$295 per golfer or \$1,100 per foursome
Cocktail Sponsor \$2,200 Includes foursome	\$95 Dinner-only ticket
Putting Green Sponsor \$2,000 Includes foursome	10:30 am Check-in & brunch on the patio
Cart Sponsor \$1,750 Includes foursome	Complimentary driving range open
Award Sponsor \$1,000 Includes 2 golfers	12:30 pm Shotgun Start
Driving Range Sponsor \$750 Includes 1 golfer & 1 dinner ticket	Refreshments & snacks served on course
Centerpiece Sponsor \$500 Includes 2 dinner tickets	5:30 pm Cocktail Hour
Program Sponsor \$350	6:30 pm Awards Reception Dinner
Hole Sponsor \$250 Tee Sponsor \$175	

**FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT NANCY WYGAND (516) 661-2077 OR VINCENT MASSINA (646) 948-1534
GOLF@STBOLH.ORG PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ST. BRIGID/OLH REGIONAL SCHOOL
MAIL TO: STBOLH GOLF C/O NANCY WYGAND AT 182 LIBERTY AVE., WESTBURY, NY 11590**

INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION CAN ALSO BE PURCHASED ONLINE AT <http://bit.ly/stbolhgolf>

Number of golfers _____ at \$295 each = Total Enclosed _____

Dinner-only tickets _____ at \$95 each = Total Enclosed _____

Names of those attending _____

SPONSORSHIP

Yes, I would like to sponsor the _____ for \$ _____

Sponsor name/company (as it should appear on signage) _____

Please make checks payable to: St. Brigid/OLH Regional School • 516-333-0580 • 101 Maple Avenue, Westbury, NY 11590
Looking forward to seeing you at the Wheatley Hills Golf Club 147 East Williston Avenue, East Williston, NY 11596

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

Military Chaplains Corp - Still Under Attack

In July, the Army Chaplain Corps, founded on July 29, 1775 in response to a request from Gen. George Washington to the 2nd Continental Congress, commemorated their 244th

Anniversary. Washington knew that in addition to physical preparedness, his troops would need spiritual fortitude and the moral strength to persevere in the face of the formidable British army.

Today, a diverse and expanding group of over 200 religions are represented among military chaplains, ranging from majority religions such as Christianity to minority religions such as Judaism, Islam, and Buddhism.

Sadly, military chaplains of today often face risks in carrying out their duties and living out their faith. There are activist groups such as the misnamed Military Religious Freedom Foundation working to suppress faith and religious freedom in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

Examples include:

- * Navy Chaplain Wes Modder almost lost his career when he answered questions from a sailor seeking counseling about his church's teaching on marriage.
- * Navy Chaplain Gordon Klingenschmitt was court marshaled for standing against a policy that prohibited sectarian prayers while in uniform. Eventually Congress rescinded this policy.
- * Army Chaplain Scott Squires faced disciplinary action after he complied with his denomination's doctrines and declined to conduct a marriage retreat for same-sex couples.

These attacks on chaplains are becoming more frequent and hold the risk that troops could lose the spiritual strength they need as they prepare to risk their lives for our freedom. **Some organizations are asking for an Executive Order directing officials to protect and uphold religious freedom in America's military.**

(firstliberty.org, 7/26/19; townhill.com, 7/29/19; aclj.org, 7/26/19; christiannewswire.com, 2019; onenewsnow.com, 9/1/16)

"Military power wins battles, but Spiritual power wins wars." Gen. George Marshall

Are you discerning a vocation to the Diaconate?

The Office of Diaconate Formation

will be conducting

THREE INFORMATION SESSIONS

for men and their wives.

7:00 pm
WEDNESDAY, September 11

7:00 pm
FRIDAY, September 13

7:00 pm
SUNDAY, September 15

IF YOU AND YOUR WIFE WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND ONE OF THE MEETINGS

CALL 631-423-0483 ext. 179 OR E-MAIL diaconateformation@drvc.org

Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, 440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743

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 August 17



Saturday – August 17, 2019

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

5:00 PM – For the intentions of the Cianca & Schaefer family

-Mary Tirelli (2nd Anniversary in Heaven) (by her husband, Ray)

-Robert & Bobby Wetzel (by Catherine M. Fascilla)

Sunday – August 18, 2019

8:30 AM – Edward Armitage (by Alice & Donna Armitage)

In the missions:

-John Matthew Harrington (by the family)

10:00 AM – For the People of the Parish

In the missions:

-Giuseppe, Rocco, Orsola & Annamaria Iadevaia (by the family)

11:30 AM – Demetrious Kanetis (by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Cerro)

In the missions:

-Frank & Marie Pizza, Marty & Dot Pizza (by the Franqueiro family)

Monday – August 19, 2019

9:00 AM – For the Intercession of St. Philomena (by Ellen Weglarz)

In the missions:

-Joseph O'Donnell (by Beth O'Donnell)

Tuesday – August 20, 2019

9:00 AM – Helen, Jimmy, & John Baker (by Marilyn Kessler)

Wednesday – August 21, 2019

9:00 AM – Richard Ruth (by Bill Ruth)

Thursday – August 22, 2019

9:00 AM – Lottie & Walter Skipka (by the Light family)

In the missions:

-Joan Ruth (by Bill Ruth)

-Patty Frein Murphy (2nd Anniversary in Heaven) (by the family)

-James Marrinan (by Barbara McGovern)

Friday – August 23, 2019

9:00 AM – Marie Agrusa (by the Emanuelli family)

Saturday – August 24, 2019

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

5:00 PM – Louise Stellato (by the LoCurto family)

-Rosa Ambrosio (by the Leni & Revans families)

-Rose Wojciechoski (by Colette Martuscelli)

Sunday – August 25, 2019

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

In the missions:

-Karen McPike (by Mr. & Mrs. Miguel Araya)

10:00 AM – Geraldine Tynan (by the Hendricks & Ambrosini families)

In the missions:

-Tom Bray (Happy Anniversary) (by his wife, Peggy)

11:30 AM – For the People of the Parish



SOMETHING FROM DEACON JOHN

1. Who is the artist who painted the famous scenes in the Sistine Chapel in Rome? Leonardo da Vinci, Raphael or Michelangelo?
2. How many zeros are there in the number form of one hundred thousand? Five, six or seven?
3. Who is the religious sister who won the Nobel Peace Prize for her work with those in India who are poor? Mother Teresa, Mother Angelica or Mother Cabrini?
4. Antarctica is the coldest continent in the world. True or false?
5. What is the name for the large colored vestment the priest wears for Mass? Is it an alb, a chasuble or a cassock?
6. What is a didgeridoo? Is it type of transportation, a musical instrument or a type of bird?

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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!

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.

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.



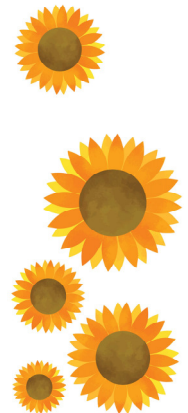
Society of St. Vincent de Paul

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

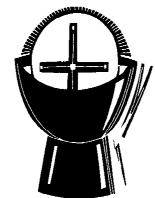
In today's Gospel Jesus said to His disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing! There is a baptism with which I must be baptized and how great is my anguish until it be accomplished!"
(516) 334-6288 ext. 18

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

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER—"My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me." Learn how God is calling you to more in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are November 8-10 and January 31-February 2 in Huntington, NY. For more information call John & Tori Torio at 877 697-9963 or visit wwmenyli.org.

HOUSEMATE WANTED-shared bathroom, shared kitchen & microwave. Williston Park. For more information call 248-7795.

FOR THE TAKING-breakfront in excellent condition, glass front, drawers, cabinets. Also for the taking an upright piano with bench. Good condition. 516 319-2105.

FEIS & IRISH FESTIVAL-Ancient Order of Hibernians. Sunday September 15 from 9am to 6pm at Nickerson Beach, Lido Beach, NY. \$10 per person, children under 16 free. Irish step dancing, bag piping, vendors, traditional Irish music and singing, children's games. Catholic Mass celebrated at 11am. Please come join us!

SECOND NOTICE

HOLY TRINITY DIOCESAN HS FALL DRIVER ED-program will begin on September 18. There are openings: before class (6:15am), after school (2:45 & 4:15pm) and Saturdays-class times range from 7am to 1pm. Schedules and applications are available on the HT website at holyltrinityhs.org/driver-education. Must be 16 years of age at the beginning of the course. For more information please call 516 433-4852. First come-first served.

ST. DOMINIC HS CATHOLIC HS ENTRANCE EXAM-prep course. September 7, 14, 21, 28 and October 5. 9am-11:30am. Course fee \$250. Contact Mrs. Stutzmann at 922-4888 ext 5241.

MAGNIFICAT-a Ministry to Catholic Women, cordially invites you to attend a dinner on September 12 at 6pm at Pompei Restaurant in West Hempstead. Guest speaker is Elizabeth Nabet, the author of the book "Blessed by Autism and Other Trials". Cost is \$50 per person & pre-registration is required. Payment will not be accepted at the door. For additional information please contact Judy Murphy at 917 453-5750. Come and bring a friend for an evening of fellowship, refreshment and worship!

FOR SALE-antique 45" round solid oak table. Please call Lorraine 516 248-7795 for more information.

APARTMENT FOR RENT-Carle Place, 2nd floor, 1 bedroom, close to all-LIRR, bus, shopping, church, restaurants. Immediate availability. \$1,800/month. Please call 516 778-3789.

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 homebound 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. www.religionandrock.com



ANSWERS TO DEACON JOHN'S QUESTIONS

1. Michelangelo
2. Five
3. Mother Teresa
4. True
5. The chasuble
6. A simple musical instrument from Australia