

Our Lady of Hope Church



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Staff

Rei Cornelius, Parish Office Manager

Mr. Raymond Henderson, Liturgical Music Director

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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

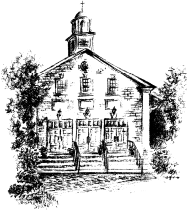
Novena Tues after 9:00 am Mass

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

WE ARE ALL SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF OUR MERCIFUL CREATOR GOD

God the Father shows remarkable mercy to us when we stray from following Him. When we sin, we are called to repentance and to accept God’s gracious mercy. By the same token, when others stray, we are to welcome them back with joy when they repent. We are all sons and daughters of the same merciful Father.

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, Moses turns away God’s wrath when the people of Israel create and worship a molten calf. Saint Paul, writing to Timothy, describes himself as the foremost of sinners—an example to others of God’s merciful love. Jesus, in the Gospel, tells several parables to illustrate examples of God’s mercy to sinners.

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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

In today’s Gospel, we hear the parable of the Prodigal Son. Jesus tells us this story to teach us about God’s mercy.

Last Sunday’s collection 9/8/19	\$9,075.50
Same Last Year	\$8,880.50
Catholic University of America	\$1,237.00
Same Last Year	\$1,140.00
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	\$380.50
Attendance 9/8/19	581
Same Last Year	702
<i>Thank you for your generosity in returning to God some of what He has given you.</i>	

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

This past Wednesday, September 11, we here at Our Lady of Hope Parish remembered, in a special way at the 9am Mass, those who lost their lives in the attacks on the World Trade Center, the Pentagon and the plane crash in Shanksville, PA. As you also know, many of the First Responders continue to face health challenges and even death due to exposure to harmful toxins at Ground Zero. Throughout the month of September, let us hold all of them and their families in our hearts, in our thoughts and especially our prayers!

This weekend is also a weekend dedicated to acknowledging, with great gratitude, the gift of our parish catechists. Their dedication to our children is truly a gift and we pray that God will bless them for their willingness to share their faith with our young people. I would also like to extend my gratitude to Maria Vargas and Diane Austria for their hard work, conscientious attitude and their deep faith in leading our Religious Education Program as co-coordinators.

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	\$46,636
% of Goal pledged	99%
% of Goal paid	90%
Donors	170

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**October 6 is the Confirmation Commitment Liturgy
for the 8 graders at 10am Mass**

Calling All Would-Be Catechists:

Urgent - we need you! We are in need of two teachers for Level 4 and 5 on Mondays at 4pm 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. We hope that you will receive the calling to teach. Please note, if there are two of you, you would be able to co-teach, and share the responsibility. **You do not need to have a child in the program to volunteer and all materials are provided.**

Catechists:

You will be receiving your class syllabus in the next week.

Parents: Makeup for our Fall Parent Meeting: Monday, September 16: 6-7pm for all Levels 2-8.

Level 1 Parents: The first Level 1 group meeting for parent/child will be on Wednesday, October 2 from 5-6pm.

Students: For students in Level 6, 7, and 8--if you have outstanding work, all work must be completed in order to be eligible for confirmation. **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.

Level 7 students – October 8 from 7 -8:15pm is the first Theology of the Body, the second Theology of the Body is October 15 from 7-8:15pm. Attendance is required.

IMPORTANT - Billing statements for 2019/20 have been mailed. All fees, **including past due** amounts **must** be paid before the start of classes unless arrangements have been made with the Religious Ed office.

Office Hours:

The Religious Education office hours are Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 1-6pm, and Wednesday 10am-3pm.

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.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Once again, the SVDP Our Lady of Hope Conference is participating in the *Friends of the Poor 5K Walk/Run* on Saturday, September 28 at the Bethpage Community Park. Check-in is at 7:30am and the walk/run begins at 9am. If you are interested in participating, visit <https://runsignup.com/Race/NY/Bethpage/FriendsofthePoorWalkRun2019>, look for our team-"Our Lady of Hope". Remember to designate OLH as your beneficiary. All funds raised go directly to our Conference to help the poor in our neighborhood. Rel Ed students who participate are eligible to receive 3 Community Service hours. If you can't attend you can still help by donating to Our Lady of Hope on the race website. Please call 334-6288 x18 if you have questions.

PRAY FOR WORLD PEACE

World Apostolate Fatima prayer cell at St. Brigid. Rosary at 7pm every Monday. Mass for world peace every last Monday of the month. For more information call G. Spear 414-7610.

OUR LADY OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY

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

- ▶ instant rice-white & brown
- ▶ canned vegetables-corn, peas, string beans
- ▶ vegetable soup

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 those who have no
one to pray for them.



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, 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, 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, Maryann LaSardo, 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 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, Joe Zimmatore

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 Richard Seyfried
-by Anne Rich

MINISTERS AT MASSES September 21 & 22				
	5pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Fr. Blake	Fr. Dowling, SJ	Fr. Arnao	Msgr. Michael
LECTOR	N. Moir	B. Kilgannon	C. Phillips	S. Buffolino
ALTAR SERVERS	C. DeSimone L. DeSimone	V. Natalie	G. Winter E. Johnson	C. DeOliveira C. DeOliveira
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	G. So R. Scott <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>	B. Horan P. Kelly A. Rich D. Oreste M. Evans D. Evans	R. Reilly M. Schultz J. Waters R. Winter J. Messina E. Kelly	M. Cecere B. Dunphy P. Wilde J. Wilde E. Difrisco <i>Volunteer needed</i>
MUSIC MINISTERS	Cantor/Organ		Cantor/Organ	Cantor/Organ

St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School



ST. BRIGID/OUR LADY OF HOPE REGIONAL SCHOOL



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2019 • 9AM START

Join us on Saturday morning, **November 30, 2019 at 9:00 AM** for our **2nd Annual StBOLH 5K Run & Walk**.

We'll start at the school and race our way through the town of Westbury.

Register at: <http://bit.ly/stbolh5k>

For more info, contact us at **333-0580** or run@stbolh.org

BACK TO SCHOOL!

We kicked off our 101st school year with a sunny day and lots of smiling faces! PA President Noreen Mormando and members of the Parents' Association were on hand to distribute reusable shopping bags as the students arrived. Father Tony joined Mr. Clagnaz in welcoming everyone on the first day.





Today is Catechetical Sunday.

We would like to thank the following parishioners who have responded to the call to teach and share their faith with the children of Our Lady of Hope. May God our Father fill these Catechists with confidence, joy and blessings as they proclaim the good news of Jesus through the Holy Spirit.

Christine Aguilar
Lorraine Auerbach
Ursula Babino
Maureen Baranov
Lisa Bowen
Carol Browne
Carolyn Bunt
Maria Cabral-Vargas
Patricia Cantalupo-
Jackson
Diana Castaneda
Frederica D'Alonzo
Maureen D'Onofrio
Jane DeLuca
Nilma DeOliveira
Sarah DeSimone
Kelly Driscoll

Carole Durand
Christine Emanuelli
Annette Finazzo
Jaclyn Gaulrapp
Nicolette Gordon
Maryann Griffin
Diana Hommel
Peter Jackson
Tracie Libonati
Mary Lindeman
Lisa Mancuso
Rhiannon Marano
Kim Margan
Denise Mattone
Ann Mogavero
Josephine O'Brien
Theresa Padula

Caterina Posillico
Maryann Ryan
Alex Scagnelli
Brenna Schettino
Anne Schmitt
Kathleen Smith
Rachel Szalkowski
Teresa Talt
Annamaria Vargas
Joanna Veneziano
Donna Vigliotti
Carolyn Waldron
Kathleen Walsh
Janet Waters
Lori Weilert
Patricia Wilde
Jack Williamson

St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility for Retired Priests

The heart of a priest is a heart pierced by the love of the Lord... ” – Pope Francis

Dear Friends:

Many retired priests in our Diocese, who have given their life in union with Jesus, find a home at St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility in Amityville.

Their many years of service helped lay the foundation of our own Catholic faith. These priests helped to build and renovate parishes; they evangelized across our Island and have nurtured many ministries vital to the life of our faith community today.

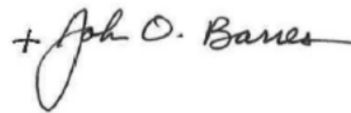
As they enter another stage of their lives, they often experience ongoing challenges that require added care and attention.

St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility meets those challenges by ensuring that our senior priests are being cared for in a setting that fosters their spiritual lives, nurtures their physical and mental well-being, and guarantees that they can continue to live with dignity while accessing a wide array of social and spiritual opportunities.

As Msgr Ryan shared, *“I have found much happiness living here with my fellow priests and in the entire community, and I especially appreciate the support I receive. Thank you for making this home possible.”*

You also have my deepest thanks for considering a gift in support of our retired priests and for the loving care you have provided to these dedicated priests. May I ask that that you remember all of our priests in your prayers as you are remembered in ours?

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "+ John O. Barres". The signature is written in a cursive style with a cross at the beginning.

Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre

<u>CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULE</u>			
September	Sat. 21	11am-1:30pm	Our Lady of Mercy Academy
	Sat. 28	11am-2pm	Sacred Heart Academy
	Sun. 29	10am-1pm	St. Anthony's High School
October	Sat. 5	10am-1pm	Kellenberg Mem. High School
		2-4pm	Chaminade High School
	Sun. 6	1-3:30pm	St. Dominic High School
	Sat. 19	11am-1:30pm	Holy Trinity Diocesan High School
	Sun. 20	10am-1pm	St. John the Baptist High School
	1-3:30pm	St. Mary's High School	



Focus on Religious Freedom

www.cffor.org

**"Building a Culture of Religious Freedom"
From Abp. Charles Chaput's address on July 9, 2019**

"Religious believers can live quite peacefully with the separation of Church and state, so long as it's real freedom and not the half-starved copy of the real thing called 'freedom of worship.' We can never accept a separation of our religious faith and moral convictions from our public ministries or political engagement. It's impossible. And trying to do so is evil ..."
Therefore, "religious faith sincerely believed and humbly lived serves human dignity" for both the believing and non-believing (and) "...it's vital in building a humane society."

"We can begin building a culture of religious freedom by changing the way we think. Majority opinion doesn't determine what is good and true. The deep moral problems we now face in our country didn't happen overnight. They've been fed by a false understanding of freedom for decades, and they have roots in the exile of God from public consciousness.

"We also need to change the way we act. ...The right to pursue happiness does not include a right to excuse or ignore evil in ourselves or anyone else. When we divorce our politics from a grounding in virtue and truth, we transform our country from a living moral organism into a kind of golem of legal machinery without a soul."

"If we want a culture of religious freedom, we need to begin living that culture here, today, and now ...Nations change when people change... You create the future with the choices you make. So, serve the poor. Help the weak. Protect the unborn. Speak the truth about creation (Gen. 5:2). Fight for your right to love and serve God, and for others to do the same.

"If you do that, you'll inspire others to do the same. And you'll discover in your own life what it means to be fully human."

(thepublicdiscourse.com, 2019/07; catholicphilly.com, 2019/07)

"The glory of God is a man fully alive." Saint Irenaeus

MASS INTENTIONS for the week of September 14



Saturday – September 14, 2019

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

- 5:00 PM – Bill Diamond, Terry & Larry Wachter (by Janet Diamond & family)
- D'Agostino Wade Family (by Jennie Ercolano)
 - Karl Schneider (by the Mengler family)
 - Happy Birthday Bob Gardella & Tony Paige (Kathie F.)
 - Rosula Gumpal & Silvino Gumpal, Jr. (by the family)

Sunday – September 15, 2019

- 8:30 AM – Marilyn Gorski (by the family)
- In the missions:
- Karen McPike (by the O'Driscoll family)
 - For the intentions of Leslie Stack (by Fran Burgdorf)
- 10:00 AM – For the intentions of Ellen & Tom Węglarz (by Father Arnao)
- In the missions:
- Margaret Cornell (by Pat & Margaret Lavin)
- 11:30 AM – For the People of the Parish
- In the missions:
- For the Intentions of Allan & Madeline Larsen (60th Wedding Anniversary) (by Pat & Beth Dunphy)

Monday – September 16, 2019

- 9:00 AM – Thomas Parissidi (by Fr. Arnao)
- In the missions:
- Antoinette Madonna (11 years in Heaven) (by her children)
 - For the Intentions of David & Nicholas Just (by Bernadine Just)

Tuesday – September 17, 2019

- 9:00 AM – Dr. Lillian Ford (by Zorana Valdivieso)

Wednesday – September 18, 2019

- 9:00 AM – For the intentions of Tommy & Molly Węglarz
- In the missions:
- Joseph McKeon (by the McKeon Family)
 - James McGovern (by Barbara McGovern)

Thursday – September 19, 2019

- 9:00 AM – Edward Gorski (by the family)
- In the missions:
- Louis R. Corte (by Zorana Valdivieso)

Friday – September 20, 2019

- 9:00 AM – Felicia Chiusano (by the family)
- For the Intentions of Marianne Kelly (by Fran Burgdorf)

Saturday – September 21, 2019

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

- 5:00 PM – Marie Agrusa (by Pat Wilde)
- Louise Stellato (by the Mead family)
 - Rose Wojciechowski (by Cathy Wetzel)

Sunday – September 22, 2019

- 8:30 AM – For the People of the Parish
- In the missions:
- Anna Buonpastore (by the Buonpastore family)
- 10:00 AM – Harriet Passelis (First Anniversary in Heaven) (by Fr. Arnao)
- In the missions:
- Helen Kennedy (by Jim Hickey & Rei Cornelius)
- 11:30 AM – Eugene Barry Parker (by Susan, Jessica & Billy Mason)
- In the missions:
- Marie & Thomas Reilly (by the family)



SOMETHING FROM DEACON JOHN

1. Who are the men in colorful uniforms who have been responsible for the personal safety of the pope since 1506? The Swiss guards, the Austrian guards or the Italian guards?
2. As well as cheese and tomato, what two toppings are on a Hawaiian pizza? Coconut and bacon, ham and pineapple or pineapple and coconut?
3. Which of the following is not a well-known river? Amazon, Britannica or Mississippi?
4. True or false. The Nile River runs through Africa.
5. What nationality was Albert Einstein? Was he Austrian, German or Swiss?
6. How many months of the year end with the letter Y? 3, 4 or 5?

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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.

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.

MEMORIAL BRICKS

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



Society of St. Vincent de Paul
...bringing hope for a better future to people in need.

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that the shepherd rejoices when he finds one lost sheep. The story tells us that nothing and no one is insignificant to God who is compassionate and loving to all.

(516) 334-6288 ext. 18

Our Lady of Hope Parish Library

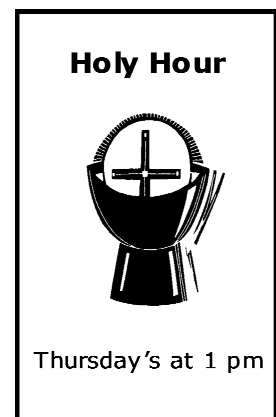
Please visit the Library, located in the front, right stairwell of the Church. If you have a question about your faith, you can find the answer in many of the library's titles. There are books on meditation and spiritual healing. The video collection contains lives of the saints and other religious subjects.

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.

*****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

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER-St. Paul reminds us that there is abundant grace, faith and love available to us through Christ Jesus. Strengthen, renew and rekindle your marriage sacrament 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.

VENDORS WANTED-Westbury Senior Center Bazaar. Space available for Saturday, October 19, 9am-4pm. Vendor fees: Indoor-\$40, Outdoor-\$35. 8'x4' space. Supply your own table. Discount available before October 1. Call 334-5886.

ANNUAL FOOD & WINE EXPO-hosted by Kellenberg Memorial HS on Saturday, September 21 from 6pm to 9pm. You are invited to an evening of delicious food and fun, featuring culinary treats provided by some of LI's most popular eateries, as well as fine wines and craft beers. Deadline for tickets (\$40) is September 19. Walk-ins \$50. visit kellenberg.org/expo for tickets. For more information contact Mrs. Denise Miles 516 292-0200 ext. 245.

SPIRITUALITY FOR SINGLES-monthly singles gathering, discussion and socialization. Ages 35+, \$5 donation, snacks, Pizza and beverages. Saturday, October 5 at 8:30pm, at St. Aidan, Williston Park. Contact Ray 561-6994.

NYU WINTHROP HOSPITAL-recruiting Eucharistic Minister. We are currently need persons to serve on Wednesday, Thursdays or Sundays. To register or obtain more information, email or telephone: Rev. Karen Jones, karen.jones@nyulangone.org or 663-9524.

SECOND NOTICE

FATIMA DAY-at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Island, on Sunday October 13. Come and join us to listen to Immaculee Ilibagiza speak on Our Lady and the Rosary. Rosary at 10am, Mass at 11:30am, lunch at 12:30pm, Speaker at 1:30pm, Holy Hour at 3pm. 258 Eastport Rd., Manorville.

HOUSE FOR RENT-Locust Valley area-near train station, schools and shopping. \$1,600/month Please call 516 932-9297.

ROOM FOR RENT-Single professional, no pets. \$600/month. For more information call 248-7795.

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.

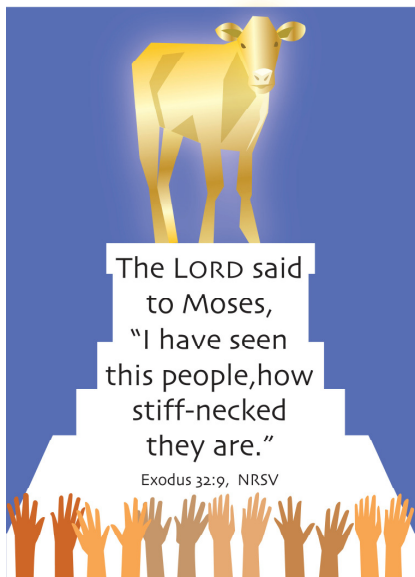
PROJECT INDEPENDENCE-Senior Transportation Program for all Town of North Hempstead residents age 60 and over for non-emergency medical visits and food shopping. Registration required. Call 311 or 869-6311 and get your Project Independence membership card. Shopping service is free, taxi rides to the doctor,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

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ANSWERS TO DEACON JOHN'S QUESTIONS

1. The Swiss guards
2. Ham and pineapple
3. Britannica is not a river
4. True
5. German
6. 4 (January, February, May, July)