

Our Lady of Hope Church



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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

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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

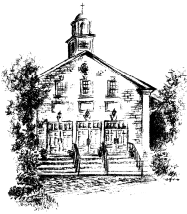
Novena Tues after 9:00 am Mass

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

JESUS CHRIST IS THE SALVATION PREPARED FOR ALL NATIONS TO SEE

The feast of the Presentation of the Lord invites us to celebrate the truth that Christ is the light of all nations, and the long-awaited glory of Israel. As we celebrate God’s presence among us, we are invited to reflect on our calling to bring His redemptive light into our world.

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, the prophet Malachi describes the one who will prepare a way before the Lord when He comes to purify His people. The author of Hebrews describes how Jesus came to share in flesh and blood like God’s children so as *to expiate the sins of the people*. In the Gospel, Jesus is taken by Mary and Joseph to be presented in the Temple; He is recognized by Simeon and Anna as *the child to all who were awaiting the redemption of Jerusalem*.

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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

In the Second Reading, we read, “Because He Himself was tested through what He suffered, He is able to help those who are being tested.” When we read this, we should be overjoyed to know that our God is one who cares for us so deeply.

Last Sunday’s collection 1/26/20	\$7,927.28
Same Last Year	\$8,903.00
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	\$1,528.72
Attendance 1/26/20	494
Same Last Year	663
<i>Thank you for your generosity in returning to God some of what He has given you.</i>	

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Congratulations to our Deacon Thomas B. Rich!

On January 25, four deacons from our Diocese were professed as Tertiaries of the Franciscan Friars of the Society of the Atonement at a Mass celebrated by our Bishop John O. Barres with Very Rev. Brian Terry, S.A., the Minister General of the Franciscan Friars of the Atonement, receiving the promises. The four new Tertiaries are: Deacon James W. Flannery, TSA of St. Bernard’s Parish; Deacon Thomas J. Malone, TSA of St. Raymond’s Parish; Deacon Thomas B. Rich, TSA of Our Lady of Hope Parish; and Deacon Gary F. Swane, TSA of St. Louis de Montfort Parish.

Tertiaries of the Society of the Atonement are Roman Catholic laymen and clergy living in the community or living in the world, both married and single, who have affiliated themselves to the Franciscan Friars of the Society of the Atonement through formal promises to live their life according to the Rule of the Third Order Regular of St. Francis and the Constitution of the Franciscan Friars of the Society of the Atonement in accord with their individual life circumstances. Tertiaries are not members of and are completely independent of the Secular Franciscan Order. Clergy members continue in their Diocesan assignment while also assisting in the ministries of the Friars.

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.



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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Level 8 will have a Reconciliation service on Monday, February 3 at 7pm. All Level 8 students and their teachers are required to attend.

The **Level 5 liturgy** will be celebrated on **Sunday, February 9 at the 10am Family Mass.**

There are no Religious Education classes February 17 -February 20. The Religious Education office will also be closed. Classes and office hours will resume on Monday, February 24.

On February 24, there will be a **Level 6 teacher meeting** from 6:30-7:30pm in the Religious Education office.

Reminder for all levels – this is the last month to complete mass reflections. All mass reflections are due by Monday, March 2.

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.

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

THE LITURGY AND INFLUENZA

With the flu season upon us, we offer the following suggestions.

Holy Communion: Priests, Deacons and Eucharistic Ministers should be especially encouraged to wash their hands before Mass begins.

Communion from the Cup: The faithful should refrain from drinking from the cup when one has a cold.

Greeting of Peace: The faithful should use good judgment and limit contact with others when sick.

Mass Attendance: If one is sick, there is no obligation to attend Mass, personal prayer and reflection is encouraged.

ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS

ATTENTION ROSARIANS: Please note the change of time for our February 3rd meeting. Hope to see you all at 1pm in Msgr. Midura Hall!

Baptisms at Our Lady of Hope
 Ryan Michael Long
 Emma Grace Calvanese
Welcome to our Church family!

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, February 15, 2020 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:

- ▶ **rice (brown, white, instant & regular)**
- ▶ **boxed, dried potatoes**
- ▶ **tuna**

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 Thomas Trabucco and

Vincent J. Lupo.

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, Dylan Braun, Mary Broyles, Fran Burgdorf, Peter Burkhardt, Giuseppe Burro, Diana Cabral, Eustacia Calderone, Maria Carrillo, Richard Casella, Gian-na Casella, Marcel Chaillol, Joan Clarke, Judy Clickner, Gina Corleto, Marie Corte, George Costidis, Connie Cote, Lona Cruz, Esther Curran, Dana Day, Peter DeFilippo, Kim DeRidder, Marie DeSimone, Joseph DiBiasi, Elizabeth Dick, Bernard Dicks, May Dong, Hailey Eimer, Joe Farinara, Alice Feldt, Mel Fitzgerald, 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, Connor Koenig, 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, Kathleen Opak, Maureen Ostrowski, Angela Pascarella, Rylie Pederson, Antonio Perrino, Maria 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, Keith Schettino, Maureen Schroeder, Randy J. Smith, Darrell Stone, Nancy Tandi, Kerri Taylor, Florence Theroux, Joan Thue, James Tirone, Danny Tricarico, Marie Tricarico, Flo Vaccaro, Christopher Velez, Janice Vetrano, Joseph Vigotty, Tommy Waters, 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.



Sanctuary Candle

\$15



Rose for Life

\$5



Altar Bread & Wine

\$50

MINISTERS AT MASSES February 8 & 9				
	5:00pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Fr. Arnao	Fr. Dowling, SJ	Msgr. Michael	Fr. Blake
LECTOR	N. Moir	D. Restivo	K. Franqueiro	B. Ruth
ALTAR SERVERS	M. McCarthy	V. Natalie D. Weilert	G. Winter V. Iadevaia	A. Kubovic
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	R. Scott G. So S. Dowling <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>	B. Kilgannon A. Mandaro L. Boone N. Boone P. Schaefer A. Rich	V. DeRicco R. Grillo J. Messina R. Reilly M. Schultz R. Sewnauth	M. Cecere E. DiFrisco A. Santana E. Santana <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>
MUSIC MINISTERS	Cantor/Organ		Cantor/Organ	Cantor/Organ

St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2020: OPENING MASS

We kicked off Catholic Schools Week 2020 in the best possible way, gathering for a Mass celebrated by Father Tony and assisted by Deacon Darrell.



MULTICULTURAL CELEBRATION!

After Mass, we headed to Msgr. Code Auditorium for a Multicultural Celebration. There was student work on display, guests in heritage dress, music, dancing and food from around the globe. What a great way to celebrate the diversity that makes up our school family!





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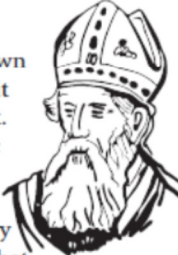
Discovering hope and joy in the Catholic faith.

February 2020

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One Minute Meditations

St. Blaise
Not much is known about his life, but it is certain that St. Blaise was the bishop of Sebaste in fourth-century Turkey, and that he was arrested for being a Christian. On his way to jail, he healed a young boy who was choking on a fish bone. According to one legend, the boy's mother also gave St. Blaise two candles in gratitude. Refusing to deny his faith, the bishop was tortured and martyred by the local governor.



Lenten Obligations
Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday (February 26th) and Good Friday (April 10th). In addition, all Catholics 14 years old and older must abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and all the Fridays of Lent.

The U. S. bishops define fasting as eating one full meal. Some food (not equaling another full meal) is permitted as necessary to maintain strength.

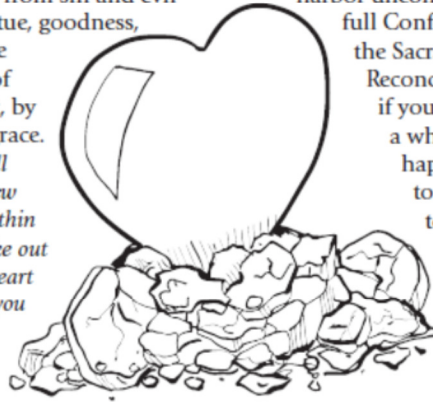


Find your new heart during Lent

The root of the word "convert" means to "change," or "transform." Think of turning from sin and evil toward grace, virtue, goodness, and God. It is the transformation of the human heart, by an act of God's grace. *"A new heart I will give you, and a new spirit I will put within you; and I will take out of your flesh the heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh"* (Ezekiel 36:26).

A new heart. God desires our conversion more than we ever could. With the perfect heart of a Father, he pursues and draws us to himself. Conversion begins by offering him our whole heart so he can remake it as his own.

Break the heart of stone. There can be no healing or conversion when we harbor unconfessed sin. Make a full Confession to a priest in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Don't worry if you have been away for a while. The priest will be happy to guide you and to welcome you back to God's friendship. A new spirit. When we have a soft and tender heart of flesh, we are able to receive God's holy will. Our new spirit requires renewal every day. Daily prayer, frequent Confession, and regular reception of the Holy Eucharist will keep our hearts filled with God's love.



Why Do Catholics Do That?

Why do Catholics call Fat Tuesday "Shrove" Tuesday?

Commonly known as Fat Tuesday or Mardi Gras, the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday has been traditionally spent feasting (especially on pancakes). It is also called "Shrove Tuesday," recalling the tradition of going to Confession. The



word "shrove" comes from "shrive" — the English word for confessing one's sins and receiving absolution. In fact, there was a custom of churches ringing the "shriving bell" on this day. The goal was to start Lent with a clean soul and a repentant spirit.

Choose Heaven over Earth

Life on Earth lasts but a moment compared to our eternal life, yet we often let earthly concerns take priority over preparing for Heaven. If we put Heaven first, however, God will take care of everything else.

What is important to you? Make a list of what you do each day, from morning to bedtime. The activities that absorb most of your time are your real priorities. If it isn't in God's service, you need a change.



How do you make decisions? Do you look to friends or coworkers for advice? Or do you turn to prayer and Scripture for guidance? Resolve to take your eyes off of the world and place them on Christ. If we base all choices and decisions on God, we will never choose wrong.

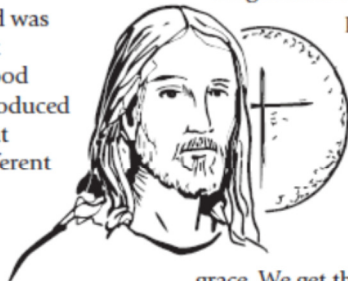
Do you trust God to make you happy? "For I know well the plans I have in mind for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare, not for woe! Plans to give you a future full of hope" (Jeremiah 29:11).

from Scripture

Matthew 5:38-48, Forgive and pray

The ancient concept of justice – "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth" – is from Exodus 21:24, Leviticus 24:20 and Deuteronomy 19:21, and was originally meant to limit violence and prevent blood feuds. Instead, Jesus introduced a new approach, one that would bring about a different kind of justice.

Jesus directed his followers and us to "be perfect," which includes being merciful. God requires our treatment of others – enemies included – to mirror his treatment of his enemies. As Christians, we are to imitate Christ, who forgave his executioners from the



Cross: "Father, forgive them, they know not what they do" (Luke 23:34).

Forgiveness doesn't mean letting the person get away with their offense.

Forgiveness means letting go of our anger at the offender and entrusting the situation to God's care. We can't do this alone: we rely on God's grace. We get this from the Holy Spirit and also from receiving the Eucharist at Mass. By receiving the Eucharist, we are nourished by the Body and Blood of Christ, who strengthens us to lead a more perfect life.

Feasts & Celebrations

Feb. 2 – Presentation of the Lord. In accordance with the Law of Moses, Mary and Joseph brought Jesus to the Temple forty days after his birth, and Simeon praised God for revealing the long-awaited Savior.

Feb. 2 – St. Catherine of Ricci (1590). St. Catherine was born to a prominent banker. Against her father's wishes, she joined the Dominicans when she was twelve. She is known for her visions of the Lord's Passion, which she experienced every Friday.

Feb. 17 – The Seven Holy Founders

(13th century). Seven Italian noblemen who withdrew from the immorality of the times to live in prayer, simplicity and penance. Their order, the Servants of Mary, was later approved by the Holy See in 1304.

Feb. 26 – Ash Wednesday. First day of Lent. Ashes from burnt palms are placed on the forehead as a sign of penance. Ash Wednesday is a day of abstinence from meat and fasting – one regular meal and two smaller meals that together don't equal a full meal.



Q & A How can I fit more prayer into my busy day?

"Pray constantly" sounds challenging but it doesn't have to be. Actually, busy days offer many great opportunities for prayer if we know where to look.

Consider these suggestions: Pray throughout the day. Consider praying the Rosary on the way to work, saying grace before lunch, offering a quick "I love you," or praying for guidance for important decisions. Even job-related tasks can become "prayers in action."

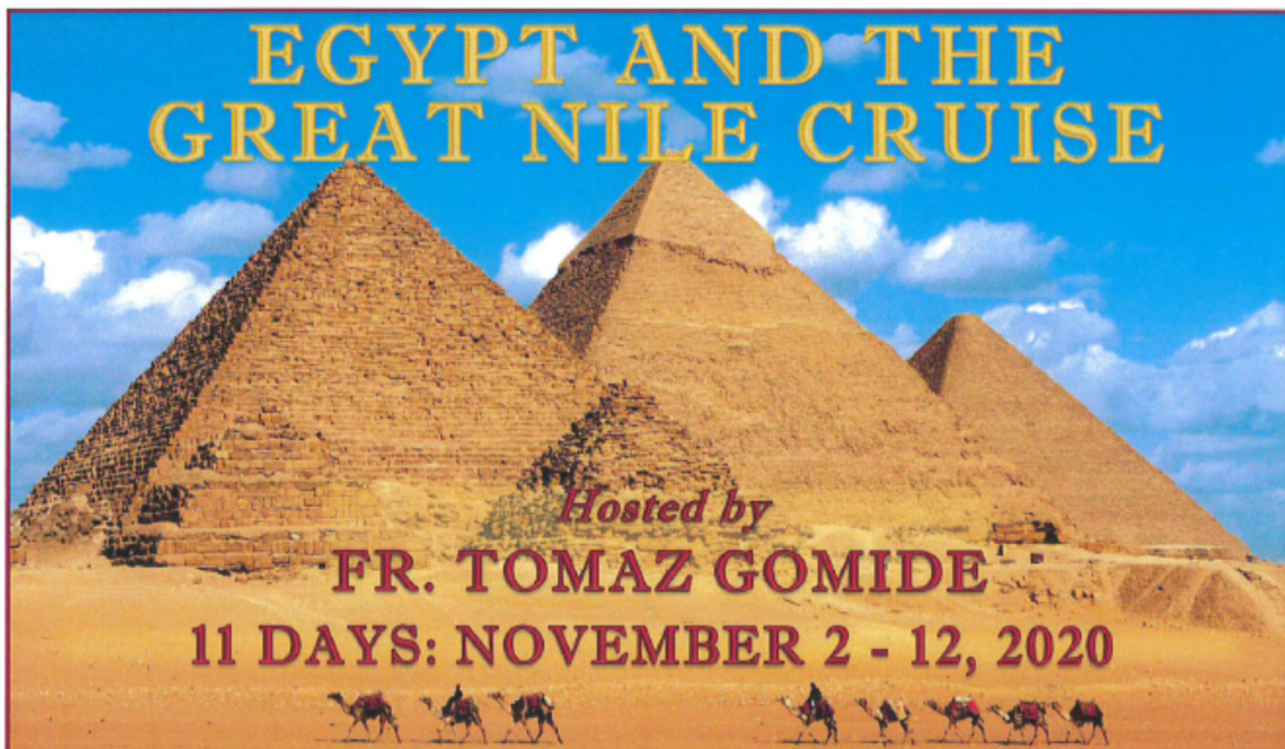
Fifteen minutes a day. Good friends know text messages can't replace being together. It's the same with God. He loves us and wants our company. Aim for 10-15 minutes of daily prayer. Thank God for your blessings, meditate on Scripture, offer him your day, or simply enjoy his company.

It's the love that counts. For her love and humility, Jesus commended a poor but generous widow for her small donation (Mark 12:43-44). Sometimes, we have little time or energy for "good prayer." Remember, what pleases God is not the elegance or number of our prayers, but the love with which we offer them.

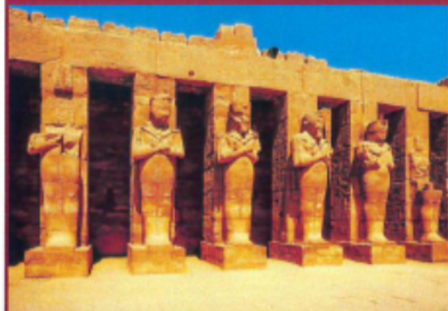
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MASS INTENTIONS for the week of February 1



Saturday – February 1, 2020

5:00 PM – Aaron Joseph Imhoff (Happy Birthday in Heaven) (by Cathy Phillips)
 -Louise Brown (by Rosemary Mammes)
 -Doris Cascio (by Peter from Island Eye)
 -Giovanni Ferrarelli (by Victoria Chiarlitti)

Sunday – February 2, 2020

8:30 AM – For the People of the Parish
 In the missions:
 -Karlis Rokuls (by Valentina)
 10:00 AM – Bob Harrs (by Jim Wilde)
 In the missions:
 -In thanksgiving to Our Lady of Fatima
 11:30 AM – Ramon Miro (by the family)

Monday – February 3, 2020

9:00 AM – Mary Burke (by Mr. & Mrs. Michael Sforza)

Tuesday – February 4, 2019

9:00 AM – Helen Griffin (by Fr. Arnao)

Wednesday – February 5, 2020

9:00 AM – George Kopper (by Mary Ryan)

Thursday – February 6, 2020

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

Friday – February 7, 2020

9:00 AM – Charles Chiusano (by the Chiusano family)
 -For the Intentions of Mary Ryan (by Freda Cantwell)
 -Lisa Reali (Happy Birthday) (by Susan Provost)

Saturday – February 8, 2020

5:00 PM – Davis, Shanley, Mc Nerney & Nolan families (by James Davis)
 -Peter Komlacevs (by his wife, Valentina)
 -Doris Cascio (by Aileen Laino & Peggy Poole)

Sunday – February 9, 2020

8:30 AM – For the Intentions of MaryAnn & Steve Griffin (by the Weilert family)
 In the missions:
 -Dante Vigliotti (by the family)
 10:00 AM – For the People of the Parish
 11:30 AM – Bob Harrs (by John & Lucy Acierno)



SOMETHING FROM DEACON JOHN

1. What name is given to a female swan? A hen, a pen or a queen?
2. What is the name of the most sacred river in India? The Indus River, the Krishna River or the Ganges River?
3. True or False: Genesis is the first book in the Bible?
4. In which Garden did the story of Adam and Eve take place? The Garden of Gethsemane, the Garden of Eden or Solomon's Garden?
5. According to the Bible, in order to prove his belief in God, who was asked to sacrifice his own son? Abraham, Aaron or Adam?
6. How many books of the bible are named for women? None, one or two?



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

In the Gospel, we hear Simeon say to Mary: "...your own soul shall be pierced with a sword—so that the thoughts of many hearts may be laid bare." Your generosity enable the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to bring hope to parents whose hearts are burdened with worries and concerns. (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.

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BAPTISMS AND THE 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 March 29.

WE SHARE ONLINE GIVING

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

KING KULLEN RECEIPTS

Please save your register tapes from King Kullen in Garden City Park. 1% of your purchases are donated to the parish. Proceeds from register receipts are forwarded to various charities through the St. Vincent de Paul Conference of Our Lady of Hope.



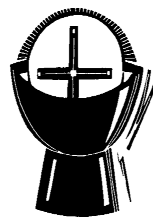
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER FOR THE HOMEBOUND

A Eucharistic Minister is needed to bring the Eucharist to a homebound person. If you are able to volunteer or add another person to your visits, it would be greatly appreciated. Please call the church office for more information. Thank you!



IT'S LEAP YEAR!

Holy Hour



Thursday's at 1 pm

Miraculous Medal Novena



Tuesday's after the 9am Mass

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

SCHOLARSHIPS-The volunteer members of the Carle Place Hook, Ladder & Hose Co., No. 1 will award at least three scholarships in the amount of \$500 to graduating high school seniors who either attend CPHS or reside in the Carle Place School District. Students may obtain applications from the CPHS Guidance Office or on the school website. Applications must be completed and returned by February 12, 2020. You can mail or drop off your application to the firehouse located at 460 Broadway, attention Danielle Bellino, District Mgr. Best of luck to all!

CONGRATULATIONS!-to those students from our parish who have made the first trimester honor roll in Chaminade HS. They are: Andrew Buffolino, Matthew Dieguez, Patrick Graham, John McPike, Jason Wachtel, Trent Whigham, Philip Alfieri, Connor Magurno, Collin McCarthy, Ronan O'Driscoll, Matthew Auerbach, Christopher Lopes, Rocco Marini, Jr., Christopher Mattone, Aidan Castles, Brandan Coward and Dylan Lyons. Keep up the good work!

SHARE YOUR TIME!-Looking for volunteers at Ozanam Hall Nursing Home, Bayside, Queens. For further information, please contact Gail D. O'Donovan/Sr. Charlotte Michael/Kathleen Baratta in the Development/Volunteer office at 718 971-2020/2021 or 2022.

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT AT THE RACES-Kellenberg HS Alumni Parents Association cordially invites all to attend a Night at the Races on Saturday, February 29 from 5:30-10pm. A Sports Dinner, including a salad, carving station, pasta, vegetables and potatoes, along with a dessert bar and coffee, will be served. Hot dogs will be served between races. The cost for the evening is \$25 per person (includes dinner, beer, wine, soda) and tables may be reserved (6-8 people). Please register online at kellenberg.org/kapa by Monday, February 24. No walk ins. Any questions please call 516 292-0200 ext. 245.

SECOND NOTICE

CATHOLIC HEALTH SERVICES-wants to help you enjoy a heart healthy lifestyle. Not sure where to start? Check out these tips for advice on eating habits, exercise and lifestyle choices: <https://www.chsli.org/heart-healthy-tips>

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUPS-for anyone who has lost a loved one. Monday, February 24, meeting weekly for six sessions from noon to 1:30pm. NYU Winthrop Martin Spatz Conference Center, Room B & C. Registration is required. For more information, please contact bereavement@nyulangone.org or (516) 663-4749.

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.

EAC NETWORK'S IN-HOME RESPITE PROGRAM-is a not for profit social service agency that provides respite for caregivers of the elderly in Nassau County. This service provides 2-6 hours of in-home companion care/week, serve any Nassau County resident caring for an adult 60 or older and companions are screened and trained. Call 539-0150 ext 215 or Christine ext 218 to find out more about the program.

TUNE IN TO-"Religion and Rock" with Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sunday from 7-8am on WBAB 102.3FM or 95.3FM. 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 *Relationships*. To listen online or receive more information go to www.ReligionandRock.com.

ANSWERS TO DEACON JOHN'S QUESTIONS

1. A Pen
2. The Ganges River
3. True
4. The Garden of Eden
5. Abraham
6. Two- Ruth and Esther