

# Our Lady of Hope Church



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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](mailto:rel-ed@olhope.org)

See [www.olhope.org](http://www.olhope.org) for more information

**St. Brigid / Our Lady of Hope Regional School**  
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101 Maple Ave, Westbury, NY 11590

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**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 THE SALT OF THE EARTH

Light is an important image in our readings today. True disciples of Jesus witness to others and help illuminate their way to God. As salt of the earth, our deeds must always lead others to Christ, or else we are like flavorless salt.

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### LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading from Isaiah, the Lord says to care for others, and then *your light shall break forth like the dawn*. Saint Paul writes to the Corinthians of Christ crucified. In the Gospel, Jesus tells His disciples they are *salt of the earth and light of the world*.

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### STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

Jesus is calling all of His disciples to let his or her light shine throughout the world. A good steward of the Faith should always strive to show the world what it means to be a Christian.



### A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

The story of St. Valentine’s Day begins in the third century AD with the cruel Roman Emperor Claudius and a humble Christian martyr Valentinus. Claudius had ordered the worship of the twelve Olympian gods and the worship of the new Christian God became a crime punishable by death.

Valentine was dedicated to the ideals and teachings of Christ and was arrested and imprisoned. His jailer, sensing Valentine was a man of learning and goodness, entrusted his blind daughter Julia to him for mentoring. Julia, herself, became a Christian and was healed/sight restored by Valentine. On the eve of his death, Valentinus wrote a last note to Julia urging her to always remain close to God. He signed the note “from your Valentine”. He was executed the following day, February 14, 270 AD. Julia planted an almond tree near his grave. To this day, the almond tree remains a

symbol of abiding love—some of you may remember the gift of almonds offered to wedding guests. On each February 14th, St. Valentine’s Day, messages of affection, love and devotion are exchanged around the world. Let us celebrate this day by expressing our love and gratitude to those closest to us!

### 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.

Last Sunday’s collection 2/2/20	\$8,873.97
Same Last Year	\$9,267.00
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	\$582.03
Attendance 2/2/20	583
Same Last Year	680
<i>Thank you for your generosity in returning to God some of what He has given you.</i>	

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**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Congratulations to Level 8 for completing their Penance Service this past week. You are one step closer to receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation.

There are no Religious Education classes February 17 -February 20. Classes 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.

Community Service Opportunity–We need four **Level 8** volunteers to do the offertory collection at the 3pm service on Ash Wednesday, February 26.

The **Level 2 liturgy** will be celebrated on **Sunday, March 1 at the 10am Family Mass.**

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

**Level 8:** The deadline for **ALL** outstanding work is March 2. This also includes the Religious Education fee, as well as the Confirmation fee. If your sponsor is not from OLH Parish, their sponsor certificate must be handed in, or they will not be eligible to be your sponsor. **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](mailto:rel-ed@olhope.org). We will respond as soon as possible.

The Religious Education office will closed the week of February 17. Office hours will resume Monday, February 24. Office hours are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 1–6pm and Wednesday 10am–3pm.

**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.



**BAPTISM 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.

**VIRTUS TRAINING-PROTECT OUR CHILDREN!**

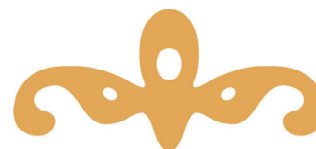
Virtus is a program that gives us a specific plan in identifying and preventing child sexual abuse. The training is required of all diocesan personnel and volunteers in all parishes.

If you are a volunteer and still need to fulfill this obligation check the Long Island Catholic or the Diocesan website, [www.drvc.org](http://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.

**WE SHARE ONLINE GIVING**

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



**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 Ann Fay & Clemente Iadevaia.



#### Sanctuary Candle

\$15



#### Rose for Life

\$5



#### Altar Bread & Wine

\$50

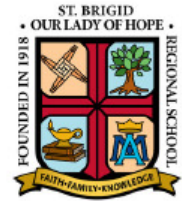
### FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK

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 Farinaro, 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.*

MINISTERS AT MASSES February 15 & 16				
	5:00pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Msgr. Michael	Fr. Dowling, SJ	Fr. Arnao	Fr. Arnao
LECTOR	P. Varol	D. Oreste	J. Stein	C. Phillips
ALTAR SERVERS	L. DeSimone C. DeSimone	<i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>	D. Barbour A. Mastrangelo	A. Libonati F. Libonati
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	D. Auguston F. Barbuto L. Heller L. Masucci <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>	D. Evans M. Evans P. Kelly J. Blum B. Horan B. Kilgannon	F. Stein E. Kelly J. Winter R. Winter T. Barilla M. Barilla	B. Dunphy J. Wilde P. Wilde <i>Volunteer needed</i> <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

Catholic Schools Week is a joyful celebration of community, faith, and the gift of Catholic education! We've rounded up some of our favorite photos from the week to share with you:



Students in Nursery, Pre-K and Kindergarten enjoyed a visit from the Nature Company featuring live animals, songs and puppets.



On Step Up Day, every child from Nursery through grade 7 had the chance to visit the next grade level for a fun activity.



Sports Day and our Pep Rally turned the spotlight on athletics, teamwork and school spirit!



Our Sweetheart Dance is part of Family Fun Night-- a lovely evening for parents and children to share!



We had some epic battles in our Student vs. Teacher Volleyball Game and Tug o' War!

**A Catholic education makes a difference. If you're interested in joining our school family, please call us at 516-333-0580 for more information or to arrange a tour.**



## Focus on Religious Freedom

[www.cffor.org](http://www.cffor.org)

### Administration Committed to Ensuring Religious Organizations a Level Playing Field

"Faith-based groups should have the opportunity to compete on a level playing field as they seek to partner with the federal government to provide critical social services," said the U.S.

Conference of Catholic Bishops. "These proposed (new) rules protect religious liberty, a core constitutional right..." (1)

On Religious Freedom Day, the administration issued 9 rules to protect freedom by eliminating burdensome requirements, issued in past years, that unfairly imposed unique regulatory burdens on religious organizations. Federal agencies, including the Dept. of Labor, must now ensure that the grant-making practices of state recipients of Federal funding comply with the First Amendment.

Religious freedom has been an ongoing concern in recent years as anti-faith groups have brought litigation against faith-based nonprofits and privately owned companies. These opponents of religious freedom have created much confusion by suggesting that it is illegal or even unconstitutional, for religious organizations to participate in federal contracts simply because they choose to operate in accordance with their faith. The end result was a distortion of law that put religious contractors at a distinct disadvantage. Many of them had to make an untenable choice: continue operating in accordance with their deeply held religious beliefs or violate their conscience just for the opportunity to compete for a federal contract.

**"From its opening pages, the story of America has been rooted in the truth that all men and women are endowed with the right to follow their conscience, worship freely, and live in accordance with their convictions. On Religious Freedom Day, we honor the foundational link between freedom and faith in our country and reaffirm our commitment to safeguarding the religious liberty of all Americans."**

President Trump, Proclamation, Jan. 16, 2020.

(Religious Freedom Day 2020 Proclamation; first liberty.org; christianheadlines.com, 8/15/19; daily signal.com, 8/14/19; White House press release; (1) usccb.org/news)

***"Freedom is not a gift bestowed upon us by other men, but a right that belongs to us by the laws of God and nature."*** Benjamin Franklin, Founding Father

## Celebrate love

Shop for your valentine  
at [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com), and  
Amazon donates.

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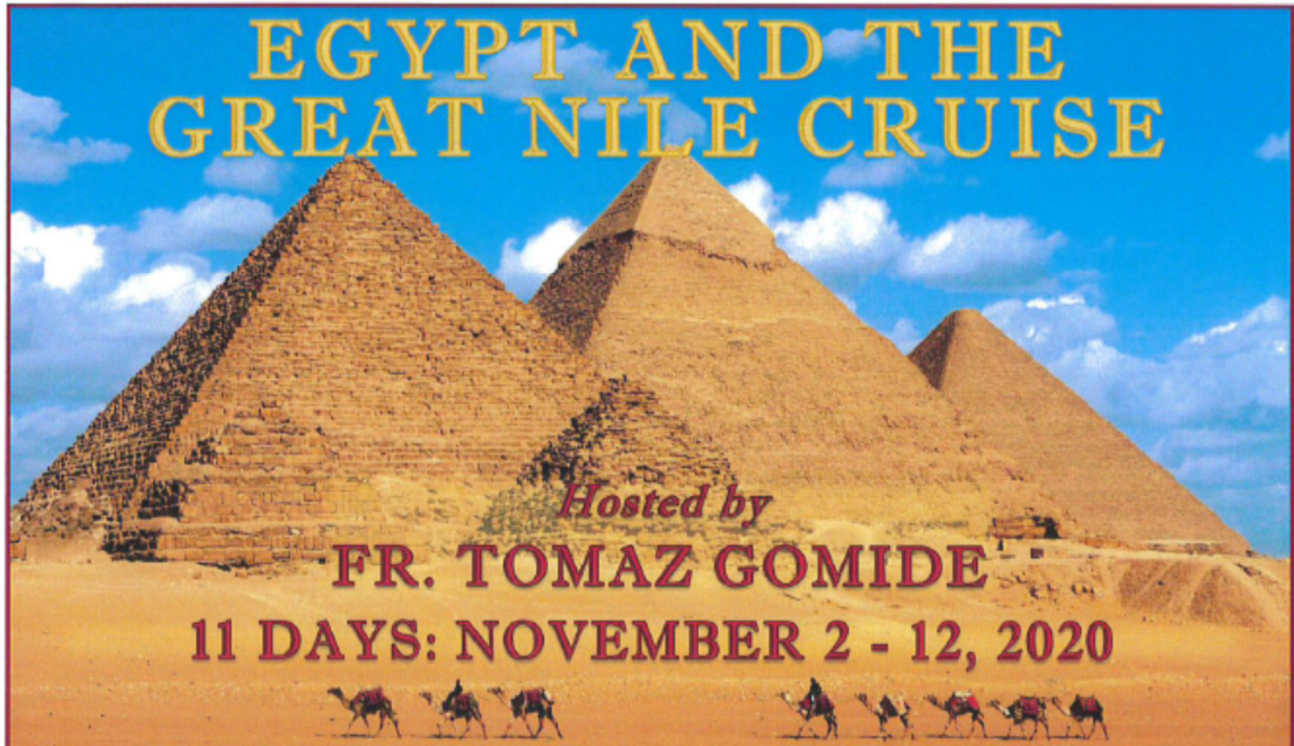


**Our Lady of Hope Church**  
Rev. Thomas V. Arnao, Pastor

# LENT 2020

 = a day of fasting and abstinence from meat  
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>"Lent is the liturgical season of forty days which begins with Ash Wednesday and ends with the celebration of the Paschal Mystery (Easter Triduum). Lent is the primary penitential season in the Church's liturgical year, reflecting the forty days Jesus spent in the desert in fasting and prayer" (<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>).</p> <p><b>I March</b> After Mass, decide what you need to change in your life in order to truly experience Jesus' love during Lent.</p>	<p><b>2</b> Pick a Lenten saint and learn about them. Ask him or her to be your patron. Think of a virtue of theirs to imitate.</p>	<p><b>3</b> Ask God to give you the grace to better know his love for you this Lent.</p>	<p><b>4</b> "Take ten" and: pray, go for a walk, read a good book, or simply enjoy the quiet for ten minutes.</p>	<p><b>5</b> Read Galatians 2:20. Consider that Jesus gave himself up - sacrificing for you, personally. What can you do for him today?</p>	<p><b>6</b> Share a meatless meal with friends and tell them why you are abstaining.</p>	<p><b>7</b> Spring-clean like a saint. Donate clothes you haven't worn in a year. Pray for those who might use them in the future.</p>
<p><b>8</b> Pick a situation in the news and pray over it today.</p>	<p><b>9</b> Ask Jesus to heal whatever keeps you from feeling God's bountiful love.</p>	<p><b>10</b> Pope Francis said the mark of a saint is never speaking ill of another. Today, say only kind, encouraging things.</p>	<p><b>11</b> Do a screen fast. No texting while eating, driving, conversing, or praying. Chances are, it can wait.</p>	<p><b>12</b> Deal with anyone in your life who may be interfering with your relationship with God.</p>	<p><b>13</b> Scope out your parish fish fry. Yum! Go with a group of friends or make new ones while you're there.</p>	<p><b>14</b> Visit Jesus who is truly present in the Eucharist. Pray before the tabernacle of your church. Speak to him as you would a friend.</p>
<p><b>15</b> Take one idea from today's Gospel reading or homily to implement during the coming week.</p>	<p><b>16</b> This week, practice the Heroic Minute. Get up when the alarm goes off. Offer your day to God's service.</p>	<p><b>17</b> <i>St. Patrick's Day</i> In St. Patrick's honor, evangelize silently by wearing a symbol of your faith (e.g. a cross or a medal).</p>	<p><b>18</b> Make a fresh start on your Lenten journey today. Renew your Lenten observances.</p>	<p><b>19</b> Call Catholic Relief Services (877-HELP-CRS or www.crs.org) to see how you can help.</p>	<p><b>20</b> Enjoy pretzels - a traditional Lent snack. Recall that Catholics used to give up milk, eggs, and fat.</p>	<p><b>21</b> Examine your conscience and attend Confession. Seek out God's loving forgiveness. Resolve to do better.</p>
<p><b>22</b> <i>Laetare Sunday</i> Celebrate the halfway point of Lent. Do something fun after Mass today.</p>	<p><b>23</b> Pick a topic in the <i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>. Read what the Church teaches about it.</p>	<p><b>24</b> Do an act of kindness today without being asked. Do it for God's glory; it's really him you're serving.</p>	<p><b>25</b> Today, offer up not having everything perfect: room temperature, music, meals and more.</p>	<p><b>26</b> Consider tithing - giving 10% of your money to your church or donating it to a charity of your choice.</p>	<p><b>27</b> Attend a Stations of the Cross service. Otherwise, the Stations are listed here: www.usccb.org</p>	<p><b>28</b> Visit a nursing home and read to a resident, take one for a walk, or pay someone some attention.</p>
<p><b>29</b> Try to find the time to read an entire Gospel at one sitting. (Hint: St. Mark's Gospel is the shortest.)</p>	<p><b>30</b> Show patience today. This is a work of mercy pleasing to God. Remember, be patient with yourself, too.</p>	<p><b>31</b> Resist "idle curiosity." Don't research every question or read every magazine. Unless it's crucial, it's OK not to know.</p>	<p><b>1 April</b> Visit a Catholic/Christian bookstore and find some good spiritual reading.</p>	<p><b>2</b> Today, pray for someone you don't like.</p>	<p><b>3</b> If possible, observe a prayerful silence from noon to 3 PM, the time Christ hung on the Cross.</p>	<p><b>4</b> Look around your neighborhood today for signs of new life.</p>
<p><b>5</b> <i>Palm Sunday</i> Place palms around each image of Jesus in your home. Welcome the Messiah into your heart!</p>	<p><b>6</b> Pray for all those who are preparing to enter the Church this Easter.</p>	<p><b>7</b> Ask God for a new grace today that will bring you closer to him.</p>	<p><b>8</b> Forgive someone who has hurt you.</p>	<p><b>9</b> <i>Holy Thursday</i> Look for someone who is poor or homeless and share your food.</p>	<p><b>10</b> <i>Good Friday</i> Meditate on the Stations of the Cross today. Try to imagine yourself at the scene of each one.</p>	<p><b>11</b> <i>Holy Saturday</i> Think about a way in which you might have betrayed Jesus. Ask his pardon.</p>



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## MASS INTENTIONS for the week of February 8



### 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  
 In the missions:  
 -Antionietta Caiata & Francesco Libonati (by the Libonati family)  
 11:30 AM – Bob Harrs (by John & Lucy Acierno)

### Monday – February 10, 2020

9:00 AM – Joseph Schweitzer (by his wife, Pat & family)

### Tuesday – February 11, 2019

9:00 AM – Bob Harrs (by Freda Cantwell)

### Wednesday – February 12, 2020

9:00 AM – For the intentions of Jacinta Dunseath (by Freda Cantwell)

### Thursday – February 13, 2020

9:00 AM – Edward Phillips (by Cathy Phillips & Patricia Archer)

### Friday – February 14, 2020

9:00 AM – Bill Diamond & Terry & Larry Wachter (by Janet Diamond & family)  
 -Paul Burgdorf (by his wife, Fran Burgdorf)  
 -Marrinan, McGovern & White Families (by the McGovern family)  
 -For the intentions of Ann Moran (by Freda Cantwell)

### Saturday – February 15, 2020

5:00 PM – Letizia Tranfo & Brenda Romanski (by Michael & Maryanne Elrod)  
 -Edward & Frances Chiusano (Anniversary) (by the Chiusano family)  
 -Robert Harrs (by Marge & Jack)  
 -For the intentions of Teresa Ashe (by Freda Cantwell)

### Sunday – February 16, 2020

8:30 AM – Fabrizio Fiorinda Pascitelli (by the family)  
 10:00 AM – Bob Harrs (by Ed & Patty Kelly)  
 11:30 AM – For the People of the Parish  
 -In the missions:  
 -Billy Snak Jr. (by the Mannarino family)



**SOMETHING FROM DEACON JOHN**

1. The precise number varies depending on the Bible version, but roughly how many times does the word "love" occur in the Old and New Testaments combined? 200-300 times, 400-500 times or 600-700 times?
2. In medieval times, which internal organ was believed to cause love? The stomach, the liver or the lungs?
3. Who did St. Valentine send his message to? (Hint-see the Message from our Pastor!)
4. As well as being the unofficial patron saint of love, what occupation is St. Valentine also believed to be the patron saint of? Chocolate makers, bow and arrow makers or bee keepers?
5. If you are quick to show your feelings, where is it said you wear your heart? On your lapel, your collar or your sleeve?

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**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.

**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 the Gospel today, Jesus says, "You are the light of the world." He is calling us to live our Christian vocation in words and deeds. Be a "light" to those living in poverty and in a world of darkness by giving a donation to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.*

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

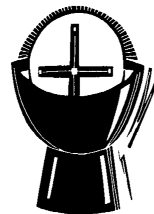
**Our Lady of Hope Parish Library**

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

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

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

**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!

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**-“Just so, your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father.” Let the light of your marriage sacrament shine for all by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are May 1-3 and June 26-28 in Huntington. For more information call John & Toni Torio at 877 697-9963 or visit them at [wwmenyli.org](http://wwmenyli.org).

**AN AFTERNOON OF CELTIC MUSIC**-a benefit for St. Anthony's Pipe Band. Sunday, March 1, St. Anthony's Auditorium, Huntington at 2pm. Tickets are \$20 prepaid, at the door \$25. For more information call 631 271-2020 ext 310.

### SECOND NOTICE

**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](http://kellenberg.org/kapa) by Monday, February 24. No walk ins. Any questions please call 516 292-0200 ext. 245.

**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](mailto: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](http://www.HeartoftheNation.org).

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT IN OUR DIOCESE**-Please visit our helpful website: [www.drvc-faith.org](http://www.drvc-faith.org). Simply click on the word **Bereavement** on the bar in the middle of the home page and then click on **Support groups available now** and you will find: Monthly & weekly support groups, groups for children, memorial programs, Help for the Holidays, Conferences and much more. Or for more information call Kathleen Logan, Bereavement Coordinator, 516 678-5800 ext. 236.

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

**STEADFAST CAREGIVERS**-provides home companion services to seniors and home-bound adults. Our home care professionals are comprehensively screened, bonded, insured and monitored on an ongoing basis to ensure the highest quality care and companionship. Whether you need care on an hourly or live-in basis, Steadfast Caregivers offers affordable care. We offer a free and confidential in home assessment and are happy to answer any questions. 516 747-0570.

**MEALS ON WHEELS**-EAC Network program is available to individuals 60 years and older in Westbury, Carle Place and New Cassel. The basic requirements are; living alone, no longer driving and have a limited support system. 516 539-0150 ext. 219.

**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 *Leadership*. To listen online or receive more information go to [www.ReligionandRock.com](http://www.ReligionandRock.com).

### ANSWERS TO DEACON JOHN'S QUESTIONS

1. 600-700 times
2. The liver
3. His jailer's daughter
4. Bee Keepers
5. You wear your heart on your sleeve (well, I do!)