



Our Lady of Hope Church

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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 am 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 Video available on the Our Lady of Hope website (www.olhope.org). Parents are asked to view the video prior to the child's baptism. It may also be shared with the Godparents.

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, Coordinator

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 HAVE BEEN RECONCILED TO THE FATHER THROUGH THE SON

We can rejoice in today's theme of God's forgiveness and mercy. He led the Israelites to the Promised Land; He has *reconciled us to himself through Christ*; and He is always ready to forgive, awaiting us with open arms to come and rest in His love.

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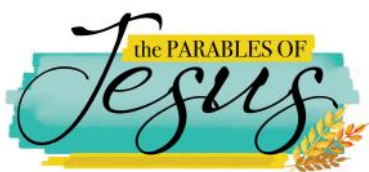
LITURGY OF THE WORD

In the first reading, the Israelites celebrate Passover in Gilgal, feasting on *the produce of the land*. Saint Paul writes, *whoever is in Christ is a new creation*, for God has *reconciled us to himself through Christ*. In the Gospel, Jesus addresses a parable to the Pharisees and scribes. The parable is of a father and his two sons, the younger of whom squanders his inheritance but returns home to be welcomed by his father.

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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR THE 4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells the story of the Prodigal Son.



Sunday's collection 3/20/22	\$6,913.00
Same last year	\$7,445.00
Weekly amount needed	\$9,456.00
Shortfall	\$2,543.00
Attendance	245
Envelopes	71

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

THE HOLY SEASON OF LENT

Please join us on Fridays during Lent for the Stations of the Cross at 7:30pm.

May the upcoming holy season offer you an opportunity for prayer, reflection and growth in God's grace. Some have inquired about the practice of fast and abstinence:

Fasting obliges all Catholics (from ages 18 to 59 inclusive) to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On the fast days, we may take one full meal, two smaller meals and no snacking in between meals. Abstinence obliges all Catholics (14 years and older) to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday AND all other Fridays in Lent.

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

This week our parish will take up the Catholic Relief Services Collection. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the collection and reveal Christ's love to those most in need. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.



2022 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL	
Goal	\$58,200
Pledged	\$21,955
Paid	\$13,800
% of Goal pledged	38%
% of Goal paid	24%
Donors	66

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Let us pray...

FOR OUR PARISHIONERS SERVING IN UNIFORM

Sgt. Joseph T. Hughes, USMC, 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 (D), US Navy.

**D = Deployed*

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED...

especially our loved ones.



Sanctuary Candle

\$15



Rose for Life

\$5



Altar Bread & Wine

\$50

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.

FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK

Maria Acierno, Elvia Aleman, Ronald Aman, Eleanor Angelis, Yvonne Angeles, Maya Annunziato, Mikey Armand, Jeanne (Porcelli) Aroyo, Anthony Barbera, Zachary Baas, Concetta Basso, Elizabeth Blake, Susan Blum, Deborah Bourassa, Dylan Braun, Mary Broyles, Peter Burkhardt, Giuseppe Burro, Billy Buttgerit, Diana Cabral, Eustacia Calderone, Chris Caplice, Maria Carrillo, Richard Casella, Gianna Casella, Marcel Chaillol, Carol Cirulli, Joan Clarke, Judy Clickner, Gina Corleto, Josephine Corsina, George Costidis, Connie Cote, Lona Cruz, Esther Curran, Dana Day, Peter DeFilippo, Kim DeRidder, Marie DeSimone, Joseph DiBiasi, Elizabeth Dick, Bernard Dicks, Theresa Dicks, Hailey Eimer, Joe Farinaro, Alice Feldt, Margaret Flahive, Angelina Fortner, Marie Francis, Grace Franzese, Eileen Friel, Mario Gagan, Gerry Georgio, Linda Gildea, Tony Giordano, Donna Girardi, Susan Goode, Joe Greve, Emily Grimm, Art Howell, John Hughes, Patricia & Ralph Keck, Jacqueline Klein, Sue Klein, Barbara Knapp, Tom Knapp, Susan Goglia Kopas, Shannon LaRocco, Mary Lou Lavelle, Marietta Lettau, Lois Lewis, John Malavolta, Salma Malik, Ann Mascola, Sherrie Mayzie, John McDonald, Elaine Medoro, Robert Mensing, Maria Merz, Madison Milio, John Morrison, Baby Viviana Mortellaro, Angelina Muzio, Danny Noble, Kathleen Opak, Maureen Ostrowski, Angela Pascarella, Rylie Pederson, Antonio Perrino, Loraine Pino, Joseph Piscitelli, Lorraine Poduch, Victor Praete, Vincent Purcell, Dan Riley, Joel Rivera, Daniel Roche, Nicole Roeder, Alex Salvaggio, Rosa Santos, John Saunders, Joseph Schaefer, Maureen Schroeder, Randy J. Smith, Darrell Stone, Nancy Tandi, Kerri Taylor, Rosemary Tempone, Florence Theroux, James Tirone, Danny Tricarico, Christopher Velez, Bridget, Vesloski, Janice Vetrano, Joseph Vigotty, Frank Wetmore, Maureen Wotten, Sondra Yannone, Rose Youngblood, Joe Zimmatore

MINISTERS AT MASSES for April 2 & 3				
	5pm	8:30am	10am	11:30am
PRESIDER	Fr. Griffin	Fr. Tomaz	Fr. Arnao	Fr. Arnao
LECTOR	J. Stein	P. Kelly	D. Oreste	P. Varol
ALTAR SERVERS	NA	NA	NA	NA
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	F. Stein S. Dowling	B. Kilgannon P. Schaefer	V. Daly M. Iovine	E. DiFrisco L. Acierno
MUSIC MINISTERS	Cantor/Organ		Cantor/Organ	Cantor/Organ

St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School



Besides learning about St. Patrick, many other fun activities were going on around school on **St. Patrick's Day**. Mrs. Woll's Pre-K students did a leprechaun craft, Ms. Swain's second graders did some St. Patrick STEM activities and were visited by St. Patrick. Ms. Brady's Kindergarteners made elaborate leprechaun traps, but did not have any luck catching one!





DIocese OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE
OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

Lent 2022

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

Lent is a journey from the desert of death to the springs of new life. We follow Jesus into the wilderness of the desert to renew our baptismal covenant with the Father. During this sacred time, we die to sin, and washed clean from our self-centeredness and attachment to the world, rise to divine grace and love. As we enter this privileged season, let us reflect once more on the three means we employ during this forty-day journey of penance and conversion: prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.

Prayer. Prayer is most simply a conversation with God, and St. Paul reminds us that this conversation must be continual. The Apostle to the Gentiles enjoins us to “pray at all times” (Eph 6:18), “pray without ceasing” (1 Thess 5:17), and “be constant in prayer” (Rom 12:12). To pray this way requires effort. It demands silence, artful listening, and remaining in the presence of God. This Lent we remember two powerful ways we enter into this holy conversation: by sitting in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament and through *lectio divina*, a prayerful reading of Sacred Scripture.

Fasting. The Church Fathers speak extensively on the power of fasting to break sin and open our hearts to the grace of God. Saint Peter Chrysologus writes: “Fasting is the soul of prayer, mercy is the lifeblood of fasting. So if you pray, fast; if you fast, show mercy; if you want your petition to be heard, hear the petition of others. If you do not close your ear to others, you open God’s ear to yourself” (*Sermo* 43: PL 52, 320, 322). Let us remember, too, that bodily fasting is useless unless it is joined with spiritual fasting, that is, fasting from our passions.

Almsgiving. Scripture brings the three marks of our Lenten journey together and puts the emphasis on the last: “Prayer and fasting are good, but better than either is almsgiving accompanied by righteousness ... It is better to give alms than to store up gold; for almsgiving saves one from death and expiates every sin. Those who regularly give alms shall enjoy a full life” (Tob 12:8-9). Almsgiving is better because it points to charity. We remember we are not only to give materially to those in need but also give of ourselves as we love God and neighbor.

Last October, Pope Francis invited the Church into a synod on synodality. The Holy Father wants the Church to journey together in a multi-year process listening to each other, hearing the Word and celebrating the Eucharist. As we journey towards Easter, let us be united in mind and spirit. May the spiritual exercises of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving prepare us for Easter and an experience of the power of God, which “dispels wickedness, washes faults away, restores innocence to the fallen, and joy to mourners, drives out hatred, fosters concord, and brings down the mighty” (*The Easter Proclamation - Exsultet*). Then, alive in Christ, we can go forward evangelizing, as Pope Francis would want, with *parrhesia*: “Boldness, enthusiasm, the freedom to speak out, [and] apostolic fervor” (*Gaudete et Exsultate* 129).

May the loving presence of the Blessed Virgin Mary, who remained faithful to her son at the foot of the cross, protect and sustain us in our Lenten journey.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre

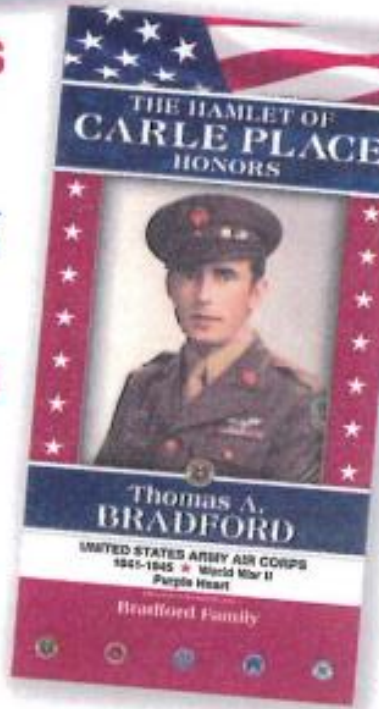


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Reconciliation/Confessions

- **Saturday April 9** – 4.00 – 4.30 PM
(There are no Confessions on April 20 Holy Saturday)
- **Monday April 11** – Confessions from
1.00 PM-3.00 PM and 7.00 PM-8.30 PM

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion: April 9/10

Palms distributed at each Mass

- **Saturday** at 5.00 PM
- **Sunday** at 8.30, 10.00, 11.30 AM

Holy Thursday: April 14

- 9.00 AM Morning Prayer
- 7.30 PM Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper
Procession and reposition with adoration till 11:00pm

Good Friday: April 15

- 9.00 AM Morning Prayer
- 3.00 PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion
With adoration of the Cross and Holy Communion
- 7.30 PM Stations of the Cross

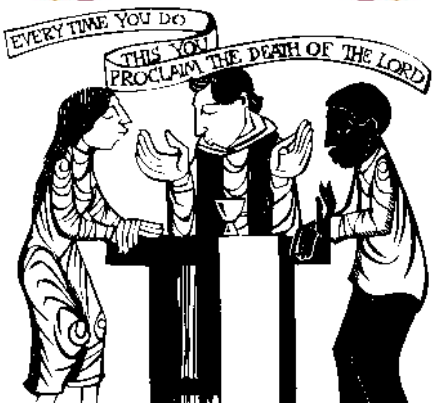
Holy Saturday: April 16

- 9.00 AM Morning Prayer and Blessing of Easter Food
 - 7.30 PM Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday: April 17

- Masses at 8.30, 10.00, 11.30 AM
With Renewal of Baptismal Vows at each Mass

MASS INTENTIONS for the week of March 26, 2022



Saturday- March 26, 2022

Anticipated Mass

5:00 PM – Larry Wachter (by Janet Diamond & Family)

- Donna Famularo (by the Spangler family)
- Mary McDonald (by Richard & Nancy Kane)
- Isaura Oliveira (by the Lopes family)

Sunday- March 27, 2022

8:30 AM – For the People of the Parish
 10:00 AM – Miranda Gallo (by Fatima Colella)
 11:30 AM – Gloria F. Gregory (by the Maiale family)

Monday- March 28, 2022

9:00 AM – Patrick Lavin (by Peter & Phyllis Walsh)

Tuesday- March 29, 2022

9:00 AM – Anthony Suppa (by Fran & Rich Comito)
 In the missions:
 -Frank Bitetto (by Christine & Rob Emanuelli)
 -Maria Gismundi (Happy Birthday in Heaven)
 (by her children)

Wednesday- March 30, 2022

9:00 AM – Mary & Mike Frinquelli (by Fr. Arnao)

Thursday- March 31, 2022

9:00 AM – James Buttgerit (5th Anniversary) (by Dorothy Buttgerit)

Friday- April 1, 2022

9:00 AM – James A. McGovern (by the McGovern family)
 -Teresa Chiusano (by Ed Chiusano)
 7:30 PM – *Stations of the Cross*

Saturday- April 2, 2022


5:00 PM – Thelma Sweeney (by William Ruth)
 -Dan McGovern (by the McGovern family)
 -Patrick Lavin (by Chris Caplice)
 -Brenda Buffalino (by Janet Diamond & family)

Sunday- April 3, 2022

8:30 AM – Thomas Molloy (by the Molloy family)
 10:00 AM – For the People of the Parish
 11:30 AM – Susana Bautista (by Joyce, Sam & Alex Raikos)
 In the missions:
 -Celia Santana (by the Santana family)
 -Frank LaBorne (by Carol, Michele, Greg & family)



LENTEN WORSHIP

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

“The St. Vincent DePaul Society is a lay Catholic organization that aspires to live the Gospel by serving the poor. In attending to the needy in our community, we are ministering to Christ himself. If you or someone you know needs assistance, or if you would like to join the ministry, call (516) 334-6288 ext. 18

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.

OPPORTUNITIES TO REMEMBER LOVED ONES

There are opportunities to remember your loved ones by way of *Mass intentions, the Rose for Life, the Sanctuary Candle and Altar Bread*. There are multiple intention Masses available on Fridays and Saturdays and Mission Masses anytime and Rose for Life, Sanctuary Candle and Altar Bread as early as this month. Please contact the church office if you are interested.

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 or are thinking of volunteering, please visit Virtusonline.org to fulfill your Virtus requirements.

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.

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.

BAPTISM AND THE PREPARATION CLASS

Baptisms are celebrated every third Sunday of every month at 1pm. Please call the office to register in advance. Baptism Preparation, which was done with an in-person class, is now being offered with a Baptismal Preparation Video which is available on the Our Lady of Hope website. It is our hope that parents will view the video prior to their child’s baptism. Please visit www.olhope.org.



Online giving is available at Our Lady of Hope and it’s safe, simple and convenient. It can also add to any “rewards” your credit card company offers! If you have questions please do not hesitate to call the church office or WeShare directly at 855 800-4273.

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

LOOKING TO RENT GARAGE SPACE-in the Carle Place/Westbury area. If you have available space please call Gerry at 516 997-4425 and leave a message. Your call will be returned.

DIVORCED OR SEPARATED CATHOLICS OF LI-including widows, widowers and singles. New Member Orientation Meeting, Tuesday, April 19 at 7pm, at St. Frances Club, Wantagh. Non denominational, all are welcome. Bring proof of single status to join. Annual dues \$30. Refreshments following the meeting. Proof of vaccination or recent negative test. For more information please call Angel 631 574-0368 or Janet 516 579-4016.

SEVEN LAST WORDS OF JESUS- Monday April 11 in-person at Our Lady of Grace Spiritual Center, Manhasset from 10:30am to noon. How can we understand the death of Jesus in its fullness? Join us as we reflect on these words. Cost is \$20. For more information or to register call 516 627-9255 or visit www.olgretreat.com.

SECOND NOTICE

LIFE CENTER OF LI-is looking for donations and can only accept items in good and cleaned condition. Baby bath tubs (new only), baby food/formula (not expired), baby wipes, bassinets, bedding, car seats, high chairs, gift cards layette items and more. For more information or where to donate call the Life Center at 516 408-6300.

NY PROJECT HOPE-Coping with COVID. Online Wellness Groups. Move Forward with Hope. Confidential, free, anonymous. Find our more at NYprojectHope.org or call 631 481-9700. A program of NYS Office of Mental Health.

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.

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.

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.

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!

