

## Masses

Saturday Eve 5:00PM  
Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30AM,  
12Noon and 4:30PM

Daily 7:15, 8:45 AM  
Saturday 8:45 AM

## Pastoral Team

**Pastor**  
Father Chuck Romano

**Associate Pastors**  
Father Vincent H. Bulus

### Deacons

Deacon Robert C. Campbell, OFS  
Deacon Thomas Wm. Connolly, T.O Carm  
Deacon Guy Donza, S.F.D.  
Deacon Thomas J. Malone Jr., S.F.D.

**Pastoral Associate, Youth &  
Parish Social Ministry**  
Deacon Richard W. LaRossa

**School Principal**  
Sr. Ruthanne Gypalo, I.H.M.

**Director of Religious Education**  
Mrs. Evelyn Contaldi

**Business Manager**  
Thomas J. Donovan

**South Nassau Hospital Chaplain**  
Father Sylvester Ikela

## Parish Staff

**Music Ministry**   **Folk Group**  
Laura Garbitelli   AnnMarie Lynch

**Children's Choir**  
Patricia Mayle

**Hand Bell Choir**  
Se-beng Koh

**Plant Manager**  
Steve Bennett

**Parish Secretary**  
Doreen Dolan

**Bulletin Editor**  
Linda Ohlsen

# *The Parish of St. Raymond*

*A Eucharistic Community of  
Faith, Love and Friendship*

Sunday, August 25, 2019

263 Atlantic Avenue, East Rockaway, NY 11518

516-593-5000

**“He answered them, Strive to enter through  
the narrow gate, for many, I tell you, will  
attempt to enter but will not be  
strong enough.”  
-Luke 13:24**



**August 25, 2019**

**Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Welcome To Our Parish Family!

Not registered? Please stop by our rectory during office hours to be included in our parish family.

### Rectory

Office Hours are Monday-Friday from 9am-5pm;  
Saturdays from 9:30am-1pm.

**Web Site:** [www.SaintRaymonds.org](http://www.SaintRaymonds.org)

**E-Mail:** [StRayRcc@optonline.net](mailto:StRayRcc@optonline.net)

Rectory.....593-5000

Rectory Fax.....887-0554

**Parish Social Ministry**.....887-9197

Office Hours are Monday-Thursday from 10am-2pm.

Parish Social Ministry Fax.....593-6278

**St. Raymond School**.....593-9010

St. Raymond School Fax.....593-0986

**Religious Education Office**.....593-9075

Religious Education Office Fax .....593-1156

### **Pastoral Care Of The Sick**

**Holy Communion**—Available to the homebound;  
call the rectory to schedule an appointment.

### **Devotions**

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Thursdays from 1-4pm in Our Lady's Chapel.

#### **Nocturnal Adoration**

First Fridays from 8-9pm.

#### **Miraculous Medal Novena**

Saturdays following 8:45am Mass.

### **Confessions**

Saturdays from 3:30-4:30pm, or call for appointment.

### **Baptisms**

Baptisms are celebrated the 2nd and 4th Sundays of  
the month. Please call the rectory to schedule.

### **Bereavement Support Group**

Call the rectory office for meeting times.

### **Marriages**

Engaged couples are encouraged to call the rectory a  
year in advance of their wedding date to assure adequate  
time to participate in preparation programs for the  
Sacrament of Marriage.

### **Prayer Groups**

**Charismatic Prayer Group:** Every Tuesday at 7:30pm  
in the rectory lower level.

**Men's Prayer Group:** Every 4th Friday at 8pm in  
Our Lady's Chapel.

### **Music Ministries**

**Children's Choir:** Sings at the 9am Mass on the 3rd  
Sunday of the month from September—June; practice on  
Tuesdays at 5pm in the school auditorium.

**Choir (Adult):** Sings at 10:30am Mass on Sundays  
from September—June; practice on Wednesdays at  
7:30pm in the church.

**Folk Group:** Sings at 12 Noon Mass on Sundays from  
September—June; practice on Wednesdays at 7:30pm in  
the rectory lower level.

**Hand Bell Choir:** Plays at the 5pm Mass on the last  
Saturday of the month from September— June; practice  
on Tuesdays at 7:30pm in the church.

### **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**

Interested in becoming a Catholic or an adult Catholic  
seeking Eucharist or Confirmation? Call the rectory and  
ask for Deacon Rich LaRossa.

## This Week in Our Parish

**Monday, August 26th**

1-2:30pm Human Life

MWMR

**Thursday, August 29th**

9:30am Bible Sharing

MWMR

**Saturday, August 31st**

3:30pm: Confessions

Church

## St. Raymond's Bulletin...

As a reminder, in case you forget to pick up your weekly  
Sunday bulletin, you can view it on our website:

**[www.saintraymonds.org](http://www.saintraymonds.org).**

If you would like to advertise an upcoming event for a  
St. Raymond Ministry or group, please email your article or  
notice two Fridays before the date of the bulletin to:

**[strayrcc@optonline.net](mailto:strayrcc@optonline.net).**

Please write: "Attention Bulletin Editor" in the subject  
line of you email. All bulletin articles are subject to the  
Pastor's approval.

## End of Life Decision Making

Catholic teaching on end of life decisions; nutrition and  
hydration; palliative and hospice care; assisted suicide,  
euthanasia; healthcare proxies and living wills.

**For info, visit [www.catholicendoflife.org](http://www.catholicendoflife.org).**

## What once was lost, now is found!

Are you missing your reading glasses? Can't find your  
house keys? If so, stop by the Altar Servers' Sacristy in  
the Church to see if your long lost item is in our Lost &  
Found box.

## Always keep our Service Men & Women in your prayers ...



SPC Frank Candreva, ARMY  
PFC Giuseppina Coppola, ARMY  
Capt. Kathryn M. Costello, U.S.M.C.  
Recruit Joseph R. Diltz, USMC  
Lance Corporal Sean M. Donohue, U.S.M.C.  
Pvt. Brian Efferen, U.S.M.C.  
Sgt. John David Efferen, U.S.M.C.  
Corporal Daniel J. Ferrato, U.S.M.C.  
Lt. Commander Joseph Garbitelli, U. S. Navy  
Michael Gondek, National Guard  
SPC John C. Hayes, U.S. ARMY  
Lance Corporal Dylan J. Hickam, U.S.M.C.  
Lt. Col. Mary P. King, M.D., U.S. ARMY  
PFC Brian Lantz, U.S. ARMY  
Lt. jg Joseph Leahy, U.S.N.  
Capt. Joseph McQuade, U.S.N.  
Lt. Jake Murphy, U.S.ARM  
Capt. Brian Peterson, U.S.A.F.  
Capt. Graham A. Perry, U.S.M.C.  
1<sup>ST</sup> Lt. Roy Ragusa, Jr., U.S. ARMY  
Capt. Kimberly Russo, National Guard  
Lt. Kevin Reilly, U.S. ARMY  
Lt. Cmdr. Andrew Schimenti  
Lt. Justin Winter

***Please remember to pray for our wounded soldiers.***

## Father Chuck's Corner

### ***Greetings and God's blessings be yours on the Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time!***

Getting ready for the final judgment is the main theme of this Sunday's readings. In the first reading from Isaiah, God talks of gathering all people from far and near when it's judgment time. ***"I know their works and their thoughts, and I come to gather nations of every language; they shall come and see my glory."*** Then in the second reading from Hebrews, Paul's message is to stay disciplined in order to be made spiritually stronger. ***"Endure your trials as discipline; God treats you as sons. For what son is there whom the father does not discipline?"*** And finally, in Luke's gospel, we have Jesus speaking of the ***"narrow gate"*** regarding the path to salvation. The word narrow here does not mean strict or very, limited. Rather, it refers to the concentrated effort that is needed to make a zealous and disciplined approach to the door leading to salvation. ***"Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough."***

In the final days we will all be called to stand before God in hopes of entering the gates of heaven. The gate, however, is a narrow one requiring concentration on an approach that is both disciplined and zealous. Discipline is not a word we like to hear, yet it is crucial for our spiritual well-being. Once we stand before God, it will be too late to go back to mend our ways. One day all humanity will see God's glory revealed. People from throughout the world will be gathered in God's presence. We will see how he has been at work in our lives, and whether we have even been aware of his activity at the time. We will understand all that he's done for our spiritual benefit and together as brothers and sisters we will worship and give glory to God.

We need to remember that all God does is for our greater good, even when it doesn't make sense to us. God teaches us through good fortune and hardships. Challenges strengthen us and call us to greater discipline. We must constantly work for discipline because we don't know when or where we'll be called before God.

Greater discipline guides us to the joy of righteousness. And then we may realize that the struggles of discipline have been well worth it. Unfortunately, Jesus' message of change and renewal was rejected more than accepted. Most people want to be left as they are. It's hard to change and we prefer the path of least resistance. Just desiring heaven isn't enough. Without some discipline we won't be able to enter the narrow gate. At the final moment the decision for our salvation will have been made. Preparing to worthily receive the sacrament of the Eucharist is a form of discipline that will strengthen us spiritually and help us to be more like Christ. After all, isn't that what being a Christian is all about?

As we head into the last week of August, we will be facing the end of the fiscal year once again for both the parish and school. ***While a deficit is inevitable for the third consecutive year, how much it will be is an unknown until all the final revenues are in and the bills are up to date in payment.*** I just want to make a last pitch to any families who might still owe tuition for the 2018-2019 school year for both St. Raymond School and Religious Education. Also, if any regular contributions are behind in your regular giving, this week is a good time to catch up. As always, I thank everyone for the generosity shown to St. Raymond Parish throughout the year.

***Please remember to take home a copy of the bulletin when you leave Mass today.*** It contains many items of interest and invitation with something for everyone. Of special note is news and needs from ***Parish Social Ministry***, info from ***Religious Education*** and the ***Principal's Corner*** of St. Raymond School, a special invitation to subscribe to ***FORMED*** (it's free!), an order form for the new round of ***Parish Picks*** (gotta be in it to win it!), a schedule of ***Information Sessions*** from the Office of Diaconate Formation, an invitation to the Sodality of Our Lady's ***Woman Retreat Day*** on September 21st and much more. To keep informed, keep a copy of the bulletin at home each week for quick and easy reference.

Have a great week. ***Smile, share and be focused on the kingdom. Sometimes my thinking is that I know God won't give me more than I can handle. I just wish he didn't trust me so much.*** God bless always.

—Father Chuck



# Are you discerning a vocation to the Diaconate?

## *The Office of Diaconate Formation*

*will be conducting*

### **THREE INFORMATION SESSIONS** **for men and their wives.**

**7:00 pm**

**WEDNESDAY, September 11**

**7:00 pm**

**FRIDAY, September 13**

**7:00 pm**

**SUNDAY, September 15**

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

**CALL 631-423-0483 ext. 179 OR E-MAIL [diaconateformation@drvc.org](mailto:diaconateformation@drvc.org)**

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



### *The Sodality of Our Lady*

Invites Women of Faith to our  
3rd Annual Women's Day Retreat  
Saturday, September 21st; 10am-3pm (doors open at 9am)  
St. Raymond School Cafeteria  
"Entering the Heart of Autumn with Mary as Our Model"  
Presented by Sr. Marjorie McGregor

Program Fee: \$30, including lunch.  
Registration closes: September 17, 2019  
Checks made to: Sodality of Our Lady,  
Please remit payment with attached registration form to:  
**Sodality of Our Lady, St. Raymond Church,  
263 Atlantic Ave., East Rockaway, NY 11518**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Tel.#: \_\_\_\_\_

Diet Restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

**If you have questions, please contact Frances Corio at 516-401-5734 or Mary Thorpe at 516-524-3103**

## Principal's Corner

*Sister Ruthanne*

Today's Responsorial Psalm tells us to "Go out to all the world and tell the Good News." Borrowing from that idea, I believe that some good news is that the school reopens in just ten days! Perhaps that's more "good news" for the parents than the students, but we are looking forward to the start of a new year with all!

In preparation for that new year, let me remind parents that the school office will be open this week in case you have any questions or concerns. Please remember that ALL required physicals must be submitted to the nurse by the first day of school and ALL immunizations MUST BE UP TO DATE. The safety of our children is always top priority. With that thought in mind I also want to remind folks that anyone who is planning on volunteering for anything with the children (lunchroom, field days, field trips, etc.) must be cleared through Virtus and a background check. Mrs. Giglio has the required papers and would be delighted to share them with you. Thanks in advance.

Please note that there is NO EARLY SUPPLY SALE this year. I STRONGLY suggest that parents take advantage of the school sales provided by local merchants and have the children equipped for the school year. The only items that MUST be purchased in school are the notebooks, tablets and pencils for the **primary department**. These we will make available to the children during the first week of school. The "school store" has been moved back to the top floor. Students will purchase supplies when the store is open at some point during the day.

Thanks to all the folks who joined us for our summer gathering last week. It was a great start to our fundraising efforts for the air-conditioning in the school. We have also received some nice donations for the same purpose. Trust me, the students and their teachers will be MOST GRATEFUL for your generosity. Needless to say, we would be most appreciative of any other gifts to the effort.

Please visit our updated school website at [www.srsny.org](http://www.srsny.org) for a welcome letter to the new school year, the yearly calendar, as well as many important informational items. Enjoy the end of the summer vacation and remember that school begins on Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>. See you then. God bless.



WITH GOD ALL THINGS  
ARE POSSIBLE



## Religious Education—Faith Formation

*Evelyn Contaldi, Director*

The Religious Education office will re-open on Monday 8/26/19. Hours are Monday-Thursday 10am-4:30pm.

**FORMS CAN BE DOWNLOADED FROM THE PARISH WEBSITE ([WWW.SAINTRAYMONDS.ORG](http://WWW.SAINTRAYMONDS.ORG)) OR CALL THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE AND THEY WILL BE E-MAILED TO YOU.**

Class assignments have been mailed home. Please hold on to the form that was sent as it shows the day and classroom that your child is scheduled to attend. Saint Raymond Religious Education classes for the 2019/2020 school year will begin as follows:

**Grades 1** will begin the week of September 9th, 2019 3:30pm-4:30pm

**Grade 2** will begin on Tuesday, September 17th, 2019 3:30pm-4:30pm

**Grades 3, 4, 5, 6** will begin the week of September 16th, 2019 3:30pm-4:30pm

**Grades 7 & 8** will begin the week of September 16th, 2019 Mon. or Tues. 7pm-8pm



### ATTENTION NEW CATECHISTS

There will be a meeting for new catechists who were not able to attend the meeting in June 2019. The meeting will be held on Tuesday 9/3/19 at 7:30pm in the Religious Education office (Room109).

### ATTENTION 9TH GRADE PARENTS

The following is very important information pertaining to your child's upcoming Confirmation. There will be an important 9th grade parent meeting on **Wednesday, September 4th, 2019** at 7:30pm in the St. Raymond School auditorium. Please make every effort to attend - details regarding your child's Confirmation will be

discussed. Confirmation is scheduled for **Tuesday, October 29th, 2019**. Bishop Andrzej Zglejszewski is scheduled to be the officiator. There will be two ceremonies that day - Group 1 will receive at 11:00am and Group 2 will receive at 2:30pm. The groups have been separated as follows based on the Religion classes they were in for 8<sup>th</sup> grade:

#### Group 1-11:00am Ceremony

8-1 Mrs. Gabrielle Campbell  
8-2 Mrs. Christina Paccio  
8-3 Mrs. Danielle Mistretta  
8-4 Mrs. Nancy Mott  
8-5 Mrs. Lisa Sanzo

#### Group 2-2:30pm Ceremony

8-6 Deacon Rich LaRossa  
8-7 Mrs. Ann Marie Redash  
8-8 Mrs. Rita Volante  
St. Raymond Students  
Kellenberg Students  
Holy Family Students

The last phase of your child's Confirmation preparation is to attend EITHER MANDATORY CONFIRMATION COMMITMENT MASS - 5PM AT ST. RAYMOND CHURCH - **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH, 2019 OR SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5TH, 2019.**

**Your child's MANDATORY CONFIRMATION RETREAT will be held on:**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6TH, 2019 ST. RAYMOND SCHOOL AUDITORIUM**

**GROUP 1 ATTEND 10AM-12:30PM SESSION**

**GROUP 2 ATTEND 1PM-3:30PM SESSION**

**This is the only day that retreat will be held so please note this date on your calendar.**

### ATTENTION 1ST GRADE PARENTS

There will be a 1st grade parent meeting on Thursday, September 5th, 2019 at 7:30pm in St. Raymond School auditorium. Please make every effort to attend this important meeting as details will be discussed regarding your child's first day of class. As a reminder - Religion classes for first grade students ONLY will begin the week of 9/9/19 - 3:30pm-4:30pm.

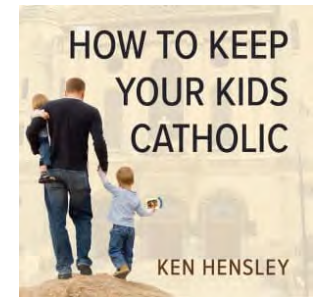
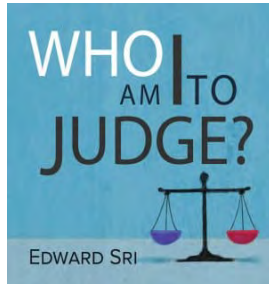




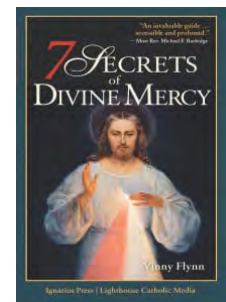
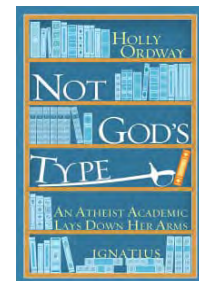
# FORMED



*THE CATHOLIC FAITH ON DEMAND*  
*STUDY/WATCH/LISTEN/READ*



**GO TO THE ST. RAYMOND  
WEBSITE FOLLOW THE  
*FORMED*  
LINK TO REGISTER IT'S FREE!**



# It's time for the next round of...



Dear Friends,

To enhance our Parish Picks fundraiser, in our last segment, we added a new system which allowed you to receive additional tickets. Please think about purchasing additional tickets since this is a fundraiser that helps us pay some of our big bills.

This is how the system works: The basic entry to participate in Parish Picks is \$60.00. For \$60.00 you will now get **THREE TICKETS**. If you contribute \$120 you will receive **SIX TICKETS**. Yes, we are offering additional tickets for **FREE** according to the amount you contribute (see below)

	Number of Tickets			TOTAL AMOUNT
Ticket Cost	for each \$60.00	Free Tickets	BONUS TICKETS	OF TICKETS
\$60.00	1	1	1	3
\$120.00	2	2	2	6
\$180.00	3	3	3	9
\$240.00	4	4	4	12
\$300.00	5	5	5	15
\$360.00	6	6	6	18

Your participation would greatly help the expenses St. Raymond incurs. **YOU GOT TO BE IN IT TO WIN IT!** We would like to give you a call and **MAKE YOU HAPPY!**

The next segment begins in **August 2019** and runs through **February 2020**. You "**regulars**" know how it works, but for those of you who haven't yet joined...here's the scoop: The cost of a ticket is still \$60, and you're eligible to participate in all the monthly drawings because even if you win, your ticket automatically goes back in for the remaining drawings. Each month the following prize amounts are awarded:

**1st Prize: \$1,000   2nd Prize: \$500   3rd Prize: \$250   4th Prize \$250**

Entry money for the next six months must be received by **August 2019**. Ticket numbers are not reserved; they will be given in the order in which your payment is received. Members of the committee can be contacted to answer any questions.

On behalf of the Parish Picks Committee, I thank you for your continuous support of this parish fundraiser. Your participation is a big help to St. Raymond Parish and our many ministries. God bless you always.

**Sincerely, Father Chuck, Pastor & Julianne Grennen & Doreen Dolan**  
**StRayRCC@optonline.net or 516-593-5000**

## St. Raymond's Parish Picks Order Form

Enclosed is my check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ ticket (s) in the Parish Picks. I will receive extra tickets for each ticket that I purchase in accordance with the chart shown on the enclosed letter. (Each ticket is good for 6 months of chances and costs \$60.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Envelope #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

# Parish Bulletin Board



## Stewardship

*A Way of Life*

### Living Stewardship

This week let the world see the Love of Christ in you. Do good for others, speak the truth and start to cultivate a daily prayer life. Your hospitality as a Christian can go a long way in the life of another.

### Sacrificial Giving

August 19, 2018: \$11,850

August 18, 2019: \$11,437



### St. Raymond Human Life Committee

At the end of June, the Dept. of Health & Human Services (HHS) gave the final draft to defund Planned Parenthood of taxpayers' money through the Title X program. As expected, Planned Parenthood, along with other abortion facilities, sued to prevent the funds to be denied to them. The good news is that the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals last week upheld the HHS decision that is: taxpayers' money through the Title X program cannot be used for abortions. The Court of Appeals gave Planned Parenthood an option. If Planned Parenthood would have a separate building and a separate staff for the abortion industry, then PP could receive the Title X money for their other services housed at a separate location. Planned Parenthood rejected the option plan. The good news is that Planned Parenthood will lose 60 million dollars of taxpayers' money through Title X. As reported recently, Planned Parenthood fired Dr. Leanna Wen as its president because her vision was to steer PP's focus on broader women's healthcare. That was not PP's vision. It hired a new person who has a more active, political view on abortion than Dr. Wen. It seems that Planned Parenthood is more about abortion, and the money it makes through that, than expanding healthcare for women.

### Pastoral Council



...and I come to gather nations  
of every language; they shall  
come and see My Glory.

~Isaiah 66:18

### Pastoral Council Members

Jean Chojnacki; Monica Collins, Vice Chairperson;  
Jeanne LaSala; Patricia Mayle, Chairperson;  
Patricia McCormack; Mary Carmel Murphy;  
Liz Tortorella; Father Chuck Romano.

### Parish Social Ministry *The Heart of the Parish*

*For I will proclaim the name of the Lord. Ascribe  
greatness to Our God.*

*-Deuteronomy 32:3.*

**Pantry Needs for this week:** Mayo, tuna, pasta  
and rice side dishes, canned potatoes, mixed  
vegetables, carrots, syrup, oil, jelly, instant potatoes,  
dish detergent, laundry detergent.

*God bless and keep you all!*



### Attention Bowlers!!



Interested in joining the **HOLY BOWLERS**  
for the 2019-20 year?

Maple Lanes RVC

Second Sunday of the Month @7pm

September through June \$20/month

If so, contact Sister Ruthanne at

593-9010 / [rgypalo5640@srsny.org](mailto:rgypalo5640@srsny.org).

Teams are forming now to begin September 8th.

You don't have to be a super bowler;  
you just must want to have fun!



### Parish Picks Winners *Congratulations to August winners!*

**1st Place—\$1,000**

#29— Nancy Pandaliano

**2nd Place—\$500**

#329— Josephine & Pat Romanelli

**3rd Place—\$250**

#889— Evelyn Wallach

**4th Place—\$250**

#578— Terrence McCabe

*You've got to be in it to win it!*



# Parish Bulletin Board



## The Office of FAITH FORMATION DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE

**UPCOMING WORKSHOPS SEPTEMBER THROUGH  
OCTOBER REGISTER ONLINE [WWW.DRVC-FAITH.ORG](http://WWW.DRVC-FAITH.ORG)**

### **Catechist Training for New and Nearly New Catechists**

**Ss. Cyril and Methodius Parish, Deer Park**

September 9, 11, 16 and 18, 2019 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30p.m.

### **School of Missionary Disciples Information Sessions**

DRVC School of Missionary Disciples is a two year process of personal, intellectual, spiritual and pastoral formation for adult Catholics that offers an exciting, integrated approach to discipleship through instruction, prayer, faith sharing & development of leadership skills.

*Please join us at our information sessions to learn more*

**Mercy Hospital, Rockville Centre**

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.

**Mercy Hospital, Rockville Centre**

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

**St. Edward Confessor, Syosset**

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

**St. Anne, Brentwood**

Thursday, September 12, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

**Our Lady of Consolation Nursing & Rehab, West Islip**

Thursday, September 12, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

**St. John the Evangelist, Riverhead**

Friday, September 13, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

### **Divorce & Beyond Support Group**

From 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

**St. Kilian Parish, Farmingdale**

Thursdays, September 12, 19, 26, October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, November 7, and 14, 2019

**Notre Dame, New Hyde Park**

Wednesdays, September 18, 25, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, November 6, 13, and 20, 2019

### **Training Of Volunteers in The Ministry To The Sick Part B EM Training**

**St. James Church, Setauket**

Saturdays, September 21 and 28, 2019  
from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**St. Charles Hospital, Port Jefferson**

Saturday, October 5, 2019  
from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

### **Bereavement Facilitator Training Level II**

**Our Lady of Victory, Floral Park**

Mondays, September 30, October 7, 21, and 28, 2019  
from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**St. Mary's Parish, East Islip**

Saturdays, September 28 and October 5, 2019  
from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**St. Rosalie Parish, Hampton Bays**

Saturdays, October 19 and 26, 2019 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.



## English as a Second Language

### **OUR LADY OF PEACE OFFICE OF PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY**

**25 FOWLER AVENUE LYNBROOK, NY**

*This ESL program offers weekly classes in basic conversational English to adult learners with some, little, or no knowledge of the English language. Classes will meet on Fridays from 10:00am – 1:00pm in the Parish Social Ministry Meeting room.*

*Classes will begin on Friday,  
September 6, 2019 at 10:00am  
Please call 599-7448 for information and  
registration.*

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

### **Golden Wedding Jubilee Celebration**

This fall, couples that have been married fifty years or more will be honored at a special Mass on Sunday, November 3rd at Maria Regina Roman Catholic Church in Seaford. The Mass will begin at 2:00pm. Bishop Andrzej Zglejszewski will preside. Registration forms and



complete instructions can be obtained at the rectory office. Forms can also be found at [www.drvc-faith.org](http://www.drvc-faith.org).

Registration is based on first come first serve basis. For more information, call 516-678-5800, ext. 207.



### **GIRL SCOUT MASS & MINGLE**

**Sunday August 25, 2019**

**Saint James Church**

**429 Main Street**

**Setauket, New York**

**3:00 pm Sunday Mass—AFTER MASS**

Meet scouts from other parishes, Light

Refreshments Special Saint Patches,

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### **Volunteers Needed!**

To help out on October 5, 2019 at  
The Seagull 5k run/walk

Please contact Frank Honerkamp

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## Masses for this Week

### Monday, August 26th

**7:15am** Holy Souls in Purgatory

**8:45am** Geralyn DelGiorno Gleason—7th Anniversary

### Tuesday, August 27th *Saint Monica*

**7:15am** Holy Souls in Purgatory

**8:45am** Daniel Pignataro

### Wednesday, August 28th *Saint Augustine*

**7:15am** Bill Albergi

**8:45am** Anthony Turchiarelli

### Thursday, August 29th *Saint John the Baptist*

**7:15am** Daniel O'Brien

**8:45am** Patsy Velardi

### Friday, August 30th

**7:15am** Holy Souls in Purgatory

**8:45am** Marie Coppola

### Saturday, August 31st

**8:45am** Marianne Malone

Edward T. O'Connell

Maureen O'Shaughnessy

Holy Souls in Purgatory

**5:00pm** Helen & Frank Venis

### Sunday, September 1st

**7:30am** Rita Pipia

**9:00am** Hugh McGrane

**10:30am** David Ivarson

**12:00pm** Daniel Pignataro

AnnMarie Christina

Laura Scibelli

**4:30pm** St. Raymond Parish

### Scripture Readings for the Week

#### Monday

1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/Mt 23:13-22

#### Tuesday

1 Thes 2:1-8/Mt 23:23-26

#### Wednesday

1 Thes 2:9-13/Mt 23:27-32

#### Thursday

1 Thes 3:7-13/Mk 6:17-29

#### Friday

1 Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13

#### Saturday

1 Thes 4:9-11/Mt 25:14-30

#### Sunday

Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/

Lk 14:1, 7-14

### Please Pray for Our Sick

Bridget Feminella, Dickie Ohlsen, Michael Apice, Sam Hyndman  
Josie Genuth, Wolff Genuth, Alan Carbonero, Maria Mazzola,  
Gina Mazzola, Angie Madonna, Pat Criscuolo, Rose & Frank A.,  
Joanellyn Bolino, Neil & Gloria Jean Criscuolo, James Ryder,  
Maria Amenta, Ralph Sorbara, Jodi Neckles, Jeanette Yostyrka,  
Eleanor Carrano, Anna DeFelice, Michaelina Vito, Olivia Bonino,  
Anthony B., Alyssa B., Elizabeth Sieban, Catalina Aloj,  
Margaret Mary Barbato, Mauseratte, Dr. Al Lowy, Dr. Sam Iyer,  
Pam Guzzardo, Angela Pericles, JoAnne D'Alessio, Anna  
De Felice, Ro Bandin-Werner.

*(Names are printed for 3 weeks unless the rectory is notified otherwise.)*



### Rest in Peace

Dominic Daniel Lettieri

Jacqueline Visone

Edward J. Kmíotek

Christopher Matthew Scott



### The Rose for Life

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## God Bless Our Newly Baptized

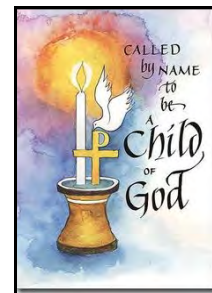
Jackson Gandino

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Gianni Maximus Morales

Kendle Kennedy Simmons





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### Gennesaret Retreat

*For Those Facing Serious Illness*

**September 20,21,22,2019**

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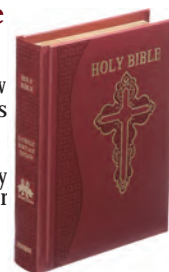
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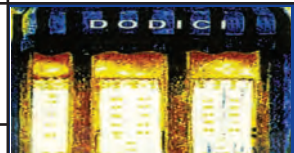
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