

Masses For The Week

Monday - January 29

6:30 Robert McCabe
9:00 Pasqua Giannuzzi

Tuesday - January 30

6:30 Teresa Forte Malangone
9:00 Nancy DeChiaro

Wednesday - January 31 - St. John Bosco, Priest

6:30 Suzanne Cavaluzzo
9:00 John Nappi II, Birthday Remembrance

Thursday - February 1

6:30 Kathleen & Lester Smith
9:00 Trudy DiPasquale

Friday - February 2 - The Presentation of the Lord

6:30 Phil & Joan Fico
9:00 Anna & Eldorato Scala

Saturday - February 3 - Saint Blaise, Bishop & Martyr

9:00 MULTIPLE INTENTIONS ANNOUNCED AT MASS
5:00 Louis Ruggiero, Anniversary
7:00 Emanuel Mario Starace

Sunday - February 4 - 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 The People of the Parish
8:30 John Nappi II
10:00 Mark Joseph Ridge
11:30 Vincent Piccoli
1:00 Bernard G. Helldorfer
5:30 Patricia Ellen Joachim

Readings For The Week

Mon. 2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Mark 5:1-20
Tues. 2 Samuel 18:9-10, 24-25a, 30-19:3; Mk 5:21-43
Wed. 2 Samuel 24:2, 9-17; Mark 6:1-6
Thurs. 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12; Mark 6:7-13
Fri. Malachi 3:1-4; Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 2:22-40
Sat. 1 Kings 3:4-13; Mark 6:30-34

Sun. Job 7:1-4, 6-7 Job lamented his "months of misery and troubled nights." Could human life on earth be no more than drudgery? Shall he never see happiness again?

1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23 By preaching the good news, Paul said, he willingly made himself a slave to all in order to win them over. He did everything for the sake of the good news.

Mark 1:29-39 Jesus healed ill people and exorcised possessed people. So many sought him that he had to seek out deserted places for prayer and rest.

Our Weekly Sacrificial Gift

Weekly Budget: \$17,500.00
1/21/2018 Collection: \$16,277.10
Fuel Collection for SMT: \$5,357.00

Thank you, SMT, for your generosity!

Reflection & Living Stewardship



Moses told the people, "A prophet like me will the Lord, your God, raise up for you from among your own kinsmen." God still provides among His people the gifts and talents necessary to continue the work of His Church. What gifts are yours to share?

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who set aside time with the Sunday readings throughout the week so as to be better prepared to hear the Word of God and act on it.

Charismatic Prayer Group

I'm always misplacing something - my keys, glasses or phone! You too? How much time do we waste! Good thing we can't misplace God! Even if we think we have misplaced Him, we haven't. What an awesome God! No matter how many times we turn away, He's always ready to take us back. There's nothing we can do that would make Him leave our side. Come give praise to our God who has limitless mercy, forgiveness, grace and love!

Our next meeting is Monday, January 29th at 7:30PM in Church. It's free! You've got nothing to lose but so much to gain! Call 516-993-9672 for more information or prayer requests.

Congratulations to all our HOP Club winners!

1/22/18	#350	Ralph Seiter	\$25
1/23/18	#145	Khloe Basilicato	\$25
1/24/18	#472	Elizabeth Hederman	\$25
1/25/18	#118	Dorothy Branston	\$25
1/26/18	#413	Ann Papaccioli	\$50



Saint Maria Faustina

Divine Mercy Novena
Every Friday at 2:00 p.m.
in the Eucharistic Chapel
ALL ARE WELCOME!

*Wedding Banns**1st: Michael Ambrogio & Jessica Vivinetto*

"Whatever you do for one of these, the least of my sisters and brothers, you did it for me."

This week the Pantry can use pancake mix, canned potatoes, chili, beef stew, pasta sauce, tomato sauce, canned mixed fruit, canned peaches, canned pears, juice, juice boxes, Rice-a-Roni, Jell-O, pudding, sugar, oil, evaporated milk, boxed milk, paper towels, toilet paper, dish soap, laundry soap, bar soap, diapers 5 & 6, wipes.

As always, we thank you so much for all that you do for those in need.

Parish Outreach Food Pantry:

208 Broadway, Bethpage
Phone: 516-931-7332
Monday: 9:30AM - 2:30PM
Thursday: 2:00PM – 7:00PM



Altar Bread & Wine
Week of Jan. 28 - Feb. 3, 2018
In Loving Memory of
Michael Maggio & Family

*Sanctuary Candle**Week of Jan. 28 - Feb. 3, 2018*

In Loving Memory of
John Nappi II

*Rest in Peace***Acts 7:49:*****"Lord Jesus, receive my spirit."***

Teresa Marri, Joseph Cicardo
Pasquale Cafiero

REMINDER: Please call the rectory at 931-0818 to remove a name from the list.

Please pray for the sick of our parish:

Leevalli Annearosa, Leigh Murphy, Richard Piernini
Joseph Simon, Douglas Torres, James Robertson, Amy Hayes
Mom & Dad, Bill Kelly, Matthew Messina, Pat Cannata
Christopher Gratton, Barbara Thompson, Donald Castor
Dorothy Quinn, Zachery Duff, Sam Zubov, Patricia Morrone
Mary Henson, Mary Lynn Brassil, Brendan Rodriguez
Rebecca Passaro, Dot Widyn, Annette Giuliano
Madeline Ciaravino, Nicole Cagna, Gary Vlahov, Tom Schuerlein
Katie Walsh, Louise Sandberg, Anthony Luisi, Tommy Johnson
Chris & Raymond Mirendia, Florencio Carmenate, Mary McCarthy
Karen Kilgard, Ann Marie Frayler, Nicholas Balducci,
Robert Kennan, Corey Voboril, Baby Scarlett, May Duffey
Anna M. Bosco, Janet Medina, Kevin Henson, Marie Newman
The Mascia Family, Ceil Hollander, Daniel Costa, Hector Valentine
Theresa DuRoss, Bob Baciуска Carol Ann Scudder, John Scudder
Justine & Nicole Scudder, Vincent Esposito, Terry Hall
Catherine A. McCarthy, Paul Granberg, Charles Boyce, Elsa Ryan
Sarah Messina, William Boyce, Jo Ann Anastos, Michael Arato
Connie Burgess, Dolores Miller, Elizabeth Ryan, Layla Barr
Susan Carroll-Goyan, Patty & Tom Turano, Nicholas Amato
Jesusa Aquin, Joseph McCroary, Richard Graziano, Jean Mulligan
Taylor, Edward Boyce, Geraldine Zeterberg, Fran Gandolfo
Fr. Edmund Faliskie CSSR, Tom Doty, Joseph Kostyak, Johnny D.
William Castle, Frank Ballatore, Jr., Anthony Della Croce
Nicole Carbone, Barbara Rusch, Connie Kane
Beverly Viselli, Casey, Betty Mara, Teri Pigott
George Reif, Ed Ingels, Liam Escaniel, Gus Kunze
Eddie Morales, Tom Miles, Debra Dowdell, Elizabeth Hill
Louie Gandolfo, John Anderson, Daniel McCullough
Mary Lafauci, Gerry Russo, Allegra LaFalce, Jessica Czarnecki
Bill Monahan, Maureen Roberts, Francis Meehan, Trish Berge
Brendan Donahoe, Janet Scarpelli, Helen Uhl, Andrew McCarthy
Alicia Manetta, Frank LoPinto, Baby Lucia Bianchi
Pat James Joseph, David Iovieno, Robert Daniel, Kurt Hamilton
Dorothy Eisenstadt, David Drohan, Martin Lee, Ralph Caputo
Kristen Smith, Michael Vigotty, Vinny Vanturini, Tom Mitchell
Pat Murphy, Tarabokija Family, Philip Marino, Henry Hamilton
Joann Bruno, Libia & Maria Teresa Valdez, Nancy Gerace
Jim Moran, Robert Collelouri, Arthur Baudo, Kathy Smith
Veronica McCarthy-Pigott, Unborn Identical Twins
Anthony Hanlon, Janine, Mary Jedlicka, Lisa Lazzara
Pete Moran, Bernard Kelly, Brian John Roe III, The Kloos Family
Patricia Olive, John Bunker, Jacklyn Baddalucco, Yolanda Zitelli
Rose Marie Gaccione, Filomena Rosa, Andrew Bartolozzi
Pat Bergersen, Robert, Amy & Richard Ferranti, Bill Veltri
Joseph V. Pace, Jr., Justin Turner, Christopher Hehn
Baby Remy, Jimmy Rizzo, Thomas Kelly, Linda Reilly
John Murphy, Colette Sin, Al DeBatto, Adeline Norton, Janet Dion
Ann Marie Wezel, Jeanie Wilkins, Ann Soehngen, Jerry Vega
Mary Leonard, Ed Segretto, Gregory Happ, Fred Cameron
Peter Volberg, Ryan Westbrook, Donna Strickland, Steve Hollander
The Family of Brendan Langhauser, Helen Kurlowicz
Christine Marsiello, Michael M. Durante, Anne Pooler

Pastor's Letter

From Father Pat's Homily of 1/21/18

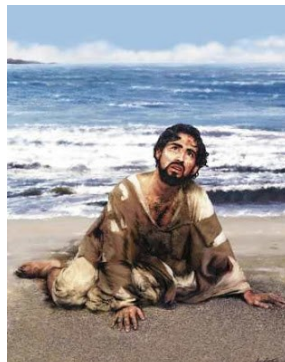
A little girl was talking to her teacher about whales. The teacher said it was physically impossible for a whale to swallow a human whole because even though a whale is a very large mammal, its throat is very small. The little girl stated that Jonah was swallowed by a whale. The teacher reiterated that a whale could not swallow a human; it was impossible. The little girl said, "When I get to heaven I will ask Jonah." The teacher asked, "What if Jonah went to hell?" The little girl replied, "Then you ask him!"

Today, in our first reading we heard the story of Jonah and the whale. There are some who would take this account as a literal story that happened exactly as it told in the Bible; others would read it a kind of parable with a message that speaks to those who hear it. Either way is fine since both interpretations speak the message of God to us.

Like Peter, Andrew, John and James in the Gospel we heard, Jonah is given a mission by God. However, unlike the call of the apostles who leave their nets and family business to follow Jesus, Jonah wants no part of the mission that God has given him. God has told Jonah to go Nineveh and preach to the people a message that they are sinners and must change their ways. Nineveh was an Assyrian city, and these people were known for a cruel and war-like spirit. They had put the Jews into captivity and they were the ones who created the torture of crucifixion.

The last thing in the world that Jonah wants to do is face these people. He fears he will be rejected and killed. It is often said that we should not kill the messenger, the one who brings us bad news. Jonah is convinced God has given him a deadly mission. So, he runs away from God and his call. He boards a ship and says to the crew take me as far away from Nineveh as possible. But as the great boxer Joe Lewis said, *you can run but you can't hide!* You cannot hide from God. We all know that.

After some terrible storms, the crew begins to see that Jonah is bad luck and they throw him overboard. Now the great whale swallows Jonah, and dumps him on the beach of the Assyrians. Woe is Jonah! So, this most reluctant prophet begins to preach conversion, convinced he is wasting his breath and praying God will rain down thunder on these wretched sinners. This account is one of the more humorous stories in the Bible. Not only do the Ninevites take Jonah's message to heart, they begin to fast and wear ashes and sack cloth. The conversion is so powerful that even the animals start fasting!



In a few weeks, we will begin Lent and think about our own call to repentance and conversion. Yet, as I thought about this story, it is about an entire society of people changing and thinking things differently. Can a society change and move away from sin to a new path of life? I love being an American and am very proud of my country, but we have had and still do have our sins as a nation. Although our constitution guarantees that all men are created equal, it has taken many years for us to move away from slavery and denying people their equal rights. It was only in the 20th century that women were given the right to vote, and we know in our hearts we did not treat the Native Americans well.

Even our Church is in need of repentance and conversion when we think how many years issues of sexual abuse and cover-ups were ignored. There is a growing concern about bullying, in particular on the internet and social media and communities are working to challenge this evil. Although our nation is far from perfect, we have made progress in working to protect the civil rights of many minorities. That is a *good* thing, and to me, a sign of God's grace.

On the other hand, our nation was once against abortion on demand and sought to protect the civil rights of the unborn. Since 1973, when abortion was legalized by our Supreme Court, there have been more than 60 million abortions. Perhaps because the use of sonograms, some younger people have come to the conviction that life in the womb should be protected. Our nation needs conversion in this area.

As a child of immigrants, I am not sure what is the best way to respond to the national debate about undocumented immigrants. I am not comfortable with the idea of deporting young people who have lived here for most of their lives. On the other hand, I do believe a nation has a right to protect its borders and use just and fair practices in deciding which immigrants enter the United States. Certainly, the topic of immigration is a red-hot political topic. At the same time, it is an issue, like so many others, that calls for us to ask what is right and wrong in the eyes of our Christian faith.

Although I believe governments and laws can make a nation and people better, I place my own hope and faith in God. Nations and societies do not change and convert. Individual people change and make a family, a street, a neighborhood, a community, a town, a parish more loving and compassionate. Each of us is responsible before God on how we live our lives and how we treat one another. Our faith in Jesus does not remove us from the challenges of the society around us; rather it calls us to be leaven that slowly transforms it.

Unlike the reluctant Jonah who sought to run away from his challenges, we are called by the grace of God to live our lives in January of the year 2018 in the United States.

Father Patrick Woods, CSSR, Pastor

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**106 people received
gift tags for
Christmas –
Thank you for
supporting the
Giving Tree.**

St. Vincent de Paul

Pancake Breakfast

9:00AM to 12:30PM

Sunday, February 11th

**Sponsored by the
Hartigan Council of the Knights of Columbus**

***Breakfast will be served in
Saint Alphonsus Hall***

**Free Will Offering
All are Welcome!**



**40 DAYS FOR LIFE
FEBRUARY 14 - MARCH 25
HELP SAVE LIVES ON LONG ISLAND**

**YOU CAN PROTECT MOTHERS AND CHILDREN
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- . 13,000 babies saved from abortion.
- . 170 abortion workers converted
- . 90 abortion centers closed.

HERE IS HOW TO TAKE PART.

**Vigil Location:
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**Vigil Hours: 7am - 5pm
Local Contact: email
www.Hempstead.40Days@aol.com**

**Learn more and get involved by visiting our
campaign at address
40daysforlife.com/Hempstead**

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week!
January 28- February 3

On Long Island, Catholic Elementary Schools celebrate the week with Masses and open houses to thank parents and parishioners, and to introduce new families to the benefits of a Catholic education. For more information, including open house listings visit www.LICatholicElementarySchools.org



We will be meeting on Sunday, January 28th after the 5:30PM Mass for grades 8 - 12.



The Edge Program's upcoming meetings: Friday, February 2 & 16 for kids in grades 5, 6, & 7. We will be joining kids from St. Rose of Lima Parish in Masapequa.

Diana Hughes, Youth Minister & the Life Teen Core Team
SMT_lifeteen@yahoo.com



Applebee's Short Stacks for a Tall Cause
You are invited to a
Flapjack Fundraiser Breakfast to support
ST. MARTIN OF TOURS YOUTH GROUP

Saturday, February 3, 2018 from 8AM-10AM

Your order will be taken and served by
the kids in our youth group.

APPLEBEE'S LOCATION:
200 AIRPORT PLAZA, E. FARMINGDALE
TICKETS ARE \$9 EACH

To purchase tickets, stop by the rectory or
contact Diana Hughes, Youth Minister
at 516 521-7312
SMT_lifeteen@yahoo.com



Dear Parishioners,

I want to thank you for your very generous support of the second collection last weekend to help with our fuel bills. You contributed \$5,357 to this need, and it is most helpful. Our most recent fuel bills were \$4,300 for November, \$9,361 for December and \$10,477 from January 1 - 17th.

As part of our new stewardship program we are taking four in-parish collections each year to help balance the parish budget. The other three are April 22nd for maintenance, June 17th for Air Conditioning and August 12 for Sacristy needs.

I have also seen a wonderful response in the regular weekly collection in reaction to the stewardship program we had before Christmas. God bless all of you for your support and love of St. Martin's Parish. **Gratefully, Father Pat**

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Every Tuesday the Blessed Sacrament will be in the monstrance for Eucharistic Adoration from 3:00PM to 7:30PM. Should there be a conflict with this schedule, the Upcoming Events column will have the time of Adoration every week so there is no confusion. Since the monstrance will be placed in front of the tabernacle, we ask that you come through the door of the Blessed Sacrament chapel.

St. Martin's Men's Club will be meeting on Wednesday, January 31st at 7:30PM in St. Alphonsus Hall. Casual dress code and haircuts welcome.

All men 18 and over are welcome.



RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY**STANDING TOGETHER**

On Friday January 19, Pro-Lifers, young and old, journeyed from all over America to protest ROE V. WADE making abortion legal in our country since January 22, 1973. Forty five years later and over 60 million babies aborted, they still come to hopefully end abortion. Cardinal Dolan delivered the homily at the Mass of the Vigil For Life on January 18th. "In the fight against abortion, it is crucial to recognize the reality of evil and the importance of prayer." "Like the Rev. Martin Luther King, our prayers and witness are about CIVIL RIGHTS, the CIVIL RIGHT TO LIFE and to EQUAL PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW, guaranteed by our CONSTITUTION, for the most FRAGILE, MARGINALIZED and THREATENED - THE TINY INNOCENT BABY IN THE WOMB," he said.

At the March President Donald Trump became the FIRST SITTING PRESIDENT to address Pro-Lifers from the White House Rose Garden via a live video. Speaker of the House Paul Ryan and SISTERS FOR LIFE spoke along with Vice President Pence.

Some excerpts from the President's speech. "The March For Life is a movement born out of love. You love your families, you love your neighbors, you love our nation, and you love every CHILD, BORN AND UNBORN, because you believe that EVERY LIFE IS SACRED, that EVERY CHILD is a PRECIOUS GIFT FROM GOD " "We know that life is the greatest miracle of all. I want to thank every person here today and all across the country who works with such big hearts and tireless devotion to make sure that parents have the CARE and SUPPORT TO CHOOSE LIFE. Because of you, tens of thousands of Americans have been born and reached their full, GOD- GIVEN POTENTIAL - BECAUSE OF YOU. This year's MARCH FOR LIFE'S THEME is: LOVE SAVES LIVES."

He went on to say that the United States is one of only SEVEN COUNTRIES to ALLOW ELECTIVE LATE-TERM ABORTIONS, along with CHINA, NORTH KOREA, and others. "Right now, in a number of states, the laws allow a baby to be aborted in the 9th month. It is wrong; it has to change."

He has supported the House of Representative's PAIN-CAPABLE BILL which would end painful, late term abortions nationwide. On the National Day of Prayer he signed an executive order to PROTECT RELIGIOUS LIBERTY. He has just issued a new proposal to PROTECT CONSCIENCE RIGHTS and RELIGIOUS FREEDOMS of DOCTORS, NURSES and other medical professionals.

"Most importantly of all, is the Gift of Life itself. That is why we march. That is why we pray. And that is why we declare that America's future will be filled with GOODNESS, JOY, PEACE, DIGNITY, AND LIFE FOR EVERY CHILD OF GOD. "

Father Pat led us in a Holy Hour of Prayer for Life before the Holy Eucharist on Tuesday, January 23rd. He spoke about our youth having more understanding about life in the womb. And, as always, brings about an atmosphere of prayer and understanding surrounded with beautiful music. Thank you, Father Pat.

Our Lady of Mercy School

520 South Oyster Bay Road, Hicksville

Like us on Facebook at:

Our Lady of Mercy School—Hicksville

Follow us on Instagram at: OLMSHicks

For program information call: (516) 433-7040
or email: jharrigan@olmshicks.org

Open House Information

Sunday, January 28th: Nursery - Grade 8
(11:45 AM - 2:00 PM)

Tuesday, January 30th: Nursery - Grade 8
(9:30 - 11:00 AM)

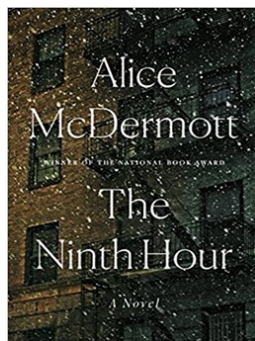
Wednesday, January 31st: Nursery - Grade 8
(1:00 - 2:00 PM)

OPEN HOUSE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28th
from 12 - 2PM

St. William the Abbot School
2001 Jackson Avenue, Seaford
11783

For more information, please call
516-785-6784
stwilliamtheabbot.net



SMT REGULAR BOOK CLUB
THE NINETH HOUR

Friday February 16th at 7:30PM
St. Alphonsus Hall - All Are Welcome!

A magnificent new novel from one of America's finest writers—a powerfully affecting story spanning the twentieth century of a widow and her daughter and the nuns who serve their Irish-American community in Brooklyn.

SPIRITUAL BOOK CLUB

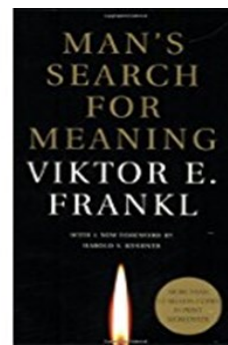
MAN'S SEARCH FOR MEANING

Friday, February 23rd at 7:30PM

St. Alphonsus Hall - All Are Welcome!

Psychiatrist Viktor Frankl's memoir has riveted generations of readers with its descriptions of life in Nazi death camps and its lessons for spiritual survival. At the time of Frankl's death in 1997, *Man's Search for Meaning* had sold more than 10 million copies in twenty-four languages.

A 1991 reader survey for the Library of Congress that asked readers to name a "book that made a difference in your life" found *Man's Search for Meaning* among the ten most influential books in America.





St. Gerard Majella, CSsR is a very popular saint of the Catholic Church as the special patron of those who are seeking to get pregnant or adopt and those who are pregnant and praying for a safe delivery. He is Redemptorist, the same religious community that has served here at St. Martin's for the past thirty years.

As you know, we have a beautiful icon of St. Gerard in our prayer area of our church. You are welcome to ask any of the priests or deacon for a blessing with the St. Gerard relic if you are seeking to become pregnant, adopt or are pregnant.

St. Vincent de Paul Store Locations:
2160 Jericho Turnpike, Garden City Park NY
(516) 746-8250

(enter New Hyde Park if you use GPS)
OPEN MON-SAT 10-6

1705 Jericho Turnpike, Huntington NY
(631) 858-0380

OPEN MON-SAT 10-6

1425A New York Avenue, Huntington Station
(631) 385-1226 OPEN MON-SAT 9-5

To arrange furniture, clothing, cars and other donated materials for pick-up, please call (516) 746-8250 (Nassau) or 1 800 884-7837 (Suffolk). You can also visit on line at <http://www.svdprvc.org/thrift-stores.html>. Follow the links. St. Vincent de Paul will review your donation request.

Young at Heart Seniors Trip

We are planning a trip to Yonkers Casino on **Wednesday, April 4, 2018**. The cost is \$25 per person (includes bus, \$10 for casino games & \$5 for food).



For more information, please contact Martha Martini at 822-2213.

Repent, and believe in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

Wednesday, February 14th
Masses: 6:30AM, 9AM & 7PM

Services: 12 Noon and 4PM



From time to time we are asked here at the parish by family members for some help with an elderly parent. If you would like to call the rectory (931-0818) and leave your number with us, we would pass it on to those who are seeking help.

It would then be between you and them to work out details since the parish cannot accept any liability for recommending people to help or for any work situations.

Father Pat Woods, CSSR

2017 Church Donations

Please contact Susan Oliver, Finance Manager at the rectory at 931-0818 ext. 12 to obtain a letter for your church contributions during 2017 for tax purposes.

International Night

Saturday, February 17th

7:00PM in St. Alphonsus Hall

Italian, German, Vietnamese, French, English, Filipino, Greek, Russian, Swedish, Spanish, Portuguese, Chinese, Japanese, Polish, African, Irish, Indian, Middle Eastern, Native American or any other ethnic dish

International Beers

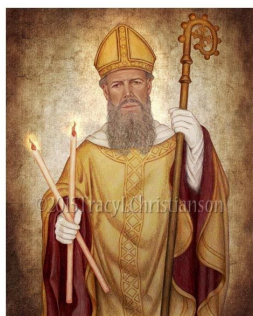
“You make it; we’ll eat it!”

Call the rectory if you wish to make a main dish or dessert.

PLUS...Dance to the strains of the music of International DJ, *Patricio Woodsini!!!*



The **Blessing of the Throats** is a sacramental of the Roman Catholic Church, celebrated on February 3, the feast day of Saint Blaise of Sebaste.



St. Martin of Tours will have the blessing of throats after the 9AM Mass and a general blessing at all weekend Masses.



PLEASE PRAY CONSTANTLY FOR THOSE SERVING IN OUR MILITARY

Lord of Hosts, we commend to Your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with Your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils that beset them; and grant them Your abiding presence wherever they may be. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



CPT Gregory Holownia, US Army
 MAJ Erika Holownia, US Army
 SGT Zachary John Sheehy, USMC
 PVT Travis Ruggiero, US Army
 SGT Dennis Diesel, USMC
 L CPL James Kruper, USMC
 SGT Matthew P. Sirianni, US Army
 CPT Conor B. Murphy, USMC
 CPT Victoria Meyer, US Army Nurse Corp
 PO1 John Paul Pedalino II, US Navy
 CPT Thomas P. Shea, USAF
 SGT Michael John Kelly, USMC
 1LT Brian McGrath, US Army
 SPC Matthew Castellano, US Army
 SGT Michael Patrick Murphy, US Army
 PFC William Corrigan, USMC
 PFC Salvatore Battiatia, USAF
 LT Daniel Cloonan, USCG
 PVT Daniel Kuhlmann, US Army
 LCPL Jonathan M. Gordon, USMC
 2LT Sean O'Donnell, USAF
 A1C Jake DeRossi, USAF
 CPT Mike Polan, US Army
 L/CPL Daniel O'Shea, USMC

SGT Matthew C. Windisch, USMC
 E3 CORPSMAN Robert Fidnarick, US Navy
 1LT Brian Thorpe, US Navy
 PO3 Joshua Zimmerman, US Navy
 MAJ Brendan McEvoy, US Army
 SPC Matthew F. Mayerhofer, US Army
 PO3 James Fischer, US Navy
 LTC John Evans, US Army
 ABHAA Michael Creagh, US Navy
 PVT Steven DiPaolo, USMC
 SSGT Sean V. Oliva, US Army
 2LT Samantha Lopez, US Navy
 SSG George Howard, US Army
 LT Mario Lopes, USMC
 PVT Brian Barcavage, US Army
 CS1 Andrew L. DeMarsico, USN
 MAJ Thomas E. Mangiamele, US Army
 PVT Edward Morales, US Army
 MAJ Michael F. Wendelken, USAF
 PVT John Marcel, Jr USMC
 LCPL Brendan M. White, USMC
 PFC Clint Applegate, US Army
 CPT Patrick C. Looney USAF
 CPL Ryan O'Keeffe, USMC

MOMMAS HOUSE

MOMMAS HOUSE is a home for young women who are pregnant, homeless and alone. The young women are between 18 and 24 years old. While at MOMMAS, the young women will complete their education or vocational training. The babies are cared for by the staff and volunteers at MOMMAS House.

For more information, call 516 781-8637 or go to the website:
www.mommashouse.org

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 631-243-2373

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 Catholic Home Bureau 1 (800) 592-4357

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 1-800-4-Child or 1 800-422-4453



January 26 - Feb 1, 2018

A candle has been lit for
The Gambino Family - Thank You
In honor of St. Therese of Lisieux



January 26 - Feb 1, 2018

A candle has been lit for
Salvatore Priolo
in honor of St. Anthony of Padua

LIVING WATERS CATHOLIC COUNSELING

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175 Wolf Hill Road, Melville NY 11747

Tel: 631-754-3990/Fax: 631-271-0914

**Divorced or Separated Catholics of Long Island
including Widows, Widowers and Singles**

A social organization for single persons

New Member Orientation Meeting

Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at 7:30PM

St. Frances de Chantal School
1309 Wantagh Avenue, Wantagh NY 11793

Non-Denominational
All Are Welcome

Bring proof of single status to join.
Refreshments following the meeting.

For further information,
call Carol at 516-794-4933 or Barbara at 516-798-2858

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jan 29: Charismatic Prayer Group 7:30PM Church
- Jan 30: Eucharistic Adoration 3PM - 7:30PM Eucharistic Chapel
- Jan 31: Men's Club 7:30PM St. Alphonsus Hall
- Feb 2: First Friday Devotions 7PM Eucharistic Chapel
- Feb 3: First Saturday Devotions 8:30AM Church
- Feb 3: Youth Ministry's Flapjack Fundraiser Breakfast at Applebee's, Airport Plaza Farmingdale
- Feb 5: Holy Face Devotion 1PM Church
- Feb 11: Pancake Breakfast 9AM - 12 Noon K of C Hartigan Council, Central Ave.
- Feb 14: Ash Wednesday **Masses** 6:30, 9AM & 7PM. **Services Only** at 12Noon & 4PM
- Feb 16: SMT Regular Book Club 7:30PM St. Alphonsus Hall
- Feb 17: International Night 7PM St. Alphonsus Hall
- Feb 23: Spiritual Book Club 7:30PM St. Alphonsus Hall
- Mar 4: St. Patrick's Day Mass 1PM/followed by parade & reception
- Mar 14: Lenten Soup Supper 6PM - 8PM Emmaus Hall (School Cafeteria)