# Church of Saint Martin of Tours

40 Seaman Avenue, Bethpage, New York 11714 smtbethpage.org



#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

We, the parish family of St. Martin of Tours, focus on the Eucharist because it affords all of its parishioners the opportunity to participate and celebrate the presence of our Risen Lord. We seek through Word and Eucharist to be guided by the Holy Spirit. We do so to build a welcoming community of love and mutual respect through our liturgical, spiritual, educational and social ministries where all can grow in their relationship with God.

#### THE CLERGY

Rev. Christopher Costigan, Pastor Rev. Sylvester Ileka, Associate Pastor Rev. Vincent Schifano, in Residence Rev. Deacon Thomas R. Hennessy Rev. Deacon Christopher P. Quinn

**Trustees: Carol Buffa and Frank Mekalainas** 

Rectory Office: Tel. 931-0818 • Fax 931-0559

Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9AM-8PM • Lunch 12-1PM

Saturday 9AM-7PM • Closed Sunday

Office of Faith Formation: 822-9768

Patricia Ryan and Laura Leigh Agnese, Coordinators Monday - Thursday ● 9:30AM - 3:00PM ● Closed Friday

Parish Social Ministry: 931-7332

Mary Vitti, Coordinator

Monday 9:30AM - 2:30PM • Thursday 2:00PM - 7:00PM

Music Ministry: 713-8854 Elena Scollo, Director of Music

Facility Manager: George Lucas • 635-7944

First Friday Devotions: After the 9AM Mass First Saturday Devotions: 8:30AM Church

The Sacrament of Baptism: 454-6454

Karen Dillon, Coordinator

The Sacrament of Matrimony: please contact the rectory office at least 6 months prior to the wedding.

St. Vincent de Paul: 718-687-8854

New parishioners: please fill out a parish registration form

at the rectory office during business hours.

Change of address: please notify the rectory.

DAILY MASS
Beginning 10/15/19

Monday - Friday 6:30AM & 9AM • Saturday 9AM

**WEEKEND MASS** 

Saturday Vigil 5PM

Sunday 7:30AM, 10AM, 12:00PM, & 5:30PM Holy Days of Obligation - as noted in the bulletin

**CONFESSION** 

Every Saturday at 2PM In addition, beginning 10/15/19

Monday - Friday immediately following 6:30AM Mass

8:30-8:50AM before 9AM Mass Sundays from 4:30-5:15PM

6PM - 6:45PM on the EVE of Holy Days of Obligation Holy Days of Obligation preceding the 7PM Mass



Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 29, 2019 Praise the Lord, my soul!

#### MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Sept. 30 - Saint Jerome

**Priest and Doctor of the Church** 

9AM Adolph & Helen Haack

Tues. Oct. 1 - Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus Virgin and Doctor of the Church

9AM Mary Donahoe

Wed. Oct. 2 - The Holy Guardian Angels

9AM Peggy Castle

Thurs. Oct. 3

9AM Bernie Helldorfer, Sr., Anniversary

Fri. Oct. 4 - St. Francis of Assisi

9AM William V. Doyle, 48th Anniversary

Sat. Oct. 5 - Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest

9AM Ivy & Herman Ostermeier

Josephine DeSimone-Cobb

Giuseppe Prestigiacomo, Christopher Sayers

5PM Joseph Hoolahan

Sun, Oct. 6 - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Doris & Alfred Urbanski

Mary & William Dorsch

Filomena & Stephen DeCario

10AM John M. Joyce, Anthony J. Guglielmo

12PM The People of the Parish

5:30PM Kevin Makarius

#### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon. Zechariah 8:1-8; Luke 9:46-50

Tues. Zechariah 8:20-23; Luke 9:51-56

Wed. Nehemiah 2:1-8; Matthew 18:1-5, 10

Thurs. Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Luke 10:1-12

Fri. Baruch 1:15-22; Luke 10:13-16

Sat. Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29; Luke 10:17-24

**Sun. Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4** Habakkuk complains to the Lord who responds that what Habakkuk awaits will come in time and the just one shall live because of his faith.

**2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14** St. Paul writes to Timothy and encourages him in his faithfulness to the Gospel.

**Luke 17:5-10:** The Apostles say to Jesus: increase our faith. He responds by comparing faith to the size of a mustard seed, and expounding on the role of a good servant.

# **OUR WEEKLY SACRIFICIAL GIFT**

Weekly Budget: \$17,500.00 September 22, 2019: \$13,503.19 St. Pius X Residence: \$3,163.00

Thank you for your generous support!

# **Bulletin Reflection**



The sin of the rich man in today's parable was not that he was rich, but that he failed to share his wealth with the beggar at his gate. He knew Lazarus walked by him every time

he came in our out, but did nothing to relieve his suffering. Is there a Lazarus in my life?

# **Living Stewardship - Pillar of Hospitality**

This week seek out the Lazarus in your life that needs love. Maybe your elderly parents or grandparents?

# Charismatic Prayer Group

Math - love it or hate it! When you think about it, math is the common denominator (get it?) for everything. Do you see God as the Common Denominator in your life? He adds grace. He subtracts sins. He multiplies mercies. He divides fears.

Our next meeting is Monday, September 30th at 7:30PM in the Church. Bring your problems. There is nothing He can't fix. Call 516-993-9672 for prayer requests or more info.

## **H.O.P. CLUB WEEKLY WINNERS**

9/23/19 #343	Ann Schmidt	\$25
9/24/19 #385	Katrina A. McTigue	\$25
9/25/19 #536	Katherine Scotton	\$25
9/26/19 #5	Janice Fiscina	\$25
9/27/19 #100	Elizabeth Kirk	\$50



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

Outreach Center St Martin of Tours

St Mother Theresa This week the Pantry could use: unsweetened cereal, canned beef stew, chicken, salmon, lentils,

boxed or canned potatoes and toilet paper. Thank you for all 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 Sept 29 - Oct 6, 2019

In Loving Memory of Mary & William Donahoe

The Sanctuary Candle Week of Sept 29 - Oct 6, 2019



In Loving Memory of Dominick DeCaro



**REST IN THE PEACE Arlene Marion Dolce** Joseph Mannino **Edithann DeFlorio** 



## **Divine Mercy Novena**

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

# 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, Liz Robertson, Amy Hayes, Mom & Dad Matthew Messina, Pat Cannata, Christopher Gratton, Barbara Thompson Donald Castor, Dorothy Quinn, Zachery Duff, Sam Zubov, Patricia Morrone Mary Lynn Brassil, Brendan Rodriguez, Rebecca Passaro Annette Giuliano, Madeline Ciaravino, 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, Daniel Costa, Janet Medina Kevin Henson, Marie Newman, Hector Valentine, Theresa DuRoss Terry Hall, Bob & Anna Baciuska, Carol Ann Scudder, John Scudder Elsa Ryan, Justine & Nicole Scudder, Vincent Esposito, William Boyce Catherine A. McCarthy, Paul Granberg, Sarah Messina, Michael Arato Jo Ann Anastos, Connie Burgess, Dolores Miller, Elizabeth Ryan Layla Barr, Susan Carroll-Goyan, Patty & Tom Turano, Jesusa Aquin Nicholas Amato, Joseph McCroary, Richard Graziano, Jean Mulligan, Taylor Edward Boyce, Fran Gandalfo, Johnny D., Fr. Edmund Faliskie CSSR Joseph & Joyce Kostyak, William Castle, 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, Brendan Donahoe, Janet Scarpelli Andrew McCarthy, Alicia Manetta, Baby Lucia Bianchi, Pat James Joseph David Iovieno, Robert Daniel, Dorothy Eisenstadt, David Drohan Ralph Caputo, Kristen Smith, Michael Vigotty, Vinny Vanturini Tom Mitchell, Pat Murphy, Tarabokija Family, Philip Marino, Kathy Smith Henry Hamilton, Libia & Maria Teresa Valdez, Nancy Gerace Robert Collelouri, Arthur Baudo, Samantha McNeill, Pete Moran Veronica McCarthy-Pigott, Janine, Mary Jedlicka, Fr. Paul Wood Brian John Roe III, Jacklyn Baddalucco, Yolanda Zitelli Rose Marie Gaccione, Andrew Bartolozzi, Pat Bergersen Robert, Amy & Richard Ferranti, Joseph V. Pace, Jr. Justin Turner, Christopher Hehn, Baby Remy, Jimmy Rizzo, Thomas Kelly Peggy Epstein, John Murphy, Al DeBatto, Adeline Norton, Ed Segretto Ann Marie Wezel, Jeanie Wilkins, Ann Soehngen, Fred Cameron Ryan Westbrook, Donna Strickland, Anthony Clese, Valerie Haberly Brendan Langhauser Family, Helen Kurlowicz, Christine Marsiello Michael M. Durante, Sonny D'Ambrosio, Thomas Triola, Keith Ferrara Margaret DeMarco, Annemarie Frayler, Mario Ratti Robert Amato, Yvonne McDonnell, Denise Dolan, Henry Hamilton Christian Bogdanos, Liam, The Mooney Family, Margaret Young Ann Malavet, Bridget, Karen Murphy, Richard Baker, Kevin Dina Ledogard, Ed Russo, Petrina Dralas, Michael John, Jean Vanturini Diane Passaro, Mary Jane Bookman, Toni Novak, Diane Blair Ryan Castles, Susan Estabrook, Baby Luke, Heather Gilroy, Linda Jean Marie Sirianni, Frances Valenti, William Wojcik, Denise Lombardi Christopher Connelly, Mike & Carol Leva, Michael Barry Deborah A. Sullivan, Mary Castora, Diana Hart Mirando Patricia & Ralph Keck, Inge Luckmann, Lucy Zgrablic, James Carbone Theresa Leicht, Francis Michael Rapacki, John O'Sullivan Brian Kevan, Adam May, Barbara Weis, Thomas Fahey, Maria Osicki Teri Bunker, Diane Kelly, Andy Lomuscio, Nicki Liezerz



# Show others God's mercy, don't judge them, pope says

ALBANO, Italy (CNS) -- Christians are not licensed "inspectors of other people's lives," but rather disciples who reach out to others, assuring them of God's love and welcoming them into the community, Pope Francis said.

Celebrating an outdoor evening Mass September 21 in Albano, about 20 miles south of Rome, Pope Francis used the anniversary of the dedication of the city's cathedral to talk about what Catholic churches should be and how parishioners should act toward their neighbors who never come to church.

"The Lord remembers us," the pope said. "He does not forget us, he does not lose sight of us despite the obstacles that can keep us far from him," as the Gospel story of Zacchaeus demonstrates. Although the tax collector had a "small stature, physically and morally," Jesus noticed him and decided to go to his house even though everyone in Jericho knew he was a sinner. Reading the Zacchaeus story on the anniversary of the cathedral dedication, Pope Francis said, is a reminder that "every church -- the church with a small 'c' -- exists to keep alive in people's hearts a reminder that God loves them. It exists to say to each person, even those furthest away: 'You are loved and called by name by Jesus. God does not forget you. You are in his heart.'"

Source: Long Island Catholic Newsletter 9/25/19



# Kellenberg Memorial's Reunions for the Classes of 1989 and 1994

## 30-Year Reunion - Class of 1989

Kellenberg Memorial will host a 30-year reunion for the class of 1989 on **Saturday, October 26, 2019**. The evening will begin with Mass at 6 PM, followed by a private cocktail party from 7 to 10 PM. The cost for the evening is \$65 for those pre-registered by October 22nd. Walkins at the door will be \$80. Please visit <u>www.kellenberg.org/alumni</u> for more information or to register online.

# 25-Year Reunion - Class of 1994

Kellenberg Memorial will host a 25-year reunion for the class of 1994 on **Saturday, November 2, 2019**. The evening will begin with Mass at 6 PM, followed by a private cocktail party from 7 to 10 PM. The cost for the evening is \$65 for those pre-registered by October 29th. Walk-ins at the door will be \$80. Please visit <u>www.kellenberg.org/alumni</u> for more information or to register online.



# RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA) LAST CALL

**RCIA** is planning its new journey for the 2019-2020 year. Anyone who is thinking about converting to Catholicism or who is already a baptized Catholic and in need of Eucharist (Holy Communion) and Confirmation we are here for you. Please note that the Catholic Church recognizes certain baptisms of other Christian faiths.

You can call the rectory at 516-931-0818 or contact Ann Hughes at 516-433-6972 (no1hughes@aol.com). We welcome your inquiry and look forward to meeting you!

# **NASSAU RED MASS SET FOR OCTOBER 1**

The annual Nassau Red Mass will be held this year at the Church of Saint Joseph in Garden City on Tues., Oct. 1, 2019 at 5:30 p.m. Bishop John Barres will be the principal celebrant. Father Paul D. Scalia, son of the late Honorable Antonin G. Scalia, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, will be the homilist.

The Red Mass marks the traditional opening of the judicial year. All members of the public are invited to this Mass. Reception and dinner immediately follow at Chaminade High School's Activity-Athletic Center in Mineola. Distinguished Honorees: Brother Thomas J. Cleary, S.M., President of Chaminade High School, and Honorable Carol Bagley Amon, Senior Judge, United States District Court (EDNY). The Guild will honor posthumously the Honorable Antonin G. Scalia, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. Justice Scalia's son, Father Paul D. Scalia, will be accepting the award on behalf of Justice Scalia's family.

Admission fee for the dinner is \$120. For more information, contact: Kristin Angermann at 516-873-2000, ext. 262 or <a href="mailto:kangermann@moritthock.com">kangermann@moritthock.com</a>.

# K of C Soccer Challenge



All boys and girls ages 9-14 are invited to participate in a penalty kick competition for the 2019 Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge.

The competition will be held <u>Sunday, October 6th at 3PM at Plainedge</u> Field next to Plainedge Middle School, 200 Stewart Avenue, Bethpage.

For additional information, please contact Jim Ward at (516)827-1480.

# ST. MARTIN OF TOURS BASKETBALL CLINIC REGISTRATION - Deadline October 6, 2019

Clinic begins Sunday, October 13th and ends Sunday, December 15, 2019. All clinics will be in the school auditorium after the 10AM Family Mass.

Child's Information (please print):					
First Name:	_ Last Name:				
M / F Date of Birth:	Circle Grade: 2	years + up	Kindergarten	First	Second
Street:	Town:			ip Code: _	
Mother's Name		Cell			
Father's Name		Cell			
Attending Parish:					
Email Address (please print)  As parent or guardian, I assume all the risks and hazard			•	•	•
activities, contests and practices. I hereby waive, relectese of Rockville Centre and St. Martin of Tours Church		-	_	old harm	less the Dio-
PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:					
DATE:					
Please drop off or mail to the rectory office by Oct St. Martin of Tours, Attn: Basketball Clinic, 40 Sea Any questions, please email Genny at gamit1946@	man Ave., Bet	. •	11714		



# **Catholic Engaged Encounter of Long Island**

A Pre-Cana program preparing a couple for a Marriage recognized by the Catholic Church.

For more information contact Pat and Lenny Walker, Coordinators at 631-563-1032 or visit

www.engagedencounterli.org

Beginning September 21, the offering for an announced Mass will be \$20. This change brings St.
Martin of Tours in line with the Mass offering of most other parishes in the Diocese. Unannounced
Mass intentions, which are offered by our priests during time off and retreats, as well as by retired
and mission priests, will be \$10. Again, this brings us in line with most other parishes in the Diocese.

# 6:30AM DAILY MASS:

- Beginning Tuesday, October 15, 2019 we will again celebrate at 6:30am daily Mass Monday
  through Friday with some exceptions. (see below). The parish priests recognize the good will of
  parishioners who wish to attend Mass before going to work. After discussion, the priests of the parish have decided to bring back this Mass for a time period to evaluate how it will affect the schedule with frequent funerals, Friday afternoon weddings, and other sacramental responsibilities.
- We will take Mass intentions now for the 6:30am Mass from Tuesday, October 15 through the end of Lent (Wednesday, April 8, 2020). The offering is \$20. We will continue to evaluate the future of the 6:30 Mass periodically as we go forward and so will only take intentions for periods of time and not the whole calendar year.
- Exceptions: We will <u>not</u> celebrate the 6:30am Mass on legal holidays (Columbus Day, Thanksgiving, Presidents' Day, etc) as well as the morning of the eve of holy days of obligation or other days where there may be a scheduled evening Mass. There may be other periods of time, such as one of the parish priests going on retreat, when we will not be able to offer the 6:30 Mass. Those times will be known in advance. Recognizing the desire of our parishioners and the reality that the parish has two fewer priests than a month ago, we felt this was a good compromise for the time being.

# **NEW CONFESSION SCHEDULE:**

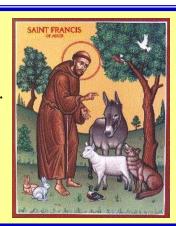
- Beginning Tuesday, October 15 we will have a new parish confession schedule. In addition to the
  established confession time on Saturday from 2pm to 3pm, we will be adding times the other 6
  days of the week. This will make us one of the few parishes in the area where confession will be
  regularly scheduled every day of the week.
- Confessions will be heard every Sunday from 4:30 to 5:15pm, Monday through Friday *immediately* following the 6:30am Mass (the priest will go into the confessional and stay as long as penitents come in), as well as from 8:30am to 8:50am before the 9am Mass. There will also be confessions from 6:00 to 6:45pm in the evening on the eve of holy days of obligation and on holy days of obligation preceding the 7pm Mass.

# Blessing of the Animals - Sunday, October 6th at 1:30PM

If good weather, come by the prayer garden or if it is raining, come by the garage next to St. Alphonsus Hall.

Please leash, crate or hold your pet.

St. Francis of Assisi medals and prayer cards will be given out.



"Abandonment alone brings me into your arms, O Jesus." St. Therèsé of Lisieux.



The annual Solemn Public Triduum in honor of St. Therèsé of Lisieux will open in the Carmelite Chapel on Saturday, September 28th and conclude on Tuesday, October 1st. Services each evening will begin with the Rosary at 7:15 followed by the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and Triduum prayers. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available each evening.

On October 1st, the blessing and distribution of roses will take place followed by a Solemn Feast Day Mass at 7:30PM and Triduum prayers. The address is Monastery of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and St. Joseph, 361

Highland Blvd., Brooklyn N.Y. 11207-1910. All are welcome.

# 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

# 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

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.



# Volunteer(s) Needed!

**Catholic Charities' Hicksville** location is looking for a volunteer to assist our HR department with filing and clerical responsibilities. Computer skills would be most helpful as well. Weekday business hours are flexible. If you are interested and available for this opportunity to volunteer, please contact: Mary Ellen Kwiecinski, Volunteer and Intern Coordinator 516-733-7044. Your time and talent will be greatly appreciated!



# Celebrate the feast of Saint Gerard Majella, C.Ss.R. A SPECIAL MASS FOR THOSE SEEKING PREGNANCY, ADOPTION OR A SAFE DELIVERY Sunday, October 20th at 12PM

St. Martin of Tours Church 220 Central Avenue, Bethpage NY

# **BLESSINGS WITH THE RELIC OF ST. GERARD**

Family and friends are welcome to pray to
St. Gerard for their loved ones' special intentions
should they not be able to attend.
For more info call 516-931-0818 visit smtbethpage.org

# ST. MARTIN OF TOURS RELIGIOUS ED



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27TH
FROM 10AM - 5PM
SCHOOL CAFETERIA

# VENDORS WANTED PLEASE EMAIL SMTCRAFT2019@OUTLOOK.COM

LET US KNOW YOUR NAME, PHONE & YOUR CRAFT

# CHRISTIAN MOTHERS ROSARY CONFRATERNITY Nostalgia Night & Investiture Meeting Tuesday, October 1, 2019 - 7PM

CMRC's October meeting will be held in St. Alphonsus Hall. Rosary and CMRC prayers will be followed by Investiture of New Members.

If you would like to become a member, please call Mary Colavolpe at 495-4408. All women are welcome!

# CDL DRIVERS WITH PASSENGER ENDORSEMENT WANTED

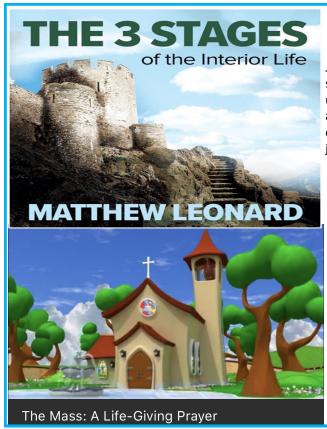
Catholic Charities' Wantagh Senior Center, an EOE employer, located at the Episcopal Church of St. Jude, Wantagh, needs part time flexible CDL drivers w/passenger endorsement to drive seniors to/from the center; \$16.76 per hour. Call Laura, 516-797-5357.





Raffle tickets for the GOLDEN HARVEST will be on sale in October. The dinner and winner announcements will be on Saturday night, November 23rd. Only 500 tickets will be available at a cost of \$100 each! Go alone it or with a friend!

We'll have more info very soon!



# **FORMED FOR ADULTS** THE 3 STAGES OF THE INTERIOR LIFE by Matthew Leonard

Join Matthew Leonard as he walks through the three stages of the spiritual life, helping you progress toward union with God and enter the interior castle written about by St. Teresa of Avila. With humor and concrete examples, this presentation is sure to aid you in your journey to becoming a saint.

# Kids' Korner: The Mass: A Life-Giving Prayer Season 1, Episode 7

Come with Brother Francis as he celebrates the life changing power of the Mass in this inspirational and instructive presentation! This episode includes: "The Celebration of the Mass"—an animated representation of what happens during the Mass and our encounter with Jesus as we celebrate this wonderful gift of God "With a Heart of Praise"—a moving prayer-song that expresses our gratitude to God "The Parable of the Publican and the Sinner"—a moving, animated depiction of Jesus's teaching on humility and forgiveness Rich in instruction and inspiration, Brother Francis: The Mass is a unique way of helping children experience the presence of Christ as they attend Mass.

# REGIS HIGH SCHOOL, AN ALL-SCHOLARSHIP JESUIT SECONDARY SCHOOL FOR CATHOLIC BOYS

# OPEN HOUSE - COLUMBUS DAY, MONDAY, OCTOBER 14th, 1:00-4PM

For additional information, please write, call or email: Eric Di Michele, Director of Admissions, Regis High School 55 East 84th St., New York, NY 10028 (212) 288-1100 x 2057 edimichele@regis.org

# THE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS OF LI OPEN HOUSE PROGRAMS

DATE	TIME	<u>SCHOOL</u>
SUN. SEPT 29	10 A.M 1 P.M.	ST. ANTHONY HIGH SCHOOL
SAT. OCT 5	10 A.M 1 P.M. 2 P.M 4 P.M.	KELLENBERG MEMORIAL H.S. CHAMINADE HIGH SCHOOL
SUN. OCT 6 SAT. OCT 19 SUN. OCT 20	1 P.M 3:30 P.M. 11 A.M 1:30 P.M. 10 A.M 1 P.M.	ST. DOMINIC HIGH SCHOOL HOLY TRINITY DIOCESAN H.S. ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST H.S.
	1 P.M 3:30 P.M.	ST. MARY'S HIGH SCHOOL

www.chsee.org (516) 739-5030

# Kellenberg Memorial's Open House

Join us on Saturday, October 5, 2019, for Kellenberg Memorial's Open House! Meet current students, faculty members, coaches, alumni, and current parents while enjoyed continuous, self-guided tours from 10AM to 1PM. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to the High School Admissions Office at (516) 292-0200 x210 or the Latin School Admissions Office at x380.





#### 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.



MAJ Gregory Holownia, US Army MAJ Erika Holownia, US Army SGT Zachary John Sheehy, USMC PVT Travis Ruggiero, US Army SGT Dennis Diesel, 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 SSGT Michael Patrick Murphy, US Army CPL William Corrigan, USMC LCDR Daniel Cloonan, USCG PVT Daniel Kuhlmann, US Army LCPL Jonathan M. Gordon, USMC CPT 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 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 LTC Michael F. Wendelken, USAF PVT John Marcel, Jr USMC LCPL Brendan M. White, USMC PFC Clint Applegate, US Army CPT Patrick C. Looney USAF SGT Ryan O'Keeffe, USMC

# ST. MARTIN OF TOURS HELP OUR PARISH CLUB (H.O.P.)

It's never too late to join HOP! Membership is \$60 per year. This yearly fund raiser runs from September 1st to August 31st and supports the operating budget of the parish.

Checks are payable to St. Martin of Tours HOP Club. Come by the rectory or mail to:

ST. MARTIN OF TOURS HOP CLUB 40 SEAMAN AVENUE, BETHPAGE NY 11714

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

#### **SMT BEREAVEMENT MEETINGS**

If you have experienced the recent loss of a loved one, this is the support group for you.

Groups will be offered on Thursday mornings from 10-11:30 on October 17, 24, 31, November 7, 14, 21 and December 5 and 12.



Please call the Parish Social Ministry office at 516-931-7332 and leave a message for Mary. You will receive a return call.

# **FOR HELP IN A CRISIS PREGNANCY**

Call Diana Hart Mirando itsidi@aol.com (C) 830-5077 (H) 605-1979

ROSELINE LIFE CENTER 24 HOURS 631-243-2373

PROJECT RACHEL WWW.HOPEAFTERABORTION.COM

Baby Safe Haven, Safe Babies, Safe Place at 1 (877) 796-HOPE
Adoption, Foster Care
Maternity Services Catholic Home Bureau
1 (800) 592-4357
NATIONAL CHILD ABUSE HOTLINE 1-800-4-Child or 1 800-422-4453



# **RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY**

## **OPPOSE DOCTOR ASSISTED SUICIDE - RESPECT LIFE OFFICE DRVC:**

Proponents of doctor-assisted suicide are pushing their agenda in states across the country, and New York is in their sights. **They seek to make it legal for terminally ill patients to receive life-ending drugs**. These policies are dangerous for patients, caregivers, and vulnerable popula-

tions such as the elderly and persons who are disabled. Suicide is not medical care. Please tell your Senate and Assembly representatives that you oppose this dangerous and deadly practice. CONTACT YOUR ELECTED OFFICIAL THROUGH THE NEW YORK STATE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE. New York State Catholic Conference: 465 State Street, Albany N.Y. 12203-1004 (518) 434 6195 info@nyscatholic.org.

CATHOLIC NEWS AGENCY (CNA): Catholic Hospital in Nova Scotia Required to offer Assisted Suicide, Euthanasia. Antigonish, Canada: A Catholic hospital in the Canadian province of Nova Scotia will now be required to offer assisted suicide and euthanasia on site, after an assisted suicide advocacy group threatened legal action in January. The Canadian Senate legalized assisted suicide and euthanasia in June 2016. Both practices are fully funded in the Canadian healthcare system. The Canadian Press reports that St. Martha's Regional Hospital in Antigonish was formerly run by the Sisters of St. Martha, which signed an agreement to ensure the hospital's Catholic identity and values would be preserved. The Canadian Press reports that the Nova Scotia Health Authority last month "quietly instituted" a policy change to require St. Mattha's to offer assisted suicide. To read more on this important subject: catholicna@catholicna.com. Please take action here in New York to oppose Assisted Suicide. Notify the NY Catholic Conference, as this could be passed in New York next.

WALL STREET JOURNAL, 9/23/19: PRESIDENT TRUMP STANDS UP FOR RELIGIOUS FREEDOM. On Monday, President Trump became the first American president to convene a meeting at the United Nations on religious freedom. He kicked off the U.N. General Assembly's annual session with a "Global Call to Protect Religious Freedom." The president declared, "No right is more fundamental to a peaceful, prosperous, flourishing society than religious freedom, yet it is rare around the world. As we speak, many people of faith are being jailed, murdered, often at the hands of their own government." The president announced that the U.S. is committing \$25 million to religious-freedom efforts and launching a coalition of businesses for religious freedom. The International Religious Freedom Alliance, the first international body devoted to advancing religious freedom was launched by the administration a few weeks ago.

# Pro Bikers for Life 40 Days for Life

Pro Bikers for Life (PBFL) will be sponsoring a 40 Days for Life campaign on Long Island - September 25 through November 3rd. Join us and other Christians in peacefully praying for the unborn outside Planned Parenthood, 540 Fulton Ave, Hempstead seven days a week between 7AM & 5PM.

Please support the PBFL with your continuing prayers for the unborn.



# A Happy Surprise!

Fathers Sylvester and Justin paid a surprise visit to the food pantry. They got the grand tour of our wonderful facility which is stocked through the generosity of our parishioners, L.I. Cares and other donors.

Come back and see us anytime, Fathers!

Weather permitting, the Rosary will be said in the prayer garden every Wednesday in October at 7PM on the following days:

October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

All are welcome!

# Save the Date!

October is the month of the Holy Rosary.



SMT will have a Rosary Rally on Saturday, October 12th at 12 Noon. We will assemble in the church parking lot.

# YOUNG AT HEART ROAD TRIP! Wednesday, October 9, 2019

Please call Martha Martini at 516-822-2213 to book a seat on the bus to Empire City Casino, Yonkers. The cost is \$30 per person. You will get back \$10 to play and \$5 for food. The bus will leave from St. Martin of Tours at 8:30AM sharp!



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peace

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Sept 30: Charismatic Prayer Group 7:30PM Church
- Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29: Eucharistic Adoration 3:00-7:30PM Church
- Oct 1: Christian Mothers Rosary Confraternity
   Nostalgia Night & Initiation of New Members 7PM St. Alphonsus Hall
- Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, 30: Rosary in the Prayer Garden 7PM weather permitting
- Oct 4: First Friday Devotions after the 9AM Mass
- Oct 5: First Saturday Devotions 8:30AM Church
- Oct 6: Blessing of the Animals 1:30PM
- Oct 7: Holy Face Devotions 1PM Church
- Oct 13: Basketball Clinic begins October 13th pending demand. More info p. 5
- Oct 20: Blessing with the relic of St. Gerard Majella at 12Noon Sunday Mass
- Oct 23: Women's Group 7PM St. Alphonsus Hall
- Oct 27: SMT Craft Fair 10AM-5PM
- Oct 30: Respect Life Committee meeting 11AM St. Alphonsus Hall
- Nov 9: Mass of Remembrance 9AM Church
- Nov 23: Golden Harvest Raffle SAVE THE DATE!
- Dec 4: Life Line Screening St. Alphonsus Hall
- Dec 11: Long Island Blood Drive St. Alphonsus Hall