

OUR LITURGY

Through Ezekiel, God promises that the people of Israel will be restored to their native land where they will have new life. Paul describes how the Spirit of God dwells in each of us, even when the body dies. In today's Gospel we hear of the raising of Lazarus. Jesus is "the resurrection and the life." If we believe and live in Jesus we will have eternal life.

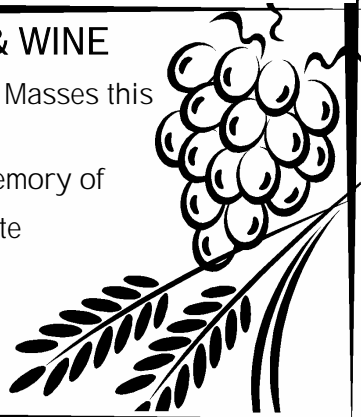
ALTAR BREAD & WINE

The gifts offered at our Masses this weekend

Are Donated in the Memory of

Mary Branciforte

Requested by
Loving Sister
Bea DeLisio



REMEMBER OUR DEAD

Anthony Prestigiaco, Francis Drosselmeier Jr., SPC4 Matthew DiNardo, our deceased soldiers and all of our deceased relatives and friends.

REMEMBER OUR SICK

For this week, please pray for the sick, especially:

Michael Ambrosio	Robert Barello	Maureen Berdon
Anthony Bock	Oliver Bouchard	Emmanuel Coby
Regina T Cohen	Allan Delgado	Maggie Errico
Robert Filce	Catherine Gracey	Andrea Griffin
William J Guthrie III	Raymond Harold	Mary Hayes
Gail Karcher	Jack Kelleher	Georgiana Lopez
John McGarry	Juliana McLarney	Maureen Melchiona
Timothy M Nigro	Edward Percesepe	Valerie Perruzza
Grace C Peshkur	Joseph Poirot	Nicole Ramaglia
Marco Recine	Thomas Rigney Jr	Frances Romagnuolo
Salvatore Romagnuolo	Barbara Rooney	Rose Russo
Joyce Ryan	Leticia Schilt	Lori Slack
Antonina Sturiano	Joan Teaney	Stacie Tizzard
Henrietta Varon	Keith Vasak	Stephen Walsh
Patrick Woods	Danny Yezzo	Brandon Zartler

PLEASE NOTE: To keep our prayer list current, we will keep names on the sick list for **two months**. We ask families to return the bulletin cut-out to include names of those who are ill for another two months.

OUR PRIEST-CELEBRANTS

Saturday	This Sunday	Next Sunday
5:00 pm	Fr Boyle	5:00 pm Fr Thomas
7:00 am	Fr Boyle	7:00 am Fr Thomas
9:00 am	Fr Maffeo	9:00 am Fr Boyle
10:30 am	Fr Thomas	10:30 am Fr Maffeo
12:00 pm	Fr Butler	12:00 pm Fr Maffeo
5:00 pm	Fr Thomas	5:00 pm Fr Butler

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, March 13 , 5th Sunday of Lent

- 7:00 Margaret Hiscock requested by Roseann Horn & Family
- 7:00 Barbara Barone (living) requested by Meredith Milana
- 9:00 Deceased Members of St Regis
Knights of Columbus & Columbiettes
- 9:00 For Our Beloved Dead
- 10:30 Antonia Lobrutto requested by
Loving Children
- 10:30 Jean Castelluzzo requested by Fritz Yannotti
- 10:30 Intentions of the Celebrant
- 12:00 Gilbert Aquila requested by Loving Wife & Children
- 12:00 Anthony Alfieri requested by Loving Wife & Family
- 12:00 Intentions of the Celebrant
- 5:00 Paul Shadlich & Rita & Bill Hubbard requested by
Loving Family
- 5:00 For the People of the Parish
- 5:00 Dagny Lang requested by Debbie Lang



Monday, March 14

- 7:00 Enid Spillette requested by Lori Glowacki
- 9:00 Frank Pipino requested by Toni & Gus Pisano
- 12:10 Maureen Ferrare requested by the Kitterle Family

Tuesday, March 15

- 7:00 For the Intentions of the Celebrant
- 8:45 Ann Wider requested by the Terrano Family
- 8:45 Eileen Gabriellini requested by Loving sister Peggy
- 12:10 For the Intentions of the Celebrant

Wednesday, March 16

- 7:00 For the People of the Parish
- 9:00 Anna Kenny requested by Claire & Jim
- 12:10 Michael Sollazzo requested by Larry & Regina Marotti

Thursday, March 17, St Patrick

- 7:00 James J Reilly requested by Loving Family
- 9:00 Frank Russo requested by Mr & Mrs S D'Aguanno
- 12:10 Roseann Bertone requested by Loving Family

Friday, March 18

- 7:00 For the Intentions of the Celebrant
- 9:00 Raymond Dean Sr requested by Leo DeBobes
- 12:10 Mary Ellen Iasenza requested by Michael & Jeannine Susko

Saturday, March 19, St Joseph

- 8:00 Salvatore Pasalaqua requested by Geri & Mike Devenney
- 8:00 Eugene McCabe requested by Geri & Mike Devenney
- 10:00 Feast of St Joseph

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

- 5:00 William Hanson requested by His Loving Family
- 5:00 Deceased Members of the Schena Family requested by
Loving Family

Sunday, March 20, Palm Sunday

- 7:00 For the People of the Parish
- 7:00 Francis McCarthy requested by Gerard Amato
- 9:00 Elizabeth J Magee requested by Dcn & Mrs. M DeBellis
- 9:00 Stanley Kwiathouski requested by His Loving Family
- 10:30 Ann Gregory requested by Les
- 10:30 Diana L Ferrara requested by Eugenia
- 12:00 Deacon Arnold Quaranta requested by Loving Son & Family
- 12:00 Phyllis Latona requested by Barbara & Joseph Uddo
- 5:00 Mark Kurnatowski requested by Loving Family
- 5:00 Donald Nelson requested by The Dunphy Family

IF ANYONE WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THE GIFTS AT THE MASSES ON SATURDAY OR SUNDAY, PLEASE CONTACT ONE OF THE USHERS WHEN YOU ARRIVE FOR MASS.

FROM THE DESK OF FR. MIKE

“I am the resurrection and the life; and whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?” With these words and the whole story of Lazarus’ resurrection, we are given this last glimpse of Jesus’ earthly mission. This Gospel Reading presents us with many images and gives us much to question. At times we can find ourselves just like Thomas, Martha, Mary, and the people who gather around the tomb as they say, *“Could not the one who opened the eyes of the blind man have done something so that this man would not have died?”* At times when we read or listen to this account, we might ask, why does Jesus take so long to go to Lazarus? Why does he go to Bethany even after He knows that Lazarus is already dead? And if these are Jesus’ best friends, why does He put them (and us) through this?

Well believe it or not, there are reasons why Jesus does all of this and says what He says, and it is all for the benefit of those who witness this series of events and for us as well. We see this in Jesus’ prayer to the Father when He says, *“Father, I thank you for hearing me, I know that you are always with me; but because of the crowd here I have said this, that they may believe that you sent me.”* John has given us a beautiful picture of Jesus’ friendship with Martha, Mary and Lazarus we see this in the comfort and trust that the two sisters have in speaking with Jesus. When Mary comes out of the house, she like Martha points out that Jesus is late, very late and if He had been there, Lazarus would not have died! Notice Jesus does not reprimand them for their lack of faith, no He simply uses each occasion to reveal something more about Himself, His love for them and Lazarus, and His true sharing in every aspect of our human life even the pain of losing a loved one- *“And Jesus wept.”*

Jesus uses this occasion to reveal His Divine Mission and Power and how what He does for Lazarus in a small way He will do for us all in a bigger way. A small way, you ask, what’s so small about bringing a dead man back to life? Well compared to what Jesus will accomplish in Jerusalem Lazarus’ calling forth is just a foreshadowing of the GREAT RESURRECTION TO ETERNAL LIFE THROUGH JESUS CHRIST! After all Lazarus’ earthly body will die again, and he will be placed, right back into the tomb Jesus called him from. But with Jesus, all death will be conquered and now Lazarus, and all of us will now have eternal life. Even if our body dies we will not, no, we will live forever in God’s Kingdom that never ends. Now we

can see why Jesus delays in going to Lazarus, so that He could awaken him and show Martha, Mary, the crowd, and us that the Resurrection is not just something that is far off in the future or reserved for just the end of time. No, it is something that is in the here and now, because Jesus is not the product of the Resurrection He is the Resurrection and the Life. So, through Jesus we live out the Resurrection every day. As every day, we die to sin and rise to new life!

Please refer to the schedule of events for Holy Week and Easter Sunday that can be found inside today’s bulletin. Please note the times for the Sacrament of Reconciliation (especially Monday of Holy Week) and the overflow Masses for Easter Sunday at 11:00 AM and at 12:30 PM-both of these Masses will be held in Carew Hall.

Tonight at 7PM in the Church Creative Ministries will present Journey, Cross & Crucifixion. Please come out and enjoy this very faith filled and moving presentation.

Next Saturday, March 19, 2005 is the FEAST OF ST JOSEPH THE HUSBAND OF MARY, THE PATRON SAINT OF THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH AND OF OUR OWN BELOVED PARISH. To mark this great day we will celebrate a special Mass at 10AM with a Festive Breakfast. **While all are invited, YOU DO HAVE TO TELL US IF YOU ARE COMING TO THE BREAKFAST OR NOT SO, we can have enough for everyone and so we won’t violate the capacity laws for Carew Hall.**

Don’t forget the Saint Joseph’s Home School Association’s 11th Annual Fashion Show being held on Wednesday April 20, 2005 at Villa Lombardi’s 7-11 PM. This year’s theme brings us to Hawaii. For only \$50 a person, you can enjoy a great dinner, a chance for wonderful prizes and the ever-popular Chinese Auction. Plus you will know that you will be helping support our beautiful school. All of the proceeds go to help the parish support the school, so come out have a good time and do a good thing at the same time.

There is still time to make the most of this Lenten Season. Ask the Holy Spirit to fill your heart with the fire of love, grace and mercy, so that you and me, all of us can rise to new life on Easter.

God bless you.

Fr. Mike



...an the
RESURRECTION
and the
LIFE...

He who
believes in
me will
LIVE,
even though
he dies.
John 11:25

SAY A PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS

Please continue to remember them in your prayers.

CPL Jason Bertran	PFC Justin Browne
CPL Michael Bruno	PC Michael Dean Cantley
CAPT Kevin Connolly	SPC Thomas E. Corcoran
CAPT Edward Cuevas	COL Stephen Czerwinski
SGT Ryan Delaney	SGT Stephen DiGirolamo
Lt John Kenneth DiNero	Lt Nancy DiNero
CPL Keith Flick	SFC Raymond Fulton
RCT Michael Gabriellini	SSG Jeremy Garcia
CAPT Jennifer Gotkin	SPC Daniel Heuman
SGT Steven Knight	1SGT John Krumholz
SSG Stephen LeGrady	GM2 Gerard McGarity
PFC Edward McGinn	SGT Patrick McNally
PFC William Meyer	Andy Mezador
SGT Daniel Montville	SSGT Brian Moran
SGT James Munro	SSG Joey Napolitano
LCPL Thomas Napolitano	LCPL Michael Napolitano
LCPL James Neubauer	COP Jonathan Norris
PFC Anthony Notaroberta	N/Seal Paul Padro
Ens3 Lucy Padro	PFC Christopher Reid
SGT Edwin Rivera, II	SR/SA Jason Schiavo
RCT Brian Schildt	SPC James Stanek
SSG Thomas J Valentino	SSG Nick Vicale
SGT John Thomas Vogt	CPL Mark Ward
Maj Edward Ward	CPL Zachary Wilga
SSG Dusty Williamson	

(If you would like to include a soldier from your family who is serving, place their name and rank on a piece of paper and put it in the collection basket)

Religious Education

Office hours are Monday 9 to 4:00

Tuesday and Wednesday 10 to 3:30

Thursday from 9 to 3:30.

If you need to reach us after 3:30 pm on Tues, Wed or Thurs please call the school number 588-4760.

The office is closed on Fridays.

Reminder for **Level 7**, Reconciliation on Monday, March 14th. All Tuesday students please arrive at 7:15, Wednesday and Thursday students at 7:45

Reminder for **Level 1** Activity on March 14th at 4 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. in Auditorium. You may choose your time.

This is the last week of Religious Ed classes for this year.

Registration Forms for 2005/2006 were given out in class last week. If you did not get your forms, you may pick them up from your child's teacher.

Sunday School Year End celebration on Palm Sunday at 10:00 in the Auditorium. Registration is now being accepted for Sunday School for next year, please call the Religious Ed office for forms. 981-1805

Entertainment Books are on sale in the Religious Ed Office and the Rectory at a cost of only \$20.

Stewardship

When Jesus heard about the illness of His friend, Lazarus, He responded, "This illness is not to end in death; rather it is for God's glory, that through it the Son of God may be glorified." Every aspect of our lives - our gifts as well as our sufferings - can, if surrendered to Christ, lead to blessings for ourselves and others.

Weekly Offering

715 envelopes	\$15,305	
Loose collection	2,802	
Total Last Sunday		\$18,107
Weekly Operating Expenses		21,250
Same Collection Last Year		17,364
Poor Box last weekend		340
Bishops Overseas Appeal Collection		\$1,259
Same Collection Last Year		1,592

Parish Outreach

Free employment counseling is now being offered by a retired business executive. Sessions will be held at the Outreach office by appointment only. If you are interested, please call Outreach between 10am and 3pm Monday through Friday, at 981-6888. You will then be contacted for an appointment date and time.

Fienstein Matching Grant - This foundation will match all donations made to the Outreach Program during the months of March and April. This is a great way to make your contribution dollar go farther. *The need is great but the supply is low.*

PREGNANCY CRISIS HOTLINE - We are here to help you. Please call 981-6888.

Banns of Marriage

(First Time)

Stacy A McAllister of OLPH, Lindenhurst and
Paul A Manfre Jr. of St Joseph's
Amy Brown of St Anthony of Padua, East Northport and
Joseph Giommetti of St Joseph's
D'Anna Eads and
Keith McNamara both of St Joseph's
Jennifer Shockley and
Thomas Kehoe both of St Joseph's
Jessica Rodriguez and
Carl J DiLallo both of St Joseph's
Melissa Wade and
William Walker both of St Joseph's



Baptisms

Welcome to the Newest Members of Our Parish Family

- Dylan Ronald Bohlen
- Jacob Roman Bohlen
- Christopher Carlos Escalante
- Julie Eileen Ginsberg
- Joseph Christopher Lecour Jr.
- Julia June Lecour
- Kathleen Theresa Nicol
- Alexa Nikole Soares
- Kate Lynn Vaughan

Respect Life

“A NEW YORK STATE OF MIND” ...according to the New York Times. The NY Times paints selective abortion as fashionable- it reported a story about a woman who lived in Greenwich Village, whose name, Amy Richards, may or may not be real. What is real is the fact that she is 34, and has a boyfriend named Peter. She became pregnant and when the doctor looked at the sonogram he asked her if she had taken fertility drugs because she was now carrying 3 babies – triplets. Her reaction was to say “I’d have to give up my life. I’ll never leave my house because I’ll have to care for these children.”

Her doctor said he could get a detailed sonogram to see if there was a fetus that seemed less fit for this world. Then he outlined the “reduction” process. He told Ms. Richards that the procedure involves a shot of potassium chloride to the heart of the fetus. He comforted her by explaining that multiple births can be complicated and that by aborting a fetus or two, the birth would be potentially less traumatic for the woman. She needed to decide which child to let live and which ones to abort. Her doctors found that she was carrying twins and a stand alone baby. The twins, therefore, were to be aborted.

This article in the NY Times Magazine, much to their surprise, caused a public uproar. More facts began to surface. Ten days later, the Times printed an Editor’s note disclosing that Ms. Richards is an abortion rights advocate who has worked for Planned Parenthood. She also was found to be the co-founder of a feminist organization, the Third Wave Foundation, which has financed abortions. The Times acknowledged that they knew the facts from the start.

We, who are devoted to protecting innocent human life, have every reason to be shocked and dismayed at the callousness of such actions. In fact, when the babies’ father, just prior to the procedure which would kill two of the babies blurted out “I can’t believe we’re making two disappear”, the doctor asked him to leave the room.

From the N.Y. Times Magazine, July 18, 2004
As reported by the NYS Right to Life Committee

School News

A wonderful time was had at the Father - Daughter Dance that was held last week. The girls and their dads enjoyed dinner and dancing in the school auditorium. It was an exciting evening, one they’ll remember for years to come.

St Joseph’s School is accepting enrollment for the 2005-2006 school year. There are opening from Pre-K thru 8th grade. Please call the school at 588-4760 for more information.

March 15th is McDonald’s Night! From 5 - 7 PM the school will receive a percentage of all sales (including drive thru). So come on down to McDonald’s on Portion Road and bring your family to dinner.

BOY SCOUTS



The young men and women of Boy Scout Venturing Crew 777 are hosting a spaghetti dinner on April 9th at 6PM in Carew Hall. Tickets are \$6 per person and the proceeds they earn will go toward a trip to Philmont Scout Ranch, New Mexico for a High Adventure Trek. Enjoy a “full-filling” dinner

for not so much money and help the scouts. There will also be a Chinese Auction taking place during the dinner. Please join us!

Feast of St Joseph Brunch

Saturday, March 19, 2005

11 AM

Everyone is welcome to come and celebrate our parish feast day. Please fill out and return to rectory as soon as possible.

Name _____

Number of People _____

Mark Your Calendars



Check Your Calendar

Mar 18 Stations of the Cross 7:30 PM

Mar 19 Feast of St. Joseph
Mass 10 AM Brunch 11AM

Mar 24 Holy Thursday 7:30 PM Mass

Mar 25 Good Friday
12 noon Reflections on The Seven Last Words Of Christ
3PM Communion Service

April 3 Divine Mercy Sunday

Catholic Ministries Appeal 2005

Touching the lives of many through diocesan and parish ministries and services

the poor, volunteers from our diocese began to help those people in need.

medicine and necessary supplies. They also visit the sick, counsel those in despair and bring the Eucharist to those unable to attend Mass. Our volunteers have also become outspoken advocates for those they serve, encouraging others to travel to the Dominican Republic to share their resources.

In the remote southwestern area of the Dominican Republic, there are two Catholic parishes staffed by volunteers from the Diocese of Rockville Centre. The first is San Pedro Apostol in El Cercado and the second is Nuestra Senora De Fatima in Hondo Valle.

Today, more than a quarter century later, we remain firmly committed to assisting the people of this struggling area. Currently, Monsignor John Cervini and St. Joseph Sisters Jane Reilly and Babs Barry of our diocese are voluntarily assisting at the two parishes. Their service to these impoverished people, for which we are profoundly grateful, is an example for all of us to follow.

Your gift to the Catholic Ministries Appeal helps fund this mission project of our diocese and enables this most important work to continue. We help with such endeavors because we, as Catholics, are called upon to support the universal Church, especially those who are unable

In 1979, leaders from the Diocese of Rockville Centre traveled to the Dominican Republic and witnessed first-hand the horror of people starving and totally without hope for the future. Because our leadership felt it was important to share our resources with the poorest of

All of their energies are focused on improving the quality of life, both material and spiritual, for people of this area. Lay and ordained volunteers deliver food,

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Catholic Ministries Appeal 2005
St Joseph R C Church, Ronkonkoma, NY

Diocese of Rockville Centre
PO Box 4000, Rockville Centre, NY 11571-4000
516 379-5210 ext 2 Fax 516 379-5043 email: catholicministries@drvc.org

Pledge: \$ _____ Initial Payment: \$ _____ Balance: \$ _____

Thank you for your support. Please make checks payable to: **Catholic Ministries Appeal**

Name: _____

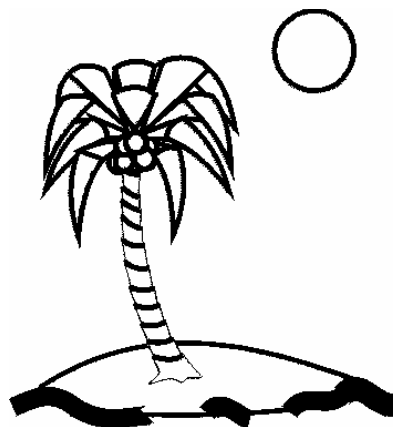
Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

A Guide to Giving	
Pledge	10 Payments
\$ 300	\$ 30
500	50
1,000	100
1,500	150
2,500	250

**St. Joseph's Home School Association
11th Annual Spring Fashion Show
Hawaiian Style**

**Wednesday, April 20, 2005
7PM - 11PM
At Villa Lombardi's
877 Main Street
Holbrook, NY**



\$50. Per ticket - Includes salad, dinner, dessert, coffee/tea, beer/wine/soda
Chinese Auction Give-A-Ways 50/50 Cash Prize Raffles

Tickets can be ordered by filling out the form in the Church Lobby by April 13,2005



**Catch the Wave
.....And a Chance to Win**

**Annual Fashion Show Raffle - April 20,2005
To Benefit St. Joseph's School**

1st Prize:

**47" Panasonic TV or
\$1500 Tuition Credit at St. Joseph's School**

2nd Prize:

**A Night on the Town: Dinner for Two
Tickets to a Show at the Smithtown Arts Council
Overnight Stay at the Holiday Inn Express**

3rd Prize:

Zenith Home Theater System

Donation: \$25

Return this form with your payment to the Rectory by April 18, 2005 or
stop by our table after Sunday Mass. Tickets will also be available at the Fashion Show.

I want to catch the wave...
Name _____ Telephone _____
Home Address _____
Number of Tickets ___ X \$25 = _____ Enclosed



Papal Vocation Monstrance

On November 24, 2004 the Holy Father blessed six monstrances to be utilized throughout the various continents of the world to pray during this Year of the Eucharist for an increase of vocations to ordained ministry and consecrated life. Our diocese will be able to use one of these monstrances at various holy hours held during the week of March 12th - March 19th. All are welcome to attend these liturgies. For further information please call the Vocation Office at 631-424-9888.

Sunday, March 13th	7:00 PM	Our Lady of Perpetual Help South Wellwood Ave, Lindenhurst
Monday, March 14th	3:00 PM	Chaminade High School
	Adoration continues thru 6:00 AM	Jackson Ave, Mineola
Tuesday, March 15th	7:00 PM	Church of Our Lady of Loretto Greenwich St, Hempstead
Wednesday, March 16th	8 AM - 3 PM	Kellenberg Memorial High School
	6PM - 12AM	Glen Curtiss Blvd, Uniondale St Anthony High School Wolf Hill Rd, So. Huntington
Thursday, March 17th	12AM - 2:30 PM	St Anthony High School Wolf Hill Rd, So. Huntington
Friday, March 18th	8 PM	Seminary the Immaculate Conception West Neck Rd, Huntington

Courtesy Announcements

Estate Planning and Elder Law Seminar - Wednesday, April 6 from 4-5 pm at Ronkonkoma Cenacle. Overview of various issues will be discussed. Seminar is free, but you must call by April 1 to reserve space - (631) 471-0024.

International Luncheon will take place on April 17th from 1 - 5 PM at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Pond Rd in Ronkonkoma. The cost of \$12.50 pp includes prizes and entertainment. For tickets call Karen at 585-0828.

Everything You Wanted to Know About Annulments information meeting will be held at St. John the Baptist High School in West Islip on Wednesday, April 13th from 8-10 PM. For registration call 516-678-5800 ext 508 or email clok@drvc.org.

Learn the ancient art of iconography at St. Luke's Church in Brentwood. Students will create icons in egg tempera and gold leaf using only traditional methods. The classes, lead by Janine Manheim, will be held on six Fridays, 1-7 PM starting April 1 and ending May 6. Tuition is \$400 and includes all supplies. No experience necessary. Call 651-9121 for further details.

PARISHIONER REQUEST FORM

I/we would like to register as members of St. Joseph Parish.

NAME (s): _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ - _____ *unlisted? (Yes) (No)*

I/we would like become members of the parish. () Yes

I/we would like to receive contribution envelopes. () Yes () No

We make our donations each Sunday () Weekly

We make our donations once a Month () Monthly

- () I would like to become an usher
- () I would like to become a lector.
- () I would like to become an altar server.
- () I would like to become a Eucharistic Minister.
- () I would like to become a choir member
- () I would like to become a Catechist
- () I would like to help maintain the parish plantings
- () I would like to offer my following talents to the parish

(Please return to the Church Office or place in Collection Basket)

REMEMBERING THE SICK

Please include the following in the bulletin sick list:

Name of person who is ill:

Person making this request: Relationship to ill person

Your Phone #: _____
(Please place in collection basket or return to Church Office)

PARISH RESTORATION FUND

I/we wish to pledge (or increase our pledge to)
 ___ \$5,000 ___ \$4,000 ___ \$3,000 ___ \$2,000 ___ \$1,000
 to St. Joseph's Parish Restoration Campaign.

I/we would like to make payments
 ___ Annually ___ Semi-Annually ___ Quarterly ___ Monthly
 spreading the payments over
 ___ One year ___ Two years ___ Three years ___ Four years

NAME (s): _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ - _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED NOW: \$ _____
(Please return this form in the collection basket or to the Church Office)

One Person's Trash, Another's ...

BOX TOPS from cereals for Educational purposes are always welcomed. Please drop them in the collection.

DEPOSIT BOTTLES AND CANS—Please place them in the white trailer that is located on the school side of the Church on weekends or behind the rectory during the week.

CELL PHONES—Please bring your no longer used or needed cell phones and deposit them at the Scrip table in the Church lobby.

Even Used Inkjet Cartridges, Have Their Uses

We have found a way to help St Joseph and keep those complicated pieces of plastic, metal and printed circuit boards out of the land fill. Drop them off (in a plastic baggie) when you come to mass. We will send them to a company who reuses them and gives the parish a bounty for each. One note, to clear confusion, if it is larger than a fist, it is not an inkjet cartridge!!!



Cub Scout Pack 272

Boy Scout Troop 272



St. Joseph's Cub Scout Pack 272 and Boy Scout Troop 272 have fun, exciting, educational, character building programs for boys, age 7 through 17 (*first grade and up*).

For more information or to enroll your child, contact Dr. Louis Scotti at 656-8428 or e-mail JoinScouting@StJoRonk.org.



Sport for all Seasons

**ST JOSEPH
CYO**



Travel Soccer:

Gene ☎467-0541

Intramural Soccer:

Beth ☎737-6299

Track

Karen ☎588-8636

Chairman: Henry

Baseball:

Gene ☎588-1879

Girls Basketball:

Christine ☎737-3142

Boys Basketball:

Frank ☎585-6921

Melchiona ☎676-6347

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