

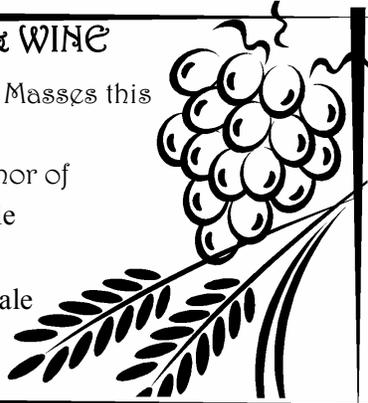
OUR LITURGY

Wisdom calls us to acknowledge God as the source of justice and mercy toward believers. Paul teaches us that when we do not know how to pray, the Holy Spirit intercedes for us. The parable of the wheat and the weeds makes clear the power of God's justice. Those who are good will be saved, while the wicked will be destroyed.

ALTAR BREAD & WINE

The gifts offered at our Masses this weekend

Are Donated in Honor of
Joseph Carnovale
Requested by
Mrs Phyllis Dinatale



REMEMBER OUR DEAD

Lucille Jordan, Kathleen Adams, Kathleen O'Hagan, Margaret Hoyer, 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	Maureen Borden	Mary Ellen Bowers
Emmanuel Coby	Fr James Costello	Josephine D'Agostino
Angelina DeSimone	Olivia Marie Devine	Anna Dorney
Geraldine DuBritz	Maggie Errico	Robert Filce
Maria Goncalves	Catherine Gracey	Jack Kelleher
Helen Kwiathouski	Georgiana Lopez	Anita Louise
Dominick Mariano	Elizabeth Mauro	Allison McAteer
Maureen McCann	Michele McGee	Josephine Mileto
Tom Nanry	Timothy M Nigro	Vincent Palladino
Edward Percesepe	Grace C Peshkur	Arthur Plouffe
Joseph Poirot	Joan A Reilly	Barbara Rooney
Rose Russo	Joyce Ryan	Lorraine Schaffer
Sharon Schneider	Marie Schwind	Antonina Sturiano
Stacie Tizzard	Patrick Woods	

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

This Week End	Mass	Next Week End
Fr Boyle	5:00 pm	Fr Thomas
Fr Maffeo	7:00 am	Fr Thomas
Fr Liu	9:00 am	Fr Boyle
Fr Thomas	10:30 am	Fr Maffeo
Fr Maffeo	12:00 pm	Fr Liu
Fr Boyle	5:00 pm	Fr Maffeo

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, July 17, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:00 Julia & Albert DiGennaro requested by Loving Family
- 7:00 Joseph Carnovale requested by Joseph Dinatale
- 9:00 Cathy Savage requested by The 9:00 Choir
- 9:00 Catherine Savage requested by Linda & Joe Savage
- 10:30 Lily Scuccimari requested by Mr & Mrs Restivo
- 10:30 An End to Abortion requested by Respect Life Committee
- 12:00 Pasquale Muscolo requested by The Arnold Family
- 12:00 Patricia Mosca requested by Patricia & Bruce Kalbfleisch
- 12:00 Matthew DiNardo requested by Mr & Mrs Edward Gabriel
- 5:00 For the People of the Parish
- 5:00 Garrison Murphy requested by The Witt Family
- 5:00 Donald McCarthy requested by Karen Dunphy

Monday, July 18, St Camillus de Lellis

- 7:00 Robert J & Joseph C Hennessy requested by Loving Family
- 7:00 Shirley Anne Murray requested by Mary Wilson
- 9:00 Rose DiGirolamo requested by Cheryl Kranz
- 9:00 Matt Yellico (living) requested by The Yellico Children

Tuesday, July 19

- 7:00 Wendy Alexandre requested by E Corcoran
- 9:00 Claudia Insinga requested by Joseph & Janet Sheldrick
- 9:00 Dorothy Holcobe requested by The Rand Family

Wednesday, July 20

- 7:00 Michael Lesniewski requested by Diane & Larry Pollan
- 7:00 Lucille Barbarito requested by Bronna Silverman
- 9:00 Patrick Redmond requested by The Murphy Family

Thursday, July 21, St Lawrence of Brindisi

- 7:00 Ernest Decrescenzo requested by Colleen Murphy & Linda Lubranski
- 9:00 Theresa DeFilippo - 18th Anniversary requested by Marie DeFilippo
- 9:00 Rose Gugliotta requested by The Shorts Family

Friday, July 22, St Mary Magdalene

- 7:00 Intentions of the Celebrant
- 9:00 Kathleen Pagliuca requested by Loving Family
- 9:00 Deacon John Erdman requested by Loving Family

Saturday, July 23, St Bridget of Sweden

- 8:00 Harry Ballard requested by Loving Wife & Family

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

- 5:00 For the People of the Parish
- 5:00 Paul Christensen requested by Mr & Mrs Richard Delmater

Sunday, July 24, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:00 For Our Beloved Dead
- 9:00 Deceased Members of St Regis Knights of Columbus & Columbiettes
- 10:30 Dominic D'Angelis requested by Loving Wife
- 10:30 John Grega requested by Maureen Cestare
- 12:00 Lorraine Scharff requested by Judy & Eddie Spahn
- 12:00 SP4 Matthew Curtis DiNardo requested by Loving Family
- 5:00 Joseph Marchica requested by Kathleen Roach
- 5:00 Madeline Garcynski requested by Jeannine Bruno

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

We again see Jesus speaking to us in parables and likewise explaining to the disciples, and us, their meaning. This parable *The Weeds amongst the Wheat* deals with the coming of the age (the end of the world). We are told by Jesus to pay special attention to *The Last Judgment*, when the just will be judged side by side with the who have **not chosen** life or love. As we see in this parable, the weeds have been mixed in with the wheat by the work of some enemy, but the farmer refuses to remove the weeds because the good wheat could also be removed. But there is the worry that the weeds will choke off the wheat-so the farmer looks to the harvest with some fear, but also with hope!

Hopefully we are the wheat, but unfortunately, we live in a world filled with weeds. Weeds that take form in so many ways-like things or people that can distract us from the true path to God, or ideas and current world opinions that can confuse us in following the Gospel.

This Parable in a sense warns us to be strong, for so many times in our lives or in the lives of people we know, we encounter these weeds, and we must ask God to give us the strength not to be choked by them. To fight them off, we must accept the Kingdom like yeast that a woman took and mixed with 3 measures of flour. Once the yeast does its work, the dough grows and becomes larger and larger. When the Kingdom does its work, in us-through, the power of **The Holy Spirit**- we become more and more like Jesus and the Kingdom grows through our actions. When we grow in the ways of the Kingdom then we shall be the wheat that survives the weeds. And when the Harvest Master comes, we will not share the same fate as the weeds.

This week our **10th Annual Summer Family Festival begins on Wednesday at 7PM**, and we thank all who volunteered to help, our sponsors, and all who donated goods and services to make the Festival a great success. Again, one special way to thank our sponsors is to patronize their businesses-what a great way to reward them for their generosity.

Please join us for Monday Evenings of Prayer on the Rectory Lawn during the month of August at 7 PM. Bring your Rosaries, your lawn chair, and a tasty treat to share with your parish family. Also on **Monday August 8th from 3:30-9 PM** we will hold our *Annual Blood Drive* in Carew Hall, if you can give this much-needed gift of life please do so. **Remember during the summer months there is a great shortage of blood-so every pint counts.**

Perhaps you have seen the **MEMORIAL BRICKS** located on the table in the church lobby, we apologize because we have not provided enough information about them. These memorial bricks are a great way to remember a loved one who has gone on or to commemorate the

living. They are also a wonderful way to help support the parish Restoration/Rebuilding Fund. Each new brick donated will be placed with the other bricks already located at the Church's Main Entrance. The donation for each memorial brick is \$1,800 and your pledge can be fulfilled in many different ways even over the course of several years. While that seems high, please remember your life-giving donation will go a long way in helping us carry out the repair projects that were not able to be done during the last restoration campaign, and to maintain a fund, which will make future repairs and maintenance easier to accomplish.

If the Memorial Brick is not possible for you, there is also the *Memorial Leaves for the Tree of Life* or you can donate to the Restoration Fund in any amount you wish. Any amount helps us maintain our beautiful parish grounds. As you know the funds that were collected by *Msgr. Midura*, all went to accomplish the plan he laid out to the parish when he arrived. The only project that could not be completed was the convent. The funds collected for this building were used to fix the emergency repair of the heating system in the Rectory that went back to the time when *Fr. Carew* built the Church and the Rectory almost 40 years ago. Not only must the Convent be repaired we must replace the Religious Education Office-the original plan was to move Religious Ed into the Convent, but that may change depending on the actual state of the old Convent. While the remaining pledges from Msgr.'s time are going to the restoration fund, it will not be enough to finish the work. Hopefully we can all pull together to get the job done, thanks.

God bless you for all you do for Saint Joseph's

Fr. Mike

Our Festival Supporters

Alan C. Fricke Memorials Inc.	American Legion
American Office Supply	Bank of New York
Cancos Tile Corporation	Chiarelli Religious Goods
Curves for Women	D.P. Murphy Co., Inc.
Dr John S Valente	Dr. Louis Lupinacci
Earthrite Textile Recycling	Greg & Bill's Auto
Hilton Garden Inn	Lake Auto Service
Long Island Ace Hardware	Lyon Tree Service Ltd
Maid Brigade	Moloney Funeral Homes
Okey Dokey	Outback Steak House
Ronkonkoma Plumbing Supply	Sachem Building Supply
Shirley Auto Body Inc	Skee Containers & Fuel
St. Joseph CYO	St. Regis Council
Tantone & Gulotta	Villa Lombardi
Weber Funeral Homes	Z & J News Service

SAY A PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS

Please continue to remember them in your prayers.

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| CPL Deborah Alfieri | PFC Justin Browne |
| PC Michael Dean Cantley | SPC Thomas E. Corcoran |
| SGT Ryan Delaney | LTCOL Kurt Diehl |
| SGT Stephen Gene DiGirolamo | CPL Keith Flick |
| RCT Michael Gabriellini | SPC Daniel Heuman |
| SGT John W Keohane | SGT Steven Knight |
| 1SGT John Krumholz | SSG Stephen LeGrady |
| MAJ Kevin McCue | PFC Edward McGinn |
| SGT Patrick McNally | PFC William Meyer |
| Andy Mezador | SGT Glenn Miller |
| SGT Daniel Montville | SSGT Brian Moran |
| SGT James Munro | LCPL Thomas Napolitano |
| LCPL Michael Napolitano | LCPL James Neubauer |
| N/Seal Paul Padro | ENS3 Lucy Padro |
| MAJ Paul E Pinaud | SGT Edwin Rivera, II |
| SSGT Jason Schiavo | RCT Brian Schildt |
| SPC James Stanek | SSG Nick Vicale |
| SGT John Thomas Vogt | |

(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

The Religious Ed Office is closed for the summer we will reopen on August 22nd.

Since our office is closed during the summer months we would like to take this opportunity to welcome the new families who will be moving into our parish and inform you about our Religious Education program. Each week we will give you a heads up on the different levels of our Program.

Level Two This is the second half of our two year preparation for receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist. Through the use of text book, videos and prayers services, the children learn about forgiveness and making good choices. They learn the different parts of the liturgy and the gift of the Eucharist.

Registration forms are available on line at :
StJoRonk.org



RCIA

The summer inquiry schedule is as follows:
Meetings on 2nd & 4th Thursdays of June, July, August and September from 7:30 - 8:30 in the

Rectory basement meeting room.

Stewardship

“Those who are just must be kind,” says today’s first reading. If our words and deed are kind and selfless, we will be like the good seed in the Gospel parable and gathered as wheat in the Lord’s harvest.

Weekly Offering

594 Envelopes	\$ 11,879	
Loose collection	3,358	
Total Last Sunday		\$15,237
Weekly Operating Expenses		21,250
Weekly Excess/(Debt)	(6,013)	
Same Sunday last year		14,163
Poor Box last weekend	\$348	

Mission Appeal \$ 1040

Parish Outreach

The Outreach cliental are in need of toiletries - toothpaste, soap, deodorant, toilet paper, shampoo, etc. - please help them if you can. Also paper towels, tissues and paper napkins would be appreciated. All donations can be left by the Blessed Mother statue in the front of the Church. Thank you.

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



Banns of Marriage

(Second Time)

- Michelle Falsetta of St Joseph’s and Edward Becker of Good Shepherd
- Mary Kate Prigge of St Joseph’s and Frederick Hausmann of St Margaret’s of Scotland
- Jo Ann Tavano of St Joseph’s and Peder Foss of St Elizabeth Ann Seton
- Madeline Inserra of St Joseph’s and Leonard Campione of Good Shepherd
- Kimberly Bilello of Holbrook and John Povey Jr of St Joseph’s
- Karla Manzueta and Michael SanGiovanni both of St Joseph’s
- Deanna Iorio of Good Shepherd and Timothy Kelly of Our Lady of Visitation
- Gina Olkuski of St Joseph’s and Ross Castaldo of St Patrick’s
- Gianna Tringali of Immaculate Conception and

RESPECT LIFE

Pro-life items you may have missed...



Congress recently (2004) passed legislation stipulating that state and local governments can't coerce hospitals, insurers and other health care groups into performing or supporting abortions. This legislation will deny federal funds to any federal agency, state or local government that discriminates against a health care entity because it does not provide, pay for or support abortions. The provision also expands a federal law specifying that a doctor can opt out of abortion training. The law was crafted by Representatives Henry Hyde (R-Ill) and Dave Weldon (R-Fla) and was included in a \$388 billion spending bill. The Washington Times

Umbilical cord blood is a plentiful, rich source of stem cells that are genetically unique to each child and family. They are the building blocks of the immune system and already have been used in the treatment of over forty different diseases, including many cancers. Unlike the harvesting of human embryonic stem cells, which kills a human being, the saving of cord blood stem cells is entirely moral. Arrangements for the saving of the cord blood must be made before the birth of the child. Such saved stem cells have the potential to treat not only the child from whose umbilical cord the blood was taken, but also parents and siblings. Celebrate Life, Nov/Dec 2004

Pro-lifers cheered the announcement that Gloria Feldt has resigned as president of Planned Parenthood Federation of America, the nation's largest abortion provider. During her eight years, Feldt "presided over more abortions (1,370,000) than any other PP president, and we are happy to see her go," said Jim Sedlak, executive director of American Life League's STOPP International. CNSNews.com Celebrate Life, Mar 2005

Here's something brand new ...

If you feel called to assist the worthwhile effort of offering those about to abort their child one final chance to CHOOSE LIFE, please help to expand the pro-life presence at 200 Motor Pkwy. (West of L.I.E. exit 55 – the second building east of Adams Avenue.)

Please consider joining the Respect Life group from Our Lady of the Snow when they witness at that location on each first Saturday from 10:30 AM to Noon. Persons wishing to attend on Saturday, August 6th are asked to call Marie Mawn of St. Joseph Respect Life Committee at 631-588-0168.



St Joseph's School

The students of St Joseph School would like to thank the parish family For helping us with our Box Tops collection this past school year. We earned \$1963.02, of which the parish collected \$245.40. This was a great help to the school!



We are already collecting for the '05-'06 school year, so please keep those box tops coming. They can be left at the rectory or dropped in the Sunday collection basket. In addition to the Box Tops please collect the General Mills "whole grain" logo found on all General Mills cereal boxes, from now until Dec. 31. Each logo will give us one entry into a contest where 100 schools will win 10,000 bonus Box Tops or \$1,000!

Baptisms

Ava Eileen Cooper

Daniel James DeRienzis

Mackenzie Jean Kelly

John Joseph Lesko

Nicholas Michael Marotta

Thomas Charles Nemeth

Scott Richard Ospitale Jr

Andrew Mihkel Pennica



Presale Ride Tickets

are now available at the rectory! The tickets are being sold at a savings of 50% off

the regular cost. Tickets are 50 for \$25.

Sale price is available until opening of the

festival on Wednesday, July 20th at 7 PM.

Mark Your Calendars

July 20 - 24

10th Annual

Family Festival

August 1 Rosary (on the lawn) 7PM

August 8 Blood Drive 3:30-9PM

August 8 Rosary (on the lawn) 7PM



Check Your Calendar

Catholic Ministries Appeal 2005

St. Joseph's by the Numbers

Goal \$74,800.

Pledged 52,548.

Percentage of Goal
70.3 %



Our thanks to all have made a pledge the Catholic Ministries Appeal and to those who are still planning to. Your generous gift enables our parish and diocese help those in need on Long Island. The work of the church is able to continue because of your support and we look forward to the future with great optimism because of your leadership.

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

This form can be returned to St Joseph Rectory or put in an envelope and placed in the Sunday collection.



ST JOSEPH'S SUMMER VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Serengeti Track

"Where Children are Wild about God"

July 25th - 29th 9:30 - 12 Noon

Fee: \$50 one child, \$60 family of 2, \$ 120 family of 3 or more

Volunteers over the age of 14 needed. Please call Mary Lou at 981-9314.

For registration contact the Rectory or Religious Education Office.

Around The Parish

School.StJoRonk.org

St. Joseph School

Visit teacher pages for summer reading lists, summer news, and back to school supply lists. *Shop early and take advantage of the sales.*



ReligEd.StJoRonk.org

Religious Education Center

2005/2006 Calendar

Late Registration- *info and forms*

Volunteers are needed for Vacation Bible school - we are in need of more adults and teens - anyone interested please call Mary Lou at 981-9314 and leave your name and phone number.



Atlantic City Trip - On Saturday, July 23rd, St Regis Knights of Columbus will sponsor a bus trip to the Tropicana Casino in Atlantic City. We will be meeting at the council at 8AM for a Continental Breakfast of coffee, juice and cake. The bus will be departing at 9AM and leaving to return home at 6:30PM. The cost is \$30 per person with a return of about \$5 each. There are no refunds. Everyone is invited - bring a friend or neighbor. This is a fundraiser for the St Patrick's Day Parade. For more information please call Mo Maloney at 981-7759.

Courtesy Announcements

Blood Drive - Holy Cross Parish will hold its annual Blood Drive on Tuesday, July 19 between 3:00 and 8PM. For more information, or to make an appointment, please call Outreach at 631-265-2200.

The **37th Annual Long Island Feis** will be held on Sunday, August 7th beginning at 9AM at The Student Activities Center Stony Brook University. Admission is Adults \$10, Children and parking free. Competitions in the Irish Arts. Step Dancing, Art, Singing, Irish Language and Irish Soda Bread Competition. Vendors of Irish Wares 9 AM to 5PM.

Adult Education program at the Joseph M Barton District Building in Smithtown is providing English as a Second Language classes, High School Equivalency Preparation and a Senior Citizen class for adults during the day and evening. The courses are federally funded and free to all Suffolk residents. For more information please call 382-

2181.

Family, Marriage and Individual Therapy is available at The Catholic Counseling Center. Professional therapy, provided by New York State licensed or certified therapists, is available to our parish. Most insurance policies are honored. Confidential information and appointments are available by calling Dr. Giuliani at 631-243-2503.

The Sisters of St Joseph will begin their celebration of their 150th Anniversary in September of this year. The sisters have served the dioceses of Brooklyn and Rockville Centre for all those years and invite us to join in a Gala Dinner Dance at the Garden City Hotel on Thursday, October 27, 2005. For additional information on this and other events of the Jubilee Year, please contact Mary Ann Crimmins, CSJ at 631-273-1187 ext 25 or you can e-mail her at mcrimmins@aol.com.

Secular Franciscan Day of Recollection will be held on Saturday, August 20th from 9:30 AM to 3 PM at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Island, presented by St Lawrence of Brindisi Fraternity. The Director will be Fr Matthias Wesnofske OFM, CAP. The cost is \$10 per person. Come join us !!!

Our Lady of Grace Center, Manhasset (www.olgcenter.com) offers days and evenings of prayer, weekend retreats, holistic spirituality and wellness services and workshops, space for groups to meet, and a hermitage for private days of prayer. For brochure call 516-627-9255.

“Pennies From Heaven”

Help raise money for the WALK FM KIDS CAMPAIGN

Give all of your pennies that you have been saving to a worthwhile cause.

As we begin the summer thinking of the beach, pool parties and barbeques, we need to remember those children who are less fortunate. Our children look forward to summer vacation, but children less fortunate look forward to school starting again so that they will have a place to go, friends to play with and healthy food to eat. Please, give those pennies or other spare change to a most needed cause. 100% of your donations will go directly to the WALK FM KIDS CAMPAIGN.



THANK YOU !!



Your pennies will be collected in the lobby of the church as you leave Mass.

Please Help

Evan McAteer 's (a kindergarten student at St Joseph's) aunt, Allison McAteer, is very sick. She is an elementary Teacher Assistant and not married. Unfortunately, she also has no medical insurance coverage. Financially she just makes ends meet. She has two neurological disorders, Syringomyelia and Chiari Malformation.

Surgery is necessary to treat this condition. The procedure involves removing a piece of the skull in the back of the head near the bottom (craniectomy). Having to go through this ordeal is difficult enough but the financial burden that it is creating is almost too much to bear.

Evan's family is trying to raise funds to help defray some of her medical expenses. They would appreciate any donation which will go toward the cost of her medical care. They are very concerned and hope that you will keep her and the family in your prayers. Any donations should be made directly to Katherine Yamaguchi (her sister in law) and dropped off either at the church or rectory.

You may also mail it directly to Katherine Yamaguchi at 38 West Court Drive, Centereach, NY 11720

Sincerely,

The McAteer Family

C Y O

St Joseph's CYO is NOT ON VACATION, we are hard at work planning activities for you and your children to enjoy this summer:



SOCCER CAMP - 18-22 at Ronkonkoma Middle School.

Please call Rich @ 874-0550 or Cathy @ 588-1879.

BASEBALL CAMP - August 1-5 & 8-12 at Slocum Elementary School.

Please call Henry @ 676-6347 or Cathy @ 588-1879 for more information.

Don't forget to look for our information table at THE FAMILY FESTIVAL, July 20-24.

Not only will we have registration forms available for our fall and winter programs, but we will also be selling tickets for CYO BBQ NIGHT, Friday, September 2 at the LI DUCKS/ Citibank Park.

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 () No

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 baskets that are 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

Events are happening in towns and churches all over Long Island. Discover what's happening in our parish and our community.

Visit our parish pages at

MyChurchandTown.com