

OUR LITURGY

Throughout the Scriptures, the image of sheep and shepherd is a favorite symbol of God's care for His people. Today Jesus calls Himself the *Good Shepherd*. Peter calls Christ the *stone rejected by the builders which has become the cornerstone*. These images of faithfulness and strength identify just two attributes we find in Jesus.

ALTAR BREAD & WINE

Donated in Honor of

Frank Bradley

Requested by

Loving Wife



REMEMBER OUR DEAD

Michael Schiavone, Marie Quaranta, Marion Ardito, Helen Rainone, Genevieve Jozwiak, for our deceased soldiers and all of our deceased relatives and friends.

REMEMBER OUR SICK

Paul Ahearn	Rosemarie Aiello	Grace Alvarado
Ann Bannon	Dianne Barello	Bill Barry
Oliver Bouchard	Mr Michael Boyle Sr	Leo Cantelmo
Denio Castagna	Bud Cecere	Marielen Cooper
Angelina DeSimone	Olivia Marie Devine	Barbara DiGirolomo
Nancy DiTrapani	Kenneth Donohue	Mary Dougherty
Maggie Errico	Robert Filce	Pat Gracey
Raymond C Harold	Jeanne Hartman	Maryann Imperato
Matthew Jankay	Jack Kelleher	Joseph Kelly
Helen Kwiathouski	Nicholas J LaBollita	Georgiana Lopez
Richard Lewis	Anne M Skidmore	Serafina Maraviglia
Michael Marscovetera	Maureen McCann	Laurie M Townsend
Sam Monteleone	Margie M Sempy	Grace C Peshkur
Joseph C Poirot	Raymond Ramos	Janet Rodgers
Salvatore Romagnuolo	Christopher Rubino	Dawn Saporito
Ben Scannella	Sharon Schneider	Dorothea Slinkosky
Darryll Smith	Antonina Sturiano	Stacie Tizzard
Lloyd Turnier		

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
Fr Boyle	5:00 pm	Fr Maffeo
Fr Boyle	7:00 am	Fr Maffeo
Fr Maffeo	9:00 am	Fr Boyle
Fr Tapel	10:30 am	Fr Thomas
Fr Thomas	12:00 am	Fr Tapel
Fr Tapel	5:00 pm	Fr Thomas

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, May 7, Fourth Sunday of Easter

- 7:00 Cornelius J Dunleavy requested by Loving Wife Anne
 7:00 Thomas J Longboat requested by Mr & Mrs T Seddio
 9:00 Anatole Dragan requested by Jo J Navarro
 9:00 Joseph Carnovale requested by Miriam & Jessica
 10:30 Olga Maxwell requested by The Thorsen Family
 10:30 Annette Hewitt requested by Manuel & Maria Goncalves
 12:00 Pray For the End to Abortion
 12:00 Anna Kenny requested by Anne & Pete Kelly
 5:00 James McGeever requested by Linda & Dennis O'Hare
 5:00 Joan O'Connor requested by The Yellico Family

Monday, May 8

- 7:00 Turn their Swords into Plowshares requested by
 Dorothy Klein, PhD
 9:00 William Sandhop requested by The Holyat Family
 9:00 Kathy Pagliuca requested by Rose & Tom

Tuesday, May 9

- 7:00 For the People of the Parish
 8:45 Nancy Percoco requested by Marie, Tom & Marietta Meola
 8:45 Mary Dineen requested by Ann Marie Steele

Wednesday, May 10, Blessed Damien de Veuster of Moloka'I

- 7:00 Filippa Gremaldi requested by Joseph & Antonia Matera
 7:00 Mark Savage requested by The Balance Family
 9:00 Nicholas C Romano Jr requested by Loving Mom & Dad
 9:00 Frances Purce requested by Alice Ascher

Thursday, May 11

- 7:00 Robert J Mucha requested by Loving Wife & Family
 7:00 Elizabeth Bohn requested by Judy Moore
 9:00 Marie Terlizzi requested by Edward & Lisa Spahn
 9:00 Marie Vesting requested by Vito Buccellato Sr

Friday, May 12, Sts Nereus & Achilleus

- 7:00 Charles P Guthrie requested by Loving Mom & Dad
 7:00 Mary & Tom Gallagher requested by Loving Family
 9:00 Rev David & Mike Clifford requested by Loving Family
 9:00 Augusto Lucas requested by Loving Family

Saturday, May 13, Our Lady of Fatima

- 8:00 John P Cosgrove requested by Loving Family
 8:00 Harriet Power requested by Celeste Lipski

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

- 5:00 Mother's Day Novena Intentions

Sunday, May 14, Fifth Sunday of Easter, Mother's Day

- 7:00 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
 9:00 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
 10:30 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
 12:00 Mother's Day Novena Intentions
 5:00 Mother's Day Novena Intentions

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

There is a story about a young man who had to get up before the members of his parish congregation and recite the 23rd Psalm. He had practiced reciting the Psalm for a long time and when the day came, he knew it backwards and forwards. As he got up in front of the congregation, all eyes were focused on him and he began to panic. After some time passed, he began with, "The Lord is my shepherd" and then he stopped! After a period of silence, which must have felt like a lifetime for the young man, he continued, "And that's all I need to know!" With that came a great deal of applause from the people. Now, were they applauding because they approved of his ability to think on his feet and save the day, or were they applauding him for his great insight-why does it have to be either or?

Today Jesus tells us (as He does every year on this **Good Shepherd Sunday**) that He is the Good Shepherd who knows His sheep and they know Him. Jesus is the Good Shepherd who lays down His life for His sheep so they can have life. This should be a great comfort for us, especially at times when we are tested. Why, we'll remember the relationship that a shepherd has with his sheep. In Jesus' day, they lived side by side, and the sheep will only come to the voice of their shepherd whom they feel completely safe with. The shepherd does not run away when the wolf comes or those who would steal the sheep. No, he stays and protects and redeems those who are lost. Our Lord, is telling us we can totally trust in Him, even more than the sheep on their shepherd, because He will go out of His way to find the lost sheep even to leaving the 99 behind to go out and save the lost one. That's great for the **ONE** lost sheep, but what about the **99**? Is the shepherd really going to leave them alone to go out and search for the one, so they too could get lost or make some wolf a lovely dinner (*mint jelly is optional*)? Of course not, the Good Shepherd never leaves His flock alone, and through the power of The Holy Spirit he is always present, and it is this same Holy Spirit who empowers others to shepherd the sheep in the Good Shepherd's name. Christ cares greatly for us His sheep, and He appoints shepherds over His Church to preach the good news, teach, heal and minister in the same way He did and still does (for the Good Shepherd came not to be served, but to serve and so do all of His shepherds who hear His voice).

Please pray for our shepherds: *Pope Benedict XVI*, our *Bishop William Murphy* and all of the Bishops of

the Church, *Fathers Thomas, Rene`, Boyle, Liu* and myself who have been given by God the great honor of serving the People of St. Joseph's. Pray for all of our *Deacons, James Altonji, Joseph Dougherty, Joseph Califano, Michael DeBellis, and Michael Devenney* who help the priests in their ministry and perform their own vital service to the Good Shepherd. Pray for *Lachlan and Lee* and their classmates as they continue to study for the Priesthood, and pray for *Mr. Frank Dell'Aglio and Mr. William Dobbins* as they study for the Diaconate for our parish and diocese. Please pray for an increase of vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate, and Religious Life so that there will always be shepherds molded in the image and likeness of Jesus. Pray that all who shepherd will always be open to the grace, power and love of the Holy Spirit to serve in the name of and in the person of Christ.

Please pray for all of our young people who have received, are receiving and will receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the 1st time this year. May this wonderful event totally transform their lives and lives of their families to help them come closer and closer to God, to become the future leaders and shepherds of the Church.

Next Sunday, **Mother's Day, at the 12 Noon Mass** we will have our annual *May Crowning of the Statue of the blessed Mother in the Church*. We will invite our First Communion Children from this year to participate in this loving event.

*We conclude with some Faith Sharing Questions:
How do you see God in the image of the Good Shepherd?
Who are the important shepherds in your life?
Who do you need to shepherd more intentionally?*

*Happy Easter
Fr. Mike*



PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

Please continue to remember them in your prayers.

CPL Deborah Alfieri	E2 Matthew Altonji
Tech SGT Louis Barletta	Pvt Richard Bossi
PFC Justin Browne	SGT Michael Bruno
PC Michael Dean Cantley	CPL Glenn Clacher
SPC Thomas E. Corcoran	SGT Ryan Delaney
LTCOL Kurt Diehl	SGT Stephen Gene DiGirolamo
SSGT Tony Elliott	LT Kelly Fletcher
CPL Keith Flick	PFC Adam Franciosa
LT Craig Gabriellini	PVT2 Edward Johnston
SGT John W Keohane	SGT Steven Knight
CPL Andrew Kochman	1SGT John Krumholz
SSG Stephen LeGrady	PFC Edward McGinn
SGT Patrick McNally	PFC William Meyer
Andy Mezador	SGT Glenn Miller
SGT Daniel Montville	SSGT Brian Moran
CPT Gregory Mueller	LCPL Thomas Napolitano
LCPL Michael Napolitano	LCPL James Neubauer
LCPL Anthony Notaroberta	SGT Brian Pacella
N/Seal Paul Padro	ENS3 Lucy Padro
CPT Michael Parisi	2LT Anthony Parisi
MAJ Paul E Pinaud	SGT Edwin Rivera, II
PVT William R Rodgers	SSGT Jason Schiavo
RCT Brian Schildt	LCPL W.Mason Shehan
SPC James Stanek	SSGT Nick Vicale
SGT John Thomas Vogt	SGT Randolph Weaver

(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)



St Joseph's School

Congratulations to Fr. Mike Maffeo!
Happy Pastor's Appreciation Day from the Administration, Faculty, Staff and children of St. Joseph School!



Reminder to all parents at St. Joseph School: This Thursday evening, May 11, 2006, at 7:00 PM we will have a parent workshop on "Internet Safety." It will be presented by a Suffolk County Police Detective from the "Internet Safety Department." This is an excellent workshop. Mark your calendars. He will be in our school on Friday, May 12 to present the same information to our students in grades 5 - 8.

Our **Communion rehearsal** and dinner for our second grade students will be this Tuesday evening, May 9 at 4:00PM beginning in the church.

Our **Book Fair** was a great success! Thank you to all who participated And helped in any way.

Our **Golf Outing** is scheduled for June 9th. Please contact the school office at 588-4760 for information and registration.

Registration for the school year 2006 - 2007 is going on now. Please Call the office for a tour of our school and information during the hours of 8AM and 3PM at 588-4760.

Religious Education

Monday and Thursday 9 AM to 4 PM
Tuesday and Wednesday 10AM to 3:30
The office is **closed** on Fridays.



Early registration will be closing on **May 15th**, classes are filling up. Any child entering grade 1 in September should be registered for Communion prep which is a two year program beginning with grade 1. Call the Religious Ed office at 981-1805 and we will send you forms.

On Friday April 28th, 200 of our **Level 1** students attended a Year End celebration. Their books were due by that date. If you have not returned your finished book please bring it into the office as soon as possible.

On Saturday & Sunday, **April 29th & 30th** approximately 100 of our level 2 & Sacrament Readiness 2 children received their **First Communion**. The remainder of our students will receive their First Communion on May 20th & 21st.

Don't forget the **Vacation Bible School**, to register please call 981-9314. This program is for grades K thru 4 and will be held from July 24th to July 28th.

We are taking registrations for **Sunday School**, please call our office for forms. This program is for 3,4 and 5 year olds.

Baptisms

Michael Patrick Kennedy

Keith Victor Osher

Religious Ed has several

Entertainment Books left for 2006, they can be purchased for \$10.00 each.

Please come to their office if you wish to buy one.



DRIVER NEEDED

An elderly parishioner (woman) is in need of a ride to Sunday Mass each week. Call Outreach at 981-6888 if you can help.



Thank You

It is with grateful hearts that we write to acknowledge the donations from your parishioners totaling \$8,791.65. We want to assure all in your parish of the grateful prayers of all the Little Sisters and the Aged at Queen of Peace Residence.

Sincerely grateful in Christ, Sr. Elisabeth Anne



RESPECT LIFE

It's been noted before, but bears repeating: Every income-tax paying citizen of the United States is supporting Planned Parenthood through their tax dollars. This outrageous

action is being challenged by the American Life League, a pro-life organization, which publishes the paper called ALL/News. In the April 2006 issue we learn that PP, in one year alone, received more than \$265 million in funding from federal, state and local governments. This fact angers pro-lifers, and spurs action to see that this funding stops.

Why is all this money being funneled into the coffers of the nation's largest abortion provider?

If you have access to the internet, and haven't already done so, please go to StopPlannedParenthoodTaxFunding.com and sign the petition you will find there. Please also pass the word to everyone on your e-mail list and encourage them to sign. The more signatures American Life League can get, the more likely this abuse of our tax dollars will be stopped.

Now that South Dakota's Governor Mike Rounds has signed a law that would outlaw abortion in his state, except if the mother's life is threatened, which incidentally, Planned Parenthood plans to challenge, the legislators in five more states are considering bans that would severely limit or altogether prohibit abortions in their states. Those states are: Ohio, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, and Tennessee. One of these abortion bans may force the U.S. Supreme Court to reexamine Roe v. Wade and subsequently move the responsibility to uphold the inalienable right to life to the voters of each state.

Life News May 2006

Billboards for Life – have you seen them in your travels or heard of them? They are sponsored by Catholics for Children which is a lay apostolate which began in 1995 at St. Martin of Tours parish in Louisville, Kentucky. Their first fundraising effort to post pro-life billboards around town has since grown into Billboards for Life, a very successful campaign which continues to blanket cities and towns with Catholic pro-life messages. These messages are intended to raise public awareness of the sanctity of all human life. Over the past decade, the project has posted more than 1,600 billboards in southern Indiana, Louisville, Lexington and towns in central Kentucky. Some have been seen in Maryland, also. They give a simple message, such as a picture of a baby saying, "Thanks, Mom, for choosing Life" and a pregnancy help hotline phone number. Look for them in your travels.

All/News April 2006

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

Weekly Offering

Sunday, April 30, 2006 Offerings	\$17,605
Same collection last year	15,936
Number of envelopes	626
Easter Sunday Collection to date	\$ 48,421
Same collection last year	46,096
Poor Box last weekend	\$460
Fuel Collection to Date	\$12,634
Fuel Expenses 9/1/05 thru 4/30/06	31,957

Thank you for your support.

God Bless You Always,

Fr Mike

Banns of Marriage (First Time)



Ruth Field of Holtsville and

Edward Brace of St Joseph's

Dawn Diana of Selden and

Jeffrey Francisquini of St Joseph's

Keri Lucadamo of St Joseph's and

Jonathan Tsavos of St John Baptist

Serina Sisto of St Joseph's and

Raymond Alvarez Jr of Good Shepherd

Tracy Krupka and Robert Buglione both of St Joseph's

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Please don't forget to return your recommitment form to the rectory before May 15th. We will be updating the Office of Worship in Rockville Centre and don't want to leave anyone off the list. Thank you.

Mark Your Calendars

May 7	Unity Sunday
May 8	Baptismal Class 8PM Rectory
May 12	Pre Cana 7:30-9:30 Carew Hall
May 12	Catholic Daughters Chinese Auction 6-10
May 13	1st Communion 10:30
May 13 & 14	Baby Clothing Collection
May 14	May Crowning at 12 noon Mass
May 20	1st Communion 10 & 12 Noon
May 21	1st Communion 12 Noon
May 27	Right to Life Newsletter folding 8AM-12:30
July 19-23	PARISH FESTIVAL

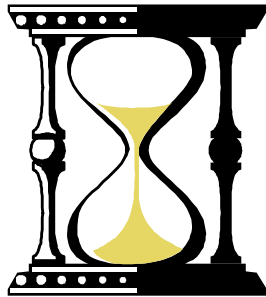


Check Your
Calendar

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2006

COUNTDOWN TO OUR GOAL

10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1-GOAL!!!!!!



We only need \$10,000 more to reach our goal of \$74,800. That will make a big difference as you can see by the chart on this page. As it stands, our rebate will be about \$6,000. Not bad, but we could more than double that if we get past our goal in payments. Let's try to make it so St. Joseph's will get the highest possible amount back from the rebate portion of the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

Please help us by making your pledge today.
Thank you for your generosity and support.

St. Joseph Church 2006 Goal : \$74,800	
80% of goal in payments, your parish receives a 10% share:	\$5,984
100% of goal in payments, your parish receives a 20% share:	\$14,960
\$5,000 over goal in payments, your parish receives:	\$18,960
\$10,000 over goal in payments, your parish receives:	\$22,960
\$25,000 over goal in payments, your parish receives:	\$34,960

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

2006



Diocese of Rockville Centre - PO Box 4000, Rockville Centre, NY 11571-4000
P 516-379-5210 ext. 2 F 516-379-5043 e-mail catholicministries@drvc.org

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

Pledge \$ _____ Payment \$ _____ Balance \$ _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Parish: 146-St Joseph

*Touching
the lives of
many
through
Diocesan &
Parish
ministries
and
services.*

*Every Gift Counts!
Can we count on You?*

Pledge	10 Payments
\$5000	\$500
2500	250
1500	150
1000	100
500	50
300	30
200	20
100	10

A GUIDE TO GIVING

Change For Life

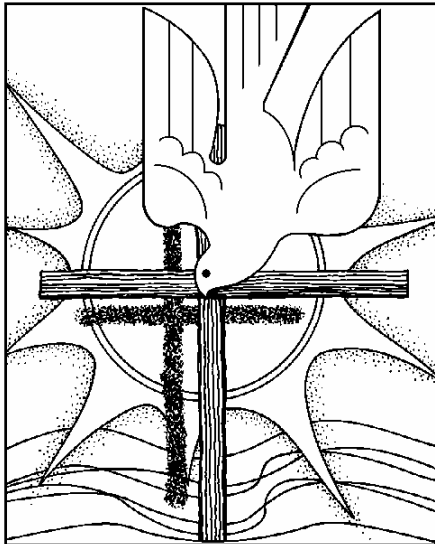
Sat. May 13th and Sun. May 14th

On this Mother's Day weekend the bottles that were distributed on April 22 and 23rd are to be returned. Members our Committee will be available before and after each Mass. All proceeds from the bottles will be presented to the Life Center.



Note: The baby items collected each year on Mother's Day and on Respect Life Sunday in October are shared by St. Joseph's Parish Outreach and the Life Center. This Mother's Day we will not ask for baby clothing, diapers, etc. We will gladly accept handmade clothing and blankets crocheted and knitted by parishioners and any baby items you may have purchased in advance. But if you have not already made a purchase we ask that you support the "Change for Life" bottle project. In October 2006 we will resume our regular Gifts for Babies collection. For information call St. Joseph Respect Life Committee at 588-0168 / 724-8586.

Confirmation Corner



REMINDER

Completed registration forms for the November 27, 2006 Confirmation Liturgy are due by May 16, 2006 at the Religious Education Office.

Registration forms can be mailed or returned in person (except Fridays) to the Religious Education office or to the Rectory on the weekend.

Please make every effort to meet this deadline date. Any questions can be directed to the Religious Education office at 981-1805. Thank You.

Catholic Youth Organization

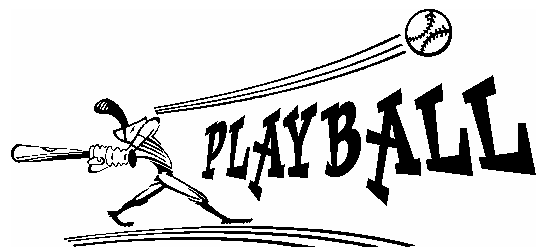
Saturday, May 13th
at
4:30 PM

St Joseph CYO

Travel Baseball Tryouts

A New Team for 8 & 9 year olds.

Tryouts are at Raynor Park
Located on Ronkonkoma Ave near
Rita's Ices & Kohl's / King Kullen
Shopping Center



**LIVE
SPORTS
MEMORABILIA
AUCTION!!!!**

**ST. JOSEPH'S
7TH ANNUAL GOLF OUTING
at the
TALL GRASS COUNTRY CLUB**



FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 2006

Golfer's arrive at 11:30am for BBQ Lunch Buffet

Shotgun start at 1:00pm

**LIMITED NUMBER OF FOURSOMES!
COME FOR GOLF OR JUST COME FOR DINNER!!!!
PLEASE SIGN UP EARLY!!!**

Your day will include:

18 Holes of Golf with Cart

**BBQ Lunch includes All Beef Hamburgers and Frankfurters
with Unlimited Soda and Beer served from 11:30am – 1:00pm!**

Beer and Soda cart throughout outing!!!!

**Buffet Dinner with Carving Station, Dessert and Top Shelf Open Bar
at TALL GRASS COUNTRY CLUB!**

Hole Sponsors * Prizes * Raffles * Give-Aways

**Please RSVP by sending payment of \$160.00 per player
along with the tear-off below by WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, 2006 to:
St. Joseph's School, 25 Church St. Lake Ronkonkoma, 11779**

Attn: Ann Ambrosio

For additional information:

Contact Coordinator Brian Sanders

631-475-9575 or 516-815-1884

Family Name: _____ Class _____

Phone Number: _____

Number of Golfers _____ X \$160.00 per Golfer _____

Number For Dinner Only _____ X\$ 50.00 per person _____

Please list all Golfers on the back of this tear-off

*****All groups teeing off will be in fours.***

Single players, doubles or trios will be combined with other players.**

**ABSOLUTELY NO ONE UNDER AGE 16
IS PERMITTED TO BE ON THE GOLF COURSE**

Collared Shirts are required. No sweat pants, cutoffs or tank tops.

No coolers or food of any kind is permitted.

MULLIGANS AND OTHER HOLE PRIZES WILL BE FOR SALE

Around The Parish

Courtesy Announcements



Our Lady of Fatima Day - Saturday, May 13 at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Island in Eastport. Stations of the Cross at 10AM followed by Mass, rosary and Benediction. For info call 325-0661.

The Dolores Andreski Memorial Michael Fund Walkathon will take place on Saturday, May 13th at Wantagh Park on Merrick Rd in Wantagh from 12 noon to 3PM. For more information call 516-781-5274 or 631-737-0406.

Mass for individuals in 12 Step Recovery Programs will be celebrated for individuals, their family and friends involved in any 12 Step program on Sunday, May 7th at 7PM at St John Nepomucene Church, Bohemia. An 11th Step meeting will follow in the lower level of the Church. For more information call Fr Gruber at 589-0540.

Professional Therapy & Counseling provided by NYS licensed psychologists are available to you through the Catholic Counseling Center, a proprietary professional corporation, which is independent of & not controlled or supervised by the parish or diocese. Most insurance policies are honored. For confidential information & appointment, call Dr. Giuliani at 243-1550.

Smithtown Central School District Adult Education Program offers free classes at the Joseph M Barton District Building. The program consists of English as a second Language, High School Equivalency, Senior Citizen Basic Computer Classes and Career Counseling. For more information call 631-382-2181.



As a member of the **St Therese Prayer Society for Vocations**, you commit yourself to praying in a special way for vocations in the Priesthood and Consecrated Life. There are no dues & no meetings, only the promise of prayers. For more information please call the Vocations office at 631-424-9888 or e-mail us at Vocations@drvc.org.

American Sign Language Classes are being offered by Cleary School for the Deaf. Evening Adult Education classes in American Sign Language levels 1-5 will begin April 19 through June 14th for Adults only. The Summer Session from July 3 through August 9th is for both children & adults. Call Carolyn Kelly at 631-588-0530 for more information.

Join the **Sisters of St Joseph** in celebrating their **150th Anniversary** on Saturday, May 20th from 10:30 to 3PM. Picnic and festivities on Brentwood Mother House Grounds. Tickets are necessary Please contact Sr Karen Kaelin CSJ at karenkcsj@aol.com or 631-273-1187 ext 46.

Retrouvaille is a program for marriages that are in trouble. It offers a lifeline to couples suffering with relationship problems. No group discussions. The next weekend will be held on June 16-18 at Montfort Missionaries in Bay Shore. For information/registration please call 1-800-470-2230.

Suffolk Catholic Singles Dance Saturday, May 20, 9PM-12:30AM, at the Holiday Inn at MacArthur Airport. Admission is \$20 at the door and includes DJ, Deli buffet and raffle tickets. Neat casual attire. For ages 30's-60's. For more information call Jerry at 516-520-9385.

Natural Family Planning will be held at Christ the King Church in Commack on May 19th at 7:45PM. To register for this class, contact Alycia Gorman at (516) 678-5800 ext. 223 or e-mail agorman@drvc.org.

Taize Prayer Service experience the Lord's healing through **Veneration of the Cross, Scripture, Meditative song and Candle light** to be held at St. John Nepomucene Church on Thursday May 11th, 8-9pm. Following this service Prayer Teams will be available. For more information call 589-4715

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)

(Friends can be placed on the silent prayer list only)

PARISH RESTORATION FUND

I/we wish to pledge (or increase our pledge to)

___ \$5,000 ___ \$4,000 ___ \$3,000 ___ \$2,000 ___ \$1,000

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: _____ - _____

We're Looking For...

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 ☎ 467-6091

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