

OUR LITURGY

Jesus comes before the fearful disciples, and offers them peace. Breathing on them, He gives the Holy Spirit that they are empowered to take up His ministry of forgiveness. This same Spirit draws all of us into one body, but gives different gifts to each for the benefit of the entire Church.

ALTAR BREAD & WINE

Donated in Memory of
Angelo Pantaleo
Requested by
Loving Daughter



REMEMBER OUR DEAD

Matthew Jankay, Rocco Martusciello, June Davidson, Gertrude Higgins, for our deceased soldiers and all of our deceased relatives and friends.

REMEMBER OUR SICK

Paul Ahearn	Rosemarie Aiello	Grace Alvarado
Michael Ambrosio	Ann Bannon	Bill Barry
MaryEllen Bowers	Mr Michael Boyle Sr	Leo Cantelmo
Bud Cecere	Ronald Clifford	Marielen Cooper
Irene Costello	Michael DePinto	Angelina DeSimone
Olivia Marie Devine	Barbara DiGirolomo	Nancy DiTrapani
Kenneth Donohue	Mary Dougherty	Maggie Errico
Robert Filce	Pat Gracey	Raymond C Harold
Jeanne Hartman	Philip Heilig, Sr	Lilly Helfrich
Jasper Indelicato	Margaret Indelicato	Jack Kelleher
Joseph Kelly	Helen Kozak	Helen Kwiathouski
Dorothy Larkin	Georgiana Lopez	Pat Lucivero
Serafina Maraviglia	Maureen McCann	Sam Monteleone
Margaret Orandello	Nicholas Paduano	Sylvia Persico
Grace C Peshkur	Arthur Plouffe	Raymond Ramos
Joan Rielly	Salvatore Romagnuolo	Christopher Rubino
Dawn Saporito	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 Thomas	5:00 pm	Fr Boyle
Fr Thomas	7:00 am	Fr Boyle
Fr Boyle	9:00 am	Fr Maffeo
Fr Brigandi	10:30 am	Fr Thomas
Fr Brigandi	12:00 pm	Fr Maffeo
Fr Boyle	5:00 pm	Fr Thomas

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.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 11, Trinity Sunday

- 7:00 Mary Dineen requested by
Loving Family
- 7:00 Nancy Vultaggio requested by
Loving Family
- 9:00 John Patrick O'Halloran requested by
The Nissen Family
- 9:00 Joseph Onufrak requested by
Loving Wife & Family
- 10:30 Peter & Richard McQuillan requested by Claire & Jim
- 10:30 Joseph Foy requested by The Salazar & Shilt Family
- 12:00 Phyllis Mauro requested by Anthony Nicotri
- 12:00 Jane M Favale requested by Ryan Ryder
- 5:00 Louis Basso requested by Jessica Wolfert
- 5:00 John Enson requested by Laura & Gerald Pray

Monday, June 12

- 7:00 Aileen Callahan requested by Loving Family
- 7:00 Diana Ferrara requested by Loving Dad & Mom
- 9:00 Catherine Gracey requested by Loving Family
- 9:00 Augusto Lucas requested by Loving Family

Tuesday, June 13, St Anthony of Padua

- 7:00 For the People of the Parish
- 8:45 Elizabeth Pring requested by Kim Trink
- 8:45 Charles Stillwagon requested by Peggy Pugliese & Manny
- 7:30PM In Honor of St Anthony

Wednesday, June 14

- 7:00 William Vitulli (living) requested by
Thomas, Michael & Ashleigh DuBritz
- 7:00 Mr & Mrs LoBrutto & Lilly requested by Loving Family
- 9:00 Manuela Pardo requested by Francisco & Maria Pilar
- 9:00 Miss Bernie Fitzgerald requested by
Richard & Laura Lucivero

Thursday, June 15

- 7:00 For Our Beloved Dead
- 9:00 Francis Flynn requested by Clara Kirschner
- 9:00 Mary Vindish requested by Loving Family

Friday, June 16

- 7:00 For the Intentions of the Celebrant
- 9:00 Marie Campagne requested by Jaconetti Family
- 9:00 Jane Favale requested by The Brady Family
- 7:00PM SJS Graduation Prayer Service

Saturday, June 17

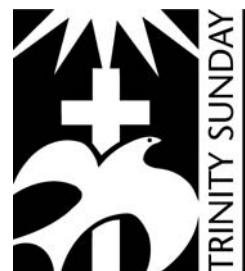
- 8:00 Jack Meyers requested by The Lowis Family
- 8:00 Charles Fernandez requested by John F Burchil

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

- 5:00 Father's day Novena Intentions

Sunday, June 18, Body & Blood of Christ

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



FROM THE DESK OF FR. MIKE

What is the Blessed Trinity? Better yet, who is The Blessed Trinity? This great mystery of our faith is perhaps the hardest for people to comprehend or totally explain to those who are not Christians (and even to those who are). In fact, this is still a hard concept, and throughout the 2000 year history of the Church many people and groups decided to ignore the Church's teachings and understanding and come up with their own. In the early days of the Church we had the *Arians* with their belief that Jesus was not really God, but a demi-god who the Father sent to earth. Of course this heresy (wrong belief) was put down by the calling of *The Council of Nicaea, 325 AD*, by the *Emperor Constantine* because this controversy was causing bloodshed throughout the Empire. This Great Council decided that anyone who did not believe that Jesus was *God from God, Light from Light, True God from True God*, was in error. So important was this Council and its *Creed* (a statement of beliefs) that we incorporated into every Sunday's Liturgy, to be said as a Profession of what we truly believe.

Later on some would come up with the idea that Jesus was not a True Human Being, but the Second Person of The Blessed Trinity only pretending to be Human! Yes, He was 100% God, only pretending to die on the Cross (because they could not believe or comprehend how God could die). There are many churches still in existence that share this unorthodox belief. The Church has always taught that Jesus is 100% God and 100% Human, having both a Divine and Human Nature. And if you think all of this happened only in the first centuries of the Church's History and after that all was well, guess again! In our own time we have groups that do not believe in the Divinity of Christ and call Jesus either a saint (as in *The Church of Jesus Christ and Latter Day Saints*) or that God the Father rewarded the human being, Jesus, with the gift of eternal life because of the great sacrifice he offered to God.

What is the true Orthodox Teaching of the Church held by all Christians (Roman Catholics, Eastern Orthodox, and Main Stream Protestants)? That there is **ONE GOD who exists in THREE DIVINE PERSONS-The Father, The Son and The Holy Spirit**. Each Divine Person is equally God, each of the Divine Persons shares in the Godhead, and each is (again human language not adequate to say the right words) a facet of the One and only True God, Wow, what does this mean for us? It means a great deal, but it is not easy to totally understand here in this life. Hopefully, we will understand it more in the next life, when we see God face to face. Remember I don't believe we will see 3 Gods, only the One, but we will experience, in seeing the One, each of the Three Divine Persons.

There is one aspect, however, that this great mystery of our faith tells us, and that is that our God exist in a loving relationship of the Three Divine Persons. In fact, as we believe, it is the Great Love between the Father and the Son that Generates the Holy Spirit. And this love which generates the Holy Spirit overflows into and is the force behind all

Creation, including and especially us! How did we learn about the Blessed Trinity, by Jesus' words in the Gospel, when He speaks about His relationship with the Father and how the Apostles were to wait for the coming of the Holy Spirit and as seen in today's Gospel Passage. We also were enlightened by the power of the Holy Spirit poured out upon the Church at Pentecost. Again what should matter to us as we contemplate this mystery for this year is that God does exist in this loving relationship and since we are made in the image and likeness of God so should we! We should exist in love with God, with others, and especially with ourselves-for if we do not love ourselves, we cannot love God and others. This love should be unconditional, self-giving, and life-giving. Let us pray to God (Father, Son and Holy Spirit) that we too can share in the loving relationship of the Trinity and love and life of The Body of Christ.

Next week we will celebrate the *Solemnity of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)* and to celebrate this great day we will have a **Procession with the Blessed Sacrament** following the 12 Noon Mass. The Procession will stop at various places on the Church Grounds that represent the various ministries found in the parish. We will stop at Parish Outreach (for the parish's social ministry and service to the poor) the School (for the parish's commitment to Christian Education through our School, Religious Education Program, Adult Ed, and The RCIA), the Rectory (for all of the parish work that occurs through the parish office and priests and deacons), the Main Altar of the Church (the Sacramental, Liturgical Ministry of the parish) and one more stop, actually the 1st stop in front of The Knights of Columbus Council (in recognition for all the Knights, Columbiettes, and Squires do for the parish and the Church as whole). Also a very special thank you to the St. Regis Knights of Columbus, the Columbiettes, the Matola Family, and Mr. Philip Lombardi for donating the Baldechino we will use in the Procession to Protect the Blessed Sacrament. We will have light refreshments on the rectory lawn following the Procession and Benediction and Reposing of The Blessed Sacrament.

Next weekend is also Father's Day and we will remember all of our Fathers Living and Deceased in our Father's Day Novena of Masses. To have your Father(s) remembered at these Masses please use the envelopes in your envelope packet or one can be found on the window ledges in the church.

Let us pray: God, we praise you: Father all-powerful, Christ Lord and Savior, Spirit of love. You reveal yourself in the depths of our being, drawing us to share in your life and love. One God, three Persons, be near to the people formed in your image, close to the world your love brings to life. We ask you this Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God true living, for ever and ever. Amen.

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)

Religious Education

Monday and Thursday 9 am to 4 pm
Tuesday and Wednesday 10 am to 4 pm
The office is **closed** on Fridays.



The Religious Ed Office will be closing on June 22nd. Please send in your registration forms prior to this date. Please mail them in **ASAP**.

Any child entering **Grade 1** in September should be registered for our two year Communion prep program beginning with **level 1**. Call Religious Ed at 981-1805 and we will send you the forms.

Registration forms for the **Vacation Bible** school are available at our office. If you wish to register, please call. This program is for grades K thru 4. It will be held from July 24th to July 28th. Fee \$40.00 one child, \$70.00 family of 2, \$100 family of 3 or more. (includes a t-shirt)

We also have registration for **Sunday School**, please call our office for forms. This program is for 3, 4 and 5 year olds.

Congratulations to our Sacrament Readiness Teen group who were Confirmed on Pentecost Sunday, they are Robinson Guzman, Krystal and Nicole Jimenez, Tina Rodriguez, Kiel Rohring, Michael Sordillo and Barry Wood. Congratulations also to William Poffenbarger who was Confirmed two weeks ago.

**St Joseph's School**

Thank you to all who participated in our Golf Outing. You helped to make the day very successful!

Congratulations to Ashley DiGregorio, Matthew Lanotte, and Casey McCormack who received recognition on Tuesday, June 6 at our school Mass. They received awards from the Respect Life Office in Rockville Centre.

Our 8th graders enjoyed a luncheon with their families this Thursday, June 8th. At that time they also received their yearbooks and autograph albums.

This week our Moving-Up ceremonies will be for Nursery, Pre-kindergarten and Kindergarten children. Our 8th graders will be graduating on Friday, June 16th.

Registration is on-going for the 2006-2007 school year. Please contact the school office for information and a tour at 588-4760.

**Baptisms**

Lana Belle Roa Cain	Kaylee Marie Dean
Nicolina Rose DiFilippo	Victoria Elizabeth Douglas
Angelina Madison Haufler	Jayden Thomas Mayer
Jillian Claire Mayer	Heather Marie Miras
Jaycee Therese Oreszczyn	Ryan Philip Shannon
Ryan Christopher Zoufaly	

Outreach

For the month of May we serviced 147 clients. Financial assistance amounted to \$5,994. There were 13 new clients added and total services and referrals provided were 282. This included food, living needs, Health Care information, advocacy and housing. Your continued support of the Outreach Program makes all of this possible. Thank you.





RESPECT LIFE

The abortion toll, courtesy of Planned Parenthood:

If we add together all PP surgical abortions for every year since it began killing children in 1970, we find that PP has killed more than 3,800,000 innocent human persons in its own facilities by surgical abortion alone.

At American Life League, a nationally known pro-life organization, STOPP International's project was to do a comprehensive survey of every Planned Parenthood facility in the country (you can find the survey online at www.ALL.org/stopp). What they found is that PP operates a total of 872 full service and express clinics across the country. Of that number 173 do surgical abortions – 255,000 per year. There is no other organization or medical person that runs anywhere near that number of surgical abortion facilities or does anywhere near a quarter of a million abortions per year. Thus, PP is the biggest abortionist in the country. If this offends you, and you would like to play a part in dismantling this group, consider this non-violent (but persistent) pro-life activity: Attend a prayer vigil at these pro-life witnessing sites, locally. If you have an hour or two on Wednesday or Saturday mornings from 7 to 11 a.m., go to 70 Maple Avenue, Smithtown. This is a weekly witnessing. The contact telephone number is 631-979-7017. The other one is at 200 Motor Parkway, Hauppauge, on the first Saturday of the month, from 10:30 a.m. until 12 noon. The contact number for this one is 631-586-3807. You must know that peaceful assembly on public property near an abortion site is a lawful First Amendment right and privilege. But - never remain at a site alone, for your own protection.

“Light is the task where many share the toil.”

Homer

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

Festival Raffle

The results are in and John J Mahon has won the **first** Early Bird drawing for \$100. Congratulations John! You can be a winner too. Purchase your raffle ticket for \$20 - the sooner the better - and you will be entered in the Early Bird Drawings as well as the main drawing in July. You've got to be in it to win it!!



Weekly Offering

Sunday, June 4, 2006 Offerings	\$16,449
Same collection last year	16,192
Number of envelopes	671
Religious Retirement Collection	\$1499.
Same collection last year	3717.
Poor Box last weekend	\$524
Fuel Collection to Date	\$13,564
Fuel Expenses 9/1/05 thru 5/31/06	40,413

*Thank you again for your generous support.
God Bless You Always, Fr Mike*

Banns of Marriage

(Second Time)

- Michelle Millard of St Joseph's and Sean P Burke of St Sylvester's
- Brianne Chemnitz of St. Joseph's and Timothy Lupica of Florida
- Susan Geerders of St Joseph's and Brian Tiernan of St Sylvester's
- Laura Trinchitella of Coram and Alphonse Churillo of St Joseph's
- Jennifer DiMattei of St Joseph's and Robert Poach II of St Margaret's
- Pamela Lane of St Joseph's and Jason Hansen of Assumption of the BVM
- Anne A Devenney of St Joseph's and Nicholas A Meyer of Holtsville
- Jennifer Hacker of St Joseph's and Sean M Johnson of St Mary's
- Rosanne Papalia of St Joseph's and Kenneth Schiffbauer of St John's
- Lisa Allen of St Joseph's and Keith Colvin of Port Jefferson
- Jill N Devlin of Assumption of the BVM and Harold J Smith III of St Joseph's
- Elizabeth Pimentel of St Joseph's and Rui Correia of Corpus Christi
- Elizabeth Hornak of St Joseph's and William Roeder of Good Shepherd
- Dana Aiello of St Joseph's and Joseph Tafe of Our Lady of Snow



Mark Your Calendars

- June 12 Baptism Class 8PM Rectory
- June 13 7:30 PM Mass in honor of St Anthony
- June 18 Corpus Christi Procession after 12PM Mass
- June 24 Right to Life Newsletter Folding 8-12:30
- June 24 & 25 Time & Talent Weekend
- June 30 Volunteer Appreciation Night
- July 3 Baptism Class 8PM Rectory
- July 19-23 **PARISH FESTIVAL**
- July 24-28 Vacation Bible School

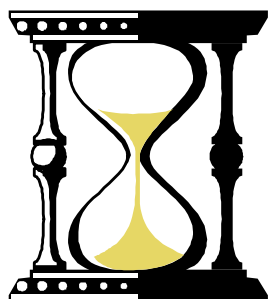


CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2006

COUNTDOWN TO OUR GOAL

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

Pledged to Date \$67,979



We have received \$1845 in pledges to the Catholic Ministries Appeal in the past two weeks. We thank all who had made their pledge and ask those who have not yet done so, to please make a pledge. We are coming to the end of the appeal and are still short of our goal.

The CMA office recently mailed out a letter to all parishioners as a final plea for help with this years campaign. If you did not receive it but wish to make a pledge, please do so ASAP using the tear off below. Thank you.

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

Shining In His Hands

*God is holding your life within His hands like a precious stone, polishing it
With experience,*

With challenges

And choices and changes ...

God is holding your life within His hands,

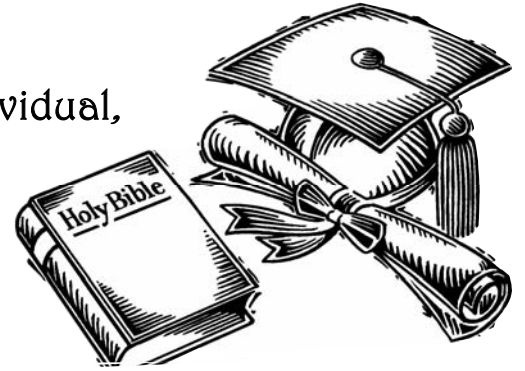
Watching you change over time into a unique individual,

A shining reflection

Of His purpose,

Of His promise,

Of His love.



May God bless you on your graduation and always.



Anniversary Celebration

*St Joseph Parish is planning a special Mass
on*

Sunday, September 24th at 3:00PM

To honor and bless couples

who have celebrated their

25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary

since

February of 2004

Watch this space for more information !



St. Anthony of Padua

Doctor of the Church

b.1195 d.1231

Feast Day June 13th

Mass at 7:30 PM

Saint Anthony was canonized a saint less than one year after his death.

There is perhaps no more loved and admired saint in the Catholic Church than Saint Anthony of Padua, a Doctor of the Church. Though his work was in Italy, he was born in Portugal. He first joined the Augustinian Order and then left it and joined the Franciscan Order in 1221, when he was 26 years old. The reason he became a Franciscan was because of the death of the five Franciscan protomartyrs -- St. Bernard, St. Peter, St. Otho, St. Accursius, and St. Adjutus -- who shed their blood for the Catholic Faith in the year 1220, in Morocco, in North Africa, and whose headless and mutilated bodies had been brought to St. Anthony's monastery on their way back for burial. St. Anthony became a Franciscan in the hope of shedding his own blood and becoming a martyr. He lived only ten years after joining the Franciscan Order.



So simple and resounding was his teaching of the Catholic Faith, so that the most unlettered and innocent might understand it, that he was made a Doctor of the Church by Pope Pius XII in 1946. Saint Anthony was only 36 years old when he died. He is called the "hammer of the Heretics" His great protection against their lies and deceits in the matter of Christian doctrine was to utter, simply and innocently, the Holy Name of Mary. When St. Anthony of Padua found he was preaching the true Gospel of the Catholic Church to heretics who would not listen to him, he then went out and preached it to the fishes. This was not, as liberals and naturalists are trying to say, for the instruction of the fishes, but rather for the glory of God, the delight of the angels, and the easing of his own heart. St. Anthony wanted to profess the Catholic Faith with his mind and his heart, at every moment.

He is typically depicted with a book and the Infant Child Jesus, to whom He miraculously appeared, and is commonly referred to today as the "finder of lost articles." Upon exhumation, some 336 years after his death, his body was found to be corrupted, yet his tongue was totally incorrupt, so perfect were the teachings that had been formed upon it.

Prayer to St Anthony

Holy Saint Anthony, gentle and powerful in your help, your love for God and charity for His creatures, made you worthy, when on earth, to possess miraculous powers. Miracles waited on your word, which you were always ready to request for those in trouble or anxiety. Encouraged by this thought, I implore you to obtain for me (request). The answer to my prayer may require a miracle. Even so, you are the Saint of miracles. Gentle and loving Saint Anthony, whose heart is ever full of human sympathy, take my petition to the Infant Savior for whom you have such a great love, and the gratitude of my heart will ever be yours. Amen.



St Joseph's "Fiesta" Vacation Bible School

**In just a few weeks,
we're having a FIESTA!**

Location: St Joseph's



Fiesta will last: One Week

Fiesta fun begins at : 9:30 on Monday, July 24

Fiesta fun ends at: 12:30 on Friday, July 28

Who's invited: children in grades K to 4

For more information call: 981-9314

**Registration forms are in :
Religious Education Office & The Rectory.**

**Fees : \$40 one child/ \$70 family of two
\$100 family of three or more.**

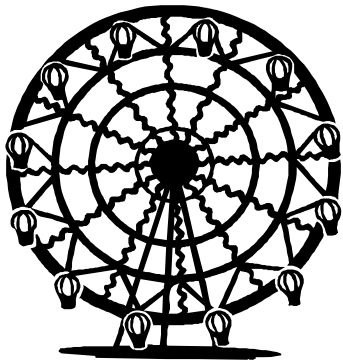


**We are in need of volunteer leaders. A
leader can be an Adult or High School
student with the desire to have a fun
filled week. If you are able to help
please call Mary Lou at 981-9314.**

St. Joseph R. C. Church's

11TH ANNUAL FAMILY FESTIVAL

**FREE ADMISSION
DAILY**



Church Street, Ronkonkoma

JULY 19 to 23

Wed & Thurs. 7 to 10 :30 pm

Fri 7 to 11 pm

Sat. 6 to 11 pm

Sun. 6 to 10 pm



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Tantone & Gulotta

Tax & Financial Services

Z & J News Service

St Joseph CYO Soccer

St Joseph's CYO/Ronkonkoma Travel Soccer will have open tryouts for boys and girls Ages 9 and up.

Tryouts will take place at the Ronkonkoma Middle School on June 12th, 14th and 22nd.

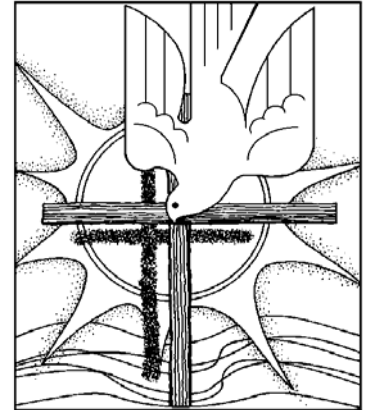
Visit our website

<http://www.ronkonkomasc.com/> or call Tony at 737-5159 for more information. Call Kevin at 567-9639 for additional information on tournaments and college showcase teams.



Confirmation Corner

Parents of Level 7 Confirmation Candidates. If you have not sent in the registration forms for the November 27 Confirmation please do so.



The Religious Education Office closes for the summer in June. Thank you.

Seniors Wanted:

Spend time and share life experience with young people. Volunteer to be a part of the world's largest and most successful youth development program.

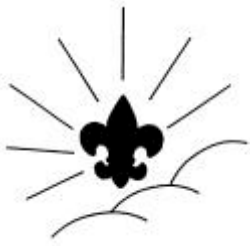
Training provided –

Local assignments available –

Handicap accessible -

Call Ryan Bieler at Trailblazer District, Suffolk County Council, BSA - (631) 924-7000 ext. 29 to arrange for an interview.

Warning: *Scouting often causes you to feel younger.*



Our Grace Fundraiser

June 24th, 2006

7PM

Ronkonkoma Firehouse

A night of comedy will be held at the firehouse on Portion Rd in Lake Ronkonkoma. Tickets are \$35 each. For more information call Tom Peshkur at 732-5040 or Gail Griffin at 737-1461.

Grace Catherine Peshkur was born on March 29th, 2002 with a rare, devastating genetic disease. She has the worst possible form of Epidermolysis Bullosa (Recessive Dystrophic). Her condition is so rare that the medical community has difficulty treating it at times. Grace has blisters all over her body as well as internal problems. She has special bandages that must be wrapped around most of her body twice every day. The "dressing" changes require 4 adults and last anywhere from one to two hours. Because Grace needs constant care, Grace's mother is unable to work. Her father works full time for Verizon. Still, he devotes long hours to tend for his daughter. As you can imagine, this is a very difficult way to raise a newborn. Please keep Grace and her family in your prayers. For the millions of you who have healthy newborns, babies, toddlers and children, be thankful every second, every minute, every hour and every day for God's blessings.

Giving

Summertime and the living is easy, but not for all.

Your contribution in the Poor Boxes can help relieve the burdens and distresses of the poor.



Courtesy Announcements

Job Opportunities at the Ronkonkoma Cenacle :

Phone Rep - FT - good phone skills, detail oriented, computer literate. Benefits. Call Linda 588-8366 ext 503

Dining Room Server - per diem weekend 3 hour shifts. Must be flexible in scheduling. Call Linda 588-8366 ext 503

Seton Hall High School Class of 1956 - 50th Reunion Come join us the weekend of Sept 15th -17th, 2006. For information about the reunion , please contact Marie Wood Koflerl at 631-588-6628.

Porch Chats for women with Sister Pat Duffy beginning Thursdays July 6th to July 27 from 7-8:15PM at Mary Immaculate Church on Browns Lane in Bellport. No reservations needed-bring a friend and a lawn chair - if it rains we'll use the little church. Free will offering.

St John the Baptist High School summer Sports Camps including Boys & Girls Basketball, Boys & Girls Lacrosse, Girls Volleyball, Boys & Girls Soccer, Boys & Girls Tennis, baseball, Softball, Cheerleading, Wrestling, Football, Cross Country & Track. Weekly camps June 26 through August 4th. Please call St John the Baptist Athletic office at 631-587-8000 ext 164 for more information.

Marriage Encounter Weekends - go from just "good" to GREAT ! If you would like greater depth, growth and enrichment in your relationship you'll love what a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can do for you. Upcoming weekend August 18-20. Reserve your spot now by calling 1-866-499-6354.



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. Classes in American Sign Language, levels 1-5, are being offered from July 3 - August 9th for both children (age 10 & up) and adults. Call Carolyn Kelly at 588-0530 for information.

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.

Pastoral Formation Institute - a 2 year process of Spiritual & Theological Formation with a 3rd year of specific ministry training for Laity in the Diocese of Rockville Centre. Classes available mornings, evenings or Saturdays and at St Thomas More, Hauppauge on Tuesdays from 10am to 12 noon. Formation weekends, workshops and retreats. Outstanding instructors and presenters. For more information or for an application call Jeanne at 516-678-5800 ext 510 or e-mail jsavage@drvc.org .

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

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