



# St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

*Let us build the City of God!*

## Our Mission:

By our loving service and works of mercy, we invite every person to know Jesus Christ, present in the Word and the breaking of the Bread, so that all may accept his gift of salvation.

## Nuestra Misión:

Por nuestro servicio amoroso y las obras de misericordia, invitamos a cada persona a conocer a Jesucristo, presente en la Palabra y en la fracción del Pan, para que todos puedan aceptar su don de salvación.

## Come pray with us!

### Masses

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 7:00, 9:00, 10:30, Noon, 5:00 PM

Misa en Español 6:30 PM

Weekdays: 7:00 & 9:00 AM Saturday 8:00 AM

### Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays 2:00 - 7:00 PM (except holidays)

First Friday 7:30 - 8:30 PM Holy Hour

**Rosary:** After Daily Masses

**Reconciliation:** Mon, Wed, Fri: after morning masses

Sat: after 8:00 AM mass and 4:00 - 4:45 PM

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You can follow us on  
Facebook, Instagram, or our  
website at



stjosephronkonkoma.org

September 22, 2019 — Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

# St. Joseph Outreach Resources

## Emergency Resources

Response of Suffolk County Crisis Hotline (24/7)  
631-751-7620 or 631-751-7500  
www.responsehotline.org

Victims Information Bureau of Suffolk - VIBS  
Domestic violence, rape, sexual assault, elder abuse:  
www.vibs.org                      www.inforatvibs.org  
631-360-3730 or 631-360-3606 24hr for rape  
& domestic violence

Suffolk County Coalition Against Domestic Violence  
Hotline: 631-666-8833                      www.sccadv.org

The Retreat (Domestic Violence) Shelter  
631-329-2200 (24/7 hotline)                      www.theretreat.org

Brighter Tomorrows (Domestic Violence)  
Hotline: 631-395-1800

Islip Hotline (Crisis Hotline) 631-277-4700

Runaway Hotline 631-549-8700                      1-800-621-4000

American Red Cross (Suffolk County Chapter)  
631-924-6700                      www.redcross.org/ny/suffolk

Child Abuse    1-800-342-3720 (24 hour)

HIV and AIDS Teen Hotline  
1-800-440-TEEN (Fri/Sat 6:30PM—midnight)

## Pregnancy Care

Birthright of Nassau/Suffolk 631-785-4070

Life Center of LI Pregnancy Care 631-243-0066

## Prayer and Devotion Opportunities

### **Our Lady of Fatima Devotion**

Our Lady came to Fatima and promised that the whole world would be at peace, and that many souls would go to heaven if her requests were listened to and obeyed.

In response to her requests, the First Saturday of each month is devoted to Our Lady of Fatima. This devotion includes 8:00 AM mass, a novena to Our Lady of Fatima, the Rosary, and the opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. All are welcome.

### **Monday Exposition and Benediction**

Every Monday afternoon the Blessed Sacrament is exposed from 2:00 PM until 7:00 PM. This opportunity for prayer ends with Benediction beginning at about 6:45 PM and ending at 7:00 PM

You can come at any time for any length of time.  
Make a weekly appointment to spend time with Jesus!

## Family Resources

Child Health Plus Information and Referral  
1-800-522-5006(24 hour)

Child Care Council of Suffolk 631-362-0303  
www.childcaresuffolk.org

Family Services League of Suffolk County  
631-427-3700                      www.fsl.li.org

Hope House Ministries 631-928-2377  
www.hhm.org

Islip Town Teen Parent Resource Center  
631-224-9766

Suffolk County Department of Health Services  
Project Hope Mothers' Group  
631-853-3035 (call for locations)  
www.co.suffolk.ny.us/health

Haven House/Bridges 631-231-3619  
www.tsli-hhb.org

Catholic Charities DRVC Talbot House  
Chemical Dependency Crisis Center  
631-589-4144  
www.catholiccharities.cc

## Support Groups

Alcoholics Anonymous 631-869-1124

Gamblers Anonymous 631-586-7171

Narcotics Anonymous 631-689-6262

Overeaters Anonymous 631-260-6615

Al-anon Suffolk County 631-669-2827  
info@AL-Anon-Suffolk-NY.org

### **First Friday Holy Hour**

Every First Friday of the month we have a Holy Hour before the exposed Blessed Sacrament. This prayer runs from 7:30 PM until 8:30 PM, closing with Benediction.

### **St Joseph Men's Prayer Group**

We meet every Tuesday evening at 7:30 PM in the Church where we pray the Rosary. Afterward we move to the main vestibule for coffee, donuts and fellowship. This is a great opportunity to be strengthened in your commitment as a Catholic man just by spending time with others like you!

### **Come Pray Anytime During the Day**

Our church opens at 6:30 AM and remains open all day for anyone who wants to make a prayerful visit. Please come and have some quiet time with God in the midst of our busy (and sometimes loud) world.

**Serving Your Sacramental Needs**

**The Sacrament of Baptism**

The Sacrament is celebrated on Sundays at 1:30 PM and on the first Saturday of each month. Parents, please call the parish office to arrange a meeting with a priest.

**The Sacrament of Eucharist**

See front cover for mass times. If you are sick for an extended period of time or are homebound, contact the parish office to have someone bring Communion to you.

**The Sacrament of Confirmation**

School aged children can prepare for this Sacrament by contacting our Faith Formation Office. Adults who have yet to be Confirmed should contact the Parish Office

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation**

As listed on front cover or call the office to see a priest.

**The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick**

This Sacrament is for the living. We celebrate this Sacrament each Spring and Fall for those who are chronically ill, advanced in age, or who are about to undergo surgery or hospitalization. We can arrange the Sacrament at other times by calling the Parish Office.

**Emergencies:** Call the office to speak to a priest.

**Nighttime emergencies** (631) 538-7219

**The Sacrament of Matrimony**

Bride or Groom please call the office at least six months before your desired wedding date to begin preparations for marriage. Please make contact with the parish **before** making other wedding day plans!

**The Sacrament of Holy Orders**

If you feel called to serve in the church as a priest deacon or in consecrated religious life, call the office to speak to one of the priests or deacons for guidance.

**Interested in possibly becoming Catholic?**

Contact the rectory to arrange a meeting to discuss your questions. We have classes to help people learn about our faith and decide if becoming Catholic is best for you. This whole process of inquiry and potential conversion is called RCIA—The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

**We will respect your personal journey with God!**

**Altar Bread & Wine**

*In Memory of  
Mickelson & Williams Families  
Requested by  
Barbara Mickelson*



**OUR LITURGY**

From the Prophet Amos comes a warning to the people of the Northern Kingdom of Israel that God sees those who take advantage of or mistreat the poor and needy, and he will not *forget a thing they have done*. In Paulo's Letter to Timothy, he asks for prayers for those in authority - that they be pleasing to the Lord. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the dishonest steward, and says that a person must be trustworthy in Matters big and small. For no one can *serve both God and mammon*.

**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Sunday, Sept. 22 (Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

- 7:00 William Foy (Gloria & Lou)
- 9:00 Betty & Tom Mullins (Loving Family), Anna & Gasper Crimauo (Loving Family), Eileen Hardie Tare (Carolyn Schwietzer), Virginia A. Stark (Sean & Suzanne Kiernan), Darwin William Kenney (Mr. & Mrs. Riccardelli & Family), Jorge Justiniano (George, Clarisse & Family)
- 10:30 Francisco Rosa (Loving Family)
- 12:00 Stephen Gallagher (Loving Parents)
- 5:00 Nick Lore (Yolanda & Mitch Schwartz)
- 6:30 **Spanish Mass**

**Monday, Sept. 23**

- 7:00 Georgiana Lopez (Loving Family)
- 9:00 Marie Califano (Loving Husband)

**Tuesday, Sept. 24**

- 7:00 Elizabeth Ross (Loving Family)
- 9:00 Nina Santopadre (Sally & Giulio Ferrante)

**Wednesday, Sept. 25**

- 7:00 Rose Sullivan (Nancy & Joette)
- 9:00 Fr. Mike Rieder (LIVING) (Geri & Mike Devenney)

**Thursday, Sept. 26**

- 7:00 Nancy Ortiz (Nancy Stursberg)
- 9:00 Joseph P. Hedgecock (Anne Fish & Family)

**Friday, Sept. 27**

- 7:00 James J. Heiman (Loving Sister Helen)
- 9:00 Craig Plunkett (Dotty Block)

**Saturday, Sept. 28**

- 8:00 Nick Cordasci (Loving Wife)
- 5:00 Joanne Callahan (Loving Family), Lucy Giordano (Joseph Heiselmann), Raymond Grieb (Shepherds Table), Charles Edward Horton (Gail Flores & Walter Mytko), Isabella Altamore (The Addiss Family)

**Sunday, Sept. 29 (Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

- 7:00 Cornelius J. Dunleavy (Loving Wife Ann)
- 9:00 Jorge Justiniano (Eddie, Tara & Family)
- 10:30 Catherine West (Eileen & Tom McManus), David Maggio (Monet & Rusel Roxas), Jerard McMahan (Kathleen Badger), Frank Verde (Julia Fini), Helen West (Edward Gabriel), For the People of the Parish
- 12:00 Anthony Catalano (Respect Life Ministry)
- 5:00 Jerry Spero & Wife Lucy (Rosemarie)
- 6:30 **Spanish Mass**

**REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED**

*Isabella Altamore, Helen Olenick, Angelo Cutrone*

*our deceased soldiers and all of our  
deceased relatives and friends.*



*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen*

## Light Of The World

It is a challenge to do all that Jesus says. For instance, in Matthew 5:16, he says to let your light shine so they will see the good that you do and glorify your heavenly Father. Then in Matthew 6:1 he says be careful not to perform righteous deeds in order that people will see them.

What is the balance?

We call it witnessing. Letting my light shine to glorify God and not me is being a witness to God's goodness.

### **Two ways we can witness**

Our book of prayer intentions and works of mercy is an invitation to witness - not to boast. We invite people to write down the times they met Jesus in a work of mercy (given or received) so that we can offer that to God in our prayer. I am pretty sure that all who write in this book do so anonymously so they are glorifying God and not themselves.'

Another form of witness is through ministry - service. Our Sunday celebrations include many forms of public ministry. The nature of this service is public, but it is not done to show off. Thank you to all who serve in these ways at Sunday Masses.

There are also many other forms of ministry in our parish that are a little less visible but all are called to be witnesses to God's goodness through these forms of service.

### **We want to see your light shine**

On the weekend of October 5 - 6 we are having a Parish Ministry Fair. This is an opportunity for each ministry to let their unique light shine. The primary purpose of a Ministry Fair is to see the good that is done and to give glory to God for it all. It is also an opportunity for people to learn about different ministries and maybe you will feel drawn to joining that ministry.

So stick around after mass that weekend and see all the good that is done in our community. Works of mercy are contagious - so maybe you will want to also get involved and let your light shine!

-Fr Mike

## Mark Your Calendars

It may seem early, but please mark your calendars for Tuesday, November 26 when we will host Ronkonkoma's annual **Ecumenical Thanksgiving Prayer Service**.

This prayer service is a great way for us to get together with our "Cousins in the Faith" from the other local Churches to share some things we all have in common - grateful thankful hearts and total trust in God.

After the Word Service, we invite everyone down to Carew Hall for snacks and conversation. Hope to see many of you there!

-Fr Mike

## Crisis Really Means Crossroads

Long before I was anywhere near midlife, I was in a class that included a section on midlife crisis. Even though it seemed premature to be there, I learned a few things. While not the first, one definition of the word crisis is crossroads or turning point.

For many years it was almost forbidden to discuss a vocation crisis in our diocese. Well, there is really no denying it anymore. We are at a turning point in how we are going to be Church with fewer priests. We are a community centered on the Eucharist and we need priests to celebrate Eucharist (even though that is far from the only thing we do).

Just to give you an idea of the depth of the situation, in June 12 priests retired and 6 men were ordained for our diocese - do the math. Two friends of mine are currently pastors of multiple parishes and there may be more of that on the horizon. There are 14 new priests, who, like Fr Bala and Vitus, generously came from other countries to serve here. Some, because of visa issues, have not yet arrived.

Our parish has been given the gift of advanced notice regarding the fact that, When Fr. Bala leaves next year, he will not be replaced and we will become a 2 priest parish. We are at a turning point.

**By the way, Fr. Bala has generously offered his services next summer so that Fr Vitus and I can get some time away for renewal.**

**But as of Sunday June 28, 2020, we will be a two priest parish and our Sunday and weekday mass schedule will reflect that.**

I have already heard all sorts of things from suggestions to threats to predictions about the schedule of masses.

The truth is, at this crossroads, the pastoral staff is doing a very good job of honestly and diligently looking at the needs of everyone in the parish as we create a schedule that reflects our new reality.

Notice - we are looking at "needs" not "wants" and we know that not everyone is going to be pleased with the final outcome. As of this writing, the discussion is continuing so the mass schedule beginning June 28, 2020 is not yet carved in stone.

Let's get back to the idea of the vocation crisis as being a crossroads. When we are at a crossroads, the reality is we can only choose to go one way. It is impossible to go both - decisions have to be made. But once the decision is made, we move forward.

Our parish will go forward - just with two priests instead of three and two cannot effectively do the work that three had done.

I ask for your daily prayers for the Church in general and for St Joseph Parish in particular. Pray that we will move forward, even when the road is challenging. Pray that in the midst of the challenges we face, we will be open to God's will being done. And pray for priestly vocations!

-Fr Mike

### Nuestra Misión

Por amor a nuestro servicio y las obras de misericordia, invitamos a cada persona a conocer a Jesucristo, presente en la palabra y en la fracción del pan, para que todos puedan aceptar su don de salvación.

#### Celebraciones Sacramentales y otras informaciones para la Comunidad Hispana

##### El sacramento del bautismo

Padres, por favor llame a la oficina de la parroquia para hacer una cita con el Padre Michael Rieder (en español)  
(631) 588-8456

##### El Sacramento de la Eucaristía

Si estás enfermo por un prolongado tiempo en su hogar, llame a la rectoría para el servicio de Comunión en español o al correo ministeriohispano01@gmail  
(516) 320-4144 Sandra Chacón

##### El Sacramento de la Confirmación

Los niños en edad escolar pueden prepararse para este Sacramento llame a la Oficina de Formación de Fc. (631) 588-8456

##### El sacramento de la reconciliación

Lunes, Miércoles y Viernes después de la misa de las 9:00 am ó llame a la rectoría para hacer una cita con el Padre Michael Rieder para las confesiones en español.  
631-588-8456

##### El sacramento de la unción de los enfermos

Celebramos este Sacramento cada primavera y otoño, personas que están crónicamente enfermo, avanzado en edad o que está a punto de someterse una cirugía u hospitalización. Por favor llame a la Oficina Parroquial. **Emergencias nocturnas:** para hablar con un sacerdote. Llame al (631) 538-7219

##### El sacramento del matrimonio

Por favor llame a la oficina por lo menos seis meses, antes de la fecha de la boda deseada, antes de comenzar los preparativos para la boda.

##### El sacramento de orden sacerdotal

Si sientes el llamado a servir en la iglesia como un sacerdote diácono o en la vida religiosa consagrada, llame a la oficina para hablar uno de los sacerdotes o diáconos como guía.

##### RICA - Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos

Clases de formación religiosa para los adultos (mayores de 16 años) que necesiten algún sacramento de Iniciación (BAUTISMO, COMUNIÓN & CONFIRMACIÓN) en español. Necesita los siguientes documentos:  
\* Partida de nacimiento o Partida de Bautizo.

Diácono Rene Alvarado  
(631) 935-5942

Sandra Chacón (516) 320-4144  
ministeriohispano01@gmail.com

## Ministerio Hispano



No podéis servir  
a Dios y al dinero.



Abrimos esta semana centrándonos en el amor a Dios y al prójimo. Somos seres limitados y llenos de falencias, que nos pueden llevar a vaciar la vida del amor. Él nos llama a renovar la fe en Jesús, que nos liberó de lo que atenta contra la caridad. Por su lado, Jesús nos hace pensar que el camino de la corrupción, solo es adoración al dios dinero y una Felicidad pasajera.

**LECTURAS: XXV Domingo Ordinario -Ciclo C**  
1ra. Lectura: Amó 8, 4-7  
Lectura: I Timoteo 2, 1-8  
Evangelio: Lucas 16, 1-13

### No podéis servir a Dios y al dinero

Un cristiano que recibe el don de la fe en el Bautismo, pero que no lleva adelante este don por el camino del servicio, se convierte en un cristiano sin fuerza, sin fecundidad. Al final, se convierte en un cristiano para sí mismo, para servirse a sí mismo. Su vida es una vida triste.

El Señor nos dice que el servicio es único, no se pueden servir a dos amos: O Dios o las riquezas. Podemos alejarnos de esta actitud de servicio, primero, por un poco de pereza. Y esta pone tibio el corazón, la pereza te convierte en un cómodo:

La pereza nos aleja del servicio, y nos lleva a la comodidad, al egoísmo. Hay muchos cristianos así... son buenos, van a Misa, pero el servicio hasta aquí... Pero cuando digo servicio, digo todo: servicio a Dios en la adoración, en la oración, en las alabanzas; servicio al prójimo, cuando debo hacerlo; servicio hasta el final, porque Jesús en esto es fuerte: 'Así también vosotros, cuando hayáis hecho lo que se os ha ordenado, entonces decid somos siervos inútiles'. Servicio gratuito, sin pedir nada.

La otra posibilidad de alejarse de la actitud de servicio es adueñarse un poco de las situaciones. Algo que ha sucedido a los discípulos, a los mismos apóstoles: Alejaban a la gente para que no molestasen a Jesús, pero para estar cómodos ellos. Los discípulos se adueñaban del tiempo del Señor, se adueñaban del poder del Señor: lo querían para su grupito. Se adueñaban de esta actitud de servicio, transformándolo en una estructura de poder. Algo que se entiende viendo las discusiones para ver quién era el más grande entre Santiago y Juan. Y la madre, que va a pedirle al Señor que uno de sus hijos sea el primer ministro y el otro el ministro de economía, con todo el poder en sus manos. Esto sucede también hoy cuando los cristianos se convierten en amos: amos de la fe, amos del Reino, amos de la Salvación. Esta es una tentación para todos los cristianos. Sin embargo, el Señor nos habla de servicio en humildad, servicio en esperanza, y esta es la alegría del cristiano.

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# Respect Life



### Diocesan Pregnancy Support

If you or someone you know of is pregnant, and in need of support, Catholic Charities and Catholic Health Services, can provide assistance.

Please contact: 1 (855) 301-4CHS or visit [chsli.org/pregnancy-support-services](http://chsli.org/pregnancy-support-services)

### Gianna Center Fertility Awareness Classes

Free Introductory Fertility Care Class For PreCana Couples

Tuesday & Thursday Evenings at 7:00pm  
 at Gianna Center for Women's Health & Fertility  
 661 Deer Park Avenue Babylon NY  
 To Register for your class: [www.chsli.org/gianna-center-long-island](http://www.chsli.org/gianna-center-long-island) or cal 631-376-3232

### Gabriel's Courage - Catholic Health Services

A program for families expecting a child with a life limiting illness. Gabriel's Courage is a family-centered perinatal program, offering a multidisciplinary team approach and continuum of care for families who choose to continue a pregnancy after receiving a life-limiting prenatal diagnosis.

### Project Rachel - Hope After Abortion

Do you know someone who is suffering abortion loss? Project Rachel is a ministry about finding hope and healing after abortion.

For more information, visit the Project Rachel Hope After Abortion website, call the Respect Life Office's confidential phoneline: 1-888-456-HOPE (se habla espanol) 1-516-766-2538, or email [projectrachel@drvc.org](mailto:projectrachel@drvc.org) to begin healing after abortion loss.

En Español: [Esperanzaposaborto.org](http://Esperanzaposaborto.org)

### Upcoming Opportunity for Prayer and Healing Day of Prayer and Healing for Women - Saturday, November 9, 2019

Visit <http://respectlife.drvc.org/our-issues/abortion/> for more information.

### An Evening of Prayer for Men Suffering Abortion Loss Fall 2019 Date to Be Announced

Visit <http://respectlife.drvc.org/our-issues/abortion/> for more information.



## Our Prayer and Action In Building the City of God



Sunday Sept. 15th, Collections:	\$17,410
Same Week Last Year	\$14,856
Last Year Weekly Average was	\$17,858
Mass Attendance on Sun. Sept. 15th	1,256
Last Year Avg. Mass Attendance	1,385
Sept. Repairs & Maintenance:	
Monthly Donations	\$4,655
Special Donations:	
Fund Raising @ International Dinner	\$977
Special Donation	\$1,338
Total - Sept. 2019	\$6,970

## Baptism

Clayton James Celentano  
 Jack Ryan Connolly  
 Emma Giraldo  
 Giuliana Grillo

## Outreach Ministry

Parish Outreach is in dire need of Toiletries, Tuna Fish, Canned Fruit and Canned Meat.



If you can donate any of these items, please bring to the Outreach building or the Rectory.

Thank you in advance.



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45 Church St.  
Ronkonkoma, NY

Beginning Thursday, October 3, 2019  
from 7:15-8:45pm (A 6 week study)

in the Carew Hall ( lower Church)

PRESENTED BY:

Adult Faith Formation Ministry

Registration: Lobby: 9/28 & 9/29

Contact: Maryanne Trezza  
at [mtrezza@stjoronk.org](mailto:mtrezza@stjoronk.org)  
or 631-981-1805

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You are invited to join us  
for our

# October 5th and 6th Ministry Fair

After all masses outside on  
the Rectory Lawn

Please take an opportunity to come see  
the different roles you can play to help  
Build the City of God!

## BAKE SALE

Sponsored by  
Catholic Daughters of the Americas  
St. Joseph Court #975

When: Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup>  
Where: St. Joseph Church Vestibul e  
Time after all Sunday masses



*Proceeds from this very special bake sale will be donated to Friar Suppliers*

*This Catholic organization supplies food, shoes, clothing, housing, and many other life-supporting services to the children of the Alta Vista orphanage in Haiti*



This Fall, couples who have been married fifty years will be honored at a Mass on Sunday, November 3, 2019, 2:00pm at Maria Regina RC Catholic Church in Seaford, presided by Bishop Andrzej Zglejszewski. Registration forms and instructions can be obtained at the rectory. Space is limited, registration are accepted on a first come first served basis. The forms can also be found on our website [www.drvc-faith.org](http://www.drvc-faith.org). If you have questions. you may call 516-678-5800, extension 223.



## Scouting as Youth Ministry



**Cub Scout Pack 272**  
**Scout Troop 272**



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

For more information or to enroll your child, contact Dr. Louis Scotti at 979-0060 or e-mail [JoinScouting@StJoRonk.org](mailto:JoinScouting@StJoRonk.org).

**Pack, Troop, and Crew 272 have a YEAR-ROUND scouting program.**



## CYO Sport Programs

<http://stjoecyosports.com>

### Baseball:

Intramural (Coed, ages 4-16): Gene ☎ 588-1879

Travel \* (Boys) Vinny ☎ 521-5544

### Basketball:

Girls (nusig2002@yahoo.com) Brittney ☎ 445-9099

Clinic Division (Coed Grades K-2) Nick ☎ 585-7723

Boys Grades 3-12 Vinny ☎ 521-5544

Travel\* Vinny ☎ 521-5544

Track: (stjoesronktrack@gmail.com)

Boys & Girls Grades K-8 Tom/Jason 542-2134

### Soccer :

Intramural Boys & Girls(ages 3-13) Joe ☎ 585-0748

[jcaiolahome@gmail.com](mailto:jcaiolahome@gmail.com)

Travel (LIJSL): Jason ☎ 875-5209

[ronkonkomarattlesnakes@gmail.com](mailto:ronkonkomarattlesnakes@gmail.com)

### Softball:

Dennis ☎ 467-6174



## CYO Travel Basketball Tryouts

CYO will be having tryouts for Girls Travel Basketball grades 6,7,8 & 9.

If interested call Bob Christie ASAP (516)365-3259

## Venturing Events

*In Carew Hall after 5:00 PM Mass*

Venturing is open to men and women age 14 through 20 who have graduated from 8th Grade. This year's crew plan is jam packed with interesting and fun activities here at St. Joseph's and "off-campus" as well.

*Come to our meeting and check it out.*

**Visit our next meeting:**

**Setember 22, 2019 Tonight**

*e-mail: Crew272@StJoRonk.org*

*phone: Advisor Mike Keller (631) 872-7675*

***What did you do this weekend?***

## St Regis Columbiettes

**FALL CRAFT FAIR & YARD SALE**

**Columbiette Bake Sale**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13TH 9-5**  
**ST REGIS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
**2850 POND ROAD**  
**RONKONKOMA, NY**

**ADMISSION: FREE ALL WELCOME**

**TABLE FEES: YARD SALE TABLE:**  
**\$20 PER TABLE**

**CRAFT VENDOR FEE: \$25 PER TABLE**

**DEADLINE FOR TABLE**

**RESERVATIONS:**

**OCTOBER 1ST**

**For more information or table reservations call Vivian at (631) 588-2453.**





