

A photograph of a cemetery. In the foreground, a cluster of purple and white crocuses grows from the ground, which is covered in brown mulch. In the background, several tombstones are visible, some of which are dark and weathered. The scene is set outdoors with trees and foliage in the distance.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

455 Hunter Avenue, West Islip, NY 11795

November 2, 2025 The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed



WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY

New Parishioners are cordially invited to register as members of our Parish Family. Please call or visit the Parish Office.

November 2, 2025

All Are Welcome

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Pastoral Team

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7:00-9:00pm

Email: ReligiousEd@ollchurch.org

Sr. Nancy Campkin CSJ

Director of Religious Ed

Sr. Diane Liona CSJ

Director of Religious Ed

Rita Spera

Religious Education Office

Parish Outreach Office

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Monday - Wednesday - Friday: 9:30am-3:30pm

Call for an appointment

Trish Frodell

Director of Parish Social Ministry
Trish.frodell@ollchurch.org

Liturgy & Music

Robin Reynolds Brennan

Coordinator of Worship, Choir Director

Pastoral Council

Fr. Dennis A. Suglia

Phil Ambrosino

Mary Borgs

Sonia DaSilva

Nilo DeLeon

Jerry Esposito

Danielle Guilfoil

Deborah Lamb

Robert Lynaugh

Rosalie Mangels

John Muldoon

Dottie Perdue

Eileen Rega

Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Baptism

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment.

Marriage

Arranged at least six months in advance, please call the Parish Office.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

A process to be embraced by the Catholic Church. For non-Catholics and for Catholics who have never received formal religious education. If interested, please call the Parish Office.

Liturgical Schedule

Daily Mass

Monday - Saturday: 8:30am

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am,
12:30pm and 6:00pm

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturday: 4:00pm-4:45pm or by appointment

Rosary

Monday - Saturday: 8:00am

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday: 8:00am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday: 12:30-7:30pm

Divine Mercy Prayer

Thursday: 1:30pm

Nocturnal Adoration

1st Saturday of the Month: 6:00-10:00pm

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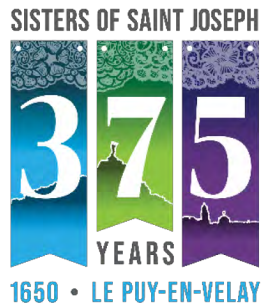
Cathy Danowski

SAGE Coordinator

Our Mission

As stewards of all that God has given us, the Parish Family of Our Lady of Lourdes serves and ministers to all those who come to this place.

Regardless of a person's history, ethnicity, gender, orientation, age or race, we commit ourselves to open wide the doors of our Parish to provide a place of welcome and hospitality.



Sister Diane is celebrating 60 years as a Sister of St Joseph!

*We must fan the flame of hope that has been given us,
and help everyone to gain new strength and certainty by*



*looking to the future
with an open spirit,
a trusting heart
and
far-sighted vision...*



...Pope Francis

**Please join us
Sunday, November 16, 2025
12:30pm Mass**

All are invited to a reception in the Cafeteria following Mass

Ministry of Consolation ~ Mass of Remembrance

We Remember - We Celebrate - We Believe

During the past year at Our Lady of Lourdes, more than 100 Funeral Masses were celebrated for members of our Parish Family who have died.

Their families are invited to participate in a special Mass of Remembrance on **Saturday, November 22 at 11:30am.**

Let us remember in prayer this day all who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith and for their families who mourn their passing - may they know of Christ's healing love.

Tuesday Adoration

Please note that during construction there will not be Tuesday Adoration as the church is inaccessible.

November 4th & November 11th

St. Joseph's in Babylon has Adoration weekdays 9am-8pm in the Chapel



Next weekend, November 8 & 9 there will be a second collection to support the Archdiocese for the Military.

Thank you for your generosity.



Book of the Names of the Deceased

Beginning November 2, and continuing throughout the month of November, a special book will be placed in the Sanctuary, inscribed with the names of all who have died in our Parish Family over the past year.

In prayer, let us remember all of these men and women who have gone before us, "marked with the sign of faith." May our united prayers help us to better understand and appreciate our faith in Christ, our risen Lord, who conquers sin and death and brings new life to all!



Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

What's it all about?

IF you are an adult AND

- + you were never Baptized
- + you were Baptized in another faith and would like to become a baptized Catholic
- + you never received Holy Communion (Eucharist)
- + you never received your Confirmation

IF you feel you would like to become a baptized Catholic or become more fully initiated into your Catholic faith...

...we would be happy to help you!

Our email address is:

OCIA@ollchurch.org

or call the Parish Office

at 631-661-3224



Lighting Project Update

The first phase of our church lighting project is underway! All is going smoothly so far and we are on track to complete Phase 1 by November 14th.

Just a reminder that the first phase of the project is addressing the perimeter, track and strip lighting in the church as well as the electrical controls. The second phase (which is scheduled to begin in early December) will involve replacing the pendant lighting fixtures in the church.

During the construction, the Church remains inaccessible and will not be used on weekdays (Monday– Friday).

Daily Mass is held in the Parish Center and has created a very intimate space for morning prayer and thanksgiving. There will not be Tuesday Adoration during construction (St. Joseph's in Babylon has Adoration from 9am-8pm in the Chapel). Please see the bulletin, website or call the Parish Office for information on the scheduling of other church activities.

Church access is prohibited during construction. Please use the Parish Outreach entrance on weekdays for Daily Mass and the Fr. Joe Door by the school or Parish Outreach entrance for evening events.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation during this time. Most especially, thank you for your generosity which enabled this much needed renovation.

God bless!



Weekly Readings

Readings for the Week of November 2, 2025

Sunday:	Wis 3:1-9, 23:1-6 Rom 5:5-11, Jn 6:37-40
Monday:	Rom 11:29-36/Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday:	Rom 12:5-16b/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday:	Rom 13:8-10/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday:	Rom 14:7-12/Lk 15:1-10
Friday:	Rom 15:14-21/Lk 16:1-8
Saturday:	Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Lk 16:9-15
Sunday:	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, November 2 - All Souls Day

- Mass & Children's Liturgy of the Word 9:30am
- Baptism 2pm
- Retrouvaille POST 6pm (PC)

All Masses in Church

Monday, November 3

- Miraculous Medal Novena 7:55am (PC)
- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am (PC)
- Pep 4 Rel. Ed. Class 4:15pm
- Rosary Christian Mothers 7pm (PC)

Tuesday, November 4

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am (PC)
- SAGE 9:30am (PC)
- Fall Bible Study 1pm (PC)
- Anxiety Recovery Group 2pm (APR)
- Frassati Young Adult Group 7:30pm (PC)

Wednesday, November 5

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am (PC)
- Prayer Shawl Ministry 9:30am (PC)
- Pep 1 Rel Ed. Class 4:15pm
- Our Lady of Fatima Honor Guard 7pm (PC)
- Fall Bible Study 7:30pm (APR)
- Gr. 8 Rel. Ed. Class 7:30pm

Thursday, November 6

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am (PC)
- Divine Mercy Prayer Group 1:30pm (PC)
- Pep 2 Rel. Ed. Class 4:15pm
- Fellowship Ministry Meeting 7pm (PC)
- BSA Troop 179 Meeting 7:30pm (APR/CAF)

Friday, November 7

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am (PC)
- Butterfly Memory Café 1:30pm (PC)
- Young Men's Ministry 7pm

Saturday, November 8

- Men of Lourdes TMIY 7am (PC)
- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am
- Baptism 1pm
- Confession 4-4:45pm

All Masses in Church

Sunday, November 9

- Pep 4 Rel Ed. Family Mass & Children's Liturgy of the Word 9:30am Mass
- OCIA 10am (MC)
- St. Agnes Franciscan Fraternity 1pm (PC)
- Retrouvaille POST 6pm (PC)

All Masses in Church

APR = All Purpose Room
C = Church
CAF = Cafeteria

MC = Media Center
SLC = Spiritual Life Center
PC = Parish Center

Kathy Arena
Jeanette Battista
Maryann Buonaspina
Thomas J. Calogero, III
Doris Cameron
Doug Cameron
James Corrado
Maria Crisci
Grayson Danielski
Wanda Dobias
Elizabeth Goode
Christine Harty

Carol Hopkins
Marie Ippolito
Henry Kahn
Shena Kahn
Marilyn Kolk
Stephen Leahy
Ryan LeVinese
Vincent Marinelli
Vincenza Marks
Rose Mattiello
Barbara McCarthy
Una McGrave

Kieran John McKay
Glenn Meyer
Richard Meyer
Maria Nuzzo
Tom O'Brien
Edward Pauciullo
Cameron Pillitteri
John Posanti
Louise Posanti
Nanette Proscia
Dina Rajotte
Marie Rajotte

Winifred Rooney
Diane Scharen
Rebecca Scharen
Robert Scharen
Vita Scorgia
Doris Shaddock
Louise Sturgeon
William Valentine
Sadie Williams
Harold Wissing

*Names of the sick will be listed for six weeks for short-term requests and six months for long-term requests.
Please call or email the Parish Office if you wish to add a name to the Prayer List.*

Pastoral Care of Our Sick

Please call the Parish Office at 631-661-3224 or email ParishOffice@ollchurch.org to leave the names of parishioners who:

- Are homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist.
- Are in Good Samaritan Hospital and/or a local nursing home and would like to be visited by a member of our Pastoral Care Ministry.
- Would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick.



Members in the Military

Maria Caputo-US Army
Logan Coppola-US Marine Corps
Christopher Florca-US Marine Corps
Dominick Gennaro-US Army
Patrick Harty-US Coast Guard
Ritchard Higham-US Army
Luke Loftsgaarden-US Army
Msgr. Brian McNamara-US Air Force
Anthony Memoli-US Marine Corps
Timothy Milligan-US Marine Corps

Melissa Mockler-US Navy
Patric Mockler-US Navy
Thomas F. Parson-US Marine Corps
Julianna Petrosino-US Navy
Jack Shires-US Navy
Raymond Sgambati-US Navy
James Stultz-US Army
Alvaro Suarez-US Army
Jack Taffner-US Marine Corps

... and remember those of our Parish family that are in the armed services, listed in our Parish Book of Intentions.

Altar Society

Alter linens this week will be cared for by

Rita Spera

If you would like to help care for our altar needs, please call the Parish Office at 631-661-3224.



REST IN PEACE

*We extend our prayerful sympathy
to the families and loved ones of
those recently deceased.*



BAPTISMS

Mackenzie Capri DeRosa

Luke Waylon Ioannou

Jade Daisy Rivera

Ziella Mia Stasolla



UPCOMING WEDDINGS

Erin Lettieri

Our Lady of Lourdes, West Islip

~

Nicholas Kasin

St. William the Abbott, Seaford

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 3

8:30am Chamanlall Jodham

Tuesday, November 4
Memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop

8:30am Harry Smith

Wednesday, November 5

8:30am Anne Michele Malenda

Thursday, November 6

8:30am Mario Francavilla

Friday, November 7

8:30am Cornelius J. Peterson

Saturday, November 8

8:30am Marilyn D'Agostino, Thomas Duignan,
Walter McConneaughey, Salvatore Pinello,
Lou Ragosta, Barbara Schroeder

Saturday, November 8 - Vigil Mass

5:00pm Connie Ambrosino, Barbara & Louie Argento,
Thomas P. Hartnett, Matt & Anna Lattanzio,
Jerzy Musial, For a decrease in the loss of
personal effects of the elderly in retirement homes
Fr. Saji Jose

Sunday, November 9
Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

8:00am William Pellegrino
Fr. Charles Mangano

9:30am Giuseppe Tini
Fr. Charles Mangano

11:00am Robert B. Ferruggiari
Fr. Dennis Suglia

12:30pm Mary Jane Keveny
Fr. Dennis Suglia

6:00pm Millie Allocca, Concetta Ambrosino,
Catherine Neglia, Caroline Thomas Rush,
Larry Younghands, People of the Parish,
Fr. Dennis Suglia

Weekly Collection

October 19, 2025

Weekly Collection	\$ 16,142.50
Weekly Budget	- \$ 17,800.00
+/- for the week	(\$ 1,657.50)

*The estimated weekly collection needed to maintain and
operate our parish buildings, ministries, programs and
salaries is \$17,800.*

Celebrant information is subject to change without notice.

Father Charles and Laurie Mangano

~ a brother & sister ~

Present

An Evening of Faith & Fun

Special Guests include Chris and Elizabeth Woods



Our Lady of Lourdes Church

455 Hunter Avenue, West Islip, NY
631-661-3224

Friday, November 21st
7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

~ free will offering ~



FAITH: One hour mission of song
followed by Woods Worship Music

FUN: A Dad and Mom Mangano Skit
and a Sing-A-Long



Father Charles and Laurie have united their gifts to praise God and minister to His people in a very special way. They have been singing for the Lord since childhood, and together they have touched the hearts of thousands with their meditative and inspirational music. In addition to producing 13 albums, a DVD and music video, Father Charles and Laurie have also co-hosted their own TV show on Telecare for many years. They have sung at countless venues and benefit concerts. In addition, through their music ministry, they continue to donate to many charities. This beautiful Faith and Fun Program on **Friday, November 21** is *guaranteed to be most uplifting!* It is our hope that through this experience we will come to know, love and trust the Lord Jesus in a deeper and more intimate way, leading us to serve the Lord with gladness.

Parish Outreach

631-661-3224 (option 4)

Hours for Outreach: Monday - Wednesday - Friday from 9:30am - 3:30pm ONLY

Appointments are preferred.

Donations to Outreach

If you would like to make a donation to Parish Outreach in memory of a loved one, please call Trish Frodell, Director of Parish Social Ministry or visit our website and make a donation online.

PANTRY NEEDS

Outreach is also in need of these items for our Food Pantry. Donations can be left in the vestibules before/after Mass on Saturday/Sunday or during Outreach hours.



Canned Tuna
Egg Noodles
Cookies/Crackers
Hot chocolate
Bar Soap

OLL PLAYGROUND

Recently, we received a grant from the Town of Islip to help replace the playground we had to remove last Fall. While this grant is a great start to fund the project—we are still in need of additional donations to complete the project. Many of our parishioners have inquired as to when the playground will be replaced as it served as a fun activity for our young parishioners to enjoy after Masses. If you are interested in making a donation towards the replacement of the playground, please contact the Parish Office or visit our website to make your contribution online.



LIGHT UP OUR LADY OF LOURDES CAMPAIGN

Thank you to our parish family for your financial support towards our church lighting renovations. Your generosity has enabled us to make the necessary changes to our church lighting.

If you have made a monthly or weekly pledge to the campaign, please continue to send in your payments. If you are unsure of the balance of your pledge, please call the Parish Office and inquire.

Thank you for your continued support of our Parish!



For those that are unable to attend in person, Masses may be live streamed on our YouTube page

@OLLChurchWI

Please join us directly on YouTube or visit our website at www.ollchurch.org and click on the link in the menu and you will be redirected.

HAVE YOU BEEN GETTING OUR WEEKLY EMAILS?



Don't miss a thing! Join our email list today! Scan the QR code or visit our website to sign up.



Church Ministry Meetings

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

We will be having Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament **every Tuesday from 12:30pm to 7:30pm**. Come, spend some intimate time with Jesus. Invite a family member or friend along too! In case of inclement weather, please call the parish office or visit the parish website to check if Adoration has been canceled.



Nocturnal Adoration

"Come to me all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest."

This is Jesus Christ's invitation every **first Saturday of the month**. The Blessed Sacrament is taken to the altar and exposed after the 5:00pm Mass concluding with Benediction at 9:50pm. Everyone is invited to spend some time in front of the Blessed Sacrament to offer prayers, petitions and thanksgiving to Jesus. Please come and pray with us. All are invited and welcome.

Adult Choir

Do you like to sing? New choir members are always welcome!

Choir Mass: Sundays at 11:00am Rehearsals: **Thursdays at 7:00pm to 8:00pm** in the Church. Season: September to June. Interested singers are invited to come to a rehearsal and try it out!

Baptism

Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian Life, the gateway to life in the Spirit, and the door which gives access to other sacraments. We invite you to join the Our Lady of Lourdes Baptism Ministry. The Ministry assists the Priests and Deacons of our parish in welcoming new members of our Church at their Baptism. We welcome parishioners to join this beautiful and life-giving ministry. We meet approximately four times a year and the ministers assist in baptisms as often as they like on a prescheduled basis. For more information, please contact Deacon Tom at 631-235-3845 or send an email to deacontom@ollchurch.org.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

We invite young people from age 4 to 4th Grade to hear God's Word in a special way at the **9:30am Mass every Sunday** from September through June.



Divine Mercy Prayer Group

We come together in the Church **every Thursday from 1:30pm-2:30pm** to pray and reflect on the Divine Mercy. We welcome anyone wishing to join us in this mission.

Fellowship

The Fellowship Ministry organizes fun activities for our parish family. If you are interested in helping with these social events please join us! Call the Parish Office for more information.

Frassati Young Adult Group

Young adults between the ages of 21 and 39 are invited to join the Frassati Young Adult Group. Our group is named after St. Pier Giorgio Frassati, the patron of young Catholics of all kinds due to his immense devotion to the Eucharist and his great works of charity despite his short life. Come gather with your peers to discover more about prayer and all that God has planned for you while making good memories with great people! Our meetings are held the **first and third Tuesday of every month at 7:30pm**. Verso l'alto!

Men of Lourdes

Men 18 years and older are invited to join The Men of Lourdes. Unlike anything you have experienced before, the group tackles real issues facing men in today's society. The group empowers men to overcome today's issues, leaning on one another for support, prayer, guidance, and direction along the way. The group meets **Saturdays from 7:30 - 8:00 am, with a light breakfast starting at 7:00 am**. To learn more or to join, please scan the QR code or email t98aoi5@gmail.com.



Men's Prayer Group

We invite all men of the parish to meet for prayer and reflection the **third Wednesday of the month**. We meet once a month to read and discuss the Scriptures for the following Sunday. Come with your ideas and suggestions. We'll gather for conversation and fellowship.

Our Lady's Rosary Makers

Our Lady's Rosary Makers welcomes all men and women who are interested in learning the art of making corded / beaded rosaries. All materials will be supplied. Completed rosaries will be blessed and given free-of-charge to the homeless, the sick, hospitals, developing nations, the military, police, etc. We meet on the **third Wednesday of each month from 1:00pm-2:30pm and from 7:30pm-9:00pm**. You may choose which group to attend. Free-will offerings will be graciously accepted and will be used in purchasing additional supplies.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The prayer shawl ministry meets the **first Wednesday of every month at 9:30am**. New members are always welcome! Bring your knitting needles or crochet hooks if you have them - if not we have some you can use. The ministry makes blankets for our newly Baptized babies in the Parish.

Respect Life Ministry

The Respect Life Ministry promotes the principles that human life, from to conception to natural death, is a gift from God and deserves respect and protection. The group will meet for prayer, pro-life activities, education, and planned fundraising. Meetings are the **last Thursday of each month at 7pm**.

Rosary Christian Mothers

The Rosary Christian Mothers meet on the **first Monday of each month**. We will begin with Rosary at **7:00pm** immediately followed by our business meeting.



SAGE (Senior Advocates for Growth and Enrichment)

Come join other mature parishioners as we walk through this chapter of our life journey. We share our experiences, our hopes, our laughter, and our spirituality at our meetings the **first and third Tuesdays of the month**.

St. Agnes of Assisi - The Secular Franciscan Order

Do you long for holiness and feel a need for support in growing spiritually? Perhaps your heart has been moved by stories of St. Francis of Assisi, or the Peace Prayer attributed to him? If so, Christ may be calling you to explore the Secular Franciscan life. We invite you to join our monthly meetings, **2nd Sunday of the month, 1:30pm-4:30pm**. For more information, contact **Jackie Totino, SFO** at 516-320-1326.

Women's Prayer Group

The Women's Prayer Group meets the **fourth Wednesday of the month at 9:30am and at 7:30pm**. All are welcome to attend.

Young Men's Ministry

All boys from 6th to 12th grade are invited to meet in the All Purpose Room on the **first and third Fridays of the month from 6:45-9:00pm**. Each meeting includes time for the boys to discuss religious and spiritual topics of their choosing followed by games and activities. These days, our young people hear messages which are incompatible with our values. Our goals are to encourage the boys to keep God in their lives, live faithful lives, be of service, be respectful of others, and be gentlemen at all times. We welcome men 18 years and older to serve as volunteers in this ministry. For further information please call the Parish Office.

Groups

Knights of Columbus - Council 17379



Our Lady of Lourdes Council 17379 is looking for Parish men to help enrich our Parish and community. The Knights of Columbus will help you live your Faith and become closer to Jesus. Our Council has been very active in contributing to Parish Ministries and the community through charitable works. Our Plant Sales and Pancake Breakfast have helped to raise money for many scholarships and donations. We also assist around the Parish during the Family Feast, Parish Clean Up, and other parish events.

Our Lady of Lourdes Council meets **every second and fourth Monday in the Parish Center at 8:00pm**. Council meetings are less than an hour—and dessert is included!! Gain Brothers in Christ and grow our Parish Family. To learn more or to join, please scan the QR code above or visit www.OLL17379.org



Boy Scout Troop 179



For 50 years, Our Lady of Lourdes has been sponsoring Boy Scout Troop 179 of West Islip. Troop meetings are held **every Thursday at 7:30pm**. If you are interested in learning more about Boy Scouts and our Troop, please check out our website <https://witroop179.wixsite.com/bsatroop179> or contact us at troop179cc@yahoo.com.

Support Groups

Alcoholics Anonymous

**Monday and Tuesday at 8:00pm,
Saturday at 11:00am & 7:00pm and Sunday at 9:30am**
All meetings are in Lourdes Hall (lower level of Convent)

Anxiety Sufferers

The group, led by a trained and certified Anxiety Disorder Group Leader, normally meets **every Tuesday from 2:00pm-4:00pm** in the Parish Center (located next to Outreach). For more information and to register, please call Bob at 631-235-2229.

Butterfly Memory Café - Friday, November 7th 1:30-2:30pm



What is a Memory Café? It is a program designed for persons with mild to moderate cognitive impairment and their caregivers to promote social engagement with others navigating through dementia's journey. Activities include crafts, music, reminiscing, art or movement. Light refreshments will be served. The group meets **every other Friday, from 1:30-2:30pm**. There is no charge to participate, but space is limited and reservations are required. For more information or to register, please call Grace at A Gentle Touch Senior Care at: 631-647-7622 or e-mail grace@agentletouchseniorcare.com.

Dementia Caregiver Support Group

Caregiving for someone with Alzheimer's or a related dementia can cause frustration, fear, anger, sadness and other emotions. Our support group can provide emotional, social, and educational help to caregivers whose lives are affected by dementia. **Join us on the third Thursday of each month from 5:30pm-7:00pm** in the Parish Center. There is no charge to participate, but please contact Jennafer at 631-647-7622 or via e-mail at Jennafer@agentletouchseniorcare.com to reserve your place.



Families Anonymous Meetings

12-Step support group giving Hope & Strength to parents, family and friends concerned with a loved one's destructive behavior caused by Alcohol, Drugs or Related Behavioral Problems will meet virtually and in person. For additional information e-mail Donna526@aol.com or call Diane at: 631-587-0966 or Donna at: 631-835-8788. Website: www.FamiliesAnonymous.org



TUNE INTO "RELIGION AND ROCK" WITH MSGR. JIM VLAUN

Sunday from 7:00am to 8:00am
on WBAB 102.3 FM
or 95.3 on the East End of Long Island

Listen on Saturdays at 11:00pm
on Sirius Radio, Channel 159, the Catholic
Channel on XM Satellite, Channel 117

Next Sunday's theme will be
"Inspiration"

To listen online or for more information,
visit: www.ReligionandRock.com

Don't forget to tune into CATHOLIC FAITH NETWORK
(CFN) on Optimum Ch. 29/137 or Verizon 296
or visit www.cfn.org

Gabriel's Courage

Perinatal Comfort Support for Families



Gabriel's Courage is a family-centered prenatal program for families who receive a life-limiting prenatal diagnosis during their pregnancy. The program offers a multidisciplinary team approach to care and support throughout pregnancy, birth and post-birth. A program of Catholic Health Services (CHS) and Good Shepherd Hospice, Gabriel's Courage works in collaboration with the Diocese of Rockville Centre's peer ministry initiative to provide care to families.



Good Shepherd Hospice
Catholic Health Services
At the heart of health

110 Bi-County Blvd, Ste 114
Farmingdale, NY 11735
(631) 465-6363
(516) 586-1420
www.goodshepherdhospice.chsli.org

Preparing for Marriage?

Do you need to fulfill your Marriage Prep Requirement?

Engaged Encounter is an effective Pre-Canva program designed to provide you with the tools for a successful marriage. For information please call Lenny & Pat Walker at 631-563-1032 or visit www.longisland.engagedencounter.com



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Attention married couples & priests—want to make this an EXPERIENCE to remember?

Fall in love again. Here's a chance to get away for the weekend and focus on your spouse to renew and refresh your relationship. To help your good marriage be great! Are you ready for more growth and happiness in your marriage or priesthood? Uncover the secrets to a supportive, transformational marriage on a World Wide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Every relationship is a journey. The grind of everyday life can cause you to lose touch with your spouse. This experience will help you listen, share and connect more deeply. For more information visit www.WWME.org or contact: Kevin & Regina Hickson at 516-554-3835.



Coping with Grief Through the Holidays

Sponsored by Bereavement Ministry

St John Nepomucene

Thursday, November 13, 2025

7:30 PM- 9:00 PM

1140 Locust Ave

Bohemia, NY

(Elevator access to lower level of Church)

Please RSVP to (631) 589-0540 ext. 250 to reserve your seat

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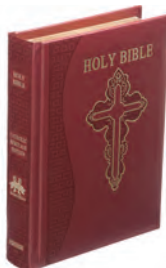
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