

# ***Our Lady of Lourdes Parish***

455 Hunter Avenue, West Islip, NY 11795



*“I am going away  
and I will come back to you.”*

JOHN 14:28

***May 25, 2025***

***Sixth Sunday of Easter***

# EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS BEHOLD 2025

with Guest Speakers:



Dr. Edward  
Sri



Father Pierre  
Toussaint, CFR



Father Jose  
Diaz



Sister Mary  
Gabriel, SV



Father Daniel  
Rivera

**PENTECOST  
SUNDAY  
JUNE 8**



**10AM–5:30PM**

Saint Anthony's  
High School,  
South Huntington



Admission is free but registration is required.

All are invited for a day of prayer, catechesis, Adoration, and Holy Mass with Bishop John O. Barres. This congress will deepen devotion and equip attendees to share the graces of the Eucharist through inspiring talks, witness testimonies, worship, fellowship, and the culmination of the Eucharistic Pilgrimage.

**For registration, schedule,  
and more details, visit:**

**[www.drvc.org/congress](http://www.drvc.org/congress)**





## 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.

May 25, 2025

*All Are Welcome*

455 Hunter Avenue, West Islip, New York 11795  
631-661-3224 | ParishOffice@ollchurch.org

### Pastoral Team

**Rev. Dennis A. Suglia**

Pastor

**Rev. Charles Mangano**

Associate Pastor

**Nilo DeLeon**

Deacon

**Tom Lucie**

Deacon

**Rich Maher**

Deacon

**Jack Meehan**

Deacon

### Sacraments

#### Anointing of the Sick

Throughout the liturgical year. If needed sooner, please call the Parish Office.

#### 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

### Religious Education

**Phone: 631-661-5440 (option 3)**

Monday-Friday: 9:00am-12:00pm, 1:00-5:00pm, 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 Office

**Phone: 631-661-3224 (option 2)**

Fax: 631-661-7143

**Email: ParishOffice@ollchurch.org**

**Website: www.ollchurch.org**

Monday-Thursday: 9:00am-7:30pm Friday: 9:00am-5:00pm

Saturday: 9:00am-3:00pm Sunday: 10:30am-2:30pm

#### Marcelle Crudele

Business Manager, Bulletin Editor

**Robin Reynolds Brennan**

Receptionist

**Amy Danowski**

Receptionist

**Rosemary Cannarella**

Receptionist

**Trish Frodell**

Receptionist

### Parish Outreach Office

**Phone: 631-661-3224 (option 4)**

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

Call for an appointment

**Trish Frodell**

Director of Parish Social Ministry

### Liturgy & Music

**Robin Reynolds Brennan**

Coordinator of Worship, Choir Director

**Maryann Buonasparina**

Parish Organist

### 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**

### 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.*

## 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.

## 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 Stew  
Pancakes/ Syrup  
Tomato Puree/ Crushed Tomatoes  
Tea  
Shampoo/ Conditioner

Father Charles Mangano  
will be celebrating 35 years of Priesthood  
on Saturday, June 7<sup>th</sup>

All are welcome to attend the 5pm Mass  
and there will be a reception immediately  
following Mass in the All Purpose Room.

To help make our celebration complete,  
we are requesting that those planning to  
attend please bring a dessert to share.



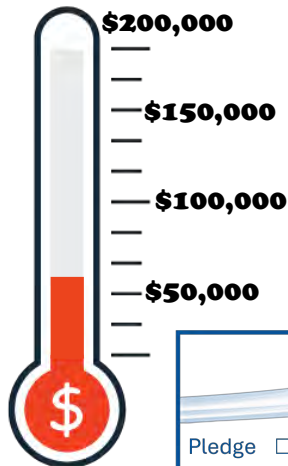
*Remember: Together,  
we can do something  
beautiful for God!*

*Sister Teresa Calcutta*

## LIGHT UP OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Our campaign is underway! Thank you to all who have already pledged or contributed!! If you have not had a chance to make your donation, cards were sent home by mail and are also available in the Parish Office or you can visit our website and make your donation online with a credit card. *As a note – if you have made a monthly or weekly pledge, your donation can be sent to the Parish Office or placed in the Sunday Collection – just be sure to mark Light Up OLL in the memo – in order to save money, coupons will not be mailed out.*

*Thank you for your continued support of our Parish!*



### LIGHT UP OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Pledge ☐ \$500 ☐ \$750 ☐ \$1,000 ☐ Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ One Time Donation ☐ Monthly Donation ☐ Weekly Donation

I will make my donation by: ☐ Check ☐ Credit Card (information provided on back of card) ☐ Credit Card (online at ollchurch.org)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parish Account # \_\_\_\_\_

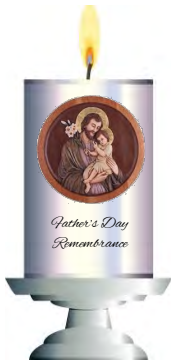
*Thank you for your generous donation  
and support of our parish!*

	Monthly	Weekly
For a Pledge of: \$500	\$42	\$10
\$750	\$63	\$15
\$1,000	\$84	\$20

Please make checks payable to: Our Lady of Lourdes Church  
and note "Light & Heat" in the Memo

## Father's Day Remembrance Candles

We will be offering **Father's Day Remembrance Candles** for a donation of \$10 after Masses the weekends of May 31/June 1st and June 7/8. The candles, which will be lit on Father's Day, are a beautiful way to remember our loved ones - both living and deceased - and will remain lit throughout the life of the candle (approximately a week). They will also be available at the Parish Office during the week beginning June 2nd. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Parish Office.



**Tuesday, June 3rd 9am**



**Thank You and God Bless**  
Sr. Betty and Sr. Margaret

Sr. Margaret and Sr. Betty "*The Sage Sisters*", have been a part of our parish family for many years. They formed the SAGE GROUP, reached out to widows and widowers and touched many others in their kind and loving ways.

The sisters will be moving to their Order's Mother House in Massachusetts this summer. We will have the opportunity to celebrate them on TUESDAY, JUNE 3 in the Parish Center between 9:30 and 11:00 AM.

Come and share memories and *thank yous* with them. **Please call the Parish Office (631-661-3224) to say you are coming.**

## BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN RETURN

If you forgot to return your baby bottle this weekend, you can drop them off to the Parish Office during the week.



Next weekend we are asking you to give your loose change to our Casa Project. Place your donations in the wooden house

located in the north vestibule by the Father Joe Garden. In the past, the "Casa House" has provided housing, bedding and ecostoves for our friends in El Salvador. We couldn't do this without your support and generosity. Thank you!

## NOCTURNAL ADORATION



Everyone is invited to spend some time in front of the Blessed Sacrament to offer prayers, petitions and thanksgiving to Jesus. Nocturnal Adoration will follow the 5:00pm Mass on **Saturday, June 14th**. Come and spend some quiet time with the Lord. The Blessed Sacrament is taken

to the altar and exposed after the 5:00pm Mass concluding with Benediction at 9:50pm. All are welcome.

**Date  
Change**

## Spiritual Adoption Program Baby Development Update

### Two Month Developing Baby

Your spiritually adopted baby's facial features continue to develop. The brain, spinal cord, heart, and intestines are formed, as well as eyes, ears, nose & limbs begin to develop. Bones start to replace cartilage.



*"During your earthly life this child which you have adopted, will be known only to God, but in the hereafter you will enjoy each others company for all eternity".*



## Rest In Peace

**August Anetrella**  
**Lucille Galgano Bono**  
**Loretta Cannon**  
**Sylvia C. Cecire**  
**Doreen Gerry**  
**Paula Rovinsky**  
**Vincent Joseph Wickes**



## Baptism

**Ava Rose Holfester**



## Upcoming Marriages

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, May 26 - Saint Philip Neri, Priest**

8:30am Giuseppe Tini

**Tuesday, May 27 - Tuesday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

8:30am Anna & John Locurto

**Wednesday, May 28 - Wednesday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

8:30am Robert Pfeiffer

5:00pm People of the Parish

**Thursday, May 29 - Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord**

8:30am Salvatore Pinello

12:10pm People of the Parish

7:30pm People of the Parish

**Friday, May 30 - Friday of the Sixth Week of Easter**

8:30am Bruce Byrnes

**Saturday, May 31 - Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:30am Alexandra Cloke (*Living*), Massimo Ferro (*Living*),  
Louis Galindez, Rev. Francis R. McMullen,  
Charles Starke (*Living*), Ryan Webster (*Living*)

5:00pm Mary Jane Boyd, Toni Johnson,  
Michael Torquinio, Diane Webster,  
Angela Wilson, Joan Yancigay  
*Fr. Charles Mangano*

**Sunday, June 1 - Seventh Sunday of Easter**

8:00am Eileen Clifford  
*Fr. Charles Mangano*

9:30am Carol Albano  
*Fr. Charles Mangano*

11:00am Perdue & Schwarz Families  
*Fr. Dennis Suglia*

12:30pm Giuseppe Tini  
*Fr. Dennis Suglia*

6:00pm Nicholas LaGiglia, Thomas Lyon, Marlon Morris  
The Hibernian Purgatorial Society,  
James Masciello, People of the Parish  
*Fr. Dennis Suglia*

*Celebrant information is subject to change without notice.*

## Weekly Collection

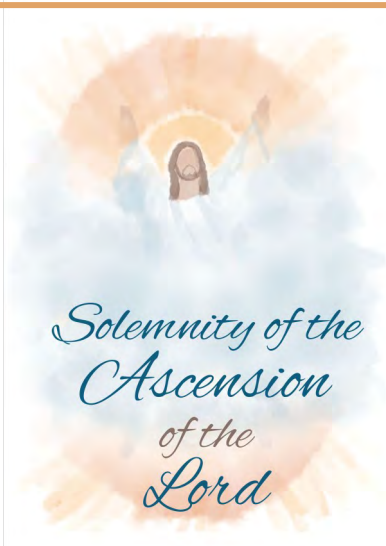
### May 11, 2025

Weekly Collection \$ 19,817.00  
Weekly Budget - \$ 17,800.00  
+/- for the week \$ 2,017.00

Little Sisters of the Poor \$ 5,380.00

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





The Ascension of the Lord, Thursday, May 29th  
is a Holy Day of Obligation.

Mass will be celebrated:

Wednesday, May 28th at 5:00pm Vigil Mass

Thursday, May 29th - 8:30am, 12:10pm & 7:30pm



## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### Sunday, May 25

- Children's Liturgy of the Word 9:30am Mass

### Monday, May 26

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am
- Knights of Columbus Roary 7:15pm
- Knights of Columbus Meeting 8pm

### Tuesday, May 27

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am
- Adoration 12:30-7:00pm (ending early)
- Bible Study 1-3pm
- Anxiety Recovery Group 2-4pm
- Adult Confirmation Class 7pm
- Bible Study 7:30-9:30pm
- BSA Honor Society Meeting 7:30pm

### Wednesday, May 28

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am
- Women's Prayer Group 9:30am
- Ascension of the Lord Vigil Mass 5pm
- Women's Prayer Group 7:30pm

### Thursday, May 29

- Rosary 8am
- Ascension of the Lord Mass 8:30am
- Legion of Mary 9:30-10:30am
- Ascension of the Lord Mass 12:10pm
- Divine Mercy Prayer Group 1:30pm
- Butterfly Caregiver Support 5pm
- Respect Life Ministry 7pm
- Ascension of the Lord Mass 7:30pm
- BSA Troop 179 & Troop 777 7:30-9pm

### Friday, May 30

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am
- Butterfly Memory Café 1:30pm
- Frassati Young Adult Game Night & Social 7pm

### Saturday, May 31

- Rosary 8am/Mass 8:30am
- Knights of Columbus Craft Fair 9am-3pm
- Confession 4-4:45pm
- Retrouvaille MORE 5pm

### Sunday, June 1

- Children's Liturgy of the Word 9:30am Mass
- Baptism 2pm
- Retrouvaille POST 5:30pm



## Knights of Columbus Council 17379

Next meeting is Monday, May 26th

Rosary is at 7:15pm in the Church

Meeting begins at 8:00pm in the Parish Center

**New members always welcome!**



## Women's Prayer Group

The next meeting will be Wednesday, May 28th at  
9:30am and 7:30pm in the Parish Center

## Weekly Readings

### Readings for the Week of May 25, 2025

**Sunday:** Acts 15:1-2, 22-29/Rv 21:10-14, 22-23/Jn 14:23-29

**Monday:** Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26—16:4a

**Tuesday:** Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11

**Wednesday:** Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Jn 16:12-15

**Thursday:** Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/  
Lk 24:46-53

**Friday:** Acts 18:9-18/Jn 16:20-23

**Saturday:** Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Lk 1:39-56

**Sunday:** Acts 7:55-60/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26

## Pray for Our Sick

<i>Matilda Allocca</i>	<i>Billy Davis</i>	<i>Vincent Marinelli</i>	<i>Marie Rajotte</i>
<i>Louie Amato</i>	<i>Al DiMasi</i>	<i>Baby Kieran John McKay</i>	<i>Tessie Reilly</i>
<i>Connie Ambrosino</i>	<i>Mark Dixon</i>	<i>Richard Meyer</i>	<i>Amelianna Santanello</i>
<i>Tina Aparo</i>	<i>Valerie Falzone</i>	<i>Wesley Morrell</i>	<i>Diane Scharen</i>
<i>Elizabeth Assoon</i>	<i>Anna Ferrante</i>	<i>Tom O'Brien</i>	<i>Robert Scharen</i>
<i>Jeanette Battista</i>	<i>Christine Harty</i>	<i>Edward Pauciullo</i>	<i>Vita Scorgia</i>
<i>Thomas J. Calogero, III</i>	<i>Luke Waylon Ioannou</i>	<i>Rose Pauciullo</i>	<i>Louise Sturgeon</i>
<i>Doris Cameron</i>	<i>Paul Johnson</i>	<i>William Pellegrino</i>	<i>Keri Thomas</i>
<i>Joe Carvalho</i>	<i>Henry Kahn</i>	<i>Cameron Pillitteri</i>	<i>William Valentine</i>
<i>Tom Cavanagh</i>	<i>Shena Kahn</i>	<i>John Posanti</i>	<i>Sadie Williams</i>
<i>Maria Crisci</i>	<i>Lisa Kimmel</i>	<i>Louise Posanti</i>	
<i>Grayson Danielski</i>	<i>Robert Kostanoski</i>	<i>Dina Rajotte</i>	

*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](mailto: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

We ask you to pray especially for those in our Parish that are on active duty.



<b>Maria Caputo-US Army</b>	<b>Melissa Mockler-US Navy</b>
<b>Logan Coppola-US Marine Corps</b>	<b>Patric Mockler-US Navy</b>
<b>Christopher Florca-US Marine Corps</b>	<b>Thomas F. Parson-US Marine Corps</b>
<b>Dominick Gennaro-US Army</b>	<b>Julianna Petrosino-US Navy</b>
<b>Patrick Harty-US Coast Guard</b>	<b>Jack Shires-US Navy</b>
<b>Ritchard Higham-US Army</b>	<b>Raymond Sgambati-US Navy</b>
<b>Luke Loftsgaarden-US Army</b>	<b>James Stultz -US Army</b>
<b>Msgr. Brian McNamara-US Air Force</b>	<b>Alvaro Suarez-US Army</b>
<b>Anthony Memoli-US Marine Corps</b>	<b>Jack Taffner-US Marine Corps</b>
<b>Timothy Milligan-US Marine Corps</b>	

... 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

**Christine Malenda-Brudi**

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





# CRAFT FAIR + FOOD TRUCKS

SATURDAY  
MAY 31st  
9am-3pm

Our Lady of Lourdes Church  
455 Hunter Ave  
West Islip, NY 11795

**Come join us and support local  
small businesses!**

In case of rain, the event will be  
held indoors from 11am-3pm



Sponsored by the  
Knights of Columbus  
Council 17379







*First Annual*

# OUR LADY OF LOURDES GOLF OUTING & BBQ DINNER

**Monday, June 2, 2025**



**E. Donald Conroy Golf Course Babylon  
&  
Long Island Yacht Club**

**Tickets:**

**Golf & Dinner - \$150pp**

**Dinner Only: \$100pp**

**Children Dinner (12 & Under) : \$29pp**

**Dinner Includes: BBQ Buffet, Unlimited Beer, Wine & Soda**

**9 Holes, Par 3 Course**

**2 Shotgun Starts: 2pm & 4pm**

**Dinner: 6pm**



**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MAY 24TH**

**music \* line dancing \* raffles \* games  
face painting \* playground**



**REGISTER & INFO  
OLLChurch.Org**



**Free health screenings**

# Mobile Outreach Bus



The Community Outreach team is pleased to offer free health screenings in your community by a Catholic Health registered nurse.



## **Services for adults (18 and older):**

- Brief cardiac history
- Blood pressure screening
- BMI screening
- Simple blood test for cholesterol and glucose
- Health education
- Referrals as needed
- Resources for those without insurance

**Our Lady of Lourdes R.C. Church**

**455 Hunter Ave**

**West Islip, NY 11795**

**Tuesday, June 10, 2025**

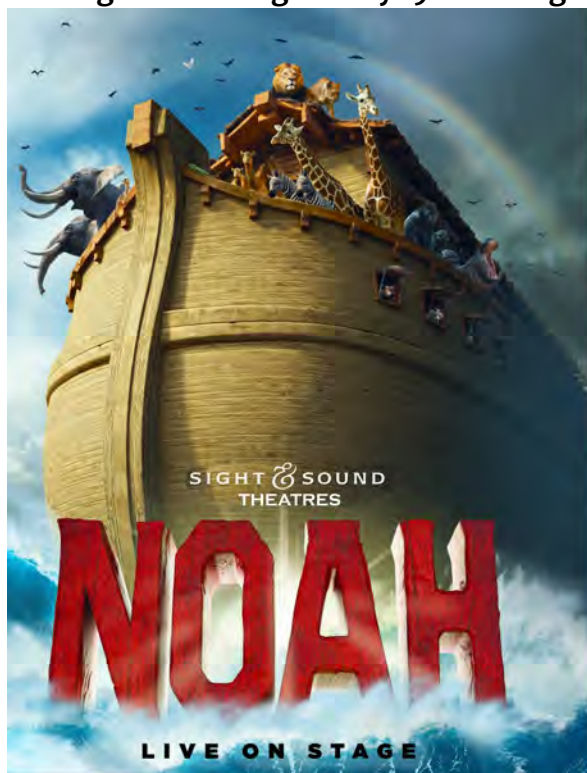
**10 am- 2 pm**

**No insurance or ID required. No need to fast.**

**chsli.org**



Registration begins May 19th for Registered OLL Parishioners. Open registration begins June 2nd.



**Friday, October 24, 2025**  
Sight & Sound Theatre in LANCASTER, PA

**Package Includes:**

- ✓ M & V Limousine Luxury Motor Coach
- ✓ Noah Live Show Ticket
- ✓ Buffet Lunch at Miller's Smorgasbord



Price  
**\$235**  
/Person

Join **Our Lady Day Trip of Lourdes**

with Fr. Dennis and Fr. Charles

**Itinerary:**

- 7:00 AM: Begin boarding the busses in the parking lot behind the Rectory.
- 7:30 AM: Depart for Lancaster, PA.
- 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM: Buffet lunch at Miller's Smorgasbord.
- 2:00 PM: Depart for Sight & Sound Theatre (5-minute ride).
- 3:00 PM: Watch "Noah Live on Stage" (2.5-hour performance).
- 6:00 PM: Depart Lancaster, PA for West Islip, NY.
- 10:30 PM (approx.): Arrive back at the parish.



**REGISTER TODAY!:** As a parish, we've booked two buses to accommodate up to 104 people for the Noah show. To ensure the second bus runs, we need to confirm enough participants by September 15th. If the second bus is not filled by this date, we will unfortunately have to cancel the second bus. Payment is due at the time of registration. Please stop in the Parish Office to register using a check, cash, or credit card. Online credit card registration is also available through our secure website (please note a 3% processing credit card fee applies). When paying by check, please make it out to 'Our Lady of Lourdes Church' with 'THE NOAH SHOW' noted in the memo. **AFTER SEPTEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup>, ALL PAYMENTS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE** if your vacated seat isn't successfully filled.



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**The Diocese of Rockville Centre**

*presents*

**Introducing FreeWill – A Tool You Can Use  
To Get Your Estate Plan Done for Free**



**Offered through the Diocese of Rockville Centre's  
Stewardship Education Series**

Moderator: Barbara Kilarjian,  
Director of the Office of Planned Giving

Guest Speaker: Mark Henry, Speaker, Author of Finish Faithful



**SUBJECTS TO BE COVERED:**

- Learn About FreeWill -A Helpful Tool Enabling Parishioners to Create Their Own Will or Trust for Free
- An Easy to Use Online Tool Available to Parishioners
- Learn How Other Parishioners Have Done Their Wills for Free
- Other Important Areas Covered:
  - ✓ Catholic Teachings on Life Sustaining Care and Euthanasia
  - ✓ How Catholics Can Protect Their Families and Leave a Lasting Legacy

Day/Date/Time: **Wednesday, May 28, 1:00 pm**

Location: **Online Webinar, please RSVP by emailing or calling:**

Barbara Kilarjian  
Office of Planned Giving  
516-678-5800 ext. 257  
Cell: 516-242-3584  
Email: [Bkilarjian@drvc.com](mailto:Bkilarjian@drvc.com)

For further information, see <https://www.stewardshippl.org/wills> and  
<https://www.freewill.com/drvc>

## Growing with the Gospel

### Sharing the Gospel

Jesus wants you to love Him so much that you will always do what He asks. Jesus knows that if you put God first, you will have peace. Instead of wanting more toys, you will be happy to share them. Instead of wanting to get your own way, you will enjoy taking turns. You will feel good helping other people.

### Mission for the Week

I will invite a friend over to play.  
I will share and take turns.



### Prayer

Dear God, Change my heart so that I want to put You and other people first.

**Amen.**

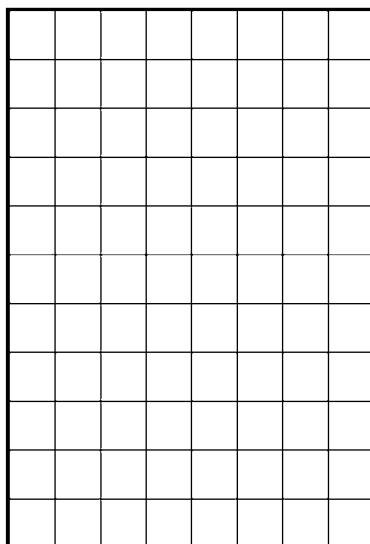
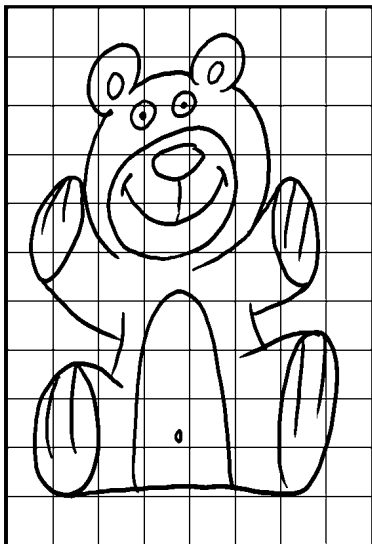


### Puzzle of the Week



### Puzzle

Copy the picture square by square.



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### Something to Draw



Draw a picture of yourself giving one of your own toys to a child who has none.



## 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 at 631-661-3224 ext. 0, or visit the parish website ([ollchurch.org](http://ollchurch.org)) 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!

### 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.

### 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 Pier Giorgio Frassati, a young adult from Turin, Italy, who lived from 1901 to 1925. Pier Giorgio, soon to be canonized as a saint this summer, is 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** in the Parish Center. Verso l'alto!

### Men's Prayer Group

We invite all men of the parish to meet for prayer and reflection the **third Wednesday of the month** in the Parish Center. 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.

### Legion of Mary

Is Our Lady calling you to join her mission of prayer and a closer relationship with her and the Holy Trinity in this journey of Love? The Legion of Mary welcomes all to join and visit the home bound & nursing homes bringing the love of the Blessed Mother, volunteer with other church ministries, and evangelize sharing our devotion to Our Lady. We meet **every Thursday at 9:30am in the Parish Center**.

### 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. You may also take home pre-packaged kits to complete additional rosaries. 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** in the Parish Center 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** in the Parish Center. 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** in the Parish Center.

### 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 in the Parish Center.



### 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

Would you like to give more time to God but wonder how to do that when your life is so busy? 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** in the Parish Center. 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** in the Parish Center. All are welcome to attend.

### Young Men's Ministry

All boys from 6<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> 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, which include basketball, hockey, kickball, wiffle ball and relay races. There are also board games and art activities for those who are interested. 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 recent 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 many 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 the homemade dessert is delicious! (no calories in free food!!) 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](http://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](mailto: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)

### ALANON

Wednesday at 10:00am. **Beginner's meeting at 9:30am.** Free babysitting available. 2nd and 4th Wednesday meetings are via Zoom. For more meeting info visit: [al-anon.org](http://al-anon.org). 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, May 30th 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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:Donna526@aol.com) or call Diane at: 631-587-0966 or Donna at: 631-835-8788. Website: [www.FamiliesAnonymous.org](http://www.FamiliesAnonymous.org)

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10:00 am

Procession through Montauk

11:00 am - 12:00 noon

Opening Mass at St. Agnes Cathedral

5:00 pm

Procession to St. Christopher, Baldwin

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Procession from Our Lady of Poland to  
Basilica of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus & Mary,  
Southampton  
6:00 pm

## **Sunday, June 1**

Mass at St. Isidore, Riverhead

10:30 am

Procession to St. John, Riverhead

11:30 am

Mass at Cure of Ars, Merrick

7:30 am

Procession to St. Barnabas, Bellmore

8:30 am

Mass at St. Barnabas, Bellmore

10:30 am

Procession to St. William the Abbot Seaford

12:00 noon

## **Monday, June 2**

Mass at St. Raphael, East Meadow

7:30 am

Procession to Holy Trinity High School

8:30 am

## **Tuesday, June 3**

Sts. Philip and James, St. James

Procession to St. Patrick, Smithtown

11:00 am

## **Wednesday, June 4**

Mass at Corpus Christi, Mineola

7:30 am

Procession to Chaminade High School

8:45 am

## **Thursday, June 5**

St. John of God, Central Islip

Procession to St. Anne, Brentwood

6:00 pm

## **Friday, June 6**

Mass at St. Gertrude, Bayville

8:30 am

Procession to St. Dominic, Oyster Bay

9:30 am

## **Saturday, June 7**

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