

The Parish of Saint James

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The Clergy:

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fatherjohn@stjamesrcchurch.org

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Fr. Benjamin Ogbunuko, Associate Pastor

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Deacon Chris Daniello

Deacon John Horn

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PARISH OFFICE RECEPTIONIST

Parishoffice@stjamesrcchurch.org

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Phone: 516-731-3710/Fax: 516-731-4828

Monday and Tuesday: 9:00am to 8:00pm

Wednesday through Friday: 9:00am to 4:00pm

Closed between 12:00pm to 1:00pm

Saturday: 9:00am to 12 Noon

Meetings with staff members should be by appointment.

Visit us on the web: www.stjamesrcchurch.org

Parish Mission Statement

Saint James is a parish community, whose members are called through Baptism, to be intentional disciples. We are strengthened by the Eucharist and committed to serve God under the guidance of His Holy Spirit. As people devoted to Jesus' teachings, we value on-going faith formation, Christian outreach and the growth and development of our parish.

CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST: MASSES:

DAILY MASS:

Monday through Saturday: 8:00 AM

Monday through Friday: 12:10 PM until June 14

All Civic Holidays: 9:00 AM only

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM

10:00 AM

12:00 PM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:

Saturday: 3:00 PM – 3:45 PM or by
appointment with one of our priests.

May 19, 2024
Pentecost Sunday



PENTECOST SUNDAY

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth,
he will guide you to all truth." - Jn 16:12



SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2024

8:00 AM Olindo & Genoveffa Palombo
 10:00 AM Joyce Gruener
 12:00 PM People of St. James
 All Mother's Living and Deceased
 Louis Yurasits
 Karen Fitzpatrick
 Elizabeth Imasa
 Michael Cestaro Sr.

MONDAY, MAY 20, 2024

8:00 AM All Mother's Living and Deceased
 Mary O'Neil
 12:10 AM Bernadette Outsen

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2024

8:00 AM Msgr. John Heinlein
 12:10 PM Alan Brower

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 2024

8:00 AM Vincent Notarstefano
 12:10 PM Jean Stallone

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2024

8:00 AM Salvatore Crivello
 12:10 PM Rev. Mr. Joseph Lettieri - Living

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 2024

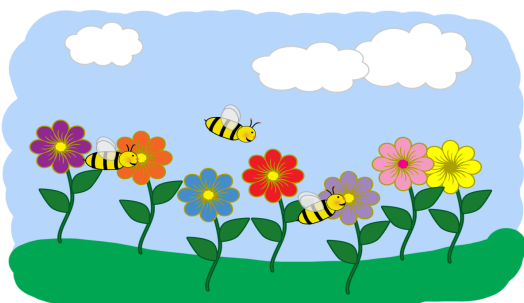
8:00 AM Lee Sewell
 12:10 PM Rev. Mr. Dennis Gannon - Living

SATURDAY, MAY 25, 2024

8:00 AM San Onofre & Arcangel San Miguel
 Victor Sirianni
 Anthony Tiso
 4:00 PM Infant Christopher Bedus

SUNDAY, MAY 26, 2024

8:00 AM Vincent J. Russo - Birthday Remembrance
 10:00 AM Lucy & Joseph Scarola
 12:00 PM People of St. James
 Rosemarie Renkas - 2nd Anniversary
 Remembrance
 Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart
 Amy Franza
 Patricia Duran
 Maria Salome Garcia



MASS CELEBRANT

5/25 ~ 4:00pm ~ Fr. Benjamin
 5/26 ~ 8:00am ~ Fr. Benjamin
 10:00am ~ Msgr. Michael
 12:00pm ~ Fr. John

RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

Saturday Confessions
 3:00 pm—3:45 pm

Celebrants subject to change



Prayer
REQUESTS

Omar Albayaty, Marianne Amblo, Francine Argila, John Baglione, Stephanie Baio, Deanna Baisley, Pat Beirne, James Bianco, Christine Buerkle, Jennifer Callahan, Mary Calabrese, Carl Capobianco, Greg Capobianco, Philip Capobianco, James Castellane, JoAnn Chirco, Dianne Cicciari, Lori Cicciari, Carly Colvell, Ed Connelly, Leslie Crandall, Dale Daly, Douglas Deacon, James Donaldson, Lawrence Deck, Baby James Derleth, James DeVita, Sandra Denise Diaz, Matteo DiMartino, Jessica Emerick, Joan Lugokencky, Grace Dowdell, Margaret Dowdell, Rick Ellis, Rosaria Esposito, Connie Fisher, Thomas Fazio, Marianne Flaherty, Caitlin Francis, Thomas Francis, Joseph Gagliardo, Andrew Gallo, Paul Giacalone, Rosemary Giacalone, Luke Gruener, Bill Gruener, William J. Gruener, Michael Hance, Luke Horvath, Martin Jappen, Rebecca Johnston, William Kapcoe, John Kmiotek, Gina Krafinski, Sean Lehosky, Tia Mabanta, Timothy Maietta, Dakota Maken, Mary Sue Maluda, Tara Matthews, Dianne Maxwell, Kathleen McCormack, Megan McCormack, Erlinda Medina, Janice Mehaffy, Grace Mendonez, Michael Mendonez, Steven Miller, Marianne Mirkow, Thomas Mirkow, Bianca Montenegro, Grace Nadolny, Barbara Notarstefano, Melissa Notarstefano, Janet Oliveri, Sister Barbara Ozelski, Marie Pereira-Callahan, Diane Pfeffer, Irene Poggio, Joseph Poggio, Cathy Prykuta, Dana Rodriguez, Richard Rogers, Kimberly Romano, Dr. Teddy Rosales, Francesca Russo, Alexa Salvage, Caileen Sheehan, Cynthia Simson, Dennis Sisto, Maria Sisto, Karen Stafford, Rosemary Styne, William Styne, Ron Tedeschi, Julia Tobin, Sally Ann Waskewich, Isabella Rose Weiss, Jessica Weiss



DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST,

ST. JAMES MINISTRY FAIR:

During the Season of Lent, through prayer, penance and works of charity we prepared with the rest of the Church for the renewal of our baptismal promises on Easter Sunday. During Holy Week we remembered the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus, the Pascal Mystery. Our participation in the Pascal Mystery is celebrated through the Sacrament of Baptism. It is the Church's hope that our annual observance of Lent gives us a stronger sense of who we are as baptized members of the Body of Christ, the Church.

During the Season of Easter, we reflected on possible ways through which we could express our Baptism through some form of service. This weekend we are holding a Ministry Fair to celebrate the many varieties of ways available for service here at St. James.

Under our Ministry Fair Tent, there are more than 30 ministries, groups, and organizations who offer liturgical, educational, spiritual and social opportunities for children and adults. There are also ministries who provide support and financial assistance to those in need.

There are organizations who use our facilities to offer special assistance to those dealing with some type of addiction, such as, alcohol or drugs.

Perhaps, you saw an area of service that we offer and thought to yourself, *"I'd be interested in learning more and possibly being part of that group."* Often times I have heard from parishioners that they weren't aware of all that we do as members of St. James for our parishioners and for those who come to us in special need.

I am grateful to Almighty God for the gifts that he has provided us and the warm sense of community that continues to grow among all of us. Yes, we are truly a community of faith and friendship.

OUR DEACONS' ANNIVERSARIES OF ORDINATION:

We are truly blessed with the presence of three deacons in our parish who faithfully serve our parish community. Each one of them is celebrating the anniversary of his ordination this week:

Dcn. Rick Brunner – May 21, 2005: 19th Anniversary of Ordination

Dcn. Chris Daniello – May 17, 2014: 10th Anniversary of Ordination

Dcn. John Horn – May 19, 2018: 6th Anniversary of Ordination

Please keep all of our deacons in your prayers, especially, on their anniversaries. Thank you, Dcn. Rick, Dcn. Chris and Dcn. John! We are so grateful for your loving service to our parish and the church.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Fr. John", located at the bottom center of the page.



Sacramental Life

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

This Sacrament for those suffering serious illness or surgery is available by contacting one of the parish priests at the Parish Office (731-3710) during office hours. In case of serious danger or sudden accident, please call any time. One may also ask for this Sacrament before or after Mass.

BAPTISMS:

The Sacrament of Baptism is administered every other Sunday at 2:00 PM in the church. Please call the Parish Office (731-3710) for registration and scheduling information.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC (RCIA):

St. James Parish welcomes any non-Catholic who seeks to enter the Catholic Church or baptized Catholics of any age who have not yet received the other Sacraments. Please call the Parish Center (731-3710).

MARRIAGES:

Those wishing to be married at St. James should call the Parish Office (731-3710) to arrange an appointment with one of the parish clergy. Please allow 6 months at least for the necessary preparations. Please do not enter into any other wedding commitments prior to having your wedding date and time confirmed by the Parish.

PARISHIONERS IN THE HOSPITAL:

If a family member is in the hospital, please inform the Parish Office to have them placed on the sick list for prayers.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

We warmly welcome all new parishioners to our parish family. Registration forms are available at the Parish Center Office.

WEEKLY DEVOTIONS:

Miraculous Medal Novena & Rosary for Life - Mondays 2 PM in the Chapel.

Rosary - Monday through Saturday following the 8 AM Mass in the Church.

Our Lady of the Rosary Italian Prayer Group - Fridays at 11 AM in the Chapel (except during July and August - resumes Sept. 1st)

WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES

Pentecost Sunday

May 19, 2024

First Reading:

And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim. (Acts 2:4)

Psalm:

Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth. (Ps 104) Or: Alleluia.

Second Reading:

In contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. (Gal 5:22-23)

Gospel:

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth." (Jn 16:13)

Gospel Meditation

When I was twenty-two years of age in August of 2000, I experienced World Youth Day in Rome. As for many of my generation, the event was life-changing for me. Surrounded by joyful, hope-filled young people from seemingly every nation and tongue, we were gathered around the Pope, sharing a common Faith and love. The Pope spoke to us of our shared family bond in the Church and invited us to give our lives in service to others. Now twenty-four years later, my life as a priest, like that of so many others from those special days, continues on that same path of love and unity — despite my many weaknesses. What makes that continuation possible?

This week's feast gives the answer: the Holy Spirit. The gift of God — His very life — the third person of the Trinity, is the Spirit who animates the entire Church and each member of it. He makes us one-in-love in a way that utterly exceeds human capacity. For example, he makes the apostles speak with tongues of fire, and everyone hears them in his own native tongue. The Holy Spirit is the means by which Jesus establishes a new family, one that crosses all possible boundaries of time, space, and culture. The Holy Spirit never tires in enthusing us for mission.

Aren't we longing to experience the Holy Spirit in a fresh way? Today we celebrate this untiring flame, once ignited on earth and burning still. So, we humbly cry out: Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in us the fire of your love!

Father John Muir

Live the Liturgy - Inspiration for the week

Like a stool that cannot stand on two legs alone, we need the Holy Spirit. The third Person of the Trinity is the puzzle piece whose testimony completes the beautiful picture of salvation. Let us never fail to say: come, Holy Spirit!



What's Happening in Faith Formation??



PENTECOST SUNDAY

CONGRATULATIONS

To all our children who received
First Holy Communion
Saturday, May 11, 2024



Calling for Catechists:

Are you wondering how you can bring
God's Word to children?

Join us as a catechists in Faith Formation

Looking for:

Tuesday 4:15-5:30pm: Levels 1, 5, & 6

Wednesday 4:15-5:30pm: Levels 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8

Wednesday 7:00-8:15pm: Levels 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

Thursday 4:15-5:30pm: Levels 7 & 8

Stop by our table today at the MINISTRY FAIR

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2024-2025

Faith Formation Year is now
open!

All registration can be
completed by going to the
Parish Website:

stjamesrcchurch.org

Scroll down to "Quick links"
to print out the registration form
Or

Scroll down to the WE SHARE
Logo and fill the form out
online.

WE ASK YOU TO THINK
ABOUT

VOLUNTEERING AS A
CATECHIST,
HALL MONITOR, CLASS AIDE

Won't you answer your
Baptism call to spread
the Gospel?

Call the Office
516-796-2979

VISIT OUR TABLE AT THE
MINISTRY FAIR AFTER MASS!

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St. James Adult Faith Formation Opportunities



Scripture Sharing

Each week we will read the UPCOMING Sunday Gospel.

Each session we will discuss what was happening when Jesus spoke these messages, how to better understand the messages and how to live it out today.

1:30 – 3:00 PM - Tuesdays - Location: Room 112 - resumes May 14th

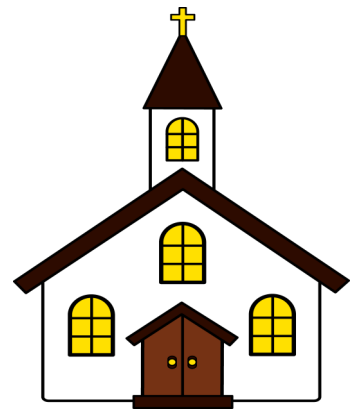
7:00 – 8:30 PM - Tuesdays – Location: Room 104 - ongoing

Church Tours

These tours will be led by the parish Deacons. We will walk through the church and discuss why and how things happen in our faith and our Catholic Churches.

7pm on Wednesday evenings—May 22nd and 29th.

You are welcome to attend any or all of these tours.



Marriage Banns

Week One

*Karolyn Sager & Matthew Urso
Courtney Flynn & Christian Bours*

Week Two

*Matthew Houlihan &
Victoria Cardone*

LECTIO DIVINA

- Lectio
- Meditatio
- Oratio
- Contemplatio



Join Bishop Andrzej
For Scripture Reflection Series
on St. THOMAS the APOSTLE - Part II
Wednesday, May 22, 2024
at 7:30 pm - ZOOM webinar.

Bible Study Verse

APOSTLE THOMAS
Touching the Present Lord
Gospel of John 20. 19-31
Encountering the Risen One

Registration is required in order to receive the ZOOM link to each session.
Please contact the Western Vicariate office with your name, parish, email address and phone number.
Send your email to:
westernvicariate@drvc.org
or call Suzanne at 516-744-6850.



St. James Adult Faith Formation Opportunities



A Quick Journey Through the Bible

Many Catholics want to read the Bible because they know it is God's Word, but they give up because it seems so complicated. ***Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible*** helps you get the "big picture" by showing how fourteen narrative books of the Bible tell the complete story from Adam and Eve to Christ and the Church. Presenter Jeff

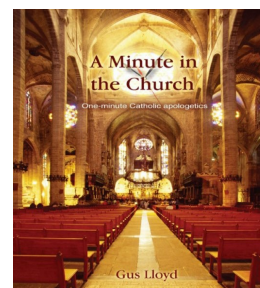
Cavins shows you how to read the Bible so that you can actually understand it. Aided by the unique color-coded *Bible Timeline®* Chart, which arranges the key people, places, and events of Scripture in chronological order, *Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible* will help you discover the story of salvation history and understand how you fit into God's plan. This eight-session study program includes video presentations that explore all twelve time periods of *The Bible Timeline* Chart.

Wednesday evenings in Delaney Hall at 7:00pm for this 8-week course. Starting Wednesday July 10th running until August 28th. Use the link below or scan the QR code with your phone to order the book from Ascension Press (order the book for \$25—\$30) <https://ascensionpress.com/collections/unlocking-the-mystery>



A Minute in the Church - This is a 4 Week Program where we explore our Catholic Faith and answer and explain our faith, and objections in short responses.

Meets at 7pm on Wednesday evenings, June 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th. The cost of the books is \$10 (not necessary to participate).



PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY:

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER (CELL): _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

I intend to participate in:

_____ **Unlocking the Mysteries of the Bible - Wednesdays at 7pm beginning July 10th**

_____ **A Minute in the Church - Wednesdays at 7pm beginning June 5th**



Ministry

FAIR

After All Masses

This Weekend

Come visit our Ministry Fair, talk to leaders and learn more about the ministries & organizations that serve our parish.

Where: Under the tent in the parking lot of St. James following all Masses.



Refreshments will be provided by Family Ministry.



St. James RC Church

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**Bring Dad to a
Pre Fathers' Day
Breakfast**

**Hosted by Family Ministry
in Delaney Hall**

**on Sunday 6/2/2024
immediately following
the 10:00 o'clock Mass**

**We will be serving
Pancakes & Sausages,
Bagels, Cake, Cookies, Fruit Salad
as well as
Coffee, Tea, and Juice**

**\$5:00 PER PERSON
\$10:00 PER FAMILY**





May 19 - Pentecost

Today as we celebrate Pentecost the Holy Spirit wants to make us advocates of God's presence to bring new life to others, especially those who do not know the love of God in their lives. **This**

month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able bring the love of God to the poor by assisting many families, providing assistance with food, utility and rent bills, etc. Thank You!

If you or someone you know needs help, please remind them the St. Vincent de Paul Society is here to help. We offer assistance in many forms; financial, spiritual, or help with navigating the intricacies of our society, please email us at: saintjamesaintvincentdepaul@gmail.com or call 516-735-8690. Thank you.



**Food
Pantry
Needs**

Our heartfelt thanks to all our parishioners for your continued support of our food pantry.

Our current needs are juices, drinks, sugar, flour, salt, vinegar, oil, bread crumbs, Rice-a-Roni, regular tea bags, laundry detergent, cleaning supplies, toilet paper and napkins.



Ordination to Priesthood²⁰²⁴



Rev. Mr.
Joseph Lettieri



Rev. Mr.
Dennis Gannon



Let us pray for the two men who will be ordained by Bishop John O. Barres to the Holy Priesthood of Jesus Christ on **Saturday, June 8, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.** in the Cathedral of St. Agnes in Rockville Centre.

The Ordination will air live on Catholic Faith Network (CFN). It will be replayed later that evening at 8:00 p.m. CFN is available on Optimum channel 29/137, Verizon FiOS TV channel 296, and Charter Spectrum channel 162/471 throughout the New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut area. CFN is also available on select cable and satellite systems and through live stream on cfntv.org. You may also view CFN on Roku, Apple TV, Amazon Fire TV, Android, or by downloading the CFN iOS mobile app at the app store by searching "Catholic Faith Network" or "CFN".



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ST. MATTHEW'S PRESENTS:

AN INTRODUCTION TO THE

Theology of the Body

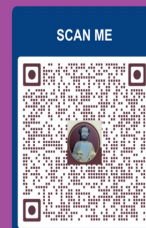
SAT JUNE 1ST, 2024

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

"This is the body: a witness to creation as a fundamental gift, and therefore a witness to Love as the source from which this same giving springs." (TOB 14:4)

LOCATION

ST. MATTHEW R.C. CHURCH
35 N. SERVICE RD.
DIX HILLS, NY
GOGGIN HALL (LOWER LEVEL)



REGISTRATION

SMRCC.ORG

OR CALL
631-499-8520 X 114

OR USE THE QR CODE

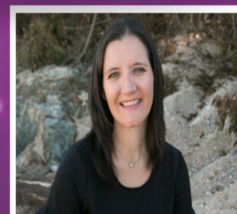
ALL ARE WELCOME!

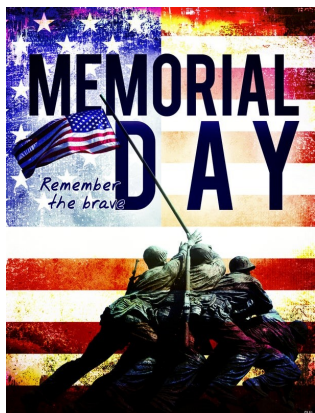
Refreshments and Lunch will be provided.
\$10pp St. Matthew's Parishioner, \$20pp all others.

Featuring:

LAURA DOMANICO

www.lauramdomanico.com





All Parish Center
offices will be
closed on
Monday, May 27,
2024 in observance
of Memorial Day.

There will be one
Mass that
day at 9am.

St. James Welcoming Ministry Schedule of Events

Family Game Night – June 8th

Family Movie Night - June 28th

Family Movie Night – July 26th

Family Movie Night – August 23rd

St. James Welcoming Ministry invites you to...

FAMILY GAME NIGHT

Win
Prizes!

Register
by June
3rd

FAMILY FEUD

Win
Prizes!



**SCAN THE QR CODE
TO SIGN UP!**



Saturday, June 8th at 5pm (following the 4pm Mass).

\$10 per Family includes snacks and drinks.

Pizza is available for purchase for \$1.50 per slice.

Delaney Hall St. James RC Church

Registration is required—Please scan QR Code or send email
to: stjameswelcomingministry@gmail.com



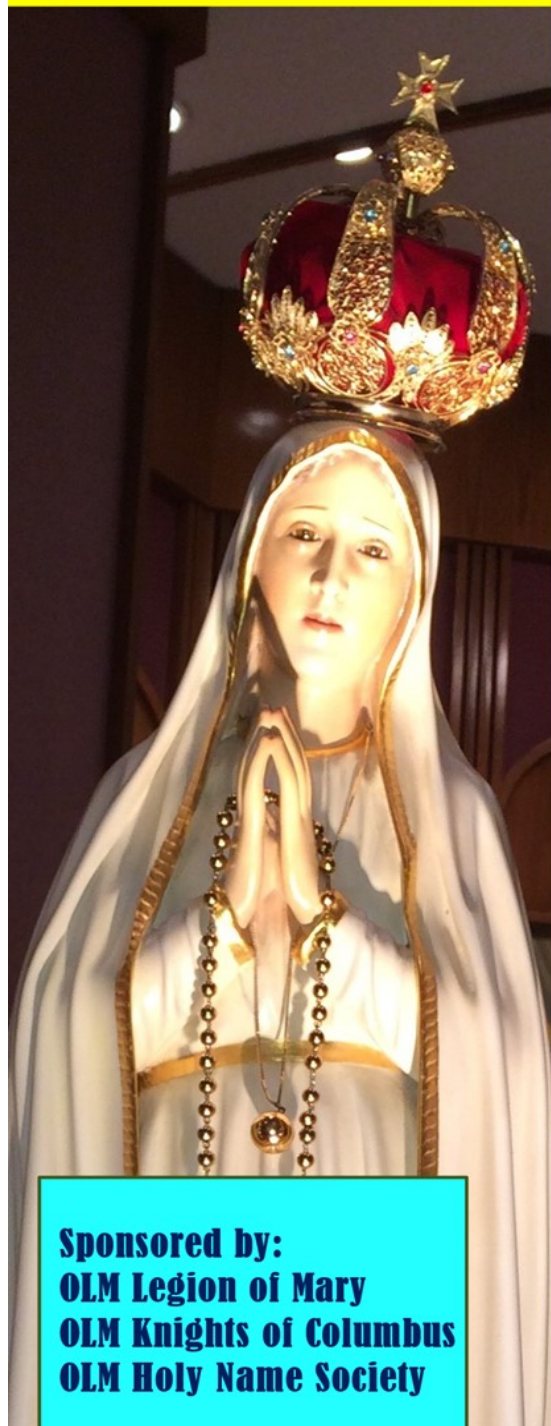
SAVE THE DATE



OUR LADY IS COMING TO

OLM, HICKSVILLE

TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2024



Sponsored by:
OLM Legion of Mary
OLM Knights of Columbus
OLM Holy Name Society

*Dear Children of Mary,
Spend a Blessed Morning in Prayer
With Our Lord in His Eucharistic
Presence and Our Most Holy Mother,
In Her Sacramental Presence of the
International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of
the World Apostolate of Fatima, USA
-Procession & Holy Mass
-Exposition & Benediction of the
Blessed Sacrament
-Rosaries & Devotions
-Sacrament of
Reconciliation
-W.A. of Fatima literature
& Religious Articles
available at the doors
(From 8:40 am to 2:00 pm
or just stop by for a visit –
More details to follow...)*

OUR LADY OF MERCY
500 S.OYSTER BAY RD
HICKSVILLE



Weekly Stewardship of Treasure Report

WEEK OF:

May 5, 2024

**Tomorrow's
Hope**

**CHURCH
CAPACITY 850**

	Sunday Collection	Second Collection	Mass Attendance	
Mass	8,030.00	748.00	8:00pm	314
Online Giving	4,544.00	79.38	8:00am	215
Mail in Envelopes	<u>1,745.00</u>	<u>67.00</u>	10:00am	267
Total	14,319.00	894.38	12:00pm	<u>275</u>
		Total		1,071

"Save Time and Donate Online!"

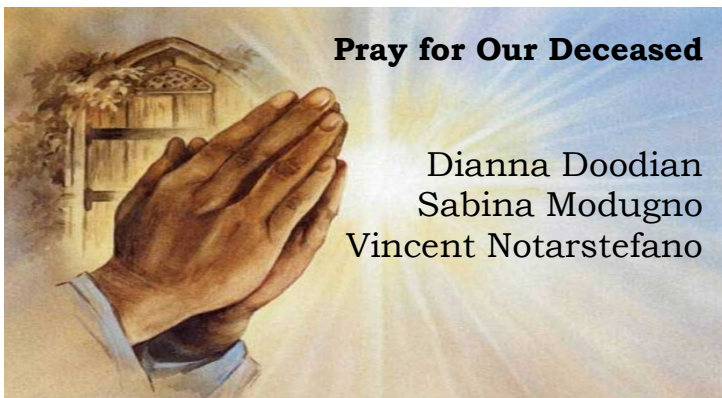


If you would like to enroll in Online Giving, please visit www.stjamesrcchurch.org and click on the WeShare link or call the parish office at 516-731-3710.

Question: How do we know when we receive the Holy Spirit?

Answer: When we are confirmed, we receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit. There is no radical change in us that makes us seem suddenly different. Over a period of time we come to see that there is a little bit of the Spirit in us. We catch ourselves using the gifts, and often end up wondering where a bit of wisdom came from, or why we were so patient or we feel an intensity in our prayer. Perhaps we felt drawn to deepen our spiritual life or found courage in witnessing to our faith. That's when we know we have received the Holy Spirit. We take on his image. Yes, we grow in age, grace and wisdom, but we also grow in our awareness and understanding of the working of God in our life. We become more godlike, realizing we're getting more and more like God. Our thoughts, words and actions carry that quality and others too, see it in us. You might call it holiness. But be confident! There's a little bit of him in all of us.

Pray for Our Deceased



Dianna Doodian
Sabina Modugno
Vincent Notarstefano

FROM THE EDITOR BULLETIN DEADLINES

<u>Bulletin Date</u>	<u>Due by 9:00am</u>
May 26th	Monday, May 20th
June 2nd	Monday, May 27th
June 9th	Monday, June 3rd
June 16th	Tuesday, June 4th

Super Bonanza \$25 Winners



May 2024

Sunday, 5/12—M/M John Plackis

Monday, 5/13—Carmela Mancuso

Tue., 5/14—Lesli Hiller

Wed., 5/15—Rosemary Fasciano

Thurs., 5/16—Sharon Wragge

Friday, 5/17—M/M Ernest Koch

Saturday, 5/18—Carmelina Oliveira

THIS WEEK AT ST. JAMES

Sunday, May 19th

8:30am Ministry Fair - Parking Lot

Monday, May 20th

8:30am Rosary - Church

2:00pm Miraculous Medal Novena & Rosary - Chapel

Tuesday, May 21st

8:30am Rosary - Church

1:30pm Scripture Sharing - Room 112

7:00pm Scripture Sharing - Room 104

7:00pm Faith Formation Parent Meeting - Church

Wednesday, May 22nd

8:30am Rosary - Church

7:00pm Church Tour - Church

7:30pm St. Vincent de Paul Meeting - Room 101

Thursday, May 23rd

8:30am Rosary - Church

10:30am Plainedge Seniors - Delaney Hall

Friday, May 24th

8:30am Rosary - Church

11:00am Italian Rosary Group - Chapel

Saturday, May 25th

8:30am Rosary - Church



FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES

Lord of Hosts, we commend to Your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with Your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils that beset them; and grant them Your abiding presence wherever they may be. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

REMEMBER OUR LOVED ONES IN THE MILITARY

Please pray for: Lt. Col. Joseph Agres, USMC; Marine; Battalion Chaplain, Capt. Fr. Lito D. Amande, Army; Kyle Beck, Ashlea Beck US Navy; Operations Specialist, Ryan Blazo, Army; Navy Airman, Lt. Commander Raymond Beno, Navy; Sgt. Joseph R. Booth, Army; Spc. Matthew Burrafato, Cpl. Dominic Castiello, Marines; 1st Lt. Ian Connors, Army; 2nd Lt. Jacob Connors, Army; Col. Brian Coyne, Sean Dolan 1st Lieutenant, USMC, Marines; Sgt. Steven Fiscante, Army; Pfc. Steven Gianatiempo, Army; M.P. Brian Gruebel, Air Force; Sgt. 1st Class James T. Harris, Army; Sgt. James Howard, Army; Specialist Dillon Incendio, Army; LtJG. : E-3 Joseph Keller, Navy; Connor Krebs, USMC; Cpl. Joseph Leoce, Jr. Marines; Lance Cpl. Luis R. Maltezos, USMC; Lance Cpl. Matthew Maniet, USMC; Lance Cpl. Richard Marandino, Marines; 1st Lt. Ric F. Masi, Army; 1st Lt. Kevin McMahon, Army; Lt. Eric McMullan, Army; Captain Scott Michalowski, Air Force; USMC; Pfc. Kyle Nigro, Marines; Pvt. Patricia O'Connor, Army; Pfc. Jason O'Shaughnessy, Army; Capt. Theresa Rodzevik, Army; Rocky C. Rossi, Navy; Scott Santoro, Marines; LCpl. Anthony P. Saracino Jr., Marines; Luis R. Maltezos Sepulveda, Marines; Sgt. Michael Stinnett, Army Infantry; L Cpl. Thomas Tarnagorski Jr, Marines; Lt. James Van Wie, Army ; Paul Vermillion, Marine Corps., Col. Kevin Walsh, Air Force; Chief Christopher Zyrski, Navy.