

The Parish of Saint James

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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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

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

Holy Days: 4:00pm Vigil Mass

8:00 AM, 12:10 PM and 7:30 PM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:

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

January 19, 2025
2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



2nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine."

- Jn 2:1-3



SUNDAY, JANUARY 19, 2025

8:00 AM Carmela Supino
 10:00 AM Faye Stallone
 12:00 PM People of St. James
 Giuseppe Valenzano—4th Anniversary
 Remembrance
 Rudy Arabia
 Thaddeus & Oriene Polant
 Rocco Zalud - Living
 Mass of Thanksgiving Our Lady of
 Altagracia

MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 2025

9:00 AM Michael Mills

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 2025

8:00 AM Brother Gabriel O'Brien
 12:10 PM Peter Enders

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2025

8:00 AM Elise McMahon - Birthday Remembrance
 12:10 PM Louis Yurasits

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 2025

8:00 AM Angela Vecchiarelli
 12:10 AM Michele DeVito

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 2025

8:00 AM Patrick Daly - Birthday Remembrance
 12:10 PM Devlin Starr

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 2025

8:00 AM Mary O'Neil - Birthday Remembrance
 4:00 PM Joyce Gruener - Birthday Remembrance

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 2025

8:00 AM George Anthony Martinez
 10:00 AM Stefan Garger - 15th Anniversary
 Remembrance
 12:00 PM People of St. James
 Dorothy Guercio
 Antonio Sansaet
 Bernardo DeLeon
 Vincenza Brullo
 Gladys McCullagh



MASS CELEBRANT

1/25 ~ 4:00pm ~ Fr. Benjamin

1/26 ~ 8:00am ~ Fr. Benjamin

10:00am ~ Fr. John

12:00pm ~ Msgr. Michael

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, Charlie Bowman, Christine Buerkle, Jennifer Callahan, Mary Calabrese, Carl Capobianco, Greg Capobianco, Philip Capobianco, James Castellane, JoAnn Chirco, Joseph 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, 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, Jim Perkowski, Diane Pheffer, Irene Poggio, Joseph Poggio, Cathy Prykuta, Dana Rodriguez, Richard Rogers, Kimberly Romano, Francesca Russo, Alexa Salvage, Iliana Saviano, Anthony Schiozzi, Caileen Sheehan, Cynthia Simson, Dennis Sisto, Maria Sisto, Joan Smith, Tony Sparaco, Arline Stafford, William Styne, Ron Tedeschi, Julia Tobin, Sally Ann Waskewich,



DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST:

WORD OF GOD SUNDAY:

On September 30, 2019, Pope Francis' Apostolic Letter, "Aperuit illis" established the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time as the "Sunday of the Word of God." He chose this date to issue his Apostolic Letter as it was the Feast of St. Jerome who translated most of the Bible into Latin. St. Jerome wrote that *"Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ."* That year also marked 1600 years since St. Jerome's death.

In the Motu proprio (literally, "of his own initiative"), Pope Francis declared that "the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time is to be devoted to the celebration, study and dissemination of the Word of God"

Pope Francis invites local communities to find ways to *"mark this Sunday with a certain solemnity"*. He suggests that the sacred text be enthroned *"in order to focus the attention of the assembly on the normative value of God's Word"*. In highlighting the proclamation of the Word of the Lord, it would be appropriate *"to emphasize in the homily the honour that it is due"*, writes the Pope.

According to the Vatican News, Pope Francis writes, ". . . *For many of the faithful. . . (the homily) is the only opportunity they have to grasp the beauty of God's Word and to see it applied to their daily lives*".

BLESSING OF OUR BIBLES:

With "Sunday of the Word of God" in mind we are inviting all parishioners to bring your Bibles to Mass next weekend so we can bless these Bibles and offer a prayer for God's blessing upon us as we commit to read our Bibles and let God's Word guide our lives.

THE SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE: It seems that one of the most contentious values in our country, and probably many "developed" nations around the globe, is the question of the protection of the unborn. The language has changed considerably over the years. It began with the question, *"when does life begin in the womb"* then became a *"woman's right to choose"* and now spoken of as *"a woman's health issue."* After all, how could anyone oppose an issue of women's health.

Thankfully, the Catholic Church, and many other religions, still firmly hold that human life begins in the womb. From this belief flows the belief that all life is created by God and only God has the authority to create life and bring it to its natural end.

The Pro-Life Movement has stood by this for many years and hailed the Supreme Court's decision in recent years that a woman does not have the right to an abortion. This was received with gratitude by many while instilling in those opposed to this decision to come up with even greater reasons that this right need to be restored.

The **Knights of Columbus** have been strong advocates of the Church's position of the sanctity of human life from conception. I am grateful that they have taken the position that they will assist any woman with an unplanned or unwanted pregnancy even before the birth of a child. In this they are leaders in the Church's position that assistance to these women cannot begin only after the birth of a child but throughout the pregnancy of women in special need.

The **Life Center** have made this one of their primary areas of service to pregnant women needing support, encouragement and assistance. We became familiar with their work through the Baby Bottle Campaign, which we will be holding again this year starting in early February.



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

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 19, 2025

First Reading:

As a young man marries a virgin, your Builder shall marry you; and as a bridegroom rejoices in his bride so shall your God rejoice in you. (Is 62:5)

Psalm:

Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations. (Ps 96)

Second Reading:

But one and the same Spirit produces all of these, distributing them individually to each person as he wishes. (1 Cor 12:11)

Gospel:

Jesus did this as the beginning of his signs at Cana in Galilee and so revealed his glory, and his disciples began to believe in him. (Jn 2:11)

Gospel Meditation

A friend invited me to an invitation-only wine-tasting event. There were over two hundred varieties of wine. Having no idea how to approach such a massive selection, I wandered aimlessly among the tables, sipping this and that. At the end of the evening my friend asked if I had tried some of the exceptionally expensive wines. I hadn't. "The really good stuff disappears first," he said. "My man, you missed out on some amazing vino." I was so disappointed. I wasted my chance for amazing once-in-a-lifetime wine. The wine I tasted was, well, *blah*.

Don't we often feel a similar disappointment in life? I missed this or that opportunity. If only I had known. Optimism sputters and fades. The glory days are gone. The chances, it seems, for the really great things in life come and go so quickly. Then they are gone forever. The good stuff goes first. Then life is just *blah*.

Not so with the Lord Jesus. In Jesus' miracle at the wedding at Cana, the steward of the feast says, "**Everyone serves good wine first, and then... an inferior one**" (John 2:10). That's the natural downward progression of life. The good stuff disappears quickly. But he says of the groom (who symbolizes Jesus), "**But you have kept the good wine until now.**" This is the ever-improving trajectory of the realm of God's grace. With Jesus, the "good wine" of divine love, hope and peace gets better as our journey of faith progresses. Where are your greatest disappointments? Don't give in to the lie that the really good stuff is gone. Tell Jesus you've run out. Then learn how to taste *that* amazingly good wine, because he saves the best until now.

Father John Muir

Living the Liturgy - Inspiration for the week

We are all the servants at Cana. Each of us, at various times, finds ourselves confused and unsure, empty where we should be full, unprepared where we should be ready. When we falter, Mary's words give us direction: "Do whatever he tells you."

What's Happening In Faith Formation??

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel we see the human face of God, Jesus is attending a wedding with his mother, there is no more wine, Mary lets Jesus know. Jesus is reluctant to do as his mother asks, not wanting draw attention to himself yet; but, because he loves her and knows she would not have asked if it were not important does as she requests and turns water into wine. With this one act Jesus examples for us how we too should respect our parents and act when they ask us too. In this one action he prevents the hosts of the wedding from being embarrassed and he respects and honors his mother.



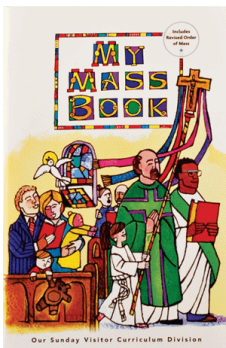
The Faith Formation office will be closed,
Monday, January 20 in honor of
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Faith Formation Classes for the Week of Jan. 20 — Jan. 24, 2025

Tue. Jan., 21 - 4:15 - 5:30pm
Wed. Jan., 22 - 4:15 - 5:30pm
Wed. Jan., 22 - 7:00 - 8:15pm
Thu. Jan., 23 - 4:15 - 5:30pm

A REMINDER TO ALL LEVEL 2 STUDENTS:

Please Bring you Mass Booklets to Class with you every week.
We are beginning to review the responses for Mass.



A reminder to all level 7 and 8 students that you Journal assignments are due. You should have completed at least 7 masses by this date. If you have not begun to hand in your assignments please do so this week.

**YOU CANNOT HAND IN ALL ASSIGNMENTS
ON THE LAST DAY OF CLASS!**

Knights of Columbus Clothing Drive

**Final
Pickup
January
26, 2025**

WINTER

**Final
Pickup
January
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COATS/ HATS/ GLOVES/ SWEATERS

5983 Delaney Council/ St. James Parish

- Location: St. James R.C. Church Narthex
- Times: Before and After Saturday and Sunday Masses

We are accepting New and/ or Used Winter Coats which will be donated and distributed to those in need in our local and surrounding communities in Nassau County. We are also accepting other articles of winter clothing and accessories such as Hats, Gloves, Sweaters, Sweatshirts, and Snowpants.

Please bring your donations in a secured plastic bag to the Narthex at St. James Church and leave them in the labeled cardboard box. The donations will be collected by Knights of the Delaney Council and donated to our Partners for distribution to our needy members of the community



**Food
Pantry
Needs**

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

Our current needs are canned ham, coffee, hot chocolate, tomato sauce, spam, pancake mix, syrup, Dinty Moore Stew, juice, boxed milk, cookies, snacks, cleaning products, tissues, paper towels, toilet paper and laundry detergent.

January 19: Second Sunday in Ordinary time



In the Gospel today, at the wedding feast in Cana, Jesus reveals himself to his disciples and they began to believe in him. Everyday, God also gives us signs of his love and so we also can respond in faith and trust. **Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul becomes a sign of God's love to those who are suffering and you give them reason to believe and to trust.** 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 516-735-8895. Thank you.

⚡ ST. JAMES WELCOMING MINISTRY PRESENTS... ⚡

CHILI COOK-OFF

January 25rd, 2025, Right After 4pm Mass!

BRING THE HEAT!

Prize for the best Chili and Dessert!

Where: Delaney Hall, St. James Roman Catholic Church
80 Hicksville Road Seaford, NY



\$5

PER PERSON

FREE

FOR INDIVIDUAL
WHO MADE
CHILI OR
DESSERT

**CAN'T TAKE THE HEAT? ENTER A
DESSERT INSTEAD!**

SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER



WELCOMING MINISTRY UPCOMING EVENTS

January 25th - Chili Cook-Off
February 23rd - Family Fun Day
March 28th - Lenten Prayer and Dinner
April 13th - (Palm Sunday) Egg Hunt
June 27th - Movie
July 25th - Movie
August 29th - Movie
September - Back to Church Date - TBA
October 26th - Trunk or Treat
December - Polar Express—12pm to 3pm

Word of God Sunday - January 26, 2025



Pope Francis issued an apostolic letter entitled “Aperuit illis” instituting the “Sunday of the Word of God” to be held every year on the third Sunday of Ordinary Time.

The Pope intended it to be a day dedicated to the celebration, reflection, and dissemination of the Word.

We are inviting all parishioners to bring their Bibles to Mass on Saturday, January 25 or Sunday, January 26 so we can offer a prayer for God’s blessing upon us as we commit to read our Bibles and let God’s Word guide our lives.



RT. REV. MSGR WILLIAM A. DELANEY COUNCIL #5983
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PRESENTS

*****A MOTHER’S DAY
COMMUNION BRUNCH*****
TO BE HELD SUNDAY APRIL 27, 2025
AT THE COUNCIL HALL

SCHEDULE FOR THE MORNING:
8:00 A.M. MASS AT ST. JAMES CHURCH
9:30 A.M. BRUNCH BACK AT THE COUNCIL
WITH GUEST SPEAKER TO FOLLOW....

THIS WILL INCLUDE A BRIEF PROGRAM TO HONOR
ALL OUR COUNCILS AND COLUMBIETTES AND
COMMUNITY MOTHERS, GRANDMOTHERS,
STEPMOTHERS AND GOD MOTHERS IN ATTENDANCE
FOR THE MONTH OF MARY OUR PATRONESS.

JUST \$22.50 PER PERSON
HOT BUFFET BRUNCH FROM VALLEY CATERERS
EGGS, SAUSAGE, ROLLS, BAGELS, MUFFINS,
PANCAKES, FRENCH TOAST AND HOME FRIES WITH
ALL THE CONDIMENTS NEEDED
COFFEE, SODA, TEA, AND JUICES WITH
BLOODY MARY’S, AND MIMOSAS

CHAIRMAN
KEITH WILSON PGK FDD PFN PCC
516-633-1435

RESERVATIONS
MIKE PARMITER 516-492-8051

BREAKFAST UNDERWRITTEN BY
CHAPEY FUNERAL HOME



Sunday Family Time

Families, have you and your children ever left Mass with things you might not have understood or have questions about church and your faith and felt there was no right time

or person to ask?

On the 2nd and 4th Sundays following the 10am Family Mass, Father John and Deacon Chris will be available to talk with parents and their children.

Time: Immediately following
10am Family Mass
Meeting Place: Pews located near
the statue of St. James

Let’s keep family conversations going and support each other on our faith journeys which keeps St. James community growing.

All Parish Center Offices
will be closed on Monday,
January 20th in
observance of the Martin
Luther King, Jr. Holiday.

There will be one Mass
that day at 9am.



Don't Forget Your Baby Bottle!

On the weekend of **February 1st & 2nd**, St. James Parish will be hosting a Baby Bottle Fundraiser to benefit the Life Center of Long Island.

The Life Center is a pregnancy care center that consults with women and men who are experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. Did you know that they provide?

- ✓ Free pregnancy test kits
- ✓ Free sonogram
- ✓ Maternity housing with eligibility requirements referrals
- ✓ Medical care referrals
- ✓ Material aid including car seats, cribs, clothing, diapers, and many other baby items
- ✓ Male advocates available to speak with fathers



We are asking that you pick up a baby bottle and fill it with your donation.

(Please make checks payable to the Life Center of L.I.)

PLEASE RETURN THE BOTTLES ON MARCH 1ST & 2ND

Most importantly, we are asking you to recite the prayer attached to the baby bottle. Prayers bring about something very powerful at the Life Center... a change of a mother's heart! We believe these prayers lead abortion-minded women to reach out to the Life Center in the beginning of their pregnancy. Prayers also spiritually equip our consultants at the Life Center to say just the right words a mother or father may need to hear with hope of choosing the gift of life for their baby.

Let us pray for the conversion of a mother's heart to give the gift of life to her preborn baby!



Deacon Ministry

Are You Being Called ?

LISTEN!—PRAY!—REFLECT!—DISCERN!

Attend ONE of the following dates:

7:00PM, Wednesday, January 22nd

St. Aidan Williston Park, 505 Willis Avenue

1:00PM, Saturday, January 25th

Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, Huntington

7:00PM, Tuesday, January 28th

St. Elizabeth Melville, 175 Wolf Hill Road

RSVP by Friday, January 17th,

TO 631-423-0483 Ext. 178

OR by email to

diaconateformation@drvc.org

We look forward to seeing you!

WORD OF GOD SUNDAY

Sunday, January 26, 2025

"He opened their minds to understand the Scriptures" (Lk 24:45).

Come celebrate with Bishop Andrzej.

Holy Hour and Reflection

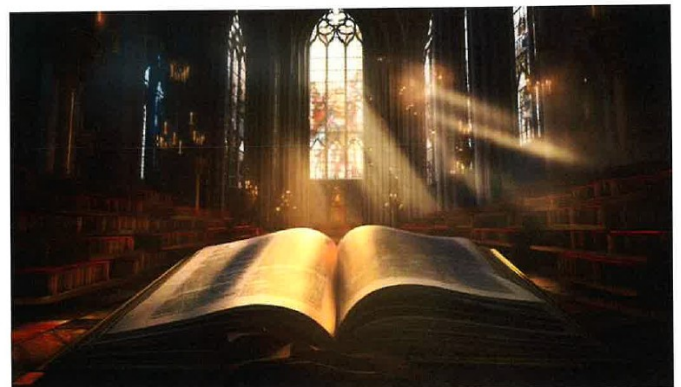
Sunday, January 26, 2025, at 3 pm

Church of St. Paul the Apostle

2534 Cedar Swamp Road, Brookville, NY 11545

www.stpaulsbrookville.org

All are welcome!



Weekly Stewardship of Treasure Report

WEEK OF:

January 5, 2025

**Catholic
Education**

**CHURCH
CAPACITY 850**

	Sunday Collection	Second Collection	Mass Attendance	
Mass	9,325.00	736.00	4:00pm	492
Online Giving	15,581.47	37.19	8:00am	215
Mail in Envelopes	<u>2,840.00</u>	<u>57.00</u>	10:00am	351
Total	27,746.47	830.19	12:00pm	<u>267</u>
		Total		1,325



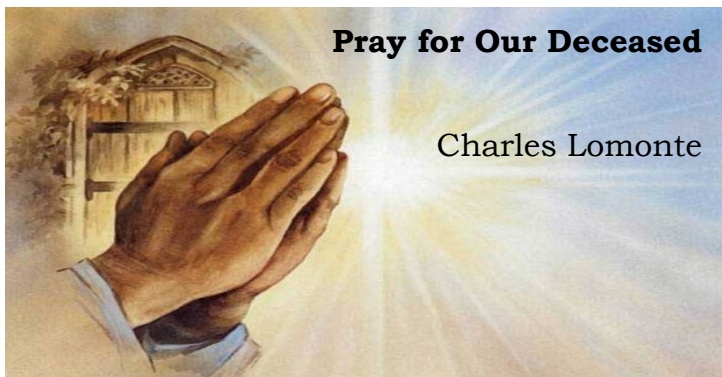
"Save Time and Donate Online!"

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: Why do some dioceses move holy days, or not even celebrate them. Doesn't everyone do the same?

Q & A

Answer: The short answer is no, not everyone does the same thing. Although the church is universal, there are many local customs and saints that each country, sometimes just a region, will honor. For example, feast days and patronal days may not be major feast days on the church's universal calendar, but are celebrated as such in one place. Holy days of obligation are the same way. The US Conference of Catholic Bishops has a certain amount of discretion in choosing days which best reflect the local church's experience and history. Another reason certain feasts are moved is a practical one. With limited clergy, or a great difficulty for people to get to Mass, the feast day may be transferred to a Sunday. The rationale is that if a significant feast should be part of the church's celebration, then better to do so on a Sunday when people and clergy are available, rather than try to fit it on a day when one or both cannot be there. Christmas and Immaculate Conception are always observed as days of obligation. In the USA we celebrate six holy days of obligation. There are also other special days and they are ranked, in order of importance as solemnity, feast, memorial and optional memorial.



FROM THE EDITOR BULLETIN DEADLINES

<u>Bulletin Date</u>	<u>Due by 9:00am</u>
February 2nd	Friday, January 17th
February 9th	Monday, February 3rd
February 16th	Monday, February 10th
February 23rd	Wed. February 12th

**Super
Bonanza
\$25 Winners**



January 2025

Sunday, 1/12—M/M Michael Pellizzi

Monday, 1/13—Constance Fisher

Tue., 1/14—Providence Maniscalco

Wed., 1/15—Joni Cassio

Thurs., 1/16—Laura Fahey

Friday, 1/17—Mary Fallon

Saturday, 1/18—Katheen McCauley

THIS WEEK AT ST. JAMES

Sunday, January 19th

9:30am Level 8 Hospitality & Mass
9:30am OCIA - Room 112

Monday, January 20th

9:30am Rosary - Church

Tuesday, January 21st

8:30am Rosary - Church
4:15pm Faith Formation classes
7:00pm Scripture Sharing - Room 104
7:00pm Youth Ministry Volunteer Mtg. - Parish Center
7:00pm Unlocking the Mysteries of the Bible—
Delaney Hall

Wednesday, January 22nd

8:30am Rosary - Church
4:15pm Faith Formation classes
7:00pm Faith Formation classes

Thursday, January 23rd

8:30am Rosary - Church
10:30am Plainedge Seniors - Delaney Hall
4:15pm Faith Formation classes

Friday, January 24th

8:30am Rosary - Church
11:00am Italian Rosary - Chapel

Saturday, January 25th

8:30am Rosary - Church
5:30pm Chili Cook-Off - Delaney Hall



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Open House

Sunday, January 26th
12:00-2:00

SCHEDULE A PRIVATE TOUR

Private tours can be scheduled throughout the week. See the school, speak with our Principal, and learn more about why Maria Regina is consistently nominated for Best Catholic & Best Private School on Long Island. Scan the QR code to book your tour!



REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Registration for the 2025-2026 school year is open. Call today to begin the process and reserve your spot before it's too late!



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Seaford, NY 11783
516-541-1229

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; Capt. Amy Connors, Army; Lt. Ian Connors, Army; Capt. Jacob Connors, Army; Lt. Ryan 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.