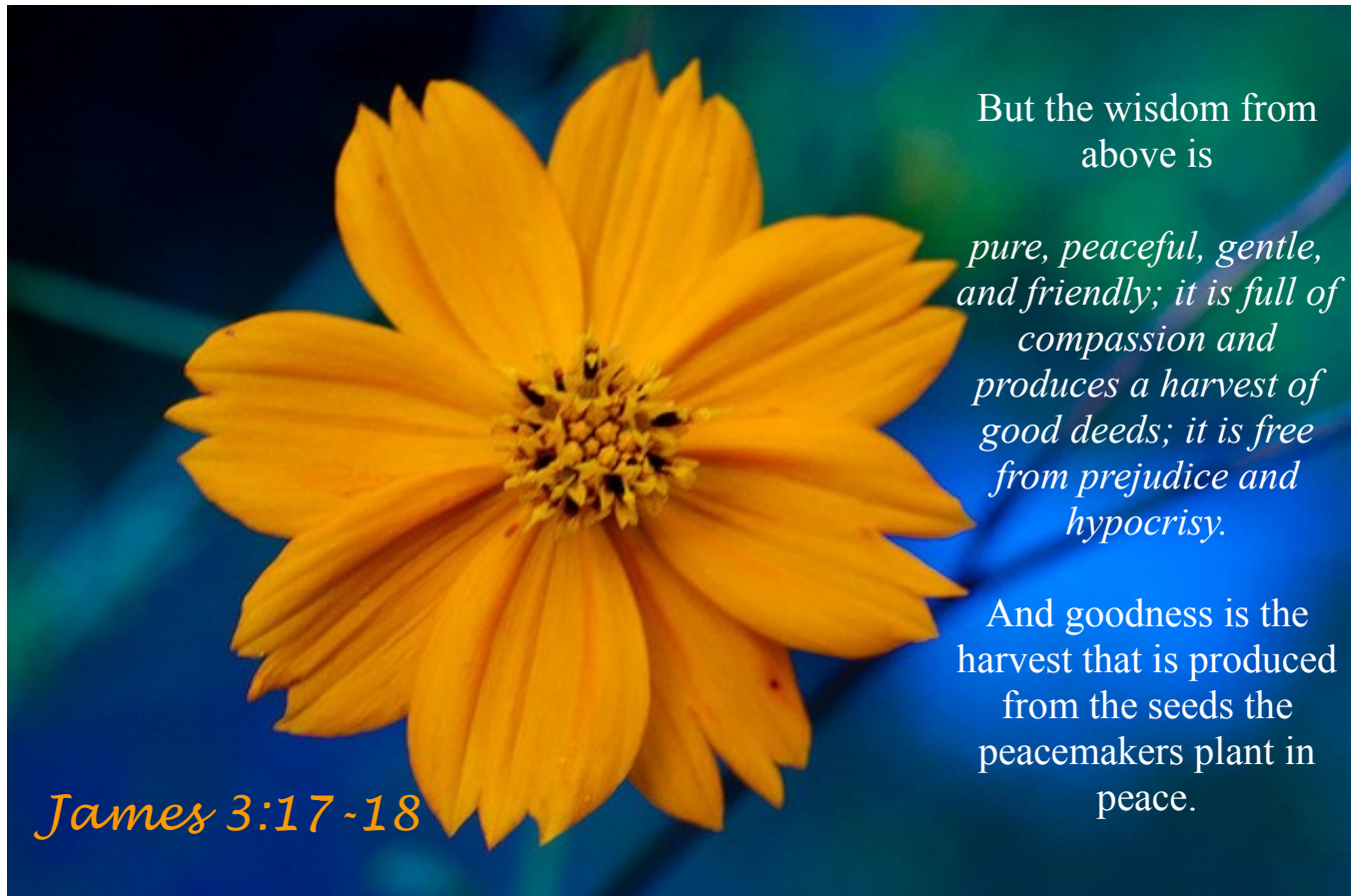


# The Parish of the Holy Cross

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## LET ALL BE WELCOMED AS CHRIST!



But the wisdom from  
above is

*pure, peaceful, gentle,  
and friendly; it is full of  
compassion and  
produces a harvest of  
good deeds; it is free  
from prejudice and  
hypocrisy.*

And goodness is the  
harvest that is produced  
from the seeds the  
peacemakers plant in  
peace.

*James 3:17-18*

## Come and pray with us!

### 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time – September 23, 2018

**VISION STATEMENT:** *Holy Cross is a vibrant Catholic community striving to maintain a spirit of welcome to all, serving as a guiding beacon to nourish and sustain prayer, work and play.*

#### **WE CELEBRATE EUCHARIST**

Monday—Thursday: 9:00 A.M. (Chapel)

Saturday: 5:00 P.M.

Sunday: 8:00 A.M. + 9:30 A.M. + 11:30 A.M.

#### **WE CELEBRATE RECONCILIATION**

Saturday: 3:45 P.M.—4:30 P.M.

or call Father Michael for an appointment.

#### **WE CELEBRATE BAPTISM**

Baptisms are generally celebrated twice each month at 1 P.M. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

#### **WE CELEBRATE WEDDINGS**

Couples should contact the Parish Office at least six months in advance of the proposed wedding date.

# We are here for you!

631.265.2200 + Fax 631.265.2229 + pothc@optonline.net  
Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM (closed 12:15-1:00 PM)

## PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Michael F. Holzmann  
Pastor

Ms. Kathleen Reid  
Director of Religious Education

Mrs. Mary Anne Mc Culloch  
Ms. Patricia Gyscek  
Co-Coordinators of Parish Outreach

Mrs. Judith Pickel  
Pastoral Associate

Deacon Ralph Rivera  
Pastoral Minister

Mrs. Tricia Clarke  
Business Manager

Mr. Brian Reich  
Director of Music Ministry

Mr. Salvatore Finocchiaro  
Coordinator of Youth Ministries

## PASTORAL STAFF

Mrs. Jane Wirth  
Parish Secretary

Mrs. Barbara Shipman  
P/T Asst. to the Pastor

Mrs. Elizabeth Shea  
P/T Office Assistant

Dr. Vincent Mazurek  
Music Minister

Mr. Gerald Farrell  
Mr. Vincent Matula  
Custodians

Mrs. Mary Pannone  
Religious Education Secretary  
(hcreled@optonline.net)

Mrs. Mary Inghilterra  
Weekend Sacristan

## Celebrants for Next Weekend's Masses



### September 29th/30th

5:00 PM	Fr. Michael
8:00 AM	Fr. Michael
9:30 AM	Fr. Michael
11:30 AM	Fr. Michael

## Mass Intentions Schedule



### Week of September 23rd, 9AM Mass

<b>Mon.</b>	Rocco Norcella
<b>Tue.</b>	Victor Lamarque
<b>Wed.</b>	Michael Malandrucolo
<b>Thu.</b>	Anthony Brady

### Saturday, September 29th, 5 PM Mass

Sophie Cassidy, Thomas Lynch, William Wurtz,  
Sze Chin, Mary Hines

### Sunday, Sept. 30th, 26th Sun. in Ordinary Time

<b>8:00 AM</b>	People of the Parish
<b>9:30 AM</b>	Lynn Ensminger, Frank R. Ranieri, Anne Marie Walsh
<b>11:30 AM</b>	John Schultz

## Remembering Our Sick

Please pray for the sick of our parish, their families and caregivers:

<b>Maria Conte</b>	<b>Nicole Digraziano</b>
<b>Andrew Gallo</b>	<b>Maryann League</b>
<b>Paul Malley</b>	<b>Steve Matonti</b>

If you would like to have the name of your loved one listed for 4 weeks in our prayers for the sick, please contact the Parish Office at 631.265.2200.

## *Scripture Readings for September 30, 2018*



+ Numbers 11:25-29  
+ James 5:1-6  
+ Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48

# What to Write About When I Don't Know What to Write About

*by Father Michael*

Normally I write these columns with minimal effort. Various ideas and bits of news come to my mind, and I scribble them down for a few days. Then I sit at my desk, look at my list and whip up the column in an hour or two. I think the low barometric pressure from Hurricane Florence must have affected my brain or something, because I really hit a brick wall trying to come up with this week's column. A technique I learned years ago when I faced writer's block is to just sit down and start writing, write anything: random thoughts, tidbits of information, rhyming words, etc. And then, somehow, once I get started something usually comes together. That didn't happen this time.

In the hours of procrastination I spent trying to get this article done, I wandered all over the computer. I watched a few YouTube clips. One was on architectural techniques that Disney uses to create a more comprehensive experience in their theme parks. The other was a review of a luxury, first-class suite on Etihad (a Middle Eastern airline). I also looked up a few recipes for gumbo. (Does anyone really know how to cook okra?) Unless I plan to visit Mickey Mouse in Abu Dhabi and prepare a Cajun meal for him, none of this is terribly helpful to me or to you. But, it was part of the process.

Sometimes life does not unfold as we plan or would like it to. There are distractions and events that keep us from staying on track. It can be discouraging. We have the best of intentions to get stuff done, and then we find ourselves kind of stuck in the mud or feeling empty. There is a great expression from somewhere within the world of spirituality that reminds us that "everything belongs." As much as we try to keep the good stuff of our life and weed out the other, it is not a realistic expectation for how we will experience life. And so, we find ourselves falling behind, dealing with surprises, or scratching our heads trying to figure out what to do next. It is in these moments of frustration that God can offer us the greatest comfort. We would probably prefer a pat on the back for a job well done. But, there are times we need to receive His embrace and believe He understands the complexities of our life. He is there in our moments of success as well as our times of mediocrity.

I suppose I could have thanked all the people who helped with Confirmation, as they truly made our celebrations special, or written about the defective skylights being replaced in the atrium (for the second time), or about our new Coffee and Conversation gatherings, but this is what I came up with. Thank you for bearing with me. Hopefully, I will be back on track for next week; I would hate to lose any faithful subscribers. (By the way, once I hit my first keystroke, this took about 40 minutes to write. I guess I have to trust all the other hours were God's way of working with me on this one.)

Have a blessed and peaceful week.

# PARISH NEWS



## Banns of Marriage First Time

Domenica Arena & Michael Salerno

## At Home with the Word

If you would like to purchase a 2019 *At Home with the Word* book, please sign the sheet on the table outside the Parish Office.



## Remembering and Caring for our Senior Priests

This weekend at the offertory we will also be collecting for the **St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility**. Thank you for your support of this important collection!

## Praying the Rosary

Join us as we pray the Rosary in the Chapel at 10:30 AM on the last Sunday of each month! The next date is September 30th!



# ATTENTION HOLY CROSS VOLUNTEERS

VIRTUS Training, *Protecting God's Children for Adults*, will be offered at Holy Cross on:

**Thursday, September 27, 2018, 6:30 – 9:00 PM**

As you know, all employees and volunteers are required by the Diocese to attend one of these sessions. (Those who have already attended VIRTUS are not required to go again.) If you have not yet taken VIRTUS training, **please register on-line right away**, as the number of participants is limited to 20.

To register, go to [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org), click on the yellow tab labeled "Registration," and follow the directions. The name of our *organization* is Diocese of Rockville Centre. Our *center* is Holy Cross RCC (Nesconset).

If you have any questions, or need help with the registration, please call Jude at 631-265-2200 x16.

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

## A Friendly Reminder from Religious Education

Registration for our 2018-2019 Religious Education Program is past due. If you would like to register your child in our Religious Education program, please do so as soon as possible. Also, we are always in need of Catechists. If you think God is calling you to the ministry of faith formation, please call the Religious Education Office ASAP! Thank you for considering sharing your faith with the children and young people of our parish.



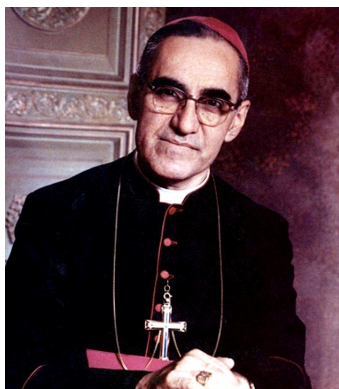
## RCIA

***Are you seeking Baptism? Are you a baptized Catholic who never celebrated First Communion and Confirmation? Have you been baptized in another Christian faith and now desire to become Catholic?***

If your answer is “YES” to any of these questions, we want to hear from you. The Church gives us a beautiful process called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) for those who seek to become fully initiated in the Catholic Church. This year’s RCIA will be starting soon. If you’re interested and would like additional information, please contact Jude Pickel at 631-265-2200 x16.



## PARISH OUTREACH



Archbishop Oscar Romero, a hero of social justice, was martyred due to his vocal criticism of the treatment of the poor and disenfranchised in his native country of El Salvador.

Blessed Oscar Romero will be canonized by Pope Francis on October 14, 2018. We are planning an event to celebrate and honor his memory on the evening of October 15th. Watch for details to follow.



# YOUTH MINISTRY

Hello everyone! Are you in high school? Do you want to make new friends as you play fun games? Do you want to build more of an understanding about yourself and your faith?

If you answered "Yes!" to any one of those questions above, then you **MUST** check out the **Holy Cross Youth Group**! You will be glad you did! If you just received the Sacrament of Confirmation this past week, then come with a friend and check out the wonderful opportunities the Youth Group has for you! We would love to see you!

The YG would like to thank everyone who supported our Fall Plant Sale this past weekend! All of the funds raised will be going directly to our upcoming fall events and retreat! Thank you so much for consistently supporting our wonderful youth program. :)

The Holy Cross Youth Group is the perfect opportunity for you to continue to grow in your faith and build relationships with others in the parish. Here are our upcoming youth events! Take a look:

**Sunday, September 23:** The Youth Group will be having an 11:30AM Youth Mass with the Core Band! Then, the YG will be hosting a YG Kickoff Event from 12:30 - 3PM! The event will take place at the field behind the Nesconset Library, off of Smithtown Blvd. Lunch will be served. Please come dressed in clothes you don't mind getting dirty! All are welcome!



**Sunday, September 30:** The Youth Group will be having a Youth Night, from 6 to 8PM in the Atrium. You do not want to miss this event! We have a wonderful night planned for all!

So, if you are thinking about coming to the church to see what we are all about, do it! You will not regret it. Come with a friend or family member, and join us as we continue to grow in the endless love of Christ.

If you have any questions or concerns, or if you are thinking about joining us and you would like more information, then please do not hesitate to contact Sal Finocchiaro, Coordinator of Youth Ministries, at [hcyouthgroup15@gmail.com](mailto:hcyouthgroup15@gmail.com) or call the parish office. Thank you!

# SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION



***Congratulations to the following children who celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation this week!***

Alexa Abrams	Paul Farrugia	Alexis Mascola	Brandon Ribeiro
James Ackerman	Michael Fennell	Mia Mattera	Natalie Rios
Brian Agnes	Gianna Ferraro	Emma McHugh	Victoria Roach
Samantha Alcure	Nicholas Ferraro	Melissa McLean	Alexandra Rodriguez
Robert Alpin	Karina Fitzpatrick	Jack Melomo	Shane Rogan
Julian Bakula	Gabriella Fuerst	Nicole Mennella	Jeffrey Rosenberg
Jack Bencivenga	Jillian Furlan	Matthew Meyers	Jillian Rosenkranz
Allyson Bernardo	John Gemmell	Joseph Milito	Julie Rowan
Sarah Bompane	Michael Giglio	Vincent Milito	James Ryan
Jenna Bonura	Janelis Gonzalez	Ella Mills	Nicholas Saccone
Jack Brennen	Christopher Goohs	Jenna Mirabile	Johnny Schiavo
Riley Brid	Alissa Grillo	Joseph Mitchell	Lauren Schindlar
Brandon Buttigieg	Christopher Grillo	Matthew Moss	Allison Schwab
Bridgette Caggiano	Serena Hecht	Joseph Moulton	Kaitlyn Seitz
Marco Calascibetta	Emma Hembury	Lauren Murphy	Rocco Sergio
Anthony Caravella	Colin Herr	Emma Naccarato	Sophia Sheldon
Matthew Carnazza	Justin Hippler	Nicholas Naccarato	Katelyn Sheuchenko
Dylan Carrera	Sabrina Ingrisano	Tyler Nagosky	Grace Smith
Julian Castiblanco	Kailey Jaeger	Mattie Naples	Jake Solomito
Meghan Catania	Anthony Jata	Ryan Nappi	Daniel Story
Savannah Chironno	Lindsey Johnson	Jacquelyn Nasiatka	Morgan Tenaglia
Emily Ciulla	Samantha Jones	Justin Nasiatka	Brendan Tenety
Nicholas Coffey	Jillian Kelly	Jake Nielsen	Emma Thode
Tiana Collazo	Karsyn Kondracki	Joseph O'Brien	Liam Thomas
Maria Colletti	Steven Krayewski	Grace Orr	Georgia Tomasino
Jessica Conte	Bianco Kusko	Sarah Panetta	Isabel Tomasino
Nicholas Conte	Julia Kusko	Sean Pappas	Michael Tomasino
Anthony Conway	Patricia LaCava	Jennifer Passarelli	Brendan Toscione
Dominic Crema	Sofia Lanzillotta	Alyssa Patac	Julia Troy
Gianna Crema	Joseph LeCour	Andrew Pawlak	Nicole Tudisco
Dylan Cupaiolo	Julia LeCour	Kyle Perillo	Chase Turano
Angelo DeAugustino	Andrew Liebman	Carmella Piccininni	Lorraine Valenzano
Adriana DeFelice	Loredana Liebman	Ashley Pickow	Jack VanDeusen
AvaJo DeGuara	Alexandra Loria	Aaron Poletski	Christopher Varrichio
Kevin Dellegar	Demetria Lutz	Ashley Prevet	Christian Villacci
Sean Diffley	Sommer Madigan	Jenna Prevet	Michael Viollis
Gemma DiGiovanna	Caroline Malandrucolo	Maya Quaranta	Matthew Wild
Riley Eaton	Juliette March	Sofia Ragona	Kaitlyn Wright
Nicholas Elarde	Noah Marotta	Megan Reilly	Zachary Wynne
Nicholas Esposito	Emily Martinsen	Julia Reuter	

# LITURGICAL MINISTERS



## Attention: Altar Servers, Lectors, Ushers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Let us know if you would like to continue in your ministry for the 2018-2019 Liturgical Year and, also, if you would like to serve on Holy Days. Your dedication to the ministry is most appreciated by the Parish. Please complete the form below and place in the Sunday collection basket or return to the Parish Office on or before October 14th. Also, please let us know if you are a "snow bird" and need to be taken off the schedule for a period of time. **If at any other time during the year you need to stop your service, please contact the Parish Office.**

### RECOMMITMENT

I wish to continue in my ministry for the 2018-2019 year.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_ I understand I may return to my ministry at any time once I have informed the Parish Office.

I am an: **Altar Server, Lector, Usher, Extraordinary Minister**

Preferred Masses \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please ✓ if you are an EM and you would like to bring the Eucharist to the homebound.

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### Are you available to minister on Holy Days?

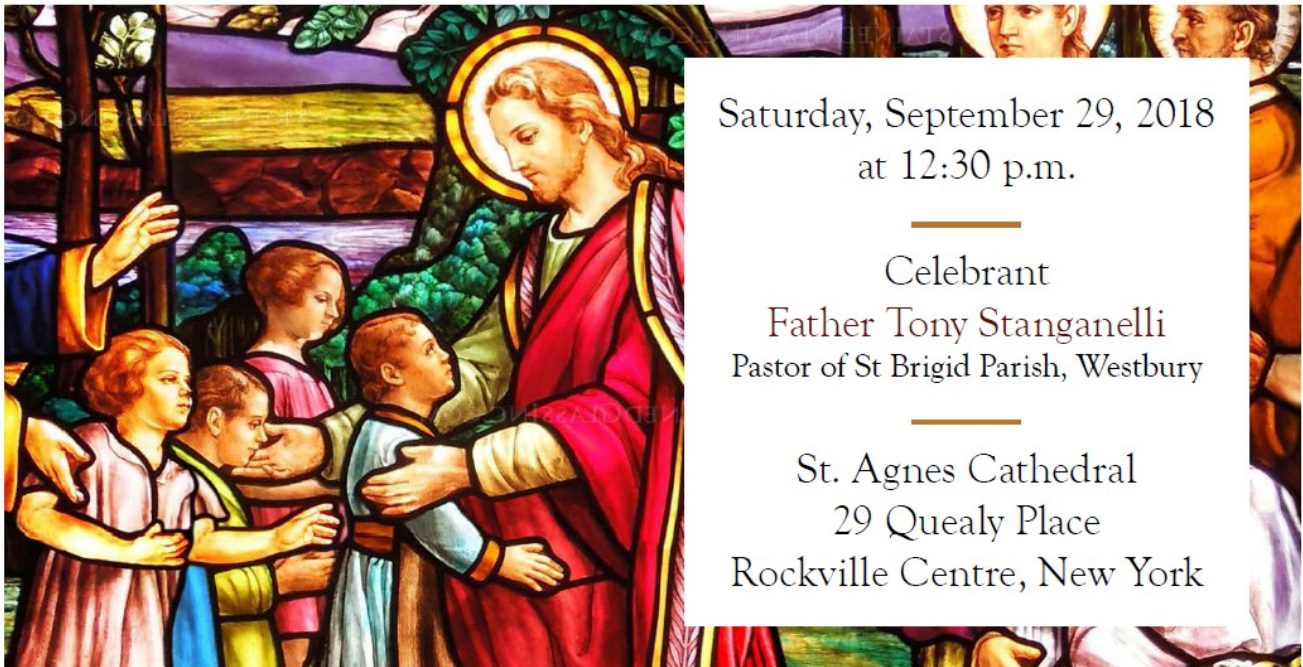
(Solemnity of Mary, Ascension Thursday, Assumption, All Saints' Day, Immaculate Conception)

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_



# 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Mass For Deceased Children

*Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them; for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these. Matthew 19:14*



Saturday, September 29, 2018  
at 12:30 p.m.

—  
Celebrant

Father Tony Stanganelli  
Pastor of St Brigid Parish, Westbury

—  
St. Agnes Cathedral  
29 Quealy Place  
Rockville Centre, New York

*All are welcome*

Register online at [www.drvc-faith.org](http://www.drvc-faith.org)

Come early to inscribe your child's name in the  
"Book of Families"

Light refreshments will be served in the Pastoral Center after Mass.

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For more information contact  
Ellen Zafonte, Associate Director Office of Faith Formation  
516-678-5800 x506 [ezafonte@drvc.org](mailto:ezafonte@drvc.org)



Supporting Dramatic Missionary Growth on Long Island and Beyond

# Hands of Christ's Mercy



Christ encourages us to be willing stewards of the gifts with which He has blessed us and willing servants of His compassion, hope and love. He wants us to serve the poor and all those in crisis. He wants us to be Good Samaritans of mercy and forgiveness. He wants us to be instruments of **Dramatic Missionary Growth**.

Your gifts to the Catholic Ministries Appeal help us to be the Hands of Christ's Mercy by helping our Church expand our services to the disadvantaged and underserved, enhance our children's religious and academic educations, support vocations, and strengthen our services to families.

## Your support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal also helps young adults on their Faith Journey!

Young Adult Ministry



DRVC Young Adult Ministry puts young people in contact with their peers who share the same faith and values and offers spiritual, social and service activities. To find out what's happening in our diocese for young adults please visit [drcvya.org](http://drcvya.org).

Please note: If you wish to donate on the Diocesan website, [drcv.org](http://drcv.org), our church is listed as **Church of the Holy Cross**.

Make checks payable to:  
Catholic Ministries Appeal

Please drop in the collection basket or at the Parish Office. Also, brochures are available on the bulletin table in the atrium. Thank you!

Parish Parish of the Holy Cross—176

Pledge: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Down payment: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## ST. PATRICK PARISH OF SMITHTOWN SOCIAL MINISTRY RAINBOWS



Rainbows... when something significant happens in the family, the entire family is affected; and grieving children struggle to verbalize the complex emotions inside. Rainbows is a support group curriculum for children who have suffered a loss in their lives, either by death, by divorce, or any other painful transition.

This program is not a counseling session or therapy; it is *strictly* a peer support group with caring, trained adults to guide them. The purpose of the curriculum is to provide these children with an opportunity to sort through and understand their grief, helping them come to a healthy acceptance of what has happened in their family. The children, as well as the adults, are bound by confidentiality.

### Format:

- 12 sessions divided into two - six week semesters (fall & winter)
- Each session runs approximately one hour per week. The children are grouped according to age level. (ages 5-17)
- Meet in St. Patrick School on Wednesday evenings at 7:00PM

We have a new group beginning in October. Pre-registration is required. For further information please contact St. Patrick's Parish Outreach at 631-265-2668.

The program is free and is sponsored by the Branch Funeral Home, which is dedicated to easing the burden of children who have suffered a loss.



# COMMUNITY NEWS



**Cenacle Retreat Center**  
**310 Cenacle Road, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779**  
**631-588-8366 retreat@cenaclesisters.org**



**Thursday, October 18, 2018**  
**10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. at the Retreat Center,**  
**10:00 a.m. arrivals and refreshments**  
**LIFE'S CALLING YOU -**  
**COME, FOLLOW CHRIST -**  
**Morning for Seniors**  
**AUTUMN SEEDS OF CHANGE**  
Finding beauty, strength and grace in ordinary days.  
**Presenter: Carmela Bergman, Cenacle Staff Associate**  
**Offering: \$30 - Lunch included**  
**\$20 deposit required to hold your reservation.**

**Saturday, October 27, 2018**  
**10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. at the Retreat Center, 9:30 a.m. arrivals and refreshments**

## **AMAZING GRACE**

Come and let the music and words of one of the most well-loved hymns, "*Amazing Grace*," touch your soul. As we learn the story behind this powerful spiritual, we will be invited to name our own amazing stories of God's grace in our lives. Music, scripture, story, quiet prayer, journaling, and faith sharing will be a part of our celebrating "*Amazing Grace*."

**Presenter: Sr. Kathy Scott, r.c.**  
**Offering: \$50 - Lunch included**  
**\$20 deposit required to hold your reservation**

**Sunday, October 28, 2018**  
**1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Retreat Center, 12:30 p.m. arrivals and refreshments**

## **LOVE NEVER DIES - MAINTAINING THE CONNECTION**

This grief and healing workshop will help us find strength and hope in the gifts our loved ones continue to give to us even after their deaths. It is also an opportunity to heal some of the hurting places that grief can bring. A supportive safe place to honor our journey and love that never dies, and honor our grief and loss even a few years after.

**Presenter: Paul Alexander, LCSW**  
**Offering: \$35**  
**\$20 deposit required to hold your reservation**

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## Free Community Health Fair Bring the Family

HealthLink | September 2018



Saturday, September 29, 2018 ▶ 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM



**Blood Pressure Screenings**



**Flu Vaccinations**



**Cholesterol Screenings**



**Hearing Screenings**



**Sclerosis Screenings**



**Pulmonary Screenings**



**Tai Chi Demo Class**



**Vascular Screenings**



**Narcan Education**



**Meet Our Robot**



**Pumpkin Decorating for the Kids**



Please bring a canned item for local food pantry donation

### Teddy Bear Clinic



Bring your favorite stuffed animal to get their CHECK UP! Our Teddy Bear Clinic will show kids what it's like to be a patient—visiting various departments with their bear. Kids will also explore a real ambulance. The free interactive program will help take the scare out of emergency care.



Learn more, by calling:  
**(631) 870-3444**



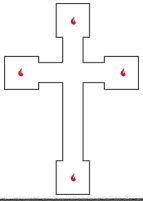
**St. Catherine of Siena  
Medical Center**

**Catholic Health Services**

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# CASH CALENDAR



## Parish of the Holy Cross September 2018

September 14th is the  
Exaltation of the  
Holy Cross

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 \$50
2 \$50	3 \$50	4 \$50	5 \$50	6 \$50	7 \$50	8 \$50
9 \$50	10 \$50	11 \$50	12 \$50	13 \$50	14 \$500	15 \$50
16 \$50	17 \$50	18 \$50	19 \$50	20 \$50	21 \$50	22 \$50
23 \$50	24 \$50	25 \$50	26 \$50	27 \$50	28 \$50	29 \$50
30 \$50	\$ 10 Per Chance; 30 Chances to Win; \$50 Per Day; \$500 on September 14					

Cash Calendar, SEPTEMBER 2018

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# MEETINGS THIS WEEK

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|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Sunday, September 23rd</b>    | <b>12:30-3PM</b>    |
| • YOUTH DAY EVENT                | Smithtown Library   |
| <b>Monday, September 24th</b>    | <b>7 PM</b>         |
| • LEV. 8 CONFIRMATION CATECHISTS | Fr. Joe Room        |
| <b>Tuesday, September 25th</b>   | <b>10 AM</b>        |
| • IN STITCHES                    | Fr. Joe Room        |
| • CONFIRMATION CATECHISTS        | 1:30PM Atrium       |
| • K OF C OFFICERS                | 7:15PM Fr. Joe Room |
| <b>Thursday, September 27th</b>  | <b>1 PM</b>         |
| • MOMS' GROUP                    | Sacristy            |
| • VIRTUS                         | 6:30PM Fr. Joe Room |
| <b>Sunday, September 30th</b>    | <b>10:30 AM</b>     |
| • PRAY THE ROSARY                | Chapel              |
| • BAPTISMS                       | 1PM Worship Area    |
| • YOUTH NIGHT                    | 6PM Atr./Wor. Ar.   |

# DIocese OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE



**50**  
GOLDEN YEARS

**Golden Wedding Liturgy**

This fall, couples that have been married fifty years or more will be honored at a liturgy on Sunday, October 21, 2018 at the Church of Christ the King in Commack. Mass will begin at 2:30 PM. Registration forms and complete instructions can be obtained at your Parish Office. Registration must be received at the DRVC Office of Worship by October 12th.

If you have any questions, please call  
516-678-5800 ext. 207.

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## St. John the Evangelist R.C. Church

546 St. John's Place,  
Riverhead, NY 11901

is offering



*Concert &  
Music Workshop  
with Bob Hurd*



### **All Community Concert:**

Friday, October 19, 2018 - 7 PM

### **Workshop for Music Ministers:**

Saturday, Oct. 20, 2018 - 10am-1pm

**Advance:** \$15 Concert, \$10 Workshop  
\$20 Concert & Workshop

**Door:** \$20 Concert, \$10 Workshop

**To Purchase Tickets:** [ticketbud.com](http://ticketbud.com)  
search event: *Bob Hurd*  
OR [stjohn.ticketbud.com/bob-hurd](http://stjohn.ticketbud.com/bob-hurd)

For more information, contact  
Renee Stakey, Music Director, at  
[sjpsocialmedia@aol.com](mailto:sjpsocialmedia@aol.com)  
or 631-644-5928

**Bob Hurd** has served as a teacher, composer and liturgist in various pastoral and academic settings. He began composing music shortly after Vatican II when the need arose for new music in the vernacular, music that the whole assembly could sing. Thus began 45 years of composing music for the liturgy.





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(631) 588-1515

**HAUPPAUGE**  
840 Wheeler Road (Rte. 111)  
(631) 361-7500

**HOLBROOK**  
825 Main Street  
(631) 981-7500

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**CENTRAL ISLIP**  
130 Carleton Avenue  
(631) 234-6000

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1320 Lakeland Avenue  
(631) 589-1500

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