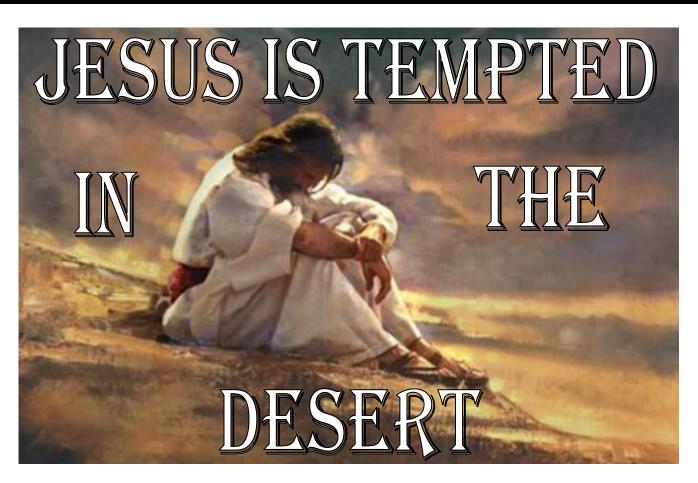
The Parish of the Holy Cross

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LET ALL BE WELCOMED AS CHRIST!



Come and pray with us!

1st Sunday of Lent - March 1, 2020

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 Saturdays: 3:45 P.M.—4:30 P.M. Wednesdays in Lent: following 9AM Mass 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

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Celebrants for Next Weekend's Masses Mass Intentions Schedule March 7th/8th Week of March 1st, 9AM Mass				
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Please pray for those in our parish who are sick, their families and caregivers:

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George V. Daly Jeanne Gallo **Bob Grieco Marlene Starr**



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- Thu. James Lechner

Saturday, March 7th, 5 PM Mass

Victor Lamarque, Henri-Robert Lamarque, Sheryl Minter-Singu, Ed Bosch Jr., Joseph A. Stallone

Sunday, March 8th, Second Sunday of Lent

- Ginny Gunn 8:00 AM 9:30 AM Maron Brady, Marie Ulrich, Joseph Pellechi, Ann & Tony Agostino,
 - Kathleen Blair, Lucia Vitale Traino
- **11:30 AM** People of the Parish

Scripture Readings for March 8, 2020

- + Genesis 12:1-4 + 2 Timothy 1:8-10
- + Matthew 17:1-9

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Great Uncle Mikey

by Father Michael

On Monday I became a great uncle. (3) My niece who lives in Florida had a baby girl, Everleigh Catherine. There is something remarkable about the gift of a new life. On so many levels it reminds us that by God's grace there are always new beginnings. And, new beginnings bring hope and joy. I plan on making a trip down in the beginning of April to see the newest addition to our family.

Monday evening begins our Parish Lenten Mission. There is a creative origin to how this mission came about. Last May the Travel Club went to Niagara Falls. One of the stops on the tour was a small Carmelite Monastery. Several parishioners pointed out a small sculpture that was available in the gift shop. It depicted Christ as a homeless man sleeping on a park bench. We bought the sculpture thinking it could be placed in our Outreach Office.

The sculptor is a man named Timothy Schmalz. He creates imaginative and engaging depictions of Christ. After we returned home, we looked at the full collection of his works and found many beautiful pieces. We ended up purchasing four of his creations. They represent the themes of service, joy, forgiveness and unity. We are going to highlight one of the sculptures each week and build an evening of prayer around it. Each evening will be led by a guest speaker. At the conclusion of the Mission, this artwork will be permanently put on display in the hallway outside the Parish Office. We hope you can join us for the evenings of the Mission. We hope these presentations add to the prayerfulness of this holy season.

Pre-Cana is the required preparation that engaged couples participate in prior to the celebration of their marriage. We have had a faithful pre-Cana team here for years who offer this program to our couples. This weekend we are trying something new for the first time. Normally, the program takes place once a week in the evening for four weeks. It is good to have the presentations and discussions take place over the course of a few weeks, however, scheduling has proven to be very difficult. For many couples, work schedules and other commitments make that difficult to do. So, we are now trying a weekend program. It began on Friday evening, and Saturday is an all-day session. The response of the engaged couples was strong. It makes for a busy weekend, but it seems to better address the needs of those involved. As a result, you may see some weary couples wandering around at the 5:00 Mass as they conclude their day.

Don't forget about our Knights of Columbus dance. It is a great (and affordable) opportunity to get together with family, friends and fellow parishioners for an evening of fun. I am grateful to our Knights for hosting this dance.

The Anointing of the Sick will be offered after the 9:30 Mass this Sunday, March 1st. Our Holy Hour will be offered on Saturday, March 7th, from 3:45 to 4:45PM.

PARISH NEWS

Pray for Our Military

PFC Anna Brady Cpl. Richard J. DeKanchuk, USMC SA Anthony J. DeNicola FC2 Lane Dyar SSG Daniel Frost MIDN Jonathan A. Goohs Jr., USNA WO Christopher Kaminsky Sgt. Michael J. Knipper, USMC SSGT Ryan Mauldin PFC Ryan McCoy, USMC Lt. Ryan Montvydas IT1 Jason Mulderig LCpl. Michael Palagonia, USMC

We thank the men and women who serve in our military for their service. We will continue to pray for them through 2020. Please let us know at any time during 2020 if their service is finished, their title has changed, or you would like continued prayers through 2021.

May God bless all who serve our nation. Pray for Peace! The **Bread and Wine** for the week March 1st - 7th have been donated in loving memory of **Joseph Pellechi Jr.** by the Whitehead family.





We pray for the following parishioners whose funerals were celebrated at Holy Cross in February:

James Falletta Joseph Sacco

May they rest in peace, and may their loved ones be consoled.



Holy Cross welcomes this child Baptized in February!

Mark Angelo Governale

<u>Girl Scout Sunday</u>

Tell your Scouting friends.....All Are Welcome



When: March 8th at 9:30 Mass

(Arrive 15 minutes early to sign in.)

- Where: Parish of the Holy Cross, Nesconset
- Who: All Scouts and their families are invited to attend.

What to wear: Girl Scout Uniform / Sash

Please let us know who/how many Scouts are coming. Text, call or email any questions you may have. Girls, please bring a goody for hospitality!

Kim Loh Bodor 516-996-2297 akjlb23@optonline.net

Janine Mehlinger 631-384-1255 cheecheej9@aol.com

PARISH LENTEN MISSION

THEME FOR WEEK 1 OF THE PARISH LENTEN MISSION

"Service in the Lord"

Come join us for prayer, reflection and song Monday, March 2nd, at 7:30 PM

"Whatsoever you do for the least of my brothers and sisters, you do unto me…"



Our guest speaker: **Thomas Petriano, Ph.D.** Chair & Professor of Religious Studies St. Joseph's College, Patchogue, NY

Invíte a fríend or famíly member to join you!

PARISH LENTEN MISSION



UPCOMING Lenten Mission Nights March 9, March 16 & March 23 at 7:30 PM

Keeping a Holy Lent

- March 9th: "Rejoicing in the Lord" Speaker: Deacon John Grebe, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish
- March 16th: "Forgiveness in the Lord" Speaker: Rev. Jerry DiSpigno, Good Shepherd Parish. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated as part of this evening.
- March 23rd: "United in the Lord" Speaker: Sister Pat Duffy, OP Hospitality will be served to conclude our Mission series.

SAVE THESE DATES AND BRING A FRIEND OR TWO! "ALL ARE WELCOME"

YOUTH MINISTRY

Are you a high school student who has received the Sacrament of Confirmation? Do you want to make new friends as you play fun games? Then check out the **Holy Cross Youth Group.** You will be glad you did!

Here are our upcoming events:

- March 1: We will attend the 11:30 Mass and then visit the residents at the local Nursing Home! Also, this weekend we will be holding a bake sale, a fundraiser for our upcoming retreat on March 20-22.
- March 8: We will have a Youth Night from 6 to 8PM. Come join us!

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 Allie Roecklein, Coordinator of Youth Ministries, at <u>hcyouthgroup15@gmail.com</u> or call the parish office. Thank you!



PARISH OUTREACH

Eat Símply...So Others May Símply Eat

Lent offers us a unique period of time to evaluate our life journey as a follower of Christ. We are encouraged to assess if this journey has led us to an improved understanding and deepening of our relationship with our Lord, with our neighbors and with our brothers and sisters of the world community.

For the last 29 years, we at Holy Cross have embraced our Lenten Project **Eat Simply So Others May Simply Eat** as a way to raise our consciousness to the significant needs of our struggling friends. We willingly sacrifice larger or better meals for simpler meals during Lent. Our joint effort to **EAT MORE SIMPLY SO OTHERS MAY SIMPLY EAT** unites us in a special way with one another and also with those who are struggling on Long Island.

We encourage you not only to participate in this program, but also to discuss it at the dinner table with your children and family members. Many of us are not consciously aware of the number of people that are struggling and hungry right here in our own area. During 2019, our outreach pantry served an average of 90 people each month.

The Lenten envelopes marked, **EAT SIMPLY...SO OTHERS MAY SIMPLY EAT**, will be available throughout the weekends of Lent. We suggest that you place the envelope in a prominent place in your kitchen as a reminder of how you and your family will be uniting yourselves with our struggling neighbors and with the starving of the world. *We encourage you to reflect, discuss and to decide how you will eat more basic meals during Lent.* Perhaps you have a favorite simple recipe to share. We'd be happy to put it in the bulletin for fellow parishioners to try.

Each weekend or whenever you choose during Lent, you may place your envelope in the basket on the pillar by the altar or in the collection basket. The monies donated will be used to help those who come to Parish Outreach for assistance. We are continually grateful for the very generous response of our parishioners of Holy Cross in donating money, food and supermarket gift cards, which enable us to meet their needs.

Parish Outreach Food Pantry - Next weekend, March 7th/8th, will be our monthly Food Drive for our Pantry. The following items would be most helpful:

Cookies/Snacks
Canned Fruit
Parmalot Milk
Paper Towels

ATTENTION: LITURGICAL MINISTERS!



The Parish of the Holy Cross

Holy Week Sign Up Form

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Please drop in the basket or return to the Parish Office NO LATER than Thursday, March 12, 2020. Thank you for your help in helping us get our Holy Week Schedule completed ASAP!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Parish of the Holy Cross St. Patrick's Dinner Dance

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus

March 21, 2020 MUSIC! DANCING!

THE PRICE: \$35 PER PERSON

MENU CHOICES: Corned Beef or 1/2 Roasted Stuffed Chicken plus Beer, Wine, and Soda

DESSERT: Apple Pie or Coconut Custard Pie

TIME: 6:30pm; Dinner Served 7:30 to 8:30pm

PLACE: St. Joseph RC Church, 45 Church St., Ronkonkoma, NY

Tickets on sale after Mass until March 15th

Contact Information: Charles Tedeschi 631-278-0121, Frank Ingarra 631-885-5129, Rick Garcia 631-860-4227





"...let us stand beside our brothers and sisters in need, sharing our spiritual and material goods with them." - Pope Francis

Almsgiving in Lent

During the Lenten Season we are asked to pray, fast and give alms.

Lent is a perfect time for us to pray for those in need - whether it is for their material, emotional or spiritual needs. And, when you practice fasting and abstinence during these forty days, please remember those of our neighbors who are hungry, and consider sharing your gifts with them.

One way to do this is by making a gift to the **Catholic Ministries Appeal**, which supports programs that help to feed people in our community each year through Catholic Charities and our Parish Outreach programs.

Have you thought about "fasting" from a regular purchase of something – i.e., a hand-crafted beverage? Over a 10 month period, this simple "fast" can serve many people in need!

\$6.25 a week for one month is \$25 -- over 10 months it is \$250.



Make checks payable to: Catholic Ministries Appeal	Please consider donating to the Appeal and making a difference in someone's life. Thank you!	
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LENT 2020

Dear Friends:

The season of Lent offers us a sacred time for contemplating what it means to accompany Our Lord as he carries the Cross.

During his Passion, we see Christ laboring under the burden of our sufferings and of those whom we love. As the prophet Isaiah says, "*He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows*" (cf. Is 53:4), and he still carries them today. Perhaps this year we might pray for the grace to accompany more closely our neighbors and loved ones who are suffering, and so participate in Christ's own sacrificial love as he shoulders their burdens.

Throughout our Diocese there are many who are suffering. We know this. Every parish has its stories of families experiencing hardship and loss. Our hospitals and shelters have their stories. Our nursing homes and schools have theirs. Indeed, we find the Cross in our own homes. Our parents and grandparents know heartache, and our children have burdens as well. Our Lord carries them all.

Perhaps you know a person who is sick or grieving the loss of a loved one. Maybe you know someone who is suffering from addiction or depression and is tempted to despair. Perhaps you know of someone who is lonely or has been altogether abandoned. It is good to remember that Our Lord is carrying each of them already with great love, placing his sheep on his shoulders (cf. Lk 15:5). And this Good Shepherd invites us to accompany him in holiness that we might share more fully in his mission.

Consider the figure of Simon of Cyrene. We know him from the Fifth Station of the Cross and from the Synoptic Gospels. He was compelled to carry the Cross of Christ (cf. Mt 27:32; Mk 15:21; Lk 23:26). We recognize his initial fear; it is the same as our own. We do not fault Simon for his resistance. Helping Jesus could not have been easy. And yet with God's grace what began as servitude was transformed into a gesture of compassion, even a sublime privilege.

To be sure, we may have cause to be fearful of accompanying Christ under the Cross. Social stigmas associated with some sufferings may cause us to stay away. We might fear our own inadequacies; weaknesses and wounds can cause self-doubt. We may even feel some degree of responsibility for the person's suffering: "*I could have done more*". Simon would have experienced these fears as Christ was passing by. Indeed, he needed to be driven by the Roman soldiers to accompany Jesus (cf. Mk 15:21). But the gaze of Christ prevailed on Simon and moved him beyond his fear.

Christ himself prayed in the garden before taking up the Cross, "*Father if it be possible, let this cup pass*", but he saw the Father's love for humanity and was moved to pray, "*yet not as I will, but as you will*" (cf. Mt 26:39). Love bends the will to the other. It was Christ's love that changed Simon's servitude into sacrifice. And it is Christ's love that can transform our fear into accompaniment.

As your bishop, I have the privilege of seeing that so many of you are already living as Simon, already accompanying Christ who carries the burdens of your neighbors and loved ones. I visit your homes and pray with you in your parishes. I witness your dedication to the people of your ministries and organizations. And I see that many of you, like Simon, allow the gaze of Christ to draw you underneath the weight of the Cross, where your own servitude becomes a privileged encounter with Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and an encouragement to us all.

In light of this witness, I wish to bring particular attention to the newly formed Morning Star Initiative, designed to revitalize Catholic elementary school education on Long Island. I ask all of you to pray for our parishes and schools, our administrators and teachers, our students and their families, and all who are promoting a bold new era of Catholic education and evangelization on Long Island.

This way of sharing in the life of Christ moves us beyond imitation into a real participation with him in his relationship with the Father. The Cross is not a punishment to be endured; it is a decision to love. "*He was pierced for our transgressions. He was crushed for our iniquities*" (cf. Is 53:5). And when we move in this way toward others in their need, our experience of their suffering is transformed from a burden into an encounter with love. We find, with Simon, that our servitude becomes a mysterious privilege of accompaniment. Underneath the weight of a cross carried with love, we see Jesus.

Too often we feel regret for not drawing near to those who are suffering. Let us pray during this holy season, this season of conversion, for the grace to recognize the gaze of Christ in those who are suffering and to respond to his invitation to share in his Cross. In this way, the Church on Long Island will grow together with Our Lord in grace.

Sincerely in Christ,

+ Joh O. Banes

Most Reverend John O. Barres Bishop of Rockville Centre

CASH CALENDAR



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MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Saturday, February 29th		9 AM - 4 PM
• PRE-CANA		FJ, Atr., Ch.
• DIRECTED RETREAT MEETIN	G 2PM	Fr. Joe Room
• PRE-CANA CLOSING MASS	5PM	Worship Area
• YOUTH GROUP BAKE SALE		Atrium
• K OF C TICKET SALES		Atrium
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Sunday, March 1st		All Masses
• YOUTH GROUP BAKE SALE		Atrium
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• REL. ED. FAMILY PROGRAM		Fr. Joe Room
• ANOINTING OF THE SICK	10:30AM	Worship Area
Monday, March 2nd		4 - 6 PM
• SPECIAL NEEDS CLASSES		Atrium
• LEV. 4 MASS WALK THRU	5:30PM	Chapel
PARISH MISSION	7:30PM	Worship Area
Tuesday, March 3rd		10 AM
• IN STITCHES		Fr. Joe Room
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Wednesday, March 4th		9:30 AM
• CONFESSION		Chapel
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• LEV. 4 MASS WALK THRU	5:15PM	-
• BAPTISM PREP	7:30PM	Fr. Joe Room
Thursday, March 5th		10 AM
• SCRIPTURE STUDY		Fr. Joe Room
• LEV. 4 MASS WALK THRU	6:30PM	
• LITURGY TEAM	7PM	Fr. Joe Room
Saturday, March 7th		11 AM & 1 PM
• LEVEL 2 RECONCILIATION		Worship Area
• HOLY HOUR 3:4	5-4:45PM	Worship Area
• K OF C TICKET SALES	5PM	Atrium
Sunday, March 8th		All Masses
• K OF C TICKET SALES		Atrium
• GIRL SCOUT SUNDAY	9:30AM	Worship Area
• REL. ED. FAMILY PROGRAM		Fr. Joe Room
• BAPTISMS		Worship Area
• YOUTH NIGHT		Atrium
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CASH CALENDAR

Congratulations to the following February Cash Calendar Winners!

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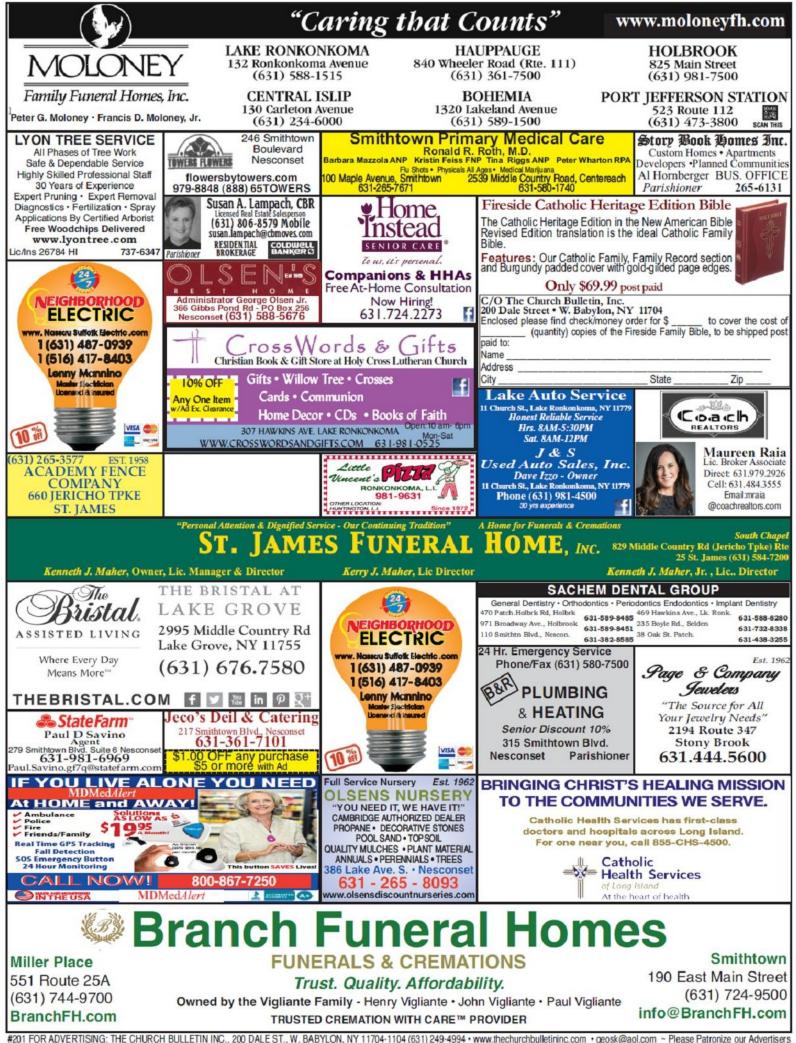
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SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

This weekend, at the offertory, we will also be collecting for **The Church in Need**. The monies collected at this time will be shared among three areas of the world where there is a particular need for help: Central and Eastern Europe, Latin America, and Africa.

Next weekend, we will also be collecting for our **Renovations and Major Repairs** fund. Thank you for your support of these important collections!



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