**Office** Open Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM (Closed Weekdays: 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM)
Saturday & Sunday: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

**MASS TIMES**
*Monday to Friday:* 6:30 AM and 9:00 AM
*Saturday:* 8:00 AM, Vigil: 4:30 PM & 7:00 PM
*Sunday:* 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:15 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM & 5:00 PM

**Confessions:** Monday to Friday: after 9:00 AM Mass and Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

**Adoration of the Eucharist** - Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (provided that there is no baptism or wedding).

**Baptisms** are celebrated on Saturday at 11:30 AM and Sunday at 1:30 PM when the Church is available.

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is celebrated on the fourth Saturday after 8:00 AM Mass. Contact the Rectory for information on the Sacrament of Matrimony.

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Monday, October 7  Our Lady of the Rosary
6:30 AM  Frank Flood
9:00 AM  Corrine McCann, Intentions of Jeanne Cronin, Alberto Villanueva
          (Kindergarten & Grade 7 attending)

Tuesday, October 8
6:30 AM  Antonetta Zoleo
9:00 AM  Helen McHale
          (1st Grade attending)

Wednesday, October 9
6:30 AM  Joseph Giorgio
9:00 AM  Eleanor Krawka

Thursday, October 10
6:30 AM  Peter Conroy
9:00 AM  Catherine and Fred Carey

Friday, October 11
6:30 AM  Charlie and Ann Klika
9:00 AM  Francis Cusano

Saturday, October 12
8:00 AM  Laura Santo
4:30 PM  Joseph Wilkinson, Patricia Connors, Intentions of Ann Haugh,
          Living and Deceased Members of the Storer Family, May Dolber,
          Charles Rizzo
7:00 PM  Rita Wiencko

Sunday, October 13  Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 AM  Sue Walsh
9:00 AM  Patricia Hennessy
10:15 AM  Patricia Fenton
10:30 AM  Luigi and Lucia DeMeglio
12:00 PM  Intentions of Rosemary Sorrentino
5:00 PM  For the People of Our Parish
In light of the Child Victims Act that was passed by the State of New York that went into effect on August 14, 2019, which allows lawsuits to be filed that are beyond the statutes of limitations, lawsuits have been filed against the Church of Saint Barnabas.

The parish will continue to operate as normal. The alleged offenses of clergy sexual abuse in regards to these lawsuits occurred decades before the clergy abuse reform of the Church. The Parish of Saint Barnabas, along with the Diocese of Rockville Centre, currently complies fully to VIRTUS training, background checks, and all necessary steps to prevent abuse from happening.

As I expressed to you in August, we must continue to pray for the healing and purification of the Church both on a local level and on a universal level as well. As a Church, we must pray for all the victims of clergy abuse and for all the faithful who have been affected. When one soul suffers, as a Church, we all suffer with that soul.

Romano Guardini says that the Church on Earth is Christ hanging on the Cross. As Christians, we feel the cross during these difficult times. Yes, our Lord promises that He is with us always and the gates of the netherworld will not prevail over the Church.

St. Francis of Assisi heard Christ speak to him from the Cross: “Francis, rebuild my Church which is in ruins.” These days we may feel the Church is in ruins, but in the Church’s darkest days, the Lord calls saints to bring the light of Christ to others.

Please know that the priests of the parish are here to help you in any way that we can and are glad to speak to you about any worries or concerns that you may have.

May Our Lady of Sorrows intercede for us and for all victims of clergy abuse during this terribly difficult period of the Church.

In Jesus and Mary,

[Signature]
We Pray for Our Deceased
Joseph Giorgio

We Pray for Our Sick

The Week Ahead

Sunday:
8:00 AM - 2:00 PM  K of C Blood Drive, School
7:30 PM  Al-Anon, S. Cafeteria

Monday:
7:30 PM  Latin Mass (Rosary & Confession at 7:00 PM)

Tuesday:
7:00 PM  Christ Life, HFC
7:30 PM  Bereavement Support Group, Rectory Meeting Room
7:30 PM  Pro Life Group, Nazareth Room

Wednesday:
7:00 PM  Al-Anon, Rectory
7:00 PM  CHOSEN Level 8, HFC
7:00 PM  RCIA, Convent Room
7:30 PM  Choir Practice, Church

Thursday:
7:00 PM  Bible Study, Rectory
7:00 PM  CHOSEN Level 8, HFC

Sunday (13th):  Agape Sunday
10:15 AM  Mass & Baptism Class
7:30 PM  Al-Anon, S. Cafeteria

Please Note: The Church will remain open until 8:00 PM

Our Finances
9/29/19: $14,544  9/30/18: $16,322
Parish Families Registered: 5,064
Envelopes Mailed: 1,566
Used: 9/29/19: 489  9/30/18: 507

Special Collections
This Weekend - Respect Life

Catholic Ministries Appeal
Goal: $108,900  Donors: 397
Pledged: $93,926  Received: $86,732
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We Welcome Our New Associate
Fr. Shaju Devassy, our new Associate Pastor has arrived.

Traditional Latin Mass
On Monday, October 7th we will be having a traditional Latin Mass for the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Join us at 7:00 PM for Rosary and Confessions and at 7:30 PM for Latin Mass. This is a Diocesan Young Adult sponsored event. All are welcome.

Presentation of Gifts
If you wish to carry the gifts of Bread and Wine to the altar at weekend Masses please contact an usher before Mass begins and sign your name on the list at the Church door.

Join Us For the Rosary
We are looking for some wonderful people who love the Blessed Mother as much as we do, to come join us in saying the Rosary, Monday through Friday in the Church before the start of 9:00 AM Mass. We have also been known to go out to breakfast after Mass a couple of times during the year. Come join us!

Food Pantry Weekend - This Weekend!
Please help the food pantry by donating some very needed items:
Coffee, jarred spaghetti sauce, sugar, pancake syrup, toilet paper and laundry detergent. Many thanks to our parishioners who are so generous in supporting our needy families.

Pray for Vocations
Let us pray for our Bishops, Priests and Seminarians. This week please keep our Seminarians in your prayers:

Monday - Robert Kaziuk
Tuesday - Stephen Rooney
Wednesday - Steven McClernon
Thursday - Alexander Zapata
Friday - Christopher Heller
Saturday - Dennis Gannon
Sunday - Dominik Wegiel

Mary, Mother of Jesus, throw your mantel of purity over our priests. Protect them, guide them, and keep them in your heart. Be a Mother to them, especially in times of discouragement and loneliness. Love them and keep them belonging completely to Jesus. Like Jesus, they, too, are your sons, so keep their hearts pure and virginal. Keep their minds filled with Jesus, and put Jesus always on their lips, so that He is the one they offer to sinners and to all they meet. Mary, Mother of Jesus, be their Mother, loving them and bringing them joy. Take special care of sick and dying priests, and the ones most tempted. Remember how they spent their youth and old age, their entire lives serving and giving all to Jesus. Mary, bless them and keep a special place for them in your heart. Give them a piece of your heart, so beautiful and pure and immaculate, so full of love and humility, so that they, too, can grow in the likeness of Christ. Dear Mary, make them humble like you, and holy like Jesus. Amen.
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St. Barnabas Pre Cana Schedule
In-home Sessions: September 30th - November 1st
Closing: November 3rd

Flower Memorials
The flowers on the altar may be memorialized in honor of loved ones. Please come to the rectory to reserve your week. The offerings are as follows:
Main Altar - $150
Blessed Mother’s Altar - $75
Shrines - $75
Blessed Sacrament - $120

Knights of Columbus Blood Drive
Sunday, October 6th from 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School. Your donation will help to save up to three lives. Our community hospitals need your help. All donors must be between 16 & 75 years old (16 with parental permission, 76 and over with doctor’s note). Bring photo ID card and donors must not have had any tattoos within the past 12 months. For questions concerning medical eligibility call (800) 688-0900 or Joe Camillery at 785-5894.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter
Pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience and gentleness in your life and marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are November 8th - 10th, and January 31st - February 2nd, 2020 in Huntington. For more information, call John and Toni Torio at (877) 697-9963 or visit them at wwnenyli.org.

Engaged Encounter
Do you need to fulfill your Marriage Prep Requirement? Engaged Encounter is an effective PreCana program designed to provide you with the tools for a successful marriage. Couples are given the opportunity to explore many aspects of their relationship through a series of presentations, writings and dialog, with no group discussions. Our next weekend will be held at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington from November 15th - 17th. For information, please call Lenny and Pat Walker at (631) 563-1032 or visit www.engagedencounterli.org.

Charismatic Prayer Group
St. Barnabas Charismatic Prayer Group is a Spirit filled prayer group with praise, song, scripture reading and sharing. We provide and encourage continuing support for personal growth and discovering Christ in your daily life. Come and hear about the life changing experiences and how the Holy Spirit is working in our lives. How Scripture comes alive, prayer life becomes renewed and faith is uplifted. Experience that personal relationship with Jesus Christ that makes Liturgy come alive. Our meetings begin with a Spirit filled time of Praise in song led by our music Ministry “In the Way”. Come, taste and see the goodness of the Lord. Join us every Monday evening from 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM to see and hear what Jesus is doing. Fellowship and refreshments after. For further information, contact Ellen O’Malley at 221-0574.

Please note: We will be attending the Latin Mass this Monday, October 7th.
Golden Wedding Anniversary Liturgy
This fall, couples who have been married fifty years will be honored at a Mass on Sunday, November 3rd at Maria Regina Roman Catholic Church in Seaford. Mass will begin at 2:00 PM. Bishop Andrzej Zglejszewski will preside. Registration forms and complete instructions can be obtained at the rectory. Space is limited. Registration will be accepted on a first come, first served basis and must be mailed directly to the diocese. The forms can also be found on our website www.drvc-faith.org. If you have any questions, please call 678-5800, ext. 223.

Mass for Bereaved Parents
St. Rose of Lima Church in Massapequa will be having a Mass for Bereaved Parents and families who have suffered the loss of a child. All are invited on Monday, November 18th at 7:30 PM.

St. John the Baptist 5K Race
Saint John the Baptist Diocesan High School is happy to announce that they will be hosting their first ever Homecoming 5K Race on Sunday, October 13th. This community event will kick-off at the High School in West Islip at 8:30 AM. Participants will run through the local neighborhood and finish back at the school. Awards will be given to top finishers. Pre-registration fee is $25. Participants 12 and under pre-registration and same day fee is $20. Day of registration fee is $30. You may sign up at www.srctimingservices.rsupartner.com. There is also a link that can be accessed on the school website’s home page.
Ladies Auxiliary Knights of Columbus

Membership Drive -
Ladies Auxiliary of the Bellmore Knights of Columbus is having their Annual Membership Drive on Wednesday, October 9th at 7:00 PM, 101 Frederick Avenue, Bellmore. Come have a light snack with dessert. Meet some great women, learn what we stand for and do. Then you can make an educated decision to join us. Any questions, please call Teresa at 826-6022 or the Council at 785-9407.

Halloween Bash -
Saturday, November 2nd at 7:00 PM, 101 Frederick Avenue. $40 per person, includes food, drinks and DJ. Raffles, plus 50/50 will also be available. Costumes are optional. To RSVP, call Teresa at 826-6022.

Casino Trip -
Tuesday, November 12th to Resorts World in Monticello. Departure is 9:00 AM (please arrive by 8:30 AM) from Bellmore Senior Center, 2000 Bellmore Avenue. Cost is $40 per person and this DOES include gratuity for driver. In return, you get $25 in slot play and $15 towards food. Free cookies and coffee before we leave, plus water and a light snack will also be on the bus. 50/50 and Bingo on the bus as well. Please reserve your seat ASAP. No seats will be held without payment. Please try not to park in front of Center or in church parking lot. Call Teresa at 826-6022 for reservations. There will be no refunds.

Supermarket Bingo -
Friday, November 15th at 7:00 PM in St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School. Admission is $10 per person; children under 10 are free. Receive one free package of Bingo cards, free coffee, tea, cake and cookies. Purchase tickets for beautiful raffles or extra Bingo sheets, water, soda, juice and chips. No reservation required, unless you want a saved seat for a large group. Contact Teresa at 826-6022.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul
The story in the Gospel begins with the disciples approaching Jesus with a seemingly reasonable request: “LORD, INCREASE OUR FAITH!” But Jesus? He brushed the disciples off. No tips. No tricks. Not even much encouragement. They want more, and Jesus tells them they need hardly any. Just a mustard seed’s worth. Isn’t this curious? Why not indulge them? Could more faith hurt? We say “all things in moderation.” But faith? Can we get too much of that? The faith-filled person puts in an honest day’s work. That person is gracious to those with whom he or she comes in contact. That person is ready to reach out and help another, even beyond one’s own workload. That person does not judge or condemn others. The faith-filled person sees Jesus in the other and responds to the situation with Jesus’ love and mercy. Faithfulness in action. Please keep the poor and needy in the parish in your prayers. Thank you.

Catholic School Open Houses
- Holy Trinity Diocesan High School, Hicksville - Saturday, October 19th from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM.
- Molloy College, Rockville Centre - Sunday, November 10th at 1:00 PM.
Congratulations to our RCIA Candidates!

Our Easter Vigil 2018 Group - Dana DiGirolamo, Jenna Pasquariello, Frenchesca Basso, Samantha Schwartz, Chris Armbuster, June Rogers and Kevin Rogers.


And a very special thank you to the Team Members - Terri Lyons, Mary Lou Till, Paul Camillery and Rosemary DeFrancisci.
Kellenberg Reunions

- **30 Year Reunion for the Class of 1989** - Saturday, October 26th. The evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 PM, followed by a private cocktail party from 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM. The cost for the evening is $65 for those pre-registered by October 22nd. Walk-ins at the door will be $80.

- **25 Year Reunion for the Class of 1994** - Saturday, November 2nd. The evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 PM, followed by a private cocktail party from 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM. The cost for the evening is $65 for those pre-registered by October 29th. Walk-ins at the door will be $80.

Please visit www.kellenberg.org/alumni for more information or to register online.

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**Divorced or Separated Catholics of Long Island**

Single Catholics, including widows and widowers are invited to join a social organization for single persons. A New Member Orientation Meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 23rd at 7:30 PM at St. Frances de Chantal Church rectory basement, 1309 Wantagh Avenue, Wantagh. This is a non-denominational meeting and all are welcome. Bring proof of single status to join. Annual dues are $30. Refreshments following the meeting. For further information, please call Carol at 794-4933 or Fran at 889-5790.

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SPACE IS LIMITED - BOOK NOW TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!
This is your last chance to experience the world-famous Passion Play of Oberammergau until 2030!!
Retrouvaille Weekend

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriage. This program has helped thousands of couples worldwide experiencing ALL TYPES of marital difficulties. For confidential information about the Retrouvaille program, or to register for the upcoming weekend that begins on Friday, November 1st, please call (800) 470-2230 and you will be connected directly and confidentially to a couple from Long Island/Metro Retrouvaille who can help.

Focus on Religious Freedom

**Advocating for International Religious Freedom at United Nations:**

On September 23rd, President Trump told the United Nations that stopping religious persecution around the world is one of his ‘highest priorities.’ The event marked the first time a U.S. president has called a U.N. summit on religious freedom. Speaking before a crowd of world leaders, U.S. business owners and survivors of religious persecution, the president committed another $25 million to protect religious freedom, religious sites and relics from persecution and destruction. He said 80% of the world’s population lives in places where freedom of religion is banned, restricted or threatened. Christians continue to be the most persecuted religious group in the world, even nearing levels of genocide. “The United States if founded on the principle that our rights do not come from government; they come from God. This immortal truth is proclaimed in our Declaration of Independence and enshrined in the First Amendment to our Constitution’s Bill of Rights. Our Founders understood that no right is more fundamental to a peaceful, prosperous, and virtuous society than to follow one’s religious convictions.”

“Regrettably, the religious freedom enjoyed by American citizens is rare in the world...As we speak, Jews, Christians, Muslims, Buddhists, Hindus, Sikhs, Yazidis, and many other people of faith are being jailed, sanctioned, tortured, and even murdered, often at the hands of their own government, simply for expressing their deeply held religious beliefs.”
“Today, with one clear voice, the United States of America calls upon nations of the world to end religious persecution. To stop the crimes against people of faith, release prisoners of conscience, repeal laws restricting freedom of religion and belief, protect the vulnerable, the defenseless, and the oppressed…”

“As President, protecting religious freedom is one of my highest priorities and always has been.” Pope Francis told the General Assembly of the United Nations on September 25, 2015: “The most basic understanding of human dignity compels the international community, particularly through the norms and mechanisms of international law, to do all that it can to stop and to prevent further systematic violence against ethnic and religious minorities and to protect innocent peoples.”

The Men of the Way of Light

Knowing the context of this week’s Gospel makes for a better understanding of its meaning and application to our lives. In the previous verses, Luke 17:1-4, Jesus explains to the disciples, “Take heed; if your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him; and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, and says, ‘I repent,’ you must forgive him.”

These are very strong words that advise the disciples to be gracious and unrelenting in their forgiveness of another’s sin, even if it means forgiving a person seven times a day.

Now most of us, probably not unlike the disciples, will tend to be pretty skeptical of a person’s repentance if after the fourth or fifth time the same day they have committed the same sin and have repeatedly repented and asked for forgiveness, they then commit it again. Our tendency will be to be rather unconvinced, and probably pretty unforgiving. However, Jesus’ warning and admonition, “you must forgive,” is very compelling.

It is out of this dilemma that the disciples asked Jesus to, “increase our faith.” We can hear the disciples thinking, “If you want me to forgive this way, then you must increase my faith.”

In response, Jesus points out to them that the power of faith is not based on the quantity of our faith, but the quality. Whether it is accepting the reality of our own repentance and forgiveness after multiple failures, or accepting the repentance of another and granting them forgiveness after their
multiple failures, it requires quality faith to believe that Jesus died for all sins, and that His forgiveness is without limit. Humanly speaking, many times of forgiving may bring feelings of martyrdom and self-righteousness. Jesus, anticipating this natural human response, explains that a servant, when he has done his job, should not incur a sore arm by patting himself on the back. We are all servants of Christ, with the responsibility to carry the message of forgiveness and mercy to others. That is the essence of the Good News and of our Savior’s purpose; forgiveness and redemption. Offering that forgiveness freely to those we encounter is our job, our role, our responsibility. It is what being a Christian servant of Christ is about. (Condensed from the Emmaus Journey Reflections)

Need to learn more about forgiveness? Join us at our next meeting on Saturday, October 26th, immediately following the 8:00 AM Mass. We meet in the Nazareth Room of the Holy Family Chapel. Bagels and coffee served. Our meetings run until 10:30 AM. For more information, visit our FaceBook page.

Winthrop Hospital Recruiting EM’s

NYU Winthrop Hospital in Mineola is recruiting Eucharistic Ministers. If you want to bring comfort and peace to patients, staff and families, and at the same time add joy and meaning to your own life, consider becoming a Eucharistic Minister. Staff and volunteers in the Department of Pastoral Care at NYU Winthrop offer communion to Roman Catholic patients seven days a week. The Department is looking for committed persons to join our team. Specifically looking for persons to serve on Wednesdays, Thursdays, or Sundays. To register or to obtain more information, email Karen.jones@nyulangone.org or call 663-9524.
Sisters of St. Dominic Gala
The Sisters of St. Dominic of Amityville will host their Annual Gala on Friday, October 25th, at the Crest Hollow Country Club, to benefit the ministries of our Sisters. Our Award recipients are: Dr. Drew Bogner, President of Molloy College; Elizabeth Keihm, Executive Director of Homecoming Farm; Gillian Kessinger, Executive Director of Opening Word; Susan Nicoletti, Principal of St. Agnes Academic High School; and Paul Wasser, CEO and President of Dominican Village. If you can’t attend the event but would like to support the Sisters, please consider purchasing a 50/50 raffle ticket ($50 each, or 5 for $200) (For the past several years, our Gala 50/50 raffle total was over $40,000), purchase a journal ad - send a congratulatory message to our honorees or advertise your company or organization (Our journal reaches approximately 500 people during the event and thousands more in our online version, year-round), or bid on one or our silent auction items. For further information, please contact Susan Jappel at (631) 842-6000, ext. 246.

Christmas Craft & Vendor Fair
St. Anthony’s High School, 275 Wolf Hill Road, S. Huntington, will be hosting their Annual Christmas Craft & Vendor Fair on Saturday, November 2nd from 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM. There will be over 200 vendors. Come enjoy food, shopping and raffles. For information, call (631) 271-2020, ext. 230.

Medicare Basics Lecture
Long Island State Veterans Home, 100 Patriots Road, Stony Brook is having a Free Benefits and Breakfast Lecture Series on Saturday, October 19th from 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM. Topics included are: Medicare (Parts, A, B & C), Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit - Medicare Part D, Supplemental Insurance, Elderly Pharmaceutical Insurance Coverage (EPIC) Program, Understanding Medicare Advantage Plans, including Health Maintenance Organizations, Preferred Provider Organizations, Private Fee for Service and Special Needs Plans, and The Medicare Gap. For more information, please call 444-8606 or visit www.listateveteranshome.org.

Social Ministry Position
A Southern Nassau parish is seeking a Parish Social Ministry (PSM) Director. The primary responsibility is to build parish leadership and participation in the community by engaging people in various aspects of the ministry through direct service, convening and advocacy using the principles of Catholic Social Teaching and the Gospel call to serve. The PSM Director must be a person of faith, have a deep appreciation for the dignity of the human person, a compassion for those who are poor and most vulnerable to society, and a willingness to advocate with them to change both their circumstances and the structures or situations that cause them. Qualifications and skills: desire to live the Gospel by serving those in need, knowledge of and commitment to Catholic Social Teaching, experience with Parish Social Ministry and social justice or related, managerial and interpersonal skills, computer skills, Bachelor’s degree a plus. This position is full time. Salary commensurate with experience. Send cover letter and resume by email to: Malloy.Paula@CatholicCharities.cc.
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Regular Sacrificial Giving
Contribute to St. Barnabas with on-line banking and bill paying services. Call the rectory to request the service. Send a check to St. Barnabas with a weekly donation indicated. Include your Name, Address & Envelope Number.

Estate Planning
When preparing your estate plan, please consider a bequest to The Parish of St. Barnabas, Bellmore. You can make a contribution to support ongoing operations of the Church or contribute to a particular project. Your legal counsel can help you refine the bequest language to suit your specific wishes for The Parish of St. Barnabas. Thank you.

Hymnals
There are still hymnals available to memorialize a loved one. The dedication is placed on the inside cover. The donation is $25. Please stop by or call the rectory at 785-0054 if you would like to dedicate a hymnal.
Religious Education classes for Levels Kindergarten - through Level 6 begin as follows:

**Monday Classes** - start October 7th

**Tuesday Classes** - start October 15th

**Wednesday Classes** - start October 16th

**Thursday Classes** - start October 10th

Placement letters will be mailed soon! If you have NOT registered for the upcoming Religious Education year please note there are limited spaces available. Please contact the Religious Education Office at 785-0130.

**IMPORTANT DATES - OCTOBER**

- Monday, October 7th - Classes start
- Thursday, October 10th - Classes start
- Monday, October 14th - **NO classes - Columbus Day**
- Tuesday, October 15th - Classes start
- Wednesday, October 16th - Classes start
- Thursday, October 31st - **NO classes - Halloween**

We need a minimum of 5 Hall Monitors for the 4:30-5:30pm classes (Levels 1 – 6) on Mondays Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

We also need a few more catechists for the Chosen program which will meet on Wednesday and Thursday from 7-8:30pm.

Please contact the Religious Education Office at (516) 785-0130 for more information.

Remember we rely on Adult Volunteers to offer the Religious Education Classes! Please Volunteer!!

Grade level books and calendars will be handed out to the students when they come for their first class.
Be Not Afraid
Vocation Discernment Retreats

2019-2020

Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist

What: A 24-hour retreat packed with GRACES!
- Holy Mass
- Divine Office
- All night Eucharistic Adoration
- Rosary and FUN with Sisters
- Spiritual conferences/videos

Who: Young women between the ages of 16 (high school juniors) to age 33 who desire to find God’s will for their life.
- Each young woman should register directly (not through others). We want to get to know YOU!

Where: Retreat location is at Spiritus Sanctus Academy
- 4101 E. Joy Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48105

When:
- Saturday 2pm-Sunday 3pm. If flying, arrive Friday!
- We ask that you stay for the entirety of the retreat.
- Those flying in for the retreat: plan to arrive at DTW on Friday and depart after 8pm on Sunday.

How: Register online at
www.sistersofmary.org
- Click on “News & Events”-Events + Ret
- Select your retreat date, and pay the non-refundable $35 retreat fee online.
- Participants under 18 are required to submit a consent form signed by a parent before the retreat.

Bring:
- Rosary, small pillow, sleeping bag, and a wide open heart to Jesus and Mary to fill.

Contact us for more information!
Vocations Office
1997 Warner Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48105
734-994-7437
sisterofmary.org
vocation@ sistersofmary.org

Also Available
Women’s Vocation Discernment Retreat
Dec. 7-8, 2019
Dec. 5-6, 2020
If you wish to arrange a baptism, please contact the rectory at 785-0054. Once your request is received you will be invited to meet one of the priests. This meeting offers parents an opportunity to review the baptism ceremony and set the date. The meeting is more conversational than instructional. Forms need to be completed giving information on the parents, child’s date and place of birth, as well as the names and religious affiliation of the sponsors. At least one sponsor must be a practicing Catholic.

Baptisms are held on Saturday at 11:30 AM, and Sunday at 1:30 PM, when the Church is available. (See the list of dates below).

First time parents are required to attend a Baptism Class. Classes are held in the Holy Family Chapel on Agape Sunday, the second Sunday of the month. Crying babies and noisy children are welcome. We begin with Mass at 10:15 AM, when your baby will be welcomed to St. Barnabas, followed by refreshments and the class.

The 10:15 AM Mass & Class are held on October 13th, November 10th and December 8th. (Class will be held after the 10:30 AM on September 8th).

October:
Saturday: 12, 19
Sunday: 13, 27

November:
Saturday 2, 16,
Sunday 17, 24

December:
Saturday 7, 14
Sunday 1, 15
Let Your Light Shine

Pre-K Visits the Bellmore Library

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Serving God is our duty.

He replied, “If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it will obey you.”

Children’s Worship Bulletin
Ages 3+
October 6, 2013 • Luke 17:5-10

Faith and Duty

The apostles said to Jesus, “Increase our faith!”

(Circle) the “faiths” that are getting larger.

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Enter your SECRET CODE to unlock games @ SECRET CODE

Have we done everything God has asked us to do?

(Circle) the picture that is different.
What did Jesus tell us we should say when we have done everything we were told to do?

Write the word that means the opposite of the one given. Then fill in the blanks.

old

9 3 16 11 22

poor

4 25 20 4 2 15 18

brave

12 2 17 1 8 10

peaceful

31 6 23 14 15 7 13

10 3 7 8 23 10 1 10 19 2 19

The apostles said to the Lord...

Use the clock code to fill in the blanks.

Then Jesus said, “Suppose one of you has a servant plowing or looking after the sheep.”

Fill in the missing vowels to read the rest of the story.

“...”