A Widow's Offering

Generous Giving

11 November 2018
### St. Barnabas the Apostle

**Ordinary Time Thirty-Second Week**

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Thanksgiving is a very special time for each of us as we celebrate and give thanks to God for family, friends and the many blessings we share. Still, there are those among us who will need our help to make their Thanksgiving a happy one. Here at St. Barnabas we have a rich and generous tradition of sharing our blessings with those in need by providing Food Baskets at Thanksgiving.

This year again, we invite you to consider donating one or two of the following items: Gift card to purchase a turkey, canned vegetables (including yams), stuffing mix, potatoes (canned or instant), gravy, pancake mix/syrup, cider/ juice, cake mix/frosting, pie filling, muffin mix, canned fruit, cookies (tin or box), coffee/tea, napkins.

Many, many thanks for all the monthly contributions and for helping with the special requests made for Thanksgiving.

God bless you for your generosity!
Jesus sat outside that temple one day and saw a gift of love being made by a poor widow - a gift of love to God. Mark says that Jesus called the disciples to him, almost as though there were a sense of excitement which he wanted his disciples to appreciate. "This poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury" he said, "for all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she, out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on."

We are currently involved in a parish fundraising campaign, seeking pledges for the replacement of the boiler in the Convent. It's an expensive project that could amount to $40,000.00. Therefore the next two collections for maintenance and repair will specifically go towards the convent. Last year you gave $17,000.00 through the Reverse raffle for the replacement of the Convent windows. The first thing these collections do is remind us that you are a very generous people. You take your commitment to maintain your Church very seriously although it involves a lot of personal sacrifice. The poor widow reminds us that the fullest life involves giving, she shows that real giving is sacrificial. George Bernard Shaw denned a gentlemen as "one who puts back into life more than he takes out." Here is a lovely story of giving. It comes from a teacher in Africa who writes about a beautiful shell which one of her students gave her for Christmas. She was excited over the beauty of it and asked him where he had found it. He told her that such shells could only be found at one particular beach, several miles away. When the teacher responded, "Oh, you shouldn't have gone so far for a gift for me," the boy said simply. "The long walk was part of the gift." Thank God there are those who can made large gifts to worthy projects, and who actually do so. Jesus' pattern for generosity is a woman who gave the equivalent of a penny. And there is wisdom here.
We Pray for Our Sick


Flowers at St. Anthony’s Shrine

Are offered in loving memory of Gary Simpson from his wife Valerie.

Sisters of St. Barnabas Intention

We pray in union with all Veterans of America and those entrusted with our common good and defense of our Nation.

Special Collections

Today  Maintenance & Repair - To replace the boiler in the Convent  November 18th  Home Missions

The Week Ahead

Sunday:  
10:15 AM  Baptism Class and Agape  
7:30 PM  Al-Anon, South Cafeteria

Monday:  
Rectory Closed

7:00 PM  Liturgy Committee, Rectory  
7:30 PM  Charismatic Prayer Group, HFC

Tuesday:  
7:00 PM  Catholic Daughters, School Cafeteria  
7:30 PM  Respect Life, HFC  
7:30 PM  Bereavement Support Group, Rectory

Wednesday:  
9:00 AM  Mailing Committee, HFC  
5:30 PM  Altar Servers Introduction  
7:00 PM  Al-Anon, Rectory Room  
7:00 PM  CHOSEN L7, HFC  
7:30 PM  RCIA, Convent Room  
7:30 PM  Choir, Church

Thursday:  
4:30 PM  New Altar Servers Introduction  
7:00 PM  Bible Study, Rectory  
7:00 PM  CHOSEN L7, HFC

Friday:  
1:30 PM  Lectio Divina, Rectory Room  
8:00 PM  Nocturnal Adoration, Church

Saturday:  
9:00 AM  Level 7 Retreat, HFC  
11:30 AM  Baptisms  
12:30 PM  Confession

Our Finances

11/4/18: $15,809  
11/5/17: $17,134

Families Registered: 5,057

Envelopes Mailed: 1,424

Used: 11/4/18: 557  
11/5/17: 598

Catholic Ministries Appeal

Goal: $108,900  Donors: 481

Pledged: $111,360  Received: $106,403
Cody Bobick Ordained to Diaconate
Bishop John Barres ordained five Diocese of Rockville Centre seminarians to the transitional diaconate on Saturday, November 3rd at St. Joseph Seminary, Yonkers. Pictured above, from left: Msgr. Peter Vaccari, rector of St. Joseph Seminary; Deacons Kenneth Grooms, Matthew Browne, Cody Bobick, Bishop Barres, Deacons Roger Velasquez and Nelson Marquez, Father Joe Fitzgerald, diocesan vocations director. Deacon Cody Bobick returns to St. Barnabas and will serve on the weekends until Saturday, April 28. We are blessed to know Cody and we kindly ask for your continued prayers and support for him and for all those preparing for ordination to the priesthood.

Altar Server Introduction Class
Thank you to all those who signed up to become Altar Servers at St. Barnabas. The Ministry of the Altar Server is to provide young people an opportunity to serve the parish community at Mass and develop a deeper appreciation of the Eucharist. An email was sent to you to invite you to attend an introduction class. The next class will be held on these evenings: Wednesday, November 14th at 5:30 PM, or Thursday, November 15th at 4:30 PM. You need attend one introduction class. After the introduction class you will be assigned to a Mass to observe the other altar servers. A more detailed training class will follow and our new altar servers will be commissioned later this year. Please contact the rectory if you have any questions. Thank you for serving our parish.

Campaign for Human Development and Home Missions
The Collection for the Campaign for Human Development and Home Missions will be taken up the weekend of November 17th-18th. Over 43 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development and Home Missions at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.
Mass for the Anointing of the Sick
On Sunday, December 9th, the second Sunday of Advent, we will celebrate the Anointing of the Sick at the noon Mass. All who are sick are invited to participate in this beautiful sacrament. The church does have regulations regarding who may be anointed. First, the person seeking to be anointed must have a serious illness. The illness may be physical, spiritual or emotional but it must be of a serious nature. Secondly, the Church specifies that you have never been anointed for this condition previously. Once you are anointed for an illness, you may not be anointed again unless the condition worsens. Because one may not perceive the grace of God in one’s life does not mean that it has not been granted. One may be anointed because of age. Anyone who is 65 or older may be anointed once a year because of one’s age without a serious illness. If you have any further questions, please call the rectory. This is a beautiful communal celebration. Please invite a relative or friend, who may not come to Mass because of illness, to come to this special liturgy. Your assistance in getting them to Mass is a great grace.

Advent Wreath Candles
If you wish to memorialize a candle on the Advent Wreath for a loved one, please contact the rectory. The offering is $50 for each candle.

Lectors
The 2019 Lector Workbooks are available in the Altar Server’s Sacristy.

Nocturnal Adoration
This month nocturnal Adoration will be held on Friday, November 16th at 8:00 PM.

Girl Scout Religious Award Workshops
The next meeting for Brownies, Juniors and 6th grade Cadettes working on their Girl Scout religious awards will be Saturday, November 17th in the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School Cafeteria. Brownies working on the Ave Maria award will meet at 2:00 PM and those working on the Family of God award will meet at 3:15 PM. Juniors working on the Regina Coeli award will meet at 2:30 PM and girls working on I Live My Faith will meet at 3:00 PM.

Mailing Committee
The Mailing Committee will meet on Wednesday, November 14th in the Holy Family Chapel following the 9:00 AM Mass. All are welcome.

Friendly Seniors
Friendly Seniors of St. Barnabas meet on the first and third Tuesday of each month in the lower
Church (HFC) from 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM. We have a business meeting, pray for intentions, play BINGO after a raffle and serve refreshments. Dues are $1 per meeting and will go towards our Christmas party at Piccolo’s on December 1st. There is a chair lift for those who may need it. For information, contact Margaret Ferris at 221-4974.

Respect Life Rosary
All are invited to join the Respect Life Group at the outdoor Mary statue to pray the rosary after the 8:00 AM Mass on Saturday, November 24th. Please bring a lawn chair.

Marian Healing Ministry
There will be a Healing Mass at the Church of St. Anastasia, 45-14 245th Street, Douglaston on Tuesday, November 13th at 7:00 PM. Celebrant is Fr. Augustine Fernando, assisted by Deacons Michael Vicinanza an Joseph Mercolino. For more information, call (718) 631-4454.

Mass for Bereaved Parents
St. Rose of Lima, 2 Bayview Avenue, Massapequa, is having a Mass for bereaved parents and families who have suffered the loss of a child on Monday, November 12th at 7:30 PM in the church.

Widows and Widowers
Sunday, December 2nd at 12:30 PM - Holiday Party/Meeting at the Wantagh Inn. The cost is $26 and checks should be sent to Terry Hoffman at 66 Whalers Cove, Babylon 11702, no later than November 21st. As always, our annual dues of $10 are due before the end of the year. They can be paid at the Holiday Party or mailed directly to Joy Brennan at 1830 Bellmore Avenue - Unit 7, Bellmore.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter
Do we put our trust in God and allow Him to be Lord in every area of our life like the widow did? Trust that God wants great things for your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are November 16th-18th, 2018 and February 18th-19th, 2019 in Huntington. For more information, call John and Toni Torio at (877) 697-9963 or visit them at www.wmeli.org.
Our Mission is to Encourage Evangelize & Educate

Banns of Marriage:
Joseph Stroehlein & Christina Pagano

St. Barnabas Pre - Cana Schedule
In Home: 9/30 thru 11/16
Closing: Sunday 11/18

Divorced or Separated Catholics
A social organization for single persons is holding a new member orientation on Wednesday, November 28th at 7:30 PM at St. Frances de Chantal School, 1309 Wantagh Ave., Wantagh. This is a non-denominational meeting and all are welcome. Bring proof of single status to join. Refreshments following the meeting. For further information, please call Carol at 794-4933 or Barbara at 798-2858.

Wine Glass Painting Night
The Bellmore Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary is hosting a Wine Glass Painting Night on Wednesday, November 14th at 101 Frederick Avenue, Bellmore at 7:00 PM. Cost is $35 per person and includes instructions, wine, coffee, tea, cake and a light snack. If interested, call Teresa at 826-6022.

Charismatic Prayer Group
Our meetings are held every Monday in the Holy Family Chapel from 7:30 PM to 9:00 PM. Coffee and cake are served after every meeting. For more information, call Ellen O’Malley at 221-0574.

2018 Catholic Faith Network Award of Excellence
The Catholic Faith Network (CFN) will host the CFN Award of Excellence on Tuesday, November 20th at the Garden City Hotel. This year’s honorees include: Bishop Robert Brennan, Vicar General of the Diocese of Rockville Centre; Bishop Nelson Perez, Bishop of the Diocese of Cleveland; Monsignor Joseph DeGrocco, Pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Lindenhurst; Rosanna Scotto, Television Host and Journalist; and Claudio and Debra Del Vecchio; Principals of Brooks Brothers. Neil and Danielle Tucker will serve as Co-Chairs for the event. For more information, please contact Angelica Ayroso at aayroso@cfntv.org or visit our website at www.cfntv.org.

The Men of the Way of Light
In today’s first Reading, we see the great faith of the widow who shares what little she has, even if it means that she and her son might starve. In the Gospel, we see another widow who contributes her last coins, all she had, to the temple’s treasury. While these two share a common poverty, they also share a great gift - trust in God! Because of their great faith and trust, they both willingly gave up what little they had! There are truly few in number who’s faith and trust compares to these two. In honesty, I have a long way to go to achieve
that goal. But deepening one’s faith and increasing one’s trust in God is a process. We need to get there even if it’s one step at a time. We need each other for encouragement and accountability. Remember, Real Men Pray! My prayer today is that each of us continues down the path to becoming the people that God wants us to be...even if it is only one step. We are looking for a few good men interested in spiritual training! If interested, then please attend our faith discussion group at our next meeting on Saturday, December 1st, immediately following the 8:00 AM Mass. We meet in the Nazareth Room of the Holy Family Chapel. Bagels and coffee served. The meeting runs until 10:30 AM. For more information, visit our FaceBook page or pick up one of our business cards displayed at the rear of the church.

Celebration of Mary
Join the Friends of the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception for a Celebration of Mary at the Seminary located at 440 West Neck Road, Huntington, on her special feast day, Saturday, December 8th. Journey to the heart of Mary through Theology, Spirituality, and the Arts. Beginning with 10:00 AM Mass, celebrated by Bishop John O. Barres, the day will include lunch, presentations by Msgr. Peter Vaccari, Rector of St. Joseph’s Seminary; Brother Timothy Driscoll, SM, Kellenberg Memorial H.S., and the Cathedral Seminary Schola (Douglaston). Advance registration required. $40 per guest. For reservations and information, contact the Seminary Development Office at (631) 423-0483, ext. 102 or email bmalone@icsseminary.edu.

Catholics For Freedom of Religion
Pilgrims, Thanksgiving and a Failed Experiment Part 1 - A Quick History: The Mayflower set sail from England on September 6, 1620 and arrived at Cape Cod on November 11, 1620. The ship moved on to Plymouth with its 102 Pilgrims and on November 21, 1620, they drafted and signed the Mayflower Compact, a legal document, “in the presence of God, and of one another, (to) covenant and combine ourselves together into a civil body politic.” Weakened from the 65 day voyage and unprepared for the harsh winter, by spring, half had died from starvation and disease. Fortunately, with the help of local Native Americans (Indians), the 53 remaining pilgrims learned to plant and harvested an abundant crop by Fall. Thus, the First Thanksgiving was to celebrate a successful harvest and give thanks to God. The Experiment: The
Pilgrims decided that their new community would create a collectivist model of governance where all labor was communal, with men raising crops for all families, not just their own, and women engaged in domestic chores for their neighbors. Few did more than the minimal because the incentive to excel was destroyed. Within two years, the result was shortages and starvation. The Pilgrims’ Governor, William Bradford, described the folly of collectivism, “For this community was found to breed much confusion and discontent and retard much employment that would have been to their benefit and comfort. For the young men, that were most able and fit for labour and service, did repine (complain) that they should spend their time and strength to work for other men’s wives and children without any recompense (payment)...And for men’s wives to be commanded to do service for other men, as dressing their meat, washing their clothes, etc., they deemed it a kind of slavery, neither could many husbands brook (tolerate) it.”

Gov. Bradford also spoke about another problem from this created famine - thievery. “much was stolen both by night and day...” “Those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it.” George Santayana, philosopher, poet, cultural critic.

St. Joseph Renewal Center
The following programs will take place at St. Joseph Renewal Center at Montfort Spiritual Center, 26 S. Saxon Ave., Bay Shore. Call (631) 647-8683.

- A Day of Reflection with Paula D’Arcy “Healing from Inside Out” - Wednesday, November 28th from 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM. Offering: $60.00 includes lunch.
- Advent Day of Prayer - Wednesday, December 12th from 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM - “A Child brings JOY to a BROKEN WORLD” - Offering: $60 includes lunch. Presenter: Josephine Daspro, CSJ.

Tabor Retreat Center
Tabor Retreat Center, located at 60 Anchor Avenue, Oceanside, is offering several programs. For information, or to register for any of these, please visit www.taborretreatcenter.net or call 536-3004.

- A Tablespoon of Love - Sunday, November 11th from 2:00 PM - 4:30 PM. Start with Faith and Honesty. Mix in our Humility. Add Strength and Character that rises above the stress of life’s surprises. You will receive a wonderful opportunity to write your own recipe. Donation is $20. Deposit is $10.
- You Don’t Have to be Perfect to be Excellent - Saturday, November 17th from 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM. Are there times in your life when things become dry, brittle and difficult? Finding your way to a safe haven becomes your quest. Just where do you find the verdant, fruitful trees, the flowing fresh spring of water, shelter and perhaps some welcoming arms to help revive you? During this program, we will explore through play, meditation, sharing and other creative avenues, the ways you can create your own Oasis. Donation is $60. Deposit is $30.
Pilgrimage
We are pleased to announce there is a second pilgrimage opportunity available to those interested. In addition to the Splendors of Eastern Europe with the Passion Play of Oberammergau, there is also the opportunity to make a Marion Pilgrimage to the Lourdes and the City of Lights. Here are the details. Please call the rectory to be mailed a brochure.

Veterans’ Informational Program
Long Island State Veterans’ Home is having an informational program on Saturday, December 1st from 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM. 100 Patriots Road, Stony Brook in the Multi-purpose Room. The event is free and open to the public. Continental breakfast will be served. Changes to the Aid and Attendance Benefit will be discussed. For more information, call visit www.listateveteranshome.org or call 444-8606.

St. William the Abbot Christmas Craft Fair
St. William the Abbot is hosting their 42nd Annual Christmas Fair on Saturday, December 1st from 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM and Sunday, December 2nd from 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM, at 2001
Jackson Avenue, Seaford. More than 60 Artisans for your shopping pleasure. In addition, we will offer hot and cold food, fresh evergreen wreaths, baked goods, raffle baskets, grand 50/50 and of course, Santa Claus will visit the boys and girls.

Bake Sale
St. Andrew’s Church, 275 Ellison Avenue, Westbury is having a Christmas Bake sale on Saturday December 8th from 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Cookies, breads, poppy seed, fruit and nut rolls, and more will be featured along with Pirohi and other Eastern European foods.

Bowling League
Mercy League Bowling season is well underway. We bowl Fridays at 9:45 AM at Syosset Bowl, Jericho Tpke., Syosset. Bowlers are still needed and welcomed. The Hicksville, Glen Cove and Syosset League raises funds for Mercy Hospital in Rockville Centre through activities such as this. For information, please call Dolores Sartor at 931-4106.

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Polish Gift of Life
Polish Gift of Life, Inc. is a not-for-profit corporation which helps provide funding to offset the cost of surgery for children with life-threatening cardiac health issues. You are cordially invited to attend their 40th Annual Fundraising Luncheon on Sunday, November 18th from 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM at Jericho Terrace, 249 Jericho Tpke., Mineola. Price is $125 per adult, $65 per child. RSVP by November 9th to Barbara Zareba at 698-2736 or email polishgiftoflife@gmail.com.

Our Lady of Mercy School Christmas Fair
Our Lady of Mercy School is hosting their Annual Christmas Fair on Sunday, November 18th from 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM, at 520 South Oyster Bay Road, Hicksville. Get a jumpstart on your holiday shopping with our many unique and talented vendors! Food, raffles and a very special guest - Santa!

Part Time Secretary Needed
Sacred Heart Church in North Merrick is looking for a part time parish secretary. Hours are 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM, three days a week. Candidate should be an active Catholic, have good phone skills and able to handle light typing. For additional information, please email bulletin@sacredheartnm.org.
November 2018

Pray for our Priests

O loving and gracious God, Father of all, You bless your people in every time and season and provide for their needs through Your providential care. Your Church is continually in need of priests, sisters and brothers to offer themselves in the service of the gospel by lives of dedicated love.

Open the hearts of Your sons and daughters to listen to Your call in their lives. Give them the gift of understanding to discern your invitation to serve You and Your Church. Give them the gift of courage to follow Your call. May they have the spirit of young Samuel who found fulfillment in his life when he said to You, “Speak Lord, for Your servant is listening.”

We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Redeemer. Amen.

To be added to the monthly Prayer Calendar email list, please email a request to vocations@drvc.org

The Miracle of Father Kapaun

Do You Know This American War Hero?

Emil Kapaun—priest, soldier, and Korean War hero—was awarded posthumously the Medal of Honor, and is also being considered by the Vatican for canonization as a saint.

“A must see film.”
—James S., East Dubuque, IL

[Image of Father Kapaun and a girl with a phone]
We are introducing new permanent hardcover hymnals to the pews. These will replace the paperback versions that are currently in use. The hardcover hymnal contains all the hymns we regularly use and has the three year cycle of readings. Having permanent hymnals will be a cost saver because the paperbacks have to be replaced every year. This will also cut back on the amount of trash we dispose of annually. If you would like to dedicate a hymnal to a loved one please contact the rectory office. Your dedication will be placed inside the cover.

$25 Donation

Phone 516 785 0054
Sing to the Lord

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Marijane Camilleri
The Geiger Family
His Wife, Children &
Grandchildren
Angela Moeller
Grace & Joe Camillery
The Verone Family
Terri & Tim Lyons
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The Camillery & Abdilla Families
The Verone Family
The Finn & Lyons Families
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Ava M. Campione
Colette P. Campione
Maureen P. Schafer
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).

If you wish to hold a private baptism you must bring a visiting priest to perform the baptism service. Private baptisms may be held on Saturday at 1:30 PM and on Sunday at 3:00 PM, if these times are available.

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 will be held on November 11th and December 9th, 2018. In 2019 the 10:15 AM Mass & Class will be held on January 13th, February 10th, March 10th, April 14th, May 12th and June 9th. (Class will be held after the 10:30 AM Mass on July 14th, August 11th and September 8th, 2019). We return to the 10:15 AM Mass for October 13th, November 11th, December 8th, 2019.

Available Dates

November 2018:
Saturday 17, 24
Sunday 4, 18, 25

December 2018:
Saturday 1
Sunday 2, 9

January 2019:
Saturday 5, 19
Sunday 6, 27

February 2019:
Saturday 2, 16
Sunday 10, 24

March 2019:
Saturday 2, 23
Sunday 10, 31

April 2019:
Saturday 6, 13
Sunday 7, 28

May 2019:
Sunday only 5, 19
May the Lord preserve the members of our Army, National Guard, Navy, Marines, Air Force, Merchant Marine, Coast Guard and Peace Corps from all harm.

US ARMY:

NATIONAL GUARD:

US NAVY:

US MARINES:

US AIR FORCE:
Rev. Major Timothy Hirten, Nicholas P. Wright.

US MERCHANT MARINE:
Lt. J.G. Eric Stumpel.

US COAST GUARD:
Lt. Robert M. Scaduto, Jr.
Middle School Youth Group

Join us for our Second Meeting!

When: Sunday, November 11th
Where: Holy Family Chapel (St. Barnabas)
Time: 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM

We will have a Thanksgiving Pizza Party!

Please RSVP to stbyouth17@gmail.com if you plan on attending.

Hope to see you there!

The dates and times for First Holy Communion were handed out at our Parent Meetings on Tuesday, October 16th. If you are requesting a change it MUST be submitted in writing and you will be notified if we are able to accommodate the change.

REMINDER: We cannot allow anyone into the building during class time that is not a volunteer – doors will open at 5:30 PM for dismissal.

Thank you to all who stepped forward and volunteered to teach. We still need Hall Monitors for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday – 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM.

We are also in need of volunteers to teach a small group or on a one-to-one basis for students who need a more individualized learning environment. Please call the Religious Education Office for more information.

Calendar dates at a Glance

Monday, November 12th - No Class; Veteran’s Day
Tuesday, November 13th - Parent Session: Alex Basile - 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Holy Family
Level 7 Class

November 14th or 15th
Chapter 5
Who Is Jesus
The Person and Mission of Christ

The person, nature, and work of Christ—from his Incarnation to his Second Coming—is at the center of the Catholic Faith. Christ is the model for how we are to live; he is the one who saves us from our sin and gives us the hope of eternal life. He is the fullness of revelation about God and is himself God in the flesh. Jesus, then, is the only way to find lasting peace and freedom. Teenagers will have a variety of responses to the question, Who is Jesus?” Living in a post-Christian society, surrounded by a dizzying panorama of “creeds” and worldviews, teens need to be challenged to remember the words of the Lord: “I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father, but by me.”

Conversation Starters
This week you talked about how Jesus could not have been just a “good man” because he claimed to be God. That leaves three options: (1) he knew he was lying, (2) he fooled himself into believing a lie (that is, he was crazy)... or (3) he really was God. Which do you think is most likely, and why?

Level 8 Class

November 28th or 29th
Chapter 17
“Who’s calling?”
Holy Orders and Vocational Discernment

The purpose of this lesson is to instill an understanding of the Sacrament of Holy Orders. In addition, your teen will learn a bit more about the process of discerning a vocation to the priesthood, religious life, married life, or single life. Teens often have a “knee jerk” reaction to considering whether God might be calling them to serve him in the Church. They simply cannot imagine a satisfying, fulfilling life without the benefits of marriage, and they do not stop to consider that all vocations have both a crown and a cross, both benefits and sacrifices. This lesson will encourage them to consider this.

Conversation Starters
This week, you learned the Catholic teaching that a priest acts in persona Christ Capitis (“in the person of Christ the Head”), i.e., with the authority of Christ, when he administers the sacraments. Why is this important for the life of the Church? What are the three questions discussed this week which can help you discern what God is calling you to do? How do these three questions help?
Halloween Parade 2018

Please help the SEAS students and families as we pack boxes for Operation Christmas Child. We are looking for donations of gently used toys, school supplies, personal care items, and other surprises. Please no liquid items. Donations can be sent to the school office.

Questions? Call Laurie Graham, 516-379-6216

It was a beautiful day for a Halloween Parade! Everyone had a great time displaying their costumes for their loved ones. Students also took time to focus on All Saints Day and the many contributions Saints have made to our faith. The 8th Grade packed Halloween goody bags for children who could not go trick or treating this year. The bags were brought to Cohen’s Children’s Hospital.

We are a Regional Catholic School serving our five parishes: St. Barnabas, Cure of Ars, St. Raphael, St. Frances de Chantal, and Sacred Heart.
The Widow's Offering

Jesus was teaching in the temple.

Count how many. 3 or 4? 5 or 6? Circle the number.

The woman had great faith.

Match the shapes.

- The
- woman
- gave
- all
- she
- had.

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Jesus saw a poor widow in the temple.

Connect the dots. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

The poor widow gave all she had to God. How many coins did she have?

Shade in the spaces with ¢.
ACROSS
3. A reddish-brown metal which is sometimes used in making coins
4. Having little or no wealth
8. The entire amount; everything
9. A small piece of flat, circular metal, used for money
10. A contribution or gift made at a religious service

DOWN
1. A building used for worship
2. A place where funds are received, kept, and dispersed
5. Having great material wealth
6. The official currency issued by a government
7. A woman whose husband has died and who has not remarried

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The Widow's Offering

Jesus was teaching in the temple courts.

Find 15 differences between these two pictures.

He sat down near where the offerings were put and watched the crowd putting their money into the temple treasury.

Write the words from the coins on the lines.

Use the calculator to find what Jesus said about the widow's small offering.

### Calculator Code

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