St. Barnabas the Apostle
Sixth Week of Easter

Monday, May 22
6:30 AM  Charlie and Ann Klika
8:30 AM  Vincent DiCanio
~ Please Note Mass Time Change
10:00 AM  Confirmation
2:00 PM  Confirmation

Tuesday, May 23
6:30 AM  Harold Roskop
9:00 AM  Deceased Members of the
Grogan and Schmitt Families

Wednesday, May 24
6:30 AM  Judy Liriano
9:00 AM  Martha Daunt
7:00 PM  SEAS (May Crowning)
Thanksgiving
to the Blessed Trinity

Thursday, May 25  The Ascension of The Lord
6:30 AM  Adeline Scaduto
9:00 AM  The Dorothy Healy Family
4:30 PM  Patricia Klein
7:00 PM  Helen Hodnett

Friday, May 26
6:30 AM  Josephine, Edwin & Robert Rezny
9:00 AM  Brian Dione

Saturday, May 27
8:00 AM  Judith G. Lamacchia
3:00 PM  Wedding:
Jose Sestayo & Jessica Formoso

Fr. Adrian  4:30 PM  Kenneth Baiko
Susan Stark
Manny Lopez
Raymond Vogts
Dan Peterson
Dennis Hickey

Fr. Charles  7:00 PM  Marianne T. Rolston

Sunday, May 28  Seventh Sunday of Easter
Fr. Adrian  7:00 AM  For the People of Our Parish
Fr. Kevin  9:00 AM  Angelo and Palma Sorranno
& Michael Tarulli
Fr. Adrian  10:15 AM  Thomas Brian Ferris
Fr. Charles  10:30 AM  Michael Gilmartin
Fr. Kevin  12:00 PM  Rita Brown
Fr. Charles  5:00 PM  Ryan Lupo

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9:00 AM to 8:00 PM;
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(Closed Weekdays: 12:30 - 1:30 PM)
Saturday & Sunday: 9:00 to 1:00 PM

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

Confessions Saturday 12:30 PM
Contact the Rectory for information
on the Sacraments of Baptism, Matrimony & Anointing.

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When you pray the Rosary, say after each mystery:

"O my Jesus, forgive us, save us from
the fire of hell. Lead all souls to heaven,
especially those who are most in need."
— Prayers taught by Our Lady (On July 13)

Our Lady: Yes. I will take Jacinta and Francisco soon. But you are to stay here some time longer. Jesus wishes to make use of you to make me known and loved. He wants to establish in the world, devotion to my Immaculate Heart.”

July 13

Our Lady: In October, I will tell you who I am and what I want, and I will perform a miracle for all to see and believe.

She tells the children the Secret (in three parts). She shows the children a vision of hell.

Our Lady: I shall come to ask for the consecration of Russia to my Immaculate Heart, and the Communion of reparation on the First Saturdays.

Aug 13

The children are kidnapped by the Mayor of Ourém and miss their appointed meeting with Our Lady. They were kept in prison for three days.

Aug 19

Our Lady visits the children in Valinhos.

Our Lady: Pray! Pray much and make sacrifices for sinners, for many souls are going to hell because they have nobody who prays and makes sacrifices for them.

Sept 13

Our Lady: Continue to pray the Rosary to obtain the end of the war. In October, Our Lord will also come, as well as Our Lady of Sorrows and Our Lady of Mount Carmel, and St. Joseph with the Child Jesus, to bless the world.

Oct 13

Our Lady: I want to tell you that a chapel is to be built here in my honor. I am the Lady of the Rosary. Continue always to pray the Rosary every day. The war is going to end, and the soldiers will soon return to their homes.

Our Lady: People must amend their lives and ask pardon for their sins. They must not offend Our Lord any more for He is already too much offended.

Fatima 1917

Our Lady of the Rosary

She had been sent by God with a message for every man, woman and child living in our century. Coming at a time when civilization was torn asunder by war and bloody violence, She promised that Heaven would grant peace to all the world if Her requests for prayer, reparation and consecration were heard and obeyed. "If My requests are granted ... there will be peace."

Location: Fatima, Portugal
Date: 13 May - 13 October 1917
Witness: Lucia Santos, Jacinta and Francisco Marto

Lucia asked her where she came from. The Lady pointed to the sky and said: "I come from Heaven."

Our Lady: I have come to ask you to come here for six months on the 13th day of the month at this same hour.

Our Lady: Are you willing to offer yourselves to God and bear all the sufferings He wills to send you, as an act of reparation for the conversion of sinners?

Lucia: Yes; we do.

Our Lady: Pray the rosary every day to obtain peace for the world and the end of the war.

The children saw a lady... dressed in white... more brilliant than the sun...

The children did, praying often, giving their lunch to beggars and going without food themselves. They offered up their daily crosses and even refrained from drinking water on hot days.

In front of Our Lady’s right hand there was a heart encircled by thorns that seemed to pierce it.
“Shhh…” We spent most of our younger life hearing that sound, “Shhh…” in the classroom. “Shhh…” in the library. “Shhh…” on the playground, although that never made any sense! At home, how many times a day does a parent say, “Shhh..?” Everywhere we turned, that sound echoed in our mind, “Shhh…”

But while most of the time we were being shushed for being too loud, there were other times when we looked forward to hearing that sound. When going to sleep a parent would tuck a blanket around, lean over and whisper “Shhh, I’ll be right here if you need me.” They wouldn’t shush because you were talking or were too loud, but because they wanted to make sure we heard the words of comfort offered to us.

It was one of those moments in today’s gospel. Jesus was giving His disciples one of those pep talks we find sprinkled throughout John’s gospel. He was reminding them of everything that He had taught them. He reminded them that they needed to follow His commandments of love. He told them that He was going to be leaving them soon, but that God would send them someone in His place, the ‘Counselor’ or ‘Comforter.’

Those words pierced the disciples’ hearts as they realized that the One they had depended on, and turned to for support, through so many difficult times, was not going to be with them for very much longer. What would they do? How would they carry on without Him? What would happen to them, to the movement?

Jesus knew what they were feeling. He knew their fears, their doubts, their concerns and their questions. If we had been there, we would have heard Jesus say “shhh…” He probably used both kinds of “sshhh’s.” Shhh! Listen to me! My heavenly Father will send another to comfort you and to remind you of all that I have taught you. Now shhhhhh. I will leave you my peace, a special kind of peace the world knows nothing about. Now ssshhhhh.” It wasn’t because the disciples were being rude or talking too loud that Jesus had to shush them. It was simply that they weren’t paying any attention to the words of comfort and hope that He had to offer.

At Mass the Lord shushes not because we are loud or talking too much, but because we need to still our heart and soul long enough to hear the words of comfort and hope that He offers to us. Mass is that perfect time to listen to God, but often we can’t do it.

What is keeping us so busy, so loud, that we can’t hear what God is saying? Trouble at home or maybe work or school? Problems with finances? Shhh! Listen, Jesus offers peace the world cannot offer now! Dealing with the grief of losing a loved one? Questions about your faith or your salvation? Shhh! Listen, Jesus offers peace the world cannot even know! Whatever you might be facing now, or whatever you might face in the future, God is offering us hope and comfort.
### The Week at a Glance

**Sunday:**
- 1:30 PM  Baptisms
- 7:30 PM  Al-Anon, School

**Monday:**
- 8:30 AM  **Mass Time change** due to Confirmation
- 10:00 AM Confirmation, Church
- 2:00 PM Confirmation, Church
- 7:30 PM Charismatic Prayer Group, HFC

**Tuesday:**
- 7:00 PM  Open school board meeting, HFC

**Wednesday:**
- 9:00 AM  SEAS May Crowning at Mass with Bishop John Barres
- 7:30 PM Al-Anon Meeting, Rectory Meeting Room
- 8:00 PM Choir Practice, Church

**Thursday:**
- 7:00 PM  Ascension Thursday Bible Study, Rectory

**Friday:**
- 1:30 PM  Lectio Divina, Convent
- 7:30 PM  Lectio Divina, Convent

**Saturday:**
- 8:00 AM  Anointing of the Sick, following Mass
- 12:30 PM Confessions, Church

### Financial Report

- **5/15/2016:** $16,212
- **5/14/2017:** $16,787

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- Parish Families Registered: 4,996
- Envelopes Mailed: 1,305
  - 5/15/16: 588  Used 5/14/17: 594

### Catholic Ministries Appeal
- **Goal:** $106,400  **Donors:** 464
- **Pledged:** $104,894  **Received:** $73,163

### Second Collection This Week
- **Maintenance and Repair**
- **Guest Speaker This Week** The Life Center of Long Island

### Second Collection Next Week
- **Catholic Communications**
CONFIRMATION

Vincent Alfonsi
Nicholas Ambriano
Benjamin Ambrosio
Kyle Anderson
Daniel Angelillo
Marissa Anselmo
Anthony Argila
Paul Bagnasco
Jacqueline Baker
Sarah Bartolino
Daniel Barzilay
Brianna Barzola
Michelle Bello
Peter Berry
Matthew Blanchard
Christopher Blasi
James Bodendorf
Lauren Boles
Anna Bolles
Sophia Bonilla
Tamar Bouzi
Liam Boyle
Lauren Brochhagen
Ashley Buenaventura
Mason Cain
Christian Calabro
Ryan Caleca
Robert Caminiti
Robert Canestro
Gianluca Caravello
Jeremy Cardenas
Samantha Cates
Michael Cates
Michael Cawley
Jocelyn Chametzky
David Chea
Juliana Cifarelli
Ava Ciollï
Anthony Civello
Evan Collins
Nicole Colombi
Seán Conigliaro
Samantha Connelly
Brooke Corbo
Katelyn Coyne
Domenic Cracco
Isabella Currao
Alexandra Damato
Gabrielle Davi
Jacob Davis
Taylor Decina
Steven Dell'Italia
Victoria DellaCroce
Christina DeMarco
Madison DePascale
Nicholas DiMarco
Joseph Domínguez
Michael Donleavy
Liam Donohue
Nolan Donohue
Emily Donovan
Brian Dorn
Liam Dorn
Victoria Dragonetti
Ryan Draude
Jaide Ednie
Lauren Eremitaggio
Kaitlyn Exner
Kyle Exner
John Ferraro
Justin Fiore
Eric Flitsch
Courtney Forchelli
Dominick Ford
Erin Fortin
Michael Galfano
Valerie Galfano
James Geary
Thomas Glynn
Christopher Goeller
Joseph Grassi
Christopher Grasso
Samantha Green
Luke Griffith
Matthew Grossman
Mikayla Grote
Olivia Haenel
Ty Hanovic
Connor Harrison
Donovan Hassell
Scott Hayes
Sean Hayes
Alicia Heller
Kelly Hennessy
Arianna Holzmann
Gloriana Jackson
Kayleigh Janosek
Luke Jensen
Michael Johnsen
Kelly Johnson
Madison Jones
Rebecca Kaufman
Ryan Kearney
Ryan Kender
William Kender
Elizabeth Kirschner
Jake Latsko
Tyler Levitan
Alexis LoFrese
Alyssa Lombardi
Dylan Lopez
Christopher Loviglio
Kyle Magro
Ava Maniscalco
Emily Manzella
Joseph Marcello
Anna Marino
Brendan Martin
Giuliana Mazzaferrro
Rita McCarthy
Olivia McInnis
Kacie McKeever
Aidan McLaughlin
Evin Mejia
Emma Merro
Nicole Mikowski
Emily Moehringer
Marcus Molina
William Molloy
Chiara Montagnino
Gianna Montagnino
Cameron Montalbano
Katherine Mullane
Emily Musumeci
Mary Catherine Mutone
Miranda Natale
Christina Nietzschmann
Margaret Nolan
Johnathan O'Malley
Joseph O'Malley
William Kender
Caroline O'Reilly
Courtney O'Rourke
Kevin O'Shea
Julianna Oppenheimer
All powerful God,
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ
by water and the Holy Spirit
you freed your sons and
daughters from sin.

Send the Holy Spirit upon them
to be their helper and guide.

Give them
the spirit of wisdom and
understanding,
the spirit of right judgment and
courage,
the spirit of knowledge and
reverence.

Fill them with
the spirit of wonder and awe
in your presence.

We ask this through
Christ Our Lord.
Amen
Bishop John Barres will celebrate the 9:00 AM Mass at St. Barnabas on Wednesday, May 24th. At this Mass the students and staff of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School will hold the May crowning. Please come along to welcome the Bishop on his first visit to us and to join the school in this beautiful liturgy.

**Bishop's New Telecare Show**

Encounter, hosted by Bishop John Barres, offers reflections on Pope Francis’ “Culture of Encounter” and celebrates the different ways we encounter Jesus and one another through prayer, solidarity and understanding. Encounter airs on TelecareTV (Cablevision channel 29/137, Verizon FiOS TV channel 296, and Charter Spectrum channel 471) Mondays, 8:00 PM, Tuesdays, 5:00 PM, Wednesdays 10:30 P.M., Thursdays 11:30 AM and 5:30 PM, Fridays 9:00 AM, Saturdays 6:30 PM, and Sundays 10:00 AM.

**Guest Speaker**

This weekend we welcome a speaker from the Life Center of Long Island. Last year we donated almost $14,000 to the Center through the Baby Bottle Campaign. All their services are free. Please return your bottle on the weekend of June 3rd and 4th. Thank you.

**In Memory**

If you would like to memorialize one of our new chalices or communion ciboria for a loved one, please contact the rectory. They will be used at Masses in the Holy Family Chapel.
Catholics For Freedom of Religion

On May 4th, The National Day of Prayer, President Trump issued "Executive Order Promoting Free Speech and Religious Liberty." A highly respected geologist has filed a complaint against the Grand Canyon National Park, accusing officials of denying him a research permit due to his "Christian faith and scientific viewpoints informed by his Christian faith," said Alliance Defending Freedom. The case "perfectly illustrates why President Trump had to order executive agencies to affirm religious freedom, because park officials specifically targeted Dr. Snelling's religious faith as the reason to stop his research," said an ADF attorney.

Save the Date: June 28th, Religious Freedom Rally, keynote speaker, Bishop John Barres, Holy Trinity HS, Hicksville, 6:00 PM Rosary, 7:00 PM Program.

Golden Jubilee of the Charismatic Renewal

The conference will be held at the University of Scranton in Scranton, Pennsylvania on Friday, August 4th through Sunday, August 6th. We are able to provide a luxury bus to the conference. To secure a seat on the bus please make a $70 check payable to and mail to: Anna M. Baciuska, 403 South Long Beach Avenue, Freeport 11520. The bus will make two stops. The first stop is at 8:00 AM at St. Cyril & Methodius Church Parking Lot in Deer Park. Please call Annette Arena at (631)661-9109 if you will be picked up in Deer Park so that she has a record of your name. The second pick up is at 9:00 AM at the De la Salle School parking lot on South Ocean Avenue between Merrick Road and Pine Street in Freeport. The parking lot is adjacent to the Post Office Parking Lot.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

“And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." Find ways to let the Lord deeper into your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next WWME Weekend are Jun 10-11, 2017 in Medway, MA. For information, call John & Toni Torio at 718-344-3700 or visit www.wwmeli.org.

Friendly Visitors

Catholic Charities has volunteer opportunities for the Friendly Visitor Program to offer bi-monthly companionship to homebound senior citizens in our Meals on Wheels program in North Bellmore and East Meadow. A friendly companion would offer socialization and conversation for seniors and would not include cooking, housekeeping or transportation. If you are available, please contact Mary Ellen Kwiecinski, Volunteer Coordinator at 733-7044. Your gift of time is greatly appreciated.

Volunteer(s) Needed

Catholic Charities in Freeport has 2 programs seeking Volunteer(s) to assist in clerical and phone responsibilities. Hours are flexible between 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM on weekdays. If you are interested and available for this opportunity, contact Mary Ellen Kwiecinski, Volunteer Coordinator at 733-7044.

Help Wanted

A full time secretarial position in a nearby Catholic School is available for the new school year. Secretarial experience is preferred. Computer skills are required. Fax resumes to 706-2069.

The New York Mets vs. The Chicago Cubs at Citifield. The tickets are $45 and the seats will be field level in the Big Apple Section. All proceeds will be donated to Tomorrow’s Hope. For more information please contact Ken Karchinski at (631) 926-1345 or email kjak49@aol.com.

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul

In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us: “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. Whoever loves me will be loved by my Father and I will love him and reveal myself to him.” Jesus tells us that we keep God’s commandments because our love for God has established a deep intimate relationship between us and God that spills out in acts we know will be pleasing to the Beloved. If we wish to grow into our love for God we must become attentive to the spirit who dwells within us. Upon awakening may your first thoughts be of God. When we give to the poor God indeed pours his love, peace and joy into our hearts, into our lives and through us into the hearts of those who are poor and needy.
Attention: Parents & Grandparents
It’s that time of year – Graduation! Help your graduates continue their journey of faith!
We would like to help our teens keep a faith connection while they are in college. Newman Centers are found on most secular universities throughout the country. These Centers provide pastoral services and ministries to Catholic students and give them a way of meeting young men and women who want to grow in their faith.
To enroll please e-mail Marianne Sheridan, Director for Youth Ministry, at msheridan@drvc.org by June 15th with the following information: Graduate’s first and last name and the name of the college they will be attending in September 2017. It’s as simple as that! This information will then be forwarded to the proper Newman Center and your son/daughter will be welcomed in the fall when they arrive at their school.

Road To Recovery
Volunteer drivers are needed for the American Cancer Society program Road to Recovery. Transportation is the key to cancer care. That is why every driver has what it takes to help save lives. Qualifications are a good driving record, a current and valid driver’s license and a safe reliable vehicle with automobile insurance. Each volunteer must complete an American Cancer Society training course. A volunteer can do so from Monday thru Saturday from 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM. For additional information call 1-800-227-2345 or visit Cancer.Org/drive.

Seminary Garden Tour and Lunch
Join the Friends of the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception for a tour of three gardens in Oyster Bay Cove, Lloyd Harbor and Halesite (Huntington), followed by buffet lunch in the Seminary Refectory, Wednesday, June 14th. Reservations required. The cost is $40 per ticket. For reservations email bmalone@icseminary.edu. Or call the Seminary Development Office at (631) 423-0483 x 102.

Kellenberg High School Reunion
On Saturday, June 24th the classes of 1997, 2002, and 2012 will celebrate their 20, 15, and 5 year reunions. The evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 PM, followed by cocktail receptions from 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM. Invitations have been mailed. If you did not receive one, please update your mailing address by emailing alumni@kellenberg.org. You may also find more information or register online by visiting www.kellenberg.org/reunion. Save the date for reunions for the classes of 1992 and 2007, which will be held on September 9th.

Put Your Mask on First
Theresa Francois, MA, a New York State certified teacher with a Master’s degree in Education and a Bachelor’s degree in Psychology is holding a workshop on stress management and goal setting for teachers, parents, students and senior citizens on June 3rd from 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM at the Tabor Retreat Center, 60 Anchor Avenue in Oceanside. Visit www.taborretreatcenter.net to register.

Using the "Words that Work":
Get tongue-tied or intimidated discussing abortion and other life issues? The Long Island Coalition for Life Educational Trust wants to provide you with clarity of thought and words to say to express your views. Sunday, May 21st, 1:30 PM - 4:30 PM presented by Jason Negri, MS, JD of the Patients Rights Council. Learn to effectively speak about the danger physician-assisted suicide poses to the medically vulnerable while facing end-of-life decisions with a medical community increasingly comfortable with hastening a patient's death. No admission. Held at the American Legion Hall in Islip, 39 Nassau Ave.- behind Islip Town Hall, off NY 27A. Municipal parking east side of Town Hall. For information about either event visit LICL Educational Trust: info@PROLIFELI.org or call (631)243-1435.

Project Rachel
Through Days of Prayer and Healing, Project Rachel seeks to help those who suffer deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ so that they may feel His gentle and healing touch. There are two upcoming Days of Prayer and Healing scheduled for women in our Diocese on June 17th and December 9th. If you know of a woman who would benefit from this ministry, let her know about these dates. Contact us at projectrachel @drvc.org or 1(888)456-HOPE(4673). All calls are confidential.
Missionary Disciples
Is DRVC School of Missionary Disciples for you? It might be if you desire... To expand and deepen your knowledge of the Catholic faith and Holy Scripture. To deepen your understanding of the teachings of the Catholic Church and discover how they connect to your life and the world today. To grasp the true meaning of living the Gospel in daily life. DRVC School of Missionary Disciples is a two year process of personal, intellectual, spiritual and pastoral formation for adult Catholics that offers an exciting, integrated approach to discipleship through instruction, prayer, faith sharing and development of leadership skills. For more information, contact MariaElena Barbieri at (516) 678-5800 ext. 540 | mbarbieri@drvc.org or visit our website www.drvc-faith.org. To learn more join us on Tuesday, June 6th, 10:00 AM at St. William the Abbot, Seaford Rectory Basement.

Facilitator Training
Facilitator Training in Adult Faith Formation Level I. Sign up for courses on strengthening your skills as an Adult Catechesis facilitator. Classes will be held at St Edward the Confessor Parish, 205 Jackson Ave. in Syosset on June 20th, 22nd, 27th, & 29th, from 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM.

Bereavement Facilitator
This facilitator series builds on Part I Training for understanding the specific principles of Bereavement Ministry. Training Level II classes will be held at St. Mary’s Parish, in the White House Conference Room located at 20 Harrison Ave, East Islip on Saturdays, June 3rd & 10th, from 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM. Register today at www.drvc-faith.org. For more information contact Marie Ventimiglia at 678-5800 ext. 505.

Baptism Preparation
The meaning and the grace of the Sacrament of Baptism are clearly seen in the rites of its celebration. Facilitator Training Level I classes will be held at The Church of the Resurrection, 50 Granny Rd. in Farmingville on Saturdays, June 3rd & 10th from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Register Today: drvc-faith.org. For more information contact Marie Ventimiglia at 678-5800 ext. 505.

Marriage Preparation
Are you interested in facilitating engaged couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage? Please sign up for Facilitator Training Level 1 Marriage Workshop to be held at The Parish of Our Lady of Lourdes, 455 Hunter Ave. in West Islip on Thursdays, June 1st, 8th, 15th, and 22nd from 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM. Register Today at www.drvc-faith.org. For more information contact Marie Ventimiglia at 678-5800 ext. 505

Al-Anon Adult Child
Feeling the Healing. You are invited to come celebrate our anniversary, on Tuesday, May 23rd at St. Joseph’s School Cafeteria, Corner of Franklin Ave. and 4th Street, Garden City. Food will be from 7:00 PM-7:30 PM. Speakers from 8PM-9:30 PM.

May Marian Devotion
Please join us on Monday, May 22nd at 7:30 PM for a special Mass in honor of Mary and for the Crowning of the Blessed Mother. This Mass will take place at St. Frances de Chantal in Wantagh.

Regular Sacrificial Giving
You can contribute to St. Barnabas with on-line banking and bill paying services. Call the rectory office to request the service. Send a check to St. Barnabas with your weekly collection donation indicated. Include your Name, Address & Envelope Number. Each week this amount will be credited to your account. This eliminates using weekly envelopes and guarantees that your donation will be received regularly. Thank you.

To place a notice in our Bulletin
Email Bulletin11710@aol.com.

To place an advertisement on our cover
Call The Church Bulletin at (631)249-4994.

“If you love me, keep my commands.”
-Jesus
John 14:15
Fr. Charles taught the children about equality based on the first reading from the Acts of the Apostles. The Hellenist widows were being neglected in the daily distribution. Fr. Charles asked the children how many loaves of bread should be given to 2 people if there are 6 loaves. A child answered that each person should get 3 loaves, not 1 loaf - so simple that even a child can grasp the meaning of inequality.

After mass we processed outside to participate in the May Crowning of the Blessed Mother. Fr. Charles led the prayers outside. We sang to Mary led by our music ministry. A child who received First Holy Communion on Saturday, climbed the ladder to place the flowers on the Blessed Mother’s crown.

Please participate in the Family Liturgy by joining in the Entrance Procession, reading scripture, singing or playing an instrument. For information or to sign up, email stbarnabasfamilyliturgy@gmail.com.

Please check the Religious Education Website to keep up to date on what’s happening in Religious Education. Registration forms are available on the Religious Education Website. Please make sure you read the Parent Cover Letter and Parent Handbook before filling out the forms.
This past week our middle school students were blessed with a field trip to the Shrine of Our Lady of the Island. The Shrine of Our Lady of the Island was established by the Missionaries of the Company of Mary in order to be a center of authentic Marian Spirituality & Devotion. Thank you to Father Adrian for leading the students through this devotional retreat.

The 3 Day Pre-K did a fabulous job preparing for their Mother’s Tea. They treated their mothers to personalized poems and portraits. They recited special prayers and sang songs. They even made tasty treats!

**CALL FOR A TOUR TODAY~ (516)785-5709**

Our Programs Include: Our Time (2 year old program), Nursery, 3 & 5 Day Pre-K, and K-8.

*Find out how a Catholic Education will provide your child with the tools to lead a happy and virtuous life*!

2341 Washington Ave, Bellmore ~ Next to Saint Barnabas Church
**Parent & Child Program**
For children ages 2-3 years old.

*Our Time is a class where a child with a parent can become familiar with the classroom environment while singing songs, doing crafts, reading books, and celebrating God’s love together.*

- Class sessions are offered on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 10AM to 11AM from September thru June at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Regional School.
- Our Time is an affordable way to introduce your child to the classroom environment without the worry of being separated. It allows for the child to be comforted with a parents presence and prepare for entering Pre-K.
- Our Time is taught by Mrs. Sabina Lamb. Mrs. Lamb is also the leader of the Family Liturgy Music Ministry for Saint Barnabas which performs at the 10:15 Mass.

Space is limited!
For more information contact:
Sabina Lamb (516) 781-9834
Mother’s Day Masses are celebrated for all those listed. Their names are placed at the Blessed Mother’s Shrine during May.

Marga Maria and Rhina from Ben & Kat Erskine; Josephine Recchia from Anthony Recchia; Anna Andersen & Amelia Noll from Mr. & Mrs. Walter Andersen; Mary Schettino & Carmela Bertini from Virginia Schettino; Gleason & Burke Families from Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Gleason; Maryann DiGregorio from Mr. Frank DiGregorio; Anna Gyimoty & Maria Pompei from Mr. & Mrs. Joe Gyimoty; Amy D. Rich & Isa Brown from Elizabeth & Dennis Rich; Mary & Marjorie Oakley from Mr. & Mrs. Laurence Oakley; Lena Amarito & Angelina Pieroni from Mr. & Mrs. A Pieroni; Gemma Giocolano & Teresa Mangiaracina from Frances C. Mangiaracina; Carole & Lucy Hendersen from Robert Hendersen; Emily Krieg and Ann Eylers from Jean Eylers; Kathleen Neville from Paddy; Emma Zambiasi and Margaret Campbell from Mr. and Mrs. R. Zambiasi; Carole A. Henderson and Susan Hartmann from Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Henderson; Marilyn McCaffrey from John and Lisa McCaffrey; Erminia DeSantis and Jeanette Matarazzo from Marge and Angelo Matarazzo; Helen Donato from Joyce Little; Catherine Brophy, Mary Laterra, Kathleen Fellows and Anne Coppola from Mr. and Mrs. William E. Brophy; Stella Morra and Elvira Minichiello from Gloria Marinazzo; Mary Madonia from Mrs. Margarita Agnello; Jean Saullo and Alice Preiser from Carol and Lou Saullo; Regina Daly and Helen Kotan from Robert and Jean Daly; Rose Valentino, Josie, Anna, Florence, Millie and Rosie from Margie Valentino; Catherine Smalley and Elizabeth Walsh from Mrs. Joan Walsh; Helen Preputnik from Ann and Dave Preputnik; Beatrice Felicetti from Filomena Felicetti; Maria Assunta Forte, Maria Florio D’Andrea, Elizabeth McConnell and Jean Williams from The Williams Family; Dolores Young from Charles Young; Suzanne Sternkopf, Kelly Ann Sternkopf and Kathleen Bonasera from Mrs. Patricia Sternkopf; Charles Rampanelli and Mary Malliae from Mrs. Rose Rampanelli; Catherine Tassone, Antonette Maffeo, Josephine Gallipani and Theresa Tassone from Helen Maffeo; Krista Russo from Joseph Montalbano; Mary Ellen Matthori from Joseph Montalbano; Janette Ahrens from Donna Montalbano; Ellen Montalbano from Joseph Montalbano; Diane Lichter-Sarkinski from Donna Montalbano; Dawn Mortenson from Donna Montalbano; Donna McElroy from Joseph Montalbano; Roberta Ryan from Richard Ryan; Ruth Albert from Raymond Albert; Kathleen Richardson and Mary P. Heim; Diane Langdon from M. Kallman; Barbara Stauro and Catherine Wanser from Marianna Kallman; Yolanda Pascarella from Marianna Kallman; Anna Antos and Marlene Hannon from Joann Mattolere; Carmella “Mi Mi” Nigro, Anina Rossetti, Mrs. Emma Haber, Christina Nigro, Barbara George Driscoll, Dorothy George, Bella George, Carole Rossetti, Santina Rotola, Dana Fortuna, Mindy Scanlan, Doreen Russo, Roseann Alvino, Doris Robinson, Jaime, JaneLee, All the living and deceased women of the Rossetti, Nigro, Sulatto, George, Haber, Rotola, Casamenti, Fortuna,
Riccione, Becker, Scanlan, Cipriani, Salatto, Russo, Traini, Lombardo, Alvin, Robinson, Wupper, Tomeo, Sumersille, Schwartz and Lee Families from Christine, Anthony and Michael Rotola; Ruth Faughnan from Sue Losee, Kathleen Spillane, Delia Dolan, Rosemarie (Dolly) McGuire, Kathleen Dolan Flood, Honorah Dolan Cuddahy, Tricia Spillane Carr and Mrs. Bridie Spillane from Patricia Spillane; Eudosia Salvemini and Caroline Schiavone from Mrs. Dorothy Schiavone; Evelyn Pantisco from Evelyn Pantesco Higlies; Mary Laun from Rich and Sharon Laun; Ruth Guy from Sharon and Rich Laun; Patricia M. Stegmuller from Mary Hobbs; Linda Scanth, Susan Kitson and Emelia Topper from Mrs. Margaret Miglino; Catherine Losee, Ann Byrnes, Marion Byrnes, Helen Kreiner, Viola Byrnes, Ann Luongo and Ruth Becker from Sue Losee; Mary Angrisani from Barbara Noriani; Dolores, Tina (Ernestina); Beryl, Belinda, Anne (Elizabeth Anne), Mary Bernadette, Adeline, Elaine, Teresa, Tara, Liz, Pauline, JoAnn, Jennifer, Bernadette, Caroline, Alissa and Anna from Linda Wood, Patricia E. Klein and Jane Klein from John J. Klein; Dolores Gillen, Patricia Gillen, Angela Creamer and Nora Creamer from James Gillen; Mary Bonaventura, Mary Cuecarelli, Mary Lema, Marie Tirino, Linda Amato, Mary Lou Sciortini, Theresa Civincione and Mary Palsinelli from Joanne Palsinelli; Robbin Ann Jolly and Pauline Curtin from Gemma Roesler; Stella Morris from Diane Streicher; Yvonne Browe, Rosa F. Carrera, MD, Gerianne McArdle and Rose Marie Carrera Gabelman, MD from Kathleen Gabelman; Patricia Toral, Melody Henderson, Melissa Henderson, Jeanette Henderson, Sue Hartman, Rita Vance and Lauren Margano from Robert A. Henderson; MaryAnn Gincello, Patti Gendels, Antoinette Rizzo and Mary A. McDevitt from Mary C. McDevitt; Lucy Caacee Ranney, Ursula Beckley, Joanne Falvey, Bella Gilio and Adrienne Giannone from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gilio; Margaret Dedcovich from Her Family; Brigid Hanniffy and Mary Hayes from The Hanniffy Family; The Anabile, Burgin, Knepskheid, Stehle, Barberry, Savana, Carmona and Lagnese Families; Ruth Kenny from Brian Kenny.
St. Barnabas

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN TO BENEFIT
THE LIFE CENTER OF LONG ISLAND

REMEMBER TO BRING IN THOSE
BABY BOTTLES!

Recently, St. Barnabas kicked-off their Baby Bottle Campaign to benefit The Life Center.

THE WEEKEND TO BRING THOSE FILLED BABY BOTTLES IN IS:

June 3rd & 4th

The Life Center is a pregnancy help center that counsels women and men who are experiencing an unexpected pregnancy. They provide maternity housing, medical care referrals, cribs, car seats, diapers and ALL other baby items that are needed.

Remember, all it takes is your change in a baby bottle and a heartfelt prayer to make a big, positive difference for all those we serve.

May every drop of a coin remind you to pray with your whole heart for the lives of our preborn children!
“Anyone who has My commands and obeys them loves Me.”

Connect the dots.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14

Find and count how many.
❤️ 5 or 6  ❤️ 6 or 7

The Holy Bible

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TRUST
ROOMS
HOUSE
TRUTH
BELIEVE
FATHER
LIVING
EVIDENCE
REASON
PERFORM
ACROSS
5. A place where someone lives; a residence.
6. Have a feeling of fear
7. A time when people live and work together happily without violence
8. To receive a sound using your ears

DOWN
1. Parts of a language which can be spoken or written
2. To have a deep feeling of affection toward a person
3. To give instruction to others
4. To carry out or fulfill a command, order, or instructions

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Match the letters below.

H O P T
S L I S
Y R

H O L Y S P I R I T

Circle 6 differences in the bottom picture.
Jesus said, “They who have My commandments and keep them are those who love Me; and those who love Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love them and reveal Myself to them.”

Find the underlined words in the puzzle below. They may be found: ← ← ↑ ↑ ← ← ← ← ← ← ←

Who is the Counselor?

Add and subtract words and letters to find the answer. Write the answer on the lines below.

- KIE + vertisement - AT + key - KY = ______

- FIS + fish - BW + boy - BO = ______

- UN + sun - G + go - NG

+ star - SAR = ______

Find more of Jesus’ words in this circle code.

Find a path through the maze for the dove, which symbolizes this special Helper sent by God.
Vacation Bible School

Monday, July 24 to Friday, July 28, 2017

9:30 AM to 12:30 PM in the Holy Family Chapel. Limited to 90 campers. Tuition - $75.00 per camper

For children entering Pre-K through Sixth Grade as of September 2017

REGISTRATION CLOSES on June 2nd OR when we reach 90 campers – whichever comes first!

Child’s Name:_______________________________________________________ Male / Female (circle)

Child’s Age:_________ Date of Birth:________________________ Grade as of September 2017______

T-Shirt: CIRCLE – YOUTH OR ADULT Size: S M L XL

Name of Parents/Guardians:__________________________________________

Address:__________________________________________________________ Phone #____________________

Allergies or Other Medical Conditions/ restrictions: ________________________________

Other than Custodial Parent/Guardian who may pick up your child?

Name:_________________________________________________________ Phone#:______________________

Emergency Contact:______________________________________________ Phone #:_____________________

Relationship to Child:____________________________________________

Signature of Parent Guardian:_____________________________________

Signed Photo Release Form and payment MUST be submitted with this registration form.
Payment may be made using Cash, Check or Credit Card (in person only).

Please make checks payable to: St. Barnabas and mail or drop off forms & payment to:
Office of Christian Formation, St. Barnabas the Apostle, 2320 Bedford Avenue, Bellmore, NY 11710
It has been the history and tradition of St. Barnabas Vacation Bible School to take camp pictures of all the groups at VBS to send home as a memento. Sometimes we also take random pictures of the campers enjoying the different activities at VBS which we put on a display board for the families to see when they attend the VBS concert and we might also display with prior years pictures at future VBS sessions. Please note we will not list or label the camper's names just the group name – example the Sand Castles.

**Photo/Video Release Form**

I hereby grant permission, without reservation, to St. Barnabas the Apostle Parish, and to those authorized by St. Barnabas the Apostle Parish, to take photographs and to make recordings of my child or children named below, and to use them in original or modified form all media now or hereafter known, (including, without limitation, websites, bulletins, newsletters and promotional brochures) with or without name or information, solely for the promotion, public education, and/or fundraising activities of St. Barnabas the Apostle Parish. I understand and agree that I am entitled to receive no compensation for the above.

I release St. Barnabas the Apostle Parish, its officers, directors, agents, employees, Independent contractors, licensees and assignees from all claims that I now have or in the future may have, relating to the above. I further agree that St. Barnabas the Apostle Parish will be the sole owner of all tangible and intangible rights in the abovementioned photographs and recordings, with full power of disposition.

I am the parent or guardian of the minor(s) named below, and I hereby consent to the foregoing on behalf of the minor(s) and myself.

Name (s) of Child/Children:

________________________________________  ______________________________________

________________________________________  ______________________________________

My name: ____________________________________________________________

Signature: ____________________________________________________________

Date: ________________________________________________________________

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