FAN OR FOLLOWER?
WHAT IT MEANS TO TRULY FOLLOW JESUS
Sunday Readings Hymnal #844
Seventh Week of Easter

Monday, June 3
Fr. Michael 6:30 AM
Fr. Kevin 9:00 AM
Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions
Vasilios Kalloudis
Felix Herrera Bustamante

Tuesday, June 4
Fr. Kevin 6:30 AM
Fr. Francis 9:00 AM
Raymond Labau
George O’Kane
K & Grade 7 attending

Wednesday, June 5
Fr. Francis 6:30 AM
Fr. Michael 9:00 AM
Charlie and Ann Klika
Walter Andersen

Thursday, June 6
Fr. Kevin 6:30 AM
Deceased Members of the Scheibel Family
Josephine Faiella

Friday, June 7
Fr. Francis 6:30 AM
Angelo & Mildred Giglio
Visitor 9:00 AM
Hilario Perez
School Mass Kindergarten

Saturday, June 8
Fr. Francis 8:00 AM
Jeannette Sullivan
Raymond Vogts
Virginia Marsico
Louis Rizzacasa
Eliseo Duran
Betty Lanigan
Fr. Kevin 7:00 PM
Thomas Lilly

Sunday, June 9
Fr. Michael 7:00 AM
Pentecost Sunday
James Clare
For the People of Our Parish
Mary, Anthony and Thomas Nallan
Richard Arabia
Domingo and Fortunato Cormace
Fr. Adrian 9:00 AM
Shelia & Robert Doud and
Fr. Michael 10:15 AM
Katerina and Robert Zihal
Fr. Kevin 10:30 AM
Fr. Francis 12:00 PM
Fr. Kevin 5:00 PM

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To place an advertisement on our cover call
The Church Bulletin at (631) 249-4994.
Support the Catholic Communication Campaign

The Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) is an opportunity to help people across the United States and around the world connect with Christ. For example, the island of Samar in the Philippines is home to nearly two million people, about 90% of whom are Catholic. Many live in remote villages outside the reach of television and the Internet. Instead, radio is a critical source of information. The Catholic Church has provided the people of Samar with spiritual programming through a dedicated radio station for 20 years.

But in 2013, Typhoon Haiyan hit the island. It destroyed the entire radio station. The community has been unable to fund a new station, leaving hundreds of thousands without access to spiritual messages.

Your support for the Catholic Communication Campaign is now helping the local diocese to rebuild the station. Because of you, people can once again hear radio programs that deepen their faith. You have given our brothers and sisters access to spiritual resources that they have lived too long without.

SUPPORT THE CCC TODAY!
To learn more about the CCC and the projects it supports, visit www.usccb.org/ccc.

WHERE DO YOUR DONATIONS GO?

2017 Distribution of Grants: $2,438,012.00

- News & Information Services: $1,007,694.00 41%
- Web-based Communications Resources: $360,000.00 15%
- Preserving Church History: $308,882.00 13%
- Developing Nations Projects: $293,456.00 12%
- Human Life & Dignity: $218,000.00 9%
- Cultural Diversity: $200,000.00 8%
- Media Training: $50,000.00 2%

Fully 50% of collected funds stay in your diocese to support local communications projects. The other 50% of collected funds support national projects in the United States and around the world.

CLIP, SAVE, AND SHARE THE TIPS BELOW!

Be Digital Disciples on Social Media

Accompany People with Joy!
Social media is a great tool to spread the Gospel. Use it to accompany others.

👍 Follow the USCCB daily on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram and share posts to spread the joy of our faith.

Would I Say This in Person?
If you get angry on social media, take a break to think about what you’d say face-to-face. Is the comment loving and merciful?

👍 If you’re upset, don’t comment right away. Walk away from your device, and ask yourself what you’d say in person.

Create Networks of Encounter
Behind the wires and screens are people. Use social media to share affirming stories and encounter others.

👍 Be authentic and build community. Offer to pray for each other or share a favorite prayer.
Follow Him

What's Pastor Thinking

We’ve said goodbyes in our life and none of them were easy. We wonder where the years went. But there he is - a kid who one moment was fighting with his brother and the next going off to College. Somewhere else two people come to say goodbye. Their relationship just isn’t going anywhere. They go out on some dates, but as the weeks are swallowed by seasons, they realize it’s over. Time to say goodbye. Not just farewell to the movies and lunches and shopping and games. But really goodbye to a presence and a quality that will never completely be recovered. Saying goodbye is hard. Taking leave, sending off a loved one, saying goodbye is hard. But it is an unavoidable reality of life and more than that, it seems to be necessary for a person’s growth and maturing. A baby’s umbilical cord has to be severed so that the baby can become an independent organism. We send our children off on their first day of school--the beginning of a process of separation and growth toward independence and maturity. As we journey from one stage of life to the next--from birth to infancy, to adolescence, to adulthood, to mature adulthood, to the ultimate homecoming--the common link between each of the stages seems to be a difficult transition. Each of these times of transition challenge us to grow in our faith. It takes a tremendous amount of faith and trust in our child to be able to send him or her off on that first school day. It takes faith on the part of the child too. Jesus’ goodbye to His disciples meant that He believed in them. He believed that they were ready for the next phase of spiritual growth. Jesus, too, knew that goodbyes and transitions are hard. Following Resurrection Day, Jesus prepared His disciples for that new phase of spiritual growth and maturity. By the time Ascension Day rolled around, He had all the faith in His disciples that they could handle the crisis and come out stronger and wiser. So really Jesus’ goodbye turned out to be God’s big hello! The real story goes like this: God never left. Never moved. Never said farewell. God simply made an equal exchange. A shift in the plan.
We Pray for Our Deceased

Ken N. Wood
Eleanor Krawka
Joan Sireci
Charles Yarris

Bread and Wine
Is offered in celebration of John and Arlene Ferrante’s 62nd Wedding Anniversary and 60 years as St. Barnabas parishioners.

Sisters of St. Barnabas Intention
For firemen, police officers, first responders and emergency personnel, that they know the support of the communities they protect and serve.

We Pray for Our Sick

The Week Ahead

Sunday:
7:30 PM  Al-Anon, S. Cafeteria

Monday:
7:30 PM  Charismatic Prayer Group, HFC

Tuesday:
10:00 AM  Prayer Shawl Ministry, Rectory
12:30 PM  Friendly Seniors, HFC

Wednesday:
7:00 PM  Al-Anon, Rectory
7:30 PM  Choir, Church

Thursday:
7:00 PM  Alcoholics Anonymous, HFC
7:00 PM  Bible Study, Rectory

Friday:
1:30 PM  Lectio Divina, Rectory
7:30 PM  Catholic Daughters Supermarket Bingo, S. Cafeteria
8:00 PM  Nocturnal Adoration, Church

Saturday:
8:30 AM  Men’s Group, HFC
11:30 AM  Baptisms
12:30 PM  Confession

Our Finances
5/26/19: $14,015  5/27/18: $16,188
Parish Families Registered: 5,012
Envelopes Mailed: 1,500
Used: 5/26/19: 497  5/27/18: 533

Catholic Ministries Appeal
Goal: $108,900  Donors: 367
Pledged: $88,811  Received: $69,052

Special Envelopes
This Weekend - Catholic Communications
Father’s Day Mass Remembrance
June 16th - Maintenance and Repair
June 30th - The Holy Father, Peter’s Pence
Catholic Girl Scout Convocation

Congratulations to the Girl Scouts who received their religious medals at this year’s Convocation at St. Agnes Cathedral on May 19th. Rev. Edward Sheridan presented the Regina Coeli Award to Kerri Callahan, Sophia Fascianella, Gabriella Garcia, and Lauren Reyes. Grace Ham and Catherine Henderson received the I Live My Faith Medal and Lauren McCarthy and Morgan Schaefer received the Marian medal – Mary, the First Disciple.

Convent Boiler

Winter is over. Spring is here! The convent boiler replacement will begin, temperature permitting. Anyone interested in making a donation can do so through either the collection or at the rectory. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

Food Pantry Weekend

We will be collecting food for the pantry the weekend this weekend. Please try to bring a donation of one or two of the following items: oil, canned chili and beef stew, canned pasta (Chef Boyardee ravioli), jarred pasta sauce, jell-o and pudding. Thanks to all who keep our pantry so well stocked.

EMs, Lectors, & Altar Servers

Extraordinary Ministers, Lectors and Altar Servers have been sent via e-mail the ministry schedule for June. For those who do not have e-mail or have not provided their e-mail address, please pick up a copy of the schedule in the Altar Server’s Sacristy.

Fathers Day Cards

Remember fathers, living or deceased, by enrolling them in the Father’s Day Novena. Masses on Father’s Day will be celebrated in honor of those listed. Their names will be placed at the Blessed Mother’s Shrine for the month of June and will be published in the bulletin. Pick up the Father’s Day Novena envelope in the Church or find one in your packet of Church envelopes. Return to the rectory, or place in the collection baskets.

ORDINATION OF PRIESTHOOD:

Cody Bobick
Matthew Browne
Kenneth Grooms
Nelson Marquez
Alexander Turpin
Roger Velasquez

On Saturday, June 22, 2019 at 11:00 am
St. Agnes Cathedral
Our Mission is to Encourage Evangelize & Educate

Changes at St. Barnabas

- Both Fr. Kevin and Fr. Adrian will be leaving St. Barnabas in June. Fr. Kevin is retiring after many years of ministry in the Diocese. Fr. Adrian was appointed pastor at St. Aidan’s, Williston Park. Fr. Kevin will celebrate his Farewell Mass at 12 Noon on Trinity Sunday, June 16th. Fr. Adrian’s Farewell Mass is at 4:30 PM on Saturday, June 22nd. Refreshments to follow both events.
- All the changes in the Diocese take place on Wednesday, June 26th. Fr. Jeff Yildirimaz will take up his new role as the twelfth pastor of St. Barnabas. The new associate pastor will be announced at a future date.
- We are delighted to hear that the new Vocations Director for the Diocese, Fr. Sean McGaldi, will reside here at the rectory at St. Barnabas. Fr. Sean is currently serving as associate pastor in St. Patrick’s, Smithtown.
- We are also delighted to welcome Fr. Francis Agyeman back to Bellmore for the month of June. Fr. Francis is chaplain to the military in Ghana.
- Please keep all our priests in your prayers, especially Deacon Cody who will be ordained on June 22nd.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas

The next meeting of the Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Mother Seton #2413, Will be held on Tuesday, June 4th at 7 PM in the school Cafeteria. After a short meeting, our end of year party will take place. Supermarket Bingo will be held on Friday, June 7th at 7:30 PM in the school cafeteria. For more information contact Jackie at 781-7846.

Widow and Widowers

Join us on Thursday, July 18th at 1:00 PM for lunch at Jani’s. This is an event enjoyed by all! The cost is $25 and checks should be mailed to Joyce Quinn at 2463 Freeport Street, Wantagh 11793 no later than July 10th. Due to lack of interest, it was necessary to cancel our trip to the Shrine of our Lady of the Island in Manorville. If interest is expressed in the future, we might try again.

Supermarket Bingo

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Mother Seton #2413, will hold their Annual Supermarket Bingo on Friday, June 7th at 7:30 PM in the School Cafeteria. Admission is $5, which includes coffee and cake. Raffles, a 50/50 and a Lotto raffle will be available. For further information, call Jackie at 781-7846.

FORMED PICK

The Holy Spirit: Third Person of the Trinity

By Fr. Shannon Collins

Renew Your Relationship with the Spirit

Drawing upon Scripture and Tradition, Fr. Collins explains the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit and how he wants to work in the lives of believers.

Listen on formed.org

stbarnabasny.formed.org

“A great reminder of how the Holy Spirit is active in our lives.” —Laurette, Essex Junction, VT
Craft and Gift Fair

The Bellmore Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary is having a Craft and Gift Fair on Saturday, June 8th and Sunday, June 9th from 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Rain or shine; indoor/outdoor at 101 Frederick Avenue, Bellmore. Donate a NEW baby item and get a FREE ticket for the door prize. Proceeds benefit local and national charities. Jewelry, pocketbooks, raffles, LuLaRoe, Avon, Tupperware, LeadMeLashes, food, beverages and décor are some of the featured items.

St Vincent de Paul

On Thursday we celebrated the feast of the Ascension we are reminded that Christ’s saving work on earth continues through his disciples… and now through us. Sometimes we Christians can get caught up in the doing. We forget simply taking time to be with our God, is as important to our Christian witness, as actually doing Christian acts. Taking care with our Sunday worship and even taking time to rest on Sunday can be acts of witnessing to Christ. When things get hectic, the first temptation is to skip prayer time. If we are to maintain vision in our lives; if we are to be men and women who worship God with our hearts, we must give attention to our prayers. When we give to the poor, God indeed pours his love, peace and joy into our heart, into our lives and into the hearts of those who are poor. Please continue to support St. Vincent de Paul Society.

The Men of the Way of Light

Jesus addresses the Father in a very moving dialogue in which, as Priest, he offers up the imminent sacrifice of his passion and death. In this part of his priestly prayer, Jesus asks that all who believes in him remain united throughout history. The main fruit of the unity of the Church will be belief of Christ and in his divine mission to reconcile his people with God and with others. Vatican II (Unitatis redintegratio) tells us, “Jesus wishes his people to increase and to perfect its fellowship in
unity: in the confession of one faith, in the common celebration of divine worship, and in the fraternal harmony of the family of God. The highest example and source of this mystery is the Trinity of Persons, of one God, the Father and the Son in the Holy Spirit.” Jesus concludes his prayer by expressing his desire that all Christians attain the blessedness of heaven. The words he uses, “I desire,” not “I pray,” indicate the importance of this request. It echoes the desire of the Father – that all may be saved and come to knowledge of the truth. Where can you find this truth? What can each of us do to promote the unity that Jesus desired? Please join our faith discussion group at our next meeting on Saturday, June 8th, 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.

The Life Centre

The Life Center would like to thank the Parishioners of Saint Barnabas Parish for participating in the 2019 Baby Bottle Campaign. Last campaign, Saint Barnabas Parishioners donated over $10,000. We are still collecting baby bottles for our parish’s recent baby bottle drive for the Life Center of Long Island.

DO YOU STILL HAVE A BABY BOTTLE?
It’s not too late to return your bottle. We will take them back full or empty. Please bring it to the church or rectory so that we may return it to the Life Center. Thank you!
Worldwide Marriage Encounter
“"I am with you always, until the end of the age.”
Allow God to journey with you in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. The next Weekends are June 28th - 30th and November 8th - 10th in Huntington. For more information, call John and Toni Torio at (877) 697-9963 or visit them at www.wwmenyli.org.

Pre Cana Fall Schedule
Contact the Rectory Office if you wish to register for our September Pre Cana Course
Opening: September 15th
Foccus Online: September 16th - 20th
Foccus Review: September 23rd - 27th
In-home Sessions: Sept. 30th - Nov. 1st
Closing: November 3rd

Bowling for Hospice
Join us for a fundraiser benefitting Good Shepherd Hospice’s new inpatient center in Rockville Centre on Saturday, June 15th from 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM at Maple Lanes RVC, 100 Maple Avenue, Rockville Centre. Registration is $50 per bowler or $200 for a team of 6 bowlers. Includes 3 hours of bowling, shoe rental and food. For information, contact the Development Office at (631) 465-6350.

Summer School and Regents
St. John the Baptist DHS in West Islip is offering Summer School and Regents Review classes in various subjects. Registration is July 1st and 2nd from 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM. For additional information please visit stjohnthebaptistdhs.net/academicresources or call (631) 587-8000, Ext. 117.

Entrance Exam Prep Course
Sacred Heart Academy, 47 Cathedral Avenue, Hempstead is offering Prep courses for the Catholic High School Entrance Exam. Two sessions will be offered from Monday, August 19th - Friday, August 23rd. Session 1 is from 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM and Session 2 is from 10:45 AM - 12:45 PM. Cost is $250, which includes a workbook. Deadline to register is Friday, August 2nd. Call 483-7383.

Kellenberg Memorial Reunions
All members of Kellenberg Memorial’s classes of 1999, 2004, 2009, and 2014 are invited to return to campus on Saturday, June 22nd, to celebrate their 20, 15, 10, and 5 year reunions (respectively). The evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 PM, followed by private cocktails for each class from 7:00 PM -
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10:00 PM. For information or to register online, please visit www.kellenberg.org/reunion. If you have any questions, please contact Director of Alumni, Mr. Thomas Huggard at alumni@kellenberg.org or 292-0200, ext. 375.

Healing Mass
St. Anastasia’s Church 45-14 245th St. Douglaston-Little Neck NY 11362, on Tuesday, June 11th at 7:00 PM. There will be a Rosary, Mass & Healing Service celebrated by Fr. Augustine Fernando and assisted by Deacon Michael Vicinancza. For information contact St. Anastasia’s Church at (718) 631 – 4454.

Summer Camps and Courses
Our Lady of Mercy Academy, 815 Convent Road, Syosset is having summer camps and courses in the following areas: basketball, business skills, college essay prep, creative writing, cross country, dance, introduction to coding course, lacrosse, SAT prep, science research, soccer, softball pitching clinic, theatre and volleyball. For information call 921-1756 or visit www.olma.org.

Family Festival
St. William the Abbot in Seaford is holding its Annual Family Festival from Wednesday, July 10th - Sunday, July 14th. Hours are 7:00 PM - 11:00 PM (Wednesday - Friday), 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM (Saturday) and 5:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Sunday). Enjoy games, rides, food, entertainment, 50/50, car raffle and Las Vegas in their air conditioned lower church. Call Gail Tomczyk at 795-4542.
Be Still and Know

Congratulations Communicants!

Schedule a private tour today!

Mother’s Day Tea

We are a Regional Catholic School serving our five parishes: St. Barnabas, Cure of Ars, St. Raphael, St. Frances de Chantal, and Sacred Heart.
St. Barnabas the Apostle Vacation Bible School
For children entering
Pre-K through Sixth Grade as of September 2019
Monday, July 22 to Friday, July 26, 2019
9:30 am to 12:30 pm in the Holy Family Chapel
Limited to 90 campers. Tuition - $80.00 per camper

REGISTRATION CLOSES on June 21 OR when we reach 90 campers – whichever comes first!

Child’s Name: ____________________________ Male / Female (please circle)

Child’s Age: __________ Date of Birth: _______________ Grade as of September 2019 ________

T-Shirt: **MUST CIRCLE – YOUTH OR ADULT** then fill in the Size: ______________________________

Name of Parents/Guardians: _________________________________________________________________

Address: _______________________________________________________________________________

Town: __________________________

Best Phone Number to Reach Parent/Guardian: ____________________________ Home or Cell

Allergies or Other Medical Conditions/Restrictions:__________________________________________

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

Name: __________________________________________ Phone Number: _____________________________

Emergency Contact: __________________________________ Phone Number: _______________________

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.** If paying with credit card you must come in person to swipe your card. 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
Vacation Bible School Photo Release form – must be included with registration.

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 me, my child or children named below, and to use them in original or modified form in 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 the 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:________________________________________
Jesus Prays for All Believers

Jesus prayed to God, His Father.

Finish the picture below by drawing

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Where is God calling you?

A week long Catholic summer camp for high school boys and girls

July 7-12

Location: Seminary of the Immaculate Conception

Cost: Before May 1st: $225

Regular Price: $275

Open to boys and girls
Graduating 8th grade - high school seniors
To Register Visit: www.campquovadis.com

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Jesus also prayed, “May the world believe that You sent Me.”

Connect the dots.

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Connect the dots.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

Finish the picture.
Jesus Prays for All Believers
THAT ALL MAY BE ONE

ACROSS
4. Joined together as a group; the state of being in agreement
5. Great admiration, honor and praise
6. The earth and its inhabitants
8. A written or spoken statement

DOWN
1. To speak to God
2. To think that something is true or correct
3. To be acquainted with someone or something
7. A single thing; to be undivided

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Jesus Prays for All Believers

Jesus was praying for His disciples. He said, “I pray for these men. But I am also praying for...

Write the words on the numbered blanks.

| 1 = all  | 4 = Me   | 7 = people | 10 = teaching |
| 2 = believe | 5 = men | 8 = pray  | 11 = world |
| 3 = Father  | 6 = one  | 9 = sent  | 12 = You |

... all _______ who will _______ in _______.

because of the _______ of these _______. _______.

I _______ that all _______ who _______ in _______ can be _______.

... so that the _______ will _______.

Jesus prayed:

“I have given them the glory that You gave Me, that they may be one as We are one — I in them and You in Me.”

Write the letter that's missing from the second word of each pair to find two important words from today's verses.

1.

in ounce not in cone ...

in near not in are ...

in time not in met ...

in float not in loaf ...

in pansy not in span ...

2.

in singer not in rinse ...

in table not in beat ...

in hoarse not in share ...

in pester not in steep ...

in daisy not in said ...

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