Masses For The Week - September 14 - September 20
Twenty-Fourth Week in Ordinary Time

Monday September 14
6:30 AM The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Richard Kuhn
9:00 AM Mary Anne Hill
Florence DelGiorno
Tony Giovetsis
Edward Loesel
Intentions of Donald Grimes

Tuesday September 15
6:30 AM Our Lady of Sorrows
Lorraine Burns
9:00 AM Thomas Combs

Wednesday September 16
6:30 AM Saints Cornelius and Cyprian
Camille Volante
9:00 AM Stephen Andrew Clifford

Thursday September 17
6:30 AM Susan Rickard
9:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of the
Stauber, Donnelly & Lewis Families

Friday September 18
6:30 AM Evelyn L. Rein
9:00 AM In memory of Dorothy Camilleri
& for the Intentions of Louis Camilleri

Saturday September 19
8:00 AM Karen Kelly
1:30 PM Wedding: Brandon John Taylor &
Bridget Marie Oporto
5:00 PM Patricia Kerley
Joanne O’Reilly
Raymond Vogts
Heather Adel
Florence DelGiorno
Brian Hickey
7:30 PM Mary Vannatta

Sunday September 20
7:00 AM Twenty-Fifth Sunday Ordinary Time
Mary Stapleton
9:00 AM For the People of Our Parish
10:15 AM Eva & Frederick Roarke
10:30 AM Adeline & Peter Villella, Jr.
12:00 PM Armando Forte
5:00 PM Elizabeth Gangi

We pray for the recently deceased
Michael C Giammetta
Richard A. Bucci
Carl Agricola
and for those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Altar Flowers
The flowers at the Main Altar, the Blessed Mother’s Shrine and the Tabernacle are in memory of all victims of terrorism and their families

Celebrant Schedule
Saturday September 19
5:00 PM Fr. Francis
7:30 PM Fr. Adrian

Sunday September 20
7:00 AM Fr. Francis
9:00 AM Fr. Charles
10:15 AM Fr. Adrian
10:30 AM Fr. Francis
12:00 PM Fr. Charles
5:00 PM Fr. Adrian
The Diocese of Rockville Centre is working with parishes on Long Island to develop Five Year Parish Plans to enhance parish life and help develop the Spiritual Lives of Long Islanders.

A Parish Planning Committee has been formed at St. Barnabas to help facilitate this process. The committee hopes to get the opinions of parishioners and to hear from others in our community who are not parishioners but who feel they can offer something to the planning process.

One of the first steps in this parish planning process is to survey everyone as to how they would like to see the parish grow over the next five years (and beyond) and what role they see the parish playing in the community, in our families and in our individual lives.

At the beginning of October you will receive a survey. Please take a little time to provide us with your thoughts. Forms can be returned in the collection basket at Mass by October 18th or sent to the Rectory.

We also plan to hold Listening Sessions in the Holy Family Chapel. More later.

The Parish Planning Committee invites you to our Parish Ministry Fair on Sunday, October 18th in the Holy Family Chapel. Please drop in anytime between 9:30 AM and 1:30 PM.

The following ministries, committees, organizations and educational opportunities were invited to participate:


If your parish organization is not listed and you would like to participate, please contact the rectory office.
By now all around the world, children will have started back to school.

School is a gift! A documentary I found on Netflix called “ON THE WAY TO SCHOOL” (2013, Director Pascal Plisson), will help you appreciate this fact, and it will also touch your heart.

The heroes of “On the Way to School” are four children who live in different corners of the world - Jackson, 11, lives in Kenya; Zahira, 12, in the Moroccan Mountains; Samuel, 13, in India; and Carlito, 11 is from the plains of Argentina. Four children who know that their well-being, indeed their survival, depends on knowledge and education. But, to get their classrooms they have to travel long distances over treacherous territory and overcome countless, often dangerous obstacles – snakes, elephants, even bandits!

Jackson and his younger sister run nine miles twice a day to school that takes two hours, through a savannah populated by wild animals and armed gangs. He dreams of becoming a pilot.

In Morocco, Zahira and her two friends endure an exhausting walk on foot along punishing mountain paths before they reach their boarding school - about 14 miles and four hours. She wants to be a doctor.

In India, the two miles Samuel has to travel each day are an ordeal, as he doesn’t have the use of his legs. His two younger brothers have to push him all the way to school in a makeshift wheelchair for an hour and 15 minutes. He also hopes to become a doctor.

While Carlito rides his horse Chiverito more than 11 miles twice a day with his younger sister, across the plains of Argentina, regardless of the weather. He wants to become a vet.

From the dangerous savannahs of Kenya to the winding trails of the Atlas mountains in Morocco, to the suffocating heat of Southern India and the vast, dizzying plateau of Patagonia, these children are all united by the same quest, the same dream. They understand that only education will allow them a better future. Put it on your ‘WATCH AS FAMILY’ list..
In Your Prayers Remember the Sick

Nicoletta Russo, John Finelli, Meghan Alice Roach, Kenneth Hubert, Stephen Rich, Pauline Jennings, Rosemary Grandwilliams, Joan Horvath, Patrick Hoyne, Don Davis, Barbara Cannon, Ann DeChiaro, Louis Romano, Kristin O’Halloran, Patricia Merget, Ann O’Neill, Jacob Daniel Haubeil, Alberto Contreras, Damon Capobianco, Jerry Hefner, Maureen Connolly, Mildred Scalesi, Eugene Ryan, Francis G. Noonan, Terri-Ann Clarke, Jason Todhunter, Alan Guidice, Lottie Smakowski, Terrie Manderson, Marie Rogan, Dolores Young, Dr. Lawton Manderson, Rudolph Vano, Denise Carnabucci, Brian McKenna, Lillian Rocco, John C. Hannan Sr., Gloria Fabisiak, George Stockerl, Barbara O’Neil, Vic Caliguiri, Tom Waters, Matthew Green, John F. Coughlin, Walter Eisenhardt, James P. Corliss, Jr, Natalie Martin, Rita Lemma, Kevin Keegan, and all the sick of the parish.

Financial Reports

Weekend Collection
09/06/15: $18,930.50
09/07/14: $18,151.50

Parish Families Registered: 5,008
# Envelopes Mailed: 1,365
# Envelopes Used: 564
# Envelopes (09/07/14): 575

2015 Catholic Ministries Appeal
Serving God by Serving Others

Goal Amount: $109,100.00
Total Pledged: $122,233.00
Total Payments Received: $109,282.50
Total # of Donors: 542

Second Collection This Week
The Catholic University of America

Second Collection Next Week
St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility

The Week at a Glance

Sunday:
8:00 AM Blood Drive, School Cafeteria
1:30 PM Baptisms, Church
6:00 PM Pre-Cana Opening Prayer Service, Holy Family Chapel
7:30 PM Al-Anon Meeting, School Cafeteria

Monday:
7:00 PM CYO Basketball Registration, School Lobby
7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul Meeting, Rectory Meeting Room
8:00 PM Charismatic Prayer Group, Holy Family Chapel

Tuesday:
10:00 AM Prayer Shawl Meeting, Rectory Meeting Room
1:00 PM Friendly Seniors, Holy Family Chapel

Wednesday:
7:00 PM CYO Basketball Registration, School Lobby
7:00 PM RCIA, Seton Meeting Room, Convent
7:30 PM Al-Anon Meeting, Rectory Meeting Room
8:00 PM Choir Practice, Church

Thursday:
7:00 PM Bible Study, Rectory Meeting Room

Saturday:
9:00 AM St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School Car Wash, Bellmore Applebee’s
2:00 PM Girl Scout Religious Awards Workshop, School Cafeteria
12:30 PM Reconciliation, Church

Banngs of Marriage

Raymond Vecchione & Shannon Sanacora
Sean Pendergast & Tina DeLibro
Christopher Yorek & Andrea Fielding
Michael Desepoli & Danielle Cavallaro
Michael Merle & Catie Filangeri
Holy Family Chapel
10:15 AM Mass
Resumes NEXT Sunday
September 20th.

Family Music Ministry
If you are going into 2nd grade or higher and would like to join the
10:15 AM Family Mass Choir, please call the rectory and leave a
message for Sabina Lamb. Practices are on Tuesday at 7:00
PM in the Holy Family Chapel.

Choir Practice
The St. Barnabas Choir will begin
practice on Wednesday, September
16th at 8:00 PM in the Church.
New members welcome. For more
information call the rectory and ask
for Bill Dione.

Prayer Shawl Ministry
The St. Barnabas Prayer Shawl
Ministry knits or crochets shawls or
lap blankets for parishioners who
are in the hospital/nursing home or
suffering in some way, and who
might draw comfort from receiving
a prayer shawl. If you know of
anyone who would benefit from a
shawl or blanket, please contact Sr.
William at the Office of Christian
Formation at 785-0130 and we will
gladly provide you with one.
If you have any yarn to donate it
would be most appreciated.
Contact Pat Gillen at 826-1182 to
make arrangements for her to pick
it up or you can bring it to the
Rectory.
The next meeting of the Prayer
Shawl Ministry is Tuesday,
September 15th at 10:00 AM in the
Rectory.

Facebook
You can keep up with what’s going
on by liking our page, St. Barnabas
on Facebook.

First Grade Students
If your child is in first grade in September, now is the time to enroll
in Religious Education. Please see the Religious Education page of
the bulletin for enrollment information.

Catholic/Private School Students
Children attending Catholic or Private School must register with the
Religious Education Office, if they would like to receive their
sacraments at St. Barnabas.

Children Attending Catholic Schools
All Catholic School students are required to complete the
requirements for their sacraments and receive their sacraments in
their home parish. If you have not already done so please contact the
Office of Christian Formation to make sure we have you registered in
our system so that you don’t miss any important information.
Students in the 7th & 8th grade should look at the Religious
Education News page for important meeting dates.

Our Time
Our Time offers a variety of age-appropriate activities for two and
three-year-olds, such as arts and crafts, live music, story time,
playtime and prayer. The classes are conducted in a well-structured
classroom setting and taught by Sabina Lamb, Leader of Family
Music at St. Barnabas Church. The session is once a week from
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM during the months of September through June,
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. For more information call 781-9834. Brochures are available at the rectory.

To learn more about how you as catechists and teachers, as well as all
the baptized can, grow in knowledge and faith, visit the USCCB
website at: www.usccb.org/catecheticalsunday/.

Safeguarding the Dignity of
Every Human Person

Hemos de salvaguardar
la dignidad de toda persona

CATECHETICAL
SUNDAY
September 20, 2015

Facebook
Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Our Holy Father, Pope Francis, with great love and care for us all, calls us to experience God’s mercy especially during the Jubilee Year of Mercy which begins December 8, 2015.

Meantime he announced yesterday another concrete demonstration of his merciful care. He grants to all priests, during the Jubilee Year, the special faculty to absolve any woman who has procured an abortion from that sin. Any woman carrying that burden may seek release from the sin with forgiveness and reconciliation simply by going to a priest, confessing her sin and receiving, in return for her sorrow, the gift of absolution, freeing her definitively through this beautiful sacrament of God’s mercy, the sacrament of penance and reconciliation.

In our Diocese, all three of my predecessors and I have already given that special faculty to all our priests. Since 1957, any woman who has undergone an abortion and has confessed this sin in the past already has received the sacrament of divine mercy with full forgiveness for her sin and reconciliation to God and Christ’s Church. As our Holy Father says so movingly, *the forgiveness of God cannot be denied to anyone who has repented, especially when that person approaches the Sacrament of Confession with a sincere heart in order to obtain reconciliation with the Father.* My brother priests and I are eager to be God’s instruments during the Jubilee Year to welcome one and all to the Sacrament of God’s Mercy and to absolve any woman who comes to confess this sin with words of welcome, forgiveness, understanding as instruments of the merciful love the Father of Mercies.

May Mary, the Mother of Mercy, be the special protector and guide of all women in this Jubilee Year of Divine Mercy.

+Bishop William Murphy

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**Telecare for the Papal Trip**

All of the Pope’s Apostolic Journey to America will be covered live on Telecare, from touchdown in Washington D.C. to New York to lift off from Philadelphia, PA. Telecare is available on Optimum channel 29/137, Time Warner Cable channel 471, Verizon FiOS channel 296, and Charter Communications. Watch live on the website or on our app.

**World Meeting of Families Diocesan One Day Trip**

*Wednesday, September 23rd*

Seats are available for the One Day Diocesan Pilgrimage to the *World Meeting of Families* in Philadelphia. The cost is $20 for a seat on the Coach bus and each person must register separately. There is a $95 registration fee for adults and $25 for children (ages 6-17). Registration will take place upon arrival at the Convention Center. The pick up/drop off locations are: St. Agnes Cathedral, Rockville Centre at 6:15 AM & 9:00 PM or St. Matthew’s Parish, Dix Hills at 5:00 AM - 9:00 PM. For reservations and additional information visit www.drvc-faith.org.

**Diocesan Family Festival**

*Saturday, October 10th; 1.00 PM-5.00 PM*

*Immaculate Conception Seminary*

440 W. Neck Road, Huntington, NY

The day is for the entire family with breakout sessions for adults, youth and children, Eucharistic Adoration, Confession, games and crafts for the children and a keynote address by Fr. Joseph Fitzgerald. The day will conclude with a Vigil Mass celebrated by Bishop Murphy at 4:00 PM. There is no cost for this event. “The Family Fest” will allow the lay faithful and our clergy to come together in prayer, fellowship and fun to reintroduce the conversation of what exactly a vocation is,” said Fr. Fitzgerald, Director of Vocations. Visit www.drvc.org for updates.
Second Collection
This Weekend

The Catholic University Collection

The Catholic University of America, located in Washington D.C., is the national university of the Catholic Church in the United States. CUA offers students an excellent education in a faith-filled atmosphere that is grounded in the Catholic intellectual tradition. Some of our own diocesan priests have received education and have specialized in different ecclesiastical courses and are now serving our Diocese. Next week is the National Collection for the Catholic University of America. Every dollar given directly supports aid for students from dioceses across the country, including our diocese.

Next Weekend

The St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility Collection will take place in all parishes on September 19th & 20th. Our continued goal is to close the gap between the operating expenses at St. Pius X at Dominican Village and the current funding (provided by the Diocese and resident priests). Any monies received through this collection above and beyond the need for St. Pius X will be applied to the Priests’ Sickness, Disability and Retirement Fund.

Eucharistic Retreat Day

Sunday, September 27th; 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Seminary of the Immaculate Conception
440 West Neck Road, Huntington

Presented by Fr. Sean Davidson & Fr. David Nugent, The Missionaries of the Most Holy Eucharist. Come abide with Him on this day which includes Continental Breakfast & Lunch, Spiritual Meditations, Mass and Adoration, Confession and Individual Benedictions. There is a $30 offering (checks payable to The Seminary of the Immaculate Conception). Registration may be done by e-mailing MostHolyEucharist@gmail.com. Please include your name, email address, parish and home phone number. Registration through e-mail is preferred. For more information call (631)629-6514.

Engaged Encounter

Preparing for marriage? Engaged Encounter is an effective PreCana program designed to provide you with the tools for a successful marriage. Couples are given the opportunity to explore many aspects of their relationship through a series of presentations, writings and dialog. Our next weekend will be held at the Montfort Spirituality Center in Bay Shore on October 2nd-4th. For information and reservations call (631)563-1032 or visit www.engagedencounterli.org.

50th Anniversary Celebrations

Couples that have been married fifty years or more will be honored at liturgies on Sunday, October 4th, at the Church of St. Rose of Lima in Massapequa and on Sunday, November 8th at the Church of Christ the King in Commack. Both liturgies will begin at 2:30 PM. Registration forms may be obtained at the rectory and must be received by the Office of Worship by September 18th for the October 4th liturgy, and by October 23rd for the November 8th liturgy. There will be additional celebrations in the spring for those who may find that more convenient. Call 678-5800 ext. 207 for information.

Friendly Seniors

The next meeting of the Friendly Seniors will take place on Tuesday, September 1st at 1:00 PM in the Holy Family Chapel. Anyone 55 years or older are welcome.

Widows & Widowers

Join us for lunch at Stella’s Restaurant in Bellmore on Monday, September 14th at 1:00 PM (incorrect time in newsletter). The cost for lunch is $23. Please send payment to Joan Hill, 1712 Bucknell Dr., Massapequa, NY 11758. Please call Joan at 781-2931 if you have any questions. All are welcome.

Altar Server Training

Training is scheduled to begin in September. If you are in the 4th grade or higher, and would like to serve as an Altar Server, complete the form below and return it to Fr. Charles at the rectory. You may also call Fr. Charles at 785-0054 or email charlesomotu@yahoo.com.
Catholic High School Open Houses

Saturday, September 26th
11:00 AM - 1:30 PM  Our Lady of Mercy Academy
1:00 PM - 3:30 PM  St. Dominic’s H.S.

Sunday, September 27th
1:00 PM - 3:30 PM  St. Dominic’s H.S.

Saturday, October 3rd
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM  Kellenberg Memorial H.S.
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM  Sacred Heart Academy
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM  Chaminade H.S.

Sunday, October 4th
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM  St. Anthony’s H.S.

Sunday, October 18th
10:30 AM - 2:00 PM  St. John the Baptist H.S.
2:00 PM - 4:30 PM  St. Mary’s H.S.

The Catholic High School Entrance Exam
Saturday, October 31st
Begin your journey to the education of a lifetime. A Catholic High School education offers young people a challenging, value-centered liberal arts education. It also affords each student an opportunity to test abilities, add skills, build confidence and develop an understanding of faith, while preparing for college and life. For more information, contact the individual high school or the Catholic Secondary School Administrators at 739-5030.

Charity Bike Tour Event
Saturday, September 26th
The Bellmore Knights are sponsoring a Bike Tour of the South Shore to benefit the St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital. The day’s activities will end at the Bellmore Knights Council building with prizes and a BBQ. Your contribution is greatly appreciated. Make a donation at: www.fundraising.stjude.org/bellmoreknightsbiketour. For more information call Ken Yager at (917) 952-3603.

Protecting God’s People
Together we protect the children of God and all God’s people. As the signs in the subway say, “If you see something, say something” could well be the motto of our program to care for our children. The Diocesan Abuse hot line is 594-9063. For information on the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People you can contact Mary F. McMahon, LCSW at the diocesan office 678-5800 ext. 573 or our pastor.

Regis High School of Manhattan
Long Island Admissions Information Night
Wednesday, September 16th; 7:00 PM
St. Anthony’s Church, Oceanside

Regis High School Open House
Monday, October 12th; 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
55 East 84th Street, New York New York
For information on either event, contact Eric DiMichele, at (212)288-1100 ext. 2057 or email edimichele@regis.org.
Pray for Our Armed Forces

Keep in your prayers all the women and men who currently serve in our military.

**US Army:**
- General Paul Hurley
- PFC David Calame, Jr.
- First Lt. Nicole Gonzalez
- PFC Justin Oney
- Chaplain Spec Kevin A. Bauer
- Major Eric Reid
- SPC Andrew Crowley III
- Lt. Richard Joseph Holahan
- Capt. Robert Caraccio
- Major Benjamin H. Klimkowski
- Staff Sgt. Eric S. Loughran
- Staff Sgt. Christopher Price
- SPC Kieran Riordan
- Pvt. Derek Waller
- First Lt Marlene Dwyer

**Natl. Guard:**
- Major James McLean
- A1C James Mikowski
- Airman First Class Thomas Ruggiero

**US Navy:**
- STS Thomas Kerley
- Petty Off. ET3 Edward F. Faulkner
- SOCS Charles Metrango
- GM2 Brian Kopp
- Ensinal Brendan Connors
- HM3 Philip LeSueur
- MA2 Richard Kaercher
- ABH1 Nicolas Cuervo
- Richard E. Feldman, SR. Andrew Freire

**US Marines:**
- Sgt. William D. Loughran
- Sgt. William MacKenzie
- Major Luke T. Holian
- Gunnery Sgt. Scott Murray
- PFC Richard Kelley
- Corporal Joseph Finno
- LCPL Brendan Whelan
- PFC Ryan Baranek
- Pvt. Brian Hussey

**US Air Force:**
- Col. George E. Loughran
- Capt. McLean G. Bethea
- Nicholas P. Wright

**US Merchant Marine:**
- Ensinal Eric Stumpel

**US Coast Guard:**
- Ensinal Robert M. Scaduto, Jr.

Wanted Volunteer Drivers for Veterans

The Nassau County Veterans Service Agency located at 2201 Hempstead Turnpike, Building Q, East Meadow is seeking volunteers to transport residents to and from the Northport VA, East Meadow, Valley Stream and Hicksville Clinics. Nassau County will provide the vehicles. Monday - Friday from 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM, donate any time you have to give! Valid NYS drivers license is required. Please call the Veterans Service agency at 572-6526 for information.

Weekly Meetings

Al-Anon meets every Wednesday at 7:30 PM in the Rectory Meeting Room and every Sunday at 7:30 PM in the school cafeteria.

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**Prayer for Peace**

Lord Jesus Christ, who are called the Prince of Peace, Who are yourself our peace and our reconciliation, who so often said ‘Peace to you’, Grant us peace! Make all men and women witnesses of truth, justice and brotherly love. Banish from their hearts whatever might endanger peace. Enlighten our rulers that they may guarantee and defend the great gift of peace.

May all peoples of the earth become as brothers and sisters. May longed-for peace blossom forth and reign always over us all. AMEN

Mary, Queen of peace, Pray for us! (Pope Saint John XXIII)

Catholic Girl Scout Religious Awards

Groups are being formed for Catholic Girls Scouts in grades 7 to 10 interested in earning the Marian Award (Mary, the First Disciple) and those in grades 9 to 12 interested in earning the Spirit Alive award. For further information or to register please contact Joan Monastero at 783-8567 or you may e-mail Joan at monasteroj@verizon.net.

Girl Scout Religious Awards Workshops

Brownies in 2nd & 3rd grade and Junior Scouts wishing to work on the Girl Scout Religious awards are invited to join the workshops held once a month on Saturday afternoons in the school cafeteria beginning September 19th at 3:00 PM.

For pre-registration and/or information, please contact the following:
- Ave Maria Award - Joan Monastero, 783-8567 (2nd grade Brownies)
- Family of God Award - Pauline Schlenke, 785-5549 (3rd grade Brownies)
- I Live My Faith & Regina Coeli Awards - Judith Hughes, 781-8040.

Girl Scout Pray & Play Day
Saturday, September 26th
Our Lady of the Island Shrine, Eastport
Dear Brother Knight,

The Knights of Columbus is committed to assisting our Christian brothers and sisters who are suffering in the Middle East. At this year’s Supreme Convention, I announced a “Season of Truth” dedicated to raising awareness of their plight, and the plight of other religious minorities in the region.

The violence in the Middle East has led to many deaths and the greatest refugee crisis since WWII. Over four million people have been displaced. Among the most affected are Iraqi and Syrian Christians, who are the victims of ongoing systematic cleansing and persecution. While the Christian population in Iraq once numbered above a million, violence has reduced that number by more than 65%. This human catastrophe has drawn commentary from Pope Francis, who said this of the persecution:

Today we are dismayed to see how in the Middle East and elsewhere in the world many of our brothers and sisters are persecuted, tortured and killed for their faith in Jesus. In this third world war, waged piecemeal, ... a form of genocide is taking place.

As Knights of Columbus we cannot be part of what Pope Francis has called the “complicit silence” of many who hear of these atrocities and do nothing. We must act.

To date, we have donated more than $4 million to relief efforts in Iraq and Syria through the Knights of Columbus Christian Refugee Relief Fund. We have also launched a website and released a commercial to raise awareness of the crisis. However, more assistance is needed, as the response from the international community has been woefully inadequate.

Please go to christiansatrisk.org to learn more about this humanitarian emergency and to make a donation that will provide material assistance to these refugees. Please also consider sharing this message with your family and friends.

As Knights of Columbus, we are called to stand in solidarity with all those Christians around the world who are suffering from violent persecution, offering spiritual and material assistance to these victims of crimes against humanity. Please pray daily for our Christian brothers and sisters—for their perseverance in faith and hope, the improvement of their living conditions, and the restoration of peace in their land.

Thank you in advance for your prayers and support.

Vivat Jesus!

Carl Anderson  
Supreme Knight

Knights of Columbus  
1 Columbus Plaza  
New Haven, CT 06510  
(203) 752-4000
St. Barnabas Golf Outing

Join St. Barnabas the Apostle Parish by yelling “Fore!” at the Lido Golf Club on Friday, October 9th at the 14th Annual Monsignor Daniel Potterton Golf Outing.

Come for the day and bring a foursome. If you can’t join us for golf, join us for the cocktail reception and dinner.

To date $157,732 has been donated to St. Barnabas Parish through our golf outing. Thank you for your continued support of this wonderful event.

If you are unable to golf and would like to share in this day, you may do so by attending dinner, being a sponsor or taking a chance on the raffle tickets. Tickets for the raffle may be purchased at the rectory for $10 a piece or 3 tickets for $25.

The Day’s Activities

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$175 Fee Includes

- Breakfast
- Use of Driving Range
- Green Fees and Golf Cart
- Sandwich & Refreshment
- Cocktail Hour
- Dinners
- Golf Awards
- Locker Room Facilities

Please return this form to the rectory. Please make checks payable to St. Barnabas. For more information call the rectory at 785-0054.

St. Barnabas Golf Outing

$175 Individual Golfer

Golfer/Foursome

1. ____________________________________________
2. ____________________________________________
3. ____________________________________________
4. ____________________________________________

$ 80 Cocktails and Dinner Only (In case of bad weather) Phone #________________________
Christ has no body now but yours. No hands, no feet, on earth but yours.
Yours are the eyes through which he looks compassion on the world.
Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good.
Yours are the hands with which he blesses the world.
Yours are the hands. Yours are the feet.
Yours are the eyes. You are his Body.

(St. Teresa of Avila)

Please reflect on these beautiful words from St. Teresa of Avila, pray on them and PLEASE answer the call and volunteer to share your time and talents with the children of the parish in assisting with the Religious Education Program. Remember YOU are his hands, feet, eyes – YOU ARE HIS BODY - THE BODY OF CHRIST! Please answer HIS call!

Please don’t assume that someone will step forward to help – YOU are that someone. We are always in need of adults to help. Please consider helping by teaching a class, being a substitute, or helping by being a hall monitor, REMEMBER ALL VOLUNTEERS NEED TO ATTEND A VIRTUS TRAINING as well as have all the necessary volunteer forms submitted. If you have any questions on the VIRTUS training or need assistance finding a training session call Margie Lampert at the Office of Christian Formation 785-0130.

Thank you to the volunteers who answered our call to teach Kindergarten classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays!

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We are now on Facebook! We will now be able to post to Facebook so you will all be aware of what is going on in Religious Ed. as well as send out reminders and any changes to the calendar, and class cancellations! Please “LIKE” us on Facebook – St. Barnabas Religious Education.

Registration Information

We can NOT guarantee placement and/or that your registration will be processed in time to begin classes if your registration paperwork was not received by the Office of Christian Formation by Friday, September 11th!

You can read and download all materials from our website. Please go to www.stbarnabasny.org and click on the Religious Education website tab in the left side menu. Once in the Religious Education website click on “Registration Materials” to read and/or print out all the information and forms you need to register. **We do not accept e-mailed or faxed registration forms.** Please be sure to read the Registration Parent Letter and the Parent Handbook BEFORE you fill out the Registration Form. When you sign the Registration Form, you are agreeing to abide by all of the information presented in both the Handbook and on the Registration Form.

**Important Dates**

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**WEEK of September 28th Classes Begin!**
Hi everyone!
This is the page for St Barnabas Life Teen. I’m Peggy Harnisch your youth minister!!

Hi Everyone,

Today’s second reading, again from the letter of James, really calls us out for what we do. Sometimes we hear that all we need is to have faith and belief in God to be saved. James says that faith without works is dead. What does that mean? This reading explains that we have faith but do nothing about it, it is not enough. So what are the works this talks about?

I think we can start with the works of mercy. Sometimes teens think there isn’t much you can do, but let’s think about this. How about donating the clothes we don’t wear but could help someone else? If you have an allowance or a job, how about donating a small part of that to the poor?

I like to always go back to how we treat people around us. Do we take time to listen to others that may need to talk to someone? Do we help a new student feel comfortable in school? This reading just asks us to look at what we are doing as people of faith. We need to put our faith into action in our daily lives.

We’re getting ready to start the year! We’ll be meeting with teens this week and next to start up for this year. Part of what we do will be service projects to help where we can in the community. Thank about what you can do!

Have a blessed week!
~Peggy

Need info? Contact Peggy at:
StBarnabasYouthMinistry@gmail.com

Coming this Fall!!!
We're making big plans for
Youth Ministry!!

Dates to Remember
Friday, October 2nd - Middle School Night
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM
Friday, October 9th - Middle School Night
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM
Friday, October 23rd - Diocesan Kickoff-
St. Agnes - High School
Friday, October 30th - Halloween party
Middle and High School
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM
More dates to be added!!

Email Peggy for information!!
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