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

MASS TIMES
Monday to Friday: 6:30 AM and 9:00 AM
Saturday: 8:00 AM, Vigil: 4:30 PM & 7:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM & 5:00 PM
Confessions: Monday to Friday: after 9:00 AM Mass and Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM
Adoration of the Eucharist - Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (provided that there is no baptism or wedding).

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

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

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Sunday Readings Hymnal # 927
Ordinary Time Twenty-fifth Week

To place a notice in our Bulletin email stbapostle@gmail.com.
To place an advertisement on our cover call The Church Bulletin at (631) 249-4994.

Monday, September 23  Saint Pius of Pietreicina
6:30 AM  Fr. Anthony LaBau, S.J.
9:00 AM  Mary P. Stapleton, James Quaresima

Tuesday, September 24
6:30 AM  Barbara and Joseph Graziose
9:00 AM  Nancy Stabile

Wednesday, September 25
6:30 AM  Thelma Lavarez
9:00 AM  Living and Deceased Members of the Wupper and Robinson Families

Thursday, September 26
6:30 AM  Alan Guidice
9:00 AM  Mary and Patrick Stapleton

Friday, September 27  Saint Vincent de Paul
6:30 AM  Charlie and Ann Klika
9:00 AM  Patrick Stapleton

Saturday, September 28
8:00 AM  Charlie and Ann Klika
4:30 PM  Raymond Vogts, Patrick Stapleton, Casimir Rappa, Patricia Connors, Fletcher Gateley, Angela Polito
7:00 PM  Ashley Conte

Sunday, September 29  Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 AM  For the People of Our Parish
9:00 AM  Lauren Joseph Vizzo
10:15 AM  Neil Muenzen
10:30 AM  Maria and Luigi Balestriere
12:00 PM  Angelo and Palma Sorrano
5:00 PM  Dalia Morelli
You may have noticed at Mass that the hosts are a little different. They are actually made at the Carmelite Monastery in Brooklyn. These nuns make these hosts with great prayer and penance. They offer their lives to God in prayer, penance, and silence. They live a strict cloistered life. This means they don’t leave the monastery for any reason, other than for medical purposes or to be transferred to another monastery. In fact, they can only see their families at the monastery and they do so through a grill.

Years ago, high school students made a pilgrimage to visit them. One of the students asked “Doesn’t this feel like a prison?” The nun replied “No, actually the outside world feels like a prison. To us, the monastery is paradise.” It is paradise because everything in the monastery is ordered to encounter Jesus Christ.

If you think about it, our own parish church is like a little monastery. We can get away from the busy-ness and stress of worldly things and just go to Church to pray to Jesus in silence. These hosts that we now have for Mass are made with great love and prayer. How grateful we are for the Carmelite Nuns in Brooklyn and for our own Sisters of Charity who are united in prayer with us. Let us pray for their perseverance.

I would say one of the most beautiful ministries the Church provides is visiting the sick; especially giving Holy Communion to them. Just a month or two ago I had the wonderful opportunity to offer Mass at Belair Care Center. I found it deeply moving to pray with them.

Actually, we are in need of Eucharistic Ministers at Belair. If you are a Eucharistic Minister and you would like to help, please contact the rectory.

As a pastor and a parish priest I consider it is very important to visit the sick. If you have a loved one who is homebound or sick and would like a priest to visit them monthly to receive Holy Communion, please contact the rectory. The priests would be glad to help. Furthermore, I urge you to call a priest any time for an emergency to give the sacrament of anointing or the last rites of the Catholic Church. Please don’t hesitate to call us. The priest emergency number is 590-9981.

When Saint John Paul II would visit the sick, he not only told them that he, the Pope would be praying for them, but he also asked them to pray for him. He especially requested their prayers because the sick are united to Jesus through the cross in a very precious way.

In Jesus and Mary,
**We Pray for Our Deceased**  
Rose L. Fiore  
Sylvia Russo  
Evangeline Fortunato  
Suzanne L. Buttler  
Antonio Villanueva

**Sanctuary Lamp**  
Is lit in loving memory of Bernard O’Neil and Mary Murphy from Barbara O’Neil.

**Flowers on the Main Altar**  
Are offered in loving memory of Bill O’Malley on his 6th Anniversary, from his wife Eileen.

**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  Level 2 Parent Meeting, HFC  
7:00 PM  Level 2 Parent Meeting, HFC

**Wednesday:**  
7:00 PM  Parent Meeting - Levels 7 & 8, HFC  
7:00 PM  RCIA, Convent Room  
7:30 PM  Al-Anon, Rectory  
7:30 PM  Choir Practice, Church

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

**Saturday:**  
8:00 AM  Anointing, Church  
8:00 AM  Men’s Group, HFC

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

**Our Finances**  
9/15/19: $12,867  9/16/18: $13,414  
Parish Families Registered: 5,027  
Envelopes Mailed: 1,532  
Used: 9/15/19: 495  9/16/18: 506

**Special Collections**  
This Weekend - St. Pius X Enriched Living Facility for Retired Priests

**Catholic Ministries Appeal**  
Goal: $108,900  Donors: 397  
Pledged: $93,926  Received: $85,737

**HIS PRESENCE**  
continues among us
Declan Boyd Banke
Amelia Ciaravino
Audrey Gianna Kerns
Owen Thomas Kowalski
Brian Walker Boeckeler
Louise Grace Colucci
Liona Faye Denicker
Jack Dennis Italiano
Emmet Joseph Koyl
Brayden James McCormick
Bella Rae Messina
Eliana Rose Rezek
Samantha Mary Segot
Michael Rocco Bartoldus
Jack Charles Duran
Anthony Angelo Ferone
Magnolia Louise Murray
Ashton Hunter Martire
Giovanni Mazzeo
Lily Ruth McHale
Sarah Shea McNamee
Julian James Castelli
Sophia Velasquez
Hunter Charles Wolkiewicz
Briella Rose Quilambaqui
Jonathan Elliott Mifsud
James Vincent Alili
Natalie Astudillo
John Richard Hammond
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Giovanni Gagliardi
Robert Nicholas Iannuzzi
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Leonardo Matthew Pelliccia
Sebastian Peralta
Isabella Manticoff
Jacqueline Olivia Thomas
Camila Wilson
Julian Hunter Wong
We Welcome Our New Associate
Fr. Shaju Devassy, our new Associate Pastor will be arriving in October.

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

Blessing of the Animals - Saturday, October 5th
On Saturday, October 5th the Church honors St. Francis of Assisi, one of the most beloved personalities in Christian history, known for his delight in God’s creation. In celebration, we will have a Blessing of Animals on Saturday, October 5th at 1:30 PM in the parking lot behind the church. If you do intend to bring your pet, please be sure that they will not be able to get away from you during the brief service. This event is weather permitting.

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

- Monday - Jonathan Pham
- Tuesday - Jose Fernandez
- Wednesday - Joseph Krug
- Thursday - Joseph Catafago
- Friday - Joseph Lettieri
- Saturday - Louis Cona
- Sunday - Louis DeLouker

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

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

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

St. Barnabas Pre Cana Schedule

Foccus Review: September 23rd - 27th
In-home Sessions: September 30th - Nov 1st
Closing: November 3rd

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

Worldwide Marriage Encounter
God has entrusted your spouse to your care. Show that you are trustworthy in that care by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are November 8th - 10th, and January 31st - February 2nd, 2020 in Huntington. For more information, call John and Toni Torio at (877) 697-9963 or visit them at wwmenyli.org.

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

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

Parish Bereavement Group
This Fall, our Bereavement Support Group will meet on Tuesday evenings beginning October 1st at 7:30 PM in the Rectory Meeting Room. This is an eight week program, conducted by trained facilitators. If you have experienced the loss of a spouse, please consider joining us and know that you are most welcome. The grieving process is
often made easier by sharing with others who have been through the same experience. For additional information, call Alice Witt at Social Ministry, 785-6243.

Sharing Christ at St. Barnabas

*Sharing Christ* at St. Barnabas has been scheduled for six consecutive Tuesday nights - October 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th, and November 5th from 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM. The last session is the retreat, which will be held on November 16th from 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM. All sessions and the retreat will be held in the Holy Family Chapel. The sessions are open to anyone who attended *Following Christ*. An email with more information was sent out last week to those who attended the *Following Christ* sessions. Please let us know whether you will be attending by calling the rectory or by sending us an email at sharingchrist2019@gmail.com. We look forward to you joining us as we embark on the last stage of our ChristLife journey.

Girl Scout Pray and Play Day

Saturday, September 28th from 10:00 AM - 2:30 PM at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Island in Eastport. Gather with Girl Scouts for a day of prayer, handicrafts and fun. Contact 678-5800, ext. 245 or scouting@drvc.org for information.

Knights Korner

*Annual Bike Ride* - The 6th Annual St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital event is Saturday, September 28th. This is the last opportunity to donate online. Go to www.walkrun.stjude.org/bellmoreknights2019. Go to donate and pick up one of the team members to donate. Thank you for your support. Ken Yager, Grand Knight.
Ladies Auxiliary Membership Drive

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

St. John the Baptist Homecoming 5K Race

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

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Prudent decisiveness that this gospel recommends means that we recognize that all our choices in daily living are really choices for eternal life. We honestly try to live good lives. When opportunities present themselves to act in a Christian way, most of us respond appropriately most of the time. This gospel challenges us to take this one step further. With an eye to the future, we must surrender ourselves to searching out opportunities to live the paschal mystery. Admission into heaven is something money cannot buy. The only currency that has any value to secure our entrance is that of love. In a world where so many things can be bought with money, often our minds center more on money than upon love. What Jesus is trying to tell us is that money is a good servant but a bad master. There is such an urgency about discipleship that we cannot be passive in any way. Just as Jesus did all He needed to do to make His message known, so must we be as proactive in our own discipleship. Please support the St. Vincent de Paul Friends of the Poor Walk/Run being held on Saturday, September 28th at Bethpage Community Park, 1001 Stewart Avenue, Bethpage State Park. Thank you.
Catholic School Open Houses

- Sacred Heart Academy, Hempstead - Saturday, September 28th from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM.
- St. Anthony’s High School, South Huntington - Sunday, September 29th from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM.
- Kellenberg Memorial High School, Uniondale - Saturday, October 5th from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM.
- Chaminade High School, Mineola - Saturday, October 5th from 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM.
- St. Dominic High School, Oyster Bay - Sunday, October 6th from 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM.

Focus on Religious Freedom

*NYS Proposes to Deny Religious and Private Schools Control Over Curriculum*: While 30 states presently dictate the content of teaching core academic subjects (Science, English, Social Studies, Math) for religious and private schools, NY State has proposed a version of control that includes a much wider range of subjects and much more oversight. The proposed NYS Law, S6589, known as “Substantially Equivalent Instruction for Nonpublic School Students,” would require public school administrators to oversee private schools within their border, whether or not their own schools are achieving academic proficiency, and would unconstitutionally force compelled speech, content discrimination, and viewpoint discrimination. Leaders of Jewish, Catholic and other private schools explain that they already undergo accreditation by groups such as the NYS Association of Independent Schools. “Our schools go through a very thorough process, the gold standard of accreditation,” said the Association Director. “To do anything in addition is
redundant, unfunded and doesn’t make sense.”
“The proposed regulations disregard the long history of success demonstrated by private schools across NY State, they undermine the choices made by parents who choose private schools for their children, and they substitute the education bureaucracy in Albany for the private school leadership sought by parents and students,” wrote Parents For Educational & Religious Liberty in Schools (PEARLS). Kellenberg Catholic H.S. Principal, Bro. Kenneth M. Hoagland S.M., wrote, “NYS Education Dept. (NYSED) is attempting to drastically expand its authority over non-public schools... (Catholic schools) have always maintained a comprehensive educational program, equal or superior to the program of studies dictated by the NYSED. Under the proposal the (local school district) would oversee...lesson plans, testing scores, report cards and the like...No public school should have the authority to oversee our academic program.” The immediate targets of the regulations are 39 Yeshivas that, for religious reasons, reject much of secular education and teach mostly in Yiddish rather than English. Many Jewish leaders see this law as a violation of religious rights, a threat to the traditional religious focus of their schools. The Catholic School Administrators Association of NYS argue that “the oversight of Catholic Schools by a (public school local district) is a clear conflict of interest and the proposed regulations are ill conceived and unacceptable.”

The Men of the Way of Light
In a recent experiment to test the theory that people who go to church are more honest than people who do not, several wallets were placed on the ground at different locations outside of a church’s entrance to see what would happen as people exited. In every case the wallet was taken to the church office. A similar experiment was tried outside of a busy office complex. Several times the wallet was picked up and kept without any attempt to find the owner. The conclusion was that churchgoers are more honest. Hopefully so! But it would have also provided useful insight to determine if those people who kept the wallet also participated in a local church. Unfortunately, many professed Christians do live life with a split personality, behaving one way when surrounded by other believers and behaving another way when not. It is this duality of life that Jesus speaks of in this week’s Gospel reading when He says, “You cannot serve God and mammon.” Many of us don’t believe Jesus on this point and try to serve both, but we get torn apart in the process. The point Jesus is making is that if someone is honest and faithful in the little things, they will be honest and faithful when given bigger responsibilities. If someone has no qualms about cutting corners on the little things in life we should not be surprised if they cut corners on the more important things of life when it comes to honesty and faithfulness. How many of us return to the clerk when we are given too much change? Your response to be faithful and honest in little opportunities indicates your inclination towards faithfulness and honesty regarding bigger things. During this time of rampant dishonesty and unfaithfulness, where we are often the victim of
another’s dishonesty, why not just keep it? Won’t it simply even out the times we were short-changed by someone else’s dishonesty? You know the old saying, “Finders-keepers, losers-weepers.” Isn’t it okay to simply be a keeper sometimes? The answer to all these questions is, “No!” There is only one reason not to embrace this worldly philosophy; our love and desire to please our faithful Savior. If our motive is to serve God, we will serve Him even in the little things. We honor Him by our behavior whether we are observed by others or not. We can be assured that we are always observed by Him, and that He will see our faithfulness and honesty as our expression of our love for Him. We cannot love God and mammon, so let’s love God by being faithful. (Condensed from Emmaus Journey Reflections) Leading a dual Christian/secular life? Want to break free? Join us at our next meeting on Saturday, September 28th, 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.

Mass for Deceased Children
Join us for the 31st Annual Mass for Deceased Children at St. Agnes Cathedral in Rockville Centre on Saturday, November 16th at 12:30 PM.

Long Island Coalition for Life
Stand up for Life on Sunday, October 6th from 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM (rain or shine). Please join us in Huntington at Routes 110 & 25 (near the Whitman Mall) or in Manorville, LIE exit 70S, on Country Road 111. This rally is part of a nationwide family friendly event, held at more than 1,550 cities across the USA and Canada. Only approved signs are allowed. These signs are available at the site; you don’t have to bring anything. Come as you are, come with a friend or the whole family. You can come for part of the time or the full 90 minutes. Know by your presence you help save a life. There is strength in unity. All pro-life believers are welcome! For more information contact AOH11@Live.com.

Sisters of St. Dominic Gala
The Dominican Gala will be held on Friday, October 25th, at the Crest Hollow Country Club, to benefit the ministries of our Sisters. Our 2019 Veritas Award Recipient is President of Molloy College, Dr. Drew Bogner. This year we wish to honor the leaders of our four sponsored ministries with the St. Catherine of Siena Award: Paul Wasser, CEO and President of Dominican Village; Elizabeth Keihm, Executive Director of
Homecoming Farm; Gillian Kessinger, Executive Director of Opening Word; and Susan Nicoletti, Principal of St. Agnes Academic High School. Tickets are $300 each. For further information about our silent auction, 50/50 raffle or a listing in the 2019 Dominican Gala Journal, please contact Susan Jappel at (631) 842-6000, ext. 246.

Life Center Dinner Dance
Please join us for the Life Center of Long Island Annual Dinner Dance, featuring Guest Speaker Terry Beatley and Distinguished Honorees the Pro Bikers for Life. The Dinner Dance is Friday, September 27th from 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM at the Muttontown Club, 5933 Northern Blvd., East Norwich. Tickets are $150 each or $100 for students. In addition to attending, you can also participate in our Annual Dinner Dance Sweepstakes. Remember: You need not be present to take part! Our Sweepstakes form is available on our website - www.lifecenterli.org. Please RSVP by Thursday, September 19th. For information, please contact Cindy at 798-8746.

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

St. Barnabas Alumni
St. Barnabas Class of 1979 is having a school Get Together on Saturday, October 5th. Mass at 4:30 PM, followed by dinner at the Wantagh Inn at 6:30 PM. If interested for dinner, see our FaceBook event page or email momann@verizon.net.

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

Religion and Rock
Tune into “Religion and Rock” with Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sundays from 7:00 AM - 8:00 AM on WBAB 102.3 FM or 95.3 FM on Long Island’s East End. Listen on Saturdays at 11:00 PM on Sirius Radio, Channel 159, the Catholic Channel and at 11:00 PM on XM Satellite, Channel 117. To listen online or receive more information regarding Religion and Rock, go to www.ReligionandRock.com or at “Religion & Rock” on ITUNES. Don’t forget to tune into the Catholic Faith Network on Cablevision 29, Verizon FIOS 296 or Time Warner 471 or visit www.cfntv.org.
Regular Sacrificial Giving
Contribute to St. Barnabas with on-line banking and bill paying services. Call the rectory to request the service. Send a check to St. Barnabas with a weekly donation indicated. Include your Name, Address & Envelope Number.

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

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

**Monday Classes** - start October 7th
**Tuesday Classes** - start October 15th
**Wednesday Classes** - start October 16th
**Thursday Classes** - start October 10th

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

**IMPORTANT DATES - SEPTEMBER**

- **Level 2 Parent Meeting** - Tuesday, September 24th either 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM OR 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM in the Holy Family Chapel. We will be discussing your child’s First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

Meetings are offered twice for each topic - you only need to attend one per topic.

**IMPORTANT DATES - OCTOBER**

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

Grade level books and calendars will be handed out to the students when they come for their first class.
Holy Hour for Vocations to Religious Life and the Priesthood

Called to Holiness

“The world offers you comfort, but you were not made for comfort. You were made for greatness!”
— Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

09.27.19
7-10PM

Chaminade High School
Darby Auditorium
340 Jackson Avenue
Mineola, New York 11501

Questions? Email sballetta@chaminade-hs.org or call 516-742-5555 x 534

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MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

You may have experienced the gift of our Ministry of Consolation. These are volunteers who assist families in preparation for a funeral of a loved one. We meet with the family to help choose readings, hymns and gather other information for the funeral Mass. At the funeral Mass we welcome, help with seating and are there with the boxes of tissues where needed. We are in great need of new volunteers. If you are interested, phone the Rectory Office, 785-0054. Thank you.
If you wish to arrange a baptism, please contact the rectory at 785-0054. Once your request is received you will be invited to meet one of the priests. This meeting offers parents an opportunity to review the baptism ceremony and set the date. The meeting is more conversational than instructional. Forms need to be completed giving information on the parents, child’s date and place of birth, as well as the names and religious affiliation of the sponsors. At least one sponsor must be a practicing Catholic.

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

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

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

Available Dates

September:
Sunday: 29

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

November:
Saturday 2, 16,
Sunday 17, 24

December:
Saturday 7, 14
Sunday 1, 15
Jesus said, “You cannot serve both God and money.”

Follow the numbers through the maze to choose God. Trace the letters.

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Choose God

The manager knew he would need friends to help him after he lost his job. So he told people they could pay less than what they actually owed his master.

The manager was not …

Connect the dots.

A B C D E F G 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

TRUSTWORTHY

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What is one thing this parable teaches us?

Start at the * and follow the arrows, writing down the letters.

The Parable of the Shrewd Manager

Jesus told His disciples, “There was a rich man whose manager was accused of wasting his possessions.” What did the rich man say to him?

Use the money code to find the answer.

- A = 92
- B = 91
- C = 82
- D = 81
- E = 72
- F = 71
- G = 62
- H = 61
- I = 52
- J = 51
- K = 42
- L = 41
- M = 32
- N = 31
- O = 22
- P = 21
- Q = 12
- R = 11
- S = 10
- T = 9
- U = 8
- V = 7
- W = 6
- X = 5
- Y = 4
- Z = 3
- M = 2
- N = 1

What did the manager do next?

Use the code to fill in the blanks.

The master commended the manager for being shrewd. Find other words that mean the same as shrewd.

Write the name of each picture. The letters in the boxes spell the answer.

1. 

2. 

3. 

4. 

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"For there is one God and one mediator between God and human beings, Christ Jesus, Himself human."

Connect the dots:
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15

God Wants All to Be Saved
Paul urges us to say prayers for everyone, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in holiness.

Match the pictures.

"God ... wants all people to be saved ..."

Follow the dotted lines.

"... and to come to a knowledge of the truth."

Use the code to fill in the missing letters.

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