

The Cathedral of St. Agnes

Rockville Centre, New York

1.29.23



Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON | FOUNDRSS OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN THE UNITED STATES
FEAST DAY: JANUARY 4

HOLY MASS

SUNDAY

7AM, 8AM, 9:30AM, 10:30AM (Lower Hall, not celebrated in Summer)
11AM, 12:30PM, 5PM

SATURDAY

5PM, 7:30PM (Lower Hall)
7:30PM (Spanish)

WEEKDAYS

6:30AM, 7:45AM, 9AM (not on Saturdays)
12:10PM (not on Saturdays), 7:30PM (Monday)

HOLY DAYS

Eve of Holy Day: 5PM, 7:30PM (Spanish)
Holy Day: 6:30AM, 7:45AM, 9:00AM, 12:10PM, 7:30PM

OUR PARISH

29 Quealy Place, Rockville Centre, NY 11570
(516) 766-0205 | parishoffice@stagnescathedral.org

CLERGY

Bishop

Most Reverend John O. Barres, D.D., S.T.D., J.C.L.

Bishop Emeritus

Most Reverend William F. Murphy, D.D., S.T.D.

Rector

Very Rev. Michael F. Duffy

Associate Pastors

Rev. Alessandro da Luz, S.T.L.

Rev. Cletus Nwaogwugwu – Comunidad Hispana

Rev. Anthony Twum

In Residence

Rev. Matthew Browne, S.T.L.

Rev. Lachlan Cameron, S.T.L.

Rev. German Villabon, O.S.A.

Weekend Assistants

Rev. Patrick Flanagan, C.M.

Very Rev. James Kuroly

Permanent Deacons

Deacon Andrew Ciccaroni

Deacon Thomas McDaid

STAFF

Religious Education

Anne Nelson, *Administrator*
anelson@stagnescathedral.org (516) 678-2306

Outreach

Sr. Kathleen P. Murphy, O.P.
(516) 678-1854

Music

Michael Bower, *Director*
Maura Goodwin, *Associate Director*
(516) 764-9578

Facilities Manager

Patrick O'Brien

SCHOOL

70 Clinton Avenue, Rockville Centre, NY 11570
Phone: (516) 678-5550 | Fax: 516-678-0437

Cecilia St. John, *Principal*
Mary Brower, *Assistant Principal*

OFFICE HOURS

Rectory

Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
(closed for lunch 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.)

Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Emergencies anytime

*Religious Education**

Tuesday-Thursday 10:00am-4:00pm

*Outreach**

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

*Offices located in the Parish Ministry Building
(corner of N. Village Ave and Quealy Pl)

CATHEDRAL HOURS

As a reminder to parishioners and visitors alike, the Cathedral is open Monday through Friday from 6:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. On weekends it is open until the completion of that day's final Mass. The Adoration Chapel (Clinton Ave. entrance) is open Monday - Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. On Sundays it will open following the 7:00 a.m. Mass and remain open until 6:00 p.m.

	<p>Joseph M. Capo, M.D. • Henry C. De Balasi, M.D. Joseph A. Capo, M.D. Steven Kushnick, M.D. • Shira Koss, M.D. Kristine Colleluori • Theresa Provetto, RPA-C</p> <p>Ear, Nose & Throat • Head & Neck Surgery Facial Plastic Surgery • Allergy Most Insurance Plans Accepted</p> <p>165 North Village Ave. Suite 117, Rockville Center www.entnassau.com 516-764-1055</p>	 <p>Exceptional care. Personalized support. Inspired by you.</p> <p>(866) MY-LI-DOC chsli.org</p>	<p>DENISE L. EMMA, DDS Orthodontist Where Friends Send Their Friends Free Consultation 516.741.7970 70 Seventh Street, Garden City www.doctoremma.com</p>
--	--	---	--

THE GOLDEN REEF
Restaurant - Diner
Fresh Seafood - Chops
The Place For The Hungry Fisherman
329 SUNRISE HIGHWAY

Monaghan's
Bar - Restaurant
Call for Parties 764-6372
48 No. Village Ave., RVC

Seven Brothers
GOURMET FOOD MARKET
Complete Catering Service Since 1972
Oceanside 678-5999
2831 Long Beach Rd (next to PIP Printing)
ample parking in the back of the store

Firesside Catholic Heritage Edition Bible

The Catholic Heritage Edition in the New American Bible Revised Edition translation is the ideal Catholic Family Bible.

Features: Our Catholic Family, Family Record section and Burgundy padded cover with gold-gilded page edges.

Only \$79.99 post paid

C/O The Church Bulletin, Inc.
200 Dale Street • W. Babylon, NY 11704

Enclosed please find check/money order for \$ _____ to cover the cost of _____ (quantity) copies of the Firesside Family Bible, to be shipped post paid to:

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____
Zip _____

PIONEER HAIR DESIGNERS
"Specialists in Hair Cutting For The Whole Family"
114 North Park Ave., RVC
Jose (516) 764-4041

At Ocean Financial, our members' financial well-being is at the heart of everything we do!

Ocean Financial Federal Credit Union
Catholic Values You Can Bank On®

Speak with a Member Contact Representative today to learn more about how we can help you.

516.620.8100 • OceanFinancial.org
Oceanside Branch 415 Atlantic Avenue Oceanside, NY 11772
Seafood Branch 4050 Merrick Road Seafood, NY 11783

Owner, Ralph Yovino
N & M COMPLETE Auto Repair Inc.
Towing Service • Elec. Systems • Inspections • Brakes
Tune Ups • Front End • Emissions Tests • Pick Up & Deliver
2431 Long Beach Rd., Oceanside, NY (3 blocks S. Merrick Rd.)
(516) 766-3380 fax (516) 766-0372 nmauto@mrpcusa.net

RVC Optometric Associates, P.C.
Quality, professional, personalized eyecare
Diana Grishina, O.D.
David Leibstein, O.D.
Jack Facchin, O.D.
282 Sunrise Hwy., RVC
516-678-6313

Serving our Community over 50 years
2914 Lincoln Ave. Oceanside
516-536-2300 Renew. Restore. Recover.

Newly Renovated Short Term Rehabilitation
837.8398

TIRE TOWN
AUTOMOTIVE CENTER
Serving our Community over 70 Years
Major Brand Tires
766-3008
236 North Long Beach Rd., Rockville Centre

Better Home Health Care Agency, Inc.
Providing In-Home Personal Care and Health Aides for over 20 Years
Because...there's no place like home

Nassau/Suffolk 516.763.3260
Manhattan 212.682.5900
Brooklyn/Queens 718.263.3999

www.betterhomecare.com

TERRY ANIMAL HOSPITAL
PAUL PERRIER, D.V.M., P.C.
JOHN FOY, D.V.M.
3 Washington St. RVC, NY 11570
(516) 764-2880

APM O'Neill & Sons
ASPHALT • PAVING • MASONRY
"When Second Best Just Won't Cut It!"
15% OFF ANY JOB
www.APMoneill.com
631-480-3238

FREE ESTIMATES!
Asphalt • Driveways • Paving • Steps • Aprons
Brick Edges • Sidewalks • Stone Veneer
Belgian Blocks • Block Walls • Stone Walls
Concrete Walks • Blue Stone • Gravel
Walkways • Stoops & Railings • Stucco
Fencing • Cultured Stone • Parking Lots
Chimneys • Drainage Work • Water Proofing

The Biblical coin from Scripture...
Maccabean Kings
Widow's Mite NGC

- This is the famed Widow's Mite mentioned IN the Bible!
- Over 2,000 years old
- Exclusive Coins of the Bible label featuring an image of The Last Supper
- Certified Authentic by NGC®, the leader in Ancient Coin Certification
- Accompanied by a story card and Certificate of Authenticity

Only \$99 each
CALL US AT: 1-888-355-1587
WWW.BULLIONSHARKS.COM

Crystal Brook Resort
In the Picturesque Northern Catskills
Family friendly resort serving
Delicious German-American cuisine.
Comfortable cozy rooms, CCTV, Wi-Fi
Summer & Fall weekends, hiking trails to waterfalls,
Sightseeing thru the mountains.

518-622-3751 info@CrystalBrook.com

Thinking about lower property taxes?
Get Results. Sign Up Today!

MAIDENBAUM
THE LEADER IN PROPERTY TAX REDUCTION
Apply online at mptrg.com/bulletins
or call 516.715.1223
Hablamos Español

764-0434 678-5117
Dr. David Karpe, DPM
House Calls Available • Podiatric Medicine
Podiatric Surgery
176 N. Village Ave., Suite 1D

Crystal Brook Resort
In the Picturesque Northern Catskills
Family friendly resort serving
Delicious German-American cuisine.
Comfortable cozy rooms, CCTV, Wi-Fi
Summer & Fall weekends, hiking trails to waterfalls,
Sightseeing thru the mountains.

518-622-3751 info@CrystalBrook.com

Thinking about lower property taxes?
Get Results. Sign Up Today!

MAIDENBAUM
THE LEADER IN PROPERTY TAX REDUCTION
Apply online at mptrg.com/bulletins
or call 516.715.1223
Hablamos Español

764-0434 678-5117
Dr. David Karpe, DPM
House Calls Available • Podiatric Medicine
Podiatric Surgery
176 N. Village Ave., Suite 1D

Crystal Brook Resort
In the Picturesque Northern Catskills
Family friendly resort serving
Delicious German-American cuisine.
Comfortable cozy rooms, CCTV, Wi-Fi
Summer & Fall weekends, hiking trails to waterfalls,
Sightseeing thru the mountains.

518-622-3751 info@CrystalBrook.com

Thinking about lower property taxes?
Get Results. Sign Up Today!

MAIDENBAUM
THE LEADER IN PROPERTY TAX REDUCTION
Apply online at mptrg.com/bulletins
or call 516.715.1223
Hablamos Español

764-0434 678-5117
Dr. David Karpe, DPM
House Calls Available • Podiatric Medicine
Podiatric Surgery
176 N. Village Ave., Suite 1D

Crystal Brook Resort
In the Picturesque Northern Catskills
Family friendly resort serving
Delicious German-American cuisine.
Comfortable cozy rooms, CCTV, Wi-Fi
Summer & Fall weekends, hiking trails to waterfalls,
Sightseeing thru the mountains.

518-622-3751 info@CrystalBrook.com

Thinking about lower property taxes?
Get Results. Sign Up Today!

MAIDENBAUM
THE LEADER IN PROPERTY TAX REDUCTION
Apply online at mptrg.com/bulletins
or call 516.715.1223
Hablamos Español

764-0434 678-5117
Dr. David Karpe, DPM
House Calls Available • Podiatric Medicine
Podiatric Surgery
176 N. Village Ave., Suite 1D

764-0434 678-5117
Dr. David Karpe, DPM
House Calls Available • Podiatric Medicine
Podiatric Surgery
176 N. Village Ave., Suite 1D

#223 FOR ADVERTISING: THE CHURCH BULLETIN INC. 200 DALE ST., W. BABYLON, NY 11704 631-249-4994 • www.thechurchbulletininc.com • geosk@aol.com

JOSEPH R. NOLL

ROGER H. SMITH

MICHAEL J. NOLL

MACKEN MORTUARY

766-3300

52 CLINTON AVENUE
(DIRECTLY BEHIND ST. AGNES)

Life Remembered

WWW.MACKENMORTUARY.COM
FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK/TWITTER

FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED SINCE 1909

Premier Printing
of Long Island
FOR ALL YOUR PRINTING NEEDS

- Wedding Books
- Save the Dates
- Invitations
- Envelopes
- Thank You Cards
- Color Flyers
- Birth Announcements
- Brochures
- Christmas Cards

Call or email us for a free quote today!
631-213-2128
premierprintingll@gmail.com

STATE FARM INSURANCE
DIANE MCGRATH, AGENT
Bus. (516) 678-8282
75 North Park Avenue, Rockville Centre

WHISTLE STOP DESSERTS
A FULL LINE DESSERT COMPANY
Specialty Cakes, Sheet Cakes ~ LI's #1 Cheesecake
3424 LAWSON BLVD., OCEANSIDE 536-8526
whistlestopdesserts.com

N.Y.S. Licensed (516) 238-1251
Patrick Vitale, LCSW-R, ACSW
INDIVIDUAL, COUPLE & FAMILY THERAPY
100 NORTH VILLAGE AVENUE SUITE 27 ROCKVILLE CENTRE, NY 11570
51 MERRICK AVENUE SUITE 130 MERRICK, NY 11566

Front Street Bakery
51 Front St., Rockville Centre
(516) 766-1199

House of Carpets, Inc.
www.vshouseofcarpets.com
493 Atlantic Ave., Oceanside
(516) 872-6060 Fax (516) 872-1806
vs carpet@aol.com
Ray Tesar, President

516.442.5858
STEWART MANOR COUNTRY CLUB
Under New Ownership • Newly Renovated
Catering For All Occasions
51 Salisbury Ave. Stewart Manor
516.328.7540
John Parks, President James Patrol, General Manager

516.442.5859
VULCANO 081
Neopolitan Wood Fired Bistro and Bar
43 North Village Ave.
Communion Private Parties Confirmations

DR. JOSEPH G. BACIGALUPO
General Dentistry
121 Inghram Blvd., Hempstead
483-1380

(516) 634-2560
KeyFood
QUALITY
Come enjoy our "old fashioned" customer service
399 Ocean Ave., Cor of Sunrise Hwy., RVC

THOMAS A. GLYNN & SON FUNERAL HOME

Caring for Communities.
Celebrating Lives.



Owned and Operated by the Glynn Family

Thomas A. Glynn ~ John J. Glynn

516-766-4700

www.glynnfh.com

20 Lincoln Ave Rockville Centre

Conveniently Located with Large on Site Parking Available

Emile's Candies
Handmade on the premises since 1954
229 Merrick Road • Oceanside
(516) 766-4402 Fax (516) 766-4835

Assisi Veterinary Hospital
Internal Medicine, Surgery
& Emergency Medicine Pet Grooming and Boarding Available
250 Hempstead Avenue Malverne
516-256-0022
www.assisivh.com
Parishioners 5% off for Church Parishioners w/AD
Exclusions may apply

Celebrating **94 YEARS**
ATLANTIC
NURSERY - GARDEN SHOP - LANDSCAPING
www.atlanticnursery.com
250 Atlantic Avenue, Freeport
(516) 378-7357

TRIPLE M
PROFESSIONAL PAINTING
516-395-6390
FREE Estimates
Interior & Exterior Specialist
Family Owned & Operated Over 35 Years

RADIGAN'S
PUB AND CASUAL DINING
1094 Long Beach Rd., South Hempstead
516-486-9127
Brunch Sat. & Sun. 10-2
Open 7 Days - 4-9pm

OSI
COMFORT SPECIALISTS
Comfort You Can Count On
Help Wanted-Parts Warehouse Manager
Manage stock and inventory, receive deliveries
Knowledge of plumbing and heating parts required
Full or part time available- perfect for a retiree
516-763-1400
www.osicomfort.com

FD FLOOR DECOR
HOME & DESIGN
456 Sunrise Highway
Rockville Centre
516.764.4466
CARPET | TILE | WOOD | VINYL
FURNITURE | WALLPAPER
WINDOW TREATMENTS | KITCHENS | BATHS
YOUR ONE STOP SHOP FOR EVERYTHING INTERIOR!
THANK YOU TO THE COMMUNITY FOR KEEPING US IN BUSINESS FOR 40 YEARS

GOT PRO-LIFE INFO? CHECK OUT ProlifeED.org

90 N. Village Ave, RVC
516-678-4550
Open 7 Days We Deliver
Catering for All Occasions
GRECKTOWN
ESTABLISHED 1968
AUTHENTIC GREEK KITCHEN

ALLYN N.Y., INC.
OIL HEAT SERVICE
(516) 379-2727
• Cap Pricing • COD Available • Full Service • Installations
WWW.ALLYSERVICES.COM

Towers
FUNERAL HOME INC.
2681 Long Beach Rd Oceanside
(516) 766-0425
www.towersfuneralhomeny.com

Est. 1933
Towers
FUNERAL HOME INC.
2681 Long Beach Rd Oceanside
(516) 766-0425
www.towersfuneralhomeny.com

Est. 1933
Towers
FUNERAL HOME INC.
2681 Long Beach Rd Oceanside
(516) 766-0425
www.towersfuneralhomeny.com
Family Owned and Operated

GO NUTS FOR SWEETS
84B N. Village Ave.
Rockville Centre
(opposite St. Agnes Cathedral)
516-548-7131
www.GoNutsRVC.com
Cakes, Pastries, Desserts, Drinks,
Chocolate, Truffles, Pretzels,
Bubble Teas, Cereal Bar, Nuts,
Over 200 Different Candies

#223 FOR ADVERTISING: THE CHURCH BULLETIN INC., 200 DALE ST., W. BABYLON, NY 11704-1104 (631) 249-4994 • www.thechurchbulletininc.com • geosk@aol.com

SACRAMENTS

Confession

Saturday, Eve of Holy Day, and Eve of First Friday from 4:00 to 4:45 p.m. Monday Evening following 7:30 p.m. Mass. Wednesday Morning following the 7:45 a.m. Mass and the 12:10 p.m. Mass. Monday to Friday – following the 6:30 a.m. Mass and every Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m. (Spanish) in the Cathedral.

Baptism

Once a month on Saturday at 12:30 p.m. and on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 1:45 p.m. Contact the Rectory Office to arrange for interview, ceremony and registration for required Baptism Preparation Class (for first time parents). Spanish Baptisms take place before the 7:30 p.m. Spanish Mass on Saturday evening. Please call the Rectory Office for more information.

Marriage

Arrangements should be made at least 12 months in advance and prior to making reception plans. Call the Rectory for an appointment with the priest you wish to witness your wedding. All couples are required to attend Pre-Cana.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Priests and Extraordinary Ministers of Communion are available to bring Holy Communion to parishioners confined to home. Please call the Rectory Office to make arrangements. Those who are seriously ill should request a priest for Anointing of the Sick.

Visit the Sacraments page at www.stagnescathedral.org for more information.



LIVE STREAM REQUEST

We are now able to stream personal services such as weddings and funerals.
For more information, please call the rectory at (516) 766-0205.

STAY CONNECTED



www.stagnescathedral.org



@stagnescathedral

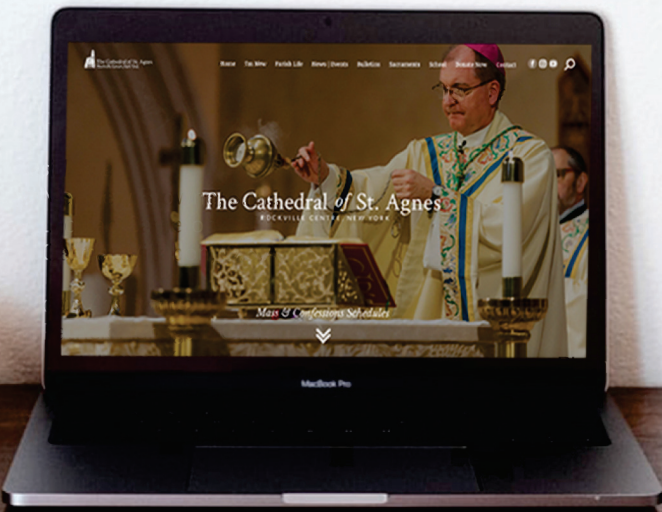


@stagnescathedral



The Cathedral of St. Agnes

Unable to join us for Mass? Tune in on  LIVE



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, January 30, Weekday

Heb 11:32-40; Mk 5:1-20

- 6:30 Joseph Glenn Johnson
- 7:45 Susan Sheehan
- 9:00 Thomas Brull
- 12:10 Mary Kirley
- 7:30 Carolyn Schultheis

Tuesday, January 31, St. John Bosco, Priest

Heb 12:1-4; Mk 5:21-43

- 6:30 Robert Gann
- 7:45 Constantino DiCerbo
- 9:00 Arthur R. Cambridge
- 12:10 Robert W. Barr
- 7:30 Special Intention

Wednesday, February 1, Weekday

Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Mk 6:1-6

- 6:30 Rev. Frank A. Bain & Family
- 7:45 Joseph G. Metz, Jr.
- 9:00 John Sweeney
- 12:10 Michael R. Long

Thursday, February 2, The Presentation of the Lord

Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40

- 6:30 Richard Tomlin
- 7:45 Mick Sheehan
- 9:00 Very Rev. Michael F. Duffy (Living)
- 12:10 Teresa Noon

Friday, February 3, St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr;

St. Ansgar, Bishop

Heb 13:1-8; Mk 6:14-29

- 6:30 Joseph Shoestock
- 7:45 Darlene P. Spahn (14th Anniversary)
- 9:00 Michael C. Brill
- 12:10 Elias Doodian

Saturday, February 4, Weekday

Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Mt 6:30-34

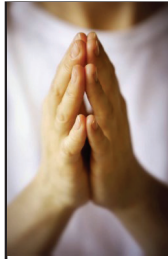
- 6:30 Special Intention
- 7:45 Friends of Steven McDonald
- 5:00 John & Theresa Madson, Rose Troise,
Jean Ryan, James Saville, Diane Hackett Clancy
- 7:30 C Italo Molinaro
- 7:30 LH Special Intention

Sunday, February 5, Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 58:7-10; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mt: 13-16

- 7:00 Eileen Pascale
- 8:00 The Parishioners of St. Agnes Cathedral
- 9:30 Eugene Eccher
- 10:30 Steve Cerow
- 11:00 Monica Vitale
- 12:30 Daniel Henry, Carmella & John Meccariello,
Joseph Francis Santillo, Aluyra Kulikauskas,
Regina Cranston
- 5:00 Evelyn Salamone

PLEASE PRAY



For The Faithful Departed

Louise Veronica Mayer, Joseph DeVito,
Andreas Englmueller, Thomas P. Riordan,
Thomas Holmgaard, Mark Sorensen

For The Sick

Joe Wallace, Mary Coyne, Cosmo DeMarco,
Maria Torres, George Leon, Brielle Brennen,
Caitlin Nally, Akosua Cobb, Robert Braunstein,
Marie Poggelli, Tania Armstrong, Veronica Vargas,
Gilbert Otano, Palma Giovanniello, Pat Englehart,
Mary Ellen Calogero, Tina Smith, Catherine Frake,
Gregory Donegal, Raul Lamelas Valdes, Joseph Mariani,
Jeffrey Buxton, James Walter (Child), Thomas J. Hayes,
Jr., Patricia Jackson, Susan Kowalski, Maria McDonald,
Stephanie Ramos, Lisa Pelrine-Shulman

Sick Names for the bulletin remain for three weeks unless the Rectory is notified for an extension. Please note that requests should come from the family and the person must give permission to be listed.



Wine & Hosts

In Loving Memory of
Michael C. Brill

Feast of St. Blaise—February 3rd



Blessing
of Throats

Throats will be blessed
at all Masses
on Friday,
February 3rd.
6:30, 7:45, 9:00 a.m. & 12:10 p.m.



STEWARDSHIP *A Way of Life*

Stewardship Reflection

In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus' Sermon on the Mount.

Living Stewardship . . . Pillar of Formation

When you hear the Beatitudes, think about how you may become a more merciful person this upcoming week.

Sharing One's Material Resources in the Parish

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>1/22/2023</u>	<u>1/23/2022</u>
Weekly Collection	\$35,288	\$35,134	\$36,017

Supporting Our Parish

In these challenging times, special gratitude is expressed to those who are able to support St. Agnes Cathedral Parish.

WAYS TO GIVE:



Online: *Faith Direct* is a fast, secure, simple way to make your contributions.

Visit www.faithdirect.net to register.

Our Parish code is NY239.



By Mail: Mail to St. Agnes Cathedral,
29 Quealy Place, Rockville Centre, NY 11570



In Person: At Mass during the collection or dropped off at the rectory.



Devotions



Eucharistic Adoration is the traditional Catholic practice of taking the consecrated host, the Blessed Sacrament, and placing it in a sun-shaped vessel called a Monstrance in order for the faithful to look upon Our Lord and pray to Him in peaceful contemplation. You are invited to join us **every Wednesday (unless otherwise noted)** in the Cathedral from 2:00–5:00 p.m. for Adoration and some quiet reflection and prayer.

The Rosary is prayed after the 9:00 a.m. Mass each Monday through Friday in the Cathedral except on Saturdays when it is prayed after the 7:45 a.m. Mass.

Weekly Bible Study

The Parish Bible Study meets every Wednesday virtually via Zoom.com and in person in the Youth Room (2nd Floor) of the Parish Ministries Building. Sessions are at 9:45 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.



To join our Zoom session by computer, use the link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88394000920?pwd=aXN6bFpPTndjYk8vRjNFRU1hLzU2QT09> and by phone dialing +1 929 205 6099 US (New York). The Meeting ID: 89347860442, Passcode: 708436 Or come in person. ALL ARE WELCOME!

Candlemas



On February 2, the Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord (Candlemas), candles will be blessed at 9:00 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. As always, the blessing of candles takes place immediately at the beginning of the Mass. If you wish to have your candles blessed, you must be there when Mass begins. Please bring your own candles and place them on the table set up near the baptismal font, marked with your name.

Parish Outreach

Food donations are always appreciated. We are especially in need of

16.3 oz. and 28 oz. jars of peanut butter, Progresso soups, Campbell's Chicken soup, canned chicken breast and canned potatoes, canned carrots, marinara sauce, bar soap, 1 and 2 lb. bags of rice, and pasta, canned crushed tomatoes, chick peas, baked beans, peas, grape jelly and individual juice boxes. We are also in need of winter coats, ALL SIZES for Men, Women and Children. You may call the office at 678-1854 with any questions. **Please do not leave any donations on the porch outside the Outreach office when the office is closed.** We will gladly accept donations between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday except for holidays.

Love,

Sr. Kathleen



WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

Each year the Church celebrates a day for Consecrated Life. This celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2, also known as Candlemas Day, the day on which candles are blessed symbolizing Christ who is the light of the world. So too, those in consecrated life are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ to all peoples. Let us remember to thank God for the vocations of those who have followed this call, and pray that others will hear that call and follow. A special Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Robert Coyle at St. Agnes Cathedral on Sunday, February 5 at 11:00 A.M. All are invited.

First Saturday Prayers

Become a Friend of
Steven McDonald
to Spread His Message of Forgiveness



In memory of Steven we are inviting all to become his friend by uniting with us in prayer on the First Saturday of the month to keep his message of forgiveness alive. Please join us in the Cathedral as we follow Steven's commitment to pray for forgiveness and healing in family relationships and the sanctification of families. Join us on **Saturday, February 4th**, beginning with the rosary at 7:00 a.m., followed by quiet meditation and the 7:45 a.m. mass.

**SUPER BOWL SUNDAY
PANCAKE
BREAKFAST**

**SUNDAY FEBRUARY 12, 2023
ST. AGNES PARISH CENTER
8:30AM - 12:30PM**

\$10 adult
\$5 child

For More Information or to RSVP
Email joeday1214@gmail.com
phone: 917-682-1475

Hosted by
St Agnes Knights of
Columbus Council 2548

\$25 for
Family of 4+

THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

On January 21st & 22nd, 2023 we welcomed the following children into the St. Agnes Cathedral Parish Community:

Adriano Ficalora
Emma Galatioto
Logan LaBua
Sienna Rogate
Christian Rau

Congratulations to the parents of the newly baptized.





Save the Dates!
With Organ & Voice:
Special Music Events
at the Cathedral:
2022-2023 Season

St. Agnes Cathedral
 Rockville Centre New York
 Michael L. Bower, Director of Music
 Maura Goodwin, Associate Director of Music

Sundays, February 26, March 5, 12, 19*, 26, April 2
6:00 PM Sung Solemn Vespers on Lenten
Sunday Evenings
 * 4th (Laetare) Sunday Evening with Choir

Sunday, March 19, 2023
10:45 Investiture Ceremony, 11:00 AM Mass
 Choir of Men and Boys
 Michael L. Bower, Director

Wednesday Evening, April 5, 7:30 PM
The Office of Tenebrae

Sunday, June 4, 7:00 PM
The South Shore Symphony
Symphony No. 2 (The Resurrection) Gustav Mahler
 Scott Jackson Wiley, Conductor

St. Agnes Religious Education

The St Agnes Religious Education Department is looking for Catechists, if you are interested, please contact Anne Nelson at anelson@stagnescathedrsl.org

Divorced or Separated Catholics of Long Island

A social organization for single persons, including widows, widowers and singles. New Member Orientation Meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 21st at 7:00p.m. at St. Frances Club, 1869 Wantagh Ave, Wantagh, NY 11793. (Parking in the rear of building) Non-denominational. ALL ARE WELCOME. Bring proof of single status to join. Annual dues \$30. Refreshments following the meeting. For further information, please call also to verify there will be a meeting -Terry at 516-650-5528 or Janet [516-579-4016](tel:516-579-4016).

Bereavement Support 2023

(For Widows/Widowers only)

NYU Langone Hospital, Long Island Department of Spiritual Care Services will be holding four (4) weekly Webex sessions starting Tuesday, February 7th from 12:00 noon to 1:30 p.m. This group offers free bereavement support to anyone who has lost a spouse. Pre-Registration is required to receive the Webex link and call in number. Please contact Spiritual Care Services at 516-663-4749 or email bereavement@nyulangone.org

St. Monica Parents Intercession Prayer Group



The St. Monica Parents Intercession Prayer Group meets on the first and third Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Holy Cross Chapel, located in the Parish Ministries building. Our next meeting will be on **February 2nd**. For more information call Mary at (516) 375-0738.

Year-End Tax Statements

Please note, in an effort to contain expenses, year-end statements for your taxes will not be automatically mailed out. They may be obtained upon request from the Rectory. Please call 516-766-0205 to request your statement or email your name, address, phone number and envelope number to: parishoffice@stagnescathedral.org

Marriage Prep



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. Our next 2-day weekend will be held at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington on March 18-19, 2023. Visit longisland.engagedencounter.com for information and registration



Principal's Announcements

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Blessed are...



Today's Gospel passage from St. Matthew is known as the Sermon on the Mount. Jesus makes eight statements beginning with the word blessed. These statements are known as the Beatitudes. To live or be with these attitudes is a gift from God and

they are a summary of the full Christian life. The life of Jesus is the fulfilment of all of them.

What the world sees as tragic or empty, Jesus sees as blessed: humility, mourning, gentleness, peacefulness and other virtues. Jesus lived by these qualities himself and we can notice them in his words and actions during his life with us on earth. He could encourage us to live in the spirit of the Beatitudes because he himself lived them and knew that a life of integrity and honesty is indeed a blessed life.

This Gospel offers three significant messages: The Beatitudes are not meant to exalt poverty and suffering, but to assure us that as followers of Christ we can trust God's love for us and his presence in bad times, these blessings came upon some surprising people and turned upside down some of the values of the time that held that wealth and prosperity were signs of God's favor, and in a violent society, Jesus blessed the peacemakers, and called them children of God.

Jesus offers his commendations. Think of the affirmation that Jesus gives to what is fragile, weak and overlooked in the eyes of the world!

OPEN HOUSE TODAY!

Today is the opening day of Catholic Schools Week. It is an exciting time for us as we celebrate the gift of Catholic Schools to our Nation and the local communities. At St. Agnes Cathedral School, we offer an education that combines the Catholic faith and teachings with academic excellence. We partner with parents in the faith formation of their children, we set high standards for student achievement and help them to succeed. These are just a few of a dozen reasons to choose St. Agnes Cathedral School for your child. If you are interested in learning more about a Catholic school Education for your child, please come to our Open House today, Sunday, January 29th from 11 A.M. - 1 P.M. An exclusive opportunity to see our Middle School will be available on Tuesday evening, January 31st from 7-9 P.M.

Registration for incoming students will take place on Tuesday, January 31st from 9:30-10:30 in the morning and again from 7 to 8 P.M. in the evening. A second opportunity to register will be available on Wednesday, February 1st from 9:30-10:30 in the morning. To register, please have the following documents: Birth Certificate, Baptismal Certificate, if applicable, and current report card for students in grades 1-7. Students entering kindergarten must be 5 years old by December 1, 2023. Tuition assistance is available through The Tomorrow's Hope Foundation:
<https://www.tomorrowshopefoundation.org>

Catholic Schools Week Events: January 29-February 4

Theme: We Are All Workers in God's Vineyard

Sunday, Jan. 29: Opening Mass at 9:30 A.M.: We Love our Families!

Students attend 9:30 A.M. Mass in School Uniforms
 Hospitality: Parish Center: 10:30-11 A.M.
 Open House: 11:00 A.M. - 1 P.M.

Monday, January 30: Jersey Day: We Love Our Community!

Students may wear their favorite team jersey or t-shirt with their gym sweatpants.
 \$1.00 fee to assist the Mary Ruchalski Foundation.

Tuesday, January 31: We Love Our Nation

Everyone wears Red, White and Blue
 Red, White and DO Day: Grades 1-4

Wednesday, February 1: We Love Our Students!

Student Appreciation Day
 Dress Down Day
 Breyers Vanilla Ice Cream Dixie Cups at lunchtime
 Red, White and DO Day: Grades 5-8

Thursday, February 2nd: We LOVE our Teachers!

Teacher Luncheon sponsored by the Mothers' Club
 Grades K-8 Wear a "Readable" Graphic T-shirt
 Thank your teacher for teaching you to read!

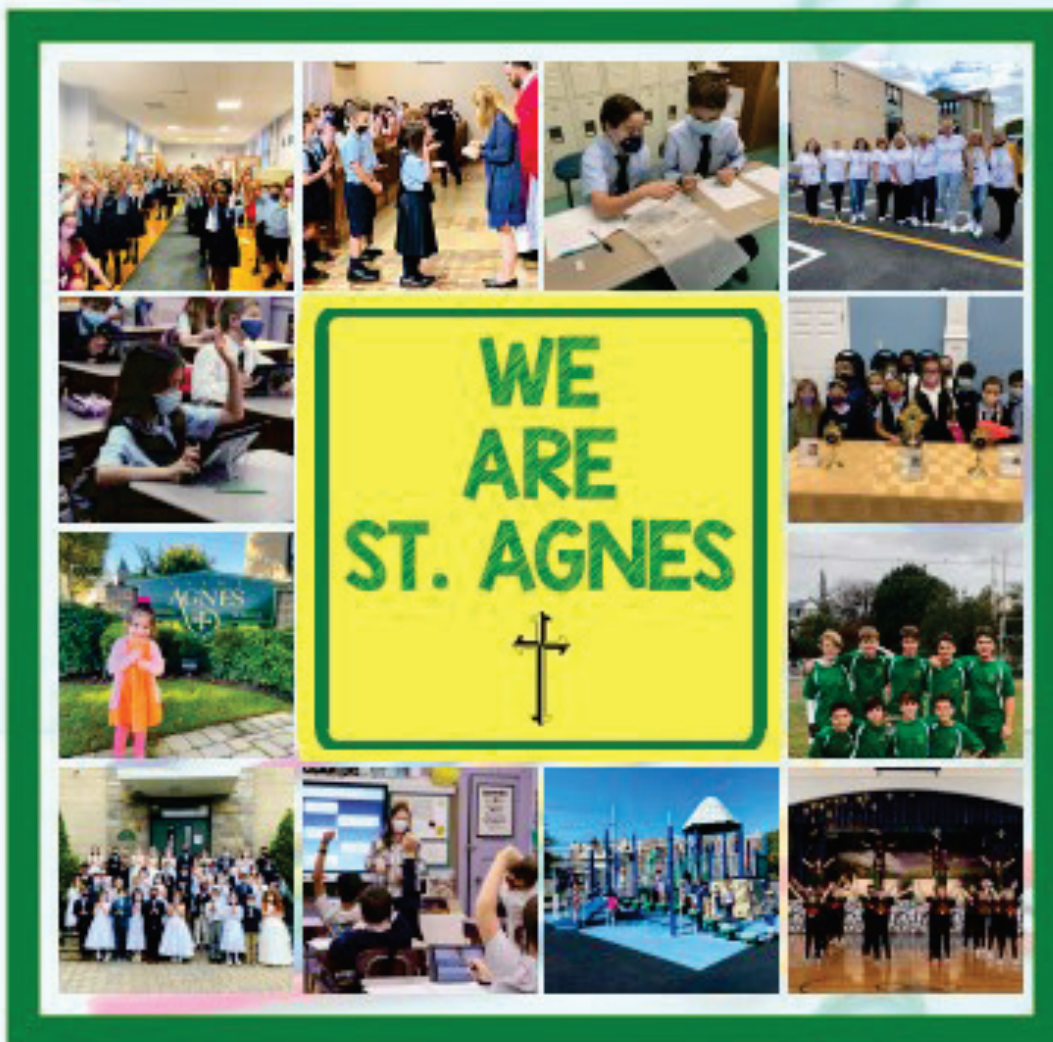
Friday, February 3rd: Dr. William Kaelin Day!

Meet and Greet Dr. Kaelin Assemblies in the Parish Center
 Feast of St. Blaise: Mass and Blessing of the Throats
 Kindergarten Red, White, and Do Day!

Saturday, February 4th: Dinner Dance

Long Island Marriot, Uniondale
 Honorees and VIP Guests
 Dine, dance and celebrate!

Mrs. Cecilia St. John
 Principal



OPEN HOUSE: January 29, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Registration: January 31
9:30-10:30 a.m. and 7- 8 p.m.
February 1: 9:30-10:30 a.m.

For families interested in Kindergarten to Grade 7 for the 2023-24 school year, visit: www.stagnes-school.org or use this QR code to learn more about St. Agnes Cathedral School.



70 Clinton Avenue
Rockville Centre
(516)678-5550

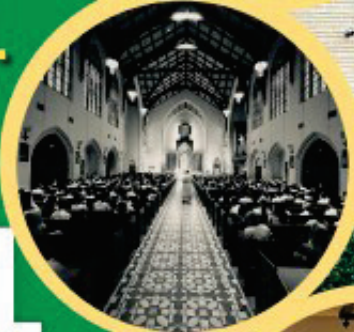


Open House

**TUESDAY,
JANUARY 31ST
7-9 P.M.**

ST. AGNES CATHEDRAL

MIDDLE SCHOOL



Nationally Recognized School of Excellence: St. Agnes is the largest Catholic school in the Diocese of Rockville Centre with a strong enrollment.



Each Middle School Grade has its own dedicated hallway of the school which they call home, as well as, a dedicated cafeteria where they can order lunch from local restaurants that deliver hot food every day.



Students participate in physical education classes in our full-size gymnasium and can participate in our Middle School Drama Production and Sports Program: soccer, track, basketball, volleyball, bowling, lacrosse, softball, baseball, and cheer.



St. Agnes classrooms are equipped with lockers for each student, smartboards, and a one-to-one iPad program where every student receives an iPad



State of the Art STEM lab

coming soon

Why?

BELIEVING IN THE UNIQUENESS OF EACH CHILD, ST. AGNES CATHEDRAL SCHOOL FOSTERS A SAFE AND RESPECTFUL LEARNING ENVIRONMENT. IT INCORPORATES A HOLISTIC APPROACH TO EDUCATION: ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE, AFFECTIVE AND CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT, AS WELL AS THE SPIRITUAL, PHYSICAL, EMOTIONAL, AND SOCIAL GROWTH OF ITS STUDENTS.



VISIT OUR WEBSITE
[HTTPS://WWW.STAGNES-SCHOOL.ORG](https://www.stagnes-school.org)



CONTACT US

516-678-5550

[STAGNESSCHOOLRVC](https://www.stagnesschoolrvc.org)

@STAGNESSCHOOLRVC





THE CATHEDRAL SINGERS

present

Month's Mind

SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS

for the repose of the soul of Pope Benedict XVI

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1 • 7:30PM

*featuring Missa Pro Defunctis a 6 (1605)
by Fr. Tomas Luis de Victoria*

**"Eternal rest grant unto him, O
Lord, and let perpetual light shine
upon him"**

The Cathedral of Saint Agnes
29 Quealy Place
Rockville Centre, NY 11570



Special Needs Mass

We will celebrate a Mass for special needs children, and their families on **Saturday, February 18th**, at 5:00 p.m. in the Lower Hall of the Monsignor Melton Auditorium. This area is handicapped accessible, allowing families with children, who have developmental disabilities, access to the Lower Hall to celebrate God's presence in their lives.



On Becoming A Catholic

Those seeking information about the Catholic Faith are invited to contact Very Rev. Michael F. Duffy, Rector of St. Agnes Cathedral 516-766-0205 concerning the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).



Catholic Schools Week Events: January 29-February 4

Theme: We Are All Workers in God's Vineyard

Sunday, Jan. 29th: Opening Mass at 9:30 A.M.: We Love our Families

Students attend 9:30 A.M. Mass in School Uniforms

Hospitality: Parish Center: 10:30-11 A.M.

Open House: 11:00 A.M. and 1 P.M.

Monday, January 30th: Jersey Day: We Love Our Community

Students may wear their favorite team jersey or t-shirt with their gym sweatpants.

\$1.00 fee to assist the Mary Ruchalski Foundation.

Tuesday, January 31st: We Love Our Nation

Everyone wears Red, White and Blue

Red, White and DO Day: Grades 1-4

Wednesday, February 1st: We Love Our Students!

Student Appreciation Day

Dress Down Day

Breyers Vanilla Ice Cream Dixie Cups at lunchtime

Red, White and DO Day: Grades 5-8

Thursday, February 2nd: We LOVE our Teachers!

Teacher Luncheon sponsored by the Mothers' Club

Grades K-8 Wear a "Readable" Graphic T-shirt

Thank your teacher for teaching you to read!

Friday, February 3rd: Dr. William Kaelin Day

Meet and Greet Dr. Kaelin Assemblies in the Parish Center

Feast of St. Blaise: Mass and Blessing of the Throats


Kindergarten Red, White, and Do Day!

Saturday, February 4th: Dinner Dance

Long Island Marriot, Uniondale

Honorees and VIP Guests

Dine, dance and celebrate





joyfully invites you to the

2023 Dinner Dance

HONORING



Carmine and Lynda Rubino
St. Thomas Aquinas Award
for ongoing support of Catholic Education

HONORING



Bernard and Margaret Mary O'Connell
St. Catherine of Siena Award
for commitment to Catholic Education

RECOGNIZING



Frances Barricelli
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Award
for dedicated service to Catholic Education


Saturday, February 4, 2023 at 6:30 P.M.
Long Island Marriott · Uniondale, New York

Welcome to special guest Dr. William Kaelin, alumnus of
St. Agnes Cathedral School, recipient of the 2019 Nobel Prize in Medicine

Dine, dance, celebrate with us for the first time in 3 years!
Cocktail Attire

FOR RESERVATIONS PLEASE CONTACT STAGSRESERVATIONS@GMAIL.COM



Scan the QR Code or
 516-678-5550
for more information

2023 Dinner Dance: Saturday, February 4, 2023

~Honorees~

Carmine and Lynda Rubino

St. Thomas Aquinas Award for ongoing support of Catholic Education

Bernard and Margaret Mary O'Connell

St. Catherine of Siena Award for commitment to Catholic Education

Frances Barricelli

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Award for dedicated service to Catholic education

~VIP Guests~



***Bishop William Koenig,
Bishop of Wilmington, DE
"Fr. Bill," former Rector of
St. Agnes Cathedral Parish***




***Dr. William Kaelin,
Recipient of the Noble Prize for Medicine in 2019
Former St. Agnes Student***

FOR RESERVATIONS PLEASE CONTACT STAGSRESERVATIONS@GMAIL.COM



Scan the QR Code or

 516-678-5550

for more information

If you need assistance in arranging a table, please contact Mrs. Mary Meagher
at mmeagher1128@gmail.com



Friday, February 10th
at 7:30 P.M.

AT THE SEMINARY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION IN HUNTINGTON



with Guest Presider

Father Daniel Griffin, SM

Reflection by

Brother Stephen Balletta, SM



drvcvocations.com

Powered by DRVC Office of Communications

The Society of Mary is a religious congregation of brothers and priests who seek to grow in holiness as sons of Mary and to serve the Church as brothers in Christ. The Province of Meribah runs three retreat centers, two high schools on Long Island— Chaminade High School and Kellenberg Memorial High School — and St. Martin de Porres Marianist School (pre-K—8th grade). Following in the footsteps of their Founder, Blessed William Joseph Chaminade, they aim to nurture in students an informed and vibrant faith.

1 of 14



The Office of Vicariate for Black
Catholic Concerns
Diocese of Brooklyn



The Office of Multicultural
Diversity
Diocese of Rockville Centre

invites you to attend their annual
**Black History
Month Mass
of
Thanksgiving**



Principal Co-Celebrants:
**Most Reverend John O. Barres &
Most Reverend Robert J. Brennan**

*as well as concelebrating
Auxiliary Bishops, Priests & Deacons from both Dioceses*



Guest Homilist:
Reverend Anthony M. Bozeman, SSJ
*Academic Dean of St. Joseph's Seminary,
Josephite Seminary
Washington, DC*

Music Ministry by:
The Sr. Thea Bowman Mass Diocesan Gospel Choir
*under the direction of Mrs. Darcel Whitten-Wilamowski,
accompanied by Mr. Devin D. Olivas along with Musicians from both Dioceses*



Saturday, February 11, 2023
2:00 PM

The Cathedral of St. Agnes
29 Quealy Place • Rockville Centre, NY 11570

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
dwhitten@drvc.org or blackcatholicconcernsbk@gmail.com





Come as you are.

YOU ARE WELCOME HERE

Make authentic connections with other women
Refuel and refresh & Learn more about God

Walking with Purpose is a program that meets women right where they are, hands them a cup of coffee, and transforms their hearts. We are thrilled to announce that we are offering two Bible studies this year. Trust us. This may be your best YES ever.

Opening Your Heart, our foundational study, is perfect for a woman new to WWP (with or without Bible study experience). We invite you to be amazed at how Scripture applies to your everyday life.

Grounded in Hope, based on the book of Hebrews, will help you encounter Jesus in such a powerful, comforting, and stabilizing way so that He can become your lifeline. This study is designed for women who have participated in WWP in the past.



In the St Agnes Parish Center
-behind the Cathedral-
Thursday, Feb 9
7:30 - 9:30pm

Contact StagWWP@Gmail.com -or- text 516-458-3957
<https://forms.gle/rD29qH4XewwYjbD2A>

www.walkingwithpurpose.com





SAINT JOHN BOSCO
MISSION TO LOVE

FORMED® THE CATHOLIC FAITH. ON DEMAND.

Saint John Bosco: Mission to Love

Flavio Insinna gives a winning performance as John Bosco, the great priest and educator of youth. Beautifully filmed in Italy, this epic movie dramatizes the many challenges that he had to overcome from his childhood all the way to founding his religious order.



Our parish has a FORMED subscription. Visit formed.org/signup and select our parish. Scan the QR code to download the FORMED app to your phone.

To create a FORMED account:

1. Visit FORMED.ORG
2. Click SIGN UP
3. Select "I Belong to a Parish or Organization:"
4. Find the parish by name (St. Agnes Cathedral) or Zip (11570)
5. Enter your email and you're in (There is no cost to use FORMED.)

LET US PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Lance Corporal Ryan Thomas Albergo, USMC
 Pvt. Liam Atwell, U.S. Army
 Capt. Robert L. Betts, U.S. Navy
 CDR Maura C. Garrity-Betts, U.S. Navy
 Lance Corporal Ryan Brower, USMC
 Lt. J.G. Joseph Busching, U.S. Coast Guard
 1st Lt. Paul D. Cammarota, USMC
 Lt. Scott Kiley Childers, U.S. Navy
 LCDR Richard Childers, M.D. U.S. Navy
 1st Lt. Patrick Codispoti, U.S. Army
 Major Andrew Connolly, U.S. Air Force
 Lt. Greg Crescenzo, U.S. Navy
 Airman Michael Cummo, U.S. Navy
 Maj. Richard Davin, Jr., Air National Guard
 Lt. Christopher DelBello, U.S. Navy
 P.O. 1st Class Robert W. DeMattia, U.S. Navy
 Lt. J.G. Kevin Doyle, U.S. Navy
 Michael Espada, 2nd Class Petty Officer, MR2
 Daniel Fels, U.S. Army, Military Police
 Lt. J.G. Brendan J. Fisk, U.S. Navy
 Lt. J.G. Daniel R. Fisk, U.S. Navy
 2nd Lt. Charles Flanagan, U. S. Army
 A.M.T 3, Kyle Forster, U.S. Coast Guard
 Capt. Steven Hampson, U.S. Army
 Capt. Cody Hardenburgh USMC
 Pvt. Daniel Healey, U.S. Army
 2nd Class Petty Officer, Robert Hock, U.S. Navy
 1st Lt. Tynika Holland, U.S. Army
 Maj. Philip F. Johndrow, U.S. Army
 Spc. John McCann, US Army
 Lance Corporal Jason Maccaron, USMC
 Spc. Robert Manz, U.S. Army
 Cpl. James Thomas Maroney, USMC
 Lt. Andrew Maza, USAF
 Sgt. Joseph Meyer, U.S. Army
 Col. Christopher V. Meyers, USMC
 Lt. Col. Gregory John Mueller, USMC (Reserve)
 Stephan O'Connor, E-5, U.S. Navy
 Matthew Pacheco, U.S. Army
 Ensign John A. Petr, US Navy
 Pvt. Ray P. Rodriguez, U.S. Army
 Spc. James Rodziewicz, U.S. Army
 Lance Corporal Eric Roehrig, USMC
 Spc. Jeanine M. Rosa, U.S. Army
 Thomas Sullivan, U. S. Army
 Robert C. Tempesta, Master at Arms
 1st Class U.S. Navy
 PFC Derick Thomas, USMC
 Pvt. Rebecca Elizabeth Toy, U.S. Army

PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands.
 Protect them as they protect us.
 Bless them and their families
 for the selfless acts they perform
 for us in our time of need.
 And give us peace.
 I ask this in the name of Jesus,
 Our Lord and Savior. Amen

Kindly call the Rectory Office at 766-0205 if you know of anyone that is on this list and has returned home.



Donate Your Car

Associated Vincentian Charities of Brooklyn Donation Program has given back over \$650,000 to local parishes throughout the New York Metropolitan Area. Your donation has helped many individuals in need in your neighborhood. Please help us to continue to make a difference by spreading the word to anyone you know that would like to donate a vehicle. Call 718-491-2525 or visit us at svdpauto-brooklynqueens.org

Suicide Prevention Resources

Suicide is a major public health problem and a leading cause of death in the United States. The effects of suicide go beyond the person who acts to take his or her life: it can have a lasting effect on family, friends and communities. If you are thinking about suicide, are worried about a friend or loved one, or would like emotional support, the Lifeline network is available 24/7 across the United States. National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 1-800-273-TALK (8255) or Crisis Text Line: Text "Got5" to 741-741. Website: suicidepreventionlifeline.org.

Pray for Vocations



As we all know, the Catholic Church needs more priests, as well as religious brothers and sisters. We encourage you to pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life, especially from within our parish and our school.

Pregnant? Need help?



LIFE CENTER
OF LONG ISLAND
A Voice for the Unborn on Long Island

24 hour Helpline
 1-800-550-4900;
birthright.org/wantagh

(516) 798-8746
lifecenterli.org