

# THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST. GERTRUDE

28 School Street, Bayville, N.Y. 11709



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## CLERGY OF THE PARISH

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## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

### Masses

Saturday: 8:30am & 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am (Family Mass), 11:30am

Weekdays: 8:30am

Holy Day: 5:00pm Vigil Mass, 8:30 am & 7:30pm

Rosary every morning after 8:30am Mass

Miraculous Medal Novena every Monday at 7:30pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction  
1:00pm to 3:00pm Wednesdays except holidays

### Reconciliation/Confession:

Saturdays: 4:00-5:00pm & by appointment

## SACRAMENTS

**Anointing of the Sick:** Available upon request.  
Scheduled offering the last Sunday of the month  
following the 11:30 Mass.

**Baptism:** Third Sunday each month at 1:00pm. Prior  
parent and sponsor interviews with priest or deacon  
required.

**Marriage:** Arrangements must be made in person with  
priest at least 6 months in advance & prior to reception  
arrangements.

St. Vincent DePaul (516) 584-4090

Email: svdpstgertrudes@gmail.com



SVDP store locations:

1. 1425 New York Avenue, Huntington Station
2. 2160 Jericho Twp., Garden City Park
3. 249 Broadway, Bethpage

To donate furniture, please call (516) 746-8250.

## PARISH CENTER

### Preschool:

Tina Mihaltses, Director, Phone: (516) 628-3710  
Email: stgertprek@stgerts.org

### Religious Education:

Phone: (516) 628-2432

Email: faithformation@stgerts.org

When Jesus saw the vast crowd,  
his heart was moved with pity for them,  
*for they were like sheep  
without a shepherd.*  
Mark 6:34

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
July 22, 2018

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Remembering. . .

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>July 22</b>
7:30am	Peter Connolly +
9:30am	Ronald Lamb +
11:30am	For the Parishioners of St. Gertrude
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>July 23</b>
8:30am	Jennie Marretti +
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>July 24</b>
8:30am	Madeline Castora +
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>July 25</b>
8:30am	Manuela Sabin +
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>July 26</b>
8:30am	Palmaro, Sabin & Sobrino families +
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>July 27</b>
8:30am	Mae Kelly +
	Manuela Sabin +
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>July 28</b>
8:30am	Doris V. Marin +
	John J. Reedy +
	Anne-Marie Moylan +
5:00pm	Frank Primeggia +

**TODAY'S READINGS:**

**First Reading** – I shall gather the remnant of my flock and bring them back to their meadow (Jeremiah 23:1-6).

**Psalm** – The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

**Second Reading** – In Christ Jesus you who were once far off have become near by the blood of Christ (Ephesians 2:13-18).

**Gospel** – When Jesus saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, and he began to teach them many things (Mark 6:30-34).

The Altar Bread and Wine used at our Masses this week are offered in loving memory of:



Carmela Scelzi  
by Anna Furnari

**One Flock: Reflection on the Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:**

As the Twelve return from their first missionary journey in today's Gospel, our readings continue to reflect on the authority and mission of the Church.

Jeremiah says in the First Reading that Israel's leaders, through godlessness and fanciful teachings, had misled and scattered God's people. He promises God will send a shepherd, a king and son of David, to gather the lost sheep and appoint for them new shepherds (see [Ezekiel 34:23](#)). The crowd gathering on the green grass (see [Mark 6:39](#)) in today's Gospel is the start of the remnant that Jeremiah promised would be brought back to the meadow of Israel. The people seem to sense that Jesus is the Lord, the good shepherd (see [John 10:11](#)), the king they've been waiting for (see [Hosea 3:1-5](#)).

Jesus is moved to pity, seeing them as sheep without a shepherd. This phrase was used by Moses to describe Israel's need for a shepherd to succeed him (see [Numbers 27:17](#)). And as Moses appointed Joshua, Jesus appointed the Twelve to continue shepherding His people on earth. Jesus had said there were other sheep who did not belong to Israel's fold but would hear His voice and be joined to the one flock of the one shepherd (see [John 10:16](#)). In God's plan, the Church is to seek out first the lost sheep of the house of Israel and then to bring all nations into the fold (see [Acts 13:36](#); [Romans 1:16](#)).

Paul too, in today's Epistle, sees the Church as a new creation in which those nations who were once far off from God are joined as "one new person" with the children of Israel.

As we sing in today's Psalm, through the Church the Lord, our good shepherd, still leads people to the verdant pastures of the kingdom, to the restful waters of Baptism; He still anoints with the oil of Confirmation, and spreads the Eucharistic table before all people, filling their cups to overflowing.

By Dr. Scott Hahn



Ireland is quite beautiful this time of year. I had a great opportunity to spend a few days in Ireland (July 6-16). We had one sunny day right after another. Rain, rain and more rain trademarked each time I had been there before. Everyone who I met during my trip commented on the rare sunny days. It was truly beautiful. My trip took me to Galway, Connemara, Achill Island, Westport, Kilonin Castle, Donegal, Tory Island and my family's home town of Ballaghedreen. There were 2 highlights to my trip.

The first highlight was Tory Island. It is an island off the coast of Donegal that seems to have stood still against time. The residents, all 200 of them speak a dialect of Gaelic (Irish) and have maintained a very isolated and simple way of living. There is a ruined monastery on the island and the people are warm and friendly. At least I think they are warm and friendly, considering that I did not understand a word they were saying. The best part of the trip was meeting a man named Patsai Dan Mac Ruaidhrí. He is the king of Tory Island. The king has no formal powers, though duties include being a spokesperson for the island community and welcoming people to the island. He found out that a priest was on the island and we had a unique conversation, out of which I understood maybe a third of what he was saying, he indicated that he needed treatment for cancer. As a result I anointed him. After the anointing, he spoke through an interpreter (an islander who spoke English) and conveyed that he needs to be healthy for his family and islanders. The man was deeply convicted to his work and responsibility as a father, grandfather and leader of the residents.

My other highlight came the day before I flew out. I was the presider and homilist at my family's home parish. The Cathedral of St. Nathy and the Blessed Virgin is in Ballaghedreen and is quite amazing. I felt at home and felt a deep sense of connectedness to my family present and long gone.

I tell you all this because throughout the whole trip I had a longing to pray for my parish here. St. Gertrude's is wonderful and is only becoming better. Even the challenges we have. The challenges we have only provide opportunities for us to grow in virtue, in love of Jesus and in dedication towards each other.

I would like to simply address 2 challenges that we currently have. Mr. Joe Di Marius (as of early July) is no longer working at St. Gertrude's. Our religious education program is going to go as planned and scheduled. Mrs. Wendy Parente is helping to keep things in order and make sure that the year begins. We are in the process of interviewing candidates for the position and will inform the parish as to the direction we are taking in the future. Our children are so very important to us and we want the entire faith formation program and process to reflect our love of them, dedication to the path that Jesus laid before us in the sacraments and joyfulness in living the Gospel in the Catholic family.

We also have the results of the feasibility study. A letter has been sent to the diocese to begin the process to engage in a capital campaign. We have retained an architect who is looking at the entire scale of the project and provide us with a detailed assessment. We also have formed a campaign and restoration committee with leaders of our parish and community. The growth towards restoration and renewal requires the effort, support and prayers of each of us. Please, for our entire parish family, offer a prayer that everything we do in moving towards restoration and renewal will reflect the beauty of our local church and the truth of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

In summary, though I love my family and Irish background, I find St. Gertrude's to be a warm and welcoming home. My prayer is that each of you grows in being a great gift for each other.

*Yours in Christ,*  
Father Dave Regan

## The sick of our parish:

Cecilia Bruoni	Lynnore Compton	Cecelia Compton	Kathleen Massimino
Tanner Jadedzuk	Josephine Palumbo	Lynn Gormley	Rose Leonard
Marie Vissichielli	Jack Caputo		

All names on the sick list will remain for six weeks. If you would like a name to remain longer, please call the Parish office. Please call the Parish office to leave the names of parishioners who are home-bound and would like to receive the Eucharist or would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick.



## Those serving in our military:

*“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. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen”*

Lt. Travis J. Buffa	Lt. Melissa Buffa	Pfc. Mark Chuisano
Lt. Mary Grace Colluci	Major Janet R. Erazo	Cmdr. Cynthia Keating
2nd Lt. Glenn Harvey	Lt. Col. Paul J. LoBue	Sman App. Gregory Steiner
The Four LoRusso Brothers	Sgt. 5 Jose Marin	Airman Bryan Mollitor
Pfc. Duncan Moskowitz	Major James Nicholson	Lt. Col. Sean Patak
Captain Brian Peguillan	Ens. William P. Hegarty	Sfc. Sean P. Schenck
Hosp. Medic Matthew D. Perez	Lt. Sean Riordan	Cpl. Jason Roland
1st. Lt. Thomas Rojek	Cpl. Brendan Roethel	Spc. Chase Tucker
M Sgt. Donald J. Tucker	Sp. Trevor Tebaldi	Sgt. William Trotta, Jr.
Lt. Terrance Thorgramson	2nd Lt. James Andrew Baker	Cpt. Chad Lennon
Ltj.g. Emily W. Hegarty	Lt. Elizabeth G. Hegarty	Ens. James Figari

If you would like to inform us of any family member or friend who has been called to active service or for a name to be removed, please call our Parish office.

### 2018 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

St. Gertrude's Goal: \$52,600.00  
 Amount Raised to Date: \$48,515.00  
 Outstanding Amount Owed: \$4,085  
 Number of Donors: 114



Banns of Marriage  
 Sheila Mie Acosta  
 Philippines  
 &  
 Steven Rothenberg  
 St. Gertrude Parish, NY



Anne-Marie Moylan  
 Paul Perrone

The Parish of St. Gertrude extends its prayerful condolences to their family and friends.

## Parish Financial Summary

Sunday collection (including Faith Direct):  
 July 8, 2018: \$ 8,137.00  
 July 15, 2018: \$ 6,589.00

Thank you for your prayerful and generous support of our parish family.....

## Faith Direct

Your automatic contributions through Faith Direct will save valuable time for both you and our parish staff. To enroll, please visit Faith Direct's website [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our parish code NY83. You can also fill out and mail a Faith Direct enrollment form from the parish office. Thank you!!

# St. Gertrude's Parish Feast

August 9-12, 2018

## Volunteers Needed

Please Help Make the Feast a Success Again this Year

We are Looking for Volunteers Throughout the Feast

Any Amount of Time is Appreciated

Booth Staff \* General Help \* Set-up Help \* Ticket Sales

### Can You Help Before the Feast?

We Need Help with the Raffle & Basket Booth Procuring Raffle Items

**Without the Efforts of Our Many Volunteers, the Feast Wouldn't Be Possible**

Volunteering is a Great Way to Meet Fellow Parishioners & Get Involved

Please Let Us Know How You Would Like to Help

Ted Parente Feast Chair - [chieftpp@gmail.com](mailto:chieftpp@gmail.com)

Dominic Bianco Feast Co-chair - [dbianco@gwbplaw.com](mailto:dbianco@gwbplaw.com)

Margaret Hutzel Volunteer Coordinator- [mhutzel@optonline.net](mailto:mhutzel@optonline.net)

**Pre-sale tickets will be available at the rectory for purchase along with raffle tickets**

Feast Day & Times: Thursday, August 9<sup>th</sup>—6:00-10:00pm  
Friday, August 10<sup>th</sup>—6:00-11:00pm  
Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup>—6:00-11:00pm  
Sunday, August 12<sup>th</sup>—3:00-9:00pm



The Knights of Columbus Meeting  
 Wednesday, July 25<sup>th</sup>  
 7:30pm in the lower Church



SVDP Meeting  
 Thursday, July 23<sup>th</sup>  
 7:00pm in the  
 lower Church

**DIVORCED OR SEPARATED CATHOLICS OF  
 LONG ISLAND**

**INCLUDING WIDOWS, WIDOWERS AND  
 SINGLES**

**A SOCIAL ORGANIZATION FOR SINGLE  
 PERSONS**

**NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION MEETING**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 2018 AT 7:30 PM**

**ST. FRANCES DE CHANTAL SCHOOL**

**1309 WANTAGH AVENUE**

**WANTAGH, NY 11793**

**NON-DENOMINATIONAL, ALL ARE  
 WELCOME**

**BRING PROOF OF SINGLE STATUS TO JOIN  
 REFRESHMENTS FOLLOWING THE  
 MEETING**

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE  
 CALL:**

**CAROL - 516-794-4933 OR**

**BARBARA - 516-798-2858**



**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. There are no group discussions. Our next weekend will be held at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington August 17-19, 2018.

For information please call Lenny & Pat Walker at 631-563-1032

or visit [www.engagedencounterli.org](http://www.engagedencounterli.org)

St Paul's Centerstage Theatre  
 is proud to present its 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Production,  
 "The Best of Centerstage 2018",  
 a musical review of all of our past shows.

Performances will be at St Paul the Apostle Church,  
 Costa Memorial Hall, 2534 Cedar Swamp Road (Rte  
 107) Glen Head NY 11545

The dates and times are Thursday July 26, Friday July  
 27 at 8:00pm, Saturday July 28<sup>th</sup> Dinner Theatre at 630  
 PM and Sunday July 29<sup>th</sup> at 2:00p.m.

Tickets are \$15.00 for adults, \$12.00 for seniors' 60+  
 and children 12 & under. Dinner Theatre tickets are  
 \$40.00.

For tickets please email us at:

[centerstageministry@gmail.com](mailto:centerstageministry@gmail.com) or call (516) 759-1789.

Any questions regarding this notice, please contact:  
 Chris Black, Producer 516-528-0294 or

[centerstageministry@gmail.com](mailto:centerstageministry@gmail.com)

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

Jesus said, "Come away and rest awhile". Give  
 your marriage new life by attending a  
 Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The  
 next Weekends are Nov 16-18, 2018 in  
 Huntington, NY and Feb 8-10, 2019 in  
 Huntington, NY. For more information, call  
 John & Toni Torio at 877-697-9963 or visit  
 them at <http://www.wwmeli.org>.



**EIGHTH GRADERS: Catholic  
 High School Entrance Exam Prep  
 Course—offered at Holy Trinity  
 High School in Hicksville. Five 2  
 1/2 hour Saturday a.m. sessions,  
 each including review in English**

**and Math as well as practice tests. Course begins  
 Sept. 15. \$250 fee covers instruction and materials.  
 For additional info., visit [holytrinityhs.org](http://holytrinityhs.org) or call  
 (516) 433-2900.**



**St. Dominic High School 2018  
 Catholic H.S. Entrance Exam Prep  
 Course**

**For the October 27<sup>th</sup> Exam, Courses  
 on:**

**September 8, 15 & 29 & Oct. 13, 20  
 9:00-11:30am in Marian Hall**

**Course fee: \$250 (includes textbook). To register,  
 please call Mrs. Stutzman (516)922-4888, ext. 5241**

**WELCOME** New to our Parish? We welcome you and ask that you please stop into our Parish office to register. *The Lord told Israel to reach out to newcomers and welcome them (Leviticus 19:36).*

Long Island State Veterans Home  
at Stony Brook University  
100 Patriots Rd., Stony Brook, NY  
FREE Concert Under the Stars & Laser Light Show  
featuring the West Point Concert Band  
@L.I. State Veterans Home  
August 16, 2018  
@6:30pm  
FREE and open to the public  
[www.listateveteranshome.org](http://www.listateveteranshome.org)



**ST. GERTRUDE'S PARISH - FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY**

**AUGUST 9<sup>TH</sup> - 12<sup>TH</sup>**

28 School St. (our Church parking lot), Bayville

Hours: Thursday 6-10pm, Fri & Sat 6-11pm, Sun 3-9:00pm



Sponsorship information:

Platinum \$2,500 Gold \$1,000 Silver \$500 Bronze \$250 Saintry \$100 Friend \$50  
Sponsor the Casino \$5,000  
Sponsor a Table \$3,000



Please stop by the Parish office to pick up a sponsorship form or contact the office at (516) 628-1113



**CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP**

Meets every Monday in the rectory Chapel at St. Gertrude at 4:00pm



St. Gertrude's Church: If you are an adult [college-age or older], & are contemplating joining the choir, call the church office at (516)628-1113 & you will be put in touch with the choir director & music ministry.



**Pantry Needs:** Rice, Pasta, Spaghetti Sauce, Cereal, Coffee, Tea, Juice, Canned Fruits, Sugar, Black Beans, Tuna, Snacks, Dish & Laundry Detergent, Paper Towels, Paper Napkins, Tissues, Women's & Men's Deodorant, Bar Soap, Toothbrushes & Toothpaste.

*Just a friendly reminder to please be aware of food expiration dates. Thank you!*



Below is a link to an Amazon Program that enables shoppers to easily donate to their favorite charities.

Amazon will donate 0.5% of the purchase to Society of St Vincent de Paul.

<https://smile.amazon.com/>



Dear Friends:

***John believes that finding Talbot House was a miracle that led him from darkness into the light.*** Every day, people struggling with substance abuse come to Catholic Charities' Talbot House looking for a way to reclaim their lives through all stages of the recovery process.

*"The way I was living my life, I should not be here today. Every morning I wake up, I thank God for another day and for Talbot House,"* shared John.

**Supporting the Catholic Ministries Appeal makes this program - and so many others - possible.**

As members of our parish and of the larger Church community of the Diocese of Rockville Centre, we share in the mission to be instruments of *Dramatic Missionary Growth*.

One important way to do this is through support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA) which sustains not only programs like Catholic Charities' Talbot House but also campus, hospital and prison ministries, outreach programs, ministries to young people and the education and formation of our Priests, Deacons and lay leaders.

One of my diocesan responsibilities as a Pastor is to encourage support for this Appeal and increase the number of parishioners who join in this essential effort of the Church here on Long Island. As your Pastor, I have already witnessed your generosity and cooperation so I am confident that everyone who can will respond to the invitation to contribute to the 2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal. It is with deepest gratitude that I thank you most sincerely for your special consideration of this request to make a gift to the 2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal. **Please know that no gift is too small** and every gift makes a difference in the lives of people like John.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

*Fr. David Regan*

Make checks payable to:  
Catholic Ministries Appeal

Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Pledge: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Down payment: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

***Please consider donating to the Appeal and making a difference in the lives of others.***

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**THANK YOU!**

# UPCOMING EVENTS

Come and join us as we celebrate the 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Catholic Charismatic Conference weekend held at Scranton University in Scranton, Pennsylvania.

A bus has been chartered for the conference and will be picking up all interested at Saint Cyril and Methodius Parish in Deer Park and at Our Holy Redeemer in Freeport. Please call Anna Baciaska (516) 776-5750 for registration and transportation information.

Conference dates are August 3<sup>rd</sup> through August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018. This year's theme is, "He makes me to lie down in green pastures ... He restores my soul." Psalm 23 v 2-3

Pope Francis has been quoted to say, "When Jesus enters life, peace arrives, the kind that remains even in trials, in suffering."

A bus has been chartered for the conference and will be picking up all interested at Saint Cyril and Methodius Parish in Deer Park and at Our Holy Redeemer in Freeport. For Registration and transportation information call Anna Baciaska (516) 223-8594.

St. John the Baptist Diocesan High School  
1170 Montauk Highway, West Islip, NY

Saint John the Baptist DHS is offering a Prep Course to prepare students for the Catholic High School Entrance Exam. It runs five 2 1/2 hour sessions beginning in September. They also offer a Test Taking Strategies Class the Friday evening before the exam. For additional information visit: [Www.stjohnthebaptistdhs.net](http://www.stjohnthebaptistdhs.net) or call (631) 587-8000 ext. 117.



St. Gertrude's Adult Choir leads the music at the 11:30 Sunday Mass, Christmas Midnight Mass, Lenten & Holy Week worship, Holy Days of Obligation, holidays, & special occasions & events. A select group of singers, the Resurrection Choir, offers vocal praise at all funerals and memorial masses. Members of the choir also participate in celebrating the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion. Rehearsals are regularly held on Thursday evenings, up in the choir loft. Choir membership is open to all who are interested, & our singers range from the classically trained to those who have little to no music reading skills. Most of the choir members are available year-round; some are only seasonally available. But, all are welcome! The choir, since its origin many decades ago, aims to draw worshippers into the joy of offering prayerful musical praise.

If you are an adult [college-age or older], & are contemplating joining the choir, call the church office at (516)628-1113 & you will be put in touch with the choir director & music ministry.

Rockville Centre Diocesan Pilgrimage to  
IRELAND

August 20-27, 2018

Spiritual Director:

His Excellency, Bishop John Barres  
& Auxiliary Bishop Robert Brennan

[Www.pilgrimages.com/drvc](http://www.pilgrimages.com/drvc)

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Pilgrimage to the Holy Land  
October 13-22, 2018

Fr. Peter is our Spiritual Guide (206TOURS)

Price \$3,999.00 All inclusive - Double Occupancy;

Call Fr. Peter at 631-757-7435 Ext.5 or

206Tours at 1-800-206-8687 Ask for Color Brochure  
Information Night in the Rectory at St. Francis Church

29 Clay Pitts Road, Greenlawn, NY

8pm on May 22nd, June 20th, & July 23rd



Veterans will be honored at every home game and will receive 10 complimentary tickets to the game for family and friends.

Contact Suffolk County Veterans Service  
Officer Melissa Pandolf for more information at  
(631)853-VETS.



# BECOME A BAYHAWK FOR THE DAY

Calling All 7th & 8th Graders to Shadow  
Or Schedule a Personalized Tour

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## St. Dominic High School

*One Journey Through Faith & Education*

110 Anstice Street | Oyster Bay, NY 11771 | [hs.stdoms.org](http://hs.stdoms.org)



### ***The Office of Diaconate Formation***

*will be conducting*

**THREE INFORMATION SESSIONS**  
for men and their wives.

**7:00 pm**  
**WEDNESDAY, September 5**

**7:00 pm**  
**FRIDAY, September 7**

**7:00 pm**  
**SUNDAY, September 9**

**Are you discerning a vocation to the Diaconate?**

If you and your wife would like to attend one of the meetings

**CALL** 631-423-0483 Ext. 179 or **E-MAIL** [diaconateformation@drvc.org](mailto:diaconateformation@drvc.org)

Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, 440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743

# St. Dominic High School

## ***2018 CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAM PREP COURSE***

*For the October 27th Exam*

Course will be held on the following Saturdays:

September 8, 15 and 29

And October 13 and 20

9:00 - 11:30 a.m. in Marian Hall

***Course Fee: \$250.00 (includes textbook)***

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To register please complete the form below  
and return it with a check payable to:

**St. Dominic High School**  
**110 Anstice Street**  
**Oyster Bay, New York 11771**  
**Attention: Mrs. Stutzmann**  
**516-922-4888 ext. 5241.**

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***STUDENTS ACCEPTED ON A  
FIRST COME – FIRST SERVED BASIS.  
There will be no refunds once the course begins.***

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*(Please return this bottom portion with your CHEES prep course  
payment.)*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

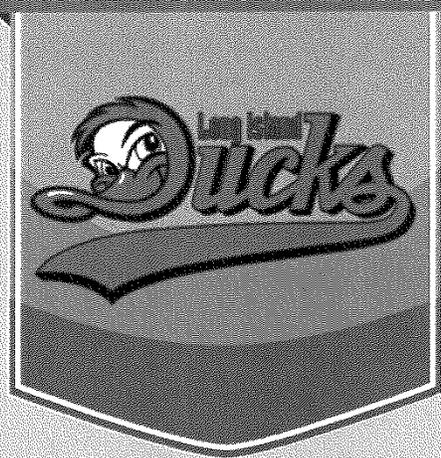
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SCHOOL PRESENTLY ATTENDING \_\_\_\_\_



# SUFFOLK COUNTY EXECUTIVE STEVE BELLONE

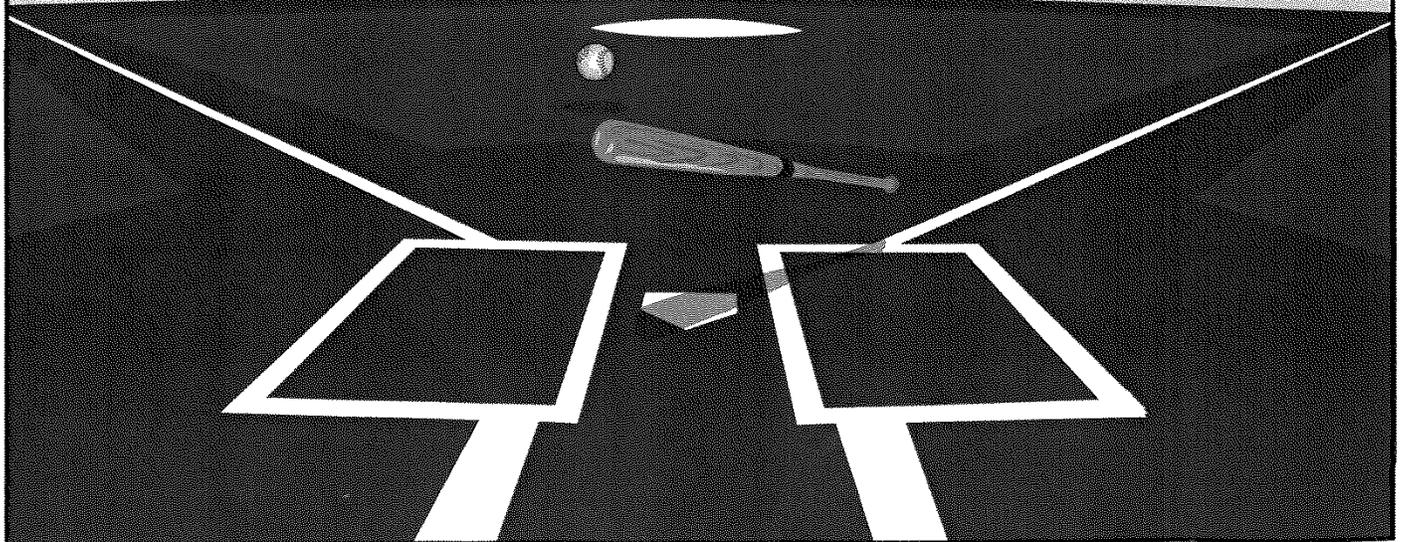
# HEROES OF THE GAME



The Long Island Ducks, Suffolk County Executive Steve Bellone and Legislator Susan A. Berland are proud to honor veterans.

Veterans will be honored at every home game and will receive 10 complimentary tickets to the game for family and friends.

Contact Suffolk County Veterans Service Officer  
Melissa Pandolf for more information  
at 631-853-VETS



Volunteer Drivers for Veterans

**WANTED**



Nassau County provides vehicles to transport residents to/from the Northport VA, East Meadow & Valley Stream Clinics and Hicksville Vet Center



Monday-Friday from 7 am – 5 pm  
Please donate any time you have to give!  
[Valid NYS driver's license required.]



**VETERANS SERVICE AGENCY**

Ralph Esposito, Director

2201 Hempstead Turnpike, Building Q in East Meadow, NY

[516] 572.6526 Christine Sohmer

# 5K / 10K Run FOR Veterans

**Help Local Veterans in Need**

**All profits will provide direct support to local veterans**



start of the 2017 Nassau County 5K / 10K Run For Veterans

Join us for this special run by Veterans Memorial High School at the  
Nassau County's Eisenhower Park

## **5K / 10K RACE**

**AUG. 25, 2018**

**9AM START | POST RACE FESTIVITIES TILL 2PM**

**Just \$30!**

Register online by August 16

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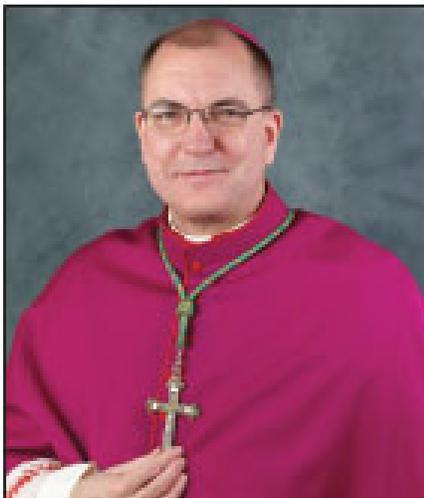
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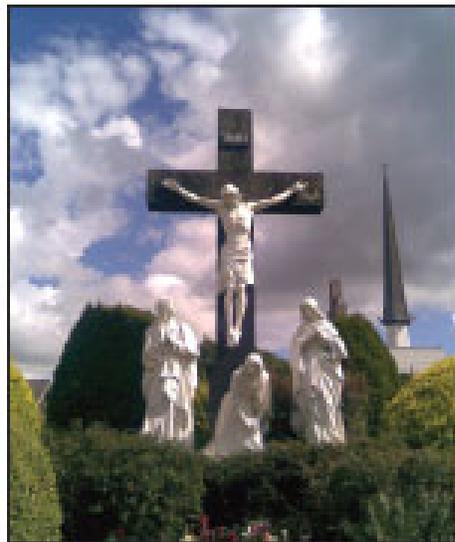
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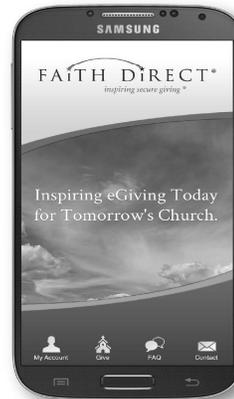
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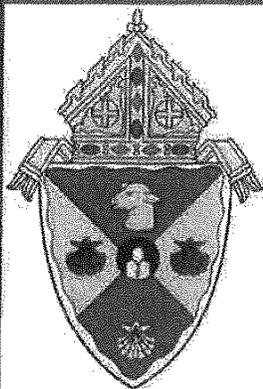
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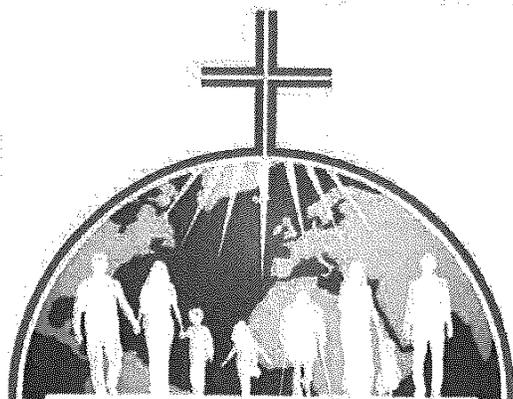
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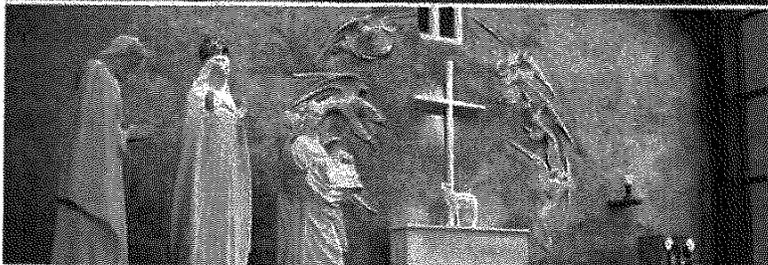
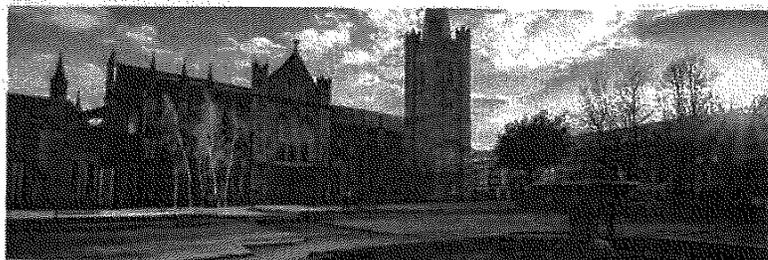
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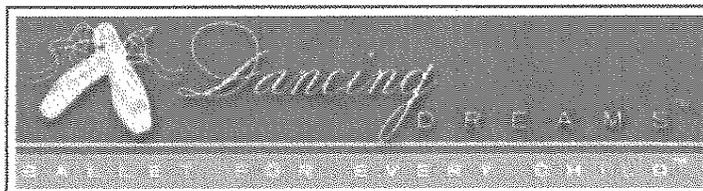


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## Dance Classes for Children with Physical and Medical Challenges

Dancing Dreams, a nonprofit dance program for children with physical and medical challenges, is currently accepting students for September enrollment at our new Glen Head location.

Glen Head classes will be held on Monday afternoons at 4:00pm and 4:45pm at Glenwood Landing American Legion located at 190 Glen Head Road Glen Head, NY 11545.

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More information about Dancing Dreams can be found at [www.dancingdreams.org](http://www.dancingdreams.org).

I would like to announce that we will be offering two general bereavement groups this spring, and our ongoing groups for bereaved parents and survivors of suicide will be resuming as well. There is a one-time registration fee of \$20 for all groups. Interested individuals need to register by contacting the parish directly. Sister Christine Sammons is the contact person at St. Bernard's, 516-731-6074 and Maria Piniero is the contact person at St. Brigid, 516-334-0021. Registration forms will be mailed home. Visit my website: [www.empoweringthebereaved.com](http://www.empoweringthebereaved.com) for latest updates on groups.

**General Bereavement Groups (meet weekly)**

St. Bernard's Parish	Thursdays	April 5 - June 7	6:30 PM to 7:45 PM
St. Brigid's Parish	Tuesdays	April 3 - June 5	7:00 PM to 8:15 PM

**Group for Bereaved Parents (meets 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month)**

St Bernard's Parish	Mondays	March 5 - ongoing	7:00 PM to 8:15 PM
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**Group for Survivors of Suicide (meets 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month)**

St. Bernard's Parish	Mondays	March 12 - ongoing	7:00 PM to 8:15 PM
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**Additionally, for anyone seeking training to become a support group facilitator, there will be a seven-week training program on Thursdays from 7:45 PM to 9:00 PM from April 12 to May 24.** This will take place at the Parish Center of St. Bernard. There is a \$60 registration fee. Interested individuals should contact me directly at 516-799-5873 to register. Additionally, The diocese is having a day program for training facilitators on Mondays, April 9 to 30 from 9:30 AM to noon. Interested individuals should visit the diocesan website: [www.drvc-faith.org/bereavement](http://www.drvc-faith.org/bereavement)

Those who have questions about the groups or training can contact me via email at [lousab@aol.com](mailto:lousab@aol.com) or call me at 516-799-5873. From Feb. 10 to March 4, email is the best way to reach me or call my cell # 516-660-1352. Thank you.

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<b>Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, Bridgehampton</b>	Tuesday Evening	<i>Spanish</i>
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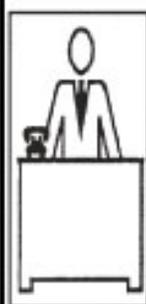
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