

at 8:00 PM

in church

OUR HOLY REDEEMER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

ONE PARISH, ONE FAMILY, ONE BODY, ONE CHURCH

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The Most Holy Rosary Every Saturday at 8:30 AM and Every Third Friday at 7:30 PM

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Mon Tue Thurs 10AM-1:30PM Sat. 11AM-3PM



SACRAMENTAL LIFE

→ MASS SCHEDULE →

Saturday

9: 00 AM 5:00 PM 7:00 PM (Sp.)

Sunday

7:00 AM & 8:00 AM (Sp.) 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM 1:30 PM (Sp.) & 5:00 PM

Weekday

Monday – Friday: 7:30 AM № 12:10 PM Wed.: 7:00 PM (Sp.) First Fri.: 7:00 PM (Sp.)

Sundays in Summer: Mass on the Waterfront at 10:00 AM

♣ BAPTISM **♣**

Every 2nd & 4th Sunday of the Month at 3:00 PM

SCONFESSION/PENANCE/RECONCILIATION №

Saturday: 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Wednesday: 6:30 PM - 7:00 PM Friday: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM or by appointment.

Marriages MUST be arranged at least six months in advance. Please call one of our Priests at the Rectory to make an appointment.

S PARISH TRUSTEES &

Miss Jane Dengel Mr. Manolo Rodriguez

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Mr. Charles Shields III

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DEVOTIONS

Divine Mercy Chaplet Every Friday after the 12:10 PM Mass

Miraculous Medal Novena Every Saturday after the 9:00 AM Mass

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SOCIETIES

Legion of Mary Sheila Walsh (516) 379-9028

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RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM (516) 378-0665

March 24, 2024, Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

FAITH AND THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

OFFERINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MONDAY, MARCH 25

MASSES

Monday of Holy Week, March 25

7:30am † Barbara Shearer

12:10pm † James Malone

2:00pm-4:00pm; 6:00pm-9:00pm Confessions

Tuesday of Holy Week, March 26

7:30am † Maureen E. Sandhaas

12:10pm + Felix Lora

Wednesday of Holy Week, March 27

7:30am Intentions of Christopher de Domenico

12:10pm † Mathilde Michel

7:00pm † Amado Firpo

Holy Thursday, March 28, Thursday of Holy Week

9:00am Morning Prayer

8:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday, March 29, Friday of the Passion of the Lord

(Fast & Abstinence)

9:00am Morning Prayer

9:30am-10:00am Confessions

12:00pm Stations of the Cross

3:00pm Passion of the Lord

6:00pm Stations of the Cross (Spanish)

7:00pm Passion of the Lord (Spanish)

Holy Saturday, March 30

9:00am Morning Prayer

9:30am-10:00am Confessions

8:00pm Easter Vigil

Sunday, March 31, EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

7:00am Priest's Intention

8:00am † Mario Cruz; † Bertrand Cruz; † Carmen Ojeda &

† Felicita Hernandez

9:30am Easter Novena

11:30am † Harold Mahony; † Dorothy Razukiewicz; &

† Faustino A. De La Rosa

1:30pm Parishioners of Our Holy Redeemer/Freeport

READINGS FOR MARCH 31, 2024 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

1st Reading

Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 118

2nd Reading

Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8

Gospel

Saint John 20:1-9

MONTHLY ANOINTING OF THE SICK



EVERY FIRST SUNDAY At the end of the 5 PM Mass

FAITH AND HOLY MATRIMONY BANNS OF MARRIAGE

NONE

(Holy Week liturgies will be broadcasted live from the Cathedral on Catholic Faith Network.

Chrism Mass-Cathedral: 26 March 4:00 P.M. Open to public.) No 5:00 P.M. Holy Mass on Easter Sunday* at O.H.R.

BREAD & WINE	Sanctuary Candles				
None Requested	None Requested				
† Holy Mass Intentions are available, please visit the rectory	TABERNACLE FLOWERS				
† Para intenciones de Santa Misa, por favor, visite la rectoría	None Requested				
Please remember the following individual(s) at the Altar of Our Holy Redeemer: NAME: □ Living □ Deceased OFFERING: □ Bread & Wine (\$40.00) □ Sanctuary Candles (\$33.00) □ Tabernacle Flowers: \$60.00 (\$30.00 Each) WEEK OF DATE:					
AMOUNT SUBMITTED:OFFERED BY: (NAME):					
ADDRESS:	TELEPHONE:				



+ FAITH AND PRAYER +





Please continue to say your prayers for the following members of our Armed Forces:

Sgt. Benjamin Bonifacio, Cody Bonora, William J. Busch, Colin Byrne, Melissa Castillo, Lt. Frank Chavez, Anthony Costante, Sgt. Joseph Courtien, Tyler Daly, Juan Diaz, Sr. Medical Admin. Jennifer Dengel, Maureen Douglas, Gaven Doyle, Timothy Duffy, Ryan Dugan, Katelyn Ann Foster, RN, Joseph Gelling, Jr., Michael George Gonzalez, Jean Gurnwald, Susana Ladino, Corp. Gaelan Lynch, Sgt. Ramon Marrero, Lorraine Martin, PO 1st Class Matthew Martin, Pvt. Jack McKnight, John Mediate, Sgt. Kelvin O. Melara, Jose Molina, Jr., Airman 1st Class Jerome Miles, Cmdr. Colleen Minihan, Maj. Paul Minihan, Sargent William Mugno, CPO Floyd A. Rivera, Seaman Miguel Rodríguez, Raúl Rodríguez, Sgt. Sammy Rodríguez, Benjamin Rhodes, Edwin Sandoval, Doug Schambert, Paul Seiden, Luis Sic, Pvt. 1st Class Ashley Sumner, Sr. Airman Daniel C. Swensen, Lt. Col. David Talafuse, Lt. Col. John Talafuse, Maj. Thomas Talafuse, Corp. Daniel Vargas, Anthony Williams, Sgt. Maj. Lynroy Williams,

Please Pray





Lorraine Avitabile, Anne Bouchereau, Daniel Arce, Gloria Arce, Kathleen Burnham, Maureen Carl, Thomas Cozzeto, Marie Dimanche, Maureen Douglas, Paul Doyle, Carol Estrema, Paul Fitzgerald, Kathy & Doug Fitzsimons, Amelia de la Fuente, Richard Feramisco, Yokasta Gonzalez, Xavier Gregg (child), Carla Griggs, Jean Grunwald, Dora Guerrero, Jamal Hamilton, Omari Harrison, Evelyn Hernandez, Jonathan Hernandez, Juan Hernandez, Michael Holian, Baby Madeleine Hoover, Brian Lamb, Brian Liranzo, Rafael Lopez, Ana Miranda Maldonado, Jose Martinez, Marta Martinez, Milton Martinez, Violeta Martínez, Linda Mcintosh Margaret Nadeau, Clem Neville, Geraldine Neville, Mary Nugent, Samson G Paul, Ann Pereira, Mark Petrasek, Cathy Pomerico, Willy Ramos, Eviana Rose, Diane Rougier, Andres Sabando, Jonathan Sabando, Scott Stuhlinger, Donald Suchan, Anna Taglieri, James Taylor, Angelo Termini, Charlie Termini, Marybeth Termini, Vinnie Termini, Ana Tineo, Brendan Turner, Eileen Turner, Julianne Valot, Elaine Verity, Mary Walsh, Kasey White, Lillian Wickman, Hope Wilson Mann and family, Mario Yotaeri, Melissa Young, all our sick brothers and sisters.

> Please call the Rectory if anyone is in serious need of prayers. The names will remain our prayer list for four weeks.

Thank you.



Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased:

All our Faithful Departed



Please help Venerable Anthony Vincent Gallo join the ranks of the Canonized Saints Pray for a Miracle

> for a suffering person through the intercession of the **Venerable Father Anthony Vincent Gallo**

Diocesan Priest, Oblate of the Congregation of the Priests of the Sacred Heart Montforte Irpino, 11 January 1899 – 2 May 1934

For more information please visit: www.fathergallo.com

FAITH AND FINANCES

OFFERTORY TOTALS

Mass	First Offering Mar.09/10, 2024	First Offering Mar.02/03, 2024	CURRENT WEEK ENVELOPES	PRIOR WEEK ENVELOPES
Automated Giving	\$ 1,013.00	\$1,248.25	30	30
Prior to Sunday	\$ 634.00	\$ 266.24	18	12
5:00 pm	\$ 976.00	\$ 970.00	19	19
7:00 pm	\$ 1,377.00	\$ 1,020.00	10	11
7:00 am	\$ 1,027.00	\$ 1,349.00	17	24
8:00 am	\$ 1,566.00	\$ 1,930.00	12	15
9:30 am	\$ 1,291.00	\$ 2,246.00	29	34
11:30 am	\$ 1,685.00	\$ 1,733.00	35	35
1:30 pm	\$ 3,073.00	\$ 2,903.00	38	26
5:00 pm	\$ 824.00	\$ 1,395.00	14	20
TOTAL	\$ 12,453.00	\$15,060.49	192	226

The NEW 2024 CMA has begun!

CMA Goal: \$84,800.00

Payments Received: \$9,593.00 (11% of Goal!)

Only \$75,207.00 or 89% to go

100% of every dollar raised is treated as restricted; to be used

ONLY for:

Parish Outreach Programs; Respect Life; Vocations

If we reach our goal we will receive a rebate of up to 80% over goal we go!!

2024 Eucharistic Revival Check out the following:



Monthly Adoration/Holy Hour Last Sunday of every month at 8:00pm

2024 Mass Book is now opened. Please come to the rectory to have your intentions prayed for!

FAITH AND EDUCATION

SCHOOL'S IN: DRIVE CAREFULLY (both on and off the road)



NEWS FROM THE DE LA SALLE SCHOOL (516) 379-8660

The De La Salle School—Catholic Lasallian School for young men Grades 5-8

During this Holy Week, we take the opportunity understand that our God is not one of coincidence. His acts of love are intentional. Every step toward the cross was intentional, his assuring God that his will would be done was intentional, every lesson laced with His personal love for all of us was intentional. We ask God to strengthen us so that we can be intentional in caring for his people.

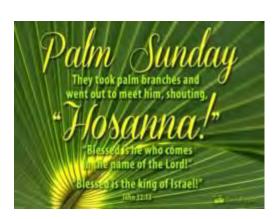
We know that it is this intentional love that drives you to support our mission. Thank you for following Jesus' lead of being intentional. May your Holy Week be a sacred time and may God bless us as we make this journey to Easter Sunday together.

On Tuesday, March 26 at 7:00pm we will have our Lenten Prayer Service, where our 8th grade students will reenact the Stations of the Cross. Please join us as community, a family, united in prayer because, "Where two or three are gathered in My name, I am in the midst of them."

Roxanna De Peña-Elder

Our Holy Redeemer Faith Formation

Wishing you a Blessed and Holy Palm Sunday! Our Holy Redeemer Faith Formation



Increase the faith of those who place their hope in you, and graciously hear the prayers of those who call on you, O God, that we, who today hold high these branches in our minds and hearts to hail Christ in his triumph, may bear fruit for you by good works accomplished in him.

Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

R. Amen.

Joanne Stuhlinger, Coordinator

DEACON'S CORNER



Today is Palm Sunday or Passion Sunday. Our Gospel is the Passion of Christ. In reflecting on the Passion, it brought to mind a question my mom asked me. She said, "My dear, what is the most important part of the body?" I replied, "the ear" She said, "N0 it's the shoulder." "Why? Is it because it holds up my head?" I asked.

"No," she replied, "it is because it can hold the head of a friend or a loved one when they cry/ Everybody needs a shoulder to cry on sometimes in life, my dear. On our shoulders, we can show compassion for others. On our shoulders, we can share with them their sorrow and their tears. Therefore, have your shoulders always ready for a friend and or a loved one to cry on when they need it." The most important body part is not a selfish one. It is being sympathetic to the pain of others. Likewise, on His shoulders, Jesus carried the cross. We are that cross. On his shoulders Jesus carried us. For the cross was Jesus' ultimate service for mankind. On his shoulders rests the salvation of mankind.

His cross revealed Christ' compassion and a love immeasurable.

Deacon Bruce

EL RINCÓN DEL DIÁCONO

Hoy es Domingo de Ramos o Domingo de Pasión. Nuestro Evangelio es la Pasión de Cristo. Al reflexionar sobre la Pasión, me vino a la mente una pregunta que me hizo mi mamá. Ella dijo: "Querida, ¿cuál es la parte más importante del cuerpo?" Le respondí: "la oreja". Ella dijo: "No, es el hombro". "¿Por qué? ¿Es porque sostiene mi cabeza? Yo pregunté.

"No", respondió ella, "es porque puede sostener la cabeza de un amigo o de un ser querido cuando llora. Todo el mundo necesita un hombro sobre el que llorar a veces en la vida, querida. Sobre nuestros hombros podemos mostrar compasión por los demás. Sobre nuestros hombros podemos compartir con ellos su dolor y sus lágrimas. Por lo tanto, ten tus hombros siempre listos para que un amigo o un ser querido llore sobre ellos cuando lo necesite".

La parte más importante del cuerpo no es egoísta. Es ser comprensivo con el dolor de los demás. Asimismo, sobre Sus hombros, Jesús llevó la cruz. Nosotros somos esa cruz. Sobre sus hombros Jesús nos llevó. Porque la cruz fue el máximo servicio de Jesús para la humanidad. Sobre sus hombros descansa la salvación de la humanidad. Su cruz reveló la compasión de Cristo y un amor inconmensurable.

Díácono Bruce



Pastor's Message

Homily: Palm Sunday 2024

Today the Church celebrates Palm Sunday. Today we begin Holy Week, welcoming Jesus into our lives, asking Him to allow us to share in his suffering, death and resurrection.

- --This is also the time of year when we stop to remember and relive the events which brought about our redemption and salvation. The Holy Week liturgy makes present for us the actual events of the dying and rising of Jesus. Further, the liturgy enables us to experience in our lives here and now what Jesus went through then.
- --What we commemorate and relive during this week is not just Jesus' dying and rising, but our own dying and rising in Him, which will result in our healing, reconciliation, and redemption.
- --Just as Jesus did, we too must lay down our lives freely by actively participating in the Holy Week liturgy. In doing so, we are allowing Jesus to forgive us our sins, to heal the wounds in us caused by our sins and the sins of others and to transform us more completely into the image and likeness of God.
- --Thus, we will be able to live more fully the divine life we received at Baptism. Proper participation in the Holy Week liturgy will deepen our relationship with God, increase our faith and strengthen our lives as disciples of Jesus.
- --But let us remember that Holy Week can become "holy" for us only if we actively and consciously take part in the liturgy of this week. During this week of passion, passionate suffering, passionate grace, passionate love, and passionate forgiving, each of us is called to remember the Christ of Calvary and then to embrace and lighten the burden of the Christ.
- --Christ's passion continues to be experienced in the hungry, the poor, the sick, the homeless, the lonely and the outcast.

- II. Today's liturgy combines two contrasting moments: of glory and suffering, the welcome of Jesus in Jerusalem and the drama of his trial culminating in his crucifixion.
- A. The Gospel at the entrance of the church today: describes the reception, which Jesus received from his admirers, who paraded with him for a distance of two miles: from the Mount of Olives to the city of Jerusalem.
- --Two-and-a-half million people were normally present to celebrate the Jewish feast of the Passover. **Jesus permitted such a procession for two reasons:**
- 1) to reveal to the general public that he was the promised Messiah, and
- 2) to fulfill the prophecies in the Old Testament of Zechariah (9:9) and Zephaniah (3: 16-19): "Rejoice, daughter of Zion.... see how your king comes to you; he is victorious, triumphant, humble, and riding on a donkey..." (Zech. 9:9).
- -- The traditional "Palm Sunday Procession" in Jerusalem began in the fourth century A.D. when the bishop of Jerusalem led the procession from the Mount of Olives to the Church of the Ascension).
- B. <u>In the second part of today's gospel</u>, we listen to the Passion of Christ according to Saint Mark. We are challenged to examine our own lives in the light of some of the people in the story like **Peter** who denied Jesus, **Judas** who betrayed Jesus, **Pilate** who acted against his conscience and condemned Jesus to death on the cross, **Herod** who ridiculed Jesus and the leaders of the people who preserved their position by getting rid of Jesus.

CONCLUSION: QUESTION FOR US ON THIS PALM SUNDAY IS: Am I ready to surrender my life to Jesus during this Holy Week and welcome Him into all areas of my life as my Lord and Savior, singing "hosanna"?

--Let the palms remind us that Christ is the king of our hearts, that Christ is the only true answer to our quest for happiness and meaning in our lives.

COME AND FIND OUT! WHAT THE CATHOLICS OF AFRICAN ANCESTRY IS ALL ABOUT! SUNDAY APRIL 14, 2024 AFTER THE 9:30 A.M. MASS IN THE LOWER CHURCH

The Ministry to Catholics of African Ancestry serves African American and Caribbean Catholic communities as well as indigenes of different African Nations in our parish.

Our Holy Redeemer's Ministry to Catholics of African Ancestry is an apostolate that falls under the umbrella of the <u>Diocese of Rockville Centre's</u> Office of Multicultural Diversity, whose purpose is to:

- 1. Serve the spiritual, cultural, educational, and social needs of Catholics of African Ancestry in the diocese;
- 2. Encourage further insight and understanding by the church of these needs:
- 3. Foster vocations to the priesthood, religious life and deaconate;
- 4. Stimulate the development and training of lay leaders, especially youth and young adults, of African ancestry to assume leadership roles at the parish and diocesan levels.
- 5. Promote spiritual and liturgical rites that are synonymous with and culturally akin to people of African ancestry; and
- 6. Work to identify and eliminate the seeds of racism that seriously affect relationships between Catholics of African ancestry and those who are not.

"He will Baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire."
(Matthew 3:11)



Are you ready to be refreshed?

Holy Spirit Seminar

We all need to imitate Jesus, and this happens when the Holy Spirit comes alive in us. Adults and young adults (14+) are invited to come and receive a new release of the Spirit's presence in their lives.

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

DATES: April 4, 11, 18, 25

April 27 (Retreat Day)

May 2, 9, 16

WHERE: Lower Meeting Room, Our Holy Redeemer Church

Please register by returning the below form either to the Rectory; in the collection basket; or by contacting Carolyn Jimenez at 516.849.6030 or Carolyn Terzulli at 516.633.4990

Holy	Spirit Seminar Registration Form
Name:	
Phone:	
Email:	



Pastor's Message

From Father Cedrick Pisegna Examination of Conscience

A person's conscience is our most secret core and our sanctuary. There we are alone with God whose voice echoes in our depths. (Catechism #1776)

The Spiritual and moral life is about going forward, moving and growing. As you examine your heart, your conscience, are there any areas where you feel stuck or are even going backwards? You must confront and confess these issues in order to move. In addition, you must be honest enough to try to get to the roots. As you surrender your issues and sins to the Lord, you can *trust God* for mercy, gentleness and healing.

Some issues to think about:

- 1) Anger: Are you angry with others, circumstances, self or God? Is there bitterness, resentment and non-forgiveness in your heart? Do you manage your anger by "exploding" or "imploding"? Possible roots of anger are: Perfectionism, grasping for control, unrealistic expectations, family of origin.
- 2) Relationships: Is there someone you need to forgive? Can you ask for the courage to pray for them now? Is there someone you need to confront about their behavior? Ask for the courage to do so and to do it in a non-threatening way. Are you striving to love the irritating and "unlovely" people in your life? Or do you just avoid them?
- 3) <u>Codependency</u>: Do you allow the behaviors and emotions of others to control and manipulate you? Are you a people pleaser and live in fear of what others think all the time? Do you stand up for yourself? Are you true to yourself? Roots: insecurity, fear of rejection.
- 4) Idols: What "catches" your eye in life? Is it out of balance shopping, T.V., excessive Internet, gambling, food, drinking, sex, travel, sports, or work? Are you impulsive, compulsive, obsessive and out of control in any of these areas? What would being in balance mean in these areas? Roots: Low self-image/body image, boredom, lack of control, frustration with life, loneliness, self-sabotage. The need to escape from external and/or internal pain.
- 5) Gossip: Do you build relationships with others based on ungodly talk and slander? Control? Manipulation? Possible roots are the need for acceptance and approval from others. Belittling others to make yourself feel more important. Insecurity.
- 6) <u>Lust</u>: Do you watch programs on T.V., explore the Internet or read books that are inappropriate? Does this lead to unwanted behaviors? Possible roots: Longing for God shifted to lust. Lack of contentment stemming from the need for excitement. Lack of self-control and immaturity. Simple rebelliousness and flippant disregard.
- 7) <u>Laziness</u>: Are you lazy in areas of personal health, relationships, work, and seeking God? Roots: Lack of self-control and discipline, immaturity, low self-esteem, selfishness, lack of integrity.
- 8) Pride: Exaggerated self-importance. Are you stubborn, controlling, insensitive, cynical, contentious, opinionated and slow to say you were wrong? Do you judge others harshly simply by appearance? Pride denies and hides issues. It has a need to always be right. Humility admits, confronts and confesses. Roots: "I" Selfishness, negative self-image, fear and insecurity.
- 9) Anything else? Is there any other area that you need to confront and look at in order to experience healing, forgiveness and go forward? Look at your relationship with God, others and self. Try to think not just about your issues, but possible roots. God Bless you as you confront, face your pain, confess and move forward!!

MASSES AVAILABLE MARCH 2024

Wednesday, March 27: 7:00pm

Easter Sunday, March 31: 8:00am

Wednesday, April 3: 7:00pm

Sunday, April 7: 8:00am, & 11:30am



HELP SUPPORT OUR HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

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Although it's not operating as a Parish School anymore, we still have maintenance and operating costs for the building.

PLEASE HELP SUPPORT OUR HOLY REDEEMER PARISH BY USING THE TEAROFF BELOW TO BUY A RAFFLE TICKET.



AYUDE A APOYAR A NUESTRA PARROQUIA DEL SANTO REDENTOR

Aunque ya no funciona como una Escuela Parroquial,

todavía tenemos costos de mantenimiento y operación para el edificio.

POR FAVOR, AYUDE A APOYAR A NUESTRA PARROQUIA DEL SANTO REDENTOR UTILIZANDO EL DESENLACE A CONTINUACIÓN PARA COMPRAR UN BOLETO DE RIFA.

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Please tear off and drop in the collection basket or drop off at the rectory./
Por favor, arranque y deje caer en la canasta de recolección o deje en la rectoría.
Name/Nombre:
Address/Dirección:
Telephone Number/Número de teléfono:
For rectory use only/ Solo para uso de rectoría: Ticket#/Boleto#: Amount/ Importe: Cash or Check/ Efectivo o cheque:



From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners: Our Holy Redeemer Parish needs a volunteer to fill in a Receptionist position, The volunteer will be trained by Kathleen Weston, our Business Manager. Please, if you, or if you know of a serious candidate for this position, please call me at the parish office.

Blessings, Fr. Christopher Nowak, Pastor

Job Description: Volunteer – Receptionist

Hours: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. / Afternoon Hours

Reports to: Pastor and Pastoral Business Associate

Summary of Position:

Good communications, phone skills

• Organized.

• Time management skills.

• Computer and letter writing skills a plus.

Some Responsibilities:

- Answer phones, and direct calls or messages to correct parties.
- Answer door, field inquiries.
- Distribute group keys, field calls from groups to confirm or cancel a meeting. Take in room requests.
- Adoration chapel key application, copies, and fees.



Purgatorial Society Remembrances March 2024

Bishop Paul H. Walsh

Rev. Msgr. James M. McDonald

Msgr. Donald T. Bennett

Albert Chimeri Albert Stoessel **Andrew Stoessel Doug Fitzsimmons Ernest Stoessel, Sr. Ernest Stoessel Geraldine King George Fischer** George Turner, Jr. George P. Brown **Henry Dengel Herbert Roland Ramirez** Janene M. Suchan Jean Dengel John J. Keegan Joseph Keegan

Justin Michael Perez



Laura Ann Marchese
Maria Keegan
Marie V. Weiss
Mark Kojamanian
Mary Brown
Patrick Keegan
Rose Stoessel
Sara Aglim Gelling
Thomas Keegan
Thomas J. Suchan
Silas Rosales
William E. Suchan, Jr.
William R. Suchan

Each month all names submitted and received in time will be prayed for at Mass. In addition, the names will be proclaimed on the last 9am Saturday Mass of the month.

All names received by March 25, 2024 will be enrolled for April 2024.

The donation is \$20 per name

Please print clearly

Name to be enrolled:_______

Your name:

HOLY WEEK 2024/SEMANA SANTA 2024

PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION, MARCH 23/24

March 23: 5:00 P.M. Mass № 7:00 P.M. Mass (Spanish)

March 24: 7:00 A.M. Mass № 8:00 A.M. Mass (Spanish in Escuela)

9:30 A.M. Mass № 11:30 A.M. Mass

1:30 P.M. Mass (Spanish) № 5:00 P.M. Mass

MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK, MARCH 25

2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. Confession 6:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. Confession

HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 28

9:00 A.M. Morning Prayer 8:00 P.M. Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper Bi-lingual Mass (English + Spanish) (The Blessed Sacrament will be reposed in the church for private adoration until Midnight.)

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 29

9:00 A.M. Morning Prayer 9:30 A.M. to 10:00 A.M. Confession 12:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross 3:00 P.M. Celebration of the Passion of the Lord 6:00 P.M. Via Crucis (Spanish) 7:00 P.M. La Pasión del Señor (Spanish)

HOLY SATURDAY, MARCH 30

9:00 A.M. Morning Prayer 9:30 A.M. to 10:00 A.M. Confession 8:00 P.M. Easter Vigil Mass Bi-lingual Mass (English + Spanish)

EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 31

7:00 A.M. Mass 8:00 A.M. Mass (Spanish) 9:30 A.M. Mass №11:30 A.M. Mass 1:30 P.M. Mass (Spanish)

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Parishes Praying for Priests

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2024

Prayer for Priests
On Tuesdays:
April 9, 2024 &
October 29, 2024



Parishes of the Rockville Centre Diocese are answering Our Lady's Call to pray for our Shepherds.

All are invited to pray for our priests by name at a parish listed below and also to help us spread this ministry.

Eucharistic Adoration Open Hours at these Parishes

Curé of Ars, Merrick	4:15 - 8:15 pm	St Frances de Chantal, Wantagh	12 - 2 pm
Good Shepherd Church, Holbrook	12-1 pm	St Isidore, Riverhead	6 – 8 pm
Holy Family, Hicksville (Adoration Chapel, Parish Ctr)	6-8 pm	St Joachim. Cedarhurst	3 – 5 pm
Holy Name of Jesus, Woodbury	6-8 pm	St John Nepomucene, Bohema	5-8 pm
Holy Name of Mary, Valley Stream	2-4 pm	St John the Evangelist, Center Moriches	3 – 8 pm
Maria Regina, Seaford (Maria Regina Chapel)	4 – 8 pm	St Peter of Alcantara, Port Washington (IHM Chapel)	6-9 pm
Our Holy Redeemer, Freeport	6-9 pm	St Mary of the Isle, Long Beach	12 - 3:30 pm
Our Lady of Mercy, Hicksville	5:30 - 8:30 pm	St Mary Church, Manhasset	6:30 - 8:30 pm
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lindenhurst	6-10 pm	St Rose of Lima, Massapequa (Father Graham Chapel)	5 – 9 pm
St Agnes Cathedral, RVC (Holy Cross Chapel)	5-9 pm	St Rosalie, Hampton Bays	6 – 8 pm
St Barnabas the Apostle. Bellmore	5-7 pm	St Thomas the Apostle, West Hempstead (Lower Church)	5 – 7 pm
St Aidan, Williston Park	6:15 - 8:15 pm	St Therese of Lisieux, Montauk	5-7 pm
St Brigid, Westbury	1-5 pm	St Rocco, Glen Cove	6-9 pm
St Christopher, Baldwin	5-9 pm		

Is your parish not listed? Call Arlene 516.458.0004 or email PrayForPriestsDRVC@aol.com

Our Holy Redeemer needs Volunteers for our turn with the Prayers:

6 English Lectors and 6 Spanish Lectors.

If you wish to volunteer, please call the Rectory during working hours: 516-378-0665.



Jesus and the Eucharist: A Small Group Series for Eucharistic Revival for Bulletins

Dear Parishioners,

As we continue this year of Eucharistic Revival, we would like to invite you to grow closer to Jesus alongside fellow parishioners through the Jesus and the Eucharist study. This study was specifically designed for this Year of Parish Revival, and we will be joining many other parishes throughout the United States in participating in this small group study as we journey together through this three-year National Eucharistic Revival.

Each session is full of rich theological content, powerful testimonies, and unique and timely messages from individual bishops across the country. This is a great opportunity to dive more deeply into the richness of our Eucharistic faith.

This study will be a special time to grow in community within our parish as we walk this sacred year together, and we really desire you to join us.

Please join us on Mondays, 25 March; 15 April; 29 April; 20 May; 3 June; 17 June; & 24 June 2024, at 7:30 P.M. in the lower church at Our Holy Redeemer R. C. Church 37 South Ocean Avenue Freeport, New York 11520. Hospitality will be provided, and we hope to see you there! (Please RSVP at 516-378-0665 Ext 117) Father Christopher Nowak

Jesús y la Eucaristía: Una serie para grupos pequeños para el Avivamiento Eucarístico Ejemplar de muestra para los boletines

Queridos feligreses,

Al continuar este año de Avivamiento Eucarístico, nos gustaría invitarlos a acercarse más cerca a Jesús junto a otros feligreses a través del estudio "Jesús y la Eucaristía". Este estudio se diseñó específicamente para este Año del Avivamiento Parroquial, y nos uniremos a muchas otras parroquias de todo Estados Unidos para participar en este estudio en pequeños grupos mientras recorremos juntos este Avivamiento Eucarístico Nacional de tres años de duración.

Cada sesión está repleta de rico contenido teológico, poderosos testimonios y mensajes únicos y oportunos de obispos individuales de todo el país. Es una gran oportunidad para profundizar en la riqueza de nuestra fe eucarística.

Este estudio será un momento especial para crecer en comunidad dentro de nuestra parroquia mientras caminamos juntos este año sagrado, y realmente deseamos que te unas a nosotros.

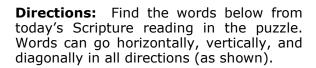
Únete a nosotros los miércoles, 3 de abril; 10 de abril; 17 de abril; 15 de mayo; 22 de mayo 2024, después de la Santa Misa de 7:00 P.M. en el sótano de la iglesia de Nuestro Santo Redentor, 37 South Ocean Avenue Freeport, New York 11520.

Se ofrecerá hospitalidad, jy esperamos verte allí! (Favor llame al 516-378-0665 Ext 117) Padre Christopher Nowak

Is He truly the Son of God for You?

At noon darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. And at three o'clock Jesus cried out in a loud voice. 'Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?' which is translated, 'My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?' Some of the bystanders who hear it said, 'Look, he is calling Elijah.' One of them ran, soaked a sponge with wine, put on a reed and gave it to Him to drink, saying, 'Wait, let us see if Elijah comes to take him down.' Jesus gave a loud cry and breathed his last. The veil of the sanctuary was torn in two from top to bottom. When the centurion who stood facing Him saw how he breathed his last he said, 'Truly this man was the Son of God?".

Saint Mark 14:1-15:47



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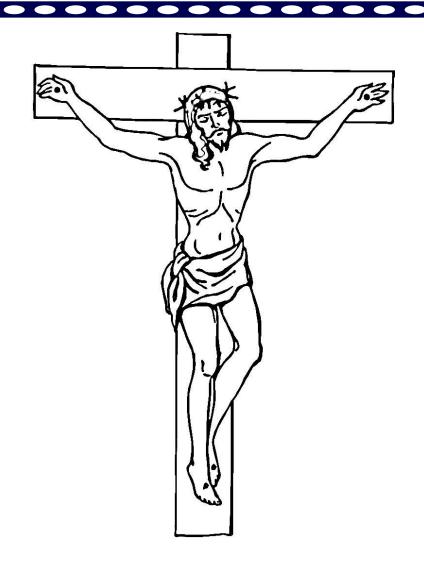
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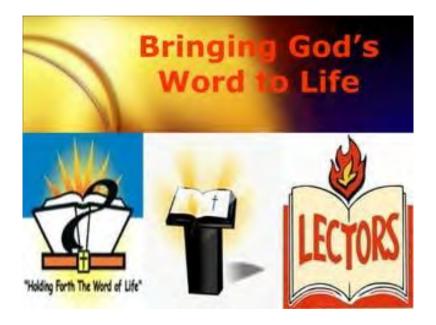
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To All Students ages 10-17

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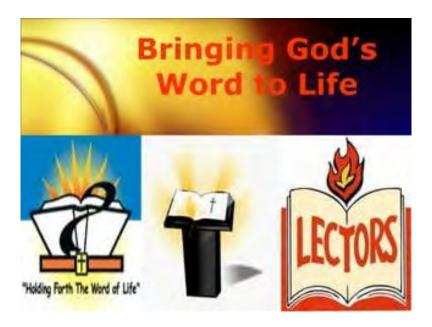
God may be calling you to become a Youth Lector!

Father Chris would like to have Youth Lectors at the 9:30am Mass on Sundays. If you are interested, please have your parents contact Joanne Stuhlinger at the Faith Formation Office (516-546-1057).





Dando Vida a la Palabra de Dios



A todos los estudiantes de edades entre 10-17

¿Te gusta leer? ¿Eres realmente bueno leyendo en voz alta?

¡Puede que Dios te esté llamando a convertirte en Lector Juvenil!

Al Padre Chris le gustaría tener lectores juveniles en las Misas de las 9:30 AM los domingos. Si estás interesado, pídeles a tus padres que se comuniquen con Joanne Stuhlinger en la Oficina de Formación de Fe (516-546-1057).



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There is a great group of women who have been meeting here in the Parish for more than 80 years The Catholic Daughters of the Americas is a way for all women to enhance their spiritual and emotional growth. We are open to all Catholic women 18 years and older. We are ready to restart our meetings on the 2nd Monday every month from 7-9 pm in the church basement. For more information, please contact

Cathy Cavanagh, Regent
a 516-314-3494

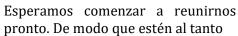


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El Grupo Señor de las Misericordias





De un anuncio oficial en un Boletín muy próximo. Estamos muy ansiosos de volver a reunirnos con todos ustedes.



Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos Creciendo en Cristo

Estamos muy deseosos de volver a reunirnos con todos ustedes. Para más información:

Estén al tanto de próximos anuncios en el Boletín. Pueden llamar a Armando Vásquez al (516) 590-5403

Grupo Santo Redentor

El Grupo de Oración Carismático Santo Redentor se reúne todos los martes de cada mes, de 6:30 PM a 9:00 de la noche.



Para más información por favor llame a la coordinadora del grupo: Angela Barillas. 516-943-8137.



<u>Ultreya</u>

Nos reunimos todos los miércoles a las 7:30 de la noche en el sótano de la Escuela. Para más información comuníquese con nuestra vocal: Blanca Peralta al 516-1325-3487.

Lecturas para el 31 de Marzo de 2024 Domingo de Pascua de la Resurrección del Señor Primera Lectura: Hechos 10, 34. 37-43

> Salmo Responsorial: Salmo 117 Segunda Lectura: Colosenses 3, 1-4 Evangelio: San Juan 20, 1-9

¿Le gustaría servir en el Ministerio de Hospitalidad de la Iglesia?



Lo invistamos a unirse a nuestro grupo. Si desea más información, por favor, llame a Carlos Portillo al 516-849-4568 o a Elmer Vásquez 516-395-7389.

¡Urgente Llamado a los Monaguillos!



¿Te gustaría ayudar a servir en el altar? ¿Por qué no unirte al creciente grupo de jóvenes que ayudan al Sacerdote en nuestro Altar? Si estás interesado, y tus padres están de acuerdo, llama al Padre Carlos al 516-378-0665. Si él

no está disponible, déjale un recado con tu nombre y teléfono y él o un delegado te llamará. El primer paso es recibir instrucción para que sepas lo que tienes que hacer y las primeras veces que sirves te acompañará otro servidor con experiencia que te ayudará a hacer lo que debes hacer. De modo, que imanos a la obra!



El Grupo Carismático Cristo

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