



### Holy Hour

Every last Sunday  
of the Month  
at 6:00 PM  
in church

# OUR HOLY REDEEMER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

*ONE PARISH, ONE FAMILY, ONE BODY, ONE CHURCH*

✠ *A PERPETUAL ADORATION PARISH* ✠

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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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Miss Kathleen Weston  
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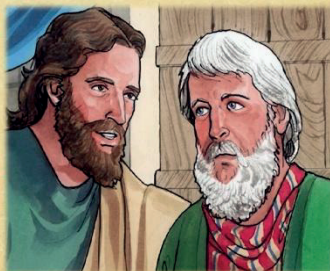
### HUMAN SERVICES / THRIFT SHOP

Mrs. Sullivan, Director  
(516) 868-8289

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

Matthew Chapter 18

15 "If your brother sins  
against you, go, show  
him his fault between  
you and him alone. If he  
listens to you, you have  
gained back your  
brother."



## 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 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Month at 3:00 PM

### CONFESSIO/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.

### MATRIMONY

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

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### PARISH TRUSTEES

Miss Jane Dengel  
Mr. Manolo Rodriguez

### FINANCE COMMITTEE

CHAIRPERSON  
Mr. Charles Shields III



### DEVOTIONS

*Divine Mercy Chaplet*  
Every Friday after the  
12:10 PM Mass  
*Miraculous Medal Novena*  
Every Saturday after the 9:00  
AM Mass



### SOCIETIES

*Nocturnal Adoration Society*  
Jane Dengel  
(516) 404-9347



### ORGANIZATIONS

*Catholic Daughters  
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*Ministry of Catholics  
of African Ancestry*  
Lawrence Ogbutor  
516-298-2258

Rectory Hours  
Monday – Friday  
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
1 PM to 5 PM

September 6, 2026, 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

# FAITH AND THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

## OFFERINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2026

### MASSSES

#### Monday, September 7

7:30am † Mary Blaney

12:10pm † Donna Benevento

#### Tuesday, September 8, The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:30am † Tony DiFippi

12:10pm Intentions of Giuseppa Caruso

#### Wednesday, September 9, USA: Saint Peter Claver

7:30am † Vito Zazzero

12:10pm † Rose Tsirbas

7:00pm Intentions of Anthony Medrano

#### Thursday, September 10

7:30am † Linda McIntosh

12:10pm † Aloysius Soh

#### Friday, September 11

7:30am † Laura Marchese

12:00pm † Richard T. Muldowney

7:00pm *Misa de Jovenes*

#### Saturday, September 12

9:00am Intentions of Irene Filfiley

5:00pm Intentions of Jayleen Cruz Abreu

7:00pm † Mercedes Lara; Intentions of Guerra Romero Family;  
In Thanksgiving to St. Jude for answered prayers; & † Souls in Purgatory

#### Sunday, September 13, TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:00am Intentions of Bishop John Barres; † Richard Grice;

† Souls in Purgatory; & † Patricia H. Reilly

8:00am † Aura Maria Peralta

9:30am † Roberto Duran

10:00am † Lucie Francois-Refuse (Waterfront)

11:30am Parishioners of Our Holy Redeemer/ Freeport

1:30pm Intentions of Brianna Guerra

5:00pm Priest's Intention

### READINGS FOR SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

#### 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading

**Sirach 27:30—28:7**

Responsorial Psalm

**Psalm 103**

2nd Reading

**Romans 14:7-9**

Gospel

**Saint Matthew 18:21-35**

### MONTHLY ANOINTING OF THE SICK



**EVERY FIRST SUNDAY**  
**At the end of the 5 PM Mass**



**FAITH AND HOLY MATRIMONY**



**BANNS OF MARRIAGE**

**III: ANTHONY VINCENT SOTIRA & JULIA FAILLA**

#### BREAD & WINE

None Requested

#### SANCTUARY CANDLES

None Requested

† FOR HOLY MASS INTENTION, PLEASE VISIT THE RECTORY

#### TABERNACLE FLOWERS

† Para intencion 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: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Cash ☐ Check #: \_\_\_\_\_

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, Nicholas R. Cruz, Tyler Daly, Juan Diaz, 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, 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, CPO Floyd A. Rivera, Seaman Miguel Rodriguez, 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 for



James Abbandola, Jim Aleppo, Louis Algero, Daniel Arce, Gloria Arce, Mary Bailey, GaleAnn Bellini, Anne Bouchereau, Stacy Calixto, Maureen Carl, George Carrig, Kevin Carrig, Gloria Carroll, Frank Conanan, Theresa N. Condy, Elsie Diaz, Paul Fitzgerald, Kathy & Doug Fitzsimons, Gloria Gianuzzi, Rosemarie (Artie) Grover, Dora Guerrero, Nora Guzman Pinos, Elliot Guzman, Roberto Orlando Guzman, Paul Hladky, Michael Holian, Baby Braiden Lawrence Jeffers, Ed Kangesier, Barbara Anne Kelnhofer, Mary Jo Koch, Bart Lazarus, Marilyn C. Liebman, Patricia Lindenmeyer, Brian Liranzo, José Liranzo, Ashley Longo, Baby Luca Longo, Rafael Lopez, Marie McCloskey, Anthony Medrano, Maribel Melicio, Margaret Nadeau, Juan Núñez, Samson G. Paul, Patria Paulino, Cathy Pomerico, Kathy Roehl, Eviana Rose, Elisa Sanchez, Rita Sciarretta, Peter Stoessel, Donald Suchan, Anna Taglieri, Caridad Taveras, James Tayler, Ángelo Termini, Charlie Termini, Marybeth Termini, Vinnie Termini, Ana Tineo, Sam Tobar, Billy Trouard, Esther Turan, Brendan Turner, Eileen Turner, Sarah Turner, Julianne Valot, Elaine Verity, Bill Walsh, Mary Walsh, James Wehrum, Kasey White, Lillian Wickman, Robert Wicks, Hope Wilson Mann and Family, and all our sick brothers and sisters.

Please call the Rectory

If anyone is in serious need of prayers.

The names will remain in

Our prayer list for three months.



Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased  
John Culkin

Thank you.



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](http://www.fathergallo.com)



# FAITH AND EDUCATION

SCHOOOL'S IN: DRIVE CAREFULLY (BOTH ON AND OFF THE ROAD)

## Welcoming Our 25th School Year

On September 8, we will joyfully welcome our students back to The De La Salle School as we begin an exciting new 2026-2027 school year and celebrate our 25th year of serving young men and families.

We give thanks to God for the blessing of our Lasallian community and gather once again in the spirit of Faith, Zeal, and Community, guided by the Holy Spirit.

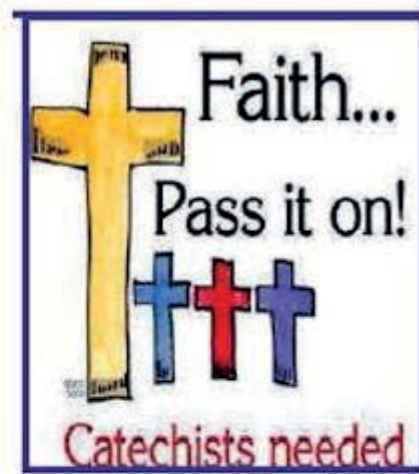
As we begin this special year, may our students embrace every opportunity to learn, grow, serve, and flourish. We look forward to sharing the many accomplishments and milestones of our 25th year with the Our Holy Redeemer community.

May God bless our students, families, faculty, staff, alumni, OHR Community and the entire De La Salle community as we celebrate 25 years of faith, education, and community!

“Live, Jesus, in our hearts... forever.”

*Roxanna De Peña-Elder*  
Executive Director

## *Our Holy Redeemer Faith Formation*



Do you feel God is calling you to do more?? Would you love to share your Faith with the children of Our Holy Redeemer? Catechists (and Catechist Aides) are needed for Classes that will begin at the end of September.

Still needed: Wednesday Afternoons 4:30pm-5:45pm  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, 7<sup>th</sup> Grade and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

*Please contact the Faith Formation Office for more details (516-546-1057)*  
*Joanne Stuhlinger, Faith Formation Coordinator*

# FAITH AND FINANCES

## OFFERTORY TOTALS



| MASS                | FIRST OFFERING<br>Aug29/30,2026 | FIRST OFFERING<br>Aug22/23,2026 | FIRST OFFERING<br>Aug 15/16,2026 | FIRST OFFERING<br>Aug8/9,2026 | CURRENT WEEK<br>ENVELOPES | PRIOR WEEK<br>ENVELOPES |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Automated Giving    | \$ 732.57                       | \$ 766.07                       | \$ 802.32                        | \$ 795.63                     | 27                        | 27                      |
| Prior to Sunday     | \$ 970.00                       | \$ 917.00                       | \$ 600.00                        | \$ 1,027.00                   | 18                        | 18                      |
| 5:00 pm             | \$ 1,075.00                     | \$ 774.00                       | \$ 979.00                        | \$ 553.00                     | 14                        | 14                      |
| 7:00 pm             | \$ 1,074.00                     | \$ 1,248.00                     | \$ 1,284.00                      | \$ 1,945.00                   | 14                        | 14                      |
| 7:00 am             | \$ 1,791.00                     | \$ 1,235.00                     | \$ 1,127.00                      | \$ 840.00                     | 21                        | 21                      |
| 8:00 am             | \$ 2,155.00                     | \$ 1,828.00                     | \$ 2,085.00                      | \$ 1,806.00                   | 24                        | 24                      |
| 9:30 am             | \$ 921.00                       | \$ 708.00                       | \$ 672.00                        | \$ 870.00                     | 14                        | 14                      |
| Waterfront-10:00 am | \$ 1,224.00                     | \$ 877.00                       | \$ 866.00                        | \$ 807.00                     | 13                        | 13                      |
| 11:30 am            | \$ 994.00                       | \$ 963.00                       | \$ 853.00                        | \$ 897.00                     | 24                        | 24                      |
| 1:30 pm             | \$ 2,086.00                     | \$ 2,300.00                     | \$ 2,283.00                      | \$ 1,956.00                   | 20                        | 20                      |
| 5:00 pm             | \$ 910.00                       | \$ 1,041.00                     | \$ 686.00                        | \$ 763.00                     | 13                        | 13                      |
| <b>TOTAL</b>        | <b>\$13,932.57</b>              | <b>\$12,657.07</b>              | <b>\$12,237.32</b>               | <b>\$12,259.63</b>            | <b>202</b>                | <b>202</b>              |

### 2026 Catholic Ministry Appeal (CMA):

2026 Goal (adjusted) = \$44,520

Total pledges paid to date \$28,490.41

Amount needed to reach goal \$16,029.59

Amount needed to reach rebate \$33,837.59\*

\* Rebate given only when we reach 70% of the original goal of \$89,040 or \$62,328.00

If you haven't received your envelopes yet, please help us credit your account properly by putting your name and address or parishioner number (if known) on the envelope, thank you.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> collections for the next few weeks are as follows:

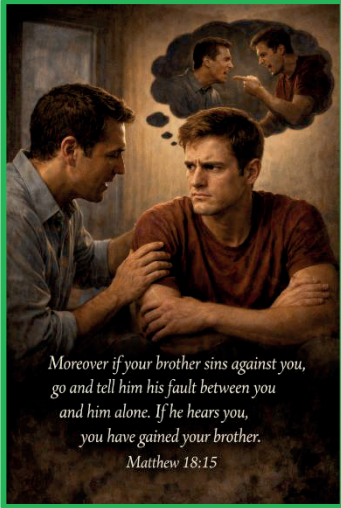
9/06/2026 Catholic University Collection

9/13/2026 Debt Reduction

9/20/2026 St. Pius X Enriched Living

9/27/2026 Maintenance & Repairs

## DEACON'S CORNER



“If your brother sins against you” (See Saint Matthew 18:15-20). Jesus gives us here the basis for proper relationship with our neighbor. He tells us the secret of how to deal with others. He says, “if your brothers (or your sister)” Do you understand what He is saying? The basis to solve the problem—in fact, any relationship problem—is to view the offender in the right way. We must see him or her as our own brother or sister. In this way, we can see it as a family matter. After all, Jesus taught us to call God our Father, and at the cross he gave us Mary as our mother. Doesn’t that mean that we are all related? Yes, we are closely related! ***We are all brothers and sisters,***

***children in the Great Family of God.*** Therefore, we must learn to treat each other as such. With this as a basis we can see why we are all not to talk to others about what our brother or sister has done to us. We are to talk with that individual first in private. We go directly to him or her to treat the matter with love and respect just as we would do with a close member of our own fleshly family.

*Deacon Cris*

## EL RINCÓN DEL DIÁCONO

«Si tu hermano peca contra ti» (véase San Mateo 18, 15-20). Jesús nos ofrece aquí la base para una relación adecuada con el prójimo. Nos revela el secreto de cómo tratar a los demás. Dice: «si tu hermano (o tu hermana)». ¿Comprendes lo que quiere decir? La clave para resolver el problema —de hecho, cualquier problema en las relaciones— radica en ver a la persona que nos ha ofendido de la manera correcta. Debemos verla como a nuestro propio hermano o hermana. De este modo, podemos considerar la situación como un asunto familiar. Al fin y al cabo, Jesús nos enseñó a llamar Padre a Dios y, desde la cruz, nos entregó a María como madre. ¿Acaso no significa esto que todos estamos emparentados? ¡Sí, tenemos un vínculo muy estrecho! ***Todos somos hermanos y hermanas, hijos de la gran familia de Dios.*** Por tanto, debemos aprender a tratarnos mutuamente como tales. Partiendo de esta base, comprendemos por qué no debemos hablar con otros sobre lo que nuestro hermano o hermana nos haya hecho. Primero debemos hablar con esa persona en privado. Acudimos directamente a ella para abordar el asunto con amor y respeto, tal como lo haríamos con un miembro cercano de nuestra propia familia de sangre.

*Diácono Cris*





## Homily: Twenty Third Sunday OT A FORGIVENESS AS A WAY OF LIFE

I Last 's gospel message was: If we truly practice our Catholic Faith its going to require sacrifice: NO CROSS NO CROWN. These next two weeks we deal with the topic of forgiveness. If we truly live our Catholic faith forgiveness has to be a way of life. God wants his children to get along and exist in RIGHT RELATIONSHIP TO ONE ANOHTER. As we shall see in the gospel to practice forgiveness and reconciliation is a way of life (even when its not our fault.)

Story: A number of years ago, a policeman in New York City, Steven McDonald, tried to stop a robbery that was taking place in Central Park. He was shot by a fifteen-year-old teenager, Shavad Jones. Officer Steven McDonald could was paralyzed below his neck. He had to breath through a breathing tube and spent much of his day in a wheelchair.

--He took on a new vocation, traveling to grade schools and high schools speaking about the need for forgiveness, and the need to practice non-violence in response to conflict and problems. He told his listeners that he had forgiven Shavad Jones, that in fact he forgave him everyday, for everyday he had to deal with the pain of his massive afflictions. He encouraged children to sign a pledge of non-violence, a commitment on their part to not use aggression or hurt in their dealings with each other.

--When Shavad Jones was released from prison and, only several days after his release, was killed. Steven McDonald's third grade son (at the time), Connor, went to his teacher after he heard his father's assailant had been killed and asked the teacher if they could pray for the man who shot and crippled his dad. Steven McDonald and his wife taught their son: reconciliation and forgiveness as a way of life.

That is why this week and next week we deal with the topic of FORGIVENESS. GOD WANTS ALL HIS CHILDREN TO GET ALONG AND EXIST IN RIGHT RELATIONSHIP WITH ONE ANOTHER. AS WE SHALL SEE: GOSPEL: TO BE A FOLLOWER OF JESUS...WE HAVE TO PRACTICE FORGIVENESS AND RECONCILIATION AS A WAY OF LIFE (even when it is not our fault)

II Forgive us our Trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us" ..... Probably the most powerful and challenging words we pray.

There is a FORMULA that we all live by: THE DEGREE WE FORGIVE OTHERS = IS THE DEGREE WE LEAVE OURSELVE OPEN TO GOD'S FORGIVENESS IN OUR LIVES. If we don't forgive other people, God can't forgive us. The more we forgive other people, the more we leave our selves open to receive God's forgiveness.

**\*\*WHY IS FORGIVENESS SO IMPORTANT??\***--We as human being exist in relationship with each other (community / family). We should exist in RIGHT RELATIONSHIP WITH EACH OTHER AND OUR GOD.....when we offend, injure, or break down this relationship (in community / family ) we also hurt our relationship with our God. --ALL SIN is: Horizontal and Vertical.....SIN BREAKS DOWN THE BODY OF CHRIST / COMMUNITY

--We forgive and reconcile to maintain peace and harmony between all the connections, relationships in the community / family.

--FORGIVENESS: is not letting the person off the hook. We forgive to bring healing to our hearts first and then exist in right relationship with each other.

--WE NEED TO MAINTAIN OUR CONNECTEDNESS(right relationship) TO THE COMMUNITY TO THE BODY OF CHRIST (apart from the Vine, the community we can do nothing).



--And for those who are experts at the : SILENT TREATMENT, some people think that just by ignoring a person and not saying anything is the way to go. But that is JUST (PASSIVE AGGRESSION) it is as HARMFUL AS VERBALLY BEATING SOMEONE \*\* IN SHORT: RECONCILIATION AND FORGIVENESS ARE REQUIREMENTS TO BE FOLLOWERS OF JESUS

--Readings remind us that we belong to a family: biological family, our spiritual family, HUMAN FAMILY.

--we have an obligation to each family and a commitment to all members.

--we have to maintain peace and harmony with all members: TO FORGIVE WHEN NEEDED / TO ASK FORGIVENESS WHEN NEEDED.....ALL FOR THE GOOD OF THE FAMILY / COMMUNITY.

HEAVEN (process not a place): FRUITION / CULMINATION OF OUR INTERCONNECTEDNESS AS A COMMUNITY / AS A PEOPLE. You can't carry over to the other side: brokenness, hurt feelings, ALL THAT HAS TO BE HEALED NOW.

EXAMPLE: You hate someone in this life for whatever reason. You don't speak to them, you wish the worst things upon them. WHEN YOU DIE AND GO TO HEAVEN WHO IS THE FIRST PERSON YOU WILL MEET?: HOW DO YOU EACH RESPOND? Sorry, Get over it, Oh its nice to see you,

--Can you carry over to heaven all of your anger, hatred, grief towards that person??? YOU CAN'T.

B Salvation: is not between God and Me; it is between God and US....as a community....we need to exist in Right Relationship with each other.....

---we have a responsibility to one another.....as Cain asks: We are our brother's keeper.

---the entire purpose of the Church community and sacramental life is to help members of the community: journey of conversion / imperfections / flaw.....TO HELP EACH OTHER GROW.

IV PRINCIPAL: a) Where two or three are gathered in my name...there am I in their midst... if they ask for anything in my name it will be granted to them by my heavenly Father.

B) (I am the vine... you are the branches....) apart from THE COMMUNITY / FAMILY / CHURCH / LORD: we can do nothing...we are dead. - --the Gathered Community is the Body of Christ present... we need Christ's community--live in RIGHT RELATIONSHIP.

CONCLUSION: WE ALWAYS HAVE TO FORGIVE NOT TO TAKE THE BLAME AWAY; WE FORGIVE SO WE HAVE HEALING IN OUR HEARTS.

**Save The Date: April 23, 2027**

## Friendship Ball

A night of dinner, dancing, & fellowship at the Freeport Yacht Club  
Details to follow



**Reserva la Fecha: 23 de abril de 2027**

## Baile Amistoso

Una noche de cena, baile y compañerismo en el Freeport Yacht Club  
Detalles a seguir

## Purgatorial Society Remembrances September 2026

**Msgr. Donald T. Bennett**  
**Albert Chimeri**  
**John J. Coronna**  
**Erika Davila-Reyes**  
**Nancy Donohue**  
**Thomas R. Farrell**  
**George Fischer**  
**Xavier Gregg**  
**John J. Keegan**  
**Joseph Keegan**  
**Maria Keegan**  
**Patrick Keegan**  
**Thomas Keegan**  
**Geraldine King**  
**Mark Kojamanian**  
**Daniel Mahalic**  
**Laura Marchese**  
**Carlos Omar Mieles**  
**Justin Michael Perez**



**Sacred Heart of Jesus, I trust  
in you.**

**Eternal rest grant on to  
them and let your  
perpetual light shine  
upon them.**

**May they rest in peace.**

**My Jesus, mercy!**

**Father R. Michael Reid**  
**John Morrison, Jr.**  
**Floyd Rivera, Jr.**  
**Albert Stoessel**  
**Andrew Stoessel**  
**Ernest Stoessel**  
**Ernest Stoessel, Sr.**  
**Rose Stoessel**  
**Janene M. Suchan**  
**Thomas J. Suchan**  
**William E. Suchan Jr.**  
**William R. Suchan**  
**Francis Sweeney**  
**Caridad Taveras Villar**  
**Bishop Paul H. Walsh**  
**Marie V. Weiss**  
**Eugene Weston**  
**Jack (John J.) Weston**  
**Paul Weston**

**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 September 24, 2026, will be enrolled for October 2026.**

**The donation is \$20 per name.**

**Please print clearly.**

**Name to be enrolled: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Your name: \_\_\_\_\_**

**For Office use: Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_**



FOR WHERE  
TWO OR THREE  
gather  
IN MY NAME,  
THERE I AM WITH  
THEM.



## GATHERED IN HIS NAME

Jesus said to His disciples: "If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother. If he does not listen, take one or two others along with you, so that 'every fact may be established on the testimony of two or three witnesses.' If he refuses to listen to them, tell the Church. If he refuses to listen even to the Church, then treat him as you would a Gentile or a tax collector. Amen, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in Heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in Heaven. Again, amen, I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, it shall be granted to them by My heavenly Father. For where two or three are gathered together in My name, there am I in the midst of them."

*Saint Matthew XVIII: 15-20*

**Directions:** Find the words below from today's Scripture reading in the puzzle. Words can go horizontally, vertically, and diagonally in all directions (as shown).

|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| AGAINST     | JESUS           |
| ALONE       | LISTEN          |
| BOUND       | LOOSED          |
| BROTHER     | MIDST           |
| CHURCH      | OTHERS          |
| COLLECTOR   | PRAY            |
| DISCIPLES   | REFUSES         |
| EARTH       | SHALL           |
| ESTABLISHED | <del>SINS</del> |
| FATHER      | TESTIMONY       |
| FAULT       | THREE           |
| GATHERED    | TOGETHER        |
| GRANTED     | TREAT           |
| HEAVENLY    | WITNESSES       |

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# Rebuild My Church Celebration

Come celebrate this joyful milestone in the life of our parish!

Join us on **Sunday, October 11, 2026**  
at our **11:30 a.m. Mass**  
as **Bishop John O. Barres**  
blesses our beautifully renovated church.

Together, let us give thanks to God for His many blessings and celebrate the renewal of our parish home. All are welcome!



## Celebración Reconstruye Mi Iglesia

¡Acompáñenos a celebrar este momento tan especial en la vida de nuestra parroquia!

Lo invitamos a unirse a nosotros **el domingo 11 de octubre de 2026**, en la **Misa de las 11:30 a.m.**,  
mientras el **Obispo John O. Barres**  
bendecirá nuestra iglesia recientemente renovada.

Juntos daremos gracias a Dios por sus abundantes bendiciones y celebraremos la renovación de nuestro hogar parroquial.





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¡Todos son bienvenidos!



# 2026



## Walk with Purpose. Change Lives.

Join SVDPLI's *Friends of the Poor Walk* on September 26 and bring hope to neighbors facing hardship in our community.

Every step supports local families and individuals through emergency financial assistance, clothing, furniture, and compassionate support.

September 26, 2026  
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9AM Check-In, 10AM Walk Begins  
Walk. Give. Make a Difference.

Register today and be part of something meaningful.



Register or Donate Today!



## *Ministry of Consolation: Offering God's Comfort in Times of Sorrow*

Life is so full of pain, sadness and loneliness that we often wonder what we can do to alleviate the immense suffering we see.

We can and must offer consolation.

To console does not mean to take away the pain,  
but rather to be there and say,

"You are not alone, I am with you."

We all need to give consolation as well as to receive it.

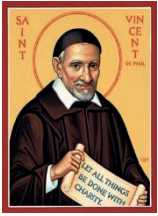
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The Ministry of Consolation serves as a "go-between" for the Parish and the bereaved family. Are you looking for a meaningful way to serve your parish, our consolation Ministry here at Our Holy Redeemer is seeking people who feel called to serve those who are grieving the loss of a loved one.

The support and comfort that we provide are always appreciated. It is truly a wonderful and fulfilling ministry. Come and join us for an uplifting and a "feeling good inside" experience! Couples are encouraged to participate!!!

If you want to be part of this rewarding ministry, contact Deacon Bruce Burnham Tel. # 516-943-8306

*Every Christian is called to serve others within the body of Christ. This calling is not just for a select few but for each one of us, as members of the church. This service is rooted in love, humility, and the acknowledgment of the gifts given to us by the Holy Spirit.*



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*We would like to thank our Parishioners  
for their financial help.*

*Volunteers are always needed.*

*Please call the Rectory and leave your  
name if you would like to help with this  
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### *Order of Christian Initiation of Adults*

*If you or one of your friends  
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a way to improve your own spiritual  
life and sense of belonging to a  
Christian community?



**Consider learning more about the  
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We meet the second Monday of the  
month at 7pm in the lower church.

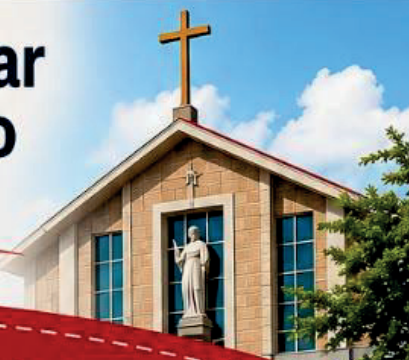
For more information, contact

**Theresa Duran at 516-298-2672.**





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# **VENTA DE COMIDA**

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### El Ministerio de los niños, Ángeles de la Virgen del Rosario

Lo invita a Ud. padre de familia a ingresar a su hijo a participar en el Coro de los niños y cantar las alabanzas

en la Misa que como Ministerio les corresponde; en hacer el Rezo del Santo Rosario; en proclamar la palabra; en celebrar las Posadas y en muchas actividades parroquiales. Su niño debe tener 6 años de edad para su ingreso. Para más información puede comunicarse con hermanas Damaris Salcedo 516 225-7945 y Dinora Sánchez 516 457-4680.



### Ultreya

Ultreya de Patio el 17 de Agosto en la 105 de la calle Bedell en Freeport, a las 3 PM. Para más información comuníquese con nuestra vocal: Blanca Peralta al 516-1325-3487.

### Lecturas para el 13 de septiembre de 2026 XXIV Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

**1ra Lectura: Elesiástico (Sirácide) 27, 33—28, 9**

**Salmo Responsorial: Salmo 102**

**Segunda Lectura: Romanos 14, 7-9**

**Evangelio: San Mateo 18, 21-35**



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### El Grupo Señor de las Misericordias

Nos reunimos todos los lunes a las 7 PM en la Capilla del Convento.



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



Lo invitamos 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.

### La Legión de María “La Medalla Milagrosa”

Lo invita cordialmente a sus reuniones todos los sábados a las 5 de la tarde en la Sala # 108 del Edificio de la Escuela. Para más información por favor llame a la Coordinadora: Carmen Piña, 917-485-5315.



### Comunidad Carismática Cristo Redentor

Nos reunimos los domingos  
de 6:30 PM a 9:30 PM.

Coordinador: Carlos Deras  
(516) 304-2846

### ¡Urgente Llamado a los Monaguillos!



¿Te gustaría ayudar a servir en el altar? ¿Por qué no unirse al creciente grupo de jóvenes que ayudan al Sacerdote en nuestro Altar? Si estás interesado, y tus padres están de acuerdo, llama al Padre Rubén 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 ¡manos a la obra!

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- ♥ My skeleton is complete at 42 days and I have reflexes.
- ♥ My brain waves can be detected as early as 43 days.
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- ♥ During weeks 9 and 10 I squint, swallow and can make a fist.
- ♥ By the 11th and 12th weeks I am moving my arms and legs, sucking my thumb and breathing amniotic fluid. All my systems are working.
- ♥ My movements by 16 weeks are quite active and I can be seen performing somersaults on ultrasound but am not yet felt by my mother.
- ♥ From the 3rd month on nothing new develops. I continue to grow in size and by 20 weeks I have hair on my head, weigh 1 pound and am 12 inches tall.



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- ♥ Momma's House: (516) 781-8637  
[www.mommashouse.org](http://www.mommashouse.org)
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