Pastoral Team
Rev. Charles N. Mangano, Pastor
Rev. Joseph V. Arevalo, Associate Pastor
Rev. Ethel Anarado, Associate Pastor
Rev. Francis A. Samuel, OIC Resident/Associate
Deacon Michael J. Leyden
Deacon John F. Sullivan
Deacon Julio Murillo
Deacon Stephen E. Yusko
Dr. Marie Drohan, Music Director
Mrs. Barbara McNulty, Youth Ministry Director
Ms. Claire Moulé, Faith Formation Director
Mrs. Patricia Taggart, Nursery School Director
Mrs. Sigrid Villalobos A., Director of Outreach
Mrs. Jane Zollo, Parish Operations Manager/Stewardship Services Director

We Celebrate the Sacraments
Baptism
Parents are requested to call the Parish Office at least two months before child’s birth to make arrangements. New Parents’ Instruction Class will be held on the 2nd Thursday of each month from 7:30pm to 8:30pm in Room 257. Baptism is celebrated every Sunday of the month at 1:45pm.
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
Anyone who wishes to join the Catholic Church should call the Parish Office.
Reconciliation (Confession)
Saturday 4:00 to 4:45pm in the Church or call the Parish Office for an appointment.
Matrimony
Couples are requested to call at least six months before the wedding for an appointment with a Priest or Deacon to set the date and make arrangements. No arrangements can be made by phone.
Anointing of the Sick
Fourth Saturday of the month at the 9:00am Mass or call the Parish Office.

Welcome to all New Parishioners. We invite you to register at the Parish Office.
Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As many of you know, Deacon Barry has been out since March recovering from back surgery. Praise God he is feeling much better and now he is up and around. Twelve years ago, Barry, who lives in Lindenhurst, was assigned to our parish as a Deacon and ministered faithfully for the past 12 years. Now Deacon Barry has been assigned to St. Edward the Confessor parish in Syosset. To thank him for his years of ministry, we will be having a farewell reception on Sunday, July 2 following the 10:15am Mass. All are welcome. Please stop by to wish him well. Thank you Deacon Barry!!!

Attention all boys and girls in fourth grade and up. We begin the training of new altar servers starting September 16th. If you are interested, please call Mrs. Ruff at (631) 867-6667 or email booklove83@yahoo.com. The rehearsal dates are:

- Saturday, September 16: 1:00pm to 2:30pm
- Tuesday, September 19: 5:15pm to 6:30pm
- Tuesday, September 26: 5:15pm to 6:30pm
- Saturday, September 30: 11:45am to 1:00pm
- Tuesday, November 7: 5:15pm to 6:30pm (this is a follow-up rehearsal over a month after the installation.)

The Installation Mass will be:
- Sunday, October 1st at 11:30am for the Spanish servers
- Sunday, October 1st at 12noon for the English servers

I will be taking a break from a weekly column for the summer but I will resume in September. Below is a prayer I came across entitled “When Going On Vacation”. May your summer be blessed!!

“When Going On Vacation”

“Lord Jesus Christ, I am grateful for a vacation. I am tired of the routine of daily life. I know that it will be good for me to follow your example and go “to the other side” for a while, seeking rest and change. But I will not go without You. I need Your presence every hour of my vacation. Keep me close to You while I am away from home. Make me strong to resist all temptations to sin and shame. May Your spirit help me to conduct myself as a Christian. Send Your holy angels to protect me in my travels. Keep me safe from harm and danger, and at the end of my vacation, bring me safely back home again.”

Summer Mission: This summer we will be having a mission by Jim Ryan. See the bulletin for more details. Jim has done this mission at numerous parishes on Long Island and all the pastors wrote beautiful letters of recommendation. He will be speaking at all the Masses on July 15th and 16th. The mission will be on Monday and Tuesday, July 17th and 18th at 7:30pm in the church. The topic is: Eight Characteristics of Happy People: Managing Thought, The key to living a more Christ-like life- start to live heaven on earth. All are welcome. There will be a free-will offering.

Have a great week encountering the Father’s love and mercy. Remember, with Him in you, you can do the unthinkable, unimaginable and even forgive what you think is unforgiveable.

Peace and blessings,

Fr. Charles, Pastor
SUMMER OF 2017 MISSION

Church of St. Joseph

Monday, July 17th and Tuesday, July 18th
Both evenings begin at 7:30 p.m.

**Topic:** Eight Characteristics of Happy People
Managing Thought, The Key to Living a more
Christ-like Life – Start to Live Heaven on Earth

**Presenter:** Jim Ryan

Prepare to be Motivated ~ Prepare to be Educated ~ Prepare to be Enlightened

Jim Ryan is the founder and president of *Jim Ryan Talks*, an organization dedicated to the cultivation and development of each individual’s potential for living a life full of joy, fulfillment and success. Jim’s ability to establish rapport immediately, as well as his enthusiasm and genuine passion for his subject matter, make for an engaging experience for every audience. His own sense of self and his happiness quotient serve to open up the minds and hearts of his listeners. What further separates Jim from the crowd is his ability to relate to his audiences through his considerable musical talent. Jim is an accomplished guitarist and singer. His musical interludes serve to solidify the concepts presented. *Simple Happiness, 52 Ways to Lighten Up*, Jim’s inspirational book has met with rave reviews and has served as a blueprint for living a life of joy and fulfillment. It has been read and reread by thousands both in the USA and around the world. Jim, who has a BA in French from Iona College and an MS in Counseling from Queens College, has appeared on numerous radio and TV shows and has been featured on a lively TV interview with “The God Squad.”
The Sacraments of Life

Preventing for Marriage
Banns Posted

**First Time ~**
Christopher Lang & Christina Cascio
Brian Toussaint & Colleen Smith
Ian Fogarty & Kirsten Carlock

**Second Time ~**
Brain Mando & Erica Zadanio
Lukasz Poszwa & Natalia Skoczylas

**Third Time ~**
James Stewart & Alexandra Lemma
Damon Pappas & Victoria Voulo

For Our Sick
Please remember in your prayers the sick of our Parish: Robert Dobbins, Robert Semeraro, Marie Azicri, Monica Restrepo, Kristy Minningel, Thomas Cox, Joan Thorman, Marilyn Ann O’Hara, Isabel Sampson, Ignacio Guzman, Frank McCluskey, Sean Regan, Anne Aguis, Kathleen M. Elsner, Mary Jane Simmonds, Evelyn Scalise, Mary Blasco, Richard D’Alessandro, Charles Chertiza, Marcella Dwyer, Jenien Horner, Dorothy Meloni, Joy Lichten, Sandy Cardona, Norman Gomez, Brandon Davey, Raymond Meigel, Angela Colantrello, Mary Ellen Szwejkowski, Gertrude Albert, Sabina Dojilido, Dorila Cardozo, Frank Ferguson, Marie Greer, Anthony Bertuglia, Marylou DeMeo, Arianna Messina, Ann Gent, Mary McHale, Anne Camarda, Ryan Finn, Robert W. Wolf, Arlene Aurecchione, Leonor Martin, Silvio Gomez, Benjamin Negro, Millicent Wadsworth, Joseph Hallam, Brenda Buffalino & Margaret Anne Crumlish.

Alar Rose
In memory of Christopher Borzuku

For Our Deceased
Please pray for the families and souls of our deceased members including Megan Mary O’Handley & Bernard Charles Maguire.

**REFLECTION FOR TODAY**
The Psalmist assures us that “the Lord hears the poor.” Often, however, He answers their need through the generous gifts of good stewards.

**At this Mass, we remember:**

**Monday, June 26**
Gn 12:1-9, Ps 33:12-13, 18-20, 22, Mt 7:1-5
7:45 Father’s Day Novena
9:00 Thomas Kelley

**Tuesday, June 27**
Gn 13:2, 5-18, Ps 15:2-4b, 5, Mt 7:6, 12-14
7:45 Edward Leitch
9:00 James McLoughlin

**Wednesday, June 28**
Gn 15:1-12, 17-18, Ps 105:1-4, 6-9, Mt 7:15-20
7:45 For the Intentions of Our Lady
9:00 For the Intentions of Fr. Charles
Bob Muldowney
Deceased Members of Gilbert & Francois Families

**Thursday, June 29**
Acts 12:1-11, Ps 34:2-9, 2Tm 4:6-8, 17-18, Mt 16:13-19
7:45 For the Intentions of Fr. Charles
9:00 Pietro Di Stefano

**Friday, June 30- Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**
Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22, Ps 128:1-5, Mt 8:1-4
7:45 In Thanksgiving to St. Yves
9:00 Glenn Gary Gerrato

**Saturday, July 1**
Gn 18:1-15, (Ps) Lk 1:46-50, 53-55, Mt 8:5-17
9:00 Margaret Zygarowicz

**Weekend Celebrations (barring last minute changes)**
4:00 Confessions Today Fr. Joe
5:00 George H. Farrell Fr. Augustine
Edward Leitch
Robert E. Muldowney
Edward Wray

**Sunday, July 2–Thirteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**
2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a, Ps 89:2-3, 16-19, Rom 6:3-4, 8-11, Mt 10:37-42

**Deacons Preaching at Sunday Masses**
7:00 Gerald E. Murphy Fr. Sab
8:45 People of St. Joseph’s Fr. Ethel
10:15 Mimi Ray Fr. Ethel
12:00 Ann & Frank Kerins Fr. Charles
5:00 Robert Quaglio Fr. Augustine

Mass Schedule & Readings For The Coming Week:
Our Parish Mission Statement

The Parish of St. Joseph is a Roman Catholic Community of Christ’s Disciples:

We Welcome.  We Worship.  We Witness.

Liturgy

We Assemble for Prayer

The Eucharist
Each day and each weekend, we celebrate the Eucharist, the Summit & Source of Catholic Christian Spirituality.

Rosary
Every Monday at 8:20am we pray the Patriotic Rosary. Before the 9:00am Eucharist Tuesdays through Saturdays we pray the Rosary.

Men’s Spirituality Group:
Witness and grow in Faith. Meets every 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7pm in the Church.

Nocturnal Adoration
A Holy Hour with the Blessed Sacrament is offered on the First Friday of each month, from 9:00pm to 10:00pm in the Church.

Miraculous Medal Novena
We pray this at the 7:45am & 9am Mass every Tuesday.

Prayers for Our Service Men & Women

We continue to pray for the following military personnel and their families:

U.S. Navy:
- PO3 Joshua D. Benoit
- Lt. Michael Catalano
- Lt. John T. Izzo
- Lt. Caroline Mayer
- PO2 Kristen Tice
- PO1 Rasheen Tice
- MA2 William S. Murtha
- MA2 Sergio A. Rossi, Jr.

U.S.M.C.:
- Sgt. Lauren Colantropo
- Malik Rodriguez
- Nelson Sanchez, Jr.
- PFC Joshua J. Coughlin

U.S. Army:
- SPC Elliot Chodkowski
- SSG Josuah Insull
- LTC John Kallo
- SSG David C. Ray
- Eric Stein
- LTC Jon J. Uebel
- PV2 Danny Bornshein
- Sgt. Edwin Zambrano
- PFC Dominick Petitto
- Capt. Stephen Scuderi
- PFC Mark Ospina
- LT Joseph A. Vandezeld, III
- 2LT Anthony C. DiBiasi
- PV2 Alexandra Diaz
- 2LT Mark Barbera

U.S. A.F.:
- Maj. Matthew G. Bland
- AB Christopher Signoretti
- SSgt Brandon Ward
- MSGT John Hatzidakis

Sacrificial Giving

Thank you for your generosity in returning to God and God’s work some of what God has given to you.

6/18/17

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Special Collection

Next week, July 1-2, our diocese will take up the Peter’s Pence Collection, which provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Through your generosity, we can cast the peace of Christ upon the world.

Flowers
Generous parishioners donated some flowers so we can plant them on the church property. If you are willing to donate flowers it would be most welcomed. We have many more flowerbeds that we would like to beautify so people are inspired even before they walk into the church. If you purchase flowers, please drop them off at the parish center to Fr. Charles’ attention. Thank you so much.

The Long Island Catholic
The Long Island Catholic will send you a FREE copy with no obligation. If you’re happy with the Long Island Catholic magazine you will receive a full-year subscription (9 more issues) for $20.00. If you are not completely satisfied with your free copy, just write “cancel” on your first invoice and own nothing. To begin your subscription today, complete the postage paid card in the racks at the doors of the church and drop in the mail or, contact The Long Island Catholic at 1-800-443-2155, www.licatholic.org.
Welcome

Our pastor, Fr. Charles Mangano, his brother priests, Fr. Joe Arevalo, Fr. Ethel Anarado, Fr. Francis Samuel and our Pastoral Team welcome you to St. Joseph. If you are visiting us for the first time, you are our honored guests and we pray that you will consider making St. Joseph your church home. We are here to assist you in your spiritual growth and maturity as together we give glory to God through our worship, prayer and service in the name of Jesus Christ. We are committed to the fullness of Roman Catholic teaching and to the promise of salvation that the Church offers to all believers. May God accomplish a great work in you among us.

Office Hours/Parish Office
(631) 669-0068
E-mail: secretary@stjosephsbabylon.org
Mon. to Thurs. 9:30am to 9:00pm
Fridays 9:30am - 7:30pm
Sat. 9:30am to 6:30pm Sun. 9:30am -1:30pm

Cemetery Office
(631)669-0068 Ext. 107
Monday to Thursday 9:00am to 12:30pm
Please call in advance for an appt. during these hours.

Faith Formation Office
(631)587-4717
Mon. to Fri. 9:00am to 4:00pm

Hispanic Office
(631)669-0068 x131
Friday 7:00 to 9:00pm

Outreach Office
(631)669-4544
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday
9:30am to 1:30pm
Other times by appt. (631-669-4544)

Food Pantry
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday
9:30am to 1:30pm
Other times by appt. (631-669-0068 x 128)

Thrift Shop
(631)669-5574
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday
10:00am to 3:00pm
Nursery School - (631)661-4559
Youth Ministry - (631)669-0068 x 108
Parish Office Fax - (631)669-9175
WebSite: www.stjosephsbabylon.org

Hearing impaired parishioners may enjoy
Signed Mass at 12:30pm each Sunday at
Our Lady of Lourdes Church,
Hunter Avenue, West Islip

Pool Party News

Please join us for the Parish Pool Party
At THE BABYLON VILLAGE POOL
(located at the end of Fire Island Ave)
Tuesday night, July 11th from 7:30pm – 11pm
Donation: $5 per family please.

Bring your own food, beverages, and chairs. Please bring a dessert for the dessert table. There will be games, coffee, tea and entertainment.

All children 17 and under must be accompanied by a parent.

If you would like to volunteer to help make the night a success, please call Jane at 669-0068 ext. 159

Parish Office News

New Parish Office
Evening Hours
Beginning Mon. July 3, the Parish Office will be closing at 7:30pm. The Center itself will remain open and Joe, our security guard, will be on hand to allow access to the Parish Center for meetings and activities.

The Parish Center will be closed on Tuesday, July 4th in Observance of Independence Day. We will re-open on Wednesday, July 5th.

HOTLINE NUMBERS

Crisis Pregnancy Center (631) 243-2373
Post-Abortion Counseling (Project Rachel) 1-888-456 HOPE
Domestic Violence 1-800-799- SAFE
Porn Addiction www.reclaimsexualhealth.com
Prayer for Priests

Many people have found themselves suffering with an addiction to pornography. God says, “My saving power will rise on you like the sun and bring healing like the sun’s rays.” Malachi 4:2. You can overcome pornography and other unhealthy sexual behaviors with a professional, science-based Catholic program called: RECLAIM Sexual Health. (Visit their site www.ReclaimSexualHealth.com). Get help or Help Others. Private and Anonymous Online Help 24/7. It is the latest Brain Science cutting-edge technology. Personalized support and Faith Focused.

The Brain Science of Change & Theology of the Body is God’s way out. In 1 Corinthians 10:13 it says, “No trial has come to you but what is human, God is faithful and will not let you be tried beyond your strength; but with the trial He will also provide a way out, so that you may be able to bear it.” Pornography is an addiction. It enslaves the soul and deep shame is connected to it but healing and recovery is possible.

If you or someone you know has a porn addiction, please log onto their website at: www.IntegrityRestored.com, designed for those who struggle with pornography use and those who may know of someone who is struggling. Here you will learn about the pornography epidemic in America and how porn affects men, women, children and teens. You will learn about the addictiveness of pornography and the recovery process. Wives will learn how to help their husbands as well as how to find healing for their own emotional pain (feelings of hurt, betrayal, etc.). The website takes a unique approach by incorporating Catholic spirituality into the recovery process. Porn reduces the human person to an object for one’s selfish pleasure which is in direct opposition to the beauty of the whole human person that God created in His image and likeness, never to be lusted after but to be loved as a whole person: body, mind and soul.

Courage. This spiritual support group is for men and women who experience homosexual attractions and desire to lead a chaste life in accordance with authentic Catholic Church teaching. The five goals of Courage are:

1. Live chaste lives in accordance with the Roman Catholic Church’s teaching on homosexuality. (Chastity)
2. Dedicate one’s life to Christ through service to others, spiritual reading, prayer, meditation, individual spiritual direction, frequent attendance at Mass, and the frequent reception of the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Eucharist. (Prayer and Dedication)
3. Foster a spirit of fellowship in which all may share thoughts and experiences, and so ensure that no one will have to face the problems of homosexuality alone. (Fellowship)
4. Be mindful of the truth that chaste friendships are not only possible but necessary in a chaste Christian life and in doing so, provide encouragement to one another in forming and sustaining them. (Support)
5. Live lives that may serve as good examples to others. (Good Example)

We presently have a men’s group in Nassau County. If you call 516-623-1400, Ext. 190 and leave your name and phone number, someone will get back to you or email licourage3@gmail.com. Confidentiality & anonymity assured. Feel free to call the Courage Office, in Connecticut (203) 803-1564, their e-mail address is: NYCourage@aol.com or the following web-sites: www.couragerc.net or couragerc.org.
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Bereavement Support Group

Widow and Widowers Bereavement Support Group 50 and over 5 Week Program Saturday, June 17th - August 5th, 2017, 9am, in the Parish Center

For more information please call Valerie Stone 631-617-9246

Baptism Hospitality Ministry

Baptism Hospitality Ministry
Do you love babies, children and seeing the joy of new life?
Are you available on Sunday afternoons for an hour once a month or less?
Would you like to be a welcoming presence in our Parish for new families celebrating the Sacrament of Baptism?

Then perhaps the Baptism Hospitality Ministry is for you.

A Baptism Hospitality Minstrel:
- sets up the Baptismal area
- greets family members
- assists the priest or deacon as needed

If this sounds like a ministry that you would be interested in getting more information on, please call Ada at 631-741-4373.

Thank you!

Group Meetings...

St. Joseph the Carpenter Council #14771 is a Membership Organization of St. Joseph Parish.
Membership in the Knights of Columbus is open to men 18 years of age and older
Meetings are normally held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at 8PM in the O’Connell Room.

For membership information contact: Larry Dell’Erba at 631-539-8565.
For additional information about the Knights of Columbus and St. Joseph the Carpenter Council: Just Google “Knights of Columbus St Josephs”
Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School at
St. Joseph Parish
39 North Carll Ave., Babylon, NY 11702
Registration is now going on for
K - 5th Grades
August 7th - 11th 9am - 12pm

Any questions email Jeanmarie Florio at stjosephsvbs@gmail.com

Name of Child: ____________________________________________ Date of Birth: ___________
Address: ____________________________________________ Telephone #: ______________________________
Cell Phone# ____________________________________________
Parent/Guardian Names: Mother: ___________________________ Father: ___________________________
Email: ____________________________________________
Circle Grade Entering Sept 2017: K 1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th
Does Child have any allergies?: YES____ NO____
Does Child have food allergies?: YES____ NO____
Please List All Allergies: ____________________________________________
Does your child have any other needs? YES____ NO_____ If yes- How can we help?
Emergency #: ______________________ Person to Contact: ____________________________
Parent Signature: ____________________________________________

Registration Fee: $45 PER CHILD
Family Maximum- $100
Fee Paid: $___________ CHECK / CASH
T-Shirt Size: S M L XL (children’s sizes)

Return to Parish Office by: August 1st
***Placement Requests May Not Be Met***
Come in Together

From P.S. I Love You

We’d been running every day, but this was something else. We’d been sweating from the time we rolled out of the rack before daybreak, but now moisture drained from every pore in our bodies. Sure, this was the physical training stage of U. S. Army Ranger school, and we expected exertion. Even exhaustion. But this was no morning PT rah-rah run in T-Shirts.

We ran in full field uniform. As usual, the word was “You go out together, you stick together, you work as a unit, and you come in together. If you don’t come in together, don’t bother to come in!”

Somewhere along the way, through a fog of pain, thirst and fatigue, my brain registered something strange about our formation. Two rows ahead of me, I noticed one of the guys out of sync.

A big, raw-boned redhead named Sanderson. His legs were pumping, but he was out of step with the rest of us. Then his head began to loll from side to side. This guy was struggling. Close to losing it.

Without missing a step, the Ranger on Sanderson’s right reached over and took the distressed man’s rifle. Now one of the Rangers was packing two weapons. His own and Sanderson’s. The big redhead did better for a time. But then, while the platoon kept moving, his jaw became slack, his eyes glazed and his legs pushed like pistons. Soon his head began to sway again.

This time, the Ranger on the left reached over, removed Sanderson’s helmet, tucked it under his own arm, and continued to run. All systems go. Our boots thudded along the dirt trail in heavy unison. Tromp-tromp-tromp-tromp-tromp-tromp.

Sanderson was hurting. Really hurting. He was buckling, going down. But no. Two soldiers behind him lifted the pack off his back, each taking a shoulder strap in his free hand. Sanderson gathered his remaining strength. Squared his shoulders. And the platoon continued to run. All the way to the finish line.

We left together. We returned together. And all of us were the stronger for it.

Together is better.

Life is teaching you some painful lessons.

But it is from adversity that strength is born.

You may have lost the inning, but I know you’ll win the game.

Deacon John
PLAN B

I probably mentioned on one or more occasions that all of my grandparents had passed away before I arrived. My friends would often talk about all of the great things that happened to them when either Grandma and Grandpa arrived from out of town or the local grandparents had them for a sleepover. I half listened, because I had no frame of reference. I don’t remember feeling bad about missing such unconditional benefits; I probably did not give it much thought at all.

When my brother and his wife welcomed the first addition of the succeeding generation of Mahers, I began to notice a change in my parents. Though both were in their late 60s, their previously tired bodies all of a sudden came alive. My mother spent a lot more time shopping, and my father was showing pictures of newborns to anyone (and everyone, for that matter) that he could find. Suddenly I was beginning to understand why my friends growing up were so happy when they talked about their grandparents. I sensed it was great situation for everyone.

Now that I have joined the ranks of grandfatherhood, the words of a friend make perfect sense to me. “There are only two types of people in the world:” Bill told me many years ago, “people who have grandchildren and people who do not.” To illustrate that point, let me share a brief incident.

Heather told me that one of her grandsons was having some difficulty in school. Though bright, he was hardly motivated. That behavior carried over to his appearance as he let his hair grow well over his collar. In discussing the matter with him, Heather was somewhat startled when the topic of long hair was raised and the grandson suggested that Heather could use a shortened coiffure as well. Without any hesitation (and without any reason Heather would later say), she challenged her grandson: “If you cut your hair, I’ll cut mine.”

A few weeks later I saw Heather at Mass, and she was sporting a new look. Though I did not speak to her about it, I knew that her approach to the matter had worked.

If we find that our relationship with God has hit an impasse or, like Heather’s grandson, we are hardly motivated to improve our situation, it might be time to try a new approach. This bulletin lists a number of spiritual activities that might be all we need; another good place to start is our prayer life. Read the Bible, say the Rosary, join a volunteer group…try anything that will break the logjam with the Lord. And maybe find a partner who will do as you do on your journey of faith. It worked for Heather…it can work for you.

PRAYER

Loving Father, our relationship with You should be our priority. Give us the Grace we need to find ways to keep our connection with You vibrant, so we can do the things we need to do to obtain eternal happiness with You in Heaven.

This we ask in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.
Father Charles, Keith Busch, Barbara Conti and Mary Adams (our Honoree).

Thank you to all the participants, volunteers, and committee members who made this a very successful event.

Father Charles had a great time greeting all our foursomes and checking everyone in at registration, driving around the course handing out cool refreshments and pulling the winning 50/50 ticket! Mary Maynard won $2100 in this year’s drawing!

Proceeds of the Golf Outing will go to Our Parish Outreach, Ministry & Thrift Shop.
Please Help Fill Our Freezers

Outreach now has freezers. Please consider donating frozen prepackaged meals/foods. Since the items must be frozen, we ask you to please come to the Outreach office, located directly behind the Church, between the hours of 9:30am and 1:30pm on Mon-Wed-Thurs.

We are sorry, but we cannot accept home-cooked foods, we can only accept store bought pre-packaged items.

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With the extreme heat approaching, we are in need of cases of water for the homeless. As always we appreciate your generosity towards Outreach! Thank you!

Social Ministries

Thrift Shop Sale News

Children’s Books- Buy 1 get 1 FREE
Adult books- Buy 1 get 1 FREE
CD’s & DVD’s 4 for $1.00
Shoes & Handbags- 1/2 PRICE

IMPORTANT NOTE: Please DO NOT leave any donations on the outside steps when the Thrift Shop is closed.

Thank you for your Food Pantry Donations!

Our Food Pantry is most in need of these items:
Apple Juice, Coffee, Mayonnaise, Jelly, Ketchup, Mustard, Pasta Sauce, Paper Towels, Toilet Paper, Large Toothpaste, Large Shampoo, Large Soap/Body Wash. Gift Cards from supermarkets are in demand and would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your past and future donations.

St. Vincent de Paul

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul 631-669-4544.

As the end of the school year approaches, it sometimes brings added burdens and stress to families with children. The need for food is a constant necessity. We are grateful for each and every donation and your continued support.

The next meeting of the St. Vincent de Paul Society is on Monday, July 17, 2017 at 9:45am in room 256 of the parish center. All are invited to attend!
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Faith Formation

Visit our website @ www.stjosephsbabylon.org for information regarding upcoming meetings, events and other parish news. You may find all the information in our handbook on the website.

The Faith Formation Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-4pm. If you come between the hours of 9am – 9:30am, you will need to call the office to enter the building: 631-587-4717.

Farewell party for Mary Linden – Tuesday, June 27th @ 4pm in the O’Connell Room. Please RSVP to Claire in the Faith Formation Office by June 21st. We are asking for a $20 contribution to cover the cost of dinner and a gift for Mary.

The Faith Formation Office will be closed for the summer beginning Monday, July 3rd and will reopen on Monday, August 28th @ 9am. If you still have not registered your children for faith formation classes, please do so before we break for summer. If you wait until September to register we cannot promise you that your child will be in the class of your choice.

New Family Registration – Please come to the office during office hours (listed above) and bring the original baptismal certificate for each child you plan to register, even if your child was baptized here at St. Joseph. The annual registration fee is $140 for one child, $205 for two children and $260 for three or more. All families need to be registered in the parish before coming to register in the Faith Formation Program.

Re-Registration forms have been mailed out. Please register early and reserve your class day and time. We cannot guarantee you will get your first choice if you wait too long to register.

Confirmation registration forms went out in the mail. Please hand in your completed registration form along with a check payable to St. Joseph FF for $80.

Faith Formation Fun

The Ten Commandments (A Catholic Rhyme)

1. I must Honor (and Love) God
2. Honor His Name,
3. On His day be holy, this will be my aim.
4. I must be obedient,
5. be kind and true,
6. be pure in all I say and see and hear and do.
7. I must be honest.
8. be truthful in all things I say
9. be pure in mind and heart and all I think and desire each day.
10. I must be satisfied, not be jealous come what may.

These are God’s Ten Commandments,
These I must obey.

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YOUTH MINISTRY is more than getting together for weekly meetings. It is a way of living which gives our Youth the opportunity to form or strengthen their own personal relationship with Christ and their Faith.

Some involved in Youth Ministry attend weekend conferences and Retreats, along with regular meetings. Others join our PBJ Gang or Peace & Justice Committee and are involved in service-oriented ways.

This Ministry meets Teens where they are and gives them opportunity to grow in their faith!

This Ministry is a wonderful way for Adults and Young Adults to strengthen their own faith by Guiding our Teens!....... Will you join us?

The YM Team is looking to expand its number of Core Team Adults

If you can volunteer an hour a week or even 2 hours a month to help expand the Youth Ministry program next year, please let me know!

Summer Time is planning time—jump on board and help our program grow.

Barbara McNulty youth@stjosephsbabylon.org 669-0068 ext 108

TEEN MEETINGS

MIDDLE SCHOOL and HIGH SCHOOL: For Summer Time, our meetings become Events and are on different days. To get on the email list, please register by sending me a note which includes your name, grade and school.

Barbara McNulty: youth@stjosephsbabylon.org All events are also kept up-to-date on the Parish Website.

SERVICE TEAM

The Parish Website is kept up-to-date with any Service Hours available.

Those who have registered for the Service Team receive e-mails when last minute projects become available. 

Www.stjosephsbabylon.org/community-service

OTHER SUMMER EVENTS: All are welcome—just please RSVP ASAP

Parish Pool Party—Tuesday—July 11th.......Families Welcome at the Babylon Pool. Teens, if you are going, let me know so we can set up the game area and face painting!

Trip to the Shrine—DATE CHANGED TO July 16th.
June 13, 2017

Dear Brothers,

I want to reach out to you and ask if you could once again promote the Quo Vadis Summer Camp that will take place this July 9-13 at the Seminary in Huntington. Attached to this email is a flier that you could certainly put in your bulletin, but the impact would be greater if you could personally identify and ask one of your parish leaders – a sacristan, an altar boy, one of the young men who answers phones in the rectory. You can also direct them to the website – quovadislongisland.org. Here is also a short description:

Quo Vadis Long Island is a five day/four night summer camp for young Catholic men and women ages 14 to 18 who are the future missionary disciples and faith leaders here on Long Island. The camp is an opportunity for them to encounter and learn more about Vocations, to deepen their faith, and to better discern God’s call in their lives.

The program was created in an effort to respond to Bishop John Barres’ call for Dramatic Missionary Growth here in the Diocese of Rockville Centre.

You are on the frontlines. You see these young people week in and week out, and can determine if there is a seed or inkling of possible vocation. The camp is not a guarantee that these kids will go on to priesthood or religious life, but it could solidify in them a call to greater discipleship. Your recognition and encouragement can be what puts them over the top in their faith journey. Please be bold and invite.

Fraternally,

Joe
SUMMERTIME FOOD FOR THOUGHT . . .
JOINING THE MUSIC MINISTRY

We are fortunate to have several music ensembles at our parish that enhance the weekly worship. No matter what your age or ability or instrument, there is a place for you! Directors phone numbers are below. You may also consult the parish website for more information: stjosephsbabylon.org.

**Angels and Saints** (grades 2-12)
**Mass:** Sunday 9:30 AM Family Mass in the Msgr. Nolan Hall.
**Rehearsal:** 8:45 AM (prior to mass in the hall)
**Ensemble Season:** Mid September to mid June
**Director:** Ann Marie Pillsworth, 631-277-0523
All are welcome to join us weekly at the 9:30 am Family Mass. No vocal auditions are necessary. Student wind and string instrumentalists are also welcome!

**Contemporary Music Ensemble** (minimum age: 18)
**Mass:** Sunday 12:00 PM in the church.
**Rehearsal:** Wednesdays 7 - 9 (in the church)
**Ensemble Season:** All year
**Director:** Stephen Martino Email: stuff323@aol.com
Our members are committed to meet weekly for practice as we prepare new arrangements and add to our repertoire.

**Folk Group** (all ages)
**Mass:** Saturday 5:00 PM in the church.
**Rehearsal:** 4:15 PM (prior to mass in the church)
**Ensemble Season:** All year
**Director:** Alicia Hunt, 516-729-2380 Email: ammgm@aol.com
Singers, guitarists and other instrumentalists are invited to come and speak to me any Saturday.

**St. Joseph Choir** (minimum age: 14)
**Mass:** Sunday 10:15 AM in the Church (choir arrives at 10:00 AM)
**Rehearsal:** Thursdays 7:00 to 9:00 PM, Room 254 of the Parish Center
**Ensemble Season:** September 7, 2017 through June 17, 2018
**Director:** Dr. Marie Drohan, 631-539-0957 Email: musicdirector@stjosephsbabylon.org
All voice types: sopranos; altos; tenors; baritones; are invited to join this 36- voice choir in the singing of 4-8 part majestic choral music. Interested singers may see Dr. Drohan any Sunday after the 10:15 mass or attend a Thursday night rehearsal. September is an opportune time to learn music being prepared for the December Benefit Concert which will feature the Bach MAGNIFICAT and Handel's MESSIAH.

**Youth Band** (teenagers)
**Mass:** Sunday 5:00 PM in the church. (Mass is moving to the hall 9/17)
**Rehearsal:** 3:00 PM (prior to mass in the hall)
**Ensemble Season:** All year
**Director:** Ben Myers, 631-455-0365 Email: Benny_Myers@yahoo.com
Interested teen singers and instrumentalists are invited to call the director or see him after mass about auditioning. We are accepting donations of musical instruments and equipment.
Membership Organizations

Saint Joseph the Carpenter Knights of Columbus Council 14771 is Proud to announce our Annual Scholarship Fund for any Registered Parishioner of St. Joseph Church who will be a freshman attending a Catholic High School in September of 2017. The scholarship award is $500.00

Requirements are simple:
♦ 100-150 word essay, describing what “Attending Catholic High School means to me.”
♦ Please fill in below application information

Student Name: _________________________________________
Address: ______________________________________________
Telephone No: _________________________________________
Date of Birth: __________________________________________
School and Grade attending in September 2017: _______________

Please mail application and essay to: Mr. Richard Maerki, 14 Buoy Lane, West Islip N.Y. 11795
Before June 30th 2017 ♦ Winner chosen at the judgment of the Council.

Junior Catholic Daughters of the Americas

The members of the Court have chosen as their leaders and representatives:

Ms. Faith Gany - President
Ms. Marissa Dillon - Vice President
Holly Anne Hansen - Recording Secretary
Ms. Gianna Marquez - Treasurer

Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Bishop McDonnell #1403 honored loved ones who have served or presently serve in the armed services with a flag folding ceremony and prayer service. As we celebrate July 4th, we call to mind the freedoms we enjoy in this great United States of America.
Congratulations to the following parishioners who graduated from Chaminade High School and Kellenberg Memorial High School Class of 2017. Best wishes to both of them as they continue their educational careers.

Peace, Fr. Charles

Emmet P. Chapey
Hollis Andrew Hansen

Parish Assistant Wanted:
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish located in Lindenhurst, NY is seeking a Parish Assistant for our Faith Formation Office. The full-time position requires evening and Saturday hours. The assistant must be a responsible individual who will provide administrative services in support of the Director of Faith Formation. It is important that the candidate have strong interpersonal skills, knowledge of the faith, and be able to multitask in a busy environment. The ideal candidate must have strong computer skills which include Microsoft Office, knowledge of social media, and fast data entry skills. Please email your resume to Frank Pokorney at fpokorney@oloph.org for more information.

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 Montfort Spirituality Center in Bay Shore July 14-16.

For information/registration please call 631-563-1032 or visit www.engagedencounterli.org

WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL – BORN AND UNBORN: Pro-life Face the Truth event on SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2017, from 10:00AM to 11:30AM; at LIE Exit 70S & County Route 111, Manorville. Without the Right To Life we have no other rights! Pro-lifers are invited to join in a peaceful presence against the status quo of legal abortion. We hold signs (provided) on the public sidewalk. All are welcome. For further information: 631-243-1435; info@prolifeli.org.

You still have time to join us and celebrate the Golden Jubilee of the Charismatic Renewal in our Catholic Church. The Charismatic Conference and celebration will be held in Scranton, Pennsylvania at Scranton University. Conference dates are August 4th, 5th, and 6th, 2017. Our Jubilee Theme will be, "All were filled with the Holy Spirit" Acts 2:4

Bus transportation is available for the weekend. A charter bus will be picking up all interested at Saint Cyril and Methodius Parish in Deer Park and at Our Holy Redeemer in Freeport. For Conference Registration Forms and transportation information call Anna Baciuska (516) 776-5750. Limited seats still available on the bus.
LAS HORAS DE OFICINA DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO SON:
DOMINGOS DESPUÉS DE LA MISA
FONO: (631) 669-0068 Ext. 131

RELEXION
El salmista nos asegura que a menudo “el Señor oye a los pobres”. Sin embargo, Él responde a su necesidad a través de los generosos dones de los buenos administradores.

Estamos agradecidos esta semana por todos los administradores de nuestra parroquia que abrazan la enseñanza de Jesús de que cuidar las necesidades de los pobres es servir a Cristo como a Él mismo.

Intercesiones por la Vida
Para todos los padres frustrados por su pobreza: para que puedan otorgar generosamente a sus hijos los inestimables dones de amor, paciencia y entendimiento;

Oremos al Señor, Señor, escucha nuestra oración.

BAUTISMO: Tercer domingo de cada mes. Clase: Segundo domingo de cada mes. Venir a la oficina del Ministerio Hispano con dos meses de anticipación o llame @ (631) 669-0068, Ext. 131. Traer el certificado de nacimiento original del niño.


CATEQUESIS DE NIÑOS Y ADULTOS: Llamar a la oficina del Ministerio Hispano. (631) 669-0068, ext. 131.

MATRIMONIO: Las parejas que desean casarse, deben inscribirse con seis meses de anticipación. Llamar al Padre Joe Arévalo al (631) 669-0068 ext. 104.

PRE-CANA: Llame a Ruth y Salomón Aguilar @ 631-592-9474.

RECONCILIACIÓN: Sábado a las 4:00pm o llamar para una cita, al Tel. # 669-0068 ext. 104.

UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS: Llamar a la oficina principal (631)669-0068 Ext. 100.

CURSILLO DE CRISTIANIDAD: Los invita a vivir un fin de semana con Cristo. Tenemos Ultreya todos los domingos a las 12:30pm. en el Salón # 256. Mas información llame a Cristina Vera @ 631-327-6141.

RENOVACION CARISMATICA: Tiempo de encuentro con Dios. Les invitamos a experimentar el amor de Dios de una manera diferente al escuchar un mensaje de buenas noticias y esperanza para su vida y la de su familia. Todos los viernes @ 7:15 p.m. Para mas información llame a Ana Ramos. (631)617-2129.

COMUNIDAD DE MARIA: Siguiendo los mensajes de María Reina de la Paz y sobre temas de María en general) - Sábados de 7:00pm-9:00pm. Comunicarse con Adriana Mascari, al (631)681-0005.

COMITE: El primer sábado de cada mes a las 10:00am en el salón # 256. Para la agenda, llamar a Ana Ramos al Tel. (631)617-2129.

ROSARIO: Domingos a las 11:00am en la Capilla.

HERMANAS UNIDAS: Todos los segundos domingo de cada mes, en el salón # 256, después de la misa.

EL APOSTOLADO DE LA CRUZ: Todos los jueves de 9:00 - 11:00am en el Salón # 252A. Comunicarse con Adriana Mascari al Tel. (631) 681-0005 o Luz Marina Lópe al (631)321-6861.

INTENCIONES PARA UNA MISA: Ver a Herminda y Ana Elia López después de la misa.

HORA SANTA: Cuarto domingo del mes. 12:30pm

MONAGUILLOS O ACOLITOS: Ver a Felipe y Claudia Rodas. Deben haber recibido la Primera Comunión. (516) 203-5221.
COLECTA DE PETER’S PENCE
La próxima semana, nuestra diócesis llevará a cabo la Colecta Peter’s Pence, la cual le proporciona al Santo Padre los fondos que necesita para realizar sus más importantes labores caritativas. Lo recaudado en la Colecta beneficia a los más necesitados: a las víctimas de guerra, de opresión y de desastres naturales. Por medio de su generosidad, estaremos esparciendo la paz de Cristo por el mundo.

ESPERANZA PARA EL FUTURO

Los estudiantes que con los cuales he estado en estos veinte años buscan un mundo donde se hace un poco más fácil de amar y mucho más difícil de odiar; Donde el aprendizaje de la no-violencia significa que dedicamos nuestros corazones, mentes, tiempo y dinero a un compromiso que la fuerza del amor, la fuerza de la verdad, la fuerza de la justicia y la fuerza de la resistencia organizada puede con el corrupto que se consideran cuerdos, y la fuerza de puños, armas, ejércitos y bombas insanos.

Colman McCarthy
Periodista, maestro y pacifista estadounidense
TÓPICOS

Lunes, 26 de junio:
Renovando nuestra fe en Jesucristo

Martes, 27 de junio:
Discípulos Misioneros por la Fuerza del Espíritu Santo

Miércoles, 28 de junio:
Dando Frutos

7:00pm - 9:00pm

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