Pastoral Team
Rev. Charles N. Mangano,
Pastor
Rev. Joseph V. Arevalo,
Associate Pastor
Rev. Ethel Anarado,
Associate Pastor
Rev. Francis A. Samuel,
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
Ms. Claire Moulé, Faith Formation
Ms. Anna Rose Regan, Business Manager
Mrs. Patricia Taggart, Nursery School
Mrs. Sigrid Villalobos A., Parish Social Ministry

We Celebrate the Eucharist

Sunday Mass Schedule
Saturday Vigil - 5:00pm Church
Sunday Church - 7:00am, 8:45am,
10:15am, 12:00pm
Nolan Hall - 9:30am - Family Mass
11:30am (en Español)
5:00pm (English)

Weekday Mass Schedule
Mon. to Fri. - 7:45am, 9:00am Church
Saturday - 9:00am Church

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,

Fall Bible Study
The fall bible study will begin on Tuesday, September 18th at 7:30 pm in the Msgr. Nolan Hall. The study will run for seven Tuesdays: September 18, 25, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30. The name of the study is: The Wild Goose. What does that mean? It is a term the ancient Celts had for the Holy Spirit. This series on the Holy Spirit is a DVD presentation by nationally known author and speaker, Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR. With beautiful film-making and compelling teaching, The Wild Goose is simply an attempt to invite Catholic Christians into a more profound life-giving relationship with the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is the Third Person of the Trinity. Do you have a relationship?

In each of these seven sessions there will be a DVD presentation followed by faith sharing for those who feel comfortable to do so. There is NO homework with this study. Materials will be provided so a donation would be gratefully appreciated to help defray the cost of the program. Please call the parish office at (631) 669-0068 ext. 100 to register for this series so we can order enough supplies.

Parish Pool Party
Please mark your calendar. Our parish annual pool party will be on Monday, July 30th. See bulletin for details.

Summer Mass
As you may already know, we do not continue the 9:30 am family Mass over the summer. The last 9:30 am Mass was June 17th but it will resume in the Fall. We now begin the 9:00 am Mass at Gilgo Beach over the summer months.

Summer Bulletin Column
For the most part, over the summer months, I do not write a weekly column but I will resume in September. The bulletin will still continue to have pertinent information for upcoming events.

Altar Server Training
This fall we will begin training of anyone who feels called to be an altar server at the table of the Lord. You must be at least in 4th grade. If you would like to become an altar server, please contact Meaghan at (631) 867-6667. The rehearsals will be Monday, October 22nd, Wednesday, October 24th and Monday, October 29th from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm in the Church. There will also be a final training on Saturday, November 3, from 11:15 am to 12:15 pm. This will also include a rehearsal for the installation Mass. The installation Mass for the new altar servers will take place on Sunday, November 4th during the 12 noon Mass.

Catholic Ministries Appeal
This year, 2018, our goal has been set for $138,100.00 by the diocese. Already parishioners have pledged $115,105.00. If you have not had the opportunity to give to the appeal, please consider doing so. So far, we have met 83.3% of our goal in pledges. Thank you for your support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal and the great work that it does for thousands of people in need across Long Island. To make a pledge log onto our website at stjosephsbabylon.org and more than half way down on the right side of the home page click on the black bolded words that say, Catholic Ministries Appeal.

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

Peace and blessings,
Fr. Charles, Pastor
Religious Freedom Week 2018:
(previously, Fortnight for Freedom)
Serving Others in God’s Love
RALLY FOR RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

June 30, 2018 – 10 AM
With
Rev. Msgr. James Vlaun, President & CEO of
the Telecare Television Network,
Master of Ceremonies
At: St. John the Baptist Diocesan High School Auditorium
1170 Montauk Highway, West Islip, NY 11795

SPEAKERS:

KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Fr. Eric R. Fasano, J.C.L., Secretary to the Bishop and Co-Chancellor DRVC.
Remarks on the encyclical Veritatis Splendor

Sister Constance Viet, Communications Director, Little Sisters of the Poor. Remarks on challenging “Polite Persecution” at the Supreme Court

Cardinal Dolan and Bishop Barres:
Video messages

Student video
Public Schools Are Not God-Free Zones

- 10:00 a.m. Public witness Rosary in front of school (meet in auditorium lobby)
- 10:30 a.m., Rally begins
- Refreshments following Rally.
- Join in praying a public witness Rosary for religious freedom
- Learn powerful lessons from Pope St. John Paul II, Veritatis Splendor
- Hear the Supreme Court experience of the Little Sisters of the Poor

Rally co-sponsored by The Diocese of Rockville Centre and Catholics for Freedom of Religion. No reservation required.

For more information, contact Catholics for Freedom of Religion at 631-896-8331: or visit www.drvc.org.

Created by Office of Communications, Diocese of Rockville Centre (6/2018)
Unbound: Freedom in Christ
Conference DVD Workshop

Monday, June 25th - Friday June 29th
7:15 pm to 9:15 pm
in the O’Connell Room
(Talks will be repeated Saturday, June 30th from
9:00 am to 5:00 pm- bring brown bag lunch)

St. Joseph R.C. Church
39 North Carll Avenue
Babylon, NY, 11702

DVD Presentations of talks presented by Neal & Janet Lozano
Of Heart of the Father Ministries

- Do you find yourself struggling with the same area of sin time after time?
- Do you sometimes feel helpless in finding freedom from anger, resentment, fear, jealousy, etc.?
- Do you long to help someone stuck in destructive behavior patterns to be set free?

There is an answer. **UNBOUND: Freedom in Christ.** The UNBOUND book and conferences are the result of years of experience helping people discover the freedom they have been given in Christ. Learn the five simple keys of the UNBOUND model in this book, **UNBOUND** by Neal Lozano.

It would be beneficial and recommended to read UNBOUND before attending the conference workshop. Books can be purchased at Advent Book Stores, Amazon or online at [heartofthefather.com](http://heartofthefather.com) (610-952-3019)

Registration is $20 and can be paid at the first session. Please call the Parish Office to register so we can order a workbook for everyone (631-669-0068).

Contact Jody for more info 516-641-6999 or sonflwormjb@yahoo.com
REFLECTION FOR TODAY

St. Paul reminds us in the second reading that “John heralded His (Jesus’) coming by proclaiming a baptism of repentance to all the people of Israel.” How faithful are we to our baptismal promises?
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 Friday 9:30am - 7:30pm
Sat. 9:30am to 4:00pm ☑ 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 201)

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

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

Peter’s Pence Collection
Next week, June 30/July 1, we will take the
Peter’s Pence Collection, which provides
Pope Francis with the funds he needs to
carry out his charitable works around the
world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and
sisters on the margins of society, including
victims of war, oppression, and disasters.

Please be generous.

For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

Parish Office News
The Parish Office will be closed in
celebration of Independence Day on
Wednesday, July 4, 2018.
The Parish Office will reopen on
Thursday, July 5, 2018 at 9:30 AM.

Eucharistic Minister Teams
Eucharistic Minister Teams:
Weekend of June 23/24~ Team B
Weekend of June 30/July 1~ Team A

HOTLINE NUMBERS

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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.Cdr. Michael Catalano
Lt. John T. Izzo
Lt. Caroline Mayer
PO2 Kristen Tice
PO1 Rasheen Tice
MA2 William S. Murtha
Lt. Matthew Waldron
Lt. Dylan Kelly

**U.S.M.C.:**
Sgt. Lauren Colantropo
1st Lt Marc Anthony Parrino
2nd Lt. R.J. Parrino
Malik Rodriguez
Nelson Sanchez, Jr.

**U.S. Army:**
SPC Elliot Chodkowski
SSG Josuah Insull
LTC John Kallo
SSG David C. Ray
Eric Stein
LTC Jon J. Uebel
PV2 Danny Bornschein
Capt. Stephen Scuderi

**U.S. Coast Guard:**
CPO Benjamin Flad
Capt. Matthew W. Sibley
F.A. Madison Mulders

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

6/17/2018
Actual Collection $19,417.00
Budgeted Collection $23,350.00
($3,933.00)

God Bless You!

In Remembrance ..An Invitation to Share

Date: 6/29/18
Time: 1:30 PM
Place: St. Joseph’s RC Cemetery

This will be a brief dedication of the gravestone of Joan/Fred Cornman by Fr. Seth. Followed by a short eulogy of Joan’s life and faith by her husband, Fred.

All those attending are invited to a late brunch following the ceremony at a local restaurant.

Please RSVP by no later than 6/15/18 to Fred’s numbers
Home- 631-669-6628 or Cell 631-358-4077.
The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Knights of Columbus Scholarship

Saint Joseph the Carpenter Knights of Columbus Council 14771 is proud to announce the Francis Ferguson Scholarship Fund for registered parishioners of St. Joseph Church, Babylon who will be entering as a freshman, attending a Catholic High School in September of 2018. The scholarship award is $500.00.

Requirements are simple:

♦ 200 word composition, written by the student describing what “Attending Catholic High School Means to Me.”
♦ Written in the student’s handwriting, not typed on a computer.
♦ Please fill in the application information below.

Student Name: _________________________________________________________________
Address: ______________________________________________________________________
Telephone No. _________________________________________________________________
Date of Birth: __________________________________________________________________
School and Grade Attending in September 2018: ______________________________________
______________________________________________________________________________

Please mail application and composition to:
Knights of Columbus Council 14771 or Richard Maerki
39 N. Carll Ave. 14 Buoy Lane
Babylon, NY 11702 West Islip, NY 11795
DEADLINE: June 30, 2018

The Catechism of the Catholic Church

A Teaching Series on the Faith and The Catechism of the Catholic Church by Fr. Ethel

How deep is your knowledge of the Catholic Faith? How much of an Apologist are you with regard to the Church? Are you ready to grow in your knowledge and understanding of the Church and her ecclesiological principles?

Here comes an opportunity at our parish to come grow in your knowledge of the Faith as we learn together and get re-educated on the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

The instructor of this class is Fr. Ethel Anarado.

Our main text is The Catechism of the Catholic Church.

Class will begin Monday, October 22, 2018 and run for 6 weeks ending on Monday, November 26, 2018.

Class dates are:
October, 22, 29
November 5, 12, 19, and 26

Time: 7:30 PM to 9:30 PM

Place: Room 257 in the Parish Center at St. Joseph’s Parish in Babylon.

You are invited to register at the Parish Office or call (631) 669-0068 Ext. 100

A Free Will Offering will be taken.
Engaged Encounter is an effective PreCana program designed to provide you with the tools for a successful marriage. Couples are given the opportunity to explore many aspects of their relationship through a series of presentations, writings and dialog. There are no group discussions.

Our next weekend will be held at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington, August 17-19, 2018.

For information please call Lenny & Pat Walker at 631-563-1032 or visit www.engagedencounterli.org

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Join Fr. Ethel Anarado on a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

March 3-12, 2019

Departing from New York, NY

$4,079 per person (based on double occupancy)

Visiting:

Stella Maris- Nazareth;
Tiberias: Sea of Galilee;
Jordan River- Mt. Tabor- Jericho-Jordan River - Jerusalem;
Jerusalem: Temple Model-Ein Kareim- Bethlehem;
Bethany- Dead Sea;
Jerusalem: Mt. of Olives-
Gethsemane- Mt. Zion- Western Wall;
Jerusalem: Via Dolorosa- Holy Sepulchre

Forms will be available in the rear of the Church and the Parish Center.
A Friend sent this in an email

They walked in tandem, each of the ninety-two students filing into the already crowded auditorium. With their rich maroon gowns flowing and the traditional caps, they looked almost as grown up as they felt.

Dads swallowed hard behind broad smiles, and moms freely brushed away tears.

This class would not pray during the commencements, not by choice, but because of a recent court ruling prohibiting it.

The principal and several students were careful to stay within the guidelines allowed by the ruling. They gave inspirational and challenging speeches, but no one mentioned guidance and no one asked for blessings on the graduates or their families.

A solitary student walked proudly to the microphone. He stood still and silent for just a moment and then it happened.

All 92 students, every single one of them, suddenly sneezed!!

The student on stage simply looked at the audience and said “God Bless You” and he walked off the stage…

The audience exploded into applause.

This graduating class had found a unique way to invoke God’s blessing on their future with or without the court’s approval.

Deacon John

Reflections

A TREE GROWS IN BABYLON

A few weeks ago, an unceremoniously 27th anniversary passed. Like most, I was unaware of it until I randomly walked under the not so stately tree in front of what once was St. Joseph’s School. I read a plaque beneath its drooping limbs and embedded in the ground beneath that carries certainly a fitting tribute to those who once walked the hallowed halls of the school for so many years:

“Planted with love from the graduates of St. Joseph School who have branched out throughout the world better prepared for life.”

June 2, 1991

I was only a parent of students who attended the school; Dan and Tim graduated, and Kara had just finished first grade when the doors of the school closed for good. There are many parishioners of my generation who attended the school in its prime and regale in stories of the Sisters of Mercy and the Franciscan Brothers who helped shape their characters. Though considered overcrowded, too restrictive, and often demanding by today’s standards, most of those students have done well for themselves…and for their communities.

It is obvious that education in general has changed dramatically since 1991. What has not changed, however, is the need for education. At St. Joseph School, the students were taught to understand, appreciate, and live the tenets of their Catholic faith. It is now up to others to ensure children in Catholic families still receive such an education. Parents are the primary teachers of their children, and there are also the Faith Formation programs in our parish. Things are in place.

Let those of us on the sidelines ask for God’s Grace on the next generations of children from St. Joseph so they may likewise, “…branch out throughout the world better prepared for life.”

Brian Maker
FOOD FOR THOUGHT . . . . .

JOIN 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!

**Adult Contemporary Music Ensemble**
- **Mass:** Sunday 12:00 PM in the Church.
- **Rehearsal:** Wednesdays 7 - 9 PM (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.

**Adult Folk Group**
- **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:** ammmgm@aol.com

Singers, guitarists and other instrumentalists are invited to see Alicia at Saturday Mass.

**St. Joseph Choir (minimum age:18)**
- **Mass:** Sunday 10:15 AM in the Church. (choir arrives at 10:00 AM)
- **Rehearsal:** Thursdays 7:00 to 9:00 PM, Choir Room. (Room 254 of the Parish Center)
- **Ensemble Season:** Ends this June 17th; resumes September 13, 2018 through June 16, 2019.
- **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. The commitment is weekly rehearsal, and Sunday 10:15 AM Mass. (some Mondays may be needed in preparation for December concert, Christmas Eve and Holy Week services) In addition to email or phone contact, interested singers may speak to Dr. Drohan any Sunday after the 10:15 AM Mass.
The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Wanted
A Few Good Bakers
For the Baptism Baking Ministry

Do you enjoy baking? Would you like to welcome newly baptized babies’ families to St. Joseph’s Church?

The Baptism Baking Ministry does just that!

Once or twice a month, you’ll be asked to bake whatever you want to be delivered to the baptized baby’s family. Don’t drive? No Problem, delivery can be arranged. Please join us!

Call or email:
Amy Prenderville
631-893-4148
AjPrenderville@gmail.com

Baptism Hospitality Ministry

The Baptism Hospitality Ministry is looking for volunteers. Be the first person to help welcome the babies to our faith.

The responsibilities are:
1. Setting up the Baptismal area for the Priest/Deacon.
2. Assisting parents and guests to their seats.
3. Assisting Priest/Deacon during the Sacrament.

The obligation will be approximately one Sunday per month from 1:30-2:30PM.
If interested, please contact Ada Gonzalez (631) 741-4373.

St. Joseph Parish Pool Party

The Parish Pool Party is scheduled for
Monday, July 30, 2018.

Camp Quo Vadis

Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, Huntington
For High School Boys and Girls
Cost: $275 per person
July 8 - 13, 2018

The camp is a 5 day over-night retreat opportunity. Our hope is to empower the campers to build and nourish a relationship with Jesus Christ. Each day will include an inspiring keynote address, small groups, team activities, Mass, devotionals, adoration, confession, sports, hiking, and free time. The seminarians will act as the counselors for the boy campers and a select group of young adult women from our Diocese will lead the girls. Additionally, the speakers for each day will include many of our young priests and the Sisters for Life.

For information and to register go to: www.CampQuoVadis.com
The most sincere gratitude to our “Thrift Shop Ladies;” your mission makes a difference in many people’s lives through the Outreach Center. Your work and dedication allows us to economically assist many families in need in our community. This year we are very happy to be able to finance the town pool pass for 7 families. Our goal is to give the children the opportunity to have a healthy fun summer.

Also we would like to thank our Nursery School for the immediate response to our request of a Stroller, and of course thanks to the person who donated it. This act of kindness will make a difference in this mother’s life. God bless you!

**Outreach also needs:**

We could always use Grocery/Store Gift Cards (Aldi, ShopRite, Stop & Shop, Target, etc). Target and ShopRite gift cards are not only used to help families for food, but it also is used by our clients to pay for their medications in the Pharmaceutical Department.

Thank you in advance for your ongoing help.
Your support is truly appreciated.

**St. Joseph Parish Social Ministry**

When we give to the needy, God pours out His love, peace, and joy into our lives and into the souls of the poor. We remain grateful to all our parishioners who continually give so generously.

**God Bless You!**
The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Organizations

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL # 14771**

**YOU ARE BORN A MAN.**
**YOU BECOME A KNIGHT.**

Join today. Visit KofC.org/JoinUs

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
Log on to: https://stjosephsbabylon.org/knights-of-columbus

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas - Court Bishop McDonnell #1403**

We welcome all our Catholic sisters to add their names to the roster of the largest Catholic women’s organization in the world through

Court Bishop McDonnell #1403

Tell a friend!

Meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of each month - September thru June.

Come and visit one of our meetings and mingle with our members and learn how we work in UNITY and CHARITY to help others less fortunate.

For more information contact
Terry Hoffman
631-669-0198

**JUNIOR CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS**

The Junior and Senior Courts celebrated the installation of their new Executive Committees.

Congratulations to the elected officers!

All girls, ages 10 and older are welcome to join.
Please contact Laura at 516-356-3399 for more information.
The Faith Formation Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9 am-4 pm. If you come between the hours of 9 am – 9:30 am, you will need to call the office to enter the building: 631-587-4717.

Please note: the Faith Formation Office will close for the summer beginning July 9th. Please register your children before the break if you want your child to be in a specific class or if you want to request a certain day and/or time. We place the children on a first come, first serve basis and each year we get a number of new families registering.

Catechists and Hall Monitors are needed for next year – please contact the Faith Formation Office if you are interested in volunteering: 631-587-4717. All volunteers who work with children must undergo a background check and take a Virtus Training course.

New Family Registration – if you would like to register a new student in the Faith Formation Program, please come to the office and bring the original baptismal certificate for each child you plan to register (even if your child was baptized here at St. Joseph) and a check or cash for the registration fee. The annual registration fee is $145 for one child, $210 for two children and $265 for three or more.

St. Joseph’s Nursery School is looking for a science teacher for our 4 year old program. Tuesday afternoons from September – June. Curriculum is in place. Call for more details at 631-661-4559 or www.stjosephsnurseryschool.org

Stewardship

Stewardship Sound Byte
We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who embrace the obligation to serve others as opportunities to live out our own baptismal promise to serve in - and through - the Church.
Youth Ministry

Parents, Grandparents — help your Teens stay connected to their Faith in College!

Graduating High School?
Don’t leave your Faith behind you!
Connect with the Newman Club or Campus Ministry at your college.
Send me an email and I will have Newman Club reach out to you in the fall!
Barbara McNulty at youth@stjosephsbabylon.org
Include your first & last name and name of the college or university attending in the fall.

Moms of Teens n Tweens: Have a teen getting ready for High School next year?
Not sure what to do with your Middle Schooler who is always on his video games?
Just need a few minutes to chat with someone who understands your frustrations?
How about joining us Monday, July 2nd at 7 pm in Room 260
for a simple chat with other parents who are experiencing the same things.
RSVP by Friday 6/30. Thank you. youth@stjosephsbabylon.org
Barbara McNulty 631-669-0068 ext 108

Upcoming Events:
Faith + Fun + Friends + Family = Youth Ministry

June 25—28: Youth Leader Training taking place at LIU/CWPost Campus. Please pray for our Teens (and me.)
Monday, July 2nd: Meeting for Moms at 7 pm
Saturday, July 7th: Young Adults Hospitality Too Soup Kitchen 8 am—Noon. Must be registered in Advance.
Tuesday, July 17th—GAME DAY. Noon—4 pm Grades 5 and up. Join us in the air conditioned Youth Room
for some board games and a Movie. Bring your favorite snack.
July 20 –22: Steubenville NYC at St John’s University. Please keep our Teens in your prayers.
Thank you to all the Sponsors who have made this trip possible!

What Colleges are we attending?
F.I.T.—in Manhattan….SUNY Binghamton……Renselleer………..
SUNY Oswego…………C.I.A.—Culinary Institute of America…
St. Joseph’s, Patchogue…Sienna
Did I miss your school? Let me know where you are going!

VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU.
Everyone is so generous! I love the care and concern you have for our Youth!
This week, friends have stopped by the Youth Ministry office and donated bags of chips, oreo cookies,
water bottles and peanut butter. It is great to be able to host a YM meeting or a game day and to be able
to provide snacks for these hungry teens. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!
**Vacation Bible School**

**St. Joseph’s Parish**
39 North Carll Ave.
Babylon, NY, 11702

Any questions
Jeanmarie Florio at stjosephsvbs@gmail.com

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION

**K-5th GRADE**
August 6th-10th
9:00am- Noon

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Circle Grade Entering Sept 2018:  
- 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: $55  PER CHILD (early registration-before May 31- $50)

Family Maximum- $120 (early registration- before May 31- $110)

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***

WE ARE LOOKING FOR PARENT VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEK. PLEASE VOLUNTEER.
The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Chastity: “Chastity is a moral virtue. It is also a gift from God, a grace, a fruit of spiritual effort. The Holy Spirit enables one whom the waters of Baptism has regenerated to imitate the purity of Christ.” (Catechism of the Catholic Church)

For some of the many resources available visit:

What is Natural Family Planning (NFP)? Marriage insurance and “much much” more. The Creighton Model FertilityCare™ System allows women to monitor and understand the day-to-day function of their reproductive systems. It also provides detailed information to a woman’s physician, allowing specially trained physicians to diagnose and treat underlying reproductive and gynecologic disorders using NaProTECHNOLOGY™. Fertility-focused intercourse allows 98.5% of couples of normal fertility to achieve a pregnancy within six months. When used to avoid pregnancy, the method is 99.5% effective. Individual NFP classes are available at the Long Island Gianna Center at Good Samaritan Hospital Medical Center- Dr. Paul Carpentier, MD-Director, 661 Deer Park Ave., Babylon, NY 11702 (631) 376-3232, www.chsli.org/gianna-center-long-island.

Gabriel’s Courage Perinatal Support Program: Gabriel’s Courage is a family centered program for families who receive a life-limiting prenatal diagnosis during their pregnancy. The program offers a multidisciplinary team approach to care and support throughout pregnancy, birth, and post birth. For more information, call 1(855) 301-4CHS.

Caring For Loved Ones At Life’s End:
An old Irish proverb says, “It is in the shelter of each other that the people live.” Indeed, we are created to depend upon one another and walk together in suffering. But when family members or friends approach life’s end, we may not know how to "shelter" them. To learn some concrete ways we can be compassionate, follow the link to “Caring for Loved Ones at Life’s End” http://campaign.r20.constantcontact.com/render?m=1105232878197&ca=646c559-3042-4e6e-9b40-f56ec88140fc

TAKE ACTION: To Oppose Doctor-Assisted Suicide or to Oppose Late-Term Abortion Expansion, or to Urge Congress to Enact the Conscience Protection Act of 2017 (Federal law that will ensure that those who provide health care and health coverage can do so without being forced by the government to destroy innocent unborn babies) follow the link to TAKE ACTION http://campaign.r20.constantcontact.com/render?m=1105232878197&ca=646c559-3042-4e6e-9b40-f56ec88140fc

Entering Canaan Day of Prayer and Healing for Women:
Prayer and Healing Retreats, help those suffering the effects of abortion. We offer a safe place, a way out of the pain, in a non-judgmental atmosphere. All retreats are led by the Sisters of Life and women who have experienced both the suffering of abortion and the joy of healing in Christ!
Contact: Theresa Bonopartis 1(877)-586-4621 Lumina@postabortionhelp.org or www.sistersoflife.org

Entering Canaan Day of Prayer & Healing for Men:
Contact: Lumina 877-586-4621 or Lumina@postabortionhelp.org


Going to Battle Against Assisted Suicide- Help stop Assisted Suicide http://www.usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/respect-life-program/2016/caring-for-loved-ones-at-lifes-end.cfm

BULLETIN SUBMISSION DATES

To allow for notices to be published in the bulletin please see the following dates for submission in upcoming bulletins:

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Thank you, Joanne Maher, Bulletin Editor

“Religion and Rock”

Tune into “Religion and Rock” with Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sunday from 7:00 AM- 8:00 AM on WBAB 102.3 FM or 95.3 FM on Long Island’s East End.

Listen on Saturdays at 11:00 PM on Sirius Radio, Channel 159, the Catholic Channel and at 11:00 PM on XM Satellite, Channel 117.

Next Sunday’s (July 1) theme is America, don’t miss it! To listen online or receive more information regarding Religion and Rock go to www.ReligionandRock.com. or at “Religion & Rock” on ITUNES.

Don’t forget to tune into TELECARE, Cablevision 29, Verizon FIOS 296 or Time Warner 471 or visit www.TelecareTv.org for the Best Catholic Television!
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.
Las horas de oficina del Ministerio Hispano son:
Viernes 7:00pm - 9:00pm
(631) 669-0068 Ext. 131 * Padre Joe Ext. 104

Intercesiones por la Vida
Para todos los atormentados por los recuerdos del aborto: que Dios les dé la gracia de buscar su sana misericordia;
Roguemos al Señor,
Señor, escucha nuestra oración

La Paz empieza con Nosotros
Estamos hechos para el bien. Estamos hechos para el amor. Estamos hechos para la amistad. Estamos hechos para la unión. Estamos hechos para todas las cosas hermosas que tu y yo sabemos. Estamos hechos para decirle al mundo que no hay forasteros. Todos somos bienvenidos: negro, blanco, rojo, amarillo, ríco, pobre, educado, no educado, hombre mujer, homosexual, heterosexual, todo, todo, todo. Todos pertenecemos a esta familia, esta familia humana, la familia de Dios.
- Desmond Tutu

Clérigo anglicano sudáfricano y teólogo conocido por su trabajo como un anti-apartheid y activista de los derechos humanos.

Gracias, Señor, que podemos encontrar unidad en nuestra diversidad por tu Santo Espíritu, porque todos fuimos creado para beber de un solo Espíritu, ser uno contigo.

MADRE ORANDO POR SUS HIJOS
TODOS LOS MARTES DE:
7:30PM — 8:00PM - SALÓN # 256
Información llame a Ana Ramos

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Para obtener más información sobre la Campaña de Ministerios Católicos, por favor visite CatholicMinistriesAppeal.org o llame al 516-678-5800 ext. 296.

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- **Escrito con la letra del alumno, no escrito en una computadora.**

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