October 28, 2018 ~ Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastoral Team
Rev. Jason U. Grisafi, Administrator
Rev. Joseph V. Arevalo, Associate Pastor
Rev. Ethel Anarado, Associate Pastor
Rev. Francis A. Samuel, Resident/Associate
Deacon Michael J. Leyden
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Deacon Stephen Yusko
Dr. Marie Drohan, Music Director
Mrs. Barbara McNulty, Youth Minister
Ms. Claire Moule, Faith Formation
Ms. Anna Rose Regan, Business Manager
Mrs. Patricia Taggart, Nursery School
Mrs. Sigrid Villalobos A., Parish Social Ministry

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.

We Celebrate the Eucharist

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

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

We Assemble for Prayer

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

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

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.

Our Parish Mission Statement
The Parish of St. Joseph is a Roman Catholic Community of Christ’s Disciples:
We Welcome. We Worship. We Witness.
The Sacraments of Life

Newly Baptized
Theodore Willace Bielawski, Kayla Rebecca Lieberman, Joseph Rafael Lora, William Michael Quinn III, Henry Robert Walsh

Preparing for Marriage
Banns Posted
Second Time ~
Daniel McNicholas & Ashlee Fresella
Scott Western & Christina Camileri

Third Time ~
Edward Ryan & Megan O’Regan
Matthew Fragano & Michelle Rondi

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, Sean Regan, Anne Aguis, Kathleen M. Elsner, Mary Jane Simmons, Evelyn Scalise, Mary Blasko, Charles Chertiza, Marcella Dwyer, Jenien Horner, Joy Lichten, Sandy Cardona, Norman Gomez, Brandon Davey, Raymond Meigel, Mary Ellen Szwejkowski, Sabina Dojlidko, Dorila Cardozo, Mary Greer, Anthony Bertuglia, Marylou DeMeeo, Arianna Messina, Anne Camarda, Ryan Finn, Robert W. Wolf, Leonor Martin, Silvio Gomez, Benjamin Negro, Milcent Wadsworth, Brenda Buffalino, Baby Ava James, Terry Wunder, Margaret Anne Crumlish, Edward Wolfe, Connie Sperling, Fran Di Palma, Jenn Di Palma, John Bradley, Barbara Witthohn, Nancy Ruff, Anna Marcellus, Gladys Decal, Jeanette Levasseur, Lisa Hulsen, Attracta Roche, Charles Chertiza, Mary Balduci, Joseph Hovanec, Frank Petereson, Steve Peterson, Diana Peterson, Martin Kennedy, Clare Hubert, John O’Hanlon, Judythe Picini and Grace Aranda

For Our Deceased
Please pray for the families and souls of our deceased members including
Julia Fay, Neal Mandel and Catherine Theresa Ward

Mass Schedule & Readings For The Coming Week:

At this Mass, we remember
Saturday, October 27
9:00 Josephine F. & Gerard C. Kelley

Weekend Celebrations (barring last minute changes)
4:00 Confessions Today Fr. Joe
5:00 Arthur Botté & Lorraine Botté Fr. Francis
Harry Prodomides
Margaret Sheridan

Sunday, October 28 – Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 People of St. Joseph Fr. Francis
8:30 Anne Pollio Fr. Joe
9:30 Deborah K. Lynch Fr. Ethel
10:15 Ann Bernadette Kotz Fr. Jason
12:00 Louis & Mary Catalano Fr. Jason
5:00 Victor Scafuro Fr. Ethel

Monday, October 29
7:45 Jack Ryan
9:00 Agnes & Sam Lisy

Tuesday, October 30
7:45 Mary Seery
9:00 James Schellenberg & Alexander Scott

Wednesday, October 31
7:45 For the Intentions of Our Lady
9:00 In Thanksgiving in Honor of St. Joseph

Thursday, November 1
7:45 James & Anna McGroggan
9:00 Margaret Scafuro
12:15 James Walsh
7:30 In Thanksgiving to all the Saints

Friday, November 2
7:45 Sara DeMott
9:00 Minnie & Santo Lavalle

Saturday, November 3
9:00 James McCullagh

Weekend Celebrations (barring last minute changes)
4:00 Confessions Today Fr. Jason
5:00 People of St. Joseph Fr. Ethel

Sunday, November 4 – Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 Nicholas & Frances Vidonic Fr. Francis
8:45 Philomena McDonald Fr. Jason
9:30 Tommy McGovern Fr. Joe
10:15 James Tracey Fr. Jason
12:00 Adele Reve Fr. Ethel
5:00 Josephine Koehler Fr. Francis
**The Sunday 5 PM Mass is being held in the Church**

Eucharistic Minister Teams:
Weekend of October 27/28 Team B
Weekend of November 3/4 Team A
My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

"The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy"
Ps. 126:3

It is with these words (which we all prayed during the responsorial psalm at Mass this weekend) that I wish to start this greeting to all of you, for they perfectly capture my own sentiments of thanksgiving and excitement at being sent as administrator here to our parish of St. Joseph. In addition, I've seen so many more reasons to be joyful during this week as I have familiarized myself with the numerous activities taking place here, and met so many of you, learning about your personal dedication to the life of faith and discipleship in Christ. Right here in Babylon the Lord is doing great thing both for and through you. This, in turn, fills me with great hope, and I pray it fills you with hope, too.

Please allow me to introduce myself briefly so that you may get to know me better. I hope that in the upcoming weeks you will take the chance to introduce yourself or your family to me, as it is my desire to get to know each one of you in a personal way. I was raised in New Hyde Park, and was a parishioner at Notre Dame parish. I received my undergraduate degree in Mathematics from Carnegie Mellon University, in Pittsburgh, PA, and entered the seminary the following Fall. I began my seminary formation at our own Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington, spending my pastoral year at Maria Regina in Seaford. In my final year at the seminary, we merged with St. Joseph Seminary in Yonkers. During my time there, I served as a deacon at St. Anne parish in Garden City. I was ordained a priest in 2013, and my first assignment was at St. Brigid in Westbury. After four years there, Bishop Barres asked that I undertake doctorate studies at the Catholic University of America in Washington, DC, with the intention of specializing in the Old Testament. While there, I resided at a parish dedicated to St. Bernadette Soubirous. However, after some time in DC, I requested from Bishop Barres that I might be allowed to return to full-time parochial ministry, and he generously permitted me to return, at which time I started residing in St. Mary parish in Manhasset. Finally, last Monday, I came here! And now I am administrator here. My hope is that I may be assigned pastor here in June, when our diocese normally makes pastoral assignments.

And so now our lives intertwine under the providence of God in a way that is deeper than the union we shared before by our common profession of the Catholic faith. I want you all to know that your spiritual well-being is, and will always remain, my primary concern. For that reason, my door is always open to you (though, since there are so many of you, it is usually best to schedule ahead of time!). I am so grateful to be here, and look forward to meeting each of you, personally. Please look forward to more reflections here in the bulletin, as well as on our website. As a preview, I would like to take the next three weeks to reflect on the three parts of our mission statement: welcome, worship, and witness. So check back next week for more! Until then, may almighty God, through the intercession of St. Joseph, keep you all in His peace.

In Christ,
fr. Jason

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**An All Souls Remembrance**

**AN ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE AT THE LAZARUS MASS**

The Ministry of Consolation invites all Parishioners, especially the family and friends of those who have lost a loved one within the last year, to a special All Souls Remembrance which will be held this year in conjunction with our regular monthly Lazarus Mass on

**Saturday, November 10, 2018 at the 9:00am Mass in the Church.**

This Mass will include a candle ceremony and a reading of the names of the deceased from the period of October 1, 2017 to September 30, 2018. The October Lazarus names will also be included.

We invite you to join the St. Joseph Parish Community in prayer for those who have begun a new life in Christ. The Book of the Dead will be available for the signing, at the front door, after Mass.

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**All Souls Day**

Friday, November 2nd, is All Souls' Day

The pamphlet, “Prayers for visiting a cemetery” Will be available in the Church, Msgr. Nolan Hall and at St. Joseph Cemetery from now until the end of November.

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**St. Joseph Cemetery**

**St. Joseph Cemetery Memorial Mass**

There will be an All Souls’ Day Mass at St. Joseph Cemetery on Friday, November 2nd at 9:00 am.

The Cemetery is located on Old Farmingdale Road, just west of Livingston Avenue, south of Sunrise Highway.

For your comfort, it is recommended that lawn chairs be brought to the cemetery.

All are invited.

(In case of rain, there is a 9:00 am Mass in the Church)
Sacrificial Giving
Thank you for your generosity in returning to God and God’s work some of what God has given to you.

10/21/2018
Collection $17,725
Last Year $18,856
God Bless You!

Prayers for Our Service Men & Women

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

U.S. M.C.:
Sgt. Lauren Colantrono
1Lt MarcAnthony Parrino
2Lt. R.J. Parrino
Malik Rodriguez
Nelson Sanchez, Jr.
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LTC John Kallo
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PVz Alexandra Diaz
2LT Mark Barbera

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AB Christopher Signoretti
SSGT Brandon Ward
MSGT John Hatzidakis

Pray for Our Military

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

HOTLINE NUMBERS

Crisis Pregnancy Center (631) 243-2373
Post-Abortion Counseling 1-888-456 HOPE
(Project Rachel)
National Human Trafficking 1-(888) 373-7888
Domestic Violence (Nassau County) Safe Housing (516) 542-0404 (24/7)
Domestic Violence (Suffolk County) Hotline & Shelter (631) 666-8833 (24/7)
Victims Information Bureau of Suffolk County (631) 360-3730
Office for Protecting Children/Young Adults-Dioece of Rockville Centre (516) 594-9063
Suicide Prevention (Nassau County) (516) 679-1111
Suicide Prevention (Suffolk County) (631) 751-7500
Porn Addiction www.reclaimsexualhealth.com
**Lazarus Ministry**

The Monthly Lazarus Ministry Mass, commemorating the deceased members of our community, will be held, this year, in conjunction with our yearly All Souls’ Remembrance Mass on:

**Saturday, November 10, 2018 at the 9:00 AM Mass in the Church**

This Mass will include a reading of the October Lazarus Ministry deceased names as well as a candle ceremony and a reading of the names of deceased for the period, Oct. 1, 2017 to Sept. 30, 2018. We regret that no additional names may be written in on this day.

The regular Lazarus Ministry will continue on Saturday, December 15, 2018 at the 9:00 AM Liturgy.

**Little Rock Bible Study**

"James, Peter, and Jude: The Catholic Letters"

The Little Rock Scripture Study has been a part of the St. Joseph’s Adult Enrichment program for several years. The selected study for this Fall covers four New Testament letters traditionally known as the Catholic Letters because each is written to strengthen Christian communities scattered across a wide region of the Roman Empire rather than a specific Christian community. Participants will discover that they contain profound differences as well as intriguing similarities. James is a work of wisdom literature, expounding on the themes of faith and good works, true wisdom, and the need for the rich to care for the poor. First Peter resembles a sermon on baptism. It is filled with moral exhortations about living out one’s baptismal promises in a properly upright, faith-filled manner, especially in the face of suffering and persecution. Second Peter contains strong warnings and exhortations to avoid false teachings to maintain proper ethical conduct while awaiting the second coming of Jesus Christ. It shares much of its content with Jude, because of which, Jude is studied in conjunction with Second Peter. This study has 7 sessions, incorporating an introductory session and 6 lessons, beginning on Thursday October 4th in the O’Connell Room at 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm. Session dates are Oct. 4, 11, 18, 25, Nov. 1, 8, & 15. The registration fee of $20 covers the cost of the study guide and CD wrap-up lecture.

Please register at the Parish Center. If you have any questions, please contact JoAnn Bello at joannbello@optonline.net.

**St. Joseph’s Nursery School**

**Free - Parish Play Group**
- Children and parent/caregiver
- Birth to pre-k

**Wednesdays**
12:00pm-1:00pm

Please call for more info.
631-661-4559 or email nurseryschool@stjosephsbabylon.org

**BULLETIN SUBMISSION DATES**

The general rule for bulletin submission is that bulletin notices should be submitted 10 days prior to the bulletin date except during the seasons of Advent and Lent when notices should be submitted 20 days prior to the bulletin date.

Request Forms can be obtained in the Parish Office.

Thank you, Joanne Maher - Bulletin Editor

**CHRISTMAS PAGEANT REHEARSALS**

**COME ONE.... COME ALL.... ALL CHILDREN K - 8 FOR THE PARISH**

**CHRISTMAS PAGEANT SUNDAY - DECEMBER 9TH**

Rehearsals are held in the Church on Monday evenings at 6:30pm beginning Monday, October 1st, Any questions call or text Theresa at 808-429-8806.

**REFLECTION FOR TODAY**

All discipleship involves mission. The Bishop’s Pastoral Letter on stewardship reminds us, "Every member of the Church is called to evangelize, and the practice of authentic Christian stewardship inevitably leads to evangelization."
Please Help Outreach

“We are getting ready for Thanksgiving”

“Thanksgiving is a joyful celebration.” We reflect with gratitude on the blessings we’ve received and give to those who are struggling. This year, we are once again calling upon you for donations of food and/or supermarket gift cards to help the families who use our pantry. We help, on the average, 20 families a day with food from our pantry and some financial assistance. We would not be able to care so generously for our clients without the help we receive from our parishioners here at St. Joseph.

We ask that all donations arrive at Outreach-Center by Wednesday, November 5th so that all families may receive food in time for the holiday. Thank you!

At Outreach, we meet many local families who are struggling financially during these challenging times. As Christmas approaches, we are looking for a few Angels willing to “Adopt a Family” both financially and through prayer. We will match you with a family and offer gift suggestions, including sizes. If you are interested in joining our Angel Brigade this Christmas, please email us at margotdenza@yahoo.com with your name, phone number, and any special requests pertaining to the size of the family, etc. If you prefer, you can call Outreach at 669-0068 x 202 or x 201 and leave your name along with your phone number and email address. Please consider joining our Angel Brigade this season. As one of our “adopted” families from the past wrote, “We had an amazing Christmas."

“All requests to join our Angel Brigade must be received by November 15th”

Volunteers are needed...

If you are looking for a Ministry where you can put your enthusiasm and energy, here at Parish Social Ministry we are in need of strong arms to help us move donations around. Your time is very valuable to us.

For more information, please call us at: 631-669-4544 or 631-669-0068 Ext.202
Deacon’s Corner

The Cost of Discipleship

Matthew 8:18-22

To be a disciple of Jesus there is a cost and to disciple others there is a cost. The question is are we willing and prepared to pay the cost? This is what Jesus is talking about in verses 19 and 20. The answer to this question reveals the genuineness toward discipleship. The highest cost of all was paid by Jesus. He paid the cost throughout His earthly ministry and paid the ultimate cost at the end of it. However, there is still a cost for us; are we prepared to pay the price?

Some of the costs to bear in mind are: time, money, effort, talents, stepping out of our comfort zone, embracing and or loving the unlovable, persecution, ridicule, rejection, frustration, attacks of the enemy and in some cases, like Jesus, our very lives.

Our commitment must be instant, never wavering, not looking back but looking forward through the eyes and heart of Jesus who is within us.

Will you be willing to pay the price as you meet the cost, as you reach out to the saved and unsaved alike? The price we pay benefits others. This is not an ego trip. This is not a look how good, great or pious I am mentality, but bringing the love of God and the saving grace of Jesus into the lives of people. As you pay the price you will realize that God gives value for money.

Deacon John

Reflections

THE ODDS ARE IN OUR FAVOR!!!!

Many comparisons were made before the drawing of this week’s Mega Million Dollar Lottery in terms of the odds of winning the big prize. The most interesting perspective I heard, perhaps, was the comment that a person had a better chance of being canonized as a saint in the Catholic Church than picking the winning combination of numbers.

When I was in St. Boniface School for eight years, the only saints I knew about were those whose feast days we celebrated. When I got to St. Mary’s in Manhasset for high school, I learned there were quite a few more whose names I never heard. When looking at the list, I compared it to the major leagues and the minor leagues. St. Patrick, St. Cecilia, and St. Joseph, for example, were Major Leaguers. St. Madeleine Sophie Barat, St. Jacques Berthieu, and St. Arnold Janssen are Triple A at best. But the past has caught up to me. Two weeks ago, people who lived when I did...Archbishop Romero and Pope Paul VI, were canonized. They joined the Mother Teresa and John Paul II as people whose saintly lives were lived in my lifetime.

What might we have in common with such people? Like them, we are the recipients of God’s Grace which allows us to do things and act in ways we never thought possible. Mother Teresa did things in a very humble manner; Archbishop Romero became a martyr for his beliefs; and both Popes led the Church in very difficult times. All had devoted prayer lives and a sense of serving their neighbors... and we can do the same. I’d bet on it.

Brian Maher
The Knights of Columbus
St. Joseph the Carpenter Council #14771 Presents

**A Night of Doo Wop Music**
*All of your favorite Oldies, but Goodies from the 50’s and 60’s*
*Performed by Express*

Dinner Buffet, Coffee and Dessert
Beer, Wine & Soda
RAFFLES & 50/50

**Saturday, November 10th, 2018**
7:00pm-11:00pm

St. Joseph’s Church-Msgr. Nolan Hall
39 North Carll Avenue, Babylon

Tickets will be sold after all Masses Oct.20/21, Oct.27/28 & Nov.3/4

Help Us Support Local Charities

$35 Per Person
Adults Only- 21 and over
No Tickets Available At Door

For more information:
Dom: 631-669-1092
Bill: 631-539-8734
Vinny: 631-422-2679

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**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

*Adoration Coordinators*
Josephine:(631) 940-7280
Claudia:(516) 203-5221

*Hours of Adoration*
Monday 7 AM - 9 PM
Tuesday 8 AM - 9 PM
Thursday 8 AM through Friday Midnight

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**Altar Servers Update**

*Would you like to be an Altar Server?*

There will be training for new and prospective servers in grades 4-7.

Come to the first meeting, or for more information, call Meghan Ruf 631-867-6667.

**Meeting dates:**
November 7th 6:30 - 8 in the Hall
November 27th 6:30 - 8 in the Church
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 Dorothy Buckley at 631-539-8522

Did You Know?

- In 2017, the Knights of Columbus charitable donations were more than $185 million.
- The Knights of Columbus provided over 75.6 million hours of charitable service in 2017.
- The Knights of Columbus provides scholarships and grants to children of its members who attend Catholic high schools, colleges and universities.
- Scholarship & Grant applications are available NOW.

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

Catholic Daughters of the Americas - Court Bishop McDonnell #1403

Girls ages 10 and older are welcome. For more information please contact Laura at 516-356-3399
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.

Thanks to all the families that have been coming to Mass each week. Here are some of the Good Deeds our children have listed on the back of their Mass attendance envelopes: Millie took out the cans and bottles for recycling and watched her younger sister while mom cooked dinner, Caitlyn after served, Abby made her bed and her parents bed, DJ picked up the toys, Juliana helped her mom label books for her job, Taylor helped set up the pep rally at school, Jack helped his teacher, Shea and Chase helped clean up the lake in W. Islip, Christopher shared his snack, played with everyone and cleaned his room, Jack said please and thank you and Shannon gave money to a homeless person.

Level 7 students are to return their covenants at any Mass this weekend.

Level 5 Church Tours – Monday, October 29 and Tuesday, October 30th. Emails went out with your child’s assigned date and time. Parents need to stay with their children & the tour takes approximately 45 minutes. The tours take the place of class this week.

Level 2 Presentation of the Crosses – the level 2 children are expected to attend any Mass the weekend of November 3 & 4 to receive a cross necklace.

Level 6 Retreat – Saturday, November 3rd from 9:30am – 4:30pm in Nolan Hall. “Knowing Jesus” will be presented by Scott M. Anthony, a national speaker, retreat leader and Youth Minister. Lunch will be provided. We are asking the families for a donation of $20 to cover the costs of the retreat.

Attention parents: Scott M. Anthony will be giving a presentation for adults on Friday, November 2nd at 7pm. The topic will be “Gifts of the Spirit”. Parents that attended this event last year said it was absolutely wonderful. Don’t miss it! Please contact Barbara McNulty @ 631-669-0068 ext. 108 for more information.

Substitute Catechists and Hall Monitors are needed! Please contact the Faith Formation Office if you are interested in volunteering: 631-587-4717. All volunteers that work with children must undergo a background check and take a Virtus Training course.

New this year for Faith Formation families – sign up for Faith Direct and you will not have to pay the registration fee for next year and your children will be automatically re-registered each year. Contact the Faith Formation Office for more information.

FORMED – is a wonderful new adult faith formation online program and the parish of St. Joseph is inviting you to take part in this great new opportunity. Please visit our website to enroll. We make this so easy for you – click on the icon, follow the directions and enter this ACCESS CODE: NFCQMW

Youth Ministry

MONDAY 10/29—All in grades 8 and above are welcome to join us in the Madonna Room. We will be creating a planning and Advisory Team for upcoming events. 7:30—8:30 pm

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Youth Ministry is collecting items to assist Hope House Ministries:
Keurig Coffee Pods, Hot to-go cups w/lids, Men’s white socks, Deodorant, combs, Disposable Razors, Shaving Cream, Toothbrushes, Trial-size toothpaste, Underwear
There is a box outside of the Youth Ministry Office, or you can drop items at the Parish Office.

6 Teens Needed: to help Saturday 11/10 (7-11pm) at K of C Doo Wop—please sign up now

DID YOU RESERVE YOUR SEATS? Tuesday 11/13 — Fr Francis Pizzarelli will be here to speak with Adults about the Opioid Epidemic. This is an IMPORTANT TALK.

Don’t forget to check the website at www.stjosephsbabylon.org for updated calendar.

Thank you! PBJ GANG prepared 480 Sandwiches this month.
Please join us for An Informative Evening with
Father Francis Pizzarelli, SMM, DCSW
Founder of Hope House Ministries & Director of Hope Academy,
A Long Term Residential Treatment Center for Addiction

Tuesday, November 13th
at 7:00 pm In Nolan Hall
Father Francis will discuss the struggles and challenges
that our kids are facing today, and the growing Opioid crisis.
Join us as a community as we build a stronger foundation of hope for our kids.

This event is for Adults.
Students in Grade 8 and above are welcome
to join us but must be accompanied by a parent.

There is no cost for this evening – however there will be a free will offering
which will directly support Fr. Francis’ Ministries.

Please e-mail: youth@stjosephsbabylon.org
to reserve your seats.
Or call: 631-669-0068 ext 108

Thank you. Barbara McNulty

Mini Retreat for Adults

Friday 11/2  7:00pm-8:30pm in Nolan Hall.
Gifts of the Holy Spirit


This is a workshop that really presents the what’s and why’s of the gifts of the Holy Spirit. The hope is that if we understand what we are receiving and how the grace can be applied in our lives, then we will be more able to cooperate with that grace throughout our lives.

7:00pm - 8:30pm in Nolan Hall. All Adults are welcome!
Retreat Leader: Scott M. Anthony

Come and give yourself the gift of some quiet reflection time and fortify your faith and understanding of the Holy Spirit in your life.

Please RSVP to reserve your seat: youth@stjosephsbabylon.org
or complete the registration form in the column to the right.
Annette, Joann, Sue and Sharon, the 58th Chrysanthemum Ball committee, would like to thank all St. Joseph parishioners and vendors who generously contributed to the success of this year’s event. We have been receiving positive feedback and are very happy the Chrysanthemum ball was a sensation! To continue and strengthen our relationship within our community, we ask that you please visit and support our local shops, who have been so wonderfully kind-hearted to all of our parish’s needs. Thank you again!

58th Chrysanthemum Ball Sponsorships

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Chrysanthemum Ball Commemorative Gift, Including Surprise Monetary Prizes
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*Torta Fina Bakery (Babylon)*

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**Needle in the Groove**
*DJ Tommy*

Door Prizes
*Argyle Theater*
*Babylon Village Meat Market*
*Barbi Nail*
*Mrs. Joanne Bencivegna*
*Bubble*
*Burger Bar*
*Cold Stone Creamery*
*Game Hut*
*Glen’s Dinette*
*Healthy Alternatives*
*Kilwin’s*
*Mulberry Street*
*Roe Roe’s Sweet Street*
*Roomors*
*Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Saragnese*
*Mrs. Sue Sguliega*
*Shabby to Chic*
*Sol Y Luna*
*Sports Shack*

**Lottery Board**
*Sue Sguliega*
Father Tom and the 58th Chrysanthemum Ball Committee

Strolling down memory lane…

Great time with friends, delicious food and a whole bunch of fun and prizes—who could ask for anything more?

Thanks once again to all who contributed to the success of the Chrysanthemum Ball.
St. Joseph Book Club
will meet
November 9, 2018
at 7:30pm
Room 256

The book to be discussed is
War Brides
by Helen Bryan

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.

RITO DE INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS: (RICA) Les invitamos a una preparación espiritual de conversión a la fe católica. Llame al (631) 669-0068, ext. 131. 104.

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

RECONCILIACIÓN: Sábado a las 4:00pm - 4:45pm, o llamar para una cita, al Tel. # 669-0068 ext. 104.

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

CURSILLO DE CRISTIANDAD: 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 contáctese con el Sub-Vocal de Piedad Geremías Herrera @ gherreras29@gmail.com.

MADRES ORANDO POR SUS HIJOS: Todos los Jueves de 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM - Salon 259. Para información, contactese con Ana Ramos

RENOCION CARISMATICA: 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 contáctese con Ana Ramos @ rosesformarybyana@live.com.

COMUNIDAD DE MARIA: Siguiendo los mensajes de María Reina de la Paz - Lunes de 8:00pm-9:00pm. Comunícarse con Adriana Mascari. Room 259.

COMITE: El primer sábado de cada mes a las 10:00am en el salón # 256. Para la agenda, contáctese con Ana Ramos @ rosesformarybyana@live.com.

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 7:00 - 9:00pm en el Salón # 256. Comunícese con Adriana Mascari o Luz Marina López.

INTENCIONES PARA UNA MISA: Ver a Claudia Rodas después de la misa. Viernes de 7:00 PM.

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

MONAGUILLOS O ACOLITOS: Contáctese con Claudia Rodas. Los niños deben haber recibido la Primera Comunión.
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