

St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church

Parish Office Hours

Monday Through Friday (effective January 2, 2009)

9am to Noon; 1:15 to 5:00 PM; 6:00 to 8:00 PM

Saturday - 9:00 AM to Noon; 1:00 to 5:00 PM

Sunday - 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Pray with the Parish

Rosary - Prayed daily after the 9 AM Mass

Liturgy of the Hours - Prayed at 8:40 AM (Monday to Friday)
and 7:40 AM on Saturday

Eucharistic Adoration - Mondays (except holidays),
2:00 to 6:45 PM

Nocturnal Adoration & Devotion to the Sacred Heart -
7:30 to 8:30 PM on First Fridays.

Eucharist

The Lord's Day: Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 10:30, 12 Noon & 5:00 PM

Weekdays 7:00 AM & 9:00 AM,
8:00 AM Saturday

Holy Days As announced in Bulletin

Exposition Monday 2:00 to 6:45 PM
First Friday 7:30 to 8:30 PM

Penance/Reconciliation

Mon., Wed., and Fri. after the 7:00 AM & the 9:00 AM Mass.

Saturday after the 8:00 AM Mass and 4:00 to 4:45 and also upon request



Our Lady of Fatima Devotion

The 1st Saturday of each month will be devoted to Our Lady of Fatima. The devotion will include 8am Mass, Novena to Fatima / the Rosary, Confessions after Mass and fellowship in Carew Hall at 9am.

Our Lady came to Fatima with a message from God to every man, woman, and child of our century. Our Lady of Fatima promised that the whole world would be in peace, and that many souls would go to Heaven if Her requests were listened to and obeyed. Please join us in this devotion.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Monday (except holidays) from 2-6:45 PM

And on each First Friday from 7:30- 8:30PM

Please come and spend some quiet time with the Blessed Sacrament



St Joseph's Parish Monthly Recollection

On the First Friday of every month, at 7:30 PM, we hold our Monthly Parish Recollection. This is an hour of prayer, of recollection before our Lord present in the Blessed Sacrament - whose Sacred Heart is the source of immense charity and generous love. The foundation of this prayer is God's presence in our souls as Creator, Preserver, and Author of Graces ("in Him we live, and move, and are" Acts 17:28). God is our Father, and our Friend and is our sweet Guest. We must acknowledge the realization of this great truth: God is in each of us, our soul is His Temple.

This prayer of recollection includes the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction, Praying of the Psalms, Silence, Gospel Reading and a Talk /Reflection on the following topics: The Cardinal Virtues of prudence, justice, temperance and fortitude. The Theological Virtues of faith, hope and love. The gifts of the Holy Spirit; wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety and fear of the Lord.

Every soul, hungry & thirsty for God, is invited to this holy hour every First Friday of the month to adore, venerate & contemplate the Sacred Heart of Jesus, & to have a quiet dialogue with God.

Baptism

Celebrated most Sundays at 1:30pm. Please contact Parish Office when child is born to schedule Baptism Preparation requirements and date of Baptism.

Confirmation

A parish program building on foundation laid by the School and Religious Education Program. There is a separate program for any adult or teenager who has not yet been confirmed. Those interested should contact the Parish Office.

Marriage

Couples should contact the Parish Office to see one of the priests or deacons at least 6 months before the proposed wedding date, and before making any other arrangements. Both parties must complete marriage preparation programs before the marriage date. At least one of the parties must be registered in the parish.

Anointing of the Sick

This is a Sacrament for the living. A Catholic should receive this Sacrament if they are chronically ill, or are about to undergo surgery and hospitalization, or are suffering the effects of advanced age. We celebrate it during a Special Mass each Spring and Fall. Reception of the Sacrament at other times can be arranged by contacting the Parish Office.

Holy Orders

Anyone feeling called to the priesthood or religious life should feel free to contact one of the parish priests or deacons for guidance and direction.

Interested in becoming a Catholic?

Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic can contact the Parish Office for information about becoming part of the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

OUR LITURGY

In today's first reading, Job is reminded of God's incredible power over all of creation. Job is told that God is with him in his distress. Paul makes a statement of faith: that Christ died for all, so that all may have life in him. In the Gospel, Jesus calms the violent sea, displaying his power, as the Son of God, over creation.

Altar Bread & Wine



*In Loving Memory of
Margaret (Peggy) McComb
Requested by
Millie D'Agostino*

OUR PRIEST-CELEBRANTS

Priest Schedule Subject to Change

This Week Next Week

Fr. Thomas	5:00 PM	Fr. Rene
Fr. Thomas	7:00 AM	Fr. Rene
Fr. Maffeo	9:00 AM	Fr. Thomas
Fr. Rene	10:30 AM	Fr. Maffeo
Fr. Maffeo	12:00 PM	Fr. Thomas
Fr. Rene	5:00PM	Fr. Maffeo

IF ANYONE WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THE GIFTS AT THE MASSES ON SATURDAY OR SUNDAY, PLEASE CONTACT ONE OF THE USHERS WHEN YOU ARRIVE FOR MASS.

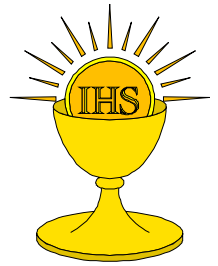
Are You A Registered Parishioner?

Many parishioners support St Joseph's in the weekly collection and we do not have them listed in our census. We would like to make sure you are given proper credit for your donations. *If you do not receive mail from us then you are not on our census.*

Please fill in the bottom of this page and we will send you a registration form.

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Town: _____
 City & Zip: _____

MASS INTENTIONS



Sunday, June 21 Fathers Day

- 7:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 9:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 10:30 Fathers Day Novena
- 12:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 5:00 Fathers Day Novena

Monday, June 22

- 7:00 Mamie DiSalvo req. by Linda Marino
- 7:00 Tristin Hart req. by Miss Daria & Miss Krissy
- 9:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 9:00 Margaret McComb req. by Mr. & Mrs. John McGarry

Tuesday, June 23

- 7:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 7:00 Luciano LaGattuta req. by Frank & Barbara Marino
- 8:45 John F. Weber req. by Loving Wife
- 8:45 Marilyn Granau req. by Lauren Peters

Wednesday, June 24

- 7:00 Fernando DeRubeis req. by Loving Mother
- 9:00 For the People of the Parish
- 9:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 9:00 Peter Mosera req. by Loving Mother & Brother

Thursday, June 25

- 7:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 7:00 Walter Rosoloski req. by John McCullagh
- 9:00 Rudolph Parson req. by Geri & Mike Devenney
- 9:00 Denis Sheehan req. by Gil & Rosemary Balkam

Friday, June 26

- 7:00 William Anderson req. by Frank & Barbara Marino
- 7:00 Intentions of the Celebrant
- 9:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 9:00 Cora Ann Brannick req. by Carol & Michael

Saturday, June 27

- 8:00 Fathers Day Novena
- 8:00 Mr. & Mrs. Lobrutto & Lilly req. by The Restivo Family

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

- 5:00 Thomas Nicosia req. by The Balkam Families
- 5:00 Corrine Freis req. by Cathy & Jim Foy

Sunday, June 28

- 7:00 Rose Feminella req. by Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Farrell
- 7:00 Elaine Honeycutt req. by Mr. & Mrs. Paciulli
- 9:00 Joseph Onufrak req. by Loving Wife & Family
- 9:00 Dec'd Mbrs. of St. Regis Knights of Columbus & Columbiettes
- 10:30 Roberto DeCastro req. by Teresa DeCastro
- 10:30 Lean Raia req. by Anne Kuhlwilms
- 12:00 Geni Moscato & Maryann Cassara req. by Millie & Tom D'Agostino
- 12:00 Janice Stegmann req. by Kathryn DelMar
- 5:00 Elizabeth Rea req. by Anne Harrington
- 5:00 Fathers Day Novena

*The 2010 Mass Book
is now open
for Mass Intentions.*

FROM THE DESK OF FR. MIKE

Andy Warhol coined the expression that everyone will have their 15 minutes of fame. The full statement was made in 1968 when he said, "In the future, everyone will be world-famous for fifteen minutes." This comment grew out of his interest in fame and celebrity. Warhol believed that the media could enable any person to become famous (and unfortunately infamous). It appears that Warhol was correct, especially in today's world when people become instantly famous with paparazzi, newspaper and magazine articles, entertainment T.V. programs following their every move, and of course all of the intimate details of their lives being made public. People seem to love celebrities and are very conscious about the people who take the walk of fame. However, we also know that for some celebrities 15 minutes of fame, is all they really seem to get; and as quickly as they become a sensation, they return to normal (maybe a little less than they were before).

Jesus was an object of peoples' curiosity in His day. Many people followed Him from place to place to see Him, hear Him, and perhaps even experience a miracle or two. They could not get enough of Jesus, and this included the Apostles. Yet, the Apostles had more than a curiosity and more than a passing fancy in and with Jesus. But like the fame seekers they did not fully understand everything about Him. That is why they are frightened on the *Sea of Galilee* when the storm starts up. Yes, they believed they could drown; this is why they question Jesus about His lack of concern, for if they knew who He truly was, they would not have been frightened. But because they do not know and it appears that they are refusing to know; Jesus challenges them about their lack of faith and calls them to see that the Son of God is more than a curiosity.

Jesus calls them to cast off all fear and to trust in and to love God and His only Son. For the Son was sent into the world to save it, and not just to be one seeking 15 minutes of fame. The Apostles can not be like everyone else, no they must have more than a passing interest in Jesus; and so should we! Well certainly we do or we would not be here, but there are times when we are afraid and maybe do not trust enough.

There are times we do not share our faith with others or go beyond doing the bare minimum. Just as Jesus calmed the sea, so can He calm each of our fears and spurs us on to do more in His name.

We are just a month away from **the Summer Family Festival** Please come out and support this annual event and have a great time at the same time (the games, food, rides, entertainment, the café, the food, yes, food twice that's how good it is). If you have not already received in the mail our letter on the Festival with its enclosed chances for the great raffle it will come soon. Please support the raffle for it helps us do so much in carrying out the Holy Mission.

Also don't forget the **Catholic Ministries Appeal** we are still \$15,374 away from our goal and when we reach our goal of \$89,000 (and it is totally paid off) we will receive back over \$17,000. Of course the more we raise above our goal, will net us even more. If you have not made a pledge yet, there is still time: remember so many people are helped by this very worthwhile appeal.

Today of course is Father's Day and we pray for all of our Fathers living and deceased in our Father's Day Novena of Masses and the rest of the month of June and we wish all our Fathers, Grandfathers, and all who have been like Fathers to us, a very holy and happy day.

God bless you always,

Fr. Mike



We regularly update our SICK LIST and our TROOPS LIST. Please notify the Rectory Office if you would like to renew your relative's posting in either list. Each week we remove entries older than two months on the sick and six months on the troops.

Remember Our Sick

Abigail Alvarado	Pasquale Lucivero
Michael Ambrosio	Agnes Ludwigson
Pacita Arellano	Mary Mahon
Anne Bannon	Marie Mangano
John A Bertone	Frederick Martinek
Oliver Bouchard	Elaine Mattera
Mary Brennan	Dave McAteer
Danny Caggiano	Sheila McGovern
Marie Cintron	Anne Murtha
Edith Colon	3 year old Nathan
Kathy Cunningham	Joanora O'Donnell
Debby Daley	Alyssa Ohlenschlager
Grace DeBennette	Vito Orlando
Michael Delaney	Joan Parenti
Michael DePinto	Richard Pepe
Anthony DeVito	Mary Percoco
Ryan Ellis	Lucy Polis
John Errico	Nicole Ramaglia
Amella Fava	Raymond Ramos
Paul Feltman	Joseph Randazzo
Frank Ferigno	Joan Reilly
Baby Nicholas Fernandez	John Reynolds
Robert Filce	John Riconda Jr.
Ann Fortunato	Elizabeth Ross
Joann Friederich	William Rotteck
Dawn Griggs	Flora Sabatella
Kyle Heffron	Brandon Saporito
Gregory Heraghty	Dawn Saporito
Logan Horodyski	Vicki Sara
Jasper InDelicato	Patrick Schilt
Margaret InDelicato	Anna Schramm
Baby Luke James Infanzon	Catherine Sheehan
Clinton Inniss	Darryll Smith
Connie Kalish	Reno J. Staffa
Cecelia Keller	Jessica Story
Christian Koehler	Stacie Tizzard
Joann Lach	Anthony Troiano
Kevin Latini	Lloyd Turnier
Patricia Lavarge	Joseph Vereline
Cathy Lordi	Robert Wilson

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS



SGT Deborah Alfieri	SPC Matthew Altonji
CPL Justin Aragonas	TSGT Louis Barletta
LT Stephen Bartoszak	LT Michael-Jon Bonacorsa
LCPL John Brown	PFC Justin Browne
LTCOL James Cersosimo	CPL Glenn Clacher
SPC Thomas E. Corcoran	SPC Jason Crawford
CPT Edward Cuevas	PFC John B Cuneo
CPT Ryan Delaney	TSGT Timothy Dermody
SGT Stephen DiGirolamo	SSGT Tony Elliott
CPL Joseph Espinoza	LT Kelly Fletcher
SPC Adam Franciosa	CPT Mark Gillman
CPT Evan Gotkin	LCPL RJ Hartmann
AFC J.R. Kay	SAMN Jessica Kay
SGT John W Keohane	MAJ Sean P Kilkenny
WO-1 Steven Knight	CPL Andrew Kochman
LCPL William Langdon	SPC Christopher Leone
RCT Tiffany LiCausi	SPC Thomas J Lupo
SGT Wade Lynch	MAJ Kevin McCue
PVT Thomas B McGinn	SGT Patrick McNally
PFC William Meyer	CPL Brian G Meyer
CPO Gregory Migliore	SGT Glenn Miller
LT Heather Miras	SPC4 George Monica
SPC4 John Monica	SGT Daniel Montville
SSGT Brian Moran	MAJ Gregory Mueller
LCPL Thomas Napolitano	LCPL Michael Napolitano
PVT Todd Nelson	LCPL James Neubauer
LCPL Anthony Notaroberta	PVT James Notaroberta
SGT Brian Pacella	N/Seal Paul Padro
ENS3 Lucy Padro	PFC Matthew Pandolfi
CPT Michael Parisi	2LT Anthony Parisi
MAJ Paul E Pinaud	CTR2 Matthew Pistritto
LT David A Rewkowski	SGT Edwin Rivera, II
LCPL William R Rodgers	LCPL Anthony M Sbrocco
SSGT Jason Schiavo	CPL Brian Schildt
LCPL W.Mason Shehan	CPL Samantha Sickles
SPC James Stanek	SPC Erica Sweeney
EO3 Taylor Taranto	MM3 Gregory Taranto
PFC Greg Terrish	CPL Jason Tulowitzki
SSGT Nick Vitale	SGT John Thomas Vogt
LCPL Brandon Waldon	SGT Randolph Weaver
MSTR Robert Casey	MAJ Jennifer Kochman-Gotkin
ILT Richard Lutz II	NC Frederick James Borsello
Lt. Michael-Jon Bonacorsa	PV2 Darian L. Clark
CPL Michael Casonova	

Please note: To keep our prayer list current, we will keep names on the list for two months.

REMEMBERING THE SICK

Name of person who is ill

Person making this request:

Relationship to ill person

Your Phone #: _____

(Friends can be placed on the silent prayer list only)

REMEMBERING OUR TROOPS

Name, Rank and Branch of Service

Person making this request

Relationship to Soldier

Your Phone #: _____

(Friends can be placed on the silent prayer list only)

REMEMBER OUR DEAD

Carl Kardos, Caesar Albino

our deceased soldiers and all of our deceased relatives and friends.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.
May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen

Religious Education

e-mail: RelEd@StJoRonk.org

website: RelEd.StJoRonk.org

981-1805

Summer Office Hours

Monday through Thursday

10:00 AM to 2:00 PM



Vacation Bible School

Summer Vacation Bible School will be held from July 6th through the 10th. Flyers are available in the lobby of the Church or online at RelEd.StJoRonk.org

SEE OUR AD ON THE NEXT PAGE.

June 22nd through August 17th

Office Open --- Call for appointment.

Phone messages and e-mails will be processed daily.

online info and forms ~ Reled.StJoRonk.org

Banns of Marriage

(Second Time)

Michelle Pinto of St. Sylvester
and Steven Cauchi of St. Joseph

Veronica Francois of Resurrection
and Robert Rostkowski of St. Joseph

Jill Chemnitz of Holy Cross
and John Carroll of St. Bonifore

Elizabeth Vann of St. Joseph and
Edward Giammarino of St. Joseph, the Worker



St. Joseph Parish Outreach Center

e-mail — sjpo@verizon.net website — <http://outreach.stjoronk.org>



Through your generosity we were able to help more than 220 people throughout the month of April. Financial assistance for the month of April was \$1,650.39. In these tough economic times we are seeing people of increasing need. On their behalf, we thank you for sharing your own limited resources with your brothers and sisters.



St. Joseph School

e-mail: school@stjoronk.org

website: www.stjoeronkelem.org



Congratulations to our Sparklers who performed in a recital on June 14th. Great job girls!

St. Joseph School will begin summer vacation on Friday, June 19, 2009.

The school office will be open all summer on Wednesdays from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM.

Registration for the 2009-2010 school year is ongoing during the summer. Please call the office at 588-4760 and leave a message to arrange a tour.

School will reopen on Wednesday, September 9, 2009. Summer packets will go out in August



*This Father's Day,
"HONOR YOUR
FATHER..."*



"He will turn the hearts of fathers to their children and the hearts of children to their fathers."

Malachi 4:6

RESPECT LIFE

The following letter, first seen in the Life Center of Long Island's June newsletter, is reprinted here with the permission of the Crean family and the Life Center.. Hope you love it too.

"A SPECIAL GIFT FOR A FAMILY"

Some people wonder what it's like to have a brother or sister with Down syndrome. I'm Maximilian Gerard Crean (Max) (12 years old) and I consider myself lucky to have a brother with Down syndrome!

My brother's name is Samuel Michael Crean (Sam). He's six years old, going on seven and he attends St. Joseph's Elementary School in Ronkonkoma, NY. He is in kindergarten, has many friends and gets good grades! I attend St. Joseph's Middle School and everyone there knows and likes Sam, especially me! Sam is very kind and understanding. He is always happy and is very silly and talkative. He is very social. Sam is funny and makes me laugh a lot. Whenever I'm sad or hurt, he's there for me and will try to comfort me. Even when he doesn't know what's wrong! He always wants to play with me and is sad when I have to leave him! We've grown a bond with each other and enjoy each other's company. Sam is very special to me and I wouldn't want to change anything about him, including his Down syndrome. If he were any other way I don't think I'd be as happy with him!

Ever since Sam arrived into our family, he has fit in perfectly! We all love him and do our best to care for him. It does require a little bit of patience. It takes him only a little longer to learn something new. When he does, it makes me happy to see that he has made an accomplishment. Every day Sam comes out with a bigger sentence to make a request, or say a kind statement. Sam is a big part of our family's life and has a special place in all our hearts.

If I didn't know any better, I don't think I'd realize Sam had a disability. He acts much like you and me! I feel sorry for the people who miss out on the opportunity to meet someone like Sam

Max Crean

Weekly Offering

Last Sunday, June 14, 2009 Offerings \$15,839
Same collection last year 14,791

Poor Box last weekend	\$544		
Fuel Collection	\$13,792		
Same time last year	13,734		
YTD Fuel Cost			27,353
Weekly Budget Amount	\$18,125	YTD	\$776,875
Collection	15,839	YTD	736,258
Shortage	-2,286	Shortfall	-40,617

Religious Retirement Collection \$1,466

If you missed last week, please make it up this week. Thank you.

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*Vacation
Bible
School*

Limited Enrollment
Sign up now!

Summer Vacation Bible School will be held from July 6th through the 10th. Application Flyers are available in the lobby of the Church and at Reled.StJoRonk.org

ALSO— Anyone who may be interested in volunteering for VBS during the week of July 7-11 please call Sister Anne Marie at 981-1805.

We need young people age 12-15 to help as aides in a group and people 18 and older to be in charge of a group. We need helpers from 9:15 AM - 12:00 Noon each day.



Life Center of Long Island

Celebrating Twenty-Three Years · Established May 1986 · May 2009

1767 Deer Park Avenue
Deer Park · NY · 11729
T. 631.243.2373

35 East Willow Street
Massapequa · NY · 11758
T. 516.798.8746

507 Fulton Avenue
Hempstead · NY · 11550
T. 516.408.6300

The Life Center of Long Island helps 250 pregnant women every month. We have women with newborn babies and **NO CRIBS** for them to sleep in. If you can help, please call 631-243-2373. *Also needed— bassinets, crib mattresses & sheets, car seats (both infant & toddler), and strollers*



2009 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

397 Families Have Made Pledges Through 6/15/09

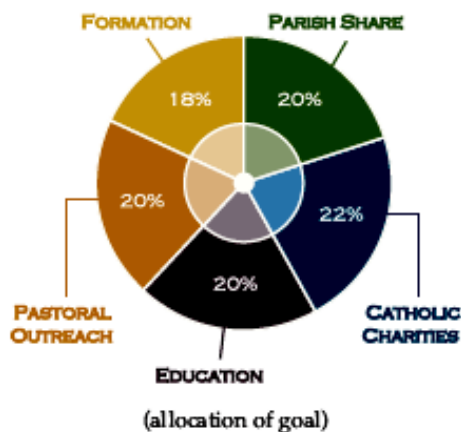
\$74,242.00
same time last year
\$84,783.00

Our Goal
\$89,616.00

100% of our goal Our parish receives:	\$17,923
\$5000 over our goal Our parish receives:	\$21,923
\$10,000 over our goal Our parish receives:	\$25,923
\$25,000 over our goal Our parish receives:	\$37,923

Supporting the Community Around Us

REACHING OUT WITH THE "HANDS OF CHRIST"



This year because of your support, the Diocese of Rockville Centre was able to serve more than 500,000 people in the Long Island community.

100% of all money raised will go to support the five critical ministries of this year's Appeal.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL • DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE
PO Box 4000 • ROCKVILLE CENTRE, NEW YORK 11571-4000 • 516-379-5210 EXT 2 • www.drvc.org

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Supporting the Community Around Us

TO PROVIDE FUNDS I/WE AGREE TO MAKE A GIFT OF:

PLEDGE \$ _____ INITIAL PAYMENT \$ _____ BALANCE \$ _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

PARISH OF DONOR _____

SIGNATURE OF DONOR _____

A GUIDE TO GIVING

PLEDGE	10 PAYMENTS
\$5,000	\$500
2,500	250
1,500	150
1,000	100
500	50
300	30
150	15
OTHER \$ _____	

EVERY GIFT COUNTS!

Please make checks payable to:
Catholic Ministries Appeal
Thank you for your support

Place in collection basket. —or— Drop off at the Rectory. —or—
Mail to St. Joseph Church, 45 Church Street, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779-3301

Looking for a Nursery or Preschool for Next Year?

Or

Want More From Your Child's Educational Experience?

As the school year draws to a close and you reflect back on your experiences perhaps it is a good time to consider what a Catholic Elementary School education has to offer your child.



Saint Joseph's Catholic School

25 Church Street,
Ronkonkoma NY 11779
(631) 588 - 4760
www.stjoeronkelem.org

- ✓ **Nursery:**
2, 3 or 5 Day
- ✓ **Pre - K:**
5 Full- Day
Day
- ✓ **Kindergarten:**
Full- Day
- ✓ **Elementary:**
Grades 1 - 5
- ✓ **Middle School:**

Registration Ongoing Through the Summer

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Chances are if you've had a nagging feeling
that you wanted something more for your child in terms of their educational experience -
Catholic Education holds the answer!

Demand that your values be respected in our laws.

Let our elected officials know what you believe and that you vote!

The following bills are before the NYS Senate. Legislative session is scheduled to end on June 22, but the session could extend well beyond that date. **Please act now!**

Statement of the Catholic Bishops of New York State on Marriage

We face today the prospect of a law in New York which would radically change the timeless institution of marriage. As pastors of citizens from every corner of our great state, we stand unified in our strong opposition to such a drastic measure.

Action: All are urged to contact their Senator and ask he oppose the following attempt to redefine marriage.

Ask your Senator to support traditional marriage and to oppose Senate bill S.4401 designed to legalize same-sex marriage.

ALERT - Act Now to Stop the "Reproductive Health Act" S.5808.

Sent to the Legislature on June 5 as a priority from Governor David Paterson, this legislation is modeled on former Governor Eliot Spitzer's "Reproductive Health and Privacy Protection Act" of 2007. The bill, S.5808, has been modified in a few minor ways but remains a dangerous, extreme proposal to loosen New York's abortion laws and promote abortion-on-demand.

Action: All are urged to contact their Senator and ask he oppose the Reproductive Health Act S.5808.

Contact information for both bills:

Brookhaven/Islip residents are to contact:
Senator Brian Foley
phone 518-455-2303, FAX 518-426-6825

Smithtown residents are to contact:
Senator John Flanagan
phone 518-455-2071, FAX 518-426-6904

Web users can go to: NYSCatholic.org and click on "Action Alert" to send a prepared message.

Calendar Club 2009



THE WINNERS ARE!!!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
5/31 #721 Lisa Naldrett \$50	6/1 #452 Barbara Mickelson \$25	6/2 #320 Maureen Stevenson \$25	6/3 #132 James & Joan McGrath \$25	6/4 #83 Maryann Heilemann \$25	6/5 #34 Anne M. Weber \$25	6/6 #164 Douglas & Roxanne Savage \$25
6/7 #346 Geraldine LePage \$50	6/8 #830 Bridget Falk \$25	6/9 #866 McDermott \$25	6/10 #672 Jack Hough \$25	6/11 #415 Tony & Lynn McNamara \$25	6/12 #85 Mr & Mrs E Gabriel \$25	6/13 #826 St. Joseph Playgroup \$25
6/14 #798 Tim & Roxana Hogan \$50	6/15 #671 Lisa Naldrett \$25	6/16 #735 Elaine Tenaglia \$25	6/17 #41 Jacqueline Scannella \$25	6/18 #186 Thomas Cusanelli \$25	6/19 #668 Louis & Marie Russo \$25	6/20 #733 Rosalie & Ken Aiello \$25

Congratulations to our Winners. Thank you for your generous support!



Bar & Grill
1551 Montauk Highway
Oakdale, NY 11769

**Come dine at OK Dokey
June 24 between 5:30-9:30 pm
and 10% of your check will go to
St. Joseph's Church.**

You must bring in a St. Joseph Church Bulletin & present it to your server.

** Tax & gratuity not included **Cannot be combined with any other special



SUMMER SOCCER CAMP 2009

RONKONKOMA SOCCER CLUB

July 27 to July 31, 4:00 PM to 7:30 PM

Ronkonkoma Middle School



DAILY ITINERARY:

4:00 - Meet and Greet (Campers will Receive Camp T-shirt and Soccer ball on first day)

4:10 - Warm up and stretch

4:00 - Competition for prizes: Monday 1vs1, Tuesday 1vs1, Wednesday 2vs2, Thursday 2vs2 (headers), Friday 3vs3

4:30 - Skills: dribbling, driving, receiving, shooting, heading, passing, long balls, juggling, offense, defense, runs, re-starts, combination play

5:30 - Small Sided games focusing on Possession, shooting, attacking, defending

6:30 to 7:30 - Full sided games

Each day we will be looking to award a camper of the day.

On final day of camp players will receive a soccer report card.

Goalies: Will be released from activity for one hour during day to receive goalie training.

Pick-up: Parents should arrive 5 minutes before the end of each session. No child will be dismissed with another camper unless Parent has given a written notice to the camp Director

Rain: In the event of rain there will be a 1 hour delay policy, similar to tournaments. All decisions will be made at the site and by the Camp Director. Additional time will be added to subsequent camp days when possible to make up for lost time. There are no per hour or per diem refunds.

Refunds: A maximum of 50% of the camp fee may be refundable up to the day the camp begins. Returned checks will be charged an additional fee of \$15.

Confirmation: Please note that you will not receive any written confirmation. Please keep a copy of this form for future reference and/or questions you may have. Players should show up on the first day of camp at 3:45 PM to check in.

What to bring: Players should bring a snack and plenty of water each day. It is not necessary to bring a ball. Players will be given a ball and t-shirt on the first day.

Camp Co-Coordinator Warren Knecht and Jacki Walsh

Warren Knecht: Has been an ODP Coach, has coached numerous club teams spanning from premier to division 6, he is also a trainer for the Smithtown East Girls Varsity Soccer Team. He is a member of the NSCAA and holds the Premier, Advanced National, and National coaching diplomas/licenses.

Jacki Walsh: Member of the Adelphi Women's soccer team, Women's Rough Riders (Player and Trainer). Jacki also has years of experience coaching multiple levels as well as ODP.

For registration or further information - Club Coordinator, Robert Szewczuk

26 Greenmist Dr, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779 - rjanw@optonline.net or (631) 471-4484

REGISTRATION / MEDICAL RELEASE

PLAYER'S INFORMATION

NAME _____ DOB _____ GRADE (as of fall '09) _____ T- SHIRT SIZE _____

CURRENT TEAM _____ DIVISION _____ FIELD POSITION/S _____ GOALIE TRAINING (check) _____

KNOWN ALLERGIES OR OTHER PERTINENT MEDICAL INFORMATION _____

PRIMARY MEDICAL INSURANCE _____ POLICY NUMBER _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

HOME PHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT

#1 NAME _____

CELL PHONE _____

#2 NAME _____

CELL PHONE _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN RELEASE

I hereby recognize the possibility of injury due to the nature of the rigorous sport soccer. I also hereby release, discharge and/or otherwise indemnify Ronkonkoma soccer club, the camp training personnel, including the owners of fields and facilities utilized for this camp, against any claim by or on behalf of the registrant's participation in the Camp. My child has received a physical examination by a physician and has been found physically capable of participating in the Camp. I also assume the financial responsibility for any medical treatment for my child.

PARENT SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Detach, complete and mail to: Club Coordinator at address above with pre-registration check made payable to: Ronkonkoma Soccer Club for \$105 by JUNE 30. Late registration/ Walk-ups (walk-ups cash only) will be assessed a \$20 late registration fee. The 2nd child is \$95, 3rd child \$85 and 4th child \$75.



ST. JOSEPH'S CYO

PRESENTS:

2009



**Price
Rollback**

Summer Baseball Camp

WE'RE NOT IN IT FOR THE PROFIT, WE'RE DOING IT FOR THE KIDS!!

**GIRLS
WELCOME**

STAFF:

CAMP COORDINATORS: HENRY MELCHIONA AND VINNY ACERENZA
Instructors: Local Varsity and College Players - All Former CYO Athletes

REGISTRATION SPECIAL

CLUB MEMBERS

Weekly \$75
2 Week Special \$140

NON-MEMBERS*

Weekly \$85
2 Week Special \$160

*Call 588-1879 now to learn how to become a member and **SAVE** on your camp registration.

AREAS OF INSTRUCTION:

- Hitting
- Base Running
- Pitching
- Bunting
- Infield/Outfield Play
- Catching
- Cut Offs/Relays
- Proper Throwing Mechanics

DAILY ITINERARY:

8:30 am Early Drop Off	11:00 am Lunch Break
9:00 am Attendance	11:30 am Live Games
9:15 am Stretch/Run/Throw	1:00 pm Camp Raffle
9:45 am Instruction of the Day	1:15 pm Day Summary
10:15 am Group Skill Work	1:30 pm Dismissal

CAMP SITE:

INDOORS WHEN RAINING

Edith Slocum Elementary School
Johnson Avenue • Ronkonkoma, NY 11779

GROOMED FIELDS

DATES:

Week I August 3rd - August 7th
Week II August 10th - August 14th

Sorry No Refunds for Rain-Outs

REGISTRATION FORM

Name _____ D.O.B. _____

Address _____ Phone # _____

CHECK ONE:

WEEK 1

WEEK 2

Number of Athletes Attending Camp _____

I agree as parent/guardian to provide all transportation to and from all games and practices. I hereby authorize my child's participation in St. Joseph's CYO Baseball and know of no physical disabilities or illnesses which would interfere or prevent his/her participation. I do hereby waive, release, indemnify and agree to hold harmless or responsible the St. Joseph's CYO, its sponsor, staff and participants, for any claim arising out of injury to my child, whether the result of negligence or for any other cause, except to the extent of St. Joseph's CYO, liability responsible for this activity.

Please sign indicating you have read and understand above statement.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO ST. JOSEPH'S C.Y.O. and Mail in Registration to:

ST. JOSEPH'S CYO • P.O. BOX 2755 • LAKE RONKONKOMA, NEW YORK 11779
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CALL GENE AT 588-1879



YOUTH IN MINISTRY

Every Sunday at 5:00 PM, St. Joseph's Parish offers an upbeat experience of celebrating Mass designed especially for youth and their families.

Everyone in Grades 7-12 is invited to participate.

We're looking for: Lectors Ushers Musicians/Singers Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers (Eucharistic ministers must be over 18)

For more information about joining *Youth in Ministry*, contact YIM@StJoRonk.org or call the rectory.

Troop 272 Car Wash next Sunday, June 28, after the 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 Masses... Any donation is gratefully accepted. A clean car is a happy car!



CYO Sport Programs

Baseball:
 Intramural (Coed, ages 5-16): Gene ☎588-1879
 Travel * (Boys): Vinny ☎467-3651

Basketball:
 Girls Intramural / Lower Division: Debbie ☎467-6174
 Girls Intramural / Upper Division: Dave ☎981-5513
 Clinic Division (Coed Grades K-2) Henry ☎467-6091
 Boys Intramural(Grades 3-12) : Henry ☎467-6091
 Travel* (Boys): Vinny ☎467-3651

Track:
 Boys & Girls, Grades K-8: Karen ☎588-8636
 or Gina ☎676-6208

Soccer :
 Intramural Boys & Girls(ages 4-12): Joe ☎737-6299
 Travel (LIJSL): Tony B ☎737-5159

*Must register for the intramural program as well

Scouting as Youth Ministry



**Cub Scout Pack 272
 Boy Scout Troop 272**



St. Joseph's Cub Scout Pack 272 and Boy Scout Troop 272 have fun, exciting, educational, character building programs for boys, age 7 through 17 (*first Grade and up*).

For more information or to enroll your child, contact Dr. Louis Scotti at 656-8428 or e-mail JoinScouting@StJoRonk.org.

Pack, Troop, and Crew 272 have a YEAR-ROUND scouting program.



Venturing Events

In Carew Hall after 5:00 PM Mass

Venturing is open to men and women age 14 through 20 who have graduated from 8th Grade. This year's crew plan is jam packed with interesting and fun activities here at St. Joseph's and "off-campus" as well.

Come down to our meeting and check it out.

Visit our next meetings —
Tuesday, June 30th (7:30 PM)
Sunday, July 12th

e-mail: Crew272@StJoRonk.org
 phone: Advisor Mike Keller (631) 467-6468

What did you do this weekend?



**D.O.G.
 DEPEND
 On
 GOD**

*My salvation and my honor depend on God;
 He is my mighty rock, my refuge.
 Psalm 62:7*

Courtesy Announcements




Charismatic Prayer Meeting - at Our Lady of the Island Shrine the fourth Wednesday of each month from 7- 9PM. Praise, worship & teaching. Contact the Shrine at 631-325-0661 for info.

Free Food for NY Seniors - the FAN is offering free food for Seniors age 60 & over who are income eligible. New eligible include a single senior whose gross monthly is \$1,127 or less, & a senior couple whose gross monthly income is \$1,517 or less. Call 631-491-4169 or 631-491-4156.

Meals-On-Wheels - Lake Nutrition Meals-on-Wheels provides food to elderly & homebound Monday thru Friday, two meals a day. Hot meals & cold meals are available for a charge of \$6 for both meals. Call 467-8948 for information.

Professional Therapy - provided by NYS licensed therapists, are available to our parish & 80 other parishes. It is provided by the Catholic Counseling Center which is independent of & not controlled or supervised by the parish or diocese. Most insurance policies are honored. For information & appointment, call Dr Giuliani at 243-2503 or visit our website at <http://thecatholiccounselingcenter.net>.

Dominican Village - Dominican Village is a not-for-profit Independent & Assisted Living Retirement Community sponsored by the sisters of St. Dominic, located in Amityville. Open house is April 26 and May 7,16,21,31, June 4,14,18,28 from 1-3 PM. For more information, or to schedule a tour contact us at 631-842-6091 or info@dominicanvillage.org



St. Vincent de Paul

In the Gospel today, Jesus calms the sea and then asks the disciples "Why are you lacking in faith." In our life's journey, we must learn to believe in God's presence and to trust in his care. **This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to continue show God's love and care to others by assisting families, providing food, gifts, utility and rent bills.**

Worldwide Marriage Encounter - Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and learn the secrets to making that good marriage a Great One! The next weekend is scheduled for August 14-16th. Registration is limited. For more information or to register, call (toll free) 1-866-499-6354. Please visit our local web site at <http://www.wmeli.org> or email Ron & Chris Morasse ron@morassefamily.com for more info.

Fordham University - Is offering summer courses for credit or audit in theology, scripture, and spirituality. Summer Session 1 will be June 22-July 9 and Summer Session 11 will be July 13-July 30. Please visit our website at www.fordham.edu/gre or call our office at 718-817-4800.

Volunteers Needed - Mondays to Fridays, Rebuilding Together Long Island is a volunteer group that performs free repairs to low income seniors and handicapped homeowners in both Nassau and Suffolk.

Volunteers with minor skills are needed. Come join us and feel the joy of helping others in an atmosphere of fun. Call (516) 541-7322 or (516) 741-5291

Golf Outing - Tickets are now on sale for the 9th Annual Sisters of Charity-Halifax Golf Outing to be held Monday, July 13, 2009, at the Cherry Valley Club, Garden City, NY. The day includes brunch, links fees, evening reception and dinner. Tickets for the evening reception and dinner only are also available. For further information or to make reservations, please contact Lauren Manning at (718) 424-1813 or email lmanning@schalifax.ca

Holy Land Pilgrimage - Mike Milano from Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Patchogue is leading a pilgrimage to the Holy Land January 16-26, 2010. Nonstop from JFK. Bethlehem, Nazareth, Jerusalem, Jericho, Dead Sea & More. Call 1-8-00-773-2660 for more information.

The Beginning Experience - Help for the heartache of divorce, separation, and widowhood. A weekend away for a lifetime of change. The next weekend is August 21 through 23, 2009. For information and reservations, call Connie at (516) 735-1720, Carmen at (516) 739-0973 or John at (516) 822-0635.

Help Flash Flood Victims - Sister Brendan would greatly appreciate your help because; many people were badly affected by a flash flood. Sister needs children's clothes (good used or new) newborn-young adult sizes and household items blankets, sheets, towels etc. Please send all donations to Christian Help Inc. P.O. Box 1257, Virginia & Lincoln St., Kermit WV 25674, Attention: Sister M. Brendan Conlon (304) 393-4251. A sincere Thanks for all your help in the past. You have helped turn despair into hope. Whatever good we do for the needy will be treasure in Heaven. God bless you.

St. Sylvester's Church - Monthly community dance, Sat, June 27th, 2009. Come dine, dance & Celebrate. Hot and Gold Buffet, Wine, Beer, Soda, Coffee, Tea and Dessert. 17 Piece Good Old Dance band. 40's & 50's music. Pre-purchase tickets \$30.00. Robinson & Ohio Ave., Medford, NY 11763. Tickets & Info (631)730-3333 or St. Sylvester's (631) 475-4506. or www.goodolddanceband.com