



St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

Let us build the City of God!

Our Mission:

By our loving service and works of mercy, we invite every person to know Jesus Christ, present in the Word and the breaking of the Bread, so that all may accept his gift of salvation.

Nuestra Misión:

Por nuestro servicio amoroso y las obras de misericordia, invitamos a cada persona a conocer a Jesucristo, presente en la Palabra y en la fracción del Pan, para que todos puedan aceptar su don de salvación.

Come pray with us!

Masses

Saturday: 5:00 PM

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

Misa en Español 6:30 PM

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

Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays 2:00 - 7:00 PM (except holidays)

First Friday 7:30 - 8:30 PM Holy Hour

Rosary: After Daily Masses

Reconciliation: Mon, Wed, Fri: after morning masses

Sat: after 8:00 AM mass and 4:00 - 4:45 PM

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Facebook, Instagram, or our
website at



stjosephronkonkoma.org

July 21, 2019 — Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Joseph Outreach Resources

Emergency Resources

Response of Suffolk County Crisis Hotline (24/7)
631-751-7620 or 631-751-7500
www.responsehotline.org

Victims Information Bureau of Suffolk - VIBS
Domestic violence, rape, sexual assault, elder abuse:
www.vibs.org www.inforatvibs.org
631-360-3730 or 631-360-3606 24hr for rape
& domestic violence

Suffolk County Coalition Against Domestic Violence
Hotline: 631-666-8833 www.sccadv.org

The Retreat (Domestic Violence) Shelter
631-329-2200 (24/7 hotline) www.theretreat.org

Brighter Tomorrows (Domestic Violence)
Hotline: 631-395-1800

Islip Hotline (Crisis Hotline) 631-277-4700

Runaway Hotline 631-549-8700 1-800-621-4000

American Red Cross (Suffolk County Chapter)
631-924-6700 www.redcross.org/ny/suffolk

Child Abuse 1-800-342-3720 (24 hour)

HIV and AIDS Teen Hotline
1-800-440-TEEN (Fri/Sat 6:30PM—midnight)

Pregnancy Care

Birthright of Nassau/Suffolk 631-785-4070

Life Center of LI Pregnancy Care 631-243-0066

Family Resources

Child Health Plus Information and Referral
1-800-522-50060(24 hour)

Child Care Council of Suffolk 631-362-0303
www.childcaresuffolk.org

Family Services League of Suffolk County
631-427-3700 www.fsl.li.org

Hope House Ministries 631-928-2377
www.hhm.org

Islip Town Teen Parent Resource Center
631-224-9766

Suffolk County Department of Health Services
Project Hope Mothers' Group
631-853-3035 (call for locations)
www.co.suffolk.ny.us/health

Haven House/Bridges 631-231-3619
www.tsli-hhb.org

Catholic Charities DRVC Talbot House
Chemical Dependency Crisis Center
631-589-4144
www.catholiccharities.cc

Support Groups

Alcoholics Anonymous 631-869-1124

Gamblers Anonymous 631-586-7171

Narcotics Anonymous 631-689-6262

Overeaters Anonymous 631-260-6615

Al-anon Suffolk County 631-669-2827
info@AL-Anon-Suffolk-NY.org

Prayer and Devotion Opportunities

Our Lady of Fatima Devotion

Our Lady came to Fatima and promised that the whole world would be at peace, and that many souls would go to heaven if her requests were listened to and obeyed.

In response to her requests, the First Saturday of each month is devoted to Our Lady of Fatima. This devotion includes 8:00 AM mass, a novena to Our Lady of Fatima, the Rosary, and the opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. All are welcome.

Monday Exposition and Benediction

Every Monday afternoon the Blessed Sacrament is exposed from 2:00 PM until 7:00 PM. This opportunity for prayer ends with Benediction beginning at about 6:45 PM and ending at 7:00 PM

You can come at any time for any length of time.
Make a weekly appointment to spend time with Jesus!

First Friday Holy Hour

Every First Friday of the month we have a Holy Hour before the exposed Blessed Sacrament. This prayer runs from 7:30 PM until 8:30 PM, closing with Benediction.

St Joseph Men's Prayer Group

We meet every Tuesday evening at 7:30 PM in the Church where we pray the Rosary. Afterward we move to the main vestibule for coffee, donuts and fellowship. This is a great opportunity to be strengthened in your commitment as a Catholic man just by spending time with others like you!

Come Pray Anytime During the Day

Our church opens at 6:30 AM and remains open all day for anyone who wants to make a prayerful visit. Please come and have some quiet time with God in the midst of our busy (and sometimes loud) world.

Serving Your Sacramental Needs

The Sacrament of Baptism

The Sacrament is celebrated on Sundays at 1:30 PM and on the first Saturday of each month. Parents, please call the parish office to arrange a meeting with a priest.

The Sacrament of Eucharist

See front cover for mass times. If you are sick for an extended period of time or are homebound, contact the parish office to have someone bring Communion to you.

The Sacrament of Confirmation

School aged children can prepare for this Sacrament by contacting our Faith Formation Office. Adults who have yet to be Confirmed should contact the Parish Office

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

As listed on front cover or call the office to see a priest.

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

This Sacrament is for the living. We celebrate this Sacrament each Spring and Fall for those who are chronically ill, advanced in age, or who are about to undergo surgery or hospitalization. We can arrange the Sacrament at other times by calling the Parish Office.

Emergencies: Call the office to speak to a priest.

Nighttime emergencies (631) 538-7219

The Sacrament of Matrimony

Bride or Groom please call the office at least six months before your desired wedding date to begin preparations for marriage. Please make contact with the parish **before** making other wedding day plans!

The Sacrament of Holy Orders

If you feel called to serve in the church as a priest deacon or in consecrated religious life, call the office to speak to one of the priests or deacons for guidance.

Interested in possibly becoming Catholic?

Contact the rectory to arrange a meeting to discuss your questions. We have classes to help people learn about our faith and decide if becoming Catholic is best for you. This whole process of inquiry and potential conversion is called RCIA—The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

We will respect your personal journey with God!

Altar Bread & Wine

*In Memory of
Marie & John Rau
Requested by
Ann Festa*



OUR LITURGY

In the first reading, Abraham gladly welcomes three strangers into his home. Saint Paul reminds us that it is always Jesus Christ we proclaim. In the Gospel, Martha and Mary welcome Jesus into their home in different ways.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sunday, July 21 (Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

- 7:00 Aaron Gudema (John & Harriet Dias)
- 9:00 Eric Rosen (Richard Darrell), Dec'd. Mbrs. Of St. Regis K of C & Columbiettes, Catherine West (Linda Savage & Curine Young), Petro Partenope (The Riccardelli Family), Albert Madrazo (Oscar & Luz Villa & Family), Elizabeth Baker (Carl & Michelle Nappi)
- 10:30 Theresa DeFilippo (Marie DeFilippo)
- 12:00 Robert Filce (Loving Mother)
- 5:00 For the People of the Parish
- 6:30 **Spanish Mass**

Monday, July 22

- 7:00 Raymond Ricca (Tobio Igllo)
- 9:00 Salvatore J. Buglione (Joette & Nancy Stursberg)

Tuesday, July 23

- 7:00 For the People of the Parish
- 9:00 Vincent Blair (Rita Devlin)

Wednesday, July 24

- 7:00 For the People of the Parish
- 9:00 Dominador Samson (The Pastorin Family)

Thursday, July 25

- 7:00 Jennie & Leo Heiman (Loving Family)
- 9:00 Edward E. Kettell (Janet Kramer)

Friday, July 26

- 7:00 The O'Halloran & Ross Families (Loving Family)
- 9:00 Pietro Partenope (The Kennedy Family)

Saturday, July 27

- 8:00 For the People of the Parish
- 5:00 Maureen M Gerety (Ginger & Andy Slianski), Veronica Tantone (Family Friend), Nancy Wilken (Jude Wilken), Palermo Butin (Emma Butin), For the People of the Parish

Sunday, July 28 (Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

- 7:00 Theresa Schaudel (Jackie & RoseMary Bannon)
- 9:00 Catherine West (Mr. & Mrs. R. Kelly)
- 10:30 Flor Santiago (Kit Theisen), Gerard Johnston (Judy & Martha), Joseph Cassata (St Joseph 10:30am Choir), Simone Landolina (Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas DiNatale), Santina Passantino (Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas DiNatale), Olimpia Graham (Fran Caggiano)
- 12:00 Araceli Manalo (Loving Children)
- 5:00 Theresa & Enrique Vega (Vivian Murray)
- 6:30 **Spanish Mass**

REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Lawrence Conlon & Mary E. Gill, Joan Byrne
*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



Who Is My Neighbor & Where Is My Neighborhood?

The first part was the big question in last Sunday's gospel, leading in to the story of the Good Samaritan. The lesson that Jesus gives in this story is not one on who we can count as neighbor, but one of how we are called to live as neighbor to all. Let's take this lesson to another level - **Where is my neighborhood?**

During my five years in Montauk, there was growing concern among the locals about changes in summer people. It used to be many families renting or even owning a summer house. These people loved Montauk. Many retired there. Because of their love for this little piece of paradise, they took care of their property and the town. In recent years, summer people changed. There were fewer families and more groups of singles coming to party very intensely. They didn't have the same care for the place. One woman told me of seeing a man stuffing a pizza box into a planter that was five feet away from a garbage can. She said to him, "Excuse me, there is a garbage can right over there." His response was, "Get used to it lady. We're here and we aren't leaving!" That guy did not have a clue about how to be neighbor or how to live in a neighborhood.

Years ago I was speaking to a friend about the deterioration of people's attitude toward one another and the world. He told me it is all because of a big corporation - IGM. I looked at him quizzically and he said, "I GOT MINE!" It isn't a corporation. It is an attitude. I got mine and who cares about you! This attitude is becoming more and more prevalent in our world and it is putting us all in some degree of peril.

Let's get back to the neighbor question first. The man who was beaten and robbed in the gospel had absolutely no status at this point in his life. He was naked. No identification and nothing to offer anyone in return for helping him. But the Samaritan was also a man of no status in this story. The road from Jerusalem to Jericho is outside Samaria and Samaritans were absolutely hated by the Jews. But this man saw beyond status when he looked upon the victim on the road. He saw human dignity - something that is innate. He saw a man made in the image and likeness of God and responded to that. We are all called to see that when we look at any other person in our world. Jesus was asked the question "Who is my neighbor?" because the man wanted to know where the boundaries are - who do I not have to love? But Jesus answered a different question - "How do I live as neighbor?"

Now we come to the question of "where is my neighborhood?" To answer that question we need to go to the same place the Samaritan went when he saw the victim. He saw the man's dignity because he knew from the story of creation that we are all made in God's image and likeness (Gen 1:27). If we go to the next line in that story we will see that God gave us the earth and called us to care for it. What that means is, everywhere is my neighborhood. Every human being is called to be a steward of creation.

In the last year, we have all grown in our care for the earth - but this growth came from a law. Having to pay five cents for a plastic shopping bag has caused many of us to change our habits and we now bring reusable bags to the store. This is helping our neighborhood. But someone recently said to me, "Why did it take a law for us to be responsible?" Good question.

Maybe it is time for every one of us to do a little reflection on our habits regarding our concern for our neighbors and our neighborhood. I walk a three mile loop around our neighborhood on a pretty regular basis. It is really sad the amount of litter that is present on the streets of Ronkonkoma. Has the "I got mine and who cares about you" mentality grown too much in this neighborhood? Maybe it is time for each one of us to ask ourselves if we have gotten lazy in care for our neighborhood. Picking up a piece of litter every now and then is a good way to love your neighborhood. We can work on this habit easily enough just by being aware of where trash cans are located. If I am walking through a parking lot toward a store and see some litter, I can be pretty sure there is a trash can near the entrance so I don't even have to go really far out of my way to pick this up and toss it where it belongs.

Another way each one of us can actively care for our neighborhood is to watch our habits in our car. Do I sit for a long time with my car idling while I wait to pick up my child from school or extra curricular activities? If my waiting is going to be more than just a couple of minutes (literally two minutes) maybe it would be better care for the earth if I shut the car off while I wait - of course open windows in hotter months is a must!

What about keeping my neighborhood in mind while at home? I can brush my teeth or shave without having the water running the entire time. This could save the family some money too!

Are any of these things going to change the world? No. But let's go back to the Good Samaritan. Did his care for the man who was robbed change the world? No, but it made a big difference in the life of the man who was robbed. It was also a great example of being neighbor and that example has had an impact on many lives in the last 2,000 years!

So if I can become a little more aware of Jesus present in others, and God's glory present in all of the world around me I will change - my heart will grow! Because of that I will become a better neighbor and my neighborhood will be a more beautiful place every day!

Let's keep praying for each other and for all of our neighbors in the world!

-Fr Mike

Ministerio Hispano



Nuestra Misión

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Celebraciones Sacramentales y otras Informaciones para la Comunidad Hispana

El sacramento del bautismo
Padres, por favor llame a la oficina de la parroquia para hacer una cita con el Padre Michael Rieder (en español)
(631) 588-8456

El Sacramento de la Eucaristía
Si estás enfermo por un prolongado tiempo en su hogar, llame a la rectoría para el servicio de Comunión en español o al correo ministeriohispano01@gmail
(516) 320-4144 Sandra Chacón

El Sacramento de la Confirmación
Los niños en edad escolar pueden prepararse para este Sacramento llame a la Oficina de Formación de Fe. (631) 588-8456

El sacramento de la reconciliación
Lunes, Miércoles y Viernes después de la misa de las 9:00 am ó llame a la rectoría para hacer una cita con el Padre Michael Rieder para las confesiones en español.
631-588-8456

El sacramento de la unción de los enfermos
Celebramos este Sacramento cada primavera y otoño, personas que están crónicamente enfermo, avanzado en edad o que esté a punto de someterse una cirugía u hospitalización. Por favor llame a la Oficina Parroquial. **Emergencias nocturnas: para hablar con un sacerdote. Llame al (631) 538-7219**

El sacramento del matrimonio
Por favor llame a la oficina por lo menos seis meses, antes de la fecha de la boda deseada, antes de comenzar los preparativos para la boda.

El sacramento de orden sacerdotal
Si sientes el llamado a servir en la Iglesia como un sacerdote diácono o en la vida religiosa consagrada, llame a la oficina para hablar uno de los sacerdotes o diáconos como guía.

RICA - Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos
Clases de formación religiosa para los adultos (mayores de 16 años) que necesiten algún sacramento de Iniciación (BAUTISMO, COMUNIÓN & CONFIRMACIÓN) en español. Necesita los siguientes documentos:
* Partida de nacimiento o Partida de Bautizo.

Diacono Rene Alvarado
(631) 935-5942

Sandra Chacón (516) 320-4144
ministeriohispano01@gmail

Dios nunca resta o divide, sino que multiplica. Hoy le pedimos que haga crecer los dones de su gracia en nosotros para que aumente nuestra fe, esperanza y caridad. Para eso, tenemos a Abraham como modelo, quien, por el servicio y hospedaje desinteresado dado a los visitantes, recibe el anuncio y promesa de que va a tener un hijo de su esposa Sara, así se multiplicará su descendencia.

+LECTURAS: XVI Domingo Ordinario - Ciclo C
1ra. Lectura: Génesis 18, 1-10
2da. Lectura: Colosenses 1, 24-28
Evangelio: Lucas 10, 38-42



BASILICA OF THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Save The Date!

Sábado, 24 de Agosto 2019

Peregrinaje a la Basílica del Santuario Nacional de La Inmaculada Concepción - Washington D.C

Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception - Washington, D.C

LUGAR DE PARTIDA:

St. Joseph Church

45 Church St. Ronkonkoma N.Y. 11779

HORA: 5:00 A.M

Donación: \$60.00

Para más información llamar a Sandra Chacon

516-320-4144

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Edificando la Ciudad de Dios - Building the City of God

Respect Life



“Cutting edge science” aids the pro-life cause, pro-abortionist laments

By Dave Andrusko

In the Internet age, I think we all know how easy it is to dash something off, take a quick look (maybe even two), and push “send.” I try my darndest not to fall into that trap, and no doubt you do as well.

Having said that, many I time I honestly ask myself, do pro-abortionists actually listen to what they say or read what they write?

Here’s one of a gazillion examples. Jessica Glenza writes for the London-based pro-abortion *Guardian* newspaper and composed a post under the curious title, “[How anti-abortion activists use cutting edge science to justify ever stricter laws.](#)”

I know nothing about Dr. Edward Bell, a neonatologist who “treats the tiniest babies at University of Iowa,” children’s hospital other than what Glenza quotes him as saying. If we accept her characterization, Dr. Bell is not happy that pro-lifers want to know about younger and younger preemies who’ve survived.

While the doctor said he considers attention from anti-abortion campaigners a distraction from his work with premature children, he also acknowledged viability is “a moving target.”

In explaining how medical advances and limitations on abortions converge, Bell said, “It’s gotten to the point where in many places you can have a legal abortion in one part of the hospital of a baby who can be a patient in the neonatal unit in another part of the hospital, and have a good chance of survival. And that’s unacceptable to some people.”

Read Dr. Bell’s amazing conclusion once again. It’s “unacceptable to some people” that in one wing of a hospital, doctors and nurses are doing everything humanly possible to save a baby while in another wing of the same hospital an abortionist is about to kill **a baby of the exact same age.**

That ought to be “unacceptable” not to “some people” but to every morally sentient human being.

To return to the not-so-subtle thesis of Glenza’s post, cutting edge science is upsetting the pro-abortion apple cart and she (and the Planned Parenthood types she quotes) aren’t happy.

Beyond this leading to an ever-earlier point of viability, they’re not happy with ultrasound, which gives an abortion-minded woman or girl a chance to see the one whose existence they are bent on ending. We understand why.

“It’s just, every time there is some kind of development or advancement or discovery, it just reinforces our position,” Carol Tobias, president of the National Right to Life Committee, told Glenza. “There’s new information we will certainly use and try to educate the public.”

They are **especially** not happy about the science that demonstrates the unborn child can experience pain by the 20th week, if not earlier. It’s so threatening to the abortion-throughout-all-40-weeks-of-pregnancy crowd that Glenza spends her time talking not about how ghastly it is that we would accept dismembering babies who would suffer horribly but how costly it is to save very premature babies!

While Glenza takes special aim at pro-life Senator Joni Ernst (R-Iowa), Glenza only briefly alludes to “Micah,” who the Senator has often talked about. Sen. Ernst said in 2017, in defending the proposals Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act.

“At five month gestational age, babies have 10 fingers and 10 toes, they can yawn, stretch, make faces – and they can feel pain. It’s unconscionable that the United States is currently one of only 7 countries in the world that allows abortions after five months; we are currently in the same company of China and North Korea. I’m fighting for this legislation in honor of my friend and fellow Iowan, Micah Pickering, an incredible 5 year old who was born prematurely, at five months gestation. This legislation could protect up to 10,000 lives like Micah’s every year by preventing abortions after about 5 months of development, and it is absolutely critical that the Senate take up this legislation to protect our most vulnerable.”

Darn that “cutting edge science.” It is undercutting one pro-abortion delusion after another.

“Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you...” Jeremiah 1:5

Our Prayer and Action In Building the City of God



Sunday July 14, Collections:	\$14,492
Same Week Last Year	\$16,597
This Year Weekly Average (to-date)	\$17,524
<u>Last Year Weekly Average was</u>	<u>\$18,210</u>
Mass Attendance on Sun. June 14th	1,234
This Year Avg. Mass Attendance	1,411
<u>Last Year Avg. Mass Attendance</u>	<u>1,535</u>



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to capture special
moments at all masses.
If interested, please email
photos@stjoronk.org
for more information.

ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US FOR AN AFTER-NOON OF FUN

Catholic Daughters of the Americas

St. Joseph Court #975

42ND STREET

Sunday, August 11, 2019 -:- 3:00pm

Smithtown Performing Arts, 2E Main St, Smithtown, NY

Includes wine and cheese 1:00 - 3:00pm

Raffle Baskets and 50/50

Contact: Emily Harris 631-285-3249 or Pat McQuaid 631-676-5252

Donation \$32.00

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19** CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL
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Supporting Dramatic Missionary Growth in Our Community



Witnessing Teaching Evangelizing
Forgiving Igniting Encouraging
Loving Helping Forgoing Living Helping Witnessing

"ONLY BY LOVING, SERVING OTHERS, CAN PEOPLE COME TO KNOW GOD."
- Pope Francis



Your support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal helps our Parish Outreach and Catholic Charities Programs serve people in our community by providing food, clothing, shelter, counseling and care. And most importantly, it lets those we serve know that God loves them and is with them during the difficult times in their lives.

PLEASE CONSIDER MAKING A GIFT TO THE 2019 Catholic Ministries Appeal! Every Gift Makes a Difference in the Lives of Others.

PLEASE DROP OFF PLEDGES IN THE RECTORY OFFICE

Parish: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Pledge \$ _____

Down Payment \$ _____

Balance \$ _____

Credit Card Payments Accepted

PARISH GOAL - \$80,000
Pledged to Date: \$49,560
Percentage of Our Goal: 62%



Cup of *St* Joe Coffeehouse Night



Thursday, July 25 at 7:00 PM in Carew Hall

Featuring Live Music! Please bring a dessert to share.

Interested in performing? email coffeehouse@stjoronk.org

RSVP using the slip below.

Drop this slip in the collection basket, in the Rectory mail slot or at the Rectory

We will be attending Cup of Joe - Coffeehouse Night!

Name _____ # attending _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Wishing you a blessed summer!

My presence will go with you,
and I will give you rest.

EXODUS 33:14

**St Joseph Faith Formation Office
is closed and will reopen on August 5, 2019.
Your St Joseph Parish Family keeps
you and yours in our prayers.**

St. Joseph R.C. Church - Lower Hall
45 Church Street, Ronkonkoma

CONCERT INSPIRATIONAL

Catholic Christian Music

Saturday, August 3, at 6:00 pm

Dinner available at 6

Concert starts at 6:45

Concert Donation \$5

(under age 16, concert is free)

Meatball Hero Dinners

\$8 - Whole Hero, Salad, Dessert

\$5 - Half Hero, Salad, Dessert

PARISH MASS AT 5 PM

Proceeds will be used to purchase additional
resources for St. Joseph Music Ministry



Advance tickets recommended.

Name:

Address:

City/State/Zip

Number of tickets requested: _____ at \$5 each = _____ (amount enclosed)

Will you be joining us for dinner?

_____yes _____no

Place in envelope with payment and drop in collection basket or drop off or
mail to St. Joseph Rectory, Attention Concert, 45 Church Street, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779

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Saturday, August 17
10 am to 7 pm

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Watch the bulletin and online to order
Parish Group Discount Tickets

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**Enjoy a Family
DAYCATION!**





Scouting as Youth Ministry



Cub Scout Pack 272
Scout Troop 272



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

For more information or to enroll your child, contact Dr. Louis Scotti at 979-0060 or e-mail JoinScouting@StJoRonk.org.

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



CYO Sport Programs

<http://stjoecyosports.com>

Baseball:

Intramural (Coed, ages 4-16): Gene ☎ 588-1879
Travel * (Boys) Vinny ☎ 521-5544

Basketball:

Girls (nusig2002@yahoo.com) Brittney ☎ 445-9099
Clinic Division (Coed Grades K-2) Nick ☎ 585-7723
Boys Grades 3-12) Vinny ☎ 521-5544
Travel* Vinny ☎ 521-5544

Track:

Boys & Girls, Grades K-8 Jerry ☎ 585-4048

Soccer :

Intramural Boys & Girls(ages 3-13) Joe ☎ 585-0748
jcaiolahome@gmail.com

Travel (LIJSL): Rob ☎ 721-8831

Softball: Dennis ☎ 467-6174



Defensive Driving

The defensive driving course will be offered at St. Joseph Church on Saturday, August 3, 2019 in Carew Hall from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm. Fee is \$45. Please call the rectory at 588-8456 to reserve your place. Make checks payable to St. Joseph Church.



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 to our meeting and check it out.

Visit our next meeting:

July 21, 2019 Tonight

e-mail: Crew272@StJoRonk.org

phone: Advisor Mike Keller (631) 872-7675

What did you do this weekend?

Baptism

Victoria Rose Andare
Brooke Madison Briscoe
Liliana Mia Ca,pan
Abigail Katilus
Hailey Victoria Sillitti
Avery Nicole Stocchetti

"Al-Anon"

Al-Anon is an anonymous fellowship of families and friends of alcoholics. It is a support program which meets here at St. Joseph's Church on Thursdays 10AM -12 Noon in the basement of the rectory. (Entrance is in the rear)

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