

Saint Kilian Parish

485 Conklin Street, Farmingdale, NY 11735

Mission Statement

The Catholic family of St. Kilian Parish seeks to be a vibrant, welcoming community of faith, guided by the Holy Spirit, nourished by God's word and the Eucharist, and committed to witnessing God in and through our neighbors.



Pastoral Staff

Rev. Bruce J. Powers, Pastor - brucep@stkilian.com Rev. Michael F. Duffy - fatherduffy@me.com Rev. José Luis Tenas

Most Rev. John C. Dunne - (Retired - In Residence) Rev. Augustine Fernando - (Retired - In Residence)

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Pastoral Council

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Mass Schedule

All Sunday Masses are Celebrated in the Church

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m. & 7:30 p.m. Sunday: 7:00, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

Family Mass & Youth Mass:

9:30 a.m. on the 2nd & 4th Sunday

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE: Monday-Friday:

7:00 a.m. St. Benedict Chapel & 9 a.m. - Church Saturday

7:30 a.m. St. Benedict Chapel

Holy Days as announced in the bulletin Misas en Español: 6:15 p.m. Cada Sábado

Reconciliation - Confessions

Monday - 1-2 p.m.; Saturday - 4-45 p.m.

Rectory Office Hours

Monday - Friday:

9:30 a.m.- 8:00 p.m. **Saturday:** 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Closed on holidays.

It is advisable to call ahead for an appointment with members of the Pastoral Staff.

Rectory Staff

Mrs. Eileen Donohue - Bulletin / Website eileend@stkilian.com

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ST. KILIAN PRAY FOR US



SECOND MARRIAGES AND LAPSED CATHOLICS

When I was growing up in the 1950¢ almost 80% of Catholics went to Mass each week. Today on Long Island, where half of our population (1.5 million) is baptized

Catholic, less than twenty percent participate at Mass each weekend.

There are multiple reasons for the fall off. The Catholic subculture, formed since heavy immigration of Catholics began in the mid-1800¢, protected and nurtured the immigrant community arriving mostly from Europe from the Protestant majority. Catholic national parishes in major cities provided a powerful sense of belonging, neighborhoods centered around Church and school, where the old world could be re-created with local clergy and religious as the educated leaders both spiritually and politically. The mostly uneducated and sometimes illiterate laity relied heavily on their priests and nuns for guidance and support. Catholic schools staffed by men and women religious maintained Catholic identity in a hostile environment. Fear of damnation also was a strong motivator in preserving the Catholic way of life.

The gradual disintegration of that subculture began after the Second World War. Soldiers took advantage of the G.I. Bill that provided funds for the college education of veterans. Catholic laity took prominent places in business and politics. Catholics were assimilated into the mainstream of American life. Today, in church attendance, divorce, presence on the boards of major corporations, opinions on moral issues, and so much more, Catholics can hardly be distinguished from their Protestant neighbors.

It remains a central teaching in Catholicism that marriage is indissoluble. Marriage is a permanent lifetime commitment. "Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate." (Mark 10:9). It also is a fact of life that Catholic marriages fail. There are 66 million Catholics in the U.S., and more than six million are divorced Catholics. Some fifty percent of all marriages in the Catholic Church end in divorce. This is a personal tragedy for the couples and any children they may have. Many of these Catholics have their pain increased further by feeling cut off from the Church. Since many remarry without seeking an annulment of their failed marriage, they are officially barred from the strength of the sacraments.

Has a failed marriage become the only -unforgiveable sing? Is this frightening statistic a big contributor to the falling off of church attendance? Is it likely that most of

these marriages were lacking from their beginning the essentials needed for a Sacrament?

An annulment tries to offer compassion, healing, and true justice to Catholics whose marriage was one of appearance only. Before the Second Vatican Council, a marriage could be declared invalid for three reasons only. It was never consummated. One of the spouses never intended to have children. And third, there was coercion or force involved (e.g. pregnancy). The Council document spoke beautifully of the marital sacrament and emphasized its unitive as well as procreative dimensions. Marriage was a lifetime partnership of equals in the sight of God who loved each other; and had the psychological maturity to live out that covenant commitment. Marriage is an interpersonal communion between a man and woman that is physical, emotional, intellectual, and spiritual. It mirrors the self-emptying love of Christ who came not to be served, but to serve.

When the bride and groom exchanged vows did they each have the personal capacity to live out that \div yesø to each other in a mutually supportive communion of life until death parted them?

The Council generated a fourth reason for the granting of annulments ó psychological factors. Now serious neuroses and psychoses like poor self esteem, narcissism, impulsiveness, hostility, inadequacy, addiction, homosexuality, personality disorders, and other pathology are grounds for the annulment of a marriage. Grace builds on nature.

An annulment is meant to offer healing and further psychological insight and spiritual growth. It offers justice to marriages that have failed and new beginnings for couples who feel cut off from the church.

To apply for an annulment you can contact the diocese directly at 516-678-5800. There is no longer a fee. You will need to complete necessary paperwork on your family and marriage history, ask three friends or family members to write on your behalf and meet with a therapist on staff. An advocate will be assigned to your case to assist you, usually a specially trained priest, religious or lay person from your parish or nearby. On average, if there are grounds and the paperwork is completed quickly, an annulment will be granted in a year or so.

Remember, we are a Church of second chances. There are no unforgiveable sins and no second class Catholics.

Peace, Father Bruce

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SUNDAY - September 27 - Twenty-Sixth Sunday

in Ordinary Time - Readings: 1st-Numbers 11:25-29; 2nd—James 5:1-6; Gospel—Mark 9:38-

43, 45, 47-48

7:00 For the Parishioners of St. Kilian

8:00 Elizabeth & James Gilmore

9:30 Mary Fulico 11:00 Susan B. Picciano 12:30pm Deceased Poor Richard F. Pearse

Angelina Shaw

Dr. Benjamin Giminaro

MONDAY - September 28 - Weekday

Mary Sotis 9:00 James Klueg

TUESDAY - September 29 - Sts. Michael,

Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels

7:00 David Mellina

9:00 Intentions of Steve Distante

WEDNESDAY - September 30 - St. Jerome

7:00 Loretta Krieger 9:00 Veronica Franco

THURSDAY - October 1 - St. Thérèse of the

Child Jesus

7:00 Robert Fitzpatrick Matthew Connors 9:00

FRIDAY - October 2 - The Holy Guardian

Angels

7:00 David Mellina 9:00 William Burns

SATURDAY - October 3 - Weekday

7:30 Lewis Tagarello 5:00pm William Beatty

> Karolina Daszykowska Rose & Antonio Cerritere

John Benes

6:15pm

7:30pm Tommy Dalton

SUNDAY - October 4 Twenty-Seventh Sunday

in Ordinary Time - Readings - 1st—Genesis 2:18-24; 2nd—Hebrews 2:9-11; Gospel—Mark 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

7:00 John Della Sala

8:00 For the Parishioners of St. Kilian

9:30 St. Kilian Womens Guild 11:00 Susan B. Picciano 12:30pm Caroline & John Cossella

> Joseph A. Bracetty Joseph Calandra Muriel E. Arrien



Stewardship

A Way of Life

The following are the weekly collections for: September 19, 20, 2015.....\$24,095.00 (Last year 2014)\$21,129

Attendance

September 19, 20, 20151986 (Last year 2014)1944

Parish Collection report-Weekend of Sept. 19, 20, 2015

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Mass	Number Of Envelopes	Amt. in Env. Cash/Checks	Loose Cash	Total	
5pm - Sat.	128	\$3503.00	\$457.00	\$3960.00	
6:15pm-Sat.	23	\$294.00	\$624.00	\$918.00	
7:30pm -Sat	60	\$2201.00	\$337.00	\$2538.00	
7:00am	58	\$2020.00	\$253.00	\$2273.00	
8:00am	98	\$3223.00	\$244.00	\$3467.00	
9:30am	95	\$2859.00	\$484.00	\$3343.00	
11:00am	126	\$3731.00	\$456.00	\$4187.00	
12:30pm	94	\$2342.00	\$455.00	\$2797.00	
		Mail in Envelopes:		\$612.00	
			Total:	\$24,095.00	

Bulletin Reflection:

St. James warns in today's second reading that those who hoard their wealth and live only for themselves will be condemned. But in the Gospel. Jesus assures us that all who give of themselves for His sake will be rewarded.

Living Stewardship:

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who share their time and resources to support our parish Food Pantry and programs like Catholic Charities' Nutrition Outreach Education Project (NOEP)



God Bless Pope Francis

Sacraments

Baptisms are celebrated on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sunday of the month at 2:00 p.m. in the church. Spanish Baptisms are celebrated on the 4th Sunday of the month at 2 p.m. Parents are required to participate in one Sacramental Preparation session. These meetings are held on the first and third Sunday of each month. After attending the 9:30am Mass, parents should proceed to the Parish Center (below the church) for the Baptism Preparation Class. Godparents are welcome. Please call the rectory to arrange an interview with a deacon or priest to register for the preparation session and the Baptism ceremony. Additional information on Baptism is available on the parish website: www.stkilian.com

Reconciliation - Confessions are heard in the church on Mondays, 1:00-2:00 p.m.; Saturdays, 4:00-4:45 p.m.; and in the rectory by appointment. *Confessions are not heard on Mondays that are Holy Days or public holidays.* **Confessions in Spanish** by appointment. Please call the rectory at (516)249-0127.

Matrimony - Marriage arrangements should be made with a deacon or priest **at least six months** before the proposed wedding date. No dates for marriage will be given over the phone. *Note:* The interview to schedule the marriage date at St. Kilian should be completed before commitments are made with a catering hall. Additional information is available on the parish website: www.stkilian.com.

Anointing of the Sick - The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick may be received by any Catholic who is preparing for surgery, or is of advanced age, or is seriously ill. The sacrament is the Churchés prayer for health and healing and should not be delayed until there is danger of death. Please call the rectory to speak with a priest. Also, to arrange for Communion to be brought to the homebound, please call the rectory to have a priest visit. After the priest visits, arrangements can be made for a Eucharistic Minister to regularly bring communion to the homebound.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
RCIA (Becoming A Catholic) Anyone who is
inquiring about becoming a Catholic, and who has not
been baptized, or who has been baptized in another
Christian community is invited to inquire into the
RCIA. Please call the rectory for information at
(516)249-0127.

"Understanding the New Testament"



As Catholics we want to understand our faith and be able to give witness to it intelligently and practically.

Our pastor, Father Bruce Powers is offering a five week course, on Saturday afternoons from 1 PM to 2:30 PM, entitled "Understanding the New Testament".

The course will explore the background to the development of the New Testament, the world of the New Testament, the authors inspired by the Holy Spirit, and the revelation of God in Jesus Christ.

The New Testament PowerPoint sessions will begin September 26, and continue for five Saturdays in a row, ending October 24. Location – the lower church – Green Room.

If you missed the first class you can still register!

Please call 516-249-0127 or email barbarag@stkilian.com this week. Bring your Bible and a notebook. A \$20 donation is requested.



ST. KILIAN PARISH MEMORIALS FOR HOSTS AND WINE to be used at all WEEKDAY Masses (Sept. 28- Oct. 2, 2015) were donated in Memory of +Gregory Ihm Gift of: Eleanore McIntyre



Rest in Peace

We remember those who have died in our parish community this week:

Robert Page
Edward O'Donnell
Margaret Coughlin
Michael Travis
Marie Sokol
Helen Schmeider

Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord; and let the perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God Rest in Peace. Amen



Baptisms

Santino James Esposito Jeremy Quentin Bader Connor Christian Doonan Charles William Doonan Parker Stephen Shami Shane Michael Villani



As a praying community, we automatically ask prayers for all those who are ill. Names added to the list will remain on for a maximum of 3 weeks. If the individual is still in need of prayers,

the office would have to be notified to continue for an additional 3 weeks. If you do not desire to be listed, please inform us.

PRAY FOR:

Frank Burnside; Msgr. Tom Hartman; Sarita Donald; Denise Wager; Helen Norjen; John Nelson, Sr.; John Nelson, Jr.; Kerri Ihm; Rosemarie Oliver; Jane Deglman; Hugh Gilmore; Theresa Ross; Richard Ware; Bill Razzano; Frank Peter Trifaro; Helen Martin; Michael Miicheli; Lucas Micheli; Bob Westfall; Brenda Paul; Edith

And prayers for our children: Gwendolyn Rose; Kyle Patrick Johnson; Jillian Cordi; Baby Julia Rose Manno; Olivia Macchio; Collin Huber; Michael Cardone; Baby Kathleen Scelfo; Baby Olivia Scelfo; Mackenzie Jordan Borchers (7 1/2 year old child waiting for a heart transplant at Boston Children Hospital.)



RCIA sessions will begin on Thursday, October 1, 2015 at 7:30pm in the school building. We look forward to meeting those interested in being initiated into the Roman Catholic Church.

RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY October 5, 2015

As we celebrate Respect Life Sunday, we are reminded that the assaults on human dignity come in many forms. The Respect Life Office is charged with deepening our already strong commitment to pro-life activities and parish education. Please support this vital work through participation in the special Respect Life envelope collection. Your prayers and assistance are greatly appreciated. There will be only one collection next weekend, so please place your envelope for Respect Life in the regular collection basket.



Marriage Banns

First Announcement

Christopher Lorenz (St. Kilian) & Sara Russolese (St. Kilian)

Second Announcement

Robert Cooper & Taralynn Kelly Mitchell Kennedy & Christine Porto (St. Kilian)

Third Announcement

Perry David Altadonna (St. Kilian) & Adrianna Leon (St. Kilian)

Counseling Information for Families and Individuals

Living Waters, located on Wolf Hill Road in Melville, on the grounds of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, provides individual and group therapy with a Christian perspective - 631-754-3990 email: carolr@livingwaterscounseling.biz.

Our pastor, Father Bruce Powers, besides his graduate degree in theology from the major seminary in Huntington, New York, holds a Masters degree in Pastoral Counseling from St. John& University (M.S. in Ed.). In addition, he has received certification in substance abuse counseling from South Oaks Institute in Amityville, New York. If you would like his counsel on personal and family difficulties, please contact him at St. Kilian rectory: 516-249-0127 or email him for an appointment: brucep@stkilian.com



Are you interested in becoming an Altar Server?

Being an altar server is a great service to the Church. It helps you grow in skill and confidence and it is a very important ministry that involves commitment. It's also lots of fun, because you belong to a special team!

In order to be an altar server you must be in at least the 4th grade and regularly attend Mass.

Please e-mail Father Duffy at FatherDuffy@me.com if you have any questions.

Please complete this form and drop it in the collection basket at Mass or at the Rectory office by October 3rd.

Training sessions with Deacon Bill and Fr. Duffy for new altar servers will be every Wednesday in October from 4-5pm

name
Age:
Grade/school:
Phone Number:
Address:
E-mail Address (parents):
Parents Name(s):
Brothers/Sisters Serving:



St. Agnes Medal of Service

Earlier this year Fr. Bruce, after consultation with our Pastoral Council, recommended Susan ("Suzi") Picciano for the

St. Agnes Medal of Service posthumously. Bishop William Murphy has approved this recommendation. As many of you know, Suzi was called to the Lord earlier this year. Her husband John and family will receive the medal on her behalf at a special ceremony at St. Agnes Cathedral next month.

The St. Agnes Medal of Service was instituted 9 years ago to recognize members of the church who contribute their time and talent to our parishes. Over the years that Suzi was a parishioner at St. Kilian, she was a shining example of a dedicated good steward who unselfishly devoted herself to helping others through her love of God and her church. At the time of Suzi's unfortunate passing, she was a member of the Pastoral Council, a Eucharistic Minister, a member of the Women's Guild (Past President) and a huge support to Nina Petersen as a lay leader, volunteering her time and talent at Social Ministry. Suzi even helped to implement the Outreach program over 30 years ago. She did all of this willingly out of her deep faith and concern for others, and she did it with a smile!

St. Kilian Parish was blessed to have Suzi as a parishioner and friend. Her loving spirit lives on in our parish and in all those she has helped over the years. May Suzi's soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



Feast of St. FrancisBlessing of Animals

The Blessing of the Animals will take place on Sunday, October 4th at 3:30 PM in the area behind the Church.



St. Kilian Respect Life



OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH

Take Time To Prayerfully Reflect On The Beauty Of Life
This is a great opportunity to follow the teachings of St James (James 2:14-18):

Demonstrate your faith through works.

SEP 30th—NOV 1st: 40 DAYS FOR LIFE* and FASTING FOR LIFE

A National Pro-Life effort to <u>END ABORTION</u> and to pray for the healing of those already wounded and for the conversion of all abortion workers.

A group from St. Kilian Parish will go to Planned Parenthood in Hempstead for peaceful pray for one hour weekly, on Wednesdays from 6-7PM.

540 Fulton Ave (Rte 24), Hempstead

OCTOBER 4th

STAND UP FOR LIFE*



Oct 4th—2:00-3:30PM

Intersection of Rt 110 & Rt 25 (Jericho Tpke)
Contact Paul Montenero for more info
Or if you need a ride, Call/Text: 516-523-0373



OCT 4th-9th: WEEK OF PRAYER

For PRO-LIFE & RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

Spend an hour in prayer at St Benedict Chapel (next to the rectory)

Rosary & Devine Mercy Chaplet prayed hourly

10AM-4PM = Group Prayer 4PM-8PM = Silent Prayer

during daily adoration

8PM-10PM = Group Prayer

<u>Note</u>: we need Prayer leaders for the Group Prayer sessions. Those interested should contact either:

Paul Muhs: 516-249-6567 or

<u>Paul Montenero</u>: 516-523-0373 (call or text) or Email: paulj@standagainstabortion.org

INTERESTED IN THE RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY?

Call/Text Paul Montenero: 516-523-0373 Or Call Irene Muhs: 516-249-6567

FOR PREGNANCY HELP, CALL:

Life Centers:

Massapequa Hempstead Deer Park

516-798-9100 516-408-6300 631-243-2373

Regina Residence 516-223-7888 AAA Pregnancy Options 631-243-0066

FOR POST-ABORTION HEALING

Project Rachel 800-456-4673 Rachel's Vinyard Healing Retreat 516-798-9100

ST. KILIAN RESPECT-LIFE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

10/3 (Sat) - 10:30-11:30AM Prayer vigil outside Planned Parenthood, 35 Carman's Rd, Massapequa.

10/18 (Sun)- 10:30AM-10:55AM—PRO-LIFE meeting Green Rm of St. Kilian's Church Basement.

OCTOBER 10th - 12 NOON: PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY

A National Event to gather to pray and give witness to the Sacredness of all Human Life and the importance of preserving our God-given and Constitutional Right to Religious Freedom and for the protection of our Country. Locations to be announced in next week's bulletin.

* NEED A RIDE? Contact Paul Montenero for more infoOr if you need a ride, Call/Text: 516-523-0373

SOCIAL MINISTRY/OUTREACH

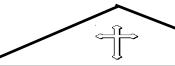
Outreach is our parish community response to the Gospel call to help those in need. We serve anyone who lives within our parish boundaries regardless of religion, race or ethnicity. We are located at 140 Elizabeth Street but our main entrance is in the parking lot facing Conklin Street.

OUR FOOD PANTRY IS OPEN MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, 10AM-2:30PM.

We are also available certain Saturdays <u>by appointment only.</u> Spanish translators are available Tuesdays and Fridays. For further information please call 516-756-9656

Nina Petersen, Director of Outreach

This week our pantry could use the items listed below. Just drop your donation in the bin in the gathering space of the church or bring it to Outreach during our regular business hours.



Ketchup Sugar (1lb packages OK) Salad Dressing Did you know Outreach offers Employment Assistance (resume writing, interview coaching, job search tips)? Our Employment Counselor is here Thursdays from 11:00am to 2:30pm. If interested, call Outreach for an appointment.

<u>CSFP - FREE FOOD PACKAGES</u> are available to eligible NYS Seniors Age 60 or over; call Outreach for information.

Pick-up on Friday, October 2nd, 9:00 AM TO 10:30 AM

- Hardscrabble Apartment Parking Lot on Main Street



A GREAT, BIG THANK YOU TO Farmingdale Rotary (the Lunch club), Boy Scout Troop 261 and all of our donors....For your participation in the food drive at Stop & Shop last weekend. With the MANY carts of food which you delivered to us last weekend, you have helped us restock after the long, busy summer ©

FOOD ASSISTANCE

Do you need food assistance but work weekdays?
Our pantry is open one Saturday per month, by appointment only. Please call for further information about this emergency assistance.

Love & Lunch/Love & Dinner: Join our vibrant and loving groups of women for lunch/dinner and discussions on improving our relationships at home, work, etc. Both groups meet on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month. Lunch meets from 10:00 am to 12:30 pm and Dinner meets from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm, in the lower level of the Church.



Come One and All: NEXT WEEKEND -No reservations needed FREE FLU VACCINES, Blood Pressure Screenings from Catholic Health Services

Saturday, 10/3, from 5:00pm-7:30pm in the Church Basement. Refreshments will be served ©

NEED HEALTH INSURANCE? Fidelis Care at Outreach October 2nd, and the 1st Friday of every month.

Fidelis Care offers free or low-cost comprehensive health insurance for all, ages 0 to 64; through Family Health Plus, Child Health Plus and Medicaid Managed Care. To enroll you need proof of income, age and address. A Fidelis representative will be at Outreach from 10:30am-noon to help you with questions and/or applications. For further information, call Fidelis rep Vilma Kaplan at 516-419-1644.



Serving God by Serving Others

Thanks to your generosity, this year we have been doing very well with our pledges for the Catholic Ministries Appeal. A total of 530 families have pledged an average of \$201. We just recently exceeded 80% of our goal of \$133,000. Besides helping a lot of people on Long Island, this means that any paid pledges between 80% and 100% of our goal will come back to St. Kilian for our needs. If we meet 100% of our goal, 80% of paid pledges above the goal amount will come back to St. Kilian.

If you have not already done so, please consider contributing to this year's Catholic Ministries Appeal. Pledge cards and brochures are available on all of the bulletin stands in the church, as well as in the rectory.

May God bless you and your families.



St.Kílían's Women's Guild Fall Fund Raiser!

Tuesday- Oct. 20,2015- 6 to 10 pm Black Forest Brew Haus 2015 New Highway, Farmingdale

Dinner

Choice of House or Caeser Salad Entree Choices Sauerbraten, Horseradish Crusted Salmon, Black Forest Chicken Fresh Apple Strudel, Soft Drinks & Bread Basket - *Cash Bar*

Grand Raffle Prizes, Choose Your Own Raffle (aka Chinese Auction), 50/50 Cost for dinner is \$35 and a new raffle prize for 'Choose Your Own Raffles'

Reservation please call Chris McDonald 516 506-5723 or Pat Porcelli 516 293-0520 Seating limited to 100 and is filling quickly Don't miss out on the fun!

St. Kilian Bereavement Ministry

Deacon Frank is continuing with the "Bereavement Ministry Team" in the parish. It involves being part of a six to eight week In-Home Program with its focus on "Grief and Working Through It."

Kindly fill out one of the yellow cards which are available at the rectory or fill out the form below and return it to the rectory.

You may stop at the rectory during office hours 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Monday through Friday; Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.; Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. If possible, please complete the card in the rectory office. If a yellow card was already filled out there is no need to submit another.

I ask for your prayers for this much needed and delicate Ministry.

Deacon Frank Barone

Bereavement Ministry				
NAME:	-			
ADDRESS:	PHONE			
NAME OF DECEASED:	RELATIONSHIP:			
DATE OF DEATH:				

CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS OPEN HOUSES

You are invited to explore the benefits of a Catholic High School Education

Please feel free to visit our schools during the times and dates listed below.

DATE:	TIME:	SCHOOL:
SEPTEMBER 2	015	
SATURDAY 26	11:00 AM-1:30 PM	OUR LADY OF MERCY ACADEMY
	1:00 PM - 3:30 PM	ST. DOMINICHS.
SUNDAY 27	12:00 PM - 2:30 PM	HOLY TRINITY DIOC. H.S.
OCTOBER 2015	i	
SATURDAY 3	11:00 AM - 2:00 PM	SACRED HEART ACADEMY
	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM	KELLENBERG MEMORIAL HS.
	2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	CHAMINADE H.S.
SUNDAY 4	1000 AM- 100 PM	ST. ANTHONY'S HS
SUNDAY 18	1030 AM - 2:00 PM	ST, JOHN THE BAPTIST DIOC, HS.
	2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	ST. MARY'S H.S.
SATURDAY 24	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	McGANN-MERCYDIOC, H.S.

ST KILIAN YOUTH



Youth Events for Middle and High School Teens:

- 9/25 6:00pm-7pm <u>Music Choir Practice Church Music</u> <u>Room, Basement.</u> <u>WE NEED YOUTH SINGERS for</u> our choir!
- 9/27 9:30am Youth Mass in Church (all teens are invited to sit and sing with us) 8am rehearsal in church music room
- 9/27 6pm 9pm Regular SKY meets 6pm in <u>Cafeteria</u>
 <u>LaSalle School</u>, (school play ground) for Hockey,
 Dodge ball, Faith talk, and Pizza. Then, move church
 food collection to food pantry, then finish meeting in
 <u>Rectory youth room</u>. Pickup from rectory @ 9pm

****SAVE THE DATES*****

- 10/23 Diocesan Hunger Banquet (Teen awareness on world hunger)
- 11/1 SKY Halloween Costume Party (all are welcome+)

 JOIN SKY +

Contact Youth Minister DJ Schultz: dsholls@optonline.net or Skyouth@stkilian.com to volunteer and for any information

Join Sky facebook page@ (Sky) and be a member+

Eucharistic Adoration

ST. KILIAN'S IS PROUD TO BE OFFERING EXTENDED EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT WILL BE EXPOSED FOR ADORATION IN THE
ST. BENEDICT CHAPEL WHICH IS LOCATED IN THE RECTORY
MONDAY-FRIDAY, EVERY WEEK FROM 4:00PM - 8:00PM

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT EACH HOUR BE COVERED. THE BLESSED SACRAMENT MUST NEVER BE LEFT ALONE. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BECOMING A GUARDIAN OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT FOR AN HOUR A WEEK OR MORE PLEASE CONTACT THE RECTORY OR USE THE FORM BELOW AND DROP IT IN THE COLLECTION BASKET.

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ST. KILIAN WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sept. 27 (Sunday)

CYO Boys Basketball - 1:30pm - Auditorium

SKYouth - 6pm - Cafeteria

Alanon Support Meeting - 7:30pm - Parish Ctr

Sept. 28 (Monday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

Seniors - 11am - Parish Ctr.

Reconciliation - 1pm - 2pm - Church

Eucharistic Adoration - 4pm - 9pm - St. Benedict Chapel Miraculous Medal Novena - 7:30pm - St Benedict Chapel Divorced/Separated - 7:30pm - Parish Ctr.

Sept. 29 (Tuesday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

Seniors - 11am - Parish Ctr

Eucharistic Adoration - 4pm-8pm - St. Benedict Chapel

CYO Basketball - 4:30pm - Auditorium

NA Meeting - 7:30pm - Parish Ctr.

Sept. 30 (Wednesday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

Bible Study - 10:30am - 12:30pm - Parish Center

Eucharistic Adoration - 4pm-8pm - St. Benedict Chapel

CYO Basketball - 4:30pm - Auditorium

AA Support Meeting - 7pm - Parish Ctr.

Spanish Charismatic Renewal - 7pm - Cafeteria

Charismatic Prayer Group - 8pm - St. Benedict Chapel

Oct. 1 (Thursday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

Love & Lunch - 10am - Parish Ctr.

Eucharistic Adoration - 4pm-8pm - St. Benedict Chapel Love & Dinner - 6pm - Parish Ctr.

Oct. 2 (Friday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

Eucharistic Adoration - 4pm-8pm - St. Benedict Chapel Guardian Angel Perinatal Support Group - 7:30pm -

Parish Ctr.

Spanish AA Support Meeting - 7pm - Parish Ctr.

Nocturnal Adoration - 8pm - 9pm - St. Benedict Chapel

Oct. 3 (Saturday)

**Understanding the New Testament+- Fr. Bruce - 1pm - 2:30pm - Parish Ctr.

Free Flu Vaccine - Catholic Health Services - 4pm - 8pm Parish Ctr.

Reconciliation - 4- 4:45pm - Church

Spanish Youth Group - 7pm - Cafeteria

Oct. 4 (Sunday)

Baptism Preparation - 10:30am - 11:30am - Social

Ministry Conference Room

SKYouth - 6pm - Cafeteria

Alanon Support Meeting - 7:30pm - Parish Ctr.



Guardian Angel Perinatal Support Group 15th Annual Remembrance Evening for Pregnancy & Infant Loss



Friday October 2, 2015, Time: 7:30-9:30 at St. Kilian Parish Center,

Members of the St. Kilian Pastoral Staff will share the evening with us.

October has been proclaimed as *Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month.* Each and every life especially the lives of the most tender and the most gentle ~ is God's blessing, never to be forgotten, always to be loved. For more information, contact:

Martha Weiss: 516-249-3314 Or E-mail:

martyk9@optonline.net Support group website:

www.stkilian.com/gaps

St. Anthony's High School

The following students who are parishioners of St. Kilian have received Honor Roll certificates for the 2014-2015 school year at St. Anthony's High School:

Briana Barton Mario Hernandez
Steven Beseler Thomas Maurice
Paul Donohue Vincent Nanjara
Trevor Duranti Conor Nelson
Theresa Froehlich Michael Van Aken

Readings for the Week of September 27, 2015

Sunday: Nm 11:25-29/Jas 5:1-6/Mk 9:38-43, 45,

47-48

Monday: Zec 8:1-8/Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12ab/Jn

1:47-51

Wednesday: Neh 2:1-8/Lk 9:57-62

Thursday: Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12/Lk 10:1-12

Friday: Bar 1:15-22/Mt 18:1-5, 10 Saturday: Bar 4:5-12, 27-29/Lk 10:17-24

Next Sunday: Gn 2:18-24/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or

10:2-12

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- Pope Francis

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Father Joseph Fitzgerald



Msgr. James McDonald







across Long Island for a day of faith and fun for the whole family.

You are invited to join Catholic families from

A free Catholic family festival to promote a culture of vocations across Long Island. Inspiring talks for all ages, Eucharistic Adoration, games and crafts and Mass.

SEMINARY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

440 W. Neck Rd., Huntington, NY

OCT. 10 | 1 P.M.-5 P.M.

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SCHEDULE **OF EVENTS**

11:30 a.m. Registration Begins/ Grounds

12:45 p.m.

Open

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

1:00 p.m.

Welcome/ Opening Prayer/ Keynote

2:00 p.m.

Breakout Sessions

4:00 p.m.

Vigil Mass with Bishop Murphy

DIOCESAN & COMMUNITY Bulletin Board

Young Adults - You are Invited to Our **Next Faith on Tap!**

Faith on Tap is a forum engaging young adults in straight talk and honest answers to questions of faith. It is a genuine and sincere effort to reach out and meet the young adults of this diocese and to listen and to respond to what matters to them as young adults in the Church. Faith on Tap also offers young adults a place where they can meet others who are also living out their faith.

Speaker: Ryan M. Williams, Associate Dean St. Joseph Seminary of the Archdiocese of New York, Huntington, NY Topic: %How to Make Time for Leisure with

a Busy Work Schedule Date: October 8, 2015

Place: Lily Flanagancs - 345 Deer Park

Talk begins at 7:30pm. Come early, have something to eat, meet new friends. For more information contact Marianne Sheridan, at msheridan@drvc.org

Support & Prayer Ministry for Catholic Gays/Lesbians, Parents & their Families

Third Tuesday of each month - 7pm For information: Michael Coffey at 917-589-7146

St. Michael High School, East New York -Class of 1966 Reunion

Graduates of St. Michael High School Class of 1966 are organizing a 50th Anniversary Reunion for June, 2016. A planning committee is compiling a list of graduates and needs up-to-date contact information. If you are a graduate or know a graduate from the class of 1966, please send your contact information to S. Pat Koehler, O.P. pkoehler@aol.com or 450 Round Hill Road, Roslyn Heights, NY 11577.

Holy Trinity Diocesan High School 98 Cherry Lane, Hicksville, NY **Employment Opportunity:**

Part-Time Cafeteria Help: M-F: 1:30 - 5:00. Please call 516-433-2900 x147

St. Vincent de Paul Society

In todayos Gospel Jesus tells his disciples: %Anyone who gives you a drink of water because you belong to Christ will not, I assure you, go without his reward.+As you put your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul's poor box, know that you are serving Christ's poor ones.

If you are in need of assistance or would like information about joining or contributing to the Society, please call 516-473-9562. Leave a message and a phone number. A member will return your call as soon as possible. You may visit our website at www.svdprvc.org. Please remember the Poor Boxes at the exits of the church. They are the Bread Boxes of the poor and hungry.



Celebremos Los Sacramentos

LA SANTA MISA:

Todos los Sábados a las 6:15PM.

BAUTISMO:

Se celebra cada cuarto domingo de mes, a las 2:00 de la tarde. Es requisito para los papás y padrinos,

atender la clase pre-bautismal, cada tercer miércoles de mes a las 6:30 PM, en la parte baja de la Iglesia. Por favor llame a la rectoría para hacer su cita con el sacerdote, para llenar el formato; usted deberá traer el certificado o registro de nacimiento de su niño. Los niños de 6 años ó más, deberán asistir a las clases de catequesis regular.

PADRINOS: Deben ser católicos, con los Sacramentos de Bautismo, Comunión y Confirmación; solteros ó casados por la Iglesia. Deben traer una notificación indicando que están registrados o son miembros de la Parroquia, en donde viven ó adonde asisten a misa. No pueden ser padrinos las personas que tienen parejas sin haberse casados por la Iglesia.

QUINCEAÑERAS:

Deben haber recibido los Sacramentos de Bautismo, Comunión y Confirmación ó estar asistiendo a las clases regulares de Educación Religiosa ó RICA (Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos).

RITO DE INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA PARA ADULTOS: (RICA) Les

invitamos a una preparación espiritual de conversión a la fé católica. Favor comunicarse con la Hna: Reina Vásquez (631)902-9969. Las clases iniciarán en septiembre.

MATRIMONIO:

Es necesario hacer una entrevista con el Sacerdote ó Diácono de la Parroquia con 6 meses de anticipación, para la celebración de su boda. Es imprescindible que todas las parejas, asistan a PRE-CANA (charlas pre-matrimoniales), para poder casarse. Para mayor información, llamar a la Rectoría (516)-249-0127 ext.129

P. Jose o hablar con él, después de la Misa, los sábados.

RECONCILIACION/ CONFESIONES:

Todos los miércoles de 6:00 a 9:00 PM, en el Grupo de Oración. Lugar: Cafetería.

UNCION DE LOS ENFERMOS:

Llamar a la Rectoría, inmediatamente en caso de emergencia o enfermedad, para que la persona reciba los Sacramentos necesarios. (516)- 249-0127 Ext. 129 Padre Jose.

GRUPO DE ORACION:

(Renovación Carismática) Todos los miércoles de 7 a 9:30 PM en la cafetería, Y Hora Santa en la iglesia todos los Segundos miércoles de cada mes, de 7:30-8:30pm.

GRUPO JUVENIL:

Se reúnen todos los sábados, después de Misa. Para información, hablar con Nelson (516)351-8913/ Erlin (631)705-1229.

Ciclos de Fe

27 DE SEPTIEMBRE DE 2015 26° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

õOjalá que todo el pueblo de Dios fuera profeta y descendiera sobre todos ellos el espíritu del Señorö (Nm 11, 29). Moisés ya no puede seguir solo con la carga de todo el pueblo y acepta la libertad del Espíritu de Dios que sopla donde y cuando quiere. Lo ideal del mensaje es que todos seamos profetas para anunciar las maravillas de Dios y a la vez clamar por la justicia que el pueblo merece. Las lecturas de hoy son claves para el discernimiento en la forma de relación entre los grupos parroquiales. Se hacen los planes, la misión esta puesta, solo falta ejecutar las acciones. ¿Quiénes lo harán? Debemos aceptar a toda persona que actúe honestamente en nombre de Jesús, sin recelos ni reclamos entre los diferentes grupos.

¿Cómo hacerlo? Recordemos siempre que las actitudes y las acciones de los que llevan a cabo el ministerio pueden acercar o alejar a los demás. Jesús nos lo pone más claro todavía al escuchar la respuesta que le da a Juan. õNo se lo prohíban, porque no hay ninguno que haga milagros en mi nombre, que luego sea capaz de hablar mal de míö (Mc 9, 39). Y Jesús agrega, poniendo broche de oro a su respuesta: õTodo aquel que no está contra nosotros, está a nuestro favorö (Mc 9, 40). No olvidemos: Jesús siempre dejó libres a los que sanó. No les impuso órdenes: ellos siguieron su vida normal, con la única diferencia de aceptarlo. Todo esto pasó durante el camino hacia Jerusalén, el cual representa un proceso de formación para los discípulos que iban madurando su fe a base de experiencias nuevas. Nadie es especialista en el ministerio; es Dios quien nos llama a serlo.

Gratis: Examen de la Presion Y La Vacuna de la Enfluenza

Servicios Católico De Salud de Long Island ofrecemos información y educacion para su salud y su bienestar Sabado, 3 de Octubre, 5:00pm-7:30pm, St. Kilian Parish Basement.

Para obtener mas información, teléfono a Luz, 631-465-6403.

Se ofreceran refrescos

Domingo Respeto a la Vida

El Domingo, 5 de octubre es dedicado a celebrar el Respeto a la Vida. Celebrando este Domingo del Respeto a la Vida, recordamos que asaltos a la dignidad de la vida humana esta ocurriendo de muchas maneras. La Oficina al Respeto a la Vida esta a cargo de seguir llevando este profundo compromiso de Pro-Vida a todas las actividades de educatión de las Parroquias. Por favor apoye este importante y vital trabajo participando con su colecta en el sobre especial para Respeto a la Vida. Muy agradecidos son nuestras oraciones por su colaboración.