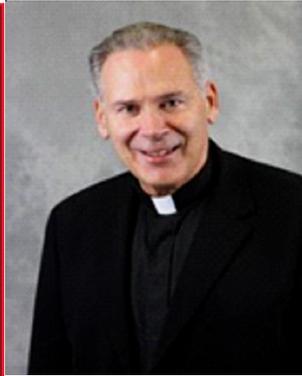


THESAURUS



“It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit....” (John 15:16)

The Pastoral Council of St. Kilian along with the Pastoral Team (their names are listed in our parish bulletin and on

our website) met in conference Wednesday, June 7. The purpose of the meeting was to evaluate what our parish community has accomplished since September 2016, in our Spirit- led efforts to accomplish the goals and objectives of our St. Kilian Vision Statement.

Here is a summary of the results of the meeting. Discussion of the first pillar of our statement, Hospitality, revealed that we had established the offering of monthly after mass opportunities for mixing and mingling over refreshments. These hospitalities are hosted by different ministry groups each month and we are attempting to combine them with the monthly Family Life Hospitalities. It was believed that this has had a positive effect on our sense of belonging to St. Kilian. Some of our monthly after mass refreshment opportunities were more successful than others. We will try to connect this community building event with our faith formation program.

In addition, we have begun a program to reach out to families who have their children baptized at St. Kilian. Baptism is where it all begins within our faith, and it is our desire to continue this by reaching out to families who have chosen to have their children enter into this sacrament.

Liturgy and Eucharist, our second pillar. The 9:30 AM Sunday mass now has a contemporary guitar based choir, and a youthful orientation. It is attracting young families with children preparing for reconciliation, first communion, and

confirmation. A recommendation was made that we recognize at mass those who are celebrating birthdays or anniversaries or the birth of the baby or a recent baptism. These families would be especially welcomed at the hospitality refreshment time after the morning masses.

It remains a goal that Sky, our Youth Ministry, directed by Ed Fronckwicz, will assume leadership of the 9:30 AM Mass, acting as lectors, ushers, greeters, and expanding the 9:30 AM choir.

We continue to welcome other Christian churches in Farmingdale to join our choir during Advent and Lent. It was believed that these ecumenical experiences of prayer are not to be missed. Too few parishioners participate in these powerful religious experiences of unity in Christ. How can we increase attendance?

The Welcome Wagon Ministry remains a goal that needs to be accomplished in the coming year. If you would like to be part of the organizing committee on this important new ministry, be sure to let a member of the Pastoral Council or Pastoral Team know of your interest.

Our vision dreamed that prayer and retreat opportunities would be made more available both at St. Kilian and nearby retreat centers. We did have an Advent retreat led by a Franciscan friar, and a Lenten retreat conducted by a Redemptorist retreat master. Both received very positive feedback from St. Kilian parishioners. It remains a goal to be accomplished to offer more opportunities for prayer off St. Kilian’s grounds.

The third goal of our action plan for the pillar of Lifelong Faith Formation, was to offer ongoing training of our 80 parish catechists; to offer Christian parenting skills to our parents of the 800 families in religious education; and to invite young families to a particular grade level mass each weekend so that they might engage with the gospel

message. (90% do not attend mass regularly) there are about 200 children on each grade level. 200 received reconciliation, first communion, and confirmation this past year.

These action plan goals were accomplished since last September. We presently have two part-time directors of religious education (faith formation). With your financial support, we will be able to hire an additional part-time DRE. This is badly needed to spiritually reach the 800 families currently enrolled at St. Kilian, and to offer support and nourishment to our catechists.

The fourth pillar of the vision statement is Stewardship. The spirituality of stewardship refers to everything that we do after we say yes to Jesus Christ. Out of love for Jesus, we offer our time and talent in ministry, and we give generous financial support to our parish so that the five pillars that make up our faith community can flourish. The Stewardship Committee meets monthly with Barbara Geary as their Director. The main focuses each year are: 1. In the Fall, emphasis is on reviewing the appropriate use of our treasure, the financial resources given to us by Almighty God to use for his glory and honor and 2. The Spring weekends focus on the giving of a portion of our time and energy, our talents back to God in lay ministry. When possible, we will continue to hold outdoor Ministry Fairs and we look to provide these for Faith Formation families as well. Every one of us is called to sacrificial giving, and involvement in one of the many ministries of our parish. The steering committee was heavily involved in developing the first pillar of our action plan – Hospitality.

The fifth pillar of our vision statement and action plan is Parish Social Ministry. There are many members of our Farmingdale community who are hurting and in need of our pastoral care. The disabled receive special attention and are referred to agencies in the Farmingdale area when they have a mental health diagnosis. Nina Peterson directs our efforts in these corporal works of mercy. During the past year she has worked exceptionally hard to expand our offerings to the poor and needy. She is

hoping in the coming year, to develop a Social Justice Committee. The committee will receive education on the teachings of the Catholic Church over the past hundred years on social justice. Your involvement with that committee is needed. It hopes to address poverty and its root causes, affordable housing on Long Island, education of the public on mental health issues, and much more.

Throughout the year, we have served about 500 people each month at our Parish Outreach building on our grounds. Your weekly offering is critical to meet their needs. Many hundreds of people are on the edge of poverty, and many others regularly need food, clothing and shelter. This past year we have been able to increase our food resources through two organizations Long Island Cares, and Island Harvest. In addition, we have received some grant money to meet needs. Most of the people who come to our Outreach office, are on food stamps. Demand for food will increase if our government cuts this or eliminates the food stamp program. Nina has been training ministry volunteers in their serving of clients. Folks with limited incomes have a need to be taught how to budget so that they can increase their income, and lower their expenses. Nina hopes to expand services to low income folks in the coming year, including senior citizens.

The five pillars of our parish community are foundational to who we are as a faith community. The action plan that we developed a year ago is coming to fruition through your efforts as committed parishioners of St. Kilian. Your sacrificial giving in the offertory, and your hours of involvement in our outreach office, in planning our stewardship efforts, in handing on the faith to our young people, in making our liturgies come alive with your musical talents, in proclaiming God's word, in bringing the Eucharist to the homebound, in consolation ministry and pre-Cana, and so much more - all give honor and glory to God who gives us everything that we have. Thank you! Praise the Lord!

Peace, Father Bruce





Mass Intentions for the Week

Sunday - July 2 - Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Readings: 1st—2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a; 2nd—Romans 6:3-4, 8-11; Gospel—Matthew 10:37-42

8:00 James V. Keats
 9:30 For the Parishioners of St. Kilian
 11:00 Richie Kuehn
 12:30 Steven McDonald
 Catherine Shepard
 Mary Stueber
 Roy Tewes

MONDAY - July 3 - St. Thomas

7:00 Elizabeth Lucivero
 9:00 Robert F. Turner

TUESDAY - July 4 - Anniversary of the Dedication of St. Kilian Church

7:00 Carol Ann Dunn
 9:00 Matthew DeStefano

WEDNESDAY - July 5 - Weekday

7:00 Vita Cottone
 9:00 Michael Brady

THURSDAY - July 6 - Weekday

7:00 Millie Milone
 9:00 John & Basil Morris

FRIDAY - July 7 - Weekday

7:00 Margaret Sabino
 9:00 Mackenzie Jordan Borchers

SATURDAY - July 8 - Weekday

7:30 Joseph Castronuovo
 5:00pm Severio Orobona
 Anna Tarricone
 Madeline Soave
 St. Vincent de Paul Conference
 Members

6:30pm

Sunday - July 9 - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Readings: 1st—Zechariah 9:9-10; 2nd—Romans 8:9, 11-13; Gospel—Matthew 11:25-30

8:00 For the Parishioners of St. Kilian
 9:30 St. Kilian Women's Guild
 11:00 Michele Barone
 12:30 Gertrude Klein
 Kevin Frawley
 Marie Coniglio
 Horace LaCagnia



Stewardship

A Way of Life

The Following are the weekly collections for:

June 24, 25, 2017.....\$23,381.80
 (Last year 2016).....\$24,336.60

Attendance

June 24, 25, 2017.....1,728
 (Last year 2016)1,774

Parish Collection report-Week of JUNE 24, 25, 2017

Mass	Number Of Envelopes	Amt. in Env. Cash/Checks	Loose Cash	Total
5pm - Sat.	164	\$4,306.00	\$558.00	\$4,864.00
6:30pm-Sat.	47	\$590.00	\$601.00	\$1,191.00
8:00am-Sun	119	\$3,317.00	\$425.00	\$3,742.00
9:30am	106	\$2,999.00	\$374.00	\$3,373..00
11:00am	118	\$3,214.00	\$401.00	\$3,615.00
12:30pm	83	\$2,071.00	\$741.00	\$2,812.00

Thank you for Placing God first in your life!

Mail in Envelopes: \$1,416.00
 Online Donations: \$2,368.80
Total: \$23,381.80

Bulletin Reflection:

Both the first reading and the Gospel today speak of hospitality and welcome. Our ministers of hospitality are a most visible example of using one's time and talents to welcome the people of God. But the Gospel assures us that all who give even just a cup of cold water to one of His lowliest ones will be rewarded.

Living Stewardship:

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish whose open hands are willing to share what they have been given so that God's people are fed and their needs met.

NEXT WEEKEND MASS CELEBRANTS

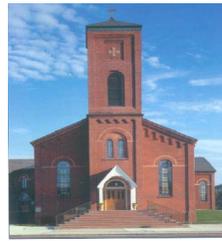
Saturday - July 8
 5:00pm - Fr. Suglia
 6:30pm - Fr. José Luis

Sunday, July 9
 8:00am - Visitor
 9:30am - Fr. Gus
 11:00am - Fr. Suglia
 12:30pm - Visitor



ST. KILIAN PARISH MEMORIAL FOR HOSTS AND WINE to be used at all Weekday Masses (July 3-7, 2017) were donated in Memory of:

+Angela Fortunato
Gift of: Eleanore McIntyre & Family



ST. KILIAN ANNIVERSARY

Not only is July 4th the celebration of American Independence; it is most

important for us the anniversary of the dedication of St. Kilian's Church. It is the anniversary of the double dedication of our church, first time in 1898 and second in 1998. The anniversary of the dedication of a church is ranked as a Solemnity, the highest rank of Church feasts. Solemnities replace all other feast days except for Holy Week and Christmas. The Church wants us to celebrate our identity as a community of faith.

Although the church is a building; it is nonetheless a symbol of the Body of Christ, the living temple of the Lord here in our community. The cross on the top of our steeple towers over the town as a powerful symbol of Christ's presence through us. Just so, our faith should be a towering example to people around us of the presence and influence of Christ in our lives.



Baptisms

Joseph Andrew Conti



First Announcement

Juan Antonio Melendez (St. Kilian) & Lesvi Zuniga (St. Kilian)

Second Announcement

Jason Andrew Gilbert & Liana Marie Spiciarich (St. Kilian)

Louis Delia & Michelle Cerra (St. Kilian)

Adam Ross Winters & Cristina Elizabeth Magri (St. Kilian)

Third Announcement

Justin Dellicarpini & Christina Gagliardo

Vito Rago (St. Kilian) & Jessica Hernandez (St. Kilian)

Steven Probst (St. Kilian) & Brittany Olbetes (St. Kilian)



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:

Sarita Donald; Denise Wagner; Helen Norjen; John Nelson, Sr.; John Nelson, Jr.; Kerri Ihm; Hugh Gilmore; Theresa Ross; Rosemary Oliver; Linda Asparro; Ann Henry; Vincent Thomas Marino; Fr. Chuck Romano; Deacon Mark Wetzel; Terry Kiel; Joey Moorehouse; Cyndi Keats; Matthew Malley; Helene Klem; Paul Norris; Paul Klem; Mr. & Mrs. Laffe; Terrance Warren; Dee Asparro; Christine Carlton; Anne Shannon; Robert Boykin; Joy Bologna.

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; Olivia Molloy; Kaelyn Maureen McCandless; Kairi Knudsen; Isabella Marie Inzerillo; Vincent Moran; Baby Cameron Robert.



Rest in Peace

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

Rosalie F. Rottkamp
Theresa DeLeonardis
Vincent D. Gemma

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



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 TEAM

Rev. Bruce J. Powers, Pastor -
brucep@stkilian.com

Rev. Michael F. Duffy, Parochial Vicar -
fatherduffy@me.com

Mrs. Claire Stiglic, Associate Director Religious Education

Mrs. Kathleen Singleton, Associate Director Religious Education -

Mrs. Nina Petersen, Social Ministry/Outreach

Mr. Paul C. Phinney, Music Director -

Mr. Edward Fronckwicz - Business Manager

Mrs. Barbara Geary, Director of Stewardship / Pastor's Secretary

HISPANIC MINISTRY

Rev. José Luis Tenas

RETIRED CLERGY IN RESIDENCE

Most Rev. John C. Dunne

Rev. Augustine Fernando

DEACONS

Deacon Frank D. Barone

Deacon Francis P. Marino

Deacon Mark Wetzel

Deacon William A. Weiss

RETIRED DEACONS

Deacon Lucio L. Cotone

Deacon George B. Owen

THE ST. KILIAN VISION STATEMENT

+ Hospitality: St. Kilian parish strives to be a welcoming, dynamic faith community.

+ The Eucharist and liturgy: We seek to nourish the faith life of the parish by celebrating meaningful liturgies, and offering opportunities for a wide range of prayerful experiences.

+ Lifelong Faith Formation: We are dedicated to inspiring the young and the old through lifelong education, and formation of minds and hearts.

+ Stewardship: In all aspects of our faith we share our time, talent, and treasure through stewardship.

+ Parish Social Ministry: We bring our faith to life by serving others through compassionate personal outreach and commitment to social justice.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

SATURDAY EVENING: 5:00p.m.

MISAS EN ESPAÑOL: 6:30 p.m. Saturday Cada Sábado

SUNDAY: 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

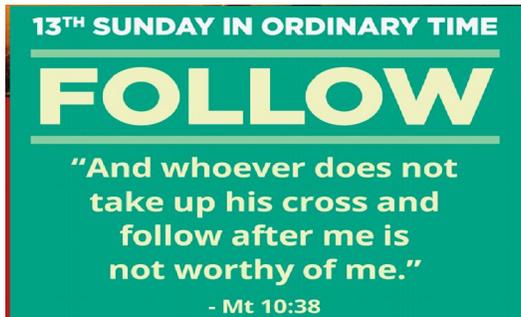
FAMILY MASS & YOUTH MASS: 9:30 a.m. - 2nd & 4th Sunday

WEEKDAYS: 7 a.m. - in St. Benedict Chapel - 9 a.m. Church

SATURDAY: 7:30 a.m. - in the St. Benedict Chapel

HOLYDAYS: As announced in the bulletin

RECONCILIATION - CONFESSIONS - Mon.: 1-1:30 p.m. & Sat. - 4 - 4:45 p.m.



Parish Directory

RECTORY OFFICE: (516) 249-0127 -

FAX: (516) 249-7131

WEBSITE: www.stkilian.com -

E-MAIL: info@stkilian.com

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

MON. - FRI. - 9:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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Mr. Geoffrey Fenwick - Mrs. Janet Liotta
Mr. Brian McKenna - Mr. David Rodenburg
Mrs. Melissa Suwalski

Pastoral Council e-mail: stkpc@stkilian.com

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Mr. Pierre Lehmuller - Trustee
Mr. Richard Merzbacher - Trustee
Mr. Victor Albanese - Deacon Frank Barone
Ms. Jill Von Hegel - Deacon William Weiss -
Mr. Stephen G. Wilson

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 Social Ministry/Outreach Conference Room (across the parking lot) 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, 1:00-1:30 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.

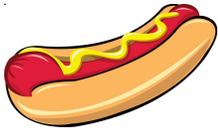
Matrimony - Marriage arrangements should be made with a deacon or priest **at least six months** before the proposed wedding date. No dates for marriage will be given over the phone.

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 Church's 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.



St. Kilian



PARISH BARBECUE

The Feast of St. Kilian is Saturday, July 8, 2017.
We will once again celebrate with a Mass and Barbecue.

Monday, July 10 - 6 p.m. Mass in St. Kilian Church.

Followed by parish Barbecue

Hamburger, Hot Dog, Soda or Water and a bag of chips

Bring your own chair or blanket.

Bring a finger dessert to share at the dessert table.

**Fr. Dennis Suglia, our new Pastoral Associate will
celebrate the Mass and join us for the barbecue.**

***Come and Join the Fun
and welcome Fr. Dennis to
St. Kilian's!!!***

**Rain or
Shine!**



**Peter's Pence
Collection
Weekend of
July 2, 2017**

This week, our diocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Through your generosity, we can cast the peace of Christ upon the world.



PLEASE NOTE: The rectory office will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, in observance of the 4th of July Holiday. There will be no Eucharistic Adoration on July 4th.



St. Kilian Faith Formation

REGISTRATION 2017-2018

Previously registered families have received registration forms in the mail.

Please return all registration forms/fees to the office by August 1, 2017.

If you have a child entering 1st grade in September 2017 or are a family new to the parish and you need to register your child/children please call the office (516 694 0633) or come to the office **Mon. – Thurs. 8am – 3:30pm** during the month of June (please bring a copy of the Baptismal Certificate for any child you are registering for the first time).

NOTE: Preparation for the sacraments of 1st Reconciliation and 1st Communion require that children complete both 1st and 2nd grade levels in faith formation.

*****Children who are home schooled must be registered in the Faith Formation Program in order to be prepared to receive sacraments with their appropriate grade level ***.**

SOCIAL MINISTRY/OUTREACH

Outreach is our parish community's 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 AND OFFICE IS OPEN MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, 10AM-2:30PM.

We are also available certain Saturdays by appointment only. Spanish translators are available Tuesdays and Fridays.

For further information please call 516-756-9656

Nina Peterson, 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.**



**Pancake Syrup
Hamburger Helper
Paper Towels**

We can also use clean plastic bags from the supermarket!

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.



CAN YOU SPARE ONE HOUR PER MONTH?

WE ALSO NEED SOMEONE TO PICK UP BREAD AT STEW LEONARD'S EVERY OTHER THURSDAY MORNING AT 10AM AND BRING IT TO OUR PANTRY. PLEASE CALL NINA IF YOU CAN HELP 😊

WE ARE REALLY TRYING TO FILL OUR PANTRY WITH FREE FOOD THAT IS AVAILABLE, BUT WE NEED HELP IN ORDER TO GET IT.....



(1) Are you available **1 Tuesday morning per month** to pick up food from our food bank and bring it back here to Outreach for us? **OR.....**(2) Are you available **2 weekdays per month** to carry heavy boxes of food from our parking lot into our pantry basement? The window of delivery is between 9am and 2pm, and we will call you when the truck arrives. Day of the week varies according to LI Cares delivery schedule, but will always be a Monday through Friday and you should have at least a weeks notice of the date.

Please call Nina if you can help - we would be so grateful!

Did you know we offer Employment Assistance (resume writing, interview coaching, job search tips)? Our Employment Counselor is here Thursdays from 11:00am to 2:30pm. If interested, call for an appointment.

NEED HEALTH INSURANCE? Fidelis Care at Outreach July 7th 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.

Thank You for Helping Us Help Others

St. Kilian Faith Formation

COME SHARE THE JOY!!!!

We are looking at our needs for the fall. We need you!!! Consider becoming a catechist!! Come join a ministry that shares faith with the students and families we serve in our faith formation program.

Share your knowledge! Share your faith! Share your joy!

We need catechists for the following grade levels, days and times:

Monday at 4:30pm ó 5:30pm Grade 1, Grade 2,

Monday at 6pm ó 7pm - Grade 1, Grade 5, Grade 6

Thursday at 4:30pm ó 5:30pm - Grade 4, Grade 6

Saturday at 9:30am ó 10:30am - Grade 3

Grade 1 meets 1x a month and is an introduction to faith, Grade 2 is preparation for 1st Reconciliation and 1st Communion, Grade 3 studies community and Church, Grade 4 studies the commandments, Beatitudes and moral life, Grade 5 studies the sacraments, Grade 6 studies the Bible.

We offer help throughout the year, catechist training, and catechist meetings to support your efforts.

All catechists MUST be VIRTUS trained, have a background check and sign a code of conduct.

Call the office at 516 694 0633 or email stkilianre@gmail.com to begin the process of joining the ministry that touches the future!



BULLETIN DEADLINE: The deadline for submissions to the weekly bulletin is the previous Tuesday morning. Your announcement may be emailed to eileend@stkilian.com

or dropped off in the rectory, but it must be received before noon on Tuesday to be included in the next bulletin. **Please note due to the Tuesday, July 4th holiday the deadline for the July 9th Bulletin will be Monday, July 3rd.**

The bulletin is published each week on our **web site at www.stkilian.com**. You may also email any questions or requests to the rectory office at info@stkilian.com.



Collection Envelopes

It helps our counters to keep an accurate account of your donations if you write the amount of your donation on the space provided on the front of your envelope. Also, please do not tape your envelope closed. ***Thank you for your generosity to St. Kilian Parish.***





SPRING FLING
PARTY
JUNE 10, 2017



—pictures courtesy of **Bernie Geary**



To be continued next week

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments

It took five years of marriage before I was ready to have that first baby. Of course, now that I have three children I cannot imagine a life without them. After twenty-five years, I cannot imagine life without my wife as well.

And I know that I am lucky. I know those who have lost children or have been widowed. They couldn't imagine life without their loved ones either.

The tough reality to digest is that we don't own those whom we love. They are all gifts from God, entrusted to each of us as good stewards. If we cling too tightly, we become like the steward who buried his talents in the ground. If we don't care enough, we become like the prodigal son who squandered his gifts on gambling and frivolous living.

But can we love our loved ones too much? I am not sure it is possible to love others too much if it is genuine love. However, if we truly love them, then we will want to lead them to the One that gave them to us in the first place: God. We do that by demonstrating that no one comes before God in our lives, not even our family.

In this world, our loved ones make living meaningful. But this world is not the end. As much as we love them here, our ultimate goal is for them to live eternally with God. May my wife and kids never think I chose them over God, so that they may choose God over all else, as well.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS
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Please feel free to contact the St. Kilian Stewardship Committee at (516)249-0127 or email: Barbarag@stkilian.com



SKY

Sunday July 2nd 6-9pm

Please join us for our **END of School/ 4th of July Party**

We will have food, ice cream, candy, and desserts. We will show a movie, play some different sports and just hang out.

All teens 6th-12th grade are welcome to come and hang out.

Hope to see you at the party!!

FAMILY MINISTRY

Leading By Example



There is no PBJ Gang for the month of July.

We will be back in August.

Please keep the homeless in your prayers and check the website for other ways to be involved over the summer:

www.stkilian.com

Enjoy a happy and safe Independence Day!

St. Kilian Week at a Glance

July 2 (Sunday)

Al-Anon - Support Group - 7:30pm - Parish Ctr.

July 3 (Monday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

Reconciliation - 1-1:30pm - Church

Eucharistic Adoration - 4-9pm - St. Benedict Chapel

Divorced & Separated - 7:30pm - Parish Ctr.

July 4 (Tuesday) - Rectory Closed

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

July 5 (Wednesday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

Bible Study - 10:30am - 12:30p.m. - Parish Ctr.

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

AA Support Meeting - 7pm - Parish Ctr.

Spanish Charismatic Renewal - 7pm - Cafeteria

Charismatic Prayer Group - 8pm - St. Benedict

Chapel

July 6 (Thursday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

Love & Lunch 10am - Parish Ctr.

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

Love & Dinner - 6pm - Parish Ctr.

July 7 (Friday)

Daily Rosary - 8:30am - Church

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

AA Spanish - 7pm Parish Ctr.

July 8 (Saturday)

Reconciliation - 4pm - 4:45pm - Church

July 9 (Sunday)

Respect Life Meeting - 10:30am - Parish Ctr. Green Room

Al-Anon - Support Group - 7:30pm - Parish Ctr.

Pray for Peace in the World

2017 Catholic Ministries Appeal

Serving God by Serving Others

St. Kilian's goal for 2017 is \$147,300.00. So far pledges total \$92,615.00 or 62.9% of goal for the 2017 Appeal. Payments received so far total \$65,610.50 Average donation is \$222.10.

Thank you for your generosity. So far 417 parishioners have contributed to the Appeal.

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's 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

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

How does your commitment to Jesus Christ affect your life? Our faith is not just a private affair but something that influences all of our relationships. Our baptism brings us into a very intimate relationship with God and makes us a brother or a sister to all of God's children. That identity we share colors how we relate to them and the level of responsibility we have to them. If we open ourselves to truly receive our God as Father and those with whom we journey as brothers and sisters, it can profoundly change and affect us. How has your baptism changed you?

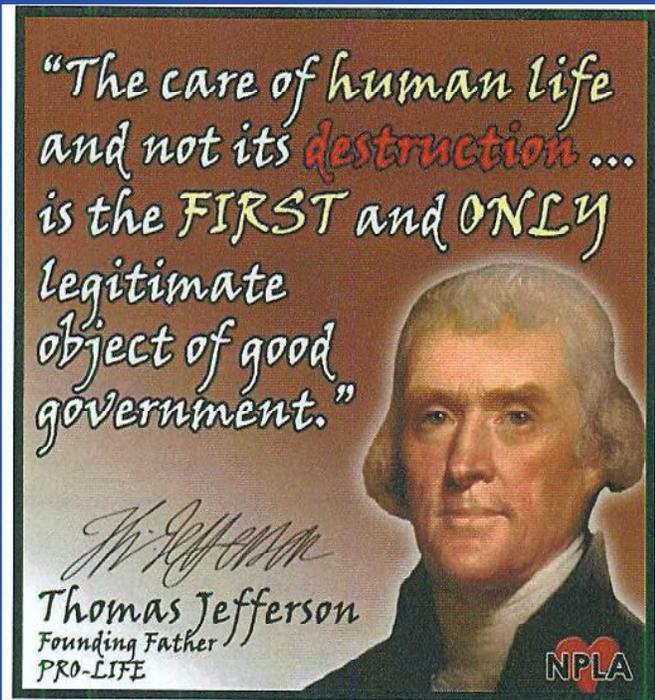
The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In today's Gospel hear Jesus tell us: "Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple- Amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward."

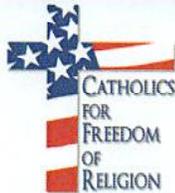
This week, know that you will be bringing hope to the poor by your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

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.

St. Kilian Respect Life



PLEASE JOIN US IN PRAYERS FOR OUR COUNTRY



**MONDAY NIGHT - JULY 3, 2017
ST BENEDICT CHAPEL - 8:00 PM**

GOD Bless AMERICA

Clothing Bin

The St. Vincent de Paul Society has placed a clothing bin in our parking lot to receive your donations of clothing. The bin is for the donations of clothing only, not for furniture or household items. Please place your donations of clothing in the bin. Your donations help recycle clothing for the poor.

Readings for the Week of July 2, 2017

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-19/
Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42
Monday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc-2/Jn 20:24-29
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3, 9-12/Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-13/Mt 8:28-34
Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-6, 8-9/Mt 9:1-8
Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-5/
Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Ps 135:1b-6/Mt 9:14-17
Next Sunday: Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

Observances for the Week of July 2, 2017

Sunday: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Thomas, Apostle
Tuesday: Independence Day
Wednesday: St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal
Thursday: St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr
Friday:
Saturday:
Next Sunday: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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ST. KILIAN RESPECT-LIFE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

7/8/17 (Sat) - 10:30-11:30AM Prayer vigil outside Planned Parenthood, 35 Carman $\&$ Road, Massapequa
7/9/17 (Sun) - 10:30 · PRO-LIFE meeting: Green Rm of St. Kilian $\&$ Church Basement.

INTERESTED IN THE RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY?

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

FOR CRISIS PREGNANCY HELP, CALL THE LIFE CENTER:

Massapequa	Hempstead	Deer Park
516-798-9100	516-408-6300	631-243-2373

The Gianna Center	631-376-3232
Regina Residence	516-223-7888
AAA Pregnancy Options	631-243-0066

FOR POST ABORTION HEALING:

The Life Center	(Numbers shown above)
Project Rachel	800-456-4673

Diocesan &
Community



PARISH REGISTRATION

St. Kilian's Class of 1972 45th Year Reunion

Plans for our upcoming reunion have been finalized and we hope to have a great turn out!

The reunion will be held at the Library Café, located @ 274 Main Street, in Farmingdale, on Saturday, August 5th, from 7:00pm ó 10:00pm. We reserved the private room upstairs.

The cost per person is \$50, which includes a buffet dinner, dessert, open bar, tax and gratuity. Please confirm that you will be joining us at your earliest convenience but no later than Friday, June 30th.

Contact Karen Upadhyay (Turner) @ ktu11111@gmail.com and/or Madalyn Romano @ falomo3@hotmail.com for details on how to pay, additional info and/or to update your e-mail so you can be included in our reunion updates. Please spread the word to classmates you are in contact with...if you know someone who graduated in 72, please pass this notice on to them. Thank you and we are looking forward to seeing everyone on August 5th! Karen and Madalyn!

Dominican Commercial High School

Class of 1967 is having their High School 50th Reunion at the Milleridge Inn, 585 N. Broadway, Jericho, NY on Saturday, September 16, 2017 from 12 Noon to 3PM. For more information please contact 516-318-6945.

St. John the Baptist Diocesan High School

is offering a Prep Course to prepare students for the Catholic High School Entrance Exam. We will run five 2 1/2 hour sessions beginning in September. This year we are also offering a Test Taking Strategies Class the Friday evening before the exam. For additional information please visit www.stjohnthebaptistdhs.net or call 631-587-8000 ext. 117.

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

Third Tuesday of each month - 7pm. Info: Michael Coffey at 917-589-7146.

õGo out to all the world and tell the good news!õ
Joining a Catholic parish like St. Kilianõ, means participating in the work of the local church.

Where is the Lord calling me, inspired by the Spirit given to me in baptism, to build the kingdom of God? Is the Lord calling me to minister in the parish outreach efforts of St. Kilian? Feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, giving drink to the thirsty-staffing the food pantry, driving folks to doctorõ appointments, assisting immigrants in their adjustment to society in a new land, advising and giving counsel.... Or is the Lord calling me to hand on the faith in the parish religious education programs? Am I called to prepare young people for their first holy Communion or the sacrament of reconciliation (confession) with the sacrament of confirmation? Do I hear the Lord calling my name to bring holy Communion to the sick or to assist in the distribution of the Eucharist at Sunday and weekday masses... Or proclaiming the word of God as a lector... Or assisting in the taking up of the offertory collection to assist the work of the church as an usher? Is the Lord urging me to use my voice to proclaim Godõ praises as a leader of song or a member of one of the parish choirs? Do I feel that I have been given gifts to console the grieving, comfort the bereaved as a minister of consolation? Am I being called to assist engaged couples in their journey toward the sacrament of matrimony? Have I been called to give witness to the importance of the sacrament of baptism in our parish preparation programs to young couples with newborn babies?

President John F. Kennedy famously asked our nation:
õAsk not what your country can do for you, but what you can do for your country.õ As baptized Catholics, we register in the parish to become fully engaged in the work of the local church. We do not register to get something for ourselves, but to give ourselves away in love for Christ and Godõ people.

The Catholic Church, St. Kilian Church has doors open to all. We receive our sacraments here; participate at mass, and live the gospel. St. Kilianõ is our parish. It is our home. It will be as warm and wonderful, as caring and understanding, as welcoming and invitational, as you and I are.

Register for a ministry! Be a good steward; a caretaker of all that Christ has entrusted to you. Ministry is not an option, but a responsibility. All baptized believers, by virtue of our baptism are to spend our lives proclaiming the love of Christ by our words and actions. How will the Lord use you as his instrument?

Come to the Eucharist weekly. By our participation at mass, the high point of our week and of our lives, we are energized by the power of God; and in our sharing in the Body and Blood of Christ, we are transformed to live as Christ lived.

Register by calling the rectory at (516)249-0127 or go to www.stkilian.com to register on-line.

SPANISH MINISTRY

2 DE JULIO DE 2017

13^{er} Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

El 19 de junio de 2016, antes del rezo del Ángelus el Papa Francisco invitó a sus oyentes a reflexionar en la siguiente pregunta, ¿Quién es Jesús para cada uno de nosotros? Refiriéndose a la oportunidad de reflexionar en el cómo cargamos la cruz de cada día en nuestra vida dijo: Si alguno quiere venir en pos de mí, que nieguese a sí mismo, tome su cruz cada día y sígame. No se trata de una cruz ornamental, o de una cruz ideológica, sino que es la cruz del propio deber, la cruz del sacrificarse por los demás con amor o por los padres, los hijos, la familia, los amigos, también por los enemigos, la cruz de la disponibilidad para ser solidarios con los pobres, para comprometerse por la justicia y la paz.

Además, agregó el papa, Asumiendo esta actitud, estas cruces, siempre se pierde algo. No debemos olvidar jamás que quien perderá la propia vida [por Cristo], la salvará. Es un perder para ganar. Y recordamos a todos nuestros hermanos que aún hoy ponen en práctica estas palabras de Jesús, ofreciendo su tiempo, su trabajo, su propia fatiga y hasta su vida para no renegar de su fe en Cristo. La reflexión del Papa Francisco está basada en el Evangelio de este domingo (Mt 10, 37-42). ¿Qué pensamos sobre estas palabras del papa? ¿Cómo las podemos aplicar a nuestra vida? ¿Cuáles son las cruces de este 2017? San Pablo también lo explica así: "Si hemos muerto con Cristo, estamos seguros de que también viviremos con él" (Rom 6, 8). Mensaje: ¡La cruz es vida! ¿Lo crees así?



La semana antes de la Colecta

La próxima semana, nuestra diócesis llevará a cabo la Colecta Peter Pence, la cual le proporciona al Santo Padre los fondos que necesita para realizar sus más importantes labores

caritativas. Lo recaudado en la Colecta beneficia a los más necesitados: a las víctimas de guerra, de opresión y de desastres naturales. Por medio de su generosidad, estaremos esparciendo la paz de Cristo por el mundo.



Celebremos Los Sacramentos

LA SANTA MISA:

Todos los Sábados a las 6:30PM.

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.