CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Cover is in separate file. This is the font for the cover (Times New Roman)

Pastoral Staff

Priests and Deacons

Rev. Kenneth M. Zach - Pastor

Rev. Rudy Pesongco - Associate Pastor

Rev. Jerry Cestare - Associate Pastor

Deacon Thomas O'Connor Deacon John C. Newhall

Rev. Msgr. Thomas Spadaro - Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Msgr. Gerard Ringenback - Pastor Emeritus

Pastoral Minister of Faith Formation

Sister Ellen Zak, C.S.F.N.

Pastoral Minister for Parish Social Ministry

Deacon John C. Newhall

Parish Business Manager

Annemarie Camporeale

Contact Information

Parish Office

(631) 588-7689 or 588-7651

(631) 588-7603 (fax)

Faith Formation Office

(631) 981-3889

Parish Social Ministry Office

(631) 585-4544

Church Website

www.goodshepherdRCchurch.org

Church Email

goodshepherdstaf@aol.com



Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

9:00am - 3:00pm 9:00am - 3:00pm

Friday Saturday

10:00am - 1:00pm

Sunday Summer Hours* varies

Sacramental Life

Weekend Masses

Sunday Evening 5:00 PM 7:00 AM, 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon & 5 PM

12.00 NOOH & 3 FW

Holy Day Masses

Evening before Holy Day 7:00 PM Holy Day 9:00 AM, 12:00 Noon & 5:00 PM

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday 9:00 AM Saturday Morning 9:00 AM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Tuesday from 12Noon - 1:00pm

Baptisms

Baptisms are celebrated twice a month on Sundays at 2:00 PM by reservation only. Please contact the parish office at least 2 months prior to desired date to make arrangements for this sacrament.

Marriages

Please contact the parish office nine months to a year in advance of your wedding.

Anointing of the Sick

Anyone who is seriously ill, elderly, or facing an operation should be anointed with the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Contact the parish office.

Communion for the Homebound

Anyone who cannot attend Mass due to illness or age may receive Communion at home. Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

Rite of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM, or by appointment.

Interested in becoming a Catholic or completing your Sacraments?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process by which adults are brought into the Catholic Church. If you have never been baptized, confirmed, or received First Holy Communion, or if you are a member of another Christian Church and wish to become a member of the Catholic Church, please contact the parish office.

Pray the Rosary

Please join us in the Church Monday through Saturday @ 8:30am. We will pray the Rosary aloud asking for the intercession of the Blessed Mother for the health and safety of our families, our parish community, and for peace in our troubled world!

FATHER KEN'S CORNER



Dear Brothers and Sisters of the Parish of the Good Shepherd,

In its history, the Catholic Church has always known the joy of expansion; bringing the Gospel of Jesus Christ to every corner of the earth. Except for the period known as the "Protestant Reformation", when various individuals formed communities which broke away from Rome, and divisions separated the Catholic Church from other Christian denominations, missionary priests and sisters have been send from their homeland to present the Good News of the Gospel in foreign countries. Our own United States of America benefited from such an infusion of immigrants and religious orders of priests and nuns.

Today, as you probably know, membership in the Catholic church is contracting. The 2008 Pew Research study has shown that *one in ten adults in the United States is a former catholic*. Some have moved on to other Christian denominations, some have no church affiliation at all, and others have formed their own communities of prayer.

This column cannot go into all the reasons this process is happening (yet I'm open to discussion), but rather this is a continuing alarm being raised to remind you that this skid is steeper than you might imagine. CARA, the Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate (affiliated with Georgetown University), has undertaken the ongoing mission of publishing statistics on major trends in the Catholic world.

Consider the following. In 1965, the high point in the number of Catholic clergy in the United States, was measured at 59,426 priests (both diocesan and religious orders). That number dropped to a staggering 34,344 in 2022. In 1965, those priests *active in ministry* was 95%. Today, priests *active in ministry* is down to 66%. The others, *not active*, are mostly retired or too ill to serve. That means that today, only 15,912 priests are actively engaged in serving the Catholics of this country – and each year the number is going down. The percentages among religious sisters and brothers are even more staggering. Religious sisters in 1965 – 178,740; in 2022 – 36,321. Religious Brothers in 1965 – 12,096; in 2022 – 3,516. We have a perfect example of this trend right here on Long Island. This year, the Diocese of Rockville Centre ordained just one priest, our own Father Steven McClernon. I can think the names of almost a dozen priests who have passed away or retired in the past year. 12 to 1 are not very good odds for continuing service to the Catholics of our diocese. Imagine the dire distress our church would be in without the large numbers of international priests who have come here to augment our numbers and to help minister to you.

All around the world life is changing and not necessarily for the better. What these numbers mean for us as Catholics on Long Island is already being experienced by Catholic parishes around the country. There are areas in upstate New York where 'priestless' parishes are the norm with a priest traveling a circuit care for three or four Catholic communities. It is the same throughout the Midwest and South. What they have experienced as the norm for a number of years, we will soon be forced to acknowledge right here – and it won't be pretty.

We know that vocations to the priesthood are formed in families who are active in practicing their faith – weekly Sunday Mass, frequent celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, family prayer. On Tuesday October 24th, parishes around the Diocese will be praying specifically for vocations to the priesthood. Our parish of the Good Shepherd will also participate in a time of adoration before the Blessed Sacrament – at our usual time from noon to 1pm.

The average age for priests in our diocese in somewhere in the middle 60's. I myself will turn 68 later this month and assuming good health, I will continue to serve at least until age 75. Yet even if I am able to go beyond the usual retirement age, there are very few in the seminary being trained to step in. Please make that extra effort to be present on October 24th to pray that some 'miracle of desire' may occur in the hearts of those Jesus is always calling to serve his people.

Offerings



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday	October 7th
5:00 pm	Jeff Nohowec
Sunday	October 8th
7:00 am	Mary Lynaugh
8:30 am	Bruce Pollett
10:00am	Mass Guild
12:00 pm	People of Good Shepherd
5:00 pm	Theresa DeSanno
Monday	October 9th
9:00 am	Donald Bunora
Tuesday	October 10th
9:00 am	Ronald Mincio
Wednesday	October 11th
9:00 am	Ronald Mincio
Tl 1	O-4-1 1241-

October 12th **Thursday** 9:00 am Ronald Mincio Friday October 13th 9:00 am Keith Gates Saturday October 14th 9:00 am Ronald Mincio 5:00 pm Nicholas Puzio

Sunday October 15th 7:00 am Michael Weber 8:30 am People of Good Shepherd

10:00 am Mass Guild Rosetta Miranda 12:00 pm 5:00 pm Frank Rossi

Mass Guild Members

October 8, 2023

In Memory of:

Victoria Versoza Helen Georgecink Michael Frustaci Alexis Lamb William Perkins

Frank Sokolowski

Paul Sokolowski **Dottie Priest** Matteo Scaffa Nenita Morada Carmelita Calbitaza *Intentions of the Living: In Thanksgiving Jane & Phil Mears*

Gifts of Bread & Wine

The Gifts of Bread & Wine are donated...



In Loving Memory of: Ronald Mincio

Donated by: Loving Family & Friends

Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp, which burns near the Tabernacle in the Church, is the reminder of the Lord's Presence in the Most Holy Eucharist.



In Loving Memory of: Eloina Ramos-Ramos

Donated by:

Christine Burns

Repairs on the driveway near Coates Avenue has started. Funds we received from the 300 Club is helping fund this project. Thank you for your support and cooperation.

God Speaks...

Called to be Church

Ordinary People Connecting Life & Faith

Twenty-eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time October 15, 2023 Matthew 22:1-14

"Come to the feast."

- 1. What is your initial response to an invitation?
- 2. Jesus envisions heaven as a banquet. What are your family meals like? Are they a sign of love and community? How could you make them that way?

OUR PARISH VISION STATEMENT

Welcoming All...Awakening Faith... Serving Others...

OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the disciples of Jesus Christ who Worship at Good Shepherd, accept the privilege and responsibility of supporting one another in love and service, of giving witness to the Good News of salvation, thus enabling others to experience the loving presence of Our Risen Lord...

Important DRVC Information

Information regarding a new deadline to file proofs of claim for victims of sexual abuse who were over 18 or older when the alleged conduct occurred and the forms to use, can be found by clicking on the following link to the Diocese's bankruptcy website and scrolling down the page: https://dm.epiq11.com/drvc

Good News!

October 15, 2023

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A) Isaiah 25:6-10a / Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20 / Matthew 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Confronted by a social obligation I would prefer to avoid, I frequently find myself musing that the timing is right for me to break a leg or get the flu. Yet more often than not, once I go, I find myself enjoying the gathering. Not all invitations are

exciting or even desirable, but many become the

building blocks of our lives.

When the parable of Jesus tells of an invitation to come to a wedding feast, it's really a story of our invitation to the kingdom of heaven, where, if we accept, we will dwell in the divine presence and enjoy the peace, joy, and love of God. Heaven is not only where we are but also how we are. It's an invitation to deeper and richer life—a taste of heaven, even in this life.

So it's good to consider going where we'd rather not go. It's not simply about social gatherings, though a social gathering may be the event where you meet the person you fall in love with. It also may mean going for counseling when that may be a bit scary, or confronting one's addiction, or moving to a new city, or accepting serious and lifelong illness, or saying yes to having a child with special needs, or not getting the job you hoped for. Saying yes to what life brings may be the wedding garment that enriches our lives. It may be saying yes to God. •

© 2023 Liguori Publications, Liguori, MO 63057-9999. Printed in U.S.A. Imprimatur: "In accordance with c. 827, permission to publish has been granted on November 14, 2022, by the Most Reverend Mark S. Rivituso, Auxiliary Bishop, Archdiocese of St. Louis. Permission to publish is an indication that nothing contrary to Church teaching is contained in this work. It does not imply any endorsement of the opinions expressed in the publication; nor is any liability assumed by this permission." No part of this work may be used in any form without the prior written permission of Liguori Publications. Scripture texts in this work are taken from the New American Bible, revised edition © 2010, 1991, 1986, 1970 Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, Inc., Washington, DC. All Rights Reserved. To order Liguori Sunday Bulletins, call 800-325-9521.

Parish Events

Readings and Saints of the Week

Monday, 10/9 Jon 1:1—-2:2, 11 Lk 10:25-37 St. Denis, Bishop & Companions, St. John Leonardi, priest

Tuesday, 10/10 Jon 3:1-10 Lk 10:38-42

St. Francis Borgia

Wednesday, 10/11 Jon 4:1-11 Lk 11: 1-4 St. John XXIII

Thursday, 10/12 Mal 3:13-20b Lk 11: 5-13

Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos

Friday, 10/13 Jl 1:13-15, 2:1-2 Lk 11: 15-26

Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher

Saturday, 10/14 Jl 4:12-21 Lk 11:27-28

Blessed Carlo Acutis

Sunday, 10/15 Is 25:6-10a, Phil 4:12-14, 19-20 Mt 22:1-14 Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Teresa of Avila)

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY OCTOBER 8th

Altar Servers to speak at all Masses

1:45 pm C/Baptism

MONDAY **OCTOBER 9th** Columbus Day - Holiday, Offices Closed

TUESDAY OCTOBER 10th

9:30 am FH/Seniors C/Adoration 12:00 pm

6:30 pm C/ Parent Orientation

7:00 pm L/RCIA

WEDNESDAY **OCTOBER 11th**

L/Faith Formation 4:30 pm 7:30 pm C/Folk Group THURSDAY OCTOBER 12th

10:00 am L/Friendship Ministry

5:00 pm C/Wedding Rehearsal

C/Junior Choir 6:00 pm C/ Choir 7:00 pm

7:00 pm FH/The Chosen **FRIDAY OCTOBER 13th**

3:00 pm C/Wedding

K of C Chapter Meeting 7:00 pm

SATURDAY OCTOBER 14th

8:30 am PB & J

L/Faith Formation 9:30 am 11:00 am-6:00 pm C/FH Men's Group OCTOBER 15th

SUNDAY 1:45 pm C/Baptism

Junior Choir

All boys and girls in 3rd grade and above are invited to join our Junior Choir!

No auditions necessary!

Our first practice will be Thursday, October 12th at 6:00pm in the church.

All those interested: please leave parent's name & phone number and child's name & age/grade at the Church Office.



E-Giving Program

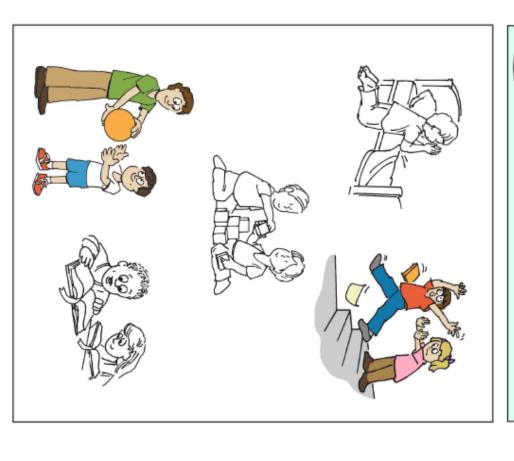
Please visit our website and click the link on the bottom of the homepage to sign up for E-Giving.



Children's Page

Jesus said that the kingdom of God

Circle) the children doing things that please God.



will be given to those who please God.

Ages 3+

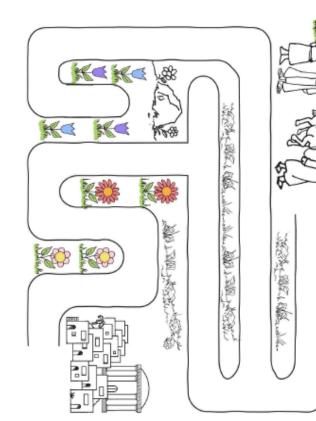
October 8, 2023 • Matthew 21:33-46

The Parable of the Tenants



A landowner left his vineyard

in the care of servants. Help the landowner go on his journey.





© 2023 CRT+ PO Box 9290, Carton, OH 44711 • www.ChildrensBulletins.com





November 12th Strict Deadline

<u>Act Now</u> Don't Miss Out!

Wreath & Grave Blanket Sale





Christmas Wreaths \$25.00

Grave Blankets \$50.00

Please support our annual wreath & grave blanket sale. Same size & quality you have come to expect.

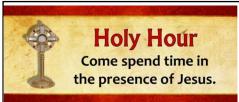
Order availability now thru November 12th, after all masses.

Pick up will be December 9th & 10th.

Questions? Call George @ 516-457-4387 or speak with us after any mass.

Wreath & Grave Blanket Sale - Good Shepherd K of C				
Print Name:	Phone:			
Include name, phone, # of items reques Make checks payable to 'Good Shephe				

Eucharistic Adoration & Exposition



Adorers, you have been faithfully making your private Holy Hour before the Blessed Sacrament. You have experienced His love, His silent understanding, His mercy, and you have felt blessed. You are encouraged to convey this life-enriching experience with the members of your family, with

your friends and acquaintances. Ask them to fill in for you when you cannot keep your hour of adoration. Invite them to have their own special hour once a week. Better yet, join us every Tuesday at noon for Eucharistic Adoration and Exposition. Be sure to invite a friend!



Synod called by Pope Francis opened October 4, 2023 in Rome - Important time for all Catholics

From October 4 to 29, nearly 400 synod participants, with the United States being one of the largest contingents, will gather in Rome for a meeting. This meeting will consider many sensitive issues in church life – the role of women, LGBTQ Catholics, clergy sex abuse and more. For the first time in history, the synod of Bishops will include lay men and women as full voting members.

Pope Francis said that "during the meeting delegates would speak "freely" for several minutes, followed by a pause for reflection, followed by prayer. Without this prayer, it's politics. Don't forget the protagonist is the **Holy Spirit.**"

Understanding the importance of this Synod, like Vatican II before it and the changes that came from it, what is your hope for the outcome of these meetings for the church?

If you would like to share your personal response with the parish in a future bulletin, please fill out the section below and drop it in the box in front of the main office. All submissions will remain anonymous. You can also email goodshepherdstaf@aol.com with your response.

Understanding the importance of this Synod, like Vatican II before it and the changes that came from it, what is your hope for the outcome of these meetings for the church?					

Lazarus & All Souls Remembrance Mass

On Saturday, November 4, at 12pm a Mass will be celebrated for all members of our parish family who have died this year and had their funeral or memorial Mass at Good Shepherd. It is also a time to join in prayerful remembrance of all our loved ones who have gone before us to the heart of God.



If you would like to have family members or friends, that have died this past year and were not buried from Good Shepherd, remembered at this Mass, please call the main office at 631 588-7689 by October 29 to have their name included.

For families and friends who are not able to come to the Mass in person, it will be streamed on that day and can be seen by going to the Good Shepherd website at -goodshepherdrechurch.org.

All Souls Day Remembrance Novena envelopes will be placed on the altar at the Lazarus Mass and will be prayed for during the following nine days.

Respect Life

October is Respect Life Month

Every October the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month. As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning to the end of their lives, and at every point in between. During the month of October, the Church asks us to reflect more deeply on the dignity of every human life. This year the theme is "Radical Solidarity", as the Church reminds us that it is each of our responsibilities to provide support and assistance to make it possible for a woman to choose life for her unborn child. We must each become informed



a woman to choose life for her unborn child. We must each become informed of how to help someone in need. We aim to make the Church a place that mothers and fathers can run to in times of need. With this in mind, the bulletin will contain resources for anyone facing a crisis pregnancy. Additionally, each week will highlight Pro-Life answers to difficult questions. Please join us in educating ourselves and not hesitating to speak up on behalf of the 2,500 innocent lives lost to abortion each day, as well as extending the hands of Jesus to women in need.

Pro-Life Resources

Pregnancy Help Centers- help available 24 hours a day, provide material assistance, ongoing emotional support, education and referrals. Also offer Abortion Reversal Pill.

Women First 631-243-0066 Soundview 888-709-3227

POST-ABORTION HEALING

Support After Abortion Hotline 844-289-4673 (HOPE); supportafterabortion.com

Project Rachel- 1(888) 456-HOPE (4673), projectrachel@drvc.org

All information is kept confidential.

Parish Social Ministry

Our office is reaching out to you or anyone you know in our area that is in need of assistance for food, temporary financial help, counseling, advice or referrals or is sick, home bound, lonely and hurting. If in need of our services, please call our office at 585-4544. All information taken is treated privately and confidentially except where disclosure is made at your request or with your permission.

Food Pantry

Please call 585-4544 and leave a message if you need assistance.

Senior Group

We celebrate birthdays this month for Dottie P. 10/1, Ann D. 10/5, Helen M. 10/8, Karen M. 10/12, Gladys M. 10/12, Cora S. 10/14, Ellen D. 10/21, Dorothy G. 10/26 and Florence M. 10/29. Birthday blessings to all.

If you are 55 years of age, or older, come join us on Tuesday mornings after the 9am mass in Fellowship Hall. We are men and women who help support each other and the parish through many social activities.

Friendship Ministry

Friendship Ministry is a group that meets every Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until noon in Fellowship Hall. If crocheting or knitting is not your thing, just come and socialize with us; we would love to have the chance to meet you.

Peanut Butter & Jelly Gang

The **Peanut Butter & Jelly Gang** whose mission is to serve those in need and provide an opportunity for others to serve will meet on **Saturday, October 14**th from 8:30 to 9:30 in the Fellowship Hall. At our last meeting, with the help of our volunteers, we were able to make 170 sandwiches and 50 wash-up kits.

Thank you!

In addition to your time, we need jars of <u>creamy</u> peanut butter (Jiff is easy to spread) and jars of jelly. We need <u>sample</u> size soap, shampoo and wash cloths for our wash-up kits.

These items can be dropped off in the library of the church; please label them- "For PB&J Gang." **DO NOT drop off bread.** When you come to volunteer, if you are able to, please bring any of the above mentioned supplies and/or 1 loaf of white or whole wheat bread.

If needed, 1 hour of community service will be given to those who attend. Our sandwiches and wash-up kits will be brought to Lighthouse Mission located at 1543 Montauk Hwy, Bellport, NY 11713.

Please support the PB&J Gang with your time and needed supplies.

Parishes Praying for Priests

+ United in Adoration + 2023-2024

Prayer for Priests on Tuesdays October 24 & April 16 2024



Parishes of the Rockville Centre Diocese are answering Our Lady's Call to pray for our shepherds. All are invited to pray for our priests by name at a parish and also to help us spread this ministry.

Adoration Open Hours at these Parishes

Curé of Ars, Merrick Good Shepherd, Holbrook Holy Familly, Hicksville: Adoration Chapel, Parish Center Holy Name of Jesus, Woodbury Infant Jesus, Port Jefferson: St. Charles Chapel Maria Regina, Seaford: Maria Regina Chapel Our Holy Redeemer, Freeport	4 - 9pm 12- 1pm 6 - 8 pm 6 - 10 pm 2 - 4 pm 7 - 9 pm 4 - 8 pm 6 - 9 pm	St. Barnabas the Apostle, Bellmore St. Brigid, Westbury St. Christopher, Baldwin St. Frances de Chantal, Wantagh St. Isidore, Riverhead St. Joachim, Cedarhurst St. John Nepomucene, Bohemia St. John the Evangelist, Center Moriches St. Mary of the Isle, Long Beach St. Peter of Alcantara,	5 - 7 pm 1 - 5 pm 6 - 10 pm 12 - 2 pm 6 - 8 pm 3 - 5 pm 4 - 8 pm 5 - 9 pm 6 - 9 pm 6 - 9 pm
Our Lady of Mercy, Hicksville Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lindenhurst Our Lady Queen of Martyrs.	6 - 10 pm	Port Washington St. Rocco, Glen Cove St. Rosalie, Hampton Bays	7 - 9 pm 6 - 8 pm
Centerport St. Agnes Cathedral, RVC: Holy Cross Chapel	5 - 9 pm	St. Rose of Lima, Massapequa: Father Graham Chapel St. Thérèse of Lisieux, Montauk	5 - 9 pm 5 - 7 pm
St. Aidan, Williston Park St. Anthony, Oceanside: Tabor Chapel	2 - 4 pm 7 - 9 pm	St. Thomas the Apostle, West Hempstead	4 - 7 pm

Catholic Men's Retreat

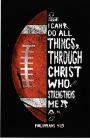
Catholic Men's Retreat

"FOUR QUARTERS TO AUTHENTIC CATHOLIC MASCULINITY"

Featuring Keynote Speakers

Mark Houck and Dan Duddy







Catholic Men and Young Men (age 13+) join us for this inspiring and motivating day of Faith, Fellowship and Fraternity. All Men - Married, Single, Religious, Fathers and Sons are encouraged to attend.

Admission: FREE

When: Saturday, October 14, 2023 - 12 pm to 6 pm

Where: Church of the Good Shepherd

1370 Grundy Avenue, Holbrook, NY 11741

Please call Good Shepherd Parish Office at (631) 588-7689 to confirm attendance.

Schedule:

11:30 am - Doors open / Check-in

12:00 pm - Holy Rosary - Joyful Mysteries

12:15 pm - 1st Quarter - "Breaking The Huddle"

1:00 pm - 10 Minute Break

1:10 pm - 2nd Quarter - "Finding Your Identity"

1:55 pm - 10 Minute Break

2:05 pm - 3rd Quarter - "Making Adjustments and Implementing Change"

2:50 pm - 10 Minute Break

3:05 pm - 4th Quarter - "Finishing Faithful"

3:50 pm - Final Words / St. Michael's Prayer

4:00 pm - Exposition / Reconciliation / Divine Mercy Chaplet

4:45 pm - 15 minute Break 5:00 pm - Holy Mass

I will be attending the Catholic Men's Retreat on Saturday, October 14th at Good Shepherd Church

nme:	-
none Number:	
rish:	_
ımber attending:	

We Pray...Celebrate...Remember...

Pray for the Sick

Baby Lucas Alexander Tyson
Baby Mila Tyson
Baby Mila Tyson
Baby Charlotte Cordell
Baby Easton Clark
Baby Serafina Marie
Babies Madison & Sophia Schreiber
Anthony
Brooke
Janine
Sybil
Kathy Alegre & Family
Amanda Algiere
Caroline Antonicelli
Arturo Bautista
Joseph Benevento
"BEVERLY" Scott's mom..
Dorothy Clifford
Laurie Cohen
Javier Dahl
Jeffrey DelGiorno, Sr.
Dölores
Diana E.
Gary Feres
Kathy Stephens-Fusaro
NYPD, Kenny Gellineau
Tommy Glackin
Damaso Larrondo
Geraldine Halderman
Susan Hellstrom
Ibis Hernandez
Anita Heuskin
Bob Hustick
Gene lantuono
Wayne & Nancy Johnson

Mark Kutch
Christopher Leahy
Anthony Maisano
Joe Mallon
Joseph Mandaro
Herman Mantos
Nicholas Maucelli
Daniel & Paula McGlynn
Thomas Mistretta, Jr.
Luis & Miriam Nadel
Mary Ann Nicholas
David Pacheco
Henry Podufaly
Rocco Porrino
Bill & Mary Rabon
Lorraine Rajkowski
Francine Richetti
Claire Roberti
Eva Roque
Susan Rothaug
Mary Rosa
Sue Rossie
Rose
Patrick S.
Marilyn Sint
Edward Smith
Sal Spezio
Thomas Swoboda
Phyllis Tagg
Laurie Tiller
Michael Tiller
Rose Valentino
Agnes Van Winkel
Junior Verrilli
Jimmy Vise
Samantha Wixom

Please call the Main Office at 631-588-7689 if you would like to place a loved one on our sick list.

Names will be placed on the sick list for a period of 3 months. Once removed from the sick list, their names are placed in our Prayer Book and they will continue to be prayed for.

Pray for Our Military

Sgt Christopher DiSanto USAF
Pvt. Dylan Gianlanella, US Army
Major Thomas J. Burke, USMC
Capt Christine M. Cahill, US Army
MAI, Mark Novellano, US Navy
Daniel Schroeder, US Army
Michael Bizzoco, US Marines
James O'Brien, USAF
Billy O'Brien, US Navy
Michael F. Bizzoco, US Navy
Frederick W. Luebke, US Navy
Sgt. Rory Allen, US Army
Capt Brian Kevin Walsh, US Army
Pvt. 1st Class Joseph Cara - Army
Pvt. 1st Class Joseph Cara - Army
VISAF Airmen 1st Class-Sean Mullins
James A Lee, Gunney Sgnt, USMC,
USS America
SSG Jeffrey Nilssen, US Army
HM1 Matthew Belmonte, US Navy
Carson Nagle - USAF
Samuel Matuszewski, US Coast Guard
Lisette Granada Marines (GSYG)
Brent Mazurkiewicz, USAF
Brian Hunter Army (GSYG)
SN Ronald Martiny
Matthew Judson Pace, USMC

PFC Thomas Hirschev, USMC

Vincent Dalessandro,E-3, US Navy A1C, Colleen M. Sweeney, USAF William F. Sweeney III, US Navy Vanessa JiJon Pvt. Kevin Arpino,US Army(GSYG) Pvt. Andrew Wright, Army (GSYG) Major Patrick Murphy, Army Pvt. Kevin Long Capt. Brian Gallagher, US Army Rocco Yannucci, USAF Gavin Alexander Samuelsen, USAF Sergeant Glenn Richards Capt. Christopher Hackett, US Army Thomas B. Cetin, US Navy Specialist Michael F. Gallina Tommy Killian, USAF Christen Wolffer, US Navy (GSYG) Austin DeRosa, 2nd LTD Army Ronald Marginy, US Navy, Seaman Eric Schreck, US Coast Guard Brian Acerno, USN



We Welcome

We welcome to our faith community those Children to be Baptized....October 2023

Lola Michalina Affe Meadow Marie Affe
Link Parker Bossone Violet Summer Bossoe
Kinsley Faith Cundari
Jack Ryan Fieseler
Antonio John Finn
Faith Elizabeth Flandina
Kaiden Jerome Hamilton
Jayce Xavier Holtz
Avery Emerson Jones
Cristian Anthony Garcia
Avery Rose Mitchell
Theodore Scott Schaefer

We Celebrate

We ask the family of Good Shepherd to pray for the following couple who will receive the Sacrament of Marriage in October & November 2023



Carlo Belfiore & Kimberly Fazio Nicholas Rakiec & Kelly Carey Adam Ciabattari & Celeste DeRosa Richard Kohler & Denise Lombardi

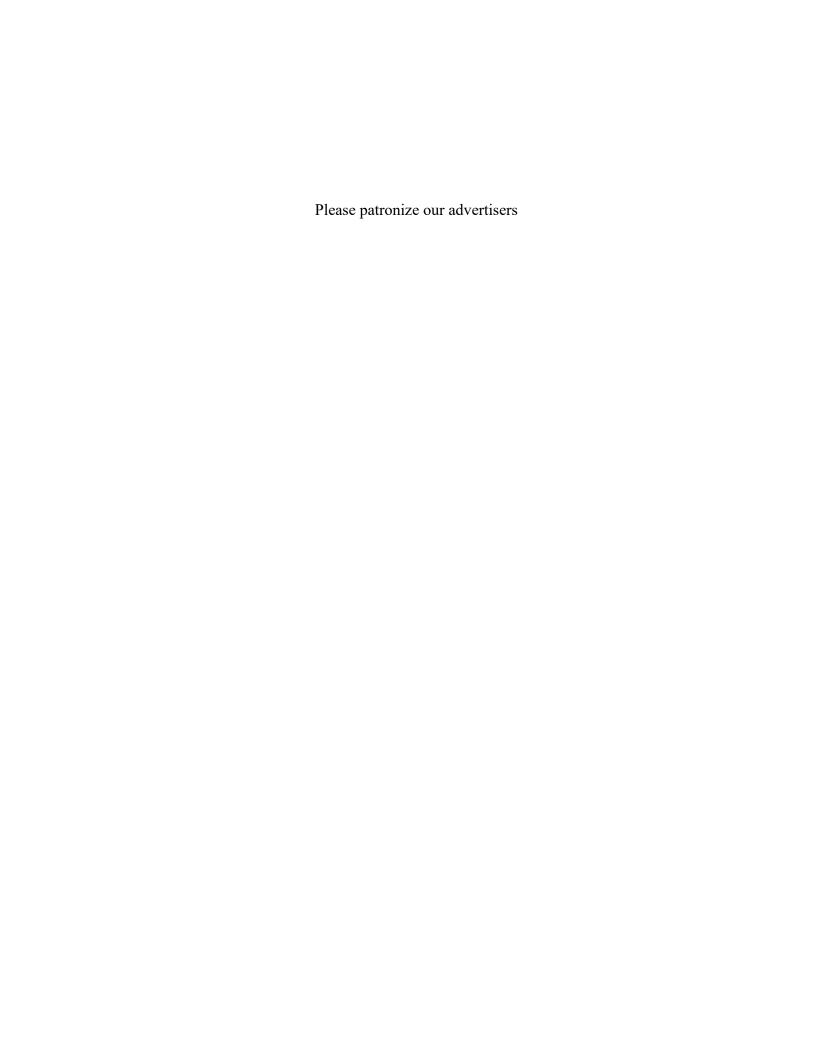
We Remember

May the good Lord bless all the faithful departed.

May their souls rest in peace.

Dr. Santiago Garcia Urmaza, Jr.

Joseph J. Politi



Pictures of Parish Events In color—Inside back cover (separate file)

