

# Masses

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:15 pm

**Sunday:**

8:00 am, (Livestreamed Multi-Intention Mass),  
10:00 am (Family Mass), 12:00 pm (Choir Mass),  
5:15 pm (Contemporary Music Mass)

**Weekday Mornings:**

7:30 am and 9:00 am (Livestreamed)

**Weeknight Mass:**

Monday, 7:30 pm (No 7:30 pm mass on civil Holidays)  
Monday Vigil before Tuesday Holy Day 4:00 pm Mass

**Saturday Mornings:**

8:00 am (Livestreamed)

**Weekly Holy Hours**

Thursday, 8:00 am

**Confessions (Reconciliation):**

Weekdays following 9:00 am mass and  
Saturdays between 4:00-5:00 pm

## Pastoral Team

**PASTOR:**

Rev. Gerard Gentleman

**ASSOCIATES**

Rev. Allan Arneaud  
Rev. Anthony Saliba

**DEACONS**

Dcn. Sean Cotter  
Dcn. Thomas Elliott  
Dcn. Michael Gambardella  
Dcn. Francis B. McGuinness

**EVANGELIZATION YOUTH AND  
YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES**

Thomas Griffin, Pastoral Associate  
Adam Grand, Pastoral Associate

**OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION**

Gracemarie Rozea, Coordinator

**MUSIC MINISTRY**

John Buckel, Director of Music

**PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY**

Ann Hedgis, Co-Coordinator  
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**PASTORAL LIFE**

Barbara Pope, Coordinator

**SCHOOL PRINCIPAL**

Brian Jensen

**SOCIAL MEDIA**

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YouTube, St.Rose R.C Church  
[www.stroseschool.net](http://www.stroseschool.net)

B U L L E T I N

# St. Rose Of Lima Catholic Church

Sunday, October 1, 2023

2 BAYVIEW AVENUE MASSAPEQUA NY 11758

516-798-4992

[www.srolchurch.org](http://www.srolchurch.org)

## Respect Life Sunday

to be courageously pro-woman,  
promoting a choice that truly  
protects, accompanies, and  
supports women and  
their children



radical  
solidarity



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**Welcome to our Faithful Parishioners and  
All Those who may be 'Just Visiting'**

*Jesus washed the feet of his apostles at the Last Supper as a sign of loving service, instructing them "as I have done this to you so must you do for one another." We as a family of faith strive to live this commandment of love in doing all that we can to welcome you as we invite you to be an active member of this community.*

***Welcome new parishioners!** If you are new to our parish, I invite you to introduce yourself to me or any of the other priests after Sunday Mass. Even though we are a large parish, we make every effort to come to know you and your family personally so that we may be better able to serve you. If you would like to register, please see the Welcome section on the homepage of our website ([www.srolchurch.org](http://www.srolchurch.org)) for details.*

*- Fr. Gerard*

**PHONE NUMBERS**

**Rectory**.....798-4992  
Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-8:00 pm;  
Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm; closed for lunch, 1-215 weekdays;  
Saturday, 9:00 am-2:00 pm; Sunday, 9:00 am-1:00 pm  
**Rectory Fax**.....795-7836  
**Parish Outreach Office**.....798-4954  
**School Office**.....541-1546  
(4704 Merrick Road, Massapequa)  
**Office of Faith Formation**.....541-1712  
Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm  
(located next to Outreach, in Convent)  
**Youth Ministry**.....798-4992  
**CYO**.....709-0260

**SACRAMENTS**

**BAPTISM:** Congratulations on the birth of your child! Baptisms are celebrated Sundays at 2:00 pm in the Church; other times may be available. Requirements: an initial interview with a priest or deacon; a Baptism preparation course; a copy of your child's birth certificate and Sponsor Certificate(s). Please go to the Baptism section of our website ([www.srolchurch.org](http://www.srolchurch.org)) under Sacraments for full details and a Fillable Form required to get started. The date for your child's baptism can be set once these requirements are met.

**RECONCILIATION:** Come and experience God's mercy. Saturdays 4:00-5:00 pm; Monday-Friday after the 9:00 am Mass or by appointment.

**MARRIAGE:** Congratulations on your engagement! To begin your journey, please go to the Marriage section of our website ([www.srolchurch.org](http://www.srolchurch.org)) under Sacraments for full details and a fillable Registration Form used to schedule an appointment with a priest or deacon. No date for a wedding will be set by phone. Couples must make arrangements in person at least six months in advance, and only after all consultations are complete. It is recommended that you set your date with the church before you contract with a caterer.

**ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

**(OCIA):** Formerly known as RCIA, the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process by which adults who are not baptized, baptized in another denomination or those who are not fully initiated, become members of the Roman Catholic Church. For information, call the rectory at 516-798-4992 or email Deacon Tommy Elliott at [tommy9.6deacon@gmail.com](mailto:tommy9.6deacon@gmail.com).

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

**Mon., 10/2 The Holy Guardian Angels**

7:30 Helen & John Wiggins

9:00 Alessandro Fazzi

7:30 Dorothy Suppa

**Tue., 10/3 Weekday**

7:30 Joseph Ferrara

9:00 For the Intention of Marianna Butler

**Wed., 10/4 St. Francis of Assisi**

7:30 Markella Xerras

9:00 Ellie & Harry Roca

**Thu., 10/5 St. Faustina Kowalska, Virgin;  
Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest**

7:30 Thomas & Ann Nevin

9:00 Brian McGovern & William McGovern

**Fri., 10/6 St. Bruno, Priest; Blessed Marie  
Rose Durocher, Virgin**

7:30 Nora Nevin

9:00 Bea Bonasera

**Sat., 10/7 Our Lady of the Rosary**

8:00 Jordan Cafarella, Jack Huggard,  
Anthony Genovese, Ruth Davanzo,  
For the Intention of Anthony Gentile,  
For the Intention of Peter Muzzonigro

**Sat., 10/7 Vigil: Twenty-Seventh Sunday in  
Ordinary Time**

5:15 Josephine Gennaro

**Sun., 10/8 Twenty-Seventh Sunday in  
Ordinary Time**

8:00 Justin Fusco, Alice & Joe DeBonis,  
Rolando & Lira Villar, Camilo & Rosario  
Villavelez, Richard Edward Thornton,  
For the Intention of Kenneth & Pamela Taylor  
10:00 Jenna Jean Tuller  
12:00 Patricia Reid  
5:15 Mass for the People





## ...from Fr. Gerard

### *Respect Life – Radical Solidarity*

In October, the Catholic Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month, and the first Sunday of October is designated as Respect Life Sunday. In lieu of my weekly column, I offer you the following article from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. This reflection calls us to shift our perspective from polarization to radical solidarity as a truly Christian response to that which violates human life and dignity.

In the Gospel of John, shortly before he is to suffer his Passion, Jesus proclaims to his disciples: “*I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another*” (Jn 13:34). And it is love for one another that Jesus says will be the identifying characteristic of his disciples.

The Church’s entire social doctrine is guided by the fundamental principle that every human life has innate dignity and incomparable value: “Every human being is the object of God’s infinite tenderness, and he himself is present in their lives.”<sup>[1]</sup> As disciples of Christ, we are called to make a sacrificial gift of ourselves for the sake of our neighbor, for “to love someone is to desire that person’s good and to take effective steps to secure it.”<sup>[2]</sup>

Fulfilling Christ’s command to love one another takes shape in our practice of solidarity. Solidarity is the means by which we put our love for others into action, making the good of others our own. Solidarity “is not a feeling of vague compassion or shallow distress at the misfortunes of so many people... On the contrary, it is a firm and persevering determination to commit oneself to the common good...to the good of all and of each individual, because we are all really responsible for all.”<sup>[3]</sup>

In reaction to the overturning of *Roe v. Wade*, some areas of the country now protect the child in the womb, while others are doing all they can to increase access to abortion. At this critical moment, we have been entrusted with new *opportunities* and new *responsibilities* to build a civilization of authentic love. Our culture claims to offer women so-called “choice,” but ultimately abandons mothers to make tragic and painful decisions alone. We must lead the way in showing the alternative: “*In firmly rejecting ‘pro-choice,’ it is necessary to become courageously ‘pro woman,’ promoting a choice that is truly in favor of women. ... The only honest stance, in these cases, is that of radical solidarity with the woman. It is not right to leave her alone.*”<sup>[4]</sup>

Experience shows that when a mother is supported, “she is even capable of heroism.”<sup>[5]</sup> Radical solidarity compels us to come alongside vulnerable mothers in profound friendship, compassion, and support for both them and their preborn children. It requires us to address the fundamental challenges that lead an expectant mother to believe she is unable to welcome the child God has entrusted to her. We must do all we can to provide mothers, children, and families with the support they need to flourish. This cannot be accomplished by laws or policy alone, but requires the continual transformation of our own hearts, recognizing in every person the face of Christ, and placing their needs before our own.

Radical solidarity “refers to something more than a few sporadic acts of generosity. It presumes the creation of a *new mindset*.”<sup>[6]</sup> A culture of radical solidarity “gets involved by word and deed in people’s daily lives... and it embraces human life, touching the suffering flesh of Christ in others.”<sup>[7]</sup> We each have our particular gifts, role, and obligation within the Body of Christ to help build a culture of life. We must honestly ask ourselves, “What radical, out-of-the-ordinary actions have I taken to help a pregnant or parenting mother in need, or to proactively contribute to a culture of life in some other way?”

Inspired by Christ’s own example of love, may we “enter fully into the fabric of society, sharing the lives of all, listening to their concerns, helping them materially and spiritually in their needs, rejoicing with those who rejoice, weeping with those who weep.”<sup>[8]</sup> May we work together to bring about a culture of life through radical, sacrificial, Christ-like love.

[1] Pope Francis, *Evangelii gaudium* (The Joy of the Gospel), no. 274.

[2] Pope Benedict XVI, *Caritas in veritate* (Charity in Truth), no. 7.

[3] Pope John Paul II, *Sollicitudo rei socialis* (On Social Concern), no. 38.

[4] Pope John Paul II, *Crossing the Threshold of Hope*, p. 207.

[5] Pope John Paul II, *Crossing the Threshold of Hope*, p. 207.

[6] Pope Francis, *Evangelii gaudium* (The Joy of the Gospel), no. 188.

[7] Pope Francis, *Evangelii gaudium* (The Joy of the Gospel), no. 24.

[8] Pope Francis, *Evangelii gaudium* (The Joy of the Gospel), no. 269.







### **REMEMBERING LOVED ONES**

*The Bread and Wine consecrated for the weekend masses was donated in loving memory of John Duke Curran on his 15th Anniversary in Heaven, with love from Susan and Patrick.*

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*The Bread and Wine consecrated for the weekday masses was donated in loving memory of Ted Radomski on his 15th Anniversary in Heaven, with love from Gayle, children and grandchildren.*

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*The Altar Candles are lit this week in loving memory of Col. Philip A. Bossert, Jr. on his 10th Anniversary in Heaven, with love from his mother, Virginia, and Alison, Caroline and David.*



### ***Welcome to the Newly-Baptized***



*Clara Joan Curnutte  
Erin Kate Doherty  
Liam James Iafrate  
Dominic Roman Valentino  
Alexander Christopher Van Wickler  
Valerie Sofia Vice*



### ***Wedding Banns***

#### **1st Time**

***Gregory Ciavarella, Sacred Heart, Merrick, NY &  
Micaela Sanger, St. Rose of Lima***

#### **2nd Time**

***Peter DeMieri, St. Martin of Tours, Bethpage, NY &  
Louise Pinto, St. Rose of Lima***

### ***Please Pray for the Souls of the Recently Deceased***

*Jeanne Burns*



### ***In Your Prayers, Remember the Sick...***

*Aiden Smith*



## Here's What's Happening at St. Rose

**AA** - Thursdays at 7:30 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Meeting Room

**Al-Anon** - Wednesdays at 1:00 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Meeting Room

**Anointing Mass** - Saturday, October 7 at 8:00 am

**Centering Prayer** - Thursday, October 5 at 1:00 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Chapel

**Charismatic Prayer** - Wednesdays at 3:30 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Meeting Room

**Family Mass Committee** - Wednesday, October 11 at 8:00 pm in the Rectory Board Room

**1st Saturday Devotion** - Saturday, October 7 at 7:15 am. It will be livestreamed.

**Respect Life Committee** - Tuesday, October 3 at 7:30 pm in the Rectory Board Room

**Rosary Society** - Tuesday, October 3 at 7:30 pm in the Rectory Meeting Room



9/24/23

\$ 16,006.00

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## respect life month

OCTOBER 2023



Every October, Catholic dioceses all across the country celebrate Respect Life Month. We consider more deeply why every human life is valuable and reflect on how to build a culture that protects life from conception to natural death.

Following is a list of events that the St. Rose of Lima Respect Life Committee will be participating in this month to raise awareness for the sanctity of life. Please plan to join us for one or more of these activities:

- **The Fall 40 Days for Life campaign** is scheduled to run from September 27 through November 5. The RL Committee will meet Wednesday and Friday mornings at 11:30 am in front of the Massapequa Planned Parenthood facility on Carmans Road where we will recite the Rosary and hold signs. Join us for as many or as few of the days as you are able. If you would like to participate at other times, please contact Paul Arena at arena29@yahoo.com, call/text him at (516) 848-1562 or visit the website at 40daysforlife.com/massapequa.
- The **Annual Stand-Up for Life Rally** is taking place between 2:00-3:30 pm along Route 110 in Huntington on October 1. Our group will gather in front of Michael's; signs will be provided by the Long Island Coalition for Life.
- Our **Annual Holy Hour and Rosary for Life** will take place on October 5, following the 7:30 am mass in church.
- **Spiritual God-Parent Program:** During the month of October, our Spiritual God-Parent program comes to a close, and a Baby Shower will be held beginning on the weekend of October 7/8th. All gifts will be donated to mothers in need.

For more information,  
please contact Phil Veltre at (516)732-5366.



## St. Rose of Lima Parish Outreach PANTRY HOURS

**Monday - Wednesday 10 am-2 pm**  
**Thursday 10 am-12 pm**  
**Friday Closed**

*"I loved autumn, the season of the year  
 that God seemed to have put there just  
 for the beauty of it."*

*Lee Maynard*

**The pantry is starting to run low on  
these items:**

Juice Boxes/Bottles	Canned Potatoes
Pasta & Rice Sides	Cookies
Canned Ham	Boxed Potatoes
Sweet Cereal	Fruit Snacks
Hamburger Helper	Pasta Sauce
Chef Boyardee	Mac & Cheese
Pasta/Spaghetti	Pasta-Roni
Cannellini Beans	Halloween Candy
Rice/Pasta Sides	Granola Bars
Canned Chicken	Napkins
Paper Towels	Tea
Dish Detergent	Deodorant
Toilet Paper	Tissues
Canned Tomatoes (whole, crushed, puree)	

**Outreach assists those living within the St. Rose of Lima parish boundaries who are experiencing difficulties. Please call Outreach at 516-798-4954. All calls are confidential.**

**Thank you for loving your Neighbor.**

**Sister Carol & Ann**

## Office of Faith Formation

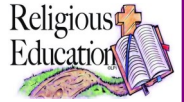
Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 9 am - 2 pm

Phone: 541-1712

E-mail: [religious@srolchurch.org](mailto:religious@srolchurch.org)

Website: [www.srolchurch.org](http://www.srolchurch.org)

Facebook: St. Rose of Lima Office of Faith Formation



Tuesday Classes— October 3 from 4:15-5:15 PM  
 Grades 1A, 2A, 3, 4, 5, and 6

Saturday Classes— October 7 - NO CLASSES  
 Classes resume on October 14 from 8:45-9:45 AM  
 Grades 1B, 2B, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8

## 2nd Grade

### First Holy Communion Parent Meeting



**Tuesday, October 3**

Meeting will be held in the Church from  
 6:30 -7:00 PM.

Communion dates will be distributed.



Please join us on Saturday, October 7 at 10:00 AM for a Blessing of the Animals. Bring your furry friend (on a leash) to the Statue of St. Rose on the school lawn to be blessed.

## Upcoming Confirmation Reminders

### Confirmation Evenings of Prayer Retreat

October 10, 11, and 12 at 7:00 PM in Church

### Confirmation Rehearsals

All rehearsals will be held in Church  
 October 17 at 7:00 PM for Confirmation celebration  
 on October 24 at 5:00 PM  
 October 17 at 8:15 PM for Confirmation celebration  
 on October 25 at 5:00 PM  
 October 18 at 6:00 PM for Confirmation celebration  
 on October 25 at 7:00 PM

Please refer to the Confirmation information brochure for your child's specific schedule.





### **SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS**

**NEW -**

**IGA \$25 and \$100 now available**

**WHEN:** Next weekend, Saturday, October 7 after the 5:15 pm mass & Sunday, October 8 after the 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm masses

**WHERE:** Outside Church by Parking Lot entrances (or in narthex of church depending on weather)

**WHAT:** Cards for KING KULLEN, SHOPRITE, STOP & SHOP, and IGA

(Also available as donations to Outreach)

St. Rose Parish will receive a 4-5% rebate for every card purchased. These cards can be purchased in amounts of \$25, \$50, and \$100, the amount to be determined by you. We accept cash or checks made payable to St. Rose of Lima Church.

**Thank You!**



## **BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS**

**In honor of the Feast of  
St. Francis of Assisi,  
there will be a  
Blessing of the Animals  
on Saturday, October 7  
at 10:00 am by the Statue of  
St. Rose outside the school.**

**All are welcome!**

## **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 - Fr. Ken, Pastor  
1370 Grundy Avenue, Holbrook, NY 11741

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

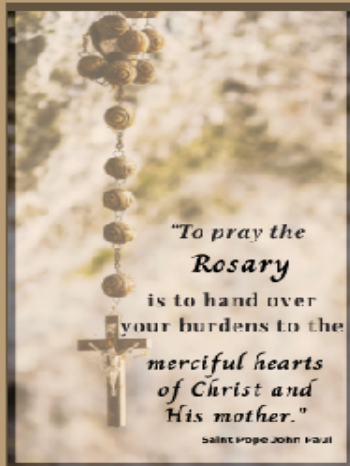


# October 2023



DRVC VOCATIONS  
DRVCVOCATIONS.COM

If you are considering a vocation to the Consecrated Life  
please contact Sr. Pat Moran  
pmoran@drvc.org



*"To pray the  
Rosary  
is to hand over  
your burdens to the  
merciful hearts  
of Christ and  
His mother."*

Saint Pope John Paul

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 REV. KENNETH DROOMS SEM. KEVIN RUEDA	2 REV. JAMES DONOVAN, SJ PRAY FOR DISCERNERS	3 REV. JANUSZ MUCKASKI PRAY FOR POPE FRANCIS	4 REV. JOHN SUREAU SEM. GREGORY MARINO	5 MSCR. MICHAEL FLYNN PRAY FOR RELIGIOUS SISTERS	6 REV. DORFOT KUZNIK PRAY FOR HOLY MARRIAGES	7 MSCR. RALPH SUMMER SEM. HERLEY MENDEZ
8 REV. JOSEPH ALENCHERY PRAY FOR RETIRED RELIGIOUS	9 MSCR. JOSEPH NIRRO SEM. JOHN BEATTY	10 MOST REV. ROBERT COYLE PRAY FOR MISSIONARIES	11 REV. VITUS EZEIRIAKU PRAY FOR PRIEST FAMILIES	12 REV. DONALD DAIER SEM. NICHOLAS WALDRON	13 REV. SEAN GANN PRAY FOR RETIRED PRIESTS	14 REV. GREGORY CAPPUCCINO SEM. DENNIS GANNON
15 REV. RONULO GOMEZ SEM. DILLON VITA	16 REV. CHARLANCE VENDREY SEM. PATRICK MCCORMACK	17 REV. HYACINTH JEMIGBOLA PRAY FOR VOCATIONS	18 REV. LEE DESCOTEAUX PRAY FOR SEMINARIAN FAMILIES	19 MSCR. PETER DODLEY PRAY FOR THE CHURCH	20 REV. SHIRI PADDAN, CIC PRAY FOR DIACONATE FAMILIES	21 REV. THOMAS COBY PRAY FOR OUR LADY'S INTERCESSION
22 MSCR. ROBERT HAYDEN PRAY FOR DEACONS	23 REV. EBENEZER ARTIUR PRAY FOR OUR BISHOPS	24 REV. JOSEPH DENGBO PRAY FOR DISCERNERS FAMILIES	25 REV. RONY FABIAN SEM. JOSEPH LETTIERI	26 REV. ANTHONY IACONIS SEM. ROBERT PARADISO	27 REV. JOSEPH HABILA PRAY FOR THE YOUTH OF OUR DIOCESE	28 REV. ALPHONSUS IGBOKWE SEM. PATRICK O'RDIEN
29 MOST REV. JOHN C. RADES SEM. AUGUSTE HORNER	30 REV. DARIUSZ KOSZYK PRAY FOR RELIGIOUS BROTHERS	31 REV. GILBERT LAP PRAY FOR THE INTERCESSION OF ST. JOHN VIANEY				

TO BE ADDED TO THE MONTHLY PRAYER CALENDAR EMAIL, PLEASE SEND YOUR REQUEST TO VOCATIONS@DRVC.ORG



## Pray The Rosary

*To celebrate the 106th Anniversary of the  
Miracle of the Sun at Fatima, you are invited  
to join us in front of St. Rose of Lima Church  
to pray the Rosary on Saturday, **October 14**  
from 12:00-12:30 pm.*

*America is in need of prayer.  
Come lift up your hearts  
to the Sacred Heart of Jesus  
and the Immaculate Heart of Mary,  
and pray for our country.*

*For more information, please contact  
Tony Esposito at 798-1460.*

## THE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS OF LONG ISLAND 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.*

### OCTOBER 2023

SUNDAY, OCT. 1	10 A.M. - 1 P.M.	OUR LADY OF MERCY ACADEMY
SATURDAY, OCT. 14	10 A.M. - 2 P.M.	CHAMINADE HIGH SCHOOL
	10 A.M. - 1 P.M.	KELLENBERG MEMORIAL H.S.
	11 A.M. - 2 P.M.	SACRED HEART ACADEMY
SUNDAY, OCT. 15	10 A.M. - 1 P.M.	ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST DIOC. H.S.
SATURDAY, OCT. 21	10 A.M. - 1 P.M.	HOLY TRINITY DIOC. H.S.
SUNDAY, OCT. 22	1 P.M. - 4 P.M.	ST. DOMINIC HIGH SCHOOL

### TEST FOR ADMISSION TO CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS ONLINE FOR 2023-2024



NOVEMBER 4, 2023  
REGISTER TODAY  
**WWW.TACHSINFO.COM**  
REGISTRATION DEADLINE  
OCTOBER 26, 2023

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## Liturgical Minister Training~ Fall 2023

The Diocese of Rockville Center will offer training in Spanish and English for those who wish to serve as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors. No walk-ins permitted, all participants must be registered in advance with a letter from their pastor.

**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:** Part A - This training is required for **all** those who are beginning as Ministers. This “BASIC” training is required for **all** Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Those who wish to minister in hospitals, nursing homes and to the homebound are required to attend Part B training in addition to BASIC training. One **must** attend Part A training prior to Part B training.

A **Lector Workshop** is available for both new and experienced lectors.

### Dates and Locations for Liturgical Minister Training

(Please arrive by 8:30 am for either training)

#### **Training in ENGLISH:**

- **Lector Workshop and Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion – Part A:**  
**Suffolk:** Tuesday, Oct. 10 - St. Elizabeth / Melville - Msgr. Kane Hall; 7 pm - 10 pm.  
**Nassau:** Wednesday, Nov. 29 – St. Paul the Apostle/Brookville – Lower Hall; 7 – 10 pm

You may register for only one training each evening.

You may register for EITHER Lector OR Extraordinary Minister training at each session.

Doors open at 6:30 pm

- **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Part B**

Presented in conjunction with Catholic Health:

Tuesday, Oct. 24 - St. Elizabeth / Melville - Msgr. Kane Hall; 6:30 – 9:30 pm.

A letter from your pastor will be required to reserve your space at any of these trainings and must be received at least five days prior to the session you wish to attend. To request registration for any of these sessions, please contact your rectory. Do not call the host parishes with questions. For questions relating to the Spanish training, call Ingrid Oliva at 516-678-5800, ext. 560. For questions regarding the English training, call Suzanne Lynn at 516-744-6850. Thank you for your interest.



ST . ROSE OF LIMA SCHOOL

# FALLMarket

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14TH

**10AM-4PM**

**FOOD - VENDORS - CRAFTS - FUN**

2 BAYVIEW AVE, MASSAPEQUA

OUTDOOR EVENT - WILL BE HELD  
INSIDE IN THE EVENT OF RAIN

Email [srolchristmasfair@gmail.com](mailto:srolchristmasfair@gmail.com)  
for more information.





## PLEASE DONATE!

Dear Parishioners,

The Saint Rose of Lima Christmas Fair is on Saturday, December 2nd from 10 am to 4 pm. Please consider donating new or like-new items you may have around the house..

We gladly accept the following items:

- Baskets of all sizes
- Ornaments, ceramics, and statues
- Jewelry
- Wallets, wristlets, key chains, purses
- Wine, liquor, tea, coffee, cookies, candles
- Wine glasses, coffee mugs
- Soaps, lotions, hand towels
- Candles, picture frames, photo albums
- Children's toys and baby items (new only!)
- Kitchen items

Items can be dropped off in front of the auditorium doors from 8:15 am -2:30 pm Monday-Friday only. We will be accepting donations from Monday, October 2nd through Monday, November 6th.

The proceeds of the Christmas Fair help offset the school budget. The success of the fair is dependent on the generosity of our school and parish families.

If you have any questions, please contact Maura Bruton at [Mbruton.cf@gmail.com](mailto:Mbruton.cf@gmail.com).

Sincerely,

The Saint Rose of Lima Christmas Fair Committee.



*St. Rose of Lima:  
Sunday Conversations*

# Can I Defend the Faith?

OCTOBER 15th

Following the Noon Mass  
Meet in the Back of the Church

*Sunday Conversations is a place to discover the reasons why Catholics believe. It exists to help explain the truth and enliven faith.*





# NYS Eucharistic Congress

October 20-22, 2023

Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine, Auriesville, NY



*Held at the sacred spot where the North American Martyrs gave their lives for Christ and where St. Kateri Tekakwitha was born.*

## EVENTS INCLUDE:

- Great Speakers!
- Mass with Cardinal Dolan and NY Bishops
- Confessions
- Eucharistic Adoration and Procession

*Worship with 10,000 other Catholics in the Shrine's Colosseum, the largest church in North America!*



St. Rose of Lima will be sponsoring a bus to the event on **Saturday, October 21.**

To register for the St. Rose bus, please call Barbara at the rectory or email [barbarap@srolchurch.org](mailto:barbarap@srolchurch.org) **by September 25, 2023.**

For more information or to self register, go to <https://nyseucharisticcongress.org/>

**PLEASE RESPOND BY OCTOBER 6.**





## Please Join Us for the Annual Family Mass Buffet Breakfast (Our 23<sup>rd</sup> Edition)

**Date:** Sunday, October 29, 2023  
**Place:** Msgr. Daniel J. Hurley Auditorium  
**Time:** Following the 10 AM Family Mass



Organized by the Family Mass Team

The menu will consist of:

*Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Home Fries, Bagels,  
Coffee, Tea, Chilled Orange Juice, and Hot Chocolate*

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**Cost:**                    **Adults (ages 13+) \$10 – Children (ages 4 to 12) \$5**  
                                  **Toddlers/Babies ages 3 and under are Free**



**The breakfast is held to continue to build the sense of Community established here at St. Rose of Lima and at the 10 AM Family Mass. We hope this special pricing allows many parishioners to attend!**

There are three ways to Reserve/Buy Tickets for this year's breakfast:

1. Tickets will be on sale after the 10 am Family Mass outside of the Church by the parking lot entrances (or in the Narthex for inclement weather) on October 1, October 8, October 15, and October 22.
2. Complete the below form and drop it off at the Rectory with a check by Monday, October 23 as we have to submit a final count to the caterer.
3. Go online to make a reservation on Eventbrite (<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/st-rose-of-lima-family-breakfast-tickets-726187074087?aff=oddtcreator>) by Sunday, October 22 and then drop off your payment to the Rectory or send in a check.

**Important Notes:**

- Tickets will NOT be sold on the day of the breakfast!
- So the event will fit in the Auditorium, there are limited tickets available.
- Tickets will be sold on a first come, first served basis.
- Each year at the Family Mass Breakfast, we play a Game Show for some fun.
- Any Questions? Call Matt or Kelly at 516-798-6026.
- All checks can be made payable to St. Rose of Lima. Sorry, no refunds will be given.

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Family Name \_\_\_\_\_ Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

# of Adults – ages 13+ (\$10 each) \_\_\_\_\_

# of Children – ages 4 to 12 years old (\$5 each) \_\_\_\_\_

# of Toddlers/ Babies – ages 3 and under (free) \_\_\_\_\_

For Administration  
Use Only:  
Date Received:  
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Remember to submit to the Rectory by Monday, October 23. **WE CANNOT EXTEND THIS DATE!** The amount of attendees is limited so the event will fit in the Auditorium. Tickets will be sold on a first come, first served basis.



# Parish Family Pilgrimage

## Shrine of Our Lady of the Island

258 Eastport Manor Road  
Manorville, NY 11949

**Saturday, November 11, 2023**

**11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m**

Individuals and families are invited to join fellow parishioners for a day of reflection and prayer.

The day will include opportunities for Eucharistic Adoration, Walking Rosary, Confessions and Holy Mass.

To register for the day, please go to <https://tinyurl.com/SROL-SHRINE> or use the QR code. You may also call the rectory.

**Due date for registration is November 2, 2023.**

The Shrine of Our Lady of the Island was established by the Missionaries of the Company of Mary (the Montfort Fathers) to be a center of authentic Marian Spirituality & Devotion, and to be a resource for the renewal of Catholic life in the Diocese of Rockville Centre.





# ST. ROSE CYO

## FALL/WINTER REGISTRATION

**OPENS AUGUST 7, 2023**

- ✓ INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL (K-12)
- ✓ TRAVEL BASKETBALL (9-12) \*\*
- ✓ ADULT BASKETBALL (25+)
- ✓ FALL TRACK
- ✓ LITTLE ALL-STARS



**OPENS SEPTEMBER 11, 2023**

- ✓ TRAVEL SWIMMING \*\*



**OPENS OCTOBER 2, 2023**

- ✓ TRAVEL VOLLEYBALL TRYOUTS \*\*

**OPENS JANUARY 8, 2024**

- ✓ INTRAMURAL VOLLEYBALL



**REGISTER AT**  
**WWW.STROSECYO.ORG**

\*\*Travel Sports have eligibility rules; go to [www.strosecyo.org](http://www.strosecyo.org) for details.





## **Join St. Rose Swim Team!**

### ***2023-2024 Fall/Winter Season***

**Registration open September 11th through October 30th**

St. Rose Stingrays is a competitive travel swim team competing against local CYO teams.

- ≈ Season begins early November
- ≈ Practices held Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning at Lindenhurst High School
- ≈ Swim meets against local CYO parishes begin early January
- ≈ Most meets held at Eisenhower Aquatic Center and Hofstra University
- ≈ Many opportunities for swimmers to volunteer and receive community service within the team
- ≈ Leadership opportunities available for high school students on the team.
- ≈ Support and skill training for those swimmers seeking their lifeguard certification

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\*\* Tryouts held early November. Swimmer must be able to swim without assistance.  
Swimmers unable to meet requirements will receive a full refund.





## ...AND AROUND THE DIOCESE

**Catholic Health, Breast Health** - There will be an Open House Screening Day for free mammograms on Sunday, October 1 from 9:30-11:30 am at Good Samaritan Women's Imaging Center at 735 Montauk Highway, West Islip. Walk-ins are welcome.

**Catholic Health, Community Health Fair** - On Saturday, October 7, Catholic Health will be hosting a Health Fair which includes free health screenings including blood pressure, diabetes, etc. There will also be specialties such as cardiac services, CPR, free Narcan kits, sleep apnea, etc. For more information, please call 516-705-3839.

**Fr. Cedric Pisegna** - Fr. Pisegna will be hosting an October Mission at St. Thomas the Apostle in West Hempstead on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 2-4 at 7:00 pm. For more information, call 516-489-8585 or visit [www.frcedric.org](http://www.frcedric.org).

**Pickleball Tournament** - St. Thomas the Apostle in West Hempstead is hosting a Pickleball tournament on Saturday, October 7 from 2-4 pm. For more information, contact Regina Todd at 516-489-8585.

**Pre-Cana Classes** - Engaged Encounter is an effective Pre-Cana program designed to provide you with the tools for a successful marriage. The next two-day weekend will be held at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington on November 4 and 5. Visit [longisland.engagedencounter.com](http://longisland.engagedencounter.com) for information and registration.

**Retrouvaille, A Lifeline for Married Couples** - "Is your marriage tearing you apart? Do you feel hurt and angry?" Retrouvaille is a practical program for married couple facing difficult challenges. It is not a marriage retreat or counseling. You will not be asked to share the personal details of your story. Their next weekend is November 3-5 at The Immaculate Conception Seminary in Huntington. For information, call 1-800-470-2230 or visit [HelpOurMarriage.org](http://HelpOurMarriage.org).

**Sundays at the Seminary** - Join the Friends of the Seminary for presentations and discussions designed to bring us to a deeper understanding and devotion to Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist. The next session will be October 15, presented by Dcn. Michael Hoonhout, "Pivotal Players - St. Thomas Aquinas." For more information, visit [www.icseminary.edu/Events](http://www.icseminary.edu/Events) or call 631-423-0483, ext. 102.

**Vianney Ball** - Curé of Ars is hosting their 56th Vianney Ball on Saturday, November 4 at the Coral House in Baldwin. For information, please 516-623-1400.



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