## 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. McGuinnes

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Gracemarie Rozea, Coordinator

#### **MUSIC MINISTRY**

John Buckel, Director of Music

#### PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

Ann Hedgis, Co-Coordinator
Sr. Carol Radosti, OP, Co-Coordinator

#### PASTORAL LIFE

Barbara Pope, Coordinator

#### SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

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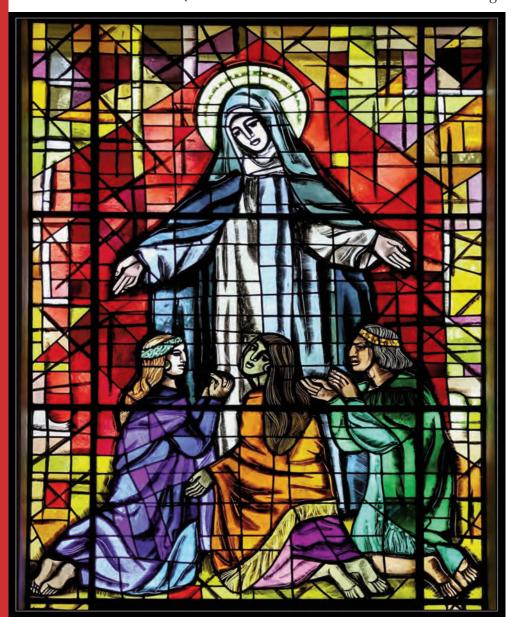


B U L L E T I N



Sunday, October 29, 2023

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October 29, 2023

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) 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

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) 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.

**SACRAMENTS** 

**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) 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.

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

#### Mon., 10/30 Weekday

- 7:30 Anthony Genovese
- 9:00 Robert Davis
- 7:30 Constance Krug

#### Tue., 10/31 Weekday

- 7:30 Richard Herberger
- 9:00 Raymond Soluri
- 4:00 Giuseppina Curto

- Wed., 11/1 All Saints
  7:30 Daniel Hart & John McMahon
  - 9:00 Dennis O'Connor
  - 7:30 Mass for the People

### Thu., 11/2 The Commemoration of All the

#### Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

- 7:30 Jeanne Burns
- 9:00 For All Those Enrolled in the All Souls' Day Novena
- 7:30 All Souls

#### St. Martin de Porres, Religious Fri., 11/3

- 7:30 Sadie Ward Alexander
- 9:00 For All Those Enrolled in the All Souls' Day Novena

#### Sat., 11/4 St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

8:00 Irma Dalton, Maryann Doran, Bob Fox, Mary Ann Kiernan, Kenneth Coles, For All Those Enrolled in the All Souls' Day Novena

#### **Vigil: Thirty-First Sunday in** Sat., 11/4

#### **Ordinary Time**

5:15 Michael Rossi

#### Sun., 11/5 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 Justin Fusco, Richard Doan, Emily Gomula, Robert Gering, Jack Mullarkey, For All Those Enrolled in the All Souls' Day Novena
- 10:00 Jenna Jean Tuller
- 12:00 Mass for the People
- 5:15 Antoinette Callow





## ...from Fr. Gerard

If you are the body and members of Christ, then it is your sacrament that is placed on the table of the Lord; it is your sacrament that you receive. To that which you are, you respond 'Amen' ('yes, it is true!') and by responding to it, you assent to it. For you hear the words, 'the Body of Christ' and respond 'Amen.' Be then a member of the Body of Christ that your Amen may be true.

-St. Augustine

Last Saturday, members of our parish attended the New York State Eucharistic Congress at the Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine. We had the blessed opportunity of celebrating Holy Mass and participating in an hour-long Eucharistic Procession on the grounds of the shrine. This event, along with many others throughout the country, is a part of our national Eucharistic Revival. The aim of the revival is to deepen our Eucharistic faith and our recognition of the real presence of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. While at the Eucharistic Congress, I was particularly moved by a simple but profound sign of Eucharistic reverence. While gathered in a conversation outside the shrine church, I heard a soft bell ringing and noticed that conversations around me stopped, and people began to genuflect. The Blessed Sacrament was being transferred from a chapel to the main church. The monstrance bearing the sacred host was preceded by candle bearers, a cross, and the bell ringer, making us aware of the presence of our Lord in the Blessed Eucharist. I share this with you because it made me mindful of what we often allow to go unnoticed, the presence of the Lord in our midst, particularly at Holy Mass.

With the above in mind, I want to offer you the following guidance regarding Eucharistic reverence and the reception of Holy Communion.

**Preparation** - The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) prepares our soul to receive Jesus in Holy Communion worthily, by removing from our souls whatever sins stand between us and God. Regularly receiving God's gift of pardon and peace in Confession is a beautiful and necessary part of our life in Christ, through which we receive strength, mercy, and grace.

**Receiving Holy Communion** - As the person in front of you receives Holy Communion, please make a sign of reverence to Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. In the United States, this sign of reverence is customarily a bow.

Then approach the Priest, Deacon, or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, who will lift the Sacred Host above the ciborium saying "The Body of Christ." The communicant then says "Amen."

If Holy Communion is received on the tongue, the communicant extends his or her tongue so the minister may place the host on the tongue.

If Holy Communion is received in the hand, the communicant cups their right hand and places the left hand on top of it. After the minister places the Holy Eucharist into the cupped left hand, the communicant takes the host with the right hand and receives the Blessed Sacrament in their mouth immediately and reverently.

Please remember to avoid the following:

- Receiving Holy Communion by extending only one hand.
- Taking or grabbing the Sacred Host from the Priest, Deacon, or EMHC.
- Transferring or flipping the Sacred Host from one hand to the other.
- Walking away before placing the host in one's mouth.

#### Please note:

- Children under the age of reason *cannot* receive Holy Communion until they have received catechesis in a Catholic school or a parish Faith Formation program.
- If your hands are impeded by carrying a child in your arms, if you are using a cane or walker, if you have a tissue or handkerchief in your hand, a cast on your hand, or are wearing gloves, etc., it is better to receive Holy Communion directly on the tongue.

**After receiving Holy Communion -** When returning to the pew, we should do our best to avoid distractions, and spend our time in prayerful thanksgiving to Jesus, whom we have just received.

Extraordinary Ministers are reminded to carry the ciborium with reverence, using two hands and walking at a measured pace.

Thank you for your prayerful witness to Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. May our efforts assist us and others in the revival of our Eucharistic faith.



#### REMEMBERING LOVED ONES

The Tabernacle Flowers displayed this week were donated in loving memory of Taylor and Hudson Ait-yahia, with love from Nana.

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The Blessed Mother's Flowers displayed this week were donated in loving memory of Josephine Ligotti on her 1st Anniversary in Heaven, with love from Terri and Tom.

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The Bread and Wine consecrated for the weekend masses was donated in loving memory of Dorothy Serpe, with love from Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tillis.



#### Welcome to the Newly-Baptized



Sean Darrin Boshko Maddalena Grace Boyce Callen Jay Cohen Kingston Noel Davis Princeton Xavier Davis Grayson Alan Dalessio River Francis Del Pilar Sienna Marie Sierzant

# In Your Prayers, Remember the Sick...

Sabrina Itwaru Ellen Kiernan Salvatore LaGumina Savi Naridu Maximilian Paul Eugene Racanelli Gregory Raffa

Please Pray for the Souls of the Recently Deceased





#### 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, November 4 at 8:00 am

**Centering Prayer** - Thursday, November 2 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, November 8 at 8:00 pm in the Rectory Board Room

**1st Saturday Devotion** - Saturday, November 4 at 7:15 pm. This will be held in church as well as livestreamed on our website and Facebook page.

**Liturgical Minister Training** - If you are interested in registering for Lector or EM Training, please contact the rectory.

**Rectory Closing Early** - On Wednesday, All Saints' Day, a Holy Day of Obligation, the rectory will be closing at 1:00 pm. Masses will be celebrated that day at 7:30 am, 9:00 am and 7:30 pm. The vigil mass will be celebrated on Tuesday at 4:00 pm.

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

**Rosary Society** - Tuesday, November 7 at 7:30 pm in the Fr. Graham Center



#### 10/22/23

\$ 17,381.00

\$ 5,989.00 WeShare

\$ 23,370.00

#### 10/23/22

\$ 15,845.00

\$ 5,831.00 WeShare

\$ 21,676.00



#### **Spiritual God-Parent Program**



Dear Spiritual God-Parent,

I was born in the quiet hours last night when you were asleep. I am the little baby boy or girl who was sheltered by your prayers these nine months. As you receive Jesus in Holy Communion this Sunday, may you feel the joy of my birth and know that your love and prayers have given me a first birthday. I have asked God to bring special blessings to you who have spiritually sponsored me. He loves you so very much.

This week we conclude our Spiritual God-Parent Program with a **BABY SHOWER** n which all gifts will be donated to **The Life Center of Long Island** for mothers in need.

Disposable diapers, formula, receiving blankets, crib sheets, Enfamil, toiletries and new baby clothes are needed for mothers who cannot afford to purchase these items.

If you wish, you may remember the new mother with a gift of new maternity clothes; gift cards will also be graciously accepted and appreciated. PLEASE DO NOT WRAP ANYTHING. Kindly place your gift or monetary donation in the crib located in the church near the Blessed Mother's Altar.

Thank you for your generosity and prayers!



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## St. Rose of Lima Parish Outreach **PANTRY HOURS**

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

"Autumn whispered to the wind, "I fall but always rise again."

Angie Welland-Crosby

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

Juice Boxes/Bottles **Snack Cookies Sweet Cereal** Hamburger Helper Progresso Soups French Cut String Beans Ramen Noodles Peanut Butter (18oz.) Pasta/Spaghetti **Cannellini Beans** Rice/Pasta Sides Cake/Brownie Mix Salad Dressing Taco Kits

**Canned Corn Creamed Corn** Cookies **Canned Peas BBQ Sauce** Coffee (10-13 oz.) Rice-A-Roni **Napkins** Jello/Pudding **Chicken Broth Chick Beans** Tissues

Donations of food store gift cards are always welcomed!

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, 9am - 2pm

Phone: 541-1712

E-mail: religioused@srolchurch.org Website: www.srolchurch.org

Facebook: St. Rose of Lima Office of Faith Formation



#### Please note: There are no Tuesday classes: October 31 (Halloween) November 11 (Election Day)

Tuesday Classes – November 14 from 4:15-5:15 PM Grades 1B, 2B, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7

Saturday Classes – November 4 from 8:45-9:45 AM Grades 1A, 2A, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7

#### 2nd Grade Saints Lesson

October 30 at 4:30 OR 5:30 PM in the Church Check your email for the sign up link!

#### **Grade Level Masses**

#### November 5

3rd Grade at 10:00 AM 8th Grade at 5:15 PM (Chosen Lesson at 4:30 PM (Chosen Lesson at 4:30 PM)

#### November 12

2nd Grade at 10:00 AM 6th Grade at 5:15 PM

#### November 19

1st Grade at 10:00 AM 7th Grade at 5:15 PM

#### November 26

4th & 5th Grade at 10:00 AM

8th Grade at 5:15 PM

#### Catechists, Mark Your Calendars for our Upcoming Meetings.

November 6 - 7th & 8th Grade Catechists - 7:00 PM

November 7 - 6th Grade Catechists - 7:00 PM

November 9 - 4th and 5th Grade Catechists - 7:00 PM

November 13 - 3rd Grade Catechists - 7:00 PM

November 14 - 2nd Grade Catechists - 7:00 PM

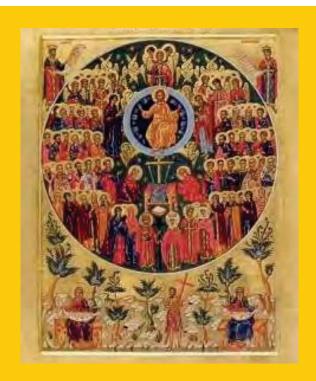
MEETINGS WILL BE HELD IN THE RECTORY MEETING ROOM.

#### Coming Soon! 2nd Grade Reconciliation Retreats

November 27 and 28 at 6:30 PM in the School Auditorium An email will be sent to all families to select the date of your choice.



Search for: St. Rose of Lima Office of Faith Formation and click 'Like', our messages will come directly to your newsfeed!



Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted...

(Matthew 5:3-12)

# Wednesday, November 1, Feast of All Saints

A Holy Day of Obligation. We rejoice in all those who celebrate the heavenly liturgy, and stand in God's holy place.

Mass times: Tuesday, October 31 at 4:00 pm

Wednesday, November 1 at 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 7:30 pm

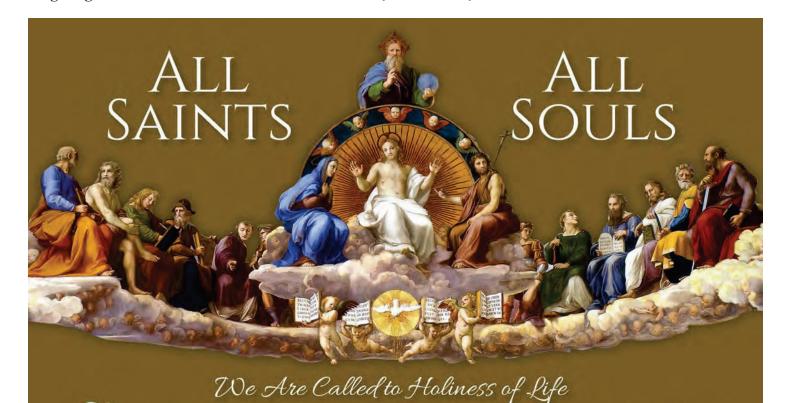
# Thursday, November 2, Feast of All Souls

We prayerfully remember those who have died during this past year by reading each of their names at our All Souls Mass at 7:30 pm. (Mass will be livestreamed.)

# Monday, November 6, Bereaved Parents and Families

We celebrate a Mass for Bereaved Parents and Families who have suffered the loss of a child at **7:30 pm**. Light refreshments will be available following Mass.

During the month of November, we will have a book by the altar where you can write the names of your deceased loved ones, and they will be prayed for at all of our November masses.

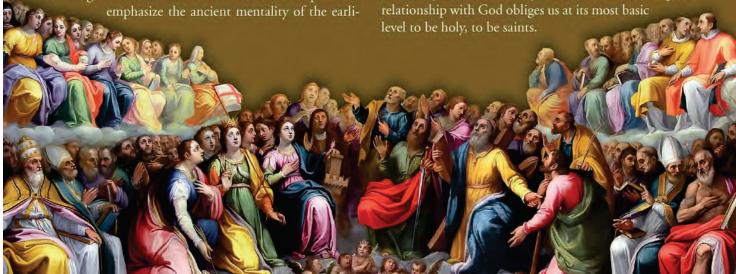


Or centuries prior to Vatican Council II (1962–65), the common understanding of saints identified those men and women whom the Church had singled out as exemplary Christians and whose names had been listed in the official list of saints. They had been "canonized" and were privileged with the official title of *Saint*.

But the Bishops gathered at Vatican II recognized that through our baptism, each of us was called to be holy (1 Cor 1:2) so we are all meant to be holy women and men—saints. "All the faithful of Christ of whatever rank or status are called to the fullness of the Christian life and to the perfection of charity. By this holiness a more human way of life is promoted even in this earthly society" (*Dogmatic Constitution on the Church, #40*).

While at first we might think that this was a new teaching, we now realize that it was an attempt to reemphasize the ancient mentality of the earliest Christians. From its very beginning, the Church understood the Body of Christ to encompass all baptized persons, both the living and the dead. Christ's kingdom transcends time and space, and not even death can sever the relationship that the faithful have in Christ. All are united in a mystical communion with Christ (the "communion of saints" that we affirm whenever we proclaim the Creed at Mass) by virtue of baptism (1 Cor 6:11). St. Paul often addresses those to whom he writes as "holy ones" (saints) to designate all baptized Christians (see Rom 1:7, 15:25; 2 Cor 1:1; Eph 1;1; Phil 1:1).

And in fact the call to be holy in God's covenant community goes back even further to the Old Testament to God's instruction to Moses on Mt. Sinai to "Speak to the whole Israelite community and tell them: Be holy, for I, the LORD your God, am holy" (Lev 19:2). Thus being in a



#### All Saints' Day November 1

This feast, honoring all the saints of the Church, known and unknown, provides an opportunity to reflect on our personal call to holiness and to celebrate the exemplary faithfulness of holy men and women of every place and time, whose lives and deeds continue to inspire us. It was given this date to counter a pagan feast held to appease the dangerous evil spirits associated with the coming of winter and darkness whose customs still linger today in our celebration of Halloween (meaning All Hallows' |= Holy Ones, Saints| Eve).

#### All Souls Day November 2

This feast remembers the many nameless and forgotten persons like our deceased family and friends who led us to Christ and into the communion of his mystical Body. It purposely follows All Saints' Day to shift our focus from the recognized saints to ordinary people, especially those who might need our prayers. From the earliest times, Christians prayed for the dead and many monasteries adopted the tradition of remembering all the faithful departed. Eventually this custom spread throughout Europe and was included into the Church's liturgical calendar.

#### HONORING SAINTS IN THE EARLY CHURCH

Honoring saints began in the early Church by remembering the martyrs who by their courageous witness had imitated Jesus' faithfulness to God's ways even to death. Local churches kept a record of their own martyrs and each year set aside certain days to remember and celebrate their "birthdays," the dates of death when they were "born" into eternal life.

Their practice is illustrated today in the First Eucharistic Prayer of our Mass, which was the standard prayer adopted in the eighth century liturgical renewal of the Holy Roman Emperor Charlemagne. After Mary and the apostles, the prayer recalls the men and women martyrs of the first three centuries, "Linus, Cletus, Clement, Sixtus, Cornelius, Lawrence, Chrysogonus, John and Paul, Cosmos and Damian, Ignatius, Alexander, Marcellinus, Peter, Felicity, Perpetua, Agatha, Lucy, Agnes, Cecilia, Anastasia and all the saints." By the fourth century many parts of the Church had set aside special days to remember not only their distinguished martyrs but also "confessors" (those who had witnessed and been punished for their faith but did not die), virgins and those whose example was especially helpful for becoming better Christians.

The many local lists of these exemplary saints grew and soon included persons from all walks of life—popes and bishops, clergy, religious and laity, men, women, and children (e.g., the holy Innocents Dec 28), single and married. Finally in 1583 they were collected into a single book called the *Roman Martyrology*, the official list of saints venerated by the Church arranged according to the calendar. Additions to the list are made when new saints are officially beatified and canonized and the days for their memorial are determined.



### PRAYING TO THE SAINTS

From the earliest times, Christians believed that members of the Christian community, though separated by death but now alive in Christ, were still able to help one another. "Being more closely united to Christ, those who dwell in heaven fix the whole Church more firmly in holiness. They do not cease to intercede with the Father for us, as they proffer the merits which they acquired on earth through the one mediator between God and humanity, Christ Jesus. So by their fraternal concern is our weakness greatly helped" (*Dogmatic Constitution on the Church, #49*). Thus the importance of the saints as intercessors for us with God became more popular.

The identification of saints as mediators with God introduces their role as patron saints, that is, one to whom we can go when we have specific needs that require help. Saints are designated as patrons or special advocates for nations, churches, places, crafts, activities, jobs, classes, clans, families, illnesses, causes, etc. Most patrons have been so designated as the result of popular devotion and long-standing custom. The Church has officially designated rather few patrons, and most patron designations, especially more recent ones, are unofficial.

October 29, 2023

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and PARISH OF ST. ROSE OF LIMA, MASSAPEQUA

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# THE MUSEUM OF MEMORY





Museum of Memory Assisi, Italy 1943-1944 *Good Triumphs Over Evil* 



A display about the clergy and civilians'
actions in Assisi (Italy) which is one of the
many examples of the worldwide
lifesaving efforts of the Catholic Church
during World War II under the Pontificate
of Pope Pius XII

From October 31 until November 5 in the CHURCH NARTHEX

An Evening of Prayer for Peace in the Holy Land Friday, November 3 at 7:00 pm - IN CHURCH ALL ARE WELCOME

2 BAYVIEW AVENUE, MASSAPEQUA

# PRAYER FOR PEACE IN THE HOLY LAND

Friday, November 3 at 7:00 pm

SAINT ROSE OF LIMA PARISH 2 Bayview Avenue, Massapequa

"Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: May those who love you be secure."



# November 2023



October 29, 2023

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



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



# SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS IGA \$25 and \$100 also available

WHEN: Next weekend, Saturday, November 4 after the 5:15 pm mass & Sunday, November 5 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!

# Welcome to Online Giving!

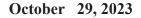


Join so many of our parishioners with the ease of online giving. It's simple, it's flexible and you are in control. "WeShare" offers electronic funds transfer (EFT) from your savings or checking accounts as well as credit card (VISA, MC, AMEX, Discover) and debit card solutions

for your offertory and second collections.

For those of you interested in joining the program, please visit our website at www.srolchurch.org and click on "WeShare" on the left side of the page.

Any questions, please call Linda McMahon in the rectory at 516-798-4992, ext. 266.







# 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

Join us for a day of reflection and prayer. This event offers a beautiful chance to come together as a parish community while taking part in Eucharistic Adoration, a Walking Rosary,

Confessions, and Holy Mass.

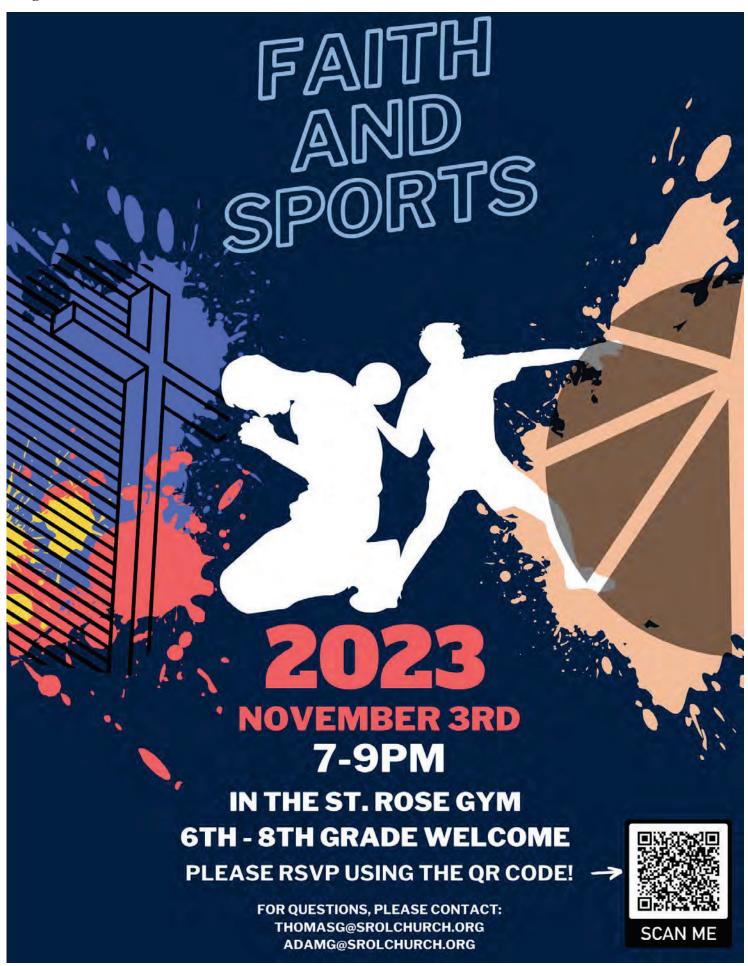
To register for the day please go to https://tlnyurl.com/SROL-SHRINE or use the QR code

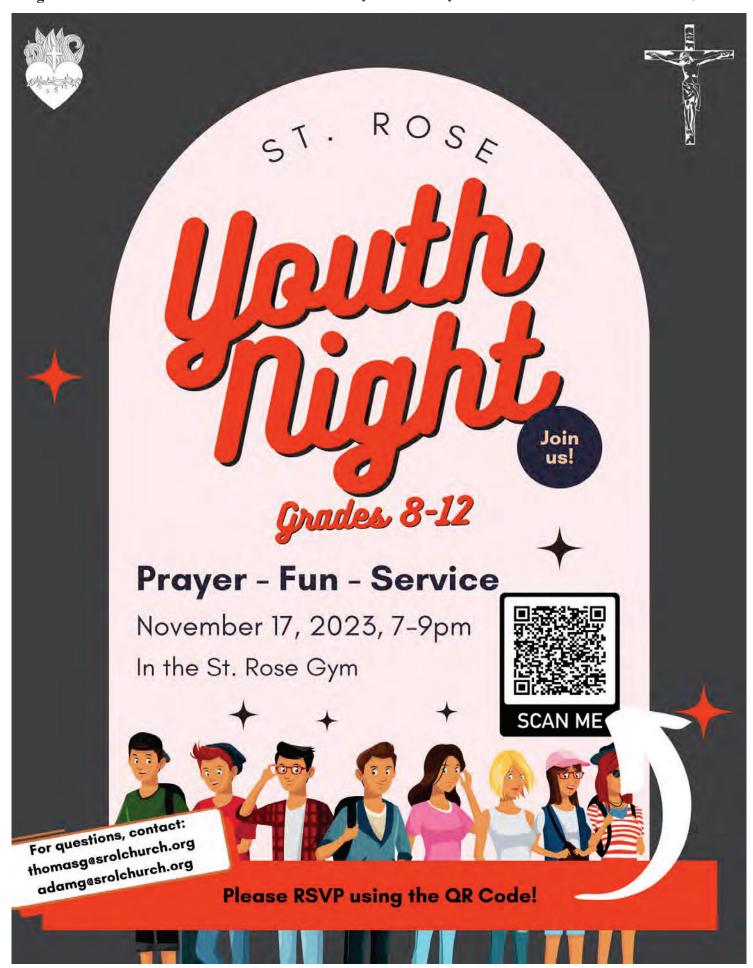


You may also call Barbara at the rectory 516-798-4992 ext. 224.

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.







Are you passionate about making our St. Rose Family Mass experience truly extraordinary? Join our Family Mass Committee and be a part of the magic! Your valuable input will help us plan fun-filled activities and cultivate a close-knit community spirit.

The best part? We understand that your time is precious. With a minimal time commitment, you can contribute without overloading your schedule. Let's come together and create cherished memories for our families. Join us today and let your spirit shine!



Interested in joining the **St. Rose of Lima Family Mass Team**? Scan this QR Code to request more information or sign up. Any further questions, feel free to email us at mbaroletti@verizon.net.

# **NEW ALTAR SERVERS**

# Ever wonder what it's like up on the Altar?



Being an altar server is a sacred privilege and a very special responsibility.

Altar servers assist the Priest during mass. All boys and girls of our Parish, grades 4 and up, are encouraged to consider altar serving.

#### Please contact:

- Fr. Anthony (tel: 516-798-4992)
- Mrs. Barbara Pope (tel: 516-798-4992 or barbarap@srolchurch.org)



# How Do I Request Prayer for myself or someone I love at St. Rose of Lima?

Our parish receives numerous prayer requests from parishioners, and non-parishioners, for a variety of needs, but mostly for those who are experiencing an illness. Following is a list of opportunities for prayer in our parish:

<u>Prayers for the sick from the pulpit and in our weekly bulletin</u>: Please call the rectory (516.798.4992) during regular business hours to add your name to this list. Names are mentioned from the pulpit during all Masses for one week, and are then transferred to the bulletin for a period of three weeks. (Please note: 1) For privacy reasons, if you are requesting prayers for someone other than yourself, you must have the permission of the person being prayed for to add their name to this list. 2) If a name is not announced, please know that they are not forgotten, as we pray for all those who are ill and convalescing at every Mass).

<u>Parish Prayer Intention Book:</u> A book is located in the church narthex by the statue of St. Rose of Lima, where you can write your prayer request. These prayers can be for any reason, including for those serving in the military, and will be included collectively in our Sunday and weekday Mass intentions.

<u>Charismatic Prayer Group prayer box</u>: There is a box located on the shelf in the church vestibule - the entrance from the parking lot by the sacristy door - where you can place your request for prayers. Each week, the members of the Charismatic Prayer Group check the box and the prayer requests are divided amongst the members. They will pray for your needs during their meeting on Wednesday afternoons, and continue at their homes. Paper and pencil are available by the prayer box for your convenience.

<u>Prayer Line Ministry</u>: Call or email (mariap@srolchurch.org) the rectory to request prayers. Members of this ministry receive a weekly list of names of people in need of prayer and pray for them in the privacy of their own home. Only first names are used to protect the privacy of the individual being prayed for.

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- 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.

Sincerely,

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**Dominican Village Retirement Community** - This facility includes Independent Living, Assisted Living and Respite Care. To schedule a tour, call 631-842-6091 or email Jford@dominicanvillage.org.

**Knights of Columbus** - The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus Columbiette Member in Seaford will be held on Wednesday, November 8 at 7:30 pm. For more information, call 516-382-4862.

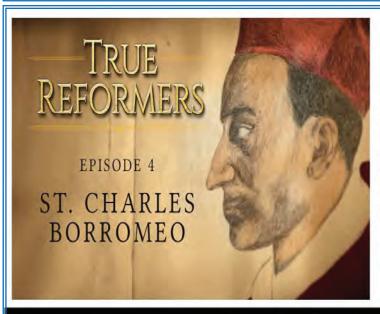
*Miracle of Christmas* - St. Ignatius Loyola in Hicksville is sponsoring a day trip to the Sight & Sound Theatre in Lancaster, PA to see the *Miracle of Christmas* live on stage. For information, call Barbara at 516-935-5576.

**Molloy University Open House** - Molloy University will host an Open House for prospective students on Sunday, November 12 at 1:00pm. You can register at www.molloy.edu/openhouse23.

Te Deum Dinner - Join Bishop Barres and the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, Huntington, for the Annual Te Deum Dinner and presentation of the Immaculate Conception Medal to Msgr. Frank Caldwell, recognizing his more than 40 years of distinguished priestly service on Sunday, November 5. They will also celebrate the gift of the three recently ordained priests: Fr. Steven McCleernon, Fr. Michael Nam, M.Id. And Fr. Subin Wilson, M.Id. Verspers will be held at 4:00 pm followed by reception and dinner. For more information, call 631-423-0483 x102.

**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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