

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)

Confessions (Reconciliation):

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

Weekly Holy Hours:

Monday, 8:00pm - Thursday, 8:00 am

Weekly Rosary:

Monday, 7:00pm

Pastoral Team

PASTOR:

Rev. Gerard Gentleman

ASSOCIATE PASTORS

Rev. Frank Zero
Rev. Michael Iroh, CM

DEACONS

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

COORDINATOR OF EVANGELIZATION

Thomas Griffin, Pastoral Associate

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES

JT Parker, Five Loaves Ministries

OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

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

Brian Jensen

SOCIAL MEDIA

www.srolchurch.org
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YouTube, St.Rose R.C Church
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B U L L E T I N

St. Rose Of Lima Catholic Church

Sunday, May 31, 2026

2 BAYVIEW AVENUE MASSAPEQUA NY 11758 • 516-798-4992 • www.srolchurch.org



**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) 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, 1-2:15 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) under Sacraments for full details and a fillable form required to get started.

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., 6/1 St. Justin, Martyr

7:30 Caitlin McNamara

9:00 Diane Restivo

7:30 Carmela Perillo

Tue., 6/2 Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs

7:30 Joseph & James Klemballa

9:00 Troy Carrabis

Wed., 6/3 St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

7:30 Giacomo Billisi

9:00 Fay & Ray Falco

Thu., 6/4 Weekday

7:30 Thomas McGuire

9:00 Aimee Mendoza

Fri., 6/5 St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

7:30 Joan O'Lear

9:00 Rev. Ronald A. Barry

Sat., 6/6 St. Norbert, Bishop

8:00 Rose Marie Simon, George J. Whelan,
Ernie Bowe, Bob Fox, Mary Zimmerman,
Bruna Orlandi

Sat., 6/6 Vigil: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

5:15 Dorothy Reitz

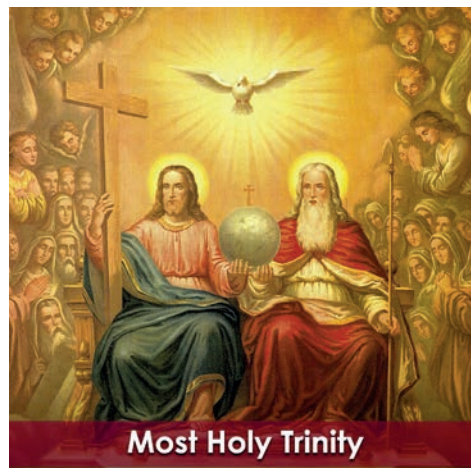
Sun., 6/7 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

8:00 Justin Fusco, Joseph Clowe,
Belen, Lucia & Francesca Cid,
Augustine Occhino, Ida & Joseph Caiazzo,
For the Intention of Sr. Mary Virginia Orna

10:00 Jenna Jean Tuller

12:00 Mass for the People

5:15 Dominick DiMauro



Most Holy Trinity



...from Fr. Gerard

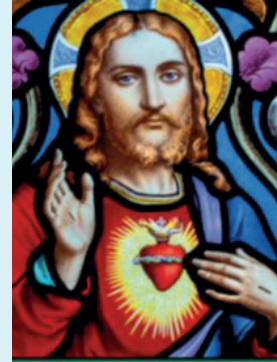
“If I find favor with you, O Lord, do come along in our company.”

The day after the baptism party for one of my siblings, two relatives showed up unannounced. They could not make it the day before, so they thought they would stop by that day. As you can imagine, the house was a mess, I am sure the three of us under the age of six were overtired, and I am confident my mother in no way wanted to host additional guests in the aftermath of the previous day’s celebration. They were, however, invited in and had no problem visiting us in our messiness.

In the first reading, Moses stands before God on Mount Sinai. In previous chapters, the Israelites rebelled and worshiped the golden calf. Here Moses intercedes on behalf of the people, praising God and asking that the Lord God come among them; even into the mess of a divided and rebellious people. Moses’ prayer is answered in a radical way, a way he never would have anticipated in the Gospel. “God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life.” God is invited, and he comes in His own time into the mess of our lives. God accompanies his people despite, and even amid, our own faults and failings - our mess.

What does it mean for us today to ask the Lord to come into our company? We are asking him to come into our messy world. We are living in a highly divided time. There’s a tendency at the highest level and across the political spectrum to hurl insults rather than engage in dialogue, to impose ideologies rather than acknowledge the value of difference. We won’t always agree with one another, but there are commonalities to which Christians should resolve themselves. In a time of suspicion and division, we are called, as always, to an imitation of God who comes into the world as a community of Father, Son and Spirit. With this Holy Trinity, we are called to be a communion of persons united in truth by the bond of love. We are called to welcome the stranger, to befriend the single parent and the prodigal child, to feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, pray for those who persecute us, and love both our neighbors and our enemies.

We ought not fear the company of the Holy Trinity in our messy lives, but long for it. An awareness of the presence of one God in three persons can empower us to begin to clean up the mess, transforming all of creation, which longs to be united in a true bond of everlasting peace.



Consecration of the United States to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

As the United States of America commemorates the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence in 2026, the bishops of the United States will consecrate the country to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

All Catholics are encouraged to join the bishops in praying for the unity and healing of our country. A number of resources to help Catholics participate through prayer and action are available at www.usccb.org/weholdthesetruths.

Consecration and Prayer Resources

Livestream of the June 11 Consecration to the Sacred Heart

<https://www.youtube.com/@UsccbOrg/streams>

The Consecration of the United States to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus will take place in the context of a Votive Mass on June 11, in Orlando, with all the bishops gathered in Plenary Assembly. A livestream will be available on the USCCB YouTube channel.

Local Celebrations of the Consecration of the United States of America to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus:

www.usccb.org/local-celebrations-consecration-United-states-america-most-sacred-heart-jesus

Consecration Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

www.usccb.org/prayers/prayer-sacred-heart-jesus

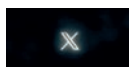
Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

www.usccb.org/novena-sacred-heart-jesus

Catholic Current: America 250 Special Editions

A video podcast series shares the variety of ways that Catholicism contributed to the rich history and culture of the United States. Go to the link below to locate the playlist Catholic Current: America 250:

<https://www.youtube.com/@UsccbOrg/playlists>





REMEMBERING LOVED ONES

*The Tabernacle Flowers displayed this week were donated
in loving memory of Louise LaBella on her Heavenly Anniversary,
with love from Dominick.*

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*The Blessed Mother's Altar Flowers displayed this week were donated
in loving memory of our past members,
with love from LAOH.*

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*The St. Joseph's Altar Flowers displayed this week were donated
in loving memory of Kathleen Corcoran on your 2nd Anniversary in Heaven,
with love from Gary and Patricia Fernando, and John and Rose Falco.*

Welcome to the Newly-Baptized



*Lochlyn Parker Borodin
Liliana Rose Hank
Ava Grace Ottomanelli
Madelyn Marie Solby*

In Your Prayers, Remember the Sick...

*Grace Beneventano
Yuet Kam Chang
Monika Nowak
Leslie Reynolds
Ann Rich
Deacon Tom Rich, TSA
Jeff Zero*



Wedding Banns

1st Time

*Steven Riekert, Holy Spirit, New Hyde Park &
Alexandra Cangelosi, St. Rose of Lima
Nicholas Ferraro, Christ the King, Commack, NY &
Sofia Bicchetti, St. Rose of Lima
Christopher Wasson & Jaclyn Gatti,
both of St. Rose of Lima*

2nd Time

*Steven Riekert, Holy Spirit, New Hyde Park &
Alexandra Cangelosi, St. Rose of Lima
Nicholas Ferraro, Christ the King, Commack, NY &
Sofia Bicchetti, St. Rose of Lima
Shawn Berna & Marissa DiGirolamo,
both of St. Rose of Lima
James Dodgson, Jersey City, NJ &
Monica Hoar, St. Rose of Lima*

3rd Time

*Michael Comens, Lindenhurst, NY &
Kerri Sayrafe, St. Rose of Lima
Chris Watson & Kristie Watson,
both of St. Rose of Lima
Alejandro Negro & Stephanie Prisco,
both of St. Rose of Lima*

Here's What's Happening at St. Rose

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

Alanon - Wednesdays at 1:00 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Meeting Room

Anointing Mass - Saturday, June 6 at 8:00 am

Centering Prayer - Thursday, June 4 at 1:00 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Chapel

Charismatic Prayer - Wednesdays at 3:15 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Meeting Room

1st Saturday Devotion - Saturday, June 6 at 7:15 am. This will be held in church as well as livestreamed on our website and Facebook page.

Respect Life Committee - Tuesday, June 2 at 7:30 pm in the Rectory Board Room

Rosary - The rosary will be prayed every Monday evening at 7:00 pm, prior to the 7:30 pm Mass.

Rosary Society - Tuesday, June 9 at 7:00 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Meeting Room

Sunshine Group for Widows & Widowers - Thursday, June 11 at 12:00 pm in the Rectory Meeting Room

Supermarket Cards - Will be sold next weekend after the 5:15 pm mass on Saturday, June 6 and the 8:00 am, 10:00 am and 12:00 pm on Sunday, June 7.

5/24/2026



\$19,442.00
6,443.00 ParishSOFT
 \$25,885.00

5/25/2025

\$16,105.00
6,593.00 ParishSOFT
 \$22,698.00



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The new Prayer Shawl Ministry is off to a great start with over 30 handmade shawls made to date!

If you crochet or knit, this ministry is for you! To date, shawls have been donated to people undergoing cancer treatment and those who have lost a loved one. If you know of anyone who could use a reminder of God's warmth and love, please email prayershawlministrySROL@yahoo.com or call Outreach at 516-798-4954 to request a shawl. Each shawl is weaved with prayer and love!

LAST MEETING DATE BEFORE THE FALL: THURSDAY, JUNE 4. The meeting is from 1:00-2:30 pm in the Father Graham Center Meeting Room in the Outreach Building.

*If anyone can't attend this meeting date but would like to participate, email prayershawlministrySROL@yahoo.com for a copy of the pattern, prayers and drop off info.

As always, yarn donations always welcome!

Thank you for your support!



JT Parker
fiveloavesministries.org

FIVE LOAVES

MINISTRIES

- EST. 2025 -

A ministry serving High School , College and Twenty-something St. Rose Parishioners

For more information contact: jt@fiveloavesmin.org



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

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

We were baptized in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bringing us into this intimate family. Holy Trinity highlights how distinct persons can be perfectly one, encouraging harmony amidst diversity in our families and communities.

The pantry is starting to run low on these items:

- Juice Bottles & Boxes
- Coffee (10-13 oz.)
- BBQ Sauce
- Canned Yams (small)
- Cranberry Sauce (whole & jellied)
- Sugar (1-2 lb.)
- Canned Whole White Potatoes
- Salt/Flour
- Broth (chicken, beef, vegetable)
- Tomato Puree
- Chicken Stuffing & Gravy
- Gravy (chicken)
- Brownie Mix
- Toilet Paper
- Shampoo
- Tissues
- Dish Detergent
- Laundry Detergent (30-31 oz.)

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: 516-541-1712

E-mail: religioused@srolchurch.org

Website: www.srolchurch.org

Facebook: St. Rose of Lima Office of Faith Formation



FAITH FORMATION

GRADE LEVEL MASSES

JUNE 7 - CORPUS CHRISTI

2ND GRADE AT 10:00 AM

8TH GRADE AT 5:15 PM

2026-27 FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

STANDARD RATE REGISTRATION FEES IN EFFECT!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION FOR THE 2026-2027 FORMATION YEAR HAS BEEN EMAILED TO ALL FAMILIES CURRENTLY PARTICIPATING IN THE PROGRAM. VISIT THE PARISH WEBSITE AND LOOK FOR THE REGISTRATION LINK BY CLICKING 'DONATE ONLINE' IN THE UPPER RIGHTHAND CORNER OF THE HOME PAGE.

STANDARD RATES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1 CHILD \$230, 2 CHILDREN \$300, 3 OR MORE CHILDREN \$340
CATECHIST DISCOUNT \$50.

INCOMING 7TH & 8TH GRADE PARENT/STUDENT
MANDATORY MEETING

WED., JUNE 3RD AT 5:00 PM & 6:30 PM
IN THE CHURCH. PLEASE ATTEND THE SESSION OF YOUR CHOICE. INFORMATION WILL BE SHARED REGARDING 7TH & 8TH GRADE REQUIREMENTS & A PACKET WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO EACH STUDENT.

INCOMING 2ND GRADE CATECHIST MEETING

MONDAY, JUNE 8 AT 6:30 PM IN THE
RECTORY MEETING ROOM

AND

INCOMING 7TH GRADE CHOSEN FACILITATOR TRAINING

THURSDAY, JUNE 11 AT 6:30 PM IN THE
RECTORY MEETING ROOM

*THE ENTRANCE DOOR IS LOCATED TO THE LEFT OF THE FOUR GARAGE DOORS BETWEEN THE CHURCH AND THE RECTORY.

****CATECHISTS (Teachers) NEEDED!****

WE ARE IN NEED OF CATECHISTS FOR OUR SCHOOL PROGRAM ON TUESDAYS FOR GRADE 8 AND SPECIAL NEEDS. PLEASE CONTACT GRACE IN THE OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION AT GRACER@SROLCHURCH.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION.

PLEASE NOTE!

MASS SHEETS ARE DUE BACK BY JUNE 15TH!

June 3 -11

Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus



United States
Conference of
Catholic Bishops

This Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus draws its daily devotions from the [Litany of the Sacred Heart](#).

Each day reflects on the wisdom of saints and pontiffs on the Sacred Heart and offers opportunities for prayer and action, framed by Pope Francis' encyclical [Dilexit Nos](#) (He Loved Us) and Pope Leo XIV's apostolic exhortation [Dilexi Te](#) (I Have Loved You).

The novena concludes with the consecration of the United States to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.



usccb.org/weholdthesetruths

“RADIO BINGO” DONORS

These local businesses have generously donated to the success of our “Radio Bingo” event. All proceeds from that night went to support the SROL Pantry & Outreach. We are most grateful for their generous support!

Antoni Ravioli
 Johnny McGorey’s Irish Pub
 Salon tenfortyone
 Bango Bowls
 American Beauty in the Park
 Shrimpy’s
 Krisch’s Restaurant & Ice Cream
 Lemon Tree
 Mario’s Pizzeria & Restaurant
 Broadway Gourmet
 Tap Room
 Denise & Company Salon
 Bacaro Italian Tavern
 The Good Life
 J & R Discount
 Carvel (Park Blvd.)
 Esther Nails
 Greek Street
 Leonardo’s Pizza & Restaurant
 Ephesus Mediterranean Grill &
 Turkish Cuisine
 Taglio Roman Style Pizza
 Arlo Drug Store
 Dolcezza
 Nani Rose
 Dunkin’ Donuts (Broadway)
 Village Farms IGA
 Tim’s Florist
 Massapequa Perk
 Good Old Gold
 The Coffee Grind
 Shoe Repair (Broadway)
 New Broadway Wine & Liquor
 Phil’s 2 Pizzeria & Restaurant

Zona
 The Rich Pour
 Grooming Tails
 Mercato Kitchen & Cocktails
 Corner Galley
 Tropical Smoothie Café
 Advent Shop
 Bagel Café
 Burns Park Deli
 Dina’s Cleaners
 Gino’ Tuscany Restaurant & Pizzeria
 The Granola Bar
 Great American Jewelry
 Gregorio’s Pizzeria & Trattoria
 Guac Shop Mexican Grill
 HIT The Gym
 I Memory Nail Spa
 MB Nails & Relaxation Spa
 Orangetheory Fitness
 Sal’s Meat Market
 Sal & Co. Haircutters
 Sarah’s Nails
 Zuvich Law Firm
 Marshall’s Ice Cream Bar
 Massapequa Diner
 Pizzeria Undici
 Carmela’s
 All American
 The Cop Shop
 Carmine D’Orsi
 Rosa BLU Salon
 Donna Fazio
 Shea Trucking Inc.
 James Funeral Home (Massapequa)

A HUGE “THANK YOU” TO ALL OF OUR PANTRY VOLUNTEERS WHO GAVE OF THEIR TIME, TALENT & TREASURE TO MAKE “RADIO BINGO” SUCH A GREAT & SUCCESSFUL EVENING.

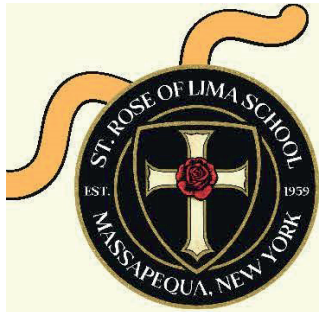
ALSO, THANK YOU TO OUR PARISHIONERS WHO PURCHASED LOTTO & 50/50 RAFFLE TICKETS.



HONORING SACRED
PRESENCE AND
DEVOTION ON
CORPUS CHRISTI

SUNDAY,
JUNE 7

IMMEDIATELY
FOLLOWING THE
12:00 PM MASS
WE WILL PROCESS
AROUND THE OUTSIDE
OF THE CHURCH AND
END WITH
BENEDICTION



ST ROSE OF LIMA FAMILY FESTIVAL

JULY 22, 23, 24, 25, 26

COME FOR THE RIDES & STAY FOR THE ENTERTAINMENT

Join us for unforgettable nights of fun, food, and community featuring live music and performances on our showmobile!



- 22 - 26 July 2026
- St. Rose of Lima
4704 Merrick Rd, Massapequa
- Weeknights 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Weekends 6:00PM - 11:00PM

BECOME A SPONSOR

Below are multiple sponsorship opportunities to consider. Sponsors will be recognized on our school website, social media platforms, church bulletin, and through signage displayed prominently throughout the festival.

- Showmobile \$4,000
- Large Rides - \$2,500
- Wheel of Chance Booth - \$2,500
- Kiddies Rides - \$500
- Rock Climbing/ Radar Pitch - \$500
- Business Tent Sponsor - \$75
- Family Sponsor - \$50

- ★ **\$1,000+ Sponsors:** Featured on Merrick Rd. LED Sign
- ★ **\$3,000+ Sponsors:** Receive 4x Unlimited Ride Bracelets (1 Night)



SCAN ME!

Please select your sponsorship level and return with your check payable to: *St. Rose of Lima School* and mail to:
St. Rose of Lima
Attn: Family Festival Sponsorship
2 Bayview Ave., Massapequa NY 11758





The Federal Scholarship Tax Credit: Support Students at No Cost to You

Starting **January 1, 2027**, a new federal law provides an historic opportunity to support Catholic education by redirecting a portion of your federal taxes directly to student scholarships.

What is it and how does it work?

- **Dollar-for-Dollar Credit:** This is a **100% tax credit**, not just a deduction. For every dollar you contribute to a Scholarship Granting Organization (SGO), your federal tax bill is reduced by that same amount.
- **Credit Limits:** Every individual who pays federal tax can receive a credit of up to **\$1,700** (or **\$3,400 for married couples** filing jointly).
- **No Out-of-Pocket Cost:** Because the contribution reduces your tax liability dollar-for-dollar, you are simply "redirecting" money you already owe the IRS to support local students.
- **Generous Eligibility:** Scholarships serve students from households with an income up to **300% of their county's median income**.

An Urgent Call to Action: Contact Governor Hochul

For families to benefit from this program, the State of New York must "opt-in". Visit <https://bit.ly/2026FSTC> to contact Governor Hochul and urge her to opt-in to the FSTC.

- **Annual Requirement:** The state's participation is not permanent; the Governor must choose to opt-in on an **annual basis**.
- **Urgent Advocacy:** It is critical that we contact Governor Hochul now to urge her to opt-in for the 2027 tax year.
- **Keeping Dollars in New York:** If New York does not opt-in, donations from New Yorkers can still be made to SGOs in other states, meaning our tax dollars would leave New York to support students elsewhere.

How to Support Long Island's Catholic Schools

While federal law prevents donors from directing a scholarship to a *specific child*, you have the power to choose which community benefits:

- **Designate Our School:** When you contribute, you can direct the SGO to send your donation to a **specific diocese or even a specific school**.

Timeline: The credit becomes claimable for the **2027 tax year** (filed in 2028).

This is a "win-win" for our families and parish communities. By contacting Governor Hochul and participating in this program, you can ensure your tax dollars stay local to support a child's Catholic education.



St. Rose of Lima Tree of Life

*The Perfect Place
To Remember That Important Time
Or Special Someone In Your Life*



*The St. Rose of Lima Tree Of Life
is really the Family Tree of our Parish.
There's no better way to share an important moment
with all your family than by placing it on a leaf—
forever.*

Follow these simple directions:
You can choose up to 20 letters or space on each line, and up to four lines on each leaf.
Please print, leaving spaces as necessary on the lines below, exactly as you want it to appear.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Payment Plan (check one)
____ \$2,000 in full ___ Monthly installments (to be approved by Rectory)
Please make checks to: St. Rose of Lima Church
Mail to: St. Rose Of Lima, 2 Bayview Avenue, Massapequa, NY 11758

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:

Prayers for the sick from the pulpit and in our weekly bulletin: Please call the rectory during regular business hours (516-798-4992) 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.)*

Parish Prayer Intention Book: 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.

Charismatic Prayer Group prayer box: 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.

Prayer Line Ministry: 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.

For the Military: Call the rectory to request prayers for those serving in the military, and we will print the person's name and the branch they serve in, in the bulletin on a recurring basis.



AROUND THE DIOCESE...

Babylon Chorale - The Babylon Chorale, eVoco Mixed Ensemble and Manhasset Choirs present "Democracy 250" - a concert with chorus and orchestra - on Saturday, June 6 at 7 pm and Sunday, June 7 at 4 pm at Manhasset Secondary School Auditorium in Manhasset. For more information, see www.evoco.vc or www.babylonchorale.org.


Supermarket Bingo & Chinese Auction - Our Lady of Lourdes is hosting a Supermarket Bingo and Auction on Sunday, May 31. The event is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus & Columbiettes of the Our Lady of the Island Council. Doors open at 1:00 pm and games begin at 2:00 pm. It will be cash or check only payable to OLI Columbiettes. Seating is limited so purchase your tickets as soon as possible. Call Joan at 516-659-6519 or Diane at 516-445-9128.

DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE



Holy Hour & Eucharistic Procession


"Evangelizing is in fact the grace and vocation proper to the Church..." — Pope St. Paul VI, Evangelii Nuntiandi



Join us as the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage travels the Eastern Seaboard in celebration of America's 250th Anniversary.

While the National Pilgrims rest on Long Island, our Diocese will unite in prayer through a special Holy Hour—offering a meaningful opportunity to spiritually participate in this historic pilgrimage.

President:
Bishop
John O. Barres



Preacher:
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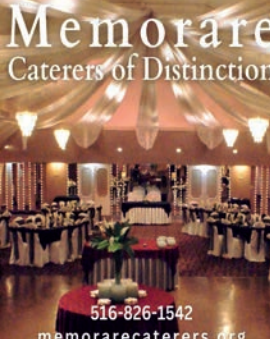


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