

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, 8:00 pm and Thursday, 8:00 am

Weekly Rosary:

Monday, 7:00pm

Pastoral Team

PASTOR:

Rev. Gerard Gentleman

ASSOCIATE PASTORS

Rev. Frank Zero
Rev. Reynaldo Omamalin

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
[Facebook.com/strosemassapequa](https://www.facebook.com/strosemassapequa)
YouTube, St.Rose R.C Church
www.stroseschool.net



B U L L E T I N

St. Rose Of Lima Catholic Church

Sunday, August 23, 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., 8/24 St. Bartholomew, Apostle

7:30 Theresa Cirrito
9:00 Richard Rose
7:30 Eddie Bauer

**Tue., 8/25 St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz,
Priest**

7:30 Antoinette Favlae
9:00 For the Intention of Hector Lafont & Elisha Winsor

Wed., 8/26 Weekday

7:30 Ruth Da'Vanzo
9:00 Alphonse Falco

Thu., 8/27 St. Monica

7:30 Henry Cook
9:00 Richard Kellar

**Fri., 8/28 St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor
of the Church**

7:30 Alexander Tamborrino
9:00 Mary Catherine Owen

**Sat., 8/29 The Passion of St. John the
Baptist**

8:00 Kelly Covello, James Dietz,
Joseph Ganci, Nancy Binda,
Michael Romaine, Robert Yurasits

**Sat., 8/29 Vigil: Twenty-Second Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

5:15 Joseph John Buckheit

**Sun., 8/30 Twenty-Second Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

8:00 Justin Fusco, Brian Lavallee, Paul Romann,
Ari Krapin, Peter Richard,
Giovanni Gandolfo, Paul Delmore
10:00 Jenna Jean Tuller
12:00 Mass for the People
5:15 Kayla Mary-Elisabeth Haselein





...from Fr. Gerard

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my Savior.

The liturgies of the last two Saturdays were focused on the Blessed Mother. On August 15, we celebrated the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and this Saturday, August 22, we celebrated the Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This memorial was established by Pope Pius XII in 1954 as part of the Marian Year, marking the centenary of the proclamation of the dogma of the Immaculate Conception. He instituted the feast through the encyclical *Ad Caeli Reginam* ("To the Queen of Heaven").

Originally celebrated on May 31, the memorial was moved to August 22 in the post-Vatican II revision of the Roman Calendar. The date was chosen to connect Mary's Queenship with the Solemnity of the Assumption, providing the church with a spiritual and theological progression: Mary, assumed body and soul into heaven, shares in the glory of her Son and is honored as Queen.

The title "Queen" has deep roots in Christian tradition. From the earliest centuries, Christians recognized Mary as the mother of Christ the King. Mary's Queenship, however, is very different from worldly power. Her crown is the crown of humility, faith, and loving service. Our Blessed Mother always points us to her Son here in our earthly experience, and ultimately in the heavenly kingdom prepared for us. Never keeping our attention on herself, she always leads us to Him. As a servant Queen, she teaches us that true greatness is not found in being served, but in saying yes to God and becoming a servant of others.

Like Mary, may we trust God's plan, serve with humility, and allow Christ to reign more fully in our hearts and in our lives.

SAINT ROSE OF LIMA – This Sunday, August 23, is also the feast day of St. Rose of Lima, the patron Saint of our parish.

St. Rose of Lima was born in Lima, Peru on April 20, 1586. Her father was a Puerto Rican who had come to Peru in 1548 with the Spanish conquistadors. She received the name Rose when a housemaid, gazing upon her when she was still an infant, remarked, "She's as lovely as a rose." Her mother decided that Rose would be her daughter's name, and later she was given that name at the time of confirmation.

As a young girl growing up, Rose was given to austerities: fasting and mortification. Because her parents denied her permission to enter a convent and because she preferred not to marry, she endured much misunderstanding from her parents and friends. She continued, however, to remain at home, but she lived a secluded life. To do her share in supporting the family, she did needlework and sold the flowers she cultivated. When she was 20 years of age, she joined the Third Order of St. Dominic and converted a little hut in the backyard into a hermitage where she often went to pray. She also transformed a room in her parents' house into a sort of infirmary where she cared for destitute children and elderly people.

She died on August 24, 1617 at the age of 31, and she was canonized by Pope Clement X in 1671. St. Rose of Lima is the first saint from the Americas. The Mass prayer on her feast day recalls her austerity of life and the fervor of her love of God.

As we prepare to begin our year-long celebration of our parish's 75th Anniversary, let us pray for the intercession of St. Rose on our parish and its mission to serve this community.

LITANY OF SAINT ROSE OF LIMA

Lord, have mercy on us. Christ have mercy on us.
 Christ graciously hear us.
 Saint Rose of Lima, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, dear to the Virgin Mary, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, who disliked worldly vanity, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, perfect example of an angelic life, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, flower among the thorns, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, example of patience and mortification,
 Pray for us.
 St. Rose, victorious over temptation, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, favored by appearances of the Blessed Virgin
 Mary, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, devoted to heavenly contemplation, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, full of God's love, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, passionate for the salvation of souls, Pray for us.

St. Rose, whose charity was not stopped by persecution,
 Pray for us.
 St. Rose, full of the love of Jesus and Mary, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, first flower of sanctity in America. Pray for us.
 St. Rose, sweet-scented rose of piety and virtue,
 Pray for us.
 St. Rose, servant of God perfectly united with Him,
 Pray for us.
 St. Rose, lover of prayer and solitude. Pray for us.
 St. Rose, merciful friend of sinners, Pray for us.
 St. Rose, consoler of the sick and help of the needy,
 Pray for us.
 St. Rose, beloved by God, Pray for us.

Pray for us, O holy St. Rose,
 That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

FR. JOE MCCANN CONTACT INFO: Vincentian Community, Sybil Hill, Raheny, Dublin (D05 AE38)

josephfrancismccann@gmail.com



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REMEMBERING LOVED ONES

*The Bread and Wine consecrated for the weekend masses was donated
in loving memory of Celeste DeSilvio on her Birthday,
with love from Anne Marie and Tom Immerso.*

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*The Bread and Wine consecrated for the weekday masses was donated
in loving memory of Celeste and Domenick DeSilvio on their Anniversary,
with love from Anne Marie and Tom Immerso.*

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*The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week
in loving memory of Eddie Bauer on his 24th Anniversary in Heaven,
with love from Mom, Elaine and Stephen.*

Welcome to the Newly-Baptized



*Olivia Rose Angarita
Zevanya Mariana Chowdhury
Nicholas James Marisi
Carter Matthew Lertora
William George Machusky III
Sophia Rose Mangravite
Michael Vincent Pagano
Vienna Rose Votinelli*

In Your Prayers, Remember the Sick...

*Victor Alocco, Barbara Bovenzi,
Tom C., Caroly Chiappetta,
Penelope Fiore, Danielle Lorusso,
Owen, Joan Wiczoren, Jeff Zero*



Wedding Banns

2nd Time

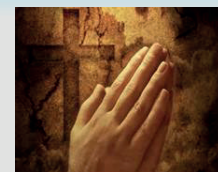
Maxwell Griffith & Cassandra Simpson,
both of St. Rose of Lima
Dillon Ventura, St. Thomas the Apostle,
W. Hempstead, NY &
Melissa Mancuso, St. Rose of Lima

3rd Time

Robert Reichel, Sacred Heart, Island Park, NY &
Hannah Murphy, St. Rose of Lima
Elvin Acosta & Elsa Santiago,
both of St. Rose of Lima
Vincent DiPolito & Daniela Leone,
both of Maria Regina, Seaford, NY
Sean Linhart, St. Aidan, Williston Park, NY &
Jessica Della Speranza, St. Rose of Lima
Joseph White, St. Rose of Lima &
Kali Schlecal, Babylon, NY

Please Pray for the Souls of the Recently Deceased

Kathleen Goeren



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, September 5 at 8:00 am

Centering Prayer - Thursday, September 3 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, September 5 at 7:15 am. This will be held in church as well as livestreamed on our website and Facebook page.

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

Rosary Making - Wednesday, September 2 at 5:30 pm in the Fr. Graham Center



For those who recently lost a loved one, our Bereavement Support Group may help you.

The group will meet at St. Rose beginning on Wednesday, September 16. Registration is required. Please call Outreach at 516-798-4954 for more information.



8/16/2026

\$16,726.00
6,253.00 ParishSOFT
 \$22,979.00

8/17/2025

\$16,444.00
5,640.00 ParishSOFT
 \$22,084.00



Bishop Barres has authorized a SPECIAL COLLECTION to assist the VICTIMS of the recent EARTHQUAKE in Colombia this weekend.

If you would like to donate online, just visit our website, srolchurch.org, and go to Second/Special Collections. It will be listed in that category.

Please be as generous as your means allow.



Join the Prayer Shawl Ministry!

If you crochet or knit, this ministry is for you. The meetings are once a month where shawls are lovingly made and then donated to the sick, elderly, grieving, those in rehab centers, hospitals and more.

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 blessed. We will meet on the second Thursday of each month at 1:00 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Meeting Room.

OUR NEXT MEETING DATE IS THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 from 1:00-2:00 pm in the Fr. Graham Center Meeting Room in the Outreach Building. Bring your favorite hook or needles. Yarn and instructions will be provided.

If you can't attend the meetings but would like to participate by making a shawl at home, email prayershawlministrySROL@yahoo.com for a copy of the pattern, prayers and drop off info.

As always, yarn donations are always welcome and can be left at the Outreach building or rectory, ATTN: Prayer Shawl Ministry. Thank you for your support!



St. Rose of Lima Parish Outreach PANTRY HOURS

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

Jesus giving Peter the keys to the kingdom is a profound symbol of Christ's trust, forgiveness, and the conferral of apostolic authority to open the doors of salvation to all of us.

The pantry is starting to run low on these items:

Jarred Pasta Sauce
Coffee (10-13 oz.) & Hot Cocoa
Jelly (strawberry)
Sugar (1-2 lbs.)
Cereal (Fruity Pebbles, Golden Grahams & Raisin Bran)
Gravy (Turkey & Chicken)
Pasta (Elbows, Penne, Fettuccine)
Plain Bread Crumbs
Chicken Stuffing
Brownie Mix
Mayo & Ketchup
Canned French Style Green Beans & Beets
Cranberry Sauce (whole & jellied)
Chicken Broth
Rice & Pasta Sides
Napkins
Chicken & Beef Ramen Noodles, Ind. Pkgs.
Dish Detergent
Bagged Potatoes

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: religiously@stolchurch.org

Website: www.stolchurch.org

Facebook: St. Rose of Lima Office of Faith Formation



FAITH FORMATION

THE FAITH FORMATION OFFICE IS **OPEN** FOR THE 2026-2027
SCHOOL YEAR!

CAMPUS PLACEMENT LETTERS WILL BE MAILED
MID-SEPTEMBER.

CLASSES WILL BEGIN BEFORE WE KNOW IT! OUR SATURDAY
PROGRAM (GRADES 1A-7) BEGINS ON **SEPT. 19TH**.

OUR TUESDAY PROGRAM (GRADES 1A-7)
BEGINS ON **SEPT. 22ND**.

2026-27 FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

LATE RATE REGISTRATION FEES IN EFFECT JUNE 16TH.

LATE RATE FEES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1 CHILD \$260, 2 CHILDREN \$330,

3 OR MORE CHILDREN \$370

CATECHIST DISCOUNT \$50

REGISTRATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY **AUG. 31ST** FOR HOME
GROUP MATERIALS TO BE GIVEN TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER.
MATERIALS FOR REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED AFTER **AUG. 31ST**
WILL NEED TO BE PICKED UP FROM THE OFFICE.

2026 CONFIRMATION DATES

WEDNESDAY, **OCTOBER 28TH** AT 12:00 & 3:30 PM

THURSDAY, **OCTOBER 29TH** AT 3:30 PM

AN EMAIL WAS SENT WITH ASSIGNED TIMES.

PLEASE EMAIL GRACE AT GRACER@STOLCHURCH.ORG
WITH ANY QUESTIONS. CONFIRMATION GOWNS WILL BE
AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP ON **SEPT. 8TH**

DURING RECONCILIATIONS.

SCHOOL CATECHIST MEETING

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27TH AT 6:30 PM

IN THE RECTORY MEETING ROOM

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

ARE YOU BEING CALLED TO SHARE YOUR FAITH? CONSIDER
JOINING US! WE ARE SEEKING VOLUNTEERS WILLING TO SHARE
THEIR FAITH WITH OUR PARISH CHILDREN. WE ARE IN NEED OF
CATECHISTS FOR OUR SCHOOL PROGRAM ON TUESDAYS

FOR OUR SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAM.

PLEASE CONTACT GRACE IN THE OFFICE OF
FAITH FORMATION AT GRACER@STOLCHURCH.ORG
FOR MORE INFORMATION.





Return of the Family Mass!



St. Rose of Lima celebrates its Family Mass each Sunday at 10 am. The Family Mass Team aims to provide our Family Mass with an environment where faith can be shared, developed, and renewed for all family members. Through our efforts, we hope to develop a true sense of community here in our parish.

Upcoming Family Mass Activity

Here's what's coming up for the St. Rose of Lima Family Mass:

Wednesday, September 9, 2026: Anyone interested in helping with the activities surrounding the St. Rose Family Mass is invited to join our 1st meeting of the year at 8 pm in the Rectory Boardroom.

Sunday, September 13, 2026: As you get ready to go back to school, the St. Rose of Lima Family Mass Team invites you to the Annual School Backpack Blessing. Children are encouraged to bring their backpack to the 10am Mass this Sunday for a special blessing. To commemorate the day, we will distribute a special item to the children.



Hope You Can Join Us!

If you have any questions about the Family Mass Team,
e-mail Matt Baroletti (mbaroletti@verizon.net).



JT Parker

fiveloavesministries.org

FIVE LOAVES

MINISTRIES

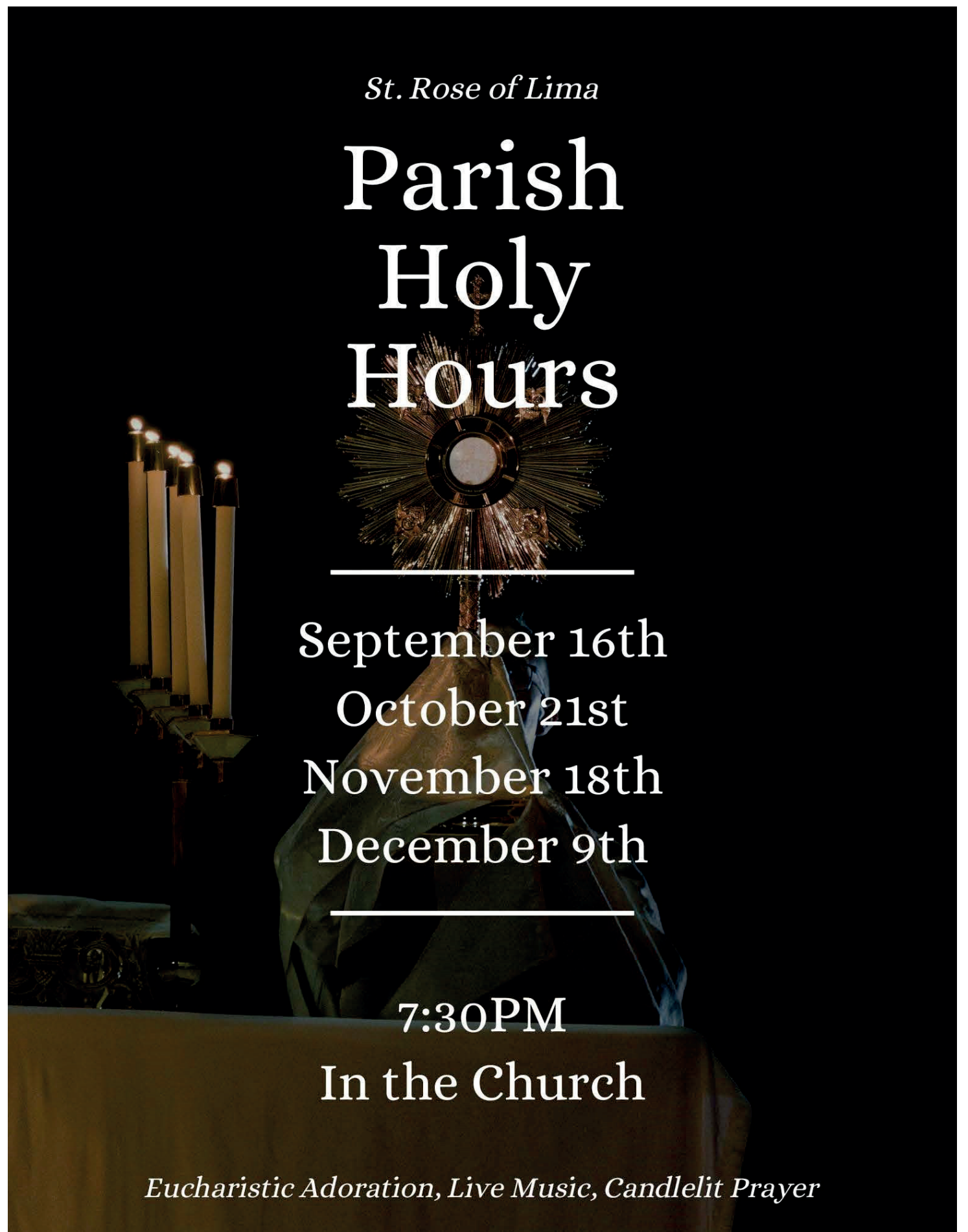
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A ministry serving High School , College
and Twenty-something
St. Rose Parishioners

For more information contact: jt@fiveloavesmin.org.

St. Rose of Lima

Parish Holy Hours

The background of the entire page is a dark, atmospheric photograph. On the left side, there is a candelabra with several lit white candles. In the center, a monstrance is visible, featuring a circular window with a white host inside, surrounded by a halo of radiating light rays. The monstrance is resting on a surface covered with a light-colored, possibly white, cloth. The overall lighting is dim, with the primary light sources being the candles and the monstrance's halo.

September 16th
October 21st
November 18th
December 9th

7:30PM
In the Church

Eucharistic Adoration, Live Music, Candlelit Prayer

ST. ROSE OF LIMA

SUNDAY CONVERSATIONS

SEPTEMBER 27TH

OCTOBER 18TH

NOVEMBER 8TH

DECEMBER 6TH

EXPLORE IMPORTANT FAITH TOPICS

GATHER FOR A REFLECTION WITH COFFEE
AND LIGHT REFRESHMENTS
FOLLOWING THE NOON MASS

St. Rose Parish
75th Anniversary Season
 John Buckel
 Director of Music

MUSIC MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES 2026-2027

Calling all volunteers!
From pre-k and up, there's a
place for you here!

Youth & Advanced Bell Ensembles
(grades 4-7 & 8-12)

Parish Choir *(high school & up)*

Cherub Choir & Children's Choir
(grades k-2/ 3-8)

Mrs. Diane Griffin, Director of the
 Cherub and Children's Choirs, can be
 reached at dgriffin@molloy.edu.



Mr. Liam Gordon
 Contemporary Mass, Leader of Song
High School & College musicians welcome!

Would you consider sharing your musical talent?
 Contact Mr. Buckel, Mrs. Griffin, or Mr. Gordon.
 We would love to hear from you!

St. Rose of Lima Church

Email: johnb@srolchurch.org
 Phone: (516) 798 4992 x240

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

ST. ROSE CYO

SPORT REGISTRATION



REGISTER

WWW.STROSECYO.ORG

QUESTIONS?

VISIT OUR HOME PAGE FOR FAQs

-OR-

CONTACT ST. ROSE CYO

 office@strosecyo.org

 516-709-0260

TRAVEL SPORTS ELIGIBILITY

All participants must be travel-eligible based on CYO Long Island (CYOLI) rules.

Before registering, please confirm eligibility by visiting the St. Rose CYO homepage or contacting St. Rose CYO directly.

LITTLE ALL-STARS

Boys & Girls Ages 3-4

 Registration Opens: August 3, 2026 @ 8:00 AM

 Registration Closes: August 31, 2026 @ 12 noon

FALL TRACK

Boys & Girls Grades 1-8

 Limited spots available in each grade

 Must live in 11758 or 11762, or attend St. Rose School

 Registration Opens: August 3, 2026 @ 8:00 AM

 Registration Closes: August 31, 2026 @ 12 noon

 Late registration available with added fee through 9/4/26 at 12 noon

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

K-3

 Registration Opens: August 3, 2026 @ 8:00 AM

 Registration Closes: September 28, 2026 @ 12 noon

 Late registration available with added fee through 10/2/26 at 12 noon

Boys Grades 4-7 & Girls Grades 4-8

 Registration Opens: August 3, 2026 @ 8:00 AM

 Registration Closes: September 28, 2026 @ 12 noon

 Late registration available with added fee through 10/9/26 at 12 noon

Boys Grades 8-12 & Girls Grades 9-12

 Registration Opens: August 3, 2026 @ 8:00 AM

 Registration Closes: November 23, 2026 @ 12 noon

TRAVEL HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Boys & Girls Grades 9-12

 Travel Rules Apply

 Registration Opens: August 3, 2026 @ 8:00 AM

 Registration Closes: August 31, 2026 @ 12 noon

TRAVEL SWIMMING

Boys & Girls Grades 1-12

 Travel Rules Apply

 Registration Opens: August 3, 2026 @ 8:00 AM

 Registration Closes: October 5, 2026 @ 12 noon

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ADULT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Fall Season

 Participants must be college age or above

 Registration Opens: August 3, 2026 @ 8:00 AM

 Registration Closes: August 31, 2026 @ 12 noon

TEAM REGISTRATION INFORMATION

For Team Managers

- Register your team and enter:
 - Your team name
 - Each player's name
 - Each player's email address
- Once registration is complete, the system will automatically email each player an invitation to join the team.

For Players

- Check your inbox for an email invitation.
- Click the link in the email to complete your registration.
- Registration must be completed through the email link provided.

Don't Have a Team? No problem!

- Email Brendan McAuley at mcauley.brendan@gmail.com to be added to the free-agent list. Placement is not guaranteed, but we'll do our best to connect you with a team!



25TH ANNIVERSARY



FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2026



8:30 AM

JOHN J. BURNS PARK
MASSAPEQUA, NY

TOWERS OF FREEDOM 9/11 MILITARY MONUMENT BOARD PRESENTS

OPERATION: UNITED WE STAND

MUSICAL PERFORMANCES BY

NICK TANGORRA
(SINGER SONGWRITER)

LYZA PARADISE
(SINGER SONGWRITER)

CHAR GOOD
(VIOLINIST)

PLEASE JOIN US

IN MARKING THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE WORLD TRADE CENTER ATTACKS

THERE WILL BE A BRIEF CEREMONY AND BLESSING WITH A WREATH PLACED AT THE MONUMENT TO HONOR ALL OF THOSE WE LOST ON THAT DAY AND TO THOSE WE HAVE LOST SINCE THEN. AT THE CONCLUSION OF OUR CEREMONY, FOUNDERS AND FIRST RESPONDERS, RETIRED NYPD DETECTIVE THOMAS SMITH, FDNY LIEUTENANT FRANK HASKELL, CHAIRMAN NICK TANGORRA & BOARD INVITE ALL IN ATTENDANCE TO PLACE A FLOWER ON THE HONOR BENCH AND RING THE BELL WITH A RESPECTFUL DEDICATION TO THEIR LOVED ONES.

JOIN US IMMEDIATELY AFTER AT GANNONS STATION CAFE (123 FRONT STREET) AT 11AM FOR REFRESHMENTS.

OBSERVANCE CONTINUES WITH SAINT ROSE OF LIMA'S SUNSET MASS AT THE MONUMENT AT 6PM

4990 MERRICK RD, MASSAPEQUA PARK, NY 11762

ALL ARE WELCOME





SAINT ROSE OF LIMA
AND
TOWERS OF FREEDOM
9/11 MILITARY MONUMENT

SUNSET
MASS



FRIDAY,
SEPTEMBER 11, 2026



6:00 PM



JOHN J. BURNS PARK
MASSAPEQUA, NY



ALL ARE WELCOME

4990 MERRICK RD, MASSAPEQUA PARK, NY 11762



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.)*

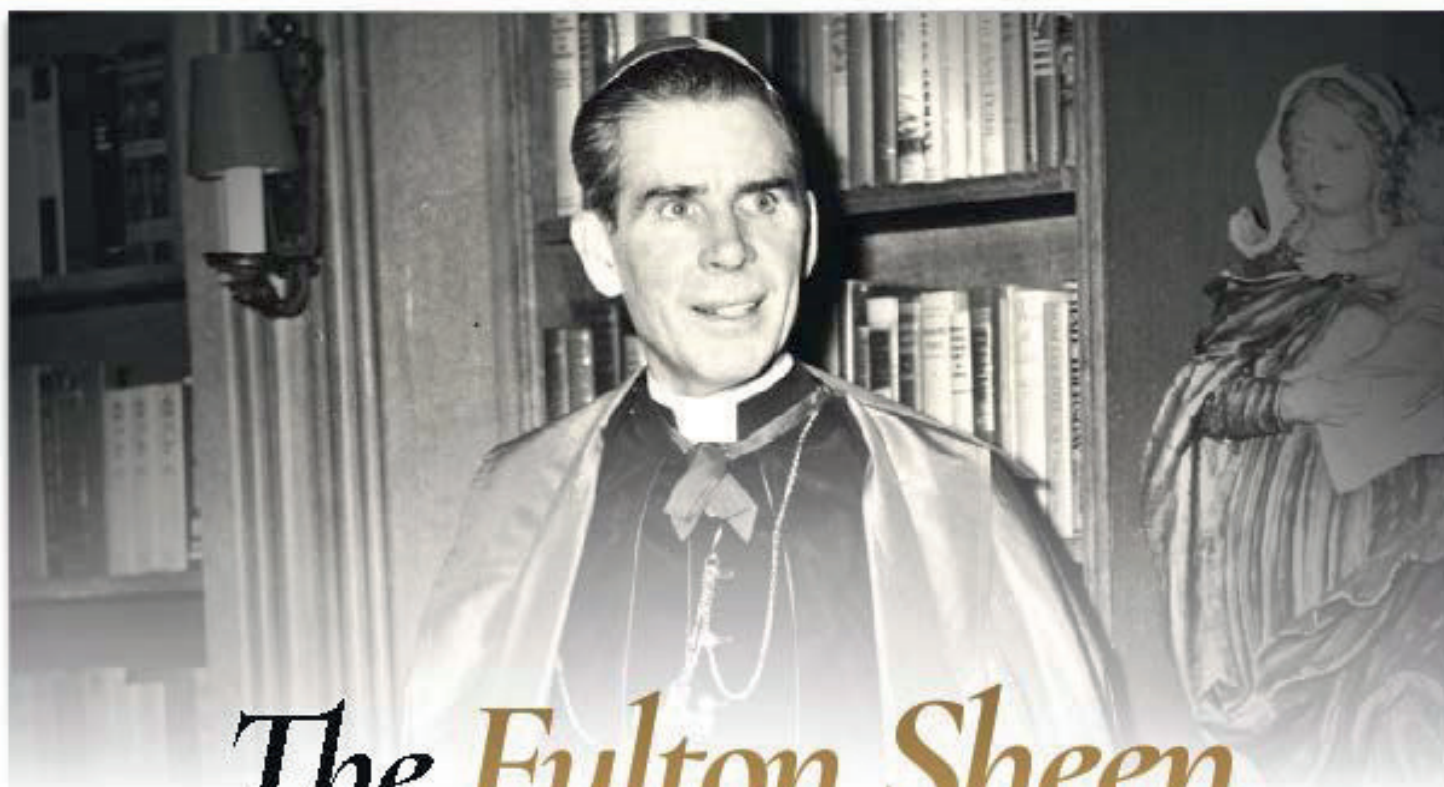
Parish Prayer Intention Book: A book is located in the church narthex by the statue of St. Rose of Lima, where you can write your prayer request. These prayers can be for any reason, including for those serving in the military, and will be included collectively in our Sunday and weekday Mass intentions.

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.





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Journey to Emmaus - A day retreat for men and women seeking post-abortion healing through faith, reflection, and renewal. It will be held on Saturday, September 19 from 8:30 am-4:30 pm—location to be determined when you register.

Kellenberg Memorial Golf Outing - Kellenberg Memorial H.S. is hosting their golf outing on Monday, September 21. Registration is open at Kellenberg.org/golf. A pickleball tournament and dinner to follow.

Life Center of Long Island Annual Gala - On Sunday, September 13 from 1:00-6:00 pm at the Mansion at Timber Point Country Club in Great River, the Life Center of Long Island will be hosting their Annual Gala, celebrating 40 years of hope. For information, please contact Lauren at 516-798-8746

Sundays at the Seminary - Friends of the Seminary are hosting special presentations, *Walking with the Saints*, beginning on Sunday, September 27. This will include St. Dominic and St. Francis of Assisi as well as an in-depth tour of the Immaculate Conception Seminary Chapels. For more information, visit www.retreatsic.org or email bmalone@retreatsic.org.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter - Discover the possibilities of a marriage lived as God intends it! There will be a weekend on Friday, September 18 through Sunday, September 20 or Friday, November 13 through Sunday, November 15 at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington. For information, call 917-699-2421.



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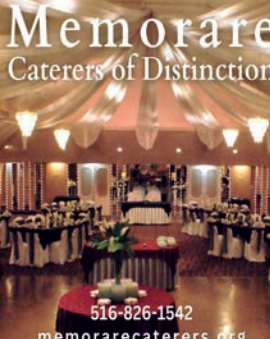
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