

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, 7:00 pm

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

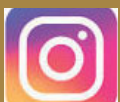
Barbara Pope, Coordinator

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Brian Jensen

SOCIAL MEDIA

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YouTube, St.Rose R.C Church
www.stroseschool.net



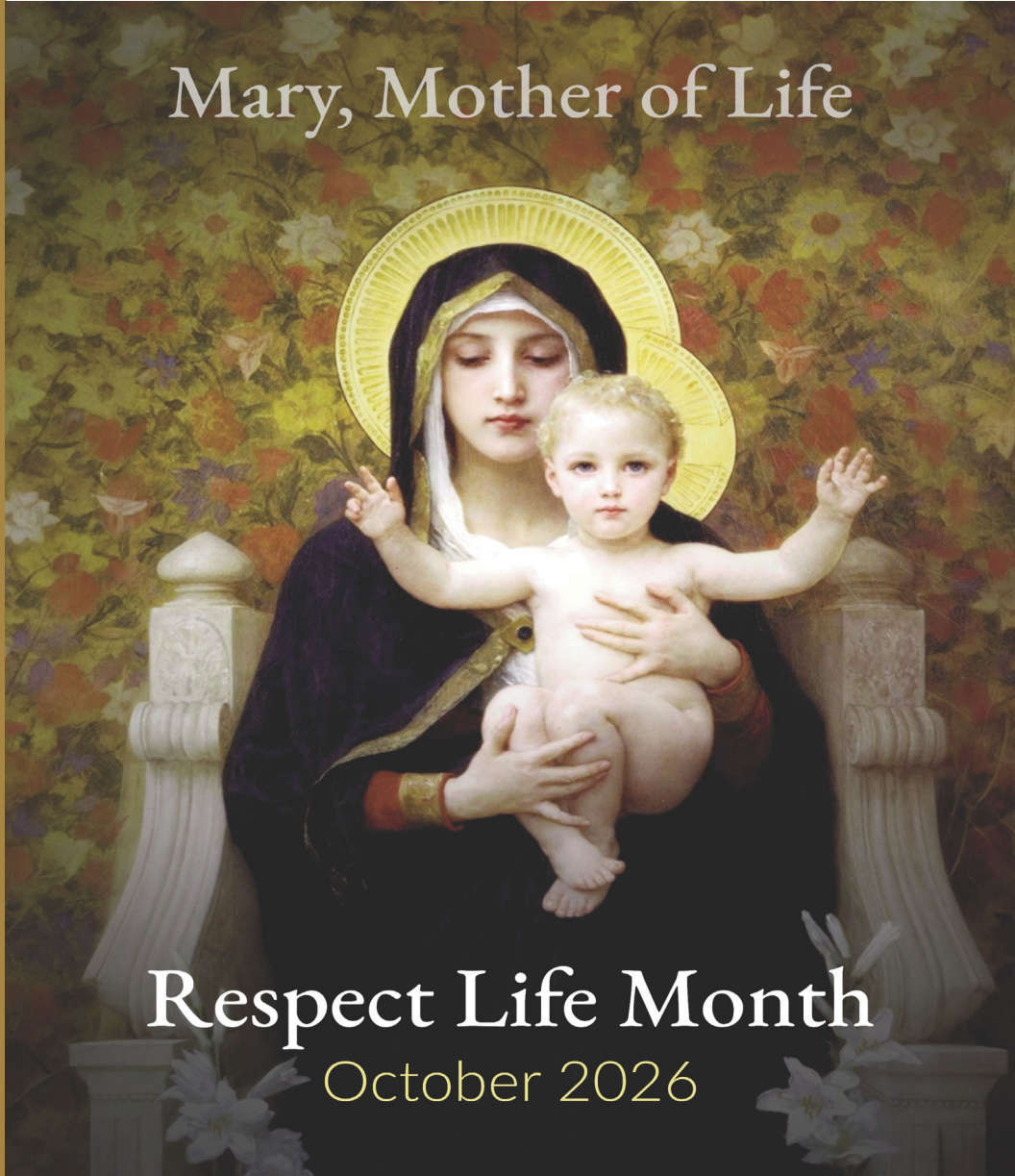
B U L L E T I N

St. Rose Of Lima Catholic Church

Sunday, October 25, 2026

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Mary, Mother of Life



Respect Life Month

October 2026

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 pm;
 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.

If you are interested in joining our parish, please see the Parish Info section on our website, www.srolchurch.org for details.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK**Mon., 10/26 Weekday**

7:30 Maria Concetta Virzi
 9:00 Rose DeLutio
 7:30 For the Intention of Mr. & Mrs. Paul Kwon

Tue., 10/27 Weekday

7:30 Diane Jaquin
 9:00 Alphonse Falco

Wed., 10/28 Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles

7:30 Ben & Jim Swierczewski
 9:00 Fran & Frank Giambanco

Thu., 10/29 Weekday

7:30 Joanne Garone
 9:00 Sheila Fay

Fri., 10/30 Weekday

7:30 Margaret & Albert Urbanowski
 9:00 Joseph Segreto

Sat., 10/31 Weekday

8:00 Cecilia Reilly, Barbara Lee,
 Frances & Eddie Hefferan,
 Mildred & Bob Johnston,
 Elizabeth & John Gillespie,
 Marion & Tom O'Connor

Sat., 10/31 Vigil: All Saints

5:15 Frances Lukianovich

Sun., 11/1 All Saints

8:00 Evelyn Patricia Farrell, John Patrick Farrell, Joseph Manuele, Antonio Rosina Crisci, Vincent O'Brien, Helen Bobrowski
 10:00 Justin Fusco
 12:00 Cataldo Sciscioli
 5:15 Mass for the People





...from Fr. Gerard

*We know that Christ, raised from the dead, dies no more;
death no longer has power over him.” (Romans 6:9)*

As Halloween approaches, our neighborhoods are filled with the familiar sights of pumpkins, ghosts, and other spooky decorations. Halloween can be a wonderful opportunity to appreciate the creativity, imagination, and fun that this time of year brings.

Yet, as I pass some of the more elaborate displays, I sometimes find myself reflecting on the place death has taken in our celebrations. Skeletons, graveyards, bloodied figures, and images of violence can become more than playful decorations. At times, it seems that death itself is being glorified, almost as though what is frightening, destructive, and lifeless has become something to celebrate.

As Christians, we approach the subject of death from a different perspective. We do not deny the reality of death, nor do we ignore the grief and suffering it brings. We remember those we have loved and lost, and we recognize how deeply death touches our lives. But we also believe that death does not have the final word. Our faith rests on the saving death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, who conquered sin and death and opened for us the promise of eternal life.

Saint Paul's words taken from his letter to the Romans are the foundation of our Christian hope. It is only because Christ has risen that we can face even the darkest realities of life - trusting that God's love is stronger than death and that the grave is not the end of our story.

This is an especially important reminder as Halloween gives way to the Church's celebration of All Saints' Day and the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed. The Church invites us to look beyond images of death and remember the saints who now share in the life of the risen Christ, as well as our loved ones for whom we continue to pray.

I have no desire to take the fun out of Halloween or to suggest that every skeleton or spooky decoration is cause for concern. There is room for humor, imagination, and even a little fright. But perhaps we can also ask ourselves what our celebrations communicate about life, death, and the things we value. As people of the Resurrection, however, we are called to be witnesses, not to the power of darkness, violence, or death, but to the enduring power of God's love and the promise of new life in Christ.

May the hope of the Resurrection shape not only what we believe, but also how we live, how we treat one another, and how we face the uncertainties of life.

NEW PRIEST ASSIGNMENT – This week Fr. Rey, who has served our parish since June, will be returning home to the Philippines. We are grateful for his priestly ministry these past few months and pray not only for his safe journey home but a continued fruitful priestly ministry. I hope that the blessings of his time with us will sustain him as he continues to serve the Lord. Another priest will be joining us, and I will have more information about that next week.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION - This week we will welcome the Most Reverend Andrzej Zglejszewski, Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of Rockville Centre, for the celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please keep our candidates for Confirmation, their sponsors, families and Bishop Andrzej in **your prayers this week.**

ALL SAINTS and ALL SOULS – The Solemnity of All Saints takes place next Sunday, November 1. The Commemoration of All Souls takes place on Monday, November 2. In addition to the morning masses, we will 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. On Monday, November 9, we will have our annual celebration of the Mass for Bereaved Parents and Family members, also at 7:30 pm.



Follow Fr. Gerard at twitter.com/frgerardinny



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES



The celebration of Holy Mass is the focal point of parish life, from which all other charities and ministries flow. The ministries that assist in the celebration of the Eucharist are, therefore, essential. Please consider the call to one of these liturgical ministries.



Ushers and Greeters – Hospitality and order are an essential component of liturgy. Please consider making yourself available to welcome, assist with seating, gathering the offertory and guiding the communion procession. All you need to do is speak to one of our ushers and let them know of your interest.



Altar Servers – Young people 4th grade and up are invited to be trained to serve at Sunday mass. See the bulletin for training dates and times.



Music Ministry – Our parish is blessed with an excellent and varied music ministry. From our adult choir to youth and cherub choirs and our bell choirs, we have many opportunities to share the gift of musical praise to the Lord. In addition, we are interested in growing our Sunday 5:15 p.m. Contemporary Music Mass. Teens and young adults who sing or play an instrument are invited to consider joining us of Sunday evenings. Anyone who is interested in knowing more about our music ministries should speak with our music director, John Buckel, or any other leader of song.



Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors – Assisting in the distribution of Holy Communion and the proclamation of scripture are sacred responsibilities in which we the faithful give service to the Lord. We are always in need of new people to serve these ministries. Practicing Catholics in good standing, including having a canonically valid marriage, and possess a good reputation, are asked to consider this important duty. The following are the upcoming training dates and locations for **Lector and EMHC** training.

Tuesday, November 10 - St. Elizabeth/Melville - Msgr. Kane Hall; 7 pm -10 pm **OR**

Monday, Nov. 16 - St. Agnes Cathedral/RVC - Msgr. Kelly Parish Center; 7 pm - 10 pm

We are also in need of EMHC for the homebound. Special training for that ministry is available on and at:

Tuesday, Nov. 17 - St. Elizabeth/Melville - Msgr. Kane Hall; 7 pm - 9 pm **OR Monday,**

Nov. 30 - St. Agnes Cathedral/DRVC - Msgr. Kelly Parish Center; 7 pm - 9 pm

Please call **Cathy Wilcox** in the rectory office or email her at cathyw@srolchurch.org to register for these trainings.

Church of St. Rose of Lima
2 Bayview Avenue, Massapequa, N.Y. 11758

**Fall 2026 EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION (EM) and
MINISTER OF THE WORD (LECTOR) APPLICATION FORM**

To be accepted as an EM or Lector, you must be 18 years old and a registered parishioner; you cannot be married outside the Church without permission, and/or you cannot be divorced and remarried without a Church Annulment. You need to be faithful in your weekly participation at Sunday Mass and generally try to live in accord with Catholic values. In addition, you are required to take a *VIRTUS* training workshop- you can sign up at www.virtusonline.org. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Cathy Wilcox at cathyw@srolchurch.org or 516.798.4992.

This application must be returned to Cathy by Tuesday, October 27.

Name _____

Telephone _____

Address _____

E-mail _____

Date & Place of Wedding _____

Check which session you would like to attend:

Lector workshop & EM (part A) training-

_____ Tuesday, November 10 St. Elizabeth, Melville- Msgr Kane Hall 7-10 pm

_____ Monday, November 16 St. Agnes Cathedral, RVC- Msgr Kelly Cntr 7-10 pm

EM (part B- for the Homebound) training- Please note, you must complete Part A first.

_____ Tuesday, November 17 St. Elizabeth, Melville- Msgr Kane Hall 7-9 pm

_____ Monday, November 30 St. Agnes Cathedral, RVC- Msgr Kelly Cntr 7-9 pm

A letter from Fr. Gerard will be sent to the Diocese to register your session.
Once we receive confirmation of your training, you will be officially installed as an EM.

After you are installed, what Mass time do you wish to be scheduled for?

_____ Saturday 5:15 pm Mass

_____ Sunday 8:00 am Mass

_____ Sunday 10:00 am (family Mass)

_____ Sunday 12:00 pm (choir Mass)

_____ Sunday 5:15 pm (contemporary music Mass)



REMEMBERING LOVED ONES

*The Bread and Wine consecrated for the weekend masses was donated
in loving memory of Maria Valeria Bietti on her 1st Year Anniversary in Heaven,
with love from all our loving family members.*

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*The Bread and Wine consecrated for the weekday masses was donated
in loving memory of Rose DeLutio on her 15th Anniversary in Heaven,
with love from Susan, Alan, Tom and Vickie.*

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*The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week
in loving memory of Frank Robert Delfino,
with love from Susan and Joseph Contorno.*

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*The Altar Candles are lit this week in honor of Jayne Galbraith and Reagan Cordeau
on the celebration of their Confirmation on October 28, 2026,
with love from Grandma and Grandpa Caccavo.*

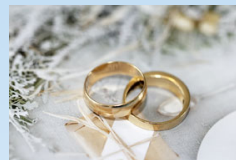
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*The Processional Candles are lit this week
in loving memory of Donato Balsamo on his 1st Anniversary in Heaven,
with love from the Costanza Family.*

Welcome to the Newly-Baptized



*Andrew Joseph Alvarez
John Michael Batt
Keira Rae Bradley
Sonny Cameron Cortina
Weston John Counihan
Sydney Katherine Honeyman*



Wedding Banns

1st Time

***Joseph Salvatore Zawol, St. Barnabas, Bellmore, NY &
Caroline Marie Defina, St. Rose of Lima***

2nd Time

***Peter Spoto & Deanna Derasmo,
both of St. Rose of Lima***

3rd Time

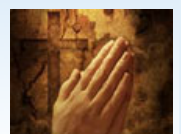
***Thomas Galli & Ruth Rodriguez,
both of St. Rose of Lima***

In Your Prayers, Remember the Sick...

*Fr. Peter Liu
Alice Roller
Mary Rose
Vincent Sony Scola
Matthew Strick
Carol Tranchina*

Please Pray for the Souls of the Recently Deceased...

Christopher James Durham



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, November 7 at 8:00 am

Centering Prayer - Thursday, November 5 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, November 7 at 7:15 am in the church as well as livestreamed on our website and Facebook page.

My Club - Tuesday, October 27 at 6:30 pm in the Fr. Graham Center

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

Rosary Society - Tuesday, November 3 at 7:00 pm in the Fr. Graham Center



10/18/2026

\$17,762.00
5,944.00 ParishSOFT
 \$23,706.00

10/19/2025

\$19,880.00
7,101.00 ParishSOFT
 \$26,981.00

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE

Spiritual God-Parent Adoption Program



Ninth Month - Baby is Born

"I'm here!"



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 very much.

Prayer and Action

This is the last week of the **BABY SHOWER**

All gifts will be donated to
The Life Center of Long Island & Birthright

for mothers in need.

Disposable diapers (size 4, 5 & 6 most needed), 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 75th Anniversary Year Opening Mass

HONORING OUR PAST • CELEBRATING OUR FAITH • PREPARING FOR OUR 75TH

Sunday, November 15 • 12:00 PM Mass

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church

Join us as we begin a special year of prayer,
remembrance, and celebration leading to the
75th Anniversary of St. Rose of Lima.

This liturgy will open a year of celebrations!

Ministry Fair will follow Mass in the Saint Rose Gym



Saint Rose of Lima Ministry Fair

Looking for ways to serve the Lord and our parish community? Come explore 20+ parish ministries and discover how you can get involved!

November 15th

1:00pm to 2:00pm

Saint Rose of Lima Gym

Refreshments, children's craft table, and more!





St. Rose of Lima Parish Outreach PANTRY HOURS

Monday - Wednesday 10am-2pm

Thursday 10am-12pm

When Christianity took root in the Celtic lands, the Church viewed the ancient bonfires as symbols of Christ, the Light of the World. Prayers for the dead became acts of mercy. The fear of death was overcome by the triumph of the Resurrection celebrated in the feasts of All Saints and All Souls.

The pantry is starting to run low on these items:

Juice Bottles
Cereal (Corn Flakes, Rice Krispies)
Pasta & Rice Sides
Canned Yams (15oz.)
Applesauce
Canned Peaches
Sugar (1-2 lbs.)
Jarred Pasta Sauce
Gravy
Pasta (penne, bow ties, cavatappi, farfalle)
Canned Tomatoes (plum, puree, crushed, sauce)
BBQ Sauce
Hot Chocolate
Pasta
Cookies
Crackers
Snack Size (cookies, fruit snacks, chips, granola)
Napkins
Dish Detergent
Laundry Detergent (30-33 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

TUESDAY CLASSES

OCTOBER 27 AT 4:15 PM - 5:15 PM

GRADES 1A, 2, 3, 4, 5, AND 6 AND GROUPS A & B 109/111



SATURDAY CLASSES

OCTOBER 31 AT 8:45 AM - 9:45 AM

GRADES 1B, 2, 3, 4, 5, AND 6



GRADE LEVEL MASSES

NOVEMBER 1

4TH GRADE AT 10:00 AM

"ALL SAINTS PROCESSION"

8TH GRADE AT 5:15 PM

NOVEMBER 15

1ST GRADE AT *12:00 PM

***SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY MASS**

7TH GRADE AT 5:15 PM

NOVEMBER 8

2ND GRADE AT 10:00 AM

6TH GRADE AT 5:15 PM

NOVEMBER 22

4TH & 5TH GRADE AT 10:00 AM

8TH GRADE AT *5:15 PM

***CHOSEN LESSON AT 4:45 PM**

8TH GRADE CHOSEN LESSON

TUES., OCT. 27 AT 6:45 IN THE AUDITORIUM

CATECHIST MEETINGS

RECTORY MEETING ROOM AT 7:00PM

NOVEMBER 2 - GRADES 7 & 8

NOVEMBER 5 - GRADE 5 & 6

NOVEMBER 9 - GRADES 3 & 4

NOVEMBER 10 - GRADE 2

NOVEMBER 12 - GRADE 1



ALL SAINTS PROCESSION SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST

AT THE 10:00 AM FAMILY MASS

OUR **4TH GRADE** STUDENTS WILL DRESS AS THEIR FAVORITE SAINT AND PARTICIPATE IN THE PROCESSION. THE STUDENTS HAVE RECENTLY RESEARCHED A SAINT OF THEIR CHOOSING AND WE WILL SEE THE FRUITS OF THEIR WORK.



ALL SAINTS DAY



St. Rose of Lima High School Ministry

FAITH AND SPORTS 2.0

Fridays: Oct 30
Nov 13 • Dec 18

9th -12th Grade

6:30PM - 8:30PM • St. Rose Gym

A Night of: Sports, Pizza, Prayer

*RSVP Using the QR Code or by emailing:
nick.ciaravino@fiveloavesministries.org*



All Souls' Day

Monday, November 2, 2026

7:30 am 9:00 am and 7:30 pm Mass

A day of prayer and remembrance for the faithful departed. We pray for all those who have died that they may rest peacefully with God.

“Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace, Amen.”



Bereaved Parents and Families Mass

Monday, November 9, 2026

7:30 pm

We celebrate Mass for bereaved parents and families who have suffered the loss of a child. We honor the memory of those who have passed on through prayer and keep their spirit alive in our hearts. May their souls find peace and light.

CHAMBER MUSIC *CONCERT*



8 SUNDAY

NOVEMBER 3:30 PM

Pianist, Terence Purtell

Flautist, Michelle Lisi

Oboist, Samantha Stainkamp

St. Rose of Lima Church
2 Bayview Ave
Massapequa NY 11758
~Freewill Offering~





feed my Sheep

— JOHN 21:15-17 —

“TEND MY LAMBS... FEED MY SHEEP... FEED MY SHEEP”
JOHN 21:15-17

MEN’S CONFERENCE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2026

GRAYMOOR • GARRISON, NY

EXPERIENCE THE

HOLY MOUNTAIN



FAITH
Inspiring Talks
& Prayer



BROTHERHOOD
Build
Friendships



ADORATION
Encounter
Christ



CONFESSION
Receive God’s
Mercy



VOCATION
Discern God’s
Call

9:00 AM
CHECK-IN & COFFEE

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
CONFERENCE PROGRAM

4:00 PM
VIGIL MASS

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Inspiring Speakers
- ✓ Eucharistic Adoration
- ✓ Confession
- ✓ Mass
- ✓ Fellowship & Lunch

LUNCH & REFRESHMENTS INCLUDED



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HOLY MOUNTAIN
FRANCISCAN RETREATS

Parishes Praying for Priests

+ United in Eucharistic Adoration +

2026-27

Prayer for Priests
on Tuesdays:
October 27, 2026 &
April 6, 2027



*Parishes of the Rockville Centre
 Diocese are answering Our Lady's
 Call to pray for our Shepherds.*

*All are invited to adoration to pray
 for our priests by name at
 a parish listed.
 Come and go as you please.*

Eucharistic Adoration Open Hours at these Parishes

St Joseph/Church of, Garden City (The Convent Chapel)	5 – 7 pm	St Dominic, Oyster Bay	5 – 7 pm
Curé of Ars, Merrick	10:00am-1:00pm	St Frances de Chantal, Wantagh	12 – 2 pm
Holy Name of Jesus, Woodbury	6 – 9 pm	St Frances de Sales, Patchogue	4 – 8 pm
Holy Name of Mary, Valley Stream	2 – 4 pm	St Isidore, Riverhead	6 – 8 pm
Maria Regina, Seaford (Maria Regina Chapel)	4 – 8 pm	St Joachim, Cedarhurst	3 – 5 pm
Our Holy Redeemer, Freeport (Bilingual)	6 – 9 pm	St John Nepomucene, Bohemia	6 – 8 pm
Our Lady of Lourdes, Massapequa Park (Our Lady of Lourdes Chapel)	5 – 9 pm	St John the Evangelist, Center Moriches	3 – 7 pm
Our Lady of Lourdes, West Islip	5 – 9 pm	St Joseph, Babylon (Sacred Heart Adoration Chapel)	4 – 8 pm
Our Lady of Mercy, Hicksville	7 – 8:30 pm	St. Joseph Prayer Center, Patchogue	4 – 6 pm
Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Lindenhurst	6:30 – 10 pm	St Mary of the Isle, Long Beach	11 – 3 pm
Our Lady of Poland, Southampton	3 – 5 pm	St Peter of Alcantara, Port Washington (IHM Chapel)	6 – 7:30 pm
Our Lady of Victory, Floral Park	7 – 9 pm	St. Raphael, East Meadow	6 – 8 pm
St Agnes Cathedral, RVC (Holy Cross Chapel)	5 – 9 pm	St Rosalie, Hampton Bays	6 – 8 pm
St Aidan, Williston Park	2 – 4 pm	St Rose of Lima, Massapequa (Father Graham Chapel)	5 – 9 pm
St Barnabas the Apostle, Bellmore	5 – 7 pm	St Thérèse of Lisieux, Montauk	5 – 7 pm
St Brigid, Westbury	1 – 5 pm	St Thomas the Apostle, W Hempstead Lower Church	3 – 5 pm

To lead this prayer evening in your parish, Call 516.458.0004 or email PrayForPriestsDRVC@aol.com



We're Hiring!



Make a Difference Every Day!

After School Program STAFF



We are seeking dedicated individuals to join our team as After School Program Staff. This role involves working with children in an after school program setting, providing support and guidance to ensure a positive learning environment.



Position is weekdays,
Monday through Friday



2:30 PM – 6:00 PM



Duties



Organize and lead camp-style activities for students



Provide first aid and ensure the safety of all participants



Utilize experience in childcare, babysitting, or tutoring to engage with students effectively



Offer sports coaching and support student development in various areas



Implement Catholic counseling principles when interacting with students



Assist with childhood development activities and educational programs



Experience



Prior experience working with children or students is preferred



Knowledge of childhood development principles is a plus



Familiarity with sports coaching or tutoring is advantageous



Certification in first aid is desirable but not mandatory

Help Kids Grow
Learn & Succeed!



Support



Encourage



Guide



Make a Difference



Interested individuals should send a resume to

bjensen5641@stroseschool.net

ST. ROSE OF LIMA'S

CHRISTMAS PLANT SALE!

PRE-SALE

22/24" DECORATED WREATHS \$25

6" LIVE POINSETTIA PLANTS \$14

48" GRAVE BLANKETS \$50

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Click Here

OR



ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY
NOVEMBER 6TH, 2026

ALL ITEMS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP AT
OUR CHRISTMAS FAIR ON SATURDAY,
DECEMBER 5TH FROM 10:00AM - 4:00PM.

★ ALL PROCEEDS GO TO SUPPORT ST. ROSE
OF LIMA SCHOOL! ★



PLEASE DONATE!

Dear Parishioners,

The Saint Rose of Lima Christmas Fair is on Saturday, December 5th from 10am to 4pm. 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
- 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 8:15am-2:30pm Monday-Friday only. We will be accepting donations from Monday, October 5th through Monday, November 9th.

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If you have any questions, please call Linda McMahon in the rectory at 516-798-4992, ext. 266.

***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 (barbaras@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...

Celebration of Priesthood, Te Deum - On Sunday, November 1, join Bishop Barres at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington for the Annual Te Deum Celebration, honoring **Bishop James Massa**, Rector of St. Joseph's Seminary, in recognition of 40 years of distinguished priestly service. They will also celebrate the gift of our recently ordained priests: **Fr. Patrick O'Brien, Fr. Dillon Vita and Fr. Nicholas Waldron**. Reservations required. Call the Seminary Development Office at 631-423-0483 X 102 or visit www.retreatsic.org.

MOMMAS HOUSE Gala - The 40th Anniversary Gala honoring the legacy of Mommas House will be held on November 5 at Westbury Manor. They provide housing and support to young mothers and their babies since 1986. For more information, visit mommashouse.org.

Nightwatch - These nights are geared toward high school and college students as well as young adults in their 20's and 30's. The next one will be held at the Church of Cure of Ars in Merrick on Friday, November 6. Doors open at 7:00 pm.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter - The next Long Island experience will be held Friday, November 13 - Sunday, November 15 at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington. For more information, visit wwme.org.

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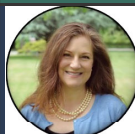
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