



# St. Anne's R.C. Church

"Our Love shines through" Est. 1895

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5th Sunday of Lent  
The Lord said:  
"Lazarus come out!"

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Mrs. Bertha Keenan,

Director of Family Faith Formation

Mr. Tony Bellizzi, Youth Ministry

Mrs. Janet Lambert, Outreach Director

## MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday: 12:00 Noon and 5:30 PM (English)

Wednesday: 7:30 PM (French Creole)

Thursday: 7:00 PM (Spanish)

Saturday: 9:00 AM (English)

### WEEKENDS:

Saturday: 5:00 PM (English), 7:00 PM (Spanish)

Sunday: 7:30 AM (English), 9:00 AM (Spanish),

11:00 AM (English), 12:30 PM (French Creole),

5:00 pm (English)

### HOLY DAYS:

Will be announced as each Holyday is celebrated.

### THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Daily Monday – Friday 5:00p.m.

Saturdays 4:00 - 4:45 PM in English & Spanish

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** *We welcome all new families! To register as a part of the family of Saint Anne's Parish, please stop by the Parish Office to fill out a simple registration form.*

*You have joined a wonderful community!*

*Office hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00a.m.-12:00 noon, 1:00p.m - 5:00p.m. & 7:00p.m. - 9:00p.m.*

*Friday & Saturday 9:00a.m. - 1:00p.m. CLOSED SUNDAYS.*

*Welcome • Bienvenidos • Bienvenue*

***To keep the faith alive for future generations, please consider remembering St. Anne's in your Will.***

March 29, 2020 - 5th Sunday in Lent

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

*Liranzo Family, Louis San Juan, Robin Klien, Joel Molina,  
Kimberly Johnson, Marie Cadet, Elizabeth Cupo, Ann Cisco,  
Alice Corwin, Gladys Torres, George Paul Robinson, Sasha Gomez,  
Cindy Phelan Gillet, Cande;arora Doriga, Kerri Rush,  
Jeanine Finnegan, Tracie Finnegan, Willie Canada, Kathy Finnegan,  
Lisa Marie Bongiorno, Herbert Escobar Jr., Kurt Munz,  
Rosemarie Rodda, Matthew Umazor-Lopez,  
Ivona Bartosik, Bartosik Family, Zas Family, Biangardi Family,  
Conner Amato, Patricia Viviani, Wendell Corwin, Grabe Family,  
Barbara Grabe, Elizabeth Benick, Joe Varrichio,  
Jenny Jamsy Rodriguez, Taylor Chanoine*

### **PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SERVING IN THE MILITARY**

<i>Steven Reyes</i>	<i>Luis Vieta</i>
<i>Thomas Shelton</i>	<i>Trinifer Garcia</i>
<i>Richard Laureano</i>	<i>Robert Gilman</i>
<i>William Suhr</i>	<i>Shawn G. Muller</i>
<i>Daniel Mejia Sr.</i>	<i>Mariana Rodriguez</i>
<i>John Lampkin</i>	<i>Colin McNulty</i>
<i>Alexandria Talleriso</i>	<i>Joseph A. Rodriguez</i>
<i>William Krausch Jr.</i>	<i>Stacey Delano</i>
<i>Matthew James Murphy</i>	<i>Omer Cadet</i>
<i>Jon Jay Uebel</i>	<i>Angel Gonzalez</i>
<i>Peter Daniel Rivera</i>	<i>Kevin Shaw</i>
<i>Tyler Rodriguez</i>	<i>Stephen Gregory</i>
<i>Angel Gonzalez</i>	<i>Keith Jermy</i>
<i>Ryan Gregory</i>	<i>Americo Otero</i>
<i>Matthew Ghiringheli</i>	<i>Joseph Shelton</i>
<i>Joseph Swiderski</i>	<i>Juan Sebastian Sepulvera</i>

**MAY GOD PROTECT THEM AND BRING  
THEM HOME SAFELY.**



### Mass Intentions:

We are accepting Mass Intentions by phone or mail or even via our Parish email, [stannesbrentwood@gmail.com](mailto:stannesbrentwood@gmail.com). You can request a date and all mass intentions are being said by our three priest privately in our chapel daily and on weekends.

### IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Parish Offices: 631-273-8113  
Parish Fax: 631-436-7914  
Office of Family Faith Formation: 631- 231-7344  
Fr. Thomas Conerty Outreach: 631-339-7470  
or 273-8113 ex 142 Parish Office  
Hospitality Too/Soup Kitchen: 516-983-5378  
[pbghti@gmail.com](mailto:pbghti@gmail.com)  
Our Lady of Providence Regional School:  
631-234-6324  
St. Anne's Gardens (Senior Housing):  
516-733-7076  
Eucharist to the Homebound: 631-273-8113  
Pronto: 631-231-8290  
Catholic Charities Immigrant Service:  
631-789-5235  
All Night Life Vigil - 631-666-8500

## **WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

### **Saturday, March 28, 2020**

9:00 - Mathew & Danielle Quiroz (Birth) (Liv.)  
5:00 - †Julio Mendez  
†John Joseph Degnan  
7:00 - **(Spanish)**  
†Blanca y Horacio Jaramillo Rua (28th Annv.)  
†Juan O. Reyes  
†Carlos Escalante Portal

### **Sunday, March 29, 2020**

7:30 - **Available**  
9:00 - **(Spanish)** †Fernando Francisco  
†Angel de Jesus Carbajal  
William Larrea Por salud y Pronta récupérations (Liv.)  
†Egdardo Villalobos (40 dias)  
11:00 - †Gloria E. Rivera  
†Mary Ann Berzinskas  
12:30 - **(Haitian)**  
In thanksgiving of Yanique Chadic (Birth) (Liv)  
Maguy Delight In Thanksgiving (Liv.)  
†Antoine Laurent (1st Annv.)  
5:00 - **Available**  
St. Anne's Parishioners Living and Deceased

### **Monday, March 30, 2020**

12:00 - †Ellen Selva  
5:30 - †Helena Calisto

### **Tuesday, March 31, 2020**

12:00 - †Margaret Calandra  
5:30 - **Available**

### **Wednesday, April 1, 2020**

12:00 - † Margaret Calandra  
5:30 - **Available**  
7:00 - (Haitian)(Chapel) **Available**

### **Thursday, April 2, 2020**

12:00 - †Margaret Calandra  
5:30 - **Available**  
7:00 -(Spanish) **Avaiable**

### **Friday, April 3, 2020**

12:00 - **Available**  
5:30 - Souls in Purgatory  
7:00 - (Haitian)

### **Saturday, April 4, 2020**

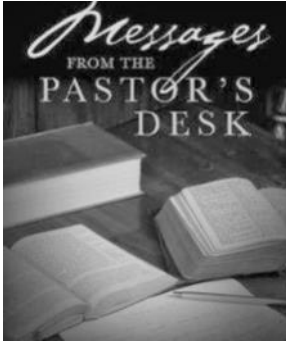
9:00 - †Marion Feder  
5:00 - †Gabriel Calvello (15th Annv. )  
7:00 - **(Spanish)**  
Cesar y Marleni Molina 42 Aniv. Boda (Liv.)  
†Carlos Escalante Portal

### **Sunday, April 5, 2020 - Palm Sunday**

7:30 - †Anna Amadeo (Birth)  
†Domingo Amadeo III  
9:00 - **(Spanish)** †Jesus Hernandez  
†Por los Almas del Purgatorio  
†Blanca Luz Amunategui 1st Mes  
11:00 - †Herbert Khaury  
†Antonio J. Roman (2nd Annv.)  
12:30 - **(Haitian)**  
†Dessalines Petpt-Maitre  
†Beauvais Mercier  
5:00 - **Available**  
St. Anne's Parishioners Living and Deceased

*We depend on the weekly contributions that our parishioner donate each week so generously. Please consider if your means allow, mailing your weekly envelopes to us or dropping them in the mail slot located on the main door of our Pastoral Center or on the wall next to the sacristy in the church. Thank you, God Bless you and your families and we are praying for you all, daily.*

## 5th Sunday in Lent



Dear Sisters and Brothers,

We are at the 5th Sunday of Lent and our Lenten journey comes closer to Palm Sunday and Easter. In this journey we have walked with Jesus through his life of ministry; but we have walked as well with the whole human family that awaits Jesus, and now are learning how to walk through life with him into his glory.



This journey is filled with transforming experiences and encounters. Every day with Jesus is an incredible experience, as Jesus teaches us about God and about ourselves. He reveals to us who God is, and he reveals to us who we are and who we are called to be. It is surprising to see how fully Jesus is immersed in daily life of the whole humanity. He goes through this same troubles as we go, he brings upon himself the burdens that others carry. He lives with us in joys and sorrows, he gives meaning to everything that we experience. And ultimately Jesus reveals to us our destiny and our salvation. He brings salvation to our broken humanity, by opening our eyes and hearts to the reality of heaven.

Through all instances of life; be it through temptation, through hunger and thirst, through sickness and rejection Jesus is there. His purpose, is to lift us up from the miseries of this life to the glory of heaven. As we know, it is not necessarily easy to see. This is why we need Jesus to open our eyes to see, our ears to hear, our hearts to believe. In the Gospel of this Sunday, Jesus crosses next and ultimate barrier of death itself, by rising Lazarus from the dead. It becomes the ultimate reason of resentment and judgment against Jesus, by those who don't believe in God and heaven. Eternal life is not self evident. Jesus reveals it to us in the resurrection of Lazarus, and later in his own. Jesus being friends with Mary, Marta and Lazarus allows Lazarus to die. He comes late to his friend. But as Jesus says it is for God's glory that it happened. He says it number of times, and after passing through drama of death, everyone can see the glory of resurrection. Lazarus is called out of the tomb. His new life is proof of Jesus domination over life and death. Everyone is amazed.

For those who didn't believe Jesus, it becomes the reason for further resentment, and ultimately aggression and potential destruction of Jesus. But as we know, after quiet of three days Jesus is Risen. Jesus said:

***"I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me.....will never die.  
Do you believe this ?" Jesus asked Martha.***

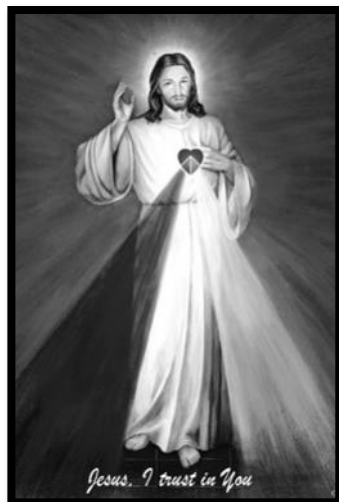
Today Jesus is putting our faith to test. Do you believe in his resurrection ??? Do you believe in our own resurrection ??? Are you afraid to die ??? Are you afraid of pandemic and virus ??? Do you believe that Jesus is in it with us all the way ??? Do you think that he abandoned us, or he waits for glory of God to be manifested ??? Do we have to die to see the glory of God ??? Where is Jesus now ??? Why is he so quiet ??? How many questions could we ask ?

For the answer we have to wait in quiet and hear Him speak to our heart. Heart to heart, as people who love each other do. Ask humbly and listen humbly, than let me know your answer and I will tell you mine.

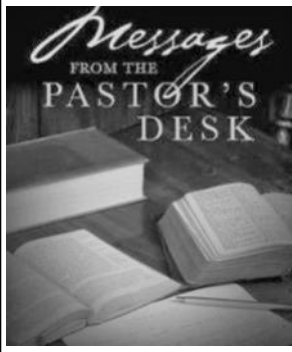
God bless everyone always !!!

Jesus I trust in You !!!

**Fr. Stan**



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Queridas Hermanas y Hermanos,

Estamos en el Quinto Domingo de Cuaresma y nuestro viaje de Cuaresma se acerca al Domingo de Ramos y Pascua. En este viaje hemos caminado con Jesús a través de su vida de ministerio; pero también hemos caminado con toda la familia humana que espera a Jesús, y ahora esta aprendiendo como caminar por la vida con el hacia su gloria. Este viaje esta lleno de experiencias y encuentros transformadores. Cada día con Jesús es una experiencia increíble, ya que Jesús nos enseña sobre Dios y sobre nosotros mismos.



El nos revela quien es Dios, y nos revela quienes somos y quienes estamos llamados a ser. Es sorprendente ver cuan completamente Jesús esta inmerso en la vida diaria de toda la humanidad. El pasa por estos mismos problemas que nosotros, el trae sobre si las cargas que otros llevan. El vive con nosotros en la alegrías y tristezas, le da sentido a todo lo que experimentamos. Y finalmente, Jesús nos revela nuestro destino y nuestra salvación. El trae salvación a nuestra humanidad quebrantada, abriendo nuestros ojos y corazones a la realidad del cielo.

A través de todas las instancias de la vida; ya sea por la tentación , aunque el hambre y la sed, por la enfermedad y el rechazo, Jesús esta allí. Su propósito es elevarnos de las miserias de esta vida a la gloria del cielo. Como sabemos, no es necesariamente fácil de ver. Es por eso que necesitamos que Jesús abra nuestros ojos para ver, nuestros oídos también escuchen, nuestros corazones para creer.

En el Evangelio de este Domingo, Jesús cruza la próxima y ultima barrera de la muerte misma, al levantar a Lázaro de la muerte. Se convierte en la razón ultima del resentimiento y el juicio contra Jesús, por aquellos que no creen en Dios y el cielo, la vida eterna no es evidente. Jesús nos lo revela en la resurrección de Lázaro, y mas tarde en la suya. Jesús siendo amigo de María, Marta y Lázaro le permite morir. Llega tarde a su amigo. Pero como Jesús dice que es la gloria de Dios que sucedió. Lo dice varias veces, y después de pasar por el drama de la muerte, todos pueden ver la gloria de la resurrección. Lázaro es llamado a salir de la tumba. Su nueva vida es prueba de la dominación de Jesús sobre la vida y la muerte. Todos están asombrados. Para aquellos que no le creyeron a Jesús, se convierte en la razón de un mayor resentimiento y, en ultima instancia, de la agresión y la posible destrucción de Jesús. Pero como sabemos, después de tres días de silencio, Jesús resucito. Jesús dijo: “Yo soy la resurrección y la vida; el que cree en mi.....nunca morirá. ¿Crees esto? “ Jesús le pregunto a Marta.

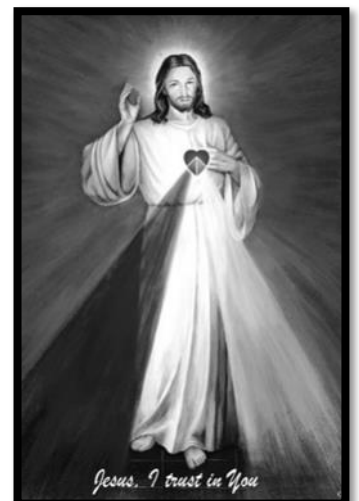
Hoy Jesús esta poniendo a prueba nuestra fe. ¿Crees en su resurrección? ¿Crees en nuestra propia resurrección? ¿Tiene miedo a morir?? ¿Tienes miedo a la pandemia y al virus?

¿Crees que Jesús esta con nosotros todo el tiempo? ¿Crees que nos abandono o espera que se manifieste la gloria de Dios? ¿Tenemos que morir para ver la gloria de Dios? ¿Dónde esta Jesús ahora? ¿Por qué esta tan callado? ¿Cuántas preguntas podríamos hacer?

Para la respuesta tenemos que esperar en silencio y escucharlo hablar a nuestro corazón. De Corazón a corazón , como lo hacen las personas que se aman. Pregunte humildemente y escuche humildemente, luego hágame saber su respuesta y le diré la mía.

Dios le bendiga a todos siempre!!!  
Jesús, en ti confié!!!

P.Stan





**2020** CAMPAÑA DE APOYO A LOS  
MINISTERIOS CATOLICOS  
DIÓCESIS DE ROCKVILLE CENTRE

*"La Cuaresma es un tiempo propicio para abrir la puerta a cualquier necesitado y reconocer en él o en ella el rostro de Cristo. Cada uno de nosotros los encontramos en nuestro camino."*

-Papa Francisco

Estimados amigos:

En esta Cuaresma, permítame hacer un pedido especial. No importa si ustedes nunca han contribuido o si no lo pudieron hacer durante los últimos años: los invito a que este año ustedes se unan conmigo y con otros feligreses de esta parroquia y hagan un donativo a favor de la Campaña 2020.

Puede que ya sea de su conocimiento, que el 100% de lo que recaudamos se destina al sostenimiento de más de 60 programas que prestan ayuda y servicio tanto a la gente de nuestra iglesia como a muchas otras personas que viven en Long Island.

Estos programas incluyen servicios para personas necesitadas: vivienda asequible para ancianos, discapacitados y nuestros veteranos; formación para nuestros sacerdotes, diáconos, dirigentes laicos y nuestros jóvenes. Estos son solo algunos ejemplos de los programas que hacen que nuestra iglesia y que Long Island sea un excelente lugar para vivir.

¡Necesitamos su colaboración para poder seguir auxiliando a quienes requieren nuestra ayuda y guía espiritual! Imagínense a cuantas personas más podríamos ayudar si 100 de nuestros feligreses -quienes no hayan participado recientemente- hicieran este año un donativo de \$25. Si esa cantidad fuera demasiado, considere hacer un donativo de \$10 o de \$5. **¡Todas las cantidades son importantes y hacen la diferencia en la vida del prójimo!**

Escriba su cheque pagadero a:  
Catholic Ministries Appeal

Mi Parroquia \_\_\_\_\_ Mi donativo total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Mi Nombre \_\_\_\_\_ Cuota Inicial \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Mi Dirección \_\_\_\_\_

Ciudad, Estado, Código Postal: \_\_\_\_\_

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También puede hacer su donativo visitando [drvc.org/CMA](http://drvc.org/CMA)

o llamándonos al 516-678-5800 ext. 296

¡Muchas Gracias!

**Ministerios y Servicios En Español**  
**P. Víctor Evangelista**      **Tel. (631) 273-8113**      **Fax (631) 436-7914**

Santa Misa      Jueves y Sábado 7:00 p.m.      Domingo 9:00 a.m.  
 Confesiones      Sábado 4-4:45 p.m.      Domingo 8:30-9/10:30-11 a.m.  
 Unción de los Enfermos y Exposición Eucarística      Primer jueves del mes  
 Cenáculo Eucarístico (Divina Misericordia)      Cuarto sábado del mes  
 Bautismo de niños menores de cinco años      1º, 2º y 3er.. sábados del mes

(Para Bautismo, Matrimonio, 15 años, etc. es necesario pedir una Cita con Sacerdote/Diacono en la Oficina parroquial, más información puede encontrar en la sección en inglés -SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION ST. ANNE'S PARISH-).

**GRUPOS, MOVIMIENTOS, COMUNIDADES PARROQUIALES**

Hermandad de Emaús	Martes	7:30 p.m.	Capilla (Marco Zavala (631-327-1581)
Renovación Carismática	Miércoles	7:30 p.m.	Templo (Reina Rodríguez: 516-939-7048)
Comdad. Neocatecumenal	Jueves	7:30 p.m.	Capilla (Lola Correa 631-384-7661)
Cursillos de Cristiandad	Jueves	7:30 p.m.	Bjo. Rectoría (Pedro y Laura: 631-245-6087)
Gpo. J. A. (RENACER)	Viernes	7:30 p.m.	Bjo. Templo (Pamela Cueto: 631-482-0792)
Legión de María	Dom. desp. de la Misa	de 9:00 a.m.	(Hilda González: 516-818-3294)
S. Miguel Arcángel	2º Domingo de mes	a las 2:00 p.m.	(Alida Moreno: 631-398-5213)
Divina Misericordia	2º y 4º domingos	a 2:00 p.m.	(Carmen Elibo: 631-897-3151)
L. Fams. y G. Acólitos	Ultimo viernes de mes	6:00 p.m.	(Yolanda:631-3056611-Andrés: 631-273-8225)
Ap. Hpno. y Cf. de Amistad	4º Domingo desp. de misa dominical	de Sábado y Domingo	(Maria Fernandez - 631-827-0809)
Coro Parroq. de la Misa			(Moisés Telenta: 631-745-2164)
Curso Pre-Cana y M.F.C.			(Alberto Román y Margarita: 631-682-4986)
R.I.C.A.			(José y Carmen Núñez : (646-345-8591)
Educación Religiosa			(Bertha Keenan: 631-231-7344)
Clases de alfabetización	Hector & Yolanda Velez		(631-305-6611)

**El tiempo de Cuaresma (V)**

Hay un texto evangélico, el que leemos el Miércoles de Ceniza (Mateo 6,1-6.16-18), que marca tres propuestas para esta conversión. Tres propuestas que serán una buena guía:

La limosna, que es dar de lo que tenemos a quien lo necesite: dar dinero (a través de Caritas, a través de grupos de Ayuda al Tercer Mundo...); dar tiempo (desde visitar enfermos o personas que se encuentran solas, hasta trabajar en tareas de voluntariado y acción social y eclesial); y también estar sensibilizado en el trabajo para hacer una sociedad menos injusta (y si se da el caso, actuar en alguna ONG, o en la actividad política, etc.).

La oración, que es vivir con más intensidad la relación con Dios: buscar momentos concretos de oración, breves o largos, y mantenerse fiel; hacer alguna vez un día de retiro; leer el evangelio, rezar con los salmos, leerse las lecturas de la misa; participar cada día o algunos días de la misa diaria, ir de vez en cuando a vísperas en algún monasterio.

El ayuno, que es privarse de algo para manifestar que Dios es realmente lo único valioso. Privarse de un rato fácil de televisión, o de comprar aquel vestido, o de aquella comida que ahora me apetecería...El dinero que ahorramos servirá par ayudar a los necesitados, el tiempo que ahorramos, para la oración o para la convivencia con los demás.

Estos tres caminos de conversión hay que vivirlos tal como Jesús dice: no porque toca o para quedar tranquilos, sino porque nos sale de dentro, porque son la expresión de nuestras ganas de renovar la fe y la vida cristiana, y, para prepararnos a la Pascua.

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### Jésus est la Résurrection et la vie (Jn11, 1-45)

Prendre le parti de la vie 11, 11,1-6

L'épisode de la résurrection de Lazare révèle que Jésus est venu pour donner la vie à ceux qui mettent leur confiance en lui. Ce signe très fort représente un sommet de l'enseignement de Jésus. Ce dernier y porte son amour envers Lazare et sa famille à son comble.

L'épisode déclenche l'hostilité des chefs du peuple qui prennent alors la décision d'éliminer Jésus (v.51). La résurrection de Lazare est ainsi mise en rapport avec celle de Jésus.

Jésus affronte la mort 11, 7-16

Jésus utilise l'image du sommeil pour parler de la mort de Lazare. Dans tout le Nouveau Testament, on parle de « se réveiller de la mort » ou « se relever de la mort » pour exprimer la résurrection.

La foi de Marthe 11, 17-27

Au début, Marthe croit seulement que Jésus est un intercesseur privilégié auprès de Dieu et que la résurrection espérée aura lieu au dernier jour. Pour lui permettre d'approfondir sa foi, Jésus affirme qu'il est lui-même la source de la résurrection. Une résurrection qui commence dans le moment présent, avec la libre décision de croire. Celui qui vit uni au Seigneur participe déjà à la vie nouvelle, qui est donnée par ; la résurrection du Christ.

Solidaire dans la souffrance 11, 28-37

Au-delà de son amitié pour Lazare, le trouble intense et les larmes de Jésus montrent à quel point il s'engage contre tout ce qui empêche l'humanité de vivre dès maintenant sa propre résurrection. La réalité de la souffrance et de la mort n'est pas niée par celui qui annonce en même temps le triomphe sur la mort.

Croire pour voir 11, 34-44

Devant la mort, l'être humain éprouve répulsion, tristesse et parfois colère. Jésus est capable de rendre grâce à Dieu, même devant le tombeau de Lazare, certain que l'amour de Dieu est plus fort que la mort. Il invite à partager sa foi en Dieu qui donne une vie sur laquelle la mort n'a pas plus de prise.

### ACTE DE COMMUNION SPIRITUELLE

« Seigneur Jésus, je crois fermement que Tu es présent dans le Saint Sacrement de l'Eucharistie. Je T'aime plus que tout et je Te désire de toute mon âme.

« Après toi languit ma chair comme une terre assoiffée » (psaume 62)

Je voudrais Te recevoir aujourd'hui avec tout l'amour de la Vierge Marie, avec la joie et la ferveur des saints.

Puisque je suis empêché de Te recevoir sacramentellement, viens au moins spirituellement visiter mon âme.

**A SUMMER WEEK-LONG CATHOLIC FAMILY  
VACATION RETREAT  
MARIANIST FAMILY RETREAT CENTER  
CAPE MAY POINT, NEW JERSEY**

Retreat weeks start each Monday beginning June 22 through end of August.

Note: there is a special week for Single-parent families, July 13-18.

Cost for the week: \$220pp ages 8+; \$150 ages 2-7 under 2 free. \* Price includes meals, room, program, beach access and more\*\*

**Financial Aid is available.**

Join together with other families for the week. Mass and other family liturgies are complemented by skits, presentations, family sharing, peer group discussions, sunset beach walks and other fun activities.

Scheduled recreation and free time (4-5 hours DAILY), with ocean swimming (beach is only 1/2 block from our house) are part of all family retreats.

To sign up or for more information:

[www.capemaymarianists.org](http://www.capemaymarianists.org). or email:

[mfrf@capemaymarianists.org](mailto:mfrf@capemaymarianists.org) or call 609-884-3829.



**Feeding the  
Community**

**PARISH  
OUTREACH—FOOD  
PANTRY**

*Our Outreach is temporarily closed, however, you can receive food if you are in need. Please call the*

*Parish Office (631-273-8113) and leave your name and phone number and one of the parish priests will return your call and assist you with non-perishable food items.*

*If you wish to donate non-perishable food and toiletries, there are boxes at church and at the front door of the Parish Office where you can deposit them. Thank you so much for thinking of those in our parish community who struggle each day to make ends meet. We are all trying to stay healthy both physically and mentally. Please pray for all who are lonely and those who are on the front lines fighting this terrible virus. You are all in my prayers.*

*Janet Lambert, Outreach Coordinator*



*It's a time when so many things have been cancelled, there are daffodils blooming in front of my home. God's creation is pushing through and reminding me of what's not been cancelled: family, friendship, faith, hope, love, mercy, prayer, goodness, music, learning, art, community, courage, conversation, gratitude, most of all the love of God. Last time I looked, none of these have*

*been canceled. As everything else falls away, let's anchor in these things that we still have, that define our humanity, and can't be taken away.*

*We are not victims, we are blessed.*

*God is good, all the time!*

*Blessings Tony Bellizzi -Youth Minister*



# PANDEMIC GRATITUDE?!

"Pandemic Gratitude?" It seems like an odd thing to say during these times. What are we supposed to be grateful for - supply shortages, long lines, widespread cancellations, fear, uncertainty, panic?

While these reactions are very understandable, let's take a step back and look at this through our Lenten lenses. While the COVID-19 virus is causing one pandemic, how about Lent causing a pandemic of a different kind, one of gratitude and action. Each Lent we are called to **Pray, Fast and Give Alms**. We are grateful for the opportunity to focus on the gifts we have been given, reflect on how to use these gifts responsibly for the furthering of God's kingdom here on earth, and then act. So, firstly, for what can we show gratitude?

We are grateful and **PRAY** for...

- Government leaders who have taken bold actions to keep us safe.
- The technology that allows us to stay informed and connected - even when we are encouraged to maintain social distance.
- Medical science and the researchers who are working around the clock to find a cure.
- Medical personnel, doctors, nurses and first responders who are on the front lines risking their own health to care for those who are affected.
- School administrators and teachers who are working to continue the education of our youth as seamlessly as possible.
- Custodial, maintenance and cleaning staff who work endless hours to disinfect and sanitize our buildings.
- The Pope, Bishops and all our Clergy who continue to provide for our spiritual nourishment.
- All those who are actively placing the common good ahead of personal gain.
- The return to health of all those affected, their caretakers, medical providers and those working for a cure.

While we can pray and be grateful for all of those who are working to ensure our health and safety, it is natural to feel overwhelmed and, perhaps, that there is nothing we can do to help. But, in reality, there are many ways to use our gifts given to us by our generous God to come to the aid of others.

Continuing our Lenten Journey, we can **FAST** from...

- Selfishness by purchasing more than we really need so that others can have what they need.
- The panic and anxiety that surrounds us and remain calm and responsible.
- Negative thoughts and trust in the Lord's love and strength for us to move forward following the advice of our local leadership.
- Self-centered actions fueled by fear and turn ourselves outward to contribute to community awareness and solutions.

And finally, we can practice **GIVING ALMS** and performing acts of charity to...

- Assist our neighbors, especially the elderly and most vulnerable, by shopping for them and taking care of their errands when they cannot.
- Remember to wash our hands for at least twenty seconds. Instead of singing, why not pray The Lord's Prayer and the Hail Mary? *That will be a bit longer than twenty seconds, but a few more moments of prayer won't hurt!*
- Be mindful that while many of us cannot attend Mass at this time, we can still save and mail our offertory gift to our parish or bring it with us when we are able to return, to continue the mission of our Church.
- Stay home if we don't feel well or if we are instructed to do so.

Do you recognize something here? Aren't these all things we are called to do anyway as responsible members of society? Yes, there is fear and uncertainty, but it is also a time to focus on the scriptural mandate to "Be Not Afraid." For in these times, and all times, we know and trust in God's Word, "the light that shines in the darkness and the darkness has not overcome it." (Jn 1:5) It is a time to use our gifts responsibly to face not only this, but all the challenges in our lives.

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## **Holy Week - Easter Schedule 2020**

### **Palm Sunday Weekend**

Saturday, April 4, 2020 Masses: 5:00 PM (English)(Live Streaming)  
7:00 PM (Spanish)(Live Streaming)

### **Sunday, April 5, 2020**

Masses: 7:30 AM (English) (Private), 9:00 AM (Spanish) (Live Streaming)  
11:00 AM (English) (Live Streaming), 12:30 Creole/French (Live Streaming)

### **Holy Thursday, April 9, 2020**

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00 PM (Live Streaming)

### **Good Friday, April 10, 2020**

Liturgy of the Word Good Friday 3:00 p.m.  
Stations of the Cross - 3:00 p.m. (Trilingual) (Live Streaming)

### **Holy Saturday, April 11, 2020**

Easter Vigil Mass - (Trilingual) 7:00 PM (Live Streaming)

### **Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020**

Masses: 7:30 AM (English) (Private), 9:00 AM (Spanish)(Live Streaming)  
11:00 AM (English) (Live Streaming), 12:00 PM (Haitian) (Live Streaming)

**There are no public confessions during this time.**

**In an emergency and by appointment only call 631-273-8113.**



We want to express our thankfulness for all our first responders, doctors, nurses, those distributing food to the school children, teachers working on-line, so many courageous family and friends.

Let us keep them in our prayers today and always.

*Give thanks to the Lord for those who often put their lives on the line for others.*

*Peter 4:11: "If anyone serves, they should do so with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ."*

*I lift in prayer, my Daughter she is a RN at Northwell Hospital in Bayshore. She has been tested Negative for the Virus, Alexandra Mary Goldmann.*

*I lift in prayer, my Daughter-in-law Kim she is a nurse at Good Samaritan Hospital. My nephew Emergency Pediatrics Winthrop Hospital, Brian Sullivan.*

*I lift in prayer my nephews, P.O. Michael Sullivan, Det. Chris Paulson, F.D.N.Y. Richard Myers, Commack F.D. Warren & Richard Myers.*

*I lift in prayers our parishioner N.Y.P.D—P.O. Mary, be safe.*

*I lift in prayer, all my Doctors especially my cardiologist Dr. David Sedaghat.*

*I lift in prayer, P. O. Pracifanie Holmes, one of our RCIA candidates.*

*If there is anyone you wish to add to this list who are out there everyday through this virus helping to isolate or protect, please email us at our parish email address [stannesbrentwood@gmail.com](mailto:stannesbrentwood@gmail.com) and each week we will update this list. Be sure you have the person's permission to list their name and place of work.*

**Effective immediately, the following changes will occur within our church and the Liturgy of the Mass.**

As a health precaution, the Diocese of Rockville Centre instructs all Pastors, Clergy and Parishioners to enact the following measures immediately.

1. Until further notice, the Precious Blood of Christ (the Chalice) is not to be distributed to anyone other than clergy (priests/deacons).
2. Until further notice, the Sign of Peace will not be given or exchanged in any form during Holy Mass. A simple smile is not contagious.
3. Parishioners are instructed to remain at home if they are sick. This is a precaution for all who serve in any ministries withing the Liturgy of the Mass.
4. All Priest, deacons, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion and altar servers should use the hand sanitizers provided on both sides of the altar before serving. They should also be encouraged to wash and sanitize their hands before and after distribution of the Eucharist.
5. Holy Water fonts will be left empty till further notice. If you want Holy Water for your home, just bring the container in and one of the Priest or Deacons will bless the water for you.
6. We are asking all Parishioners to receive Holy Communion in their hands not on their tongues during this precautionary time.
7. We will make every effort to clean and disinfect our church and the pews as often as possible.
8. We ask all to refrain from greeting /handshakes, especially with Our Priest and Deacons before and after Masses at this time.

This information will appear regularly in our Parish Bulletin beginning this weekend. Thank you for your cooperation in enforcing these temporary changes.

