

# Roman Catholic Church of St. Matthew

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Office Hours: Mon-Fri in the Parish Center 9 am-12:30 pm & 1:30 pm-5 pm

May 19, 2019

## Pastor

Rev. Robert Hewes

## Associate Pastor

Rev. Benet Uwasomba

## Deacons

James McQuade

Carmine DeStefano

Luis Polanco

## Pastoral Associate

Sister Kathleen McCarthy, O. P.

D.R.E.: Mary Donaldson

Music Director: Lee Forsythe



## 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." - Jn 13:34

## *The Salvation of Souls is the Supreme Law*

### SCHEDULE OF MASSES

SATURDAY: 4:00 p.m. and Spanish Mass at 7:00 p.m.

SUNDAY: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. (Family Mass), 11:00 a.m. (Choir Mass), 12:30 p.m. and also at 12:30 p.m. (Latin) Tridentine Mass in the Chapel.

MONDAY - SATURDAY: 9:00 a.m. Mass in the Church. Holy Days will be printed in the bulletin.

### CONFESSIONS

SATURDAY: 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. For any other time, please call to make an appointment with a priest.

PLEASE NOTE: The BAPTISM SCHEDULE has changed as of April 1, 2019 as follows:

The 3rd Sunday of each month at 1:45 p.m. and the 4th Saturday of the month at 12:30 p.m. (No Baptisms Easter Sunday or Christmas Weekends.) Please contact the Parish Center for the Baptismal Packet containing the registration form and all other necessary paperwork. First-time parents are also asked to register for one of the Baptismal Preparation Classes offered on the last Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. (No class is held in December.) Please register on-line for the Baptism and /or the Baptism Class at [www.smrcc.org](http://www.smrcc.org).

### MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made at least 6 months in advance and should be made prior to making plans for a reception. Call the Parish Center for an appointment with the priest or deacon you wish to witness your wedding. All couples are required to attend Pre-Cana.

## PARISH MINISTRIES

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Porzia DiGiorgio: me@porzia.com

And John DiGiorgio: johndigiorgio@optonline.net

**APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER:**

Kathryn Giandoreggio: 631-491-3735

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**ATHLETICS DIRECTOR/ INTRAMURAL & CYO TRAVEL**

**COORDINATOR:** Chris Felice: smrccathletics@gmail.com

**BAPTISM OFFICE:** Bettyanne Russo: 499-8520 x 126

Email: stmatthewdixhills@gmail.com

**BEREAVEMENT:** Kathryn M. Douglas: 631-495-8541

Including: Teens (12-17) who have lost a parent.

Widows and Widowers 65 and under

Widow and Widowers 65 and over

**BIBLE STUDY:** Anthony Albano: 586-4827

**BOY SCOUTS:** Ernst Tramosch: 631-254-2656

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**COMPASSIONATE CARE & CONSOLATION MINISTRY:**

Sr. Kay McCarthy: 499-8520 x 124

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:**

Ray Smolenski: 243-0449

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS TO THE HOMEBOUND:**

Sr. Kay McCarthy: 499-8520 x 124

**FEED THE POOR MINISTRY:** Frank Harnos: 499-0074 or

Julie Maddaloni: 242-2183

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**PARISH OUTREACH:** Sr. Kay McCarthy: 499-8520 x 124

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**PLANT ENGINEER:** Luis Flores: 631 492-7881

**PRE-CANA:** Deacon Carmine DeStefano: 631-896-0983

**RIGHT TO LIFE:** Toni Shannon: 631 586-3807

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**PASTOR/PARISH SECRETARY:** Bettyanne Russo:

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**SONS OF ITALY:** Diana Grauer: 631-242-2710

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**ST. VINCENT de PAUL:** Michael Brennan: 499-8520 x 118

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**WEDDING MUSIC:** Lee Forsythe: 631-334-7138

**YOUNG SENIORS MODERATOR:** Fr. Benet: 499-8520 x125

## PARISH REGISTRATION

**NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE AT [www.smrcc.org](http://www.smrcc.org).**

New families and new parishioners are encouraged to register with the parish. Registration forms are also available at the Parish Center.

INSTRUCTIONS IN THE FAITH:

Those adults who live in the Dix Hills area and/or those with family in the parish seeking information about becoming a Catholic or completing their Sacraments are invited to contact the Pastor.

**FIRST FRIDAY:** Mass is at 9:00 a.m. Exposition of the Holy Eucharist takes place in the Chapel from Friday 7:00 p.m. until Saturday 8:30 a.m. and concludes with Benediction.

**FIRST SATURDAY:** 8:15 a.m. Devotions

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** The Sacrament is available EVERY SATURDAY after the 9:00 a.m.

Mass. The Sacrament is available for those who are to undergo a serious medical procedure the following week or who have a serious illness and who have not been anointed within the past three months. If you wish to be anointed, please let the celebrant know before Mass.

**PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK:** Holy Communion will be ministered to those confined at home.

Those who are seriously ill should request a priest for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

**PARISH SCHOOL: HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL:**  
631-543-0202

*Eucharistic*



*Adoration*

**First Friday Exposition**  
From 7:00 pm the First Friday  
of the month until  
8:30 am Saturday morning  
in the Parish Center Chapel.

Private and *authorized* group prayer before the Blessed Sacrament *in the Tabernacle* is encouraged at any time during the many hours the main Church and Chapel are open. Occasions on which specific groups request Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament can only be conducted by a priest or deacon with the knowledge and approval of the Pastor.

# MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, May 18**

4:00 PM Living Intentions of Jack Tseng  
 Msgr. James McDonald  
 Michael Puleo  
 Margie Kroner  
 Margaret Zatsick  
 Brooke Schilizzi  
 7:00 PM Melida Munoz

**Sunday, May 19**

7:30 AM Mother's Day Novena  
 Michael McGill  
 9:30 AM Lovana Piscitello  
 11:00 AM Francesco & Elizabeth Cavitolo  
 12:30 PM (L) For The People Of The Parish  
 12:30 PM Edoardo Magliaro

**Monday, May 20**

9:00 AM Mother's Day Novena  
 Rosa & Karl Sand

**Tuesday, May 21**

9:00 AM Deceased Members of the  
 Leo & Slevin Families

**Wednesday, May 22**

9:00 AM Margaret & Albert Finn

**Thursday, May 23**

9:00 AM Salvatore Montesano

**Friday, May 24**

9:00 AM Edwin Lucie

**Saturday, May 25**

9:00 AM Veronica Ziegler  
 Rose & Joseph Vallario  
 Marion & Anthony Biello  
 Dr. Gilbert Perez  
 Virginia Capan  
 Philip Perry  
 4:00 PM Andrew Garafalo  
 Living Intentions of Jack Tseng  
 Nancy & Anna Cortina  
 Msgr. James McDonald  
 Margie Kroner  
 Debbie Serio  
 7:00 PM Ruperto Baron

**Sunday, May 26**

7:30 AM June Sheehan  
 9:30 AM Ann J. Kershis  
 11:00 AM Living & Deceased Members of the  
 Manetta & Scandiffio Families  
 12:30 PM (L) For the People of the Parish  
 12:30 PM Special Thanks For God's Blessing

**Business Manager**  
 Dolores Tiernan

**Finance Chairperson**  
 Richard Bove

**Trustees**  
 Deacon Carmine DeStefano and  
 Joseph Napolitano



**COLLECTIONS**

**May 11 & 12**

**Weekly:** \$ 14,517.00  
**Faith Direct:** \$ 2,300.00



**Mondays**

- **Miraculous Medal Novena:** after the 9:00 am Mass
- **Legion of Mary:** 2:30 pm In the Blessed Mother Room

**Tuesdays**

- **Rosary Society:** 1st Tuesday each month 7:00 pm
- **K of C:** General/Business Meeting 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month 8:00 pm

**Wednesdays**

- **Adult Choir Rehearsal:** 7:00 pm In the Family Room

**Thursdays**

- **Carmelite Holy Hour:** 3rd Thursday of each month 4:00 pm-5:00 pm in the Chapel
- **Young Seniors:** 9:00 am
- **Apostleship of Prayer:** 1st Thursday of each month after the 9:00 am Mass

**Saturdays**

- **Fatima Spiritual Formation Prayer Group:** 1st Saturday of each month after the 9:00 am Mass in the Blessed Mother Room
- **Bible Study:** 9:45 am
- **Spanish Bible Study:** 1:00 pm
- **Tridentine Mass Choir:** (Latin) 4:00 pm in the Family Room

**Sundays**

- **Secular Franciscan Order:** Second Sunday of each month (except January & August) 1:15 pm in the Library (Room 201)

The St. Matthew  
Rosary Altar Society's Annual  
International  
Banquet



SATURDAY, JUNE 8TH AT 5:00 P.M.  
BANQUET PROVIDED BY OUR DEDICATED  
LOCAL RESTAURANTS.  
INCLUDES BEER, WINE, SODA AND DESSERT

Music by *Domino Party*



We will be selling Tickets after Masses May 25-26 and June 1-2;  
Lotto Board on June 1-2 only  
or call Louise at 586-4515 or 662-6074.  
Tickets: \$25 each. Children ages 5-16: \$10.

*And Another Note of Thanks!*

Last week under this heading I thanked a number of donors, known and unknown, who have generously assisted **St. Matthew's and the clergy with their gifts.**



This weekend, on your behalf and my own, I wish to thank *Deacon James McQuade* who marks his 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary in Holy Orders. For the past three and a half decades he has been a steady and reassuring presence here in the parish on the altar, in the pulpit, in instructions to converts, along with his wife Marie, in sacramental preparation and in many other ways.

I know you will all join with me in congratulating him, and wishing him more years in happy and healthy service to Our Lord and Our Lady!

*Father Hewes*

*Announced for the First Time*  
*Andrew Hoffmann*  
*and Andrea DiBernardo*

*Marriage*  
*Banns*

*Announced for the Third Time*  
*Maxwell J. Sorio*  
*and Paris L. Ryder*

**About The Types of Catholic Wedding Ceremonies**

There are two forms of our Catholic wedding Liturgy:

**The Wedding or Nuptial Mass:**

Often referred to as a "full Mass," it is the celebration of the Mass with the wedding ceremony inserted in the middle of the Liturgy. It presupposes both parties are practicing Catholics and receiving Holy Communion after a proper spiritual preparation.

**The Wedding Ceremony:**

This has all the elements of the above (music, readings, vows, etc.) but without the celebration of Mass. This form is suitable for general congregations and is of shorter duration than the above.

**PLEASE NOTE: Nuptial Masses are NOT celebrated on Sundays. The ONLY exception is when a visiting priest is invited by the family, approved by the Pastor and is willing to offer a Nuptial Mass on Sunday.**

**PLEASE NOTE THE**  
**UPCOMING BULLETIN DEADLINES**

Sunday, May 26 deadline ... Monday, May 20  
Sunday, June 2 deadline ... Thursday, May 23  
Sunday, June 9 deadline ... Monday, June 3  
Sunday, June 16 deadline ... Monday, June 10  
Sunday, June 23 deadline ... Monday, June 17  
**Please email: [bulletin@smrcc.org](mailto:bulletin@smrcc.org)**





RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

*The Place for Learning and Praying*

***Our Family/Children's Mass is Sunday at 9:30AM***

*Mary Donaldson, Director, Rita Minder, Assistant*

*Religion Office Phone 864-3321 Fax 499-1530 maryccd@smrcc.org*

**REGISTRATION**

Registration forms for the Winter Program (September 2019 thru April 2020) will be mailed home shortly for students in grades two through eight. When registering a new student, 1st thru 8th grade, you must come into the Religion Office, on the second floor of the Parish Center, Monday through Thursday, between 11:00AM and 4:00PM. Please be sure to bring a copy of the child's Baptismal Certificate when you come. The fee of \$175.00 per child is due at that time.

**SUMMER PROGRAM**

The dates for the Summer Program 2019 are August 4th through August 18th, from 8:30AM to 1:00PM, Monday thru Friday and the three Sunday 9:30AM Masses on 8/4, 8/11 and 8/18. Grades 4 thru 7 are eligible and the fee is \$250.00 per child.

Summer Program helper sign up is Wednesday, June 5, 2019 from 7-8PM in Msgr. Goggin Hall. It will take only a few minutes to fill out the paperwork but a parent must also come in and sign the form acknowledging they are aware of the commitment. College students, high school students and eighth grade students are welcome.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

We had 145 children make their First Holy Communion here these past two Saturdays, May 11th and May 18th. The Masses were wonderful! The children were very excited and all looked beautiful. A big thank you to all the teachers who volunteered their time at the rehearsals and the Communion Masses each week: Gloria Montesano, Olga Mantione, Becky Muraco, Anne Nicholls, Carmela Sposato, Noreen Driscoll, Stacey Reedy and Stephanie Gaudio. The Eucharistic Ministers, the Knights of Columbus, Lectors and Altar Servers who volunteered and helped to make these two days so special, we thank you. We are grateful to Lee Forsythe, the Music Director, who added to the beauty of each Communion. We can't forget Luis Flores, Plant Manager, who kept us comfortable during our Communion services and is always helpful to the Religious Education Department. To our priests, Fr. Hewes and Fr. Benet, thank you for making both days very memorable for all.

Today, Sunday, May 19, 2019 is the May Crowning of our Blessed Mother at the 9:30AM Family Mass. All First Holy Communion students have been asked to attend this Mass in their Communion attire. Parents and family members are invited to join us.

**PHOTOGRAPHS**

Rosemary Femia will be here every Thursday night from 7-9PM in the breezeway with Confirmation and First Holy Communion pictures until the end of June.



**May 25 & 26**

*Eucharistic Ministers*

4:00 P.M.	7:30 AM	9:30 AM	11:00 AM	12:30 PM
M. Brennan	J. D' Agostino	J. Napolitano	G. Cruz	B. Abadom
J. Commisso	B. Hermosura	C. DeStefano	E. McEvoy	J. Maccio
A. Palumbo		B. Napolitano	K. Camilleri	A. Sosnilo
J. McQueeney		S. Fleming		

**Lectors**

4:00 PM	7:30 AM	9:30 AM	11:00 AM	12:30 PM
B. Vogt	H. Campa	C. Okonkwo	G. Cruz	M. Shef



**PRAY FOR OUR SICK**

Baby Chloe Atienza  
Gerard Costa  
Joseph Costa  
Jo D'Agostino  
Vilma Diaztoral  
Elisabeth Dorovich

Lawrence Famighetti  
Nunzio Grella  
Lisa Marie Hulsen  
Kay Internicola  
Thomas Iuculano  
Florence Linda  
John Marinaro  
Sophia Marzulla  
John McIntyre  
Maureen McNamara

Jay McNamee  
Matthew Montesano  
Marie Pecoraro  
Mary Perry  
Peter Prestia  
Marge Puccio  
Eugene Quarello  
Alice Reilly  
Helen Reineking  
Corinne Rivituso  
Casey Rodriguez

Diane Ruenas  
Christopher Sabato, Sr.  
Cecelia Sanzone  
Charles Sanzone  
Grace Sanzone  
George Schnell  
Debbie Serio  
Ed & Ann Smith  
Arthur Joseph Sonnick  
Brian Tripp



**APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER**

The **Apostleship of Prayer** is a worldwide association of Catholics and other Christians who strive to make their ordinary, everyday lives apostolically effective. Through the Apostleship of Prayer, the **Pope** gives his monthly prayer intentions to the entire Church. For this reason, the Apostleship came to be known as **"the Pope's own prayer group."**

**DAILY OFFERING PRAYER** - *God, our Father, I offer You my day. I offer You my prayers, thoughts, words, actions, joys, and sufferings in union with Your Son Jesus' Heart, Who continues to offer Himself in the Eucharist for the salvation of the world. May the Holy Spirit, who guided Jesus, be my guide and my strength today so that I may witness to Your love.*

**MAY: The Church in Africa, a Seed of Unity**

That the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.



**We Pray, especially for our Service Men and Women:**

2nd Lt. Christopher Felice - Marines, Christopher Motlenski - Navy, Nicholas Mazzone - U.S. Coast Guard, Peter Mazzone - Marines, SSG Michael Hughes, SPC John Vautrin-Gardinier, US Army, Tyler Smith-Reynolds - U.S. Coast Guard, Lance Corporal Ryan, Matthew Ferrara - Marines, Matthew Kirchner - Army, Noah Kirchner - Air Force, Ensign Melanie Thompson - Navy, Capt. Joseph De Monte IV - Pilot - United States Air Force, Lt. Joseph Morgan, Lt. Brendan Johnston - U.S. Navy, LCPL Michael Porfidio - Marine in Afghanistan, Jeffrey Gabriellini - Air Force, Corporal Michael Grella - Navy Airman, Julien-Army-Iraq., Lt. Col. Robert Wright-Marines, Michael Wissemann, LPL San Sievero - Marines, Ambrose Michelino, Jarod Racuot - Army, Robert Scarpelli, Anthony Lazado - Marines, Richard Freese, Jr. - Navy, Rho Nagasguna - Marines, Michael Doherty - Army, Pablo Quirindongo - CW4 - Army, Cpl. Ronnie Belmarez - Marines, Commander Christopher Grande - Navy



If you would like your family member added to the list or if one has returned home, please contact the Parish Office or email [bulletin@smrcc.org](mailto:bulletin@smrcc.org).



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### HIGHLIGHTS OF PEOPLE SERVED IN 2017

**Living and Sharing our Faith**

Baptisms: 11,823    Confirmations: 11,668    First Eucharist: 11,445    Marriages: 2,177  
Children and Youth in Faith Formation: 88,573    Volunteer Catechists: 10,000

Vocations

Seminarians: 23    Diaconate Candidates: 26

Education

Diocesan Elementary and High Schools: 14,591  
School of Missionary Disciples: 200

**Caring for God's People**

Parish Outreach Program: 100,000  
Hospital Ministry: 200,000  
Respect Life: 132,607 in 32 initiatives

Catholic Charities

Housing: senior, physical disability and pastoral care: 4,042  
Mental Health Outpatient Services: 1,895  
Senior Services: 3,995  
Food and Nutrition Services: 17,087  
Disaster Response: 153  
Parish Social Ministry: 1,617

**Building God's Kingdom**

Campus Ministry: 3,500 a month  
Youth Ministry: 5,800  
Young Adult Ministry: 3,500 a month  
Hispanic Ministry: 250,000  
Catholics of African Ancestry: 25,000



In 2018, our Parishes received almost 2 million dollars in a share of the Appeal, to use for their own local needs!

**Please consider donating to the Appeal and making a difference in someone's life. Thank you!**

To make a donation, you can also visit [CatholicMinistriesAppeal.org](http://CatholicMinistriesAppeal.org)  
or call Jack Maccio at 631 499-8520 Ext. 117 or [JBM1944@icloud.com](mailto:JBM1944@icloud.com)

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**Our Pilgrim Madonna**

**On May 13, 1917 three children were privileged to see a vision of a Beautiful Lady. They were later advised she was the Blessed Mother.**

**The Legion of Mary would love to bring Our Lady of Fatima to spend a week at your home.**

**If you are interested, please call:**

**Lucia: 631 940-4015 or**

**Rosa: 631 920-2446**

**Y.E.S. ~ SENIOR NEWS**

Meetings are held every Thursday after the 9:00 AM Mass except on luncheon dates. Please join us.

We all saw the news and photos from Paris showing the devastating fire that almost completely destroyed Notre Dame. This beautiful cathedral got much-deserved news coverage because it is not only a place of worship, but a national treasure. We are told that it appeared to be accidental and we pray that it was, but religion is under attack almost everywhere. We must pray for not only our churches, but for the synagogues and mosques, to be places of peace and worship, not evil destruction. They should be the very place that we can safely talk to God.

**Dates to Remember**

May 23 ~ Luncheon at LaScala - 12:00 PM

May 30 ~ Ascension of the Lord - No meeting

Remember to pray for all of those who are ill and for their loving caregivers. Pray always for our church, our country, the military, all first responders and for those who put themselves between us and danger. God bless America.

See you in Church.

Pat Benoit

Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything;

tell God your needs, and don't forget to thank Him for His answers.

*Philippians 4:6 TLB*

“Love Thy Neighbor” is a precept which could transform the world, if it were universally practiced.

*Mary McLeod Bethune*

**Respect Life News**

**Spiritual Adoption Program**

**Month Seven & Eight ~ Developing Baby**



You're in the homestretch with your spiritually adopted baby. He is completely formed, and has been since 8 weeks. All he is doing now is gaining weight and making his mother uncomfortable with his size. But she's not worried now. In a short time, her baby will be born. She has planned to bring her baby home or to place her baby for adoption. Either way, she knows she can receive the assistance she needs from the Catholic Church and from the crisis pregnancy centers. Your baby's mother appreciates the prayers you have said for her and her baby throughout the pregnancy. It hasn't been easy, but your prayers have given her grace to seek the help she needs.

**May 19 - Fifth Sunday of Easter**



In the Gospel today, Jesus says “I give you a new commandment: love one another .... This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

**By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you show that you have love for one another, especially those suffering and poor, and that indeed you are the disciple of Jesus.**



Dear Rosarians,

**Upcoming Calendar**

Tuesday, June 4 ~ End-of-year party  
 Saturday, June 8 ~ International Banquet @ 5:00 PM in Msgr. Goggin Hall

Love and prayers in the Hearts of Jesus and Mary, Patricia Bissex.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul



A diocesan council-wide diaper drive is being held to help alleviate the dire diaper need in New York State.

We will be participating in this drive during the weekends of May 25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> and June 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>. Any parishioners who would like to support this program may purchase and donate UNOPENED packages of diapers. Please leave the packages on the table in the church vestibule or breezeway. Thank you.



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen Council #7479

35 North Service Road • Dix Hills, NY 11746

**22<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL GOLF OUTING**

**Monday, May 20, 2019**

Kevin P. Bertolini, Grand Knight

631-254-0087

Ron Pizzolo, PGK, Chairman

631-357-7733

Joe Montelle, PGK, Chairman

631-940-2915

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**STEPHEN SILLER**

**TUNNELS TO TOWERS FOUNDATION**

**Schedule**

**Brunch at 12:00 pm • Tee-off at 1:30 pm**

**A Halfway House & Beverage Cart will be served from 1:30 to 6:00 pm.**

**Cocktail hour/dinner begins at 6:00 pm**

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Please list your players below with their handicaps. Send with a check made out to the Knights of Columbus and mailed to Ron Pizzolo at the address below. The Fee is \$225.00 per golfer.

1. Captain \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

**Please join us for this exciting event!**

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**Second Prize: \$200.00 Cash**

**Third Prize: \$100.00 Cash**



Focus on Religious Freedom

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Again - A Farmer & Baker Push Back Religious Hostility

Legally known as "religious animus," religious hostility is once again trying to prevent small businesses from earning a living when the business owners practice their deeply held religious beliefs.

Michigan fruit farmer, Steve Tennes, had been banned from selling his produce at the local farmers market because of his religious beliefs hosting only traditional marriages on his farm, 22 miles away. In 2017, a judge granted a temporary order allowing Tennes to return to the farmers market. Now, in 2019, his attorney is requesting that the city permanently lift the ban. She said, "All Americans should be free to live and speak according to their deeply held religious beliefs without fear of government punishment."

Last year, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled 7-2 in favor of Colorado baker, Jack Phillips, when he declined to bake a wedding cake for a same-sex couple since using his artistic talent to celebrate this event conflicted with his religious beliefs. This year, a second case was brought involving a complaint after he declined to make a specialized cake for a transgender transition. On March 5, the CO commission dropped its case against Phillips provided he withdraw his lawsuit against the state for "harassment." "I have and will always serve everyone who comes into my shop; I simply can't celebrate events or express messages that conflict with my religious beliefs," said Phillips.

(washingtontimes.com, 3/5/19; nbcnews.com, 12/19/18; lifesitenews.com, 4/16/19)



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**May 21, 2019**

Suzanne Richards, Christ the King Parish

**If there is inclement weather, session will be cancelled.  
Cancellation will be posted on "Christ the King R. C. Church,  
Commack" Facebook page.**

Please call for more information 631-864-1623.



Magnificat, a Ministry to Catholic Women invites you to attend a dinner - May 30th at Pompei Restaurant, West Hempstead, NY. Our guest speaker will be Fr. Douglas Arcoleo. He has been Pastor of Our Holy Redeemer Parish in Freeport since 2008. He is a staunch Pro-Life Advocate and Spiritual Advisor of Magnificat's Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapter. The dinner is \$50 per person and pre-registration is required. Please make checks payable to "Magnificat" and mail to: Judy Murphy, 42 Pinehurst Street, Lido Beach, NY 11561. Checks must be received by May 25th - Payment will not be accepted at the door. For additional information, please contact Judy at (917) 453-5750. Come and bring a friend for an evening of fellowship, refreshment, and worship!

**Our Lady of the Rosary Columbiettes  
Spring into Summer Fashion Show**

**June 2, 2019 ~ 3 pm - 7 pm**

**\$45 per person**

Our Lady of the Rosary Council  
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4 Course Dinner - includes pasta, salad,  
Entrée: Prime Rib or Chicken Francaise,  
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Commack, Dress Barn  
Raffles and 50/50

**Money due by May 15, 2019**

**NO TICKETS SOLD AT DOOR**

For more information contact  
Grace Rapuano at 631 940-0859

**The Sisters of St. Dominic of Amityville  
Celebrate Annual Luncheon**

Join us on **Friday, June 28th, 2019**  
**from 11:00 am - 3:00 pm** as the

Sisters of St. Dominic of Amityville host their **18th  
Annual Beauty of the Spirit Luncheon** at  
Crest Hollow Country Club in Woodbury, NY.

Each year our luncheon celebrates the beauty of the spirit of women - their strength, compassion, and wisdom. Our guests enjoy fantastic auctions and raffles, as well as an inspirational lecture from a Sister keynote speaker. This year's event will be emceed by News 12 Long Island Anchor and Journalist, Carol Silva.

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Sister Elizabeth Johnson, CSJ, Ph.D.

Tuesday, May 21 - 2:30pm

Maria Regina Chapel

1725 Brentwood Rd, Bld #1, Brentwood



*Can Nature Be My Neighbor?* Our "Year of Union" continues  
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her love of nature and how God's presence is found in all creation – from the tiniest  
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