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CATHOLIC CHURCH

Message of Our Lady of Hope

*“But pray, my children. God will hear you in time.
My Son allows Himself to be moved with compassion”*

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday — Saturday

8:30 AM

Wednesday

7:00 PM

Saturday

5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

Sunday Mass

8:00 AM ~ 10:00 AM ~ 12:00 PM ~ 6:30 PM

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APRIL 9, 2023 ~ EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

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BAPTISMS

Every 2nd Sunday at 1:30 PM & 4th Saturday at 12:00 noon. Please call to schedule an appointment with the priest and bring a copy of the child's birth certificate. Godparents must be fully initiated Catholics who actively practice their faith and must present a Confirmation certificate prior to the celebration. First time parents need to attend the Baptism class.

MARRIAGES

Couples should contact the parish at least six (6) months prior to the proposed wedding date. Schedule an appointment with the priest or deacon who is responsible for preparing the couple for the necessary requirements and pastoral instructions.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays at 4:00 PM

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

In case of serious illness or emergency, call the Rectory to arrange for a visit by a Priest.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday : 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Saturday: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

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PRAYER & DEVOTIONS

CHILDREN OF HOPE ROSARY CLUB

Monthly meetings in person/zoom

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

1st Friday following last morning Mass
with Benediction at 4:00 PM

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Corporate Mass: 2nd Wednesday of the month
at 7:00 PM followed by meeting at 7:30 PM

OUR LADY OF HOPE NOVENA

Tuesdays at 9:00 AM

PADRE PIO AND OUR LADY PRAYER GROUP

3rd Wednesday of the month, Rosary at 6:30 PM
followed by Mass at 7:00 PM

ROSARY

Monday - Saturday @ 8:00 AM

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

1st Wednesday of the month, Mass at 7:00 PM
followed by Rosary & meeting at 7:30 PM
in the cafeteria

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners:

Happy Easter! We gather today as a people of faith to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus. The proclamation of the empty tomb renewed the hope of the first disciples in the midst of their pain and confusion following the crucifixion of Jesus. For us, Easter is a time of renewal as well. We are renewed by the proclamation that Jesus died for love of us and rose again, opening the way to eternal life. I pray that our Easter celebration brings all of us a renewed sense of God's presence and brings us all a greater spirit of hope and joy.

I thank all those who participated in our Holy Week celebrations and those who gave generously of themselves to serve our community, especially our liturgical ministers, musicians, altar servers, decorators, children's choir and our parish staff.

I hope that you have a wonderful day celebrating with your family and friends. Let us continue to pray for one another

In Christ, Fr. Peter Purpura

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Weekly Offerings	\$ 14,934.00
Parish Easter Gift	\$ 15,547.00
Easter Flower Memorial	\$ 661.00
Online Giving (3/30-4/3)	\$ 1,380.66
Votives	\$ 1,394.00
Poor Box	\$ 351.00

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

We rely on your ongoing financial support of our parish. Ongoing support of our parish can be made by using the offertory envelopes or electronically through online giving. Visit our parish website for information on how to sign up for automated giving.

UPCOMING SECOND & SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

- Retired Priest - April 9th
- Catholic Home Missions - April 30th

LEGACY GIFTS

Please consider including our parish in your estate planning. A legacy gift to your parish can assure your tradition of faithful support for many years to come.

Parish 50/50 Raffle

Congratulations to M/M J. Maniscalco for winning the parish raffle for the month of March.

The 50/50 envelope for the month of April was not included in the packet however there were 2 envelopes for the month of May. Please use that envelope for this month or you can get the envelope in the sacristy during weekend masses or in the rectory. Thank you for your continued support to the parish.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY
Financial Report as of March 31, 2023

INCOME:

Balance as of 2-28-23	\$ 92.00
Church Poor Boxes	\$ 1,152.00
Total Income	\$ 1,244.00

EXPENSES:

Our Lady of Lourdes Food Pantry	\$ 100.00
Our Lady of Fatima Food Pantry	\$ 100.00
Make * A * Wish	\$ 150.00
Covenant House	\$ 150.00
Franciscan Missions	\$ 150.00
Annual Catholic Appeal	\$ 210.00
Total Expenses	\$ 860.00
Balance:	\$ 384.00

Masses for the Week



SUNDAY, APR 9 - Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

8:00 AM Joseph LoGiudice
 10:00 AM Robert Paneco & Angelina Lagana
 12:00 PM People of the Parish
 6:30 PM No Evening Mass

MONDAY, APR 10 - Monday w/n the Octave of Easter

8:30 AM Richard Burke

TUESDAY, APR 11 - Tuesday w/n the Octave of Easter

8:30 AM Leo & Vera Rella

WEDNESDAY, APR 12 - Wed w/n the Octave of Easter

8:30 AM Richard Sturm (Birthday)
 Mary Nallan Kaiser (Anniversary)
 Theresa Russo
 Vincenzo Puleo
 Assunta Palmeri

7:00 PM Sebastian Maccarone

THURSDAY, APR 13 - Thurs w/n the Octave of Easter

8:30 AM Blessing, Protection & Thanksgiving
 For Gradzki Family

FRIDAY, APR 14 - Friday w/n the Octave of Easter

8:30 AM Vincent Alongi (Birthday)

SATURDAY, APR 15 - Saturday w/n the Octave of Easter

8:30 AM Mary Dillane Nallan (Anniversary)
 Giovanna Finazzo (Birthday)
 Assunta Palmeri
 Halina Gatti
 Filippo Cane
 Mary Sammon
 Joseph DeSalvo
 Guy Thomas Gullotta Gold
 Theresa Cochran
 Theresa Tiner Villafon

5:00 PM Albert Conlin

SUNDAY, APR 16 - Sunday of Divine Mercy

8:00 AM John Moran (Living)
 10:00 AM Kathleen & Richard Mangan
 12:00 PM Margaret + Joseph P. Cassara (Birthday)
 6:30 PM People of the Parish

MEMORIALS



The Bread and Wine are offered in Loving Memory of Giuseppina Genovese (Birthday) at the request of Margaret & Paul Lamia & Genovese Family

The Easter Memorial Flowers are donated in Loving Memory of Departed Loved Ones celebrating Easter in Heaven



The Sanctuary Lamp is lit in Loving Memory of Angelina Lagana at the request of her children, Tina/Richard Vignogna & Family

The Easter Paschal Candle is donated in Loving Memory of Helen & Frank Dubiel at the request of their daughter, Annette Dubiel



The Palm Basket is donated in honor of my parents Henry & Pat Zalak's 50th Wedding Anniversary at the request of their son, Anthony Zalak

WITH PRAYERS & SYMPATHY



Caterina Leggio, Susan Barnikel-Wesch
 Cecilia Wernicki

PRAYER SICK LIST



Michele A., Elizabeth Rodas, Caryn Simone, Bob Clark, Virginia Soriente, Paula Kammer, Helmut "Moose" Rhein, Irene Rhein, Liberato Catuogno, Gino & Anna Dagri, Frank DiLello, Daniel Ramirez, Marie Breslin, John Zambardino, Dennis Roberts, Ludwig Bauer, Pam Patterson, Robin Trombino, Lenny Masone, Felicia Malecki, Eileen Sikorski, Guillermo Lucero, Carmen Velez, John Goederer, Steve Iglie, Anna Lavanco, Carol Giambalvo, Eddie Campanella, Lope Chaves, Susana Sidoroba, Bermelda Soto, Gladys Velasquez, Lita Velasquez, Elaine Mojica, Willie Vonborstel, James Leung, John Cristino, Joseph Augustine, Cathie Greulich, Marion Caracciola, Matthew Santoro, Elsa Barbagallo, James Hollick, Jesse Wagner, Gary Chifalo, Albert Libardi, Anne Gorin, Joyce Spatafora, Rosa Maria Santos, Joseph Luca Damiano, Annette Pieplow, John Murphy, Francis Rizzo, Cathy Mooney, Daniel Fox, Philip DeLuca, Guy Arseneau, Antoinette Diolallevi, Alfie Poje, Maria Krippel, Michael Antonow, Daniel O'Connor, Christine Sandrib, Justin James Quirke, Maria Curcuruto, Gerrado Pirbao, Rodney Harris, Santo Pantina, Janice McManus-Genevrino, Jorge Cadena, Janel Rice

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to our newly Baptized Kathryn Hess for completing her Initiation into the Catholic Church. Let us continue to pray her and her family.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The next corporate communion mass will be on Wednesday, April 12th at 7:00 pm. Please note there will be no meeting this month. We will be gathering for night watch over the Blessed Sacrament on Thursday, April 6th following the 7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper until 11:00 pm.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

There will be NO CLASS on Sunday, April 9th. The staff wishes all our families a very blessed and Happy Easter! Classes resume on Sunday, April 16th.

PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

The Padre Pio Prayer group will meet Wednesday, April 19th at 6:30 PM for the Recitation of Rosary and Devotional Prayer to St. Pio and Mass will follow at 7:00 PM. All are welcome and please bring a friend.

Are you ready to "BRING MARY HOME" in May?

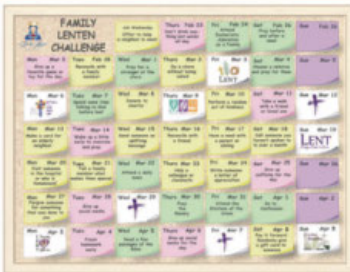


Each year, in May, Our Lady of Hope encourages families to receive a statue of Our Blessed Mother for one week and take it home to pray for Vocations and their family's needs.

Sign-ups begin April 16th through April 30th at the 10:00am Sunday Mass in the church vestibule.

In May, pick up your statue at the 10 AM Mass as your name is called and drop off the following Sunday prior to the Mass.

PARISH COUNCIL SPOTLIGHT



Hoping everyone is experiencing a meaningful Lenten Season. The Lenten Box for the return of the completed Family Lenten Calendar will be available in the Church vestibule beginning Easter Sunday, April 9th, through Divine Mercy Sunday, April 16th.

All completed calendars will be entered into a drawing for a \$100 gift card that will take place on Monday, April 17th, in the rectory. Thanks for your participation and have a blessed Easter season.

EASTER FLOWER MEMORIAL

In Loving Memory of Our Departed Loved Ones celebrating Easter in Heaven

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| M/M Anthony Accardi
Lucy & Louis Adamo
Maria & Salvatore Alongi
Josephine Alfano
Vincent Alongi
Ignazio Amore
Jack & Joan Anastasio
Baialardo Family
Victor Bednarczyk
Bolger & Barry Families
Annette Bilodeau
M/M G. Browne
Joseph Campanella Jr.
M/M Joseph Campanella Sr
Maria + Andrew Carisetti
Peter Carisetti
Michael Carisetti
Joseph P+ Margaret Cassara
Maureen Connelly
Antonina DiBenedetto
Mariano DiBenedetto
Leonardo DiBella
Marjorie DiGregoria
DiMarino Family
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Rose & Robert Dorman
Pat Ducey Jr.
Patrick & Eleanor Ducey
Rosemarie Fabian
Marcella Fabianowicz
Antonio Favia
Ernestine Fill
John Fill
Genevieve & Francis Ford
Marie Forgione
Marie Forlini | Leslie A. Francisco
Geniti Family
Geraci + LoBello Families
Adam Gierucki
Anna Gierucka
Bogumila Golec
Joseph Guarisco
Antoinette Guzzo
Sidonia & Richard Kunar
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Frank Lynch
Mickey & Al Lynch
Connie Macaluso
Richard Maffia
Dennis Martinelli
Joseph & Connie Martinelli
Hank & Eddie McGarry
Genove Gneco Medina
Meehan Family
Franz & Hilda Michelich
Josef Mlymarski
Parente Family
Phyllis & Louis Pellegrino
Margaret Quinn
Irene Raymond
John, Kay & Luke Reilly
Clarice & Peter Ribauda
Albert & Mary Ronci
Sheehan Family
Mary & Ray Valdes
Harry T. Walters
Anna & Edward Welz
Patrick Winkler
Joseph Zawadzki
Zawadzki Family |
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Divine Mercy Chaplet

Please join us to celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday by praying the Chaplet on Sunday, April 16, right after the 10:00 am Mass.

Hosted by the Children of Hope Rosary Club

HAPPY EASTER!



JOIN US FOR

JUNIPER PARK Cleanup

Saturday, April 22

*Rain date April 29

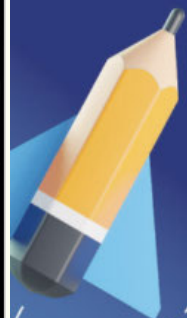
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Sunday, April 30th

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Senior Spotlight

Spring Social for the "Young at Heart"
Hosted by the "OLH Committee for Senior Events"

Sunday, May 7th - 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Hope Auditorium
71st Street & Eliot Avenue, Middle Village, NY
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Tickets will be sold after all Masses during the week-ends of April 22nd, 23rd and April 29th, 30th. Tickets **must** be purchased in advance and **will not** be sold at the door.

The members of the *Committee for Senior Events* wish all parishioners, and their families, a Joyous & Blessed Easter.

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