



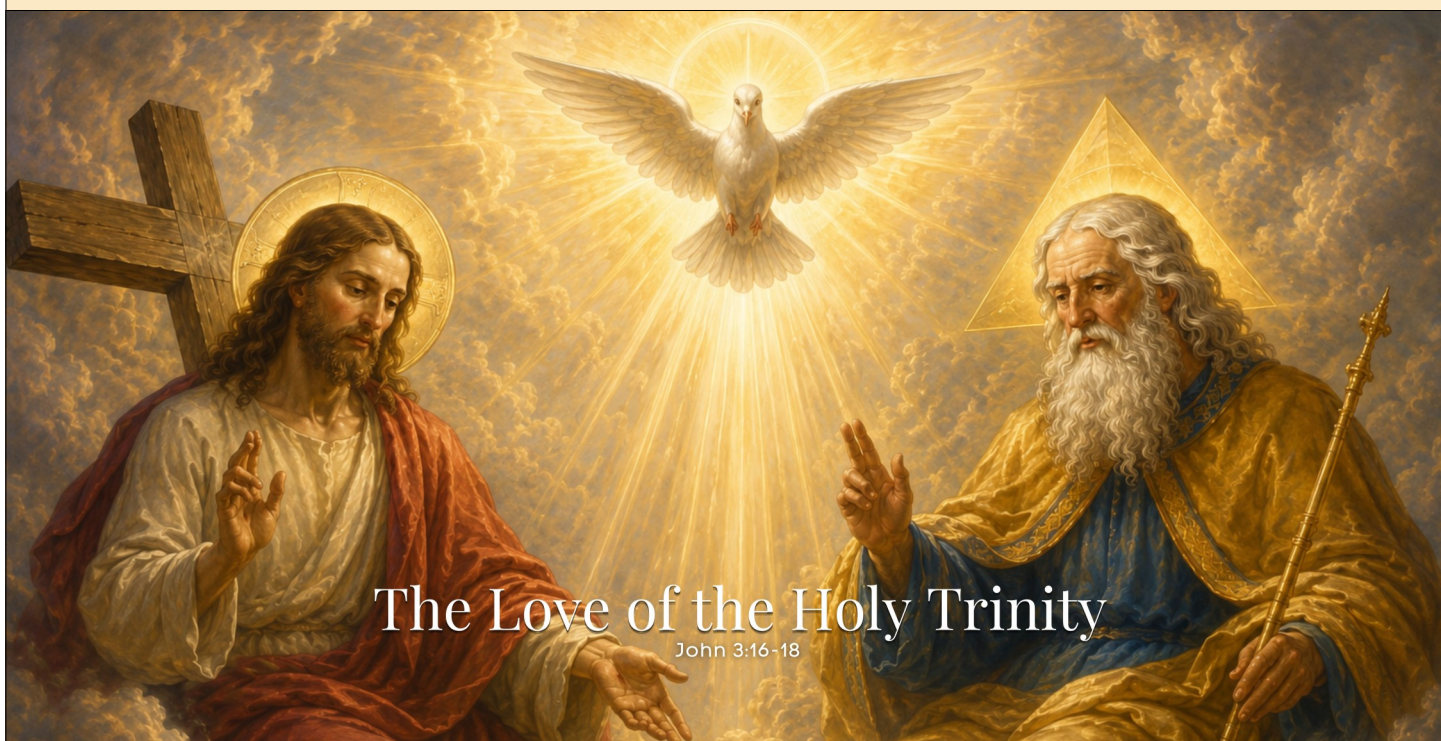
OUR LADY OF LOURDES

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

MALVERNE, NEW YORK

*The Most Holy Trinity—Ninth Week in Ordinary Time*

May 31, 2026



Rev. James T. Stachacz, Pastor

Deacon Richard H. Portuese

Rev. Brandon P. O'Brien, J.C.L., In Residence

Rev. Eugene C. Umeyor, CMF, In Residence

**THE GUIDING LIGHT FROM THE GROTTA**  
**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY—NINTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**JOHN 3:16-18**

**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

My brothers and sisters in Christ, Since Pentecost Sunday, May 24th, we have transitioned into the liturgical season of Ordinary Time, when the color on the altar is green and we focus on God's presence in our daily lives. For the next two Sundays, however, we will celebrate two special solemnities that focus on different aspects of the mystery of God. Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, and next Sunday we will celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi, when we focus on God who comes to us in the Eucharist. For these occasions, the altars will once again be dressed in white.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches that "the mystery of the Most Holy Trinity is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God himself. It is therefore the source of all the other mysteries of faith" (CCC 234). As Catholic Christians, we believe in and follow one God in three Persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. We do not worship three separate gods, but one God in three Divine Persons.

The Catechism further teaches that "the Godhead of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit is one, their glory equal, their majesty co-eternal" (CCC 266). "They are inseparable in what they are and in what they do" (CCC 267). Although the Holy Trinity is beyond the full limits of human understanding, this does not mean that the Trinity is so abstract that it has little relevance to our daily lives, nor does it mean that God is distant from us. The most important element in understanding the Holy Trinity is faith — placing our faith in the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, who is love itself.

The doctrine of the Holy Trinity reveals that God's very nature is love and communion. The Trinity shows us God's inner life — who God truly is at His very core. The Most Holy Trinity tells us that God is love. The Church teaches that the Trinity — one God in three Persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit — is an eternal relationship of self-giving love.

God the Father is the life giving Lover who pours Himself out completely, holding nothing back of His divine nature. He eternally begets the Son. God the Son is the perfect image of the Father. The Son receives life from the Father and gives that life back to the Father in a perfect act of love and thanksgiving. The love shared between the Father and the Son is the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit then pours that divine love into our hearts. God desires to share this love with us so that we may know what it truly means to love and to be loved, and to live according to the ways of God. Perhaps the best way to begin understanding the Most Holy Trinity is to live in love as one family of God. For God is a communion of love, and He continually draws us to Himself.



**THE CENTENNIAL JUBILEE — BLUE & WHITE GALA & JUBILEE MASS**

From Thursday, May 21st through Pentecost Sunday, May 24th, we experienced a truly special time as we celebrated the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. It was heartwarming to see so many of you participate in this auspicious occasion — whether at the Jubilee Mass with Bishop Barres along with the reception May 24<sup>th</sup> the Blue & White Gala May 21st, the special Mass and breakfast on Saturday May 23<sup>rd</sup>, commemorating the first Mass of our parish, through prayer, at our regular liturgies, or online.

Thank you to each of you for your faith and joyful participation in these parish celebrations. I especially thank our **Centennial Committee Team**. This includes the **Steering Committee and all of the Sub-Committees**. You worked countless hours to make these days joyful and successful. Thank you also to Bishop Barres for sharing in our celebration and reminding us how the Holy Spirit continues to work in our lives and in our Church. Thank you to all who worked on our Centennial Journal and the businesses, organizations and parishes who donated an ad.

I also extend my gratitude to our Choir, Bell Choir, Liturgical Committee, Altar Servers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, Sacristans, and Parish Staff for all that you have done for this Centennial celebration. **May we always remember this sacred time** and carry our joy, our worship, and our enthusiasm into the next century under the guidance of the Most Holy Trinity — Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, One God forever — and under the loving care and intercession of our Blessed Mother, Our Lady of Lourdes.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR EIGHT CONFIRMANDI**

Last Saturday, May 23rd, I had the honor of confirming eight adults from our parish during the Vigil of Pentecost. On behalf of our parish family, I congratulate them and pray that the Holy Spirit will always guide and direct them throughout their lives.

**They are: Kevin Alexander, Christian Cowan, Iolanda Esposito, Samuel Fajardo, Kevin Hock, Justyna Mschichowski, Joseph Ruscillo, Nicholas Ruscillo.**

I especially thank the OCIA Team under the direction of Kevin Connolly for helping to form and prepare them. They faithfully met every Sunday since September in preparation for this important step in their faith journey.

May God bless you, and may Mary keep you and your families always.

Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for us!

*Fr. Jim*

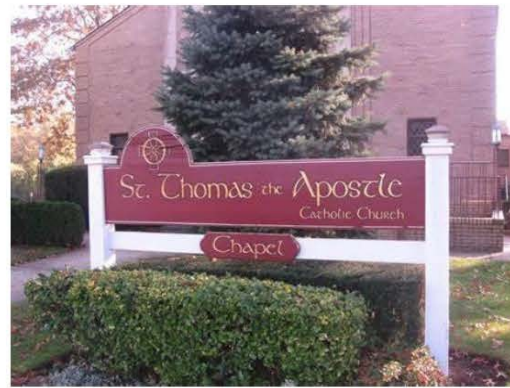
**“THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI”**

**AN OUTDOOR PROCESSION**

**SUNDAY, JUNE 7th 2026**

**FROM OUR LADY OF LOURDES**

**65 WRIGHT AVE, MALVERNE**



**TO ST. THOMAS CHAPEL**

**HEMPSTEAD AVE & NASSAU BLVD, W. HEMPSTEAD**

**AFTER THE 12:00PM/12:30PM Mass**

**WE INVITE ALL CHILDREN & ADULTS  
TO JOIN US WHETHER YOU WALK OR REMAIN AT  
CHURCH**

**FIRST COMMUNICANTS ARE INVITED TO WEAR  
THEIR COMMUNION ATTIRE**

***HONORING THE BODY & BLOOD OF OUR LORD***

### Mass Schedule

Monday through Saturday  
9:00 am and live-streamed

### Weekend Masses

Saturday ~ 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am,  
10:30 am ~ live-streamed  
12:00 pm, 5:00 pm

### Confession

Saturday ~ 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm

### Welcome to Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

65 Wright Avenue, Malverne, NY

**Pastor:** Rev. James T. Stachacz  
(516) 599-1269 ~ Fax: (516) 231-6750  
fatherjim@ollchurchmalverne.org

**Parish Website:** OLLChurchMalverne.org

**Church Hours:** 8:00 am to 2:45 pm

**Parish Center:** Kelly Lackner, Administrative Assistant  
rectoryoffice@ollchurchmalverne.org  
Jennifer Prizzi, Business Manager  
jenniferprizzi@ollchurchmalverne.org  
(516) 599-1269

### Parish Center Office Hours:

Monday to Friday:  
9:00 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm  
Monday and Wednesday 7:00pm to 9:00 pm  
Saturday: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

**Parish Trustees:** Michael Hannan and Lorraine Korth Smith

### Music Ministry Team:

Stephen Harth, and Christine Solimeno  
sharth5620@ollmalverne.org

**Youth Director:** Linda Baldacchino

**Maintenance:** Kevin Dieck  
Rocco Bruzzese

### Religious Education:

Mary Lasar, Director  
ollreled@gmail.com  
Marybeth Malone, Secretary  
(516) 599-7222

### Religious Education Office Hours

Monday to Friday: 9:30 am to 3:15 pm ~ Parish Center  
Tuesday & Wednesday: 3:30 pm to 5:30 pm ~ School  
Saturday: 9:30 am to 10:30 am ~ School

### School Office

Stephen Harth, Principal ~ sharth5620@ollmalverne.org  
Lisa LoGrande, Administrative Assistant  
(516) 599-7328 ~ Fax: (516) 231-1440  
www.OLLMalverne.org

### Mass Intentions

#### Saturday, May 30th ~ Weekday

5:00 pm In Thanksgiving to the Saints

#### Sunday, May 31st ~ The Most Holy Trinity

7:30 am For the People of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish  
9:00 am Peggy Hannan (d)  
10:30 am Dominick DelCarpine (d)  
12:00 pm Robert West (d)  
Michael Kruppenacker (d)  
Tony Chiorello (d)  
Janet McManus (d)  
Sister Marian Steffens (d)  
5:00 pm Thomas and Richard Mundy (d)

#### Monday, June 1st ~ Saint Justin, Martyr

9:00 am John Messineo (d)

#### Tuesday, June 2nd ~ Weekday

9:00 am Michael Meyran (d)

#### Wednesday, June 3rd ~ Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

9:00 am Ann and Richard McGowan (d)

#### Thursday, June 4th ~ Weekday

9:00 am The Living Intentions of Peter James Loehle

#### Friday, June 5th ~ Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

9:00 am Bentz Philemy (d)  
8:00 pm First Friday Adoration

#### Saturday, June 6th ~ Weekday

9:00 am Barbara Kretkowski (d)  
Peggy Hannan (d)  
Edward Mahoney (d)  
Ryan Burns (d)  
Conversion of Political Leaders to the Culture  
of Life  
5:00 pm Jo-Anne Gecewicz (d)

#### Sunday, June 7th ~ The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

7:30 am Blanche Schutte (d)  
9:00 am For the People of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish  
10:30 am For the Living Intentions of Austin  
Neugeboren  
12:00 pm Concetta Dalmeto on her 30th Anniversary in  
Heaven  
Victor Karvovski (d)  
Thomas J. Carroll (d)  
Teresa Prendergast (d)  
In Thanksgiving  
5:00 pm Viola Consolo (d)

## St. Vincent de Paul Society



As we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity we also realize the mystery of how much God loves and cares for us each day. Believing in this our lives can then overflow in thanksgiving and praise.

**Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box will help the poor to believe in the mystery of God's love for them.**

### Pantry Hours

**Tuesday and Friday mornings 9:45 am - 11:45 am.**

**Thursday evenings 6:00 - 7:30 pm.**

Please contact us at  
[rectoryoffice@ollchurchmalverne.org](mailto:rectoryoffice@ollchurchmalverne.org)  
 or call (516) 599-1269

### Needed in the Food Pantry

Rice-A-Roni, Cannellini Beans, Baked Beans,  
 Chili, Cereal, & Oatmeal

**Please place donations inside the box, located in the Elevator Lobby—ground level.**

### CAPITAL CAMPAIGN - as of Sunday, May 17, 2026

Pledge Goal **\$2,000,000**

Pledge Amount: **\$2,152,956**

Redemption Collected **\$815,918**

*Our first projects will include installing two new boilers in the rectory and parish center, repairing the front steps of the parish center, and adding security cameras around the church.*



## Parish Center Summer Hours

**As of May 28 the Parish Center Hours are as follows:**

Monday - Friday: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Monday and Wednesday: 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

*Closed Monday - Friday 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm*

Saturday: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

*(Closed Sunday)*

### WEEKLY OFFERINGS - Sunday, May 24, 2026

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Weekly Collection	<b>\$18,000</b>	<i>will report next week</i>
Year to Date OLL Fiscal Year	<b>\$684,000</b>	<i>will report next week</i>

*Budget and Actual comprises envelopes, cash, online giving and second collections for Our Lady of Lourdes.*

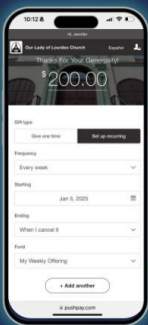
### Diocese of Rockville Centre

Catholic Ministries Appeal 2026 Parish Totals

Goal: \$78,750.00 ~ Pledges: \$42,708.62

Donors: 86 ~ Payments: \$33,945.62

You can now give with your phone!



Scan with Smartphone to Give



- Give anywhere at anytime
- Receive giving statements
- Sign up for recurring giving
- Contribute to our capital campaign
- Supports multiple payment options



[www.ollchurchmalverne.org/donate](http://www.ollchurchmalverne.org/donate)



## Supporting Our Parish

In these challenging times, special gratitude is expressed to those who are able to support Our Lady of Lourdes Parish.

### Ways to Give



**In Person:** At Mass during the collection or dropped off at the Parish Center.



**By Mail:** Mail to Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, 65 Wright Avenue, Malverne, NY 11565



**Online:** Using Pushpay for fast & secure contribution, visit:  
[www.ollchurchmalverne.org/donate](http://www.ollchurchmalverne.org/donate)



**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** First Friday of each month at 8 pm by the Human Life Committee and the Nocturnal Adoration Society ending with Benediction at 10:00 pm

Second Thursday of each month from Noon until Benediction at 4:45 pm.

**Rosary:** Each day beginning at 8:30 am in the Church.



**2026 Events**

**Thursday, June 18th—7:00 pm**

Church Hall  
End of Year Luau Celebration

**Christmas in July**

Sing-A-Long  
Wear Your Favorite Christmas T-Shirt  
Sunday, July 12th—1:00 pm  
Church Hall

**BOUTIQUE (THRIFT SHOP) NEWS!**

**Hours of Operation**

**Wednesday 9:30 am - 2:30 pm**

**Saturday 9:30 am - 12:30 pm**

**All Rosary Altar Society Members**

As a group, please try to attend 10:30 am Mass on the first Sunday of each month. The first few rows by the Blessed Mother Statue will be roped off.

**Pray for Priests**



God, our Father, please send us holy priests, all for the Sacred and Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, all for the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, in union with St. Joseph. We pray that the Blessed Mother wraps her mantle around your priests, and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you." (Jn 2:5) May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of Your love, seeking nothing but Your greater glory and the salvation of souls. Amen.

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| <b>Sunday</b>    | <i>Rev. Gustavo Perez Alzate</i>             |
| <b>Monday</b>    | <i>Rev. Prince Charles Ofori</i>             |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | <i>Rev. Jijo Joseph</i>                      |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | <i>Rev. Mike Bartholomew</i>                 |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | <i>Rev. Richard Hoerning</i>                 |
| <b>Friday</b>    | <i>Rev. Joseph Davanzo</i>                   |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b><i>Religious Brothers and Sisters</i></b> |



***First Friday Evening Devotions***

***June 5, 2026 ~ 8:00 pm***

***Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament***

**Prayer Hour for Life**

The Real Presence of Christ is the gift He gave us at the Last Supper, and when we come to church, we are truly in the presence of our God, our Creator and our Redeemer.

On the First Friday of each month, we gather before our Eucharistic Lord to pray that the culture of life will prevail over the culture of death, that respect for all human life from conception to natural death will be restored in the hearts and minds of all God's children.

Please join us for a Holy Hour of prayer before Jesus in the Eucharist on the First Friday of each month from 8:00 pm to 9:00 pm. It may be a sacrifice to set aside this time, but time spent in the presence of the Lord is its own reward.

**Nocturnal Adoration**

The Nocturnal Adoration Society meets in the Church every first Friday. We come together as a Parish to pray before the Blessed Sacrament exposed on the Altar. We invite all our parishioners to join us.

During the month of June we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi, the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. We also honor our fathers on Father's Day.

Remember the Date—June 5th from 9pm to 10pm

**Jesus will be there — will you?**

### Bulletin Reflection

God loves us and wants to have a relationship with us.

### Pro Life Corner

"The first feminists were pro-life. Elizabeth C. Stanton called abortion 'evil'. Sarah F. Norton called abortion a 'crime'. Susan B. Anthony called abortion 'child murder'. Alice Paul called abortion the 'ultimate exploitation of women'." Lila Rose

### "Religion and Rock"

Tune into "Religion and Rock" with Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sunday from 7:00 am—8:00 am on WBAB 102.3 FM or 95.3 FM on Long Island's East End. Listen on Saturdays at 11:00 pm on *Sirius Radio, Channel 159, the Catholic Channel* and at 11:00 pm on XM Satellite, Channel 117. Next Sunday's theme is "Relaxing" Don't miss it!



### Reflection for Next Sunday

June 7, 2026

First Reading: *Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a*

Second Reading: *1 Corinthians 10:16-17*

Gospel Reading: *John 6:51-58*

Jesus says, "I am the living bread."

### Family Connection

Our faith teaches us that when we gather to celebrate Mass, Jesus is present to us. The bread and wine truly become the Body and Blood of Christ. This is what we mean by the word transubstantiation: Jesus makes himself present to all who receive the Body and Blood of Christ.

If there are children in your family who have already celebrated their First Holy Communion, invite them to share their memories of this special day. If there are family photos taken on this occasion, bring them out and share them together. Adults in the family may also share memories or photos that they have of their First Communion. Then read together today's Gospel, John 6:51-58. Reflect together on what Jesus means when he calls himself the "living bread." Recall that every time we receive the Eucharist, Jesus keeps the promise he made in today's Gospel—those who eat his flesh and drink his blood will remain forever connected to him. Perhaps family members can share what it means for them to receive Jesus in the Eucharist. Together thank God for this gift of Holy Communion. Pray together the Lord's Prayer or today's Psalm.

### Altar Server Schedule

June 6th & June 7th

Saturday: 5:00 pm: Abigail Hassett  
John Hassett III

Sunday: 7:30 am: Meghan Sussman  
AnnMarie Sussman

9:00 am: Liam Regan  
Keira Regan

10:30 am: Nicolas Rivas  
Ryan Rivas

12:00 pm: James Fills  
Tiernan Schutta

5:00 pm: Marina Bicocchi  
Mae Lawler

### Parish Mission Statement

We, the parish family of Our Lady of Lourdes, are a faith-filled people who welcome all to join us as we listen to the Word of God and celebrate the Eucharist together. We encourage each other to grow in Christ as we use our God-given gifts to serve the people of our community. Through the Holy Spirit we are inspired through our Patroness, Our Lady of Lourdes, and we strive to imitate her charity and love in making the will of God our own.



### CHURCH OPENING TIMES

ALL ARE WELCOME

### MONDAY TO FRIDAY

8 AM - 2:45 PM

### SATURDAY

8 AM - 6 PM

### SUNDAY

7 AM - 6 PM

**THIS WEEK AT**  
**OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH**

**Monday, June 1st**

9:00 am.....Legion of Mary..... Parish Center Room #2  
11:30 am .....School Teachers.....Parish Center Dining Room  
7:30 pm .....Pre-Baptismal Program.....Parish Center Dining Room

**Tuesday, June 2nd**

9:30 am.....SVDP ..... Parish Center Room #2  
11:30 am .....School Teachers.....Parish Center Dining Room  
1:30 pm .....Prayer Group/Scripture Study...Parish Center Dining Room  
7:00 pm .....CoDA .....Parish Center Dining Room  
7:00 pm .....Bell Choir .....Church  
7:00 pm .....Boy Scout Troop 24 ..... Church Hall  
7:45 pm .....Choir .....Church

**Wednesday, June 3rd**

9:30 am - 2:30 pm ..... Thrift Shop  
11:30 am .....School Teachers.....Parish Center Dining Room  
3:00 pm .....Cub Scouts Pack 24 Arrow of Light ..... Church Hall  
5:00 pm .....Children's Choir.....Church  
7:00 pm .....Prayer Group..... Parish Center Room #2  
7:00 pm .....AA .....Parish Center Dining Room  
7:00 pm .....Talent Show.....School Hall/Courtyard  
7:30 pm .....GRASP ..... Church Hall

**Thursday, June 4th**

11:30 am .....School Teachers.....Parish Center Dining Room  
7:30 pm .....Camp Lourdes CIT/Counselor Meeting..... Church Hall  
7:30 pm .....RAS Board Meeting .....Parish Center Dining Room

**Friday, June 5th**

9:30 am.....SVDP ..... Parish Center Room #2  
11:30 am .....School Teachers.....Parish Center Dining Room  
7:00 pm .....AA .....Parish Center Dining Room  
8:00 pm .....First Friday Adoration.....Church

**Saturday, June 6th**

9:30 am - 12:30 pm ..... Thrift Shop  
9:30 am.....Human Life Committee..... Church Hall  
4:00 pm .....Confessions .....Church  
7:00 pm .....AA .....Parish Center Dining Room

**Sunday, June 7th**

1:00 pm .....Corpus Christi Walk .....Church

**REMINDER**

Please be sure to include your envelope number on your check in the Sunday collection if you are not using your envelopes. If you are using a plain white envelope, please include your name, address, envelope number, and the amount of your donation on the outside of the envelope to ensure you receive proper credit.

All parishioners are invited to volunteer to be a part of the offertory procession at the Mass which you attend. This may be especially appropriate if the Mass is being offered for a relative or friend. Please see one of the Ushers before Mass begins to make your intention known.



# Recommissioning of Eucharistic Ministers

All Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are invited to participate in the Recommissioning Ceremony taking place at all Masses the weekend of June 6-7.

As we continue our sacred ministry of serving the Body and Blood of Christ to our parish family, we gather together in prayer and renewal to reaffirm our commitment to this important calling.

We thank you for your faithful service to our parish community and ask that all Eucharistic Ministers please attend Mass on June 6-7 for this special blessing and recommissioning.

## Meal Train Ministry

Do you know someone in our parish going through a difficult time that could use some support with meals or baked goods?

Would you be willing to support a fellow parishioner by making a meal or baking for them on occasion?



Please call 516-241-1896 or email  
ollmealtrainministry@gmail.com

### Knights of Columbus

St. Mary's / Maris Stella Council #2228



*We are inviting all men of our Parish to join our Order.*

*Take the next step - Join today!*

*Visit us at [lynbrookkofc.com](http://lynbrookkofc.com).  
Contact [Grandknight@lynbrookkofc.com](mailto:Grandknight@lynbrookkofc.com)*



**In your prayers please remember the sick and hospitalized members of our parish**

Mickey Ackerman	Morgan Rourke Lee
Joan Bahna	Jennifer Kenny
Baby Henry	Sue Kielson
Baby Sean	Baby Leonardo
Baby Violette	Speranza Marmo
John Barry	Michael Malone
Carolyn Biondo	Joseph Manno
John Bivona	Pat Mantel
Maria Capper	Geraldine McKenna
Glenn Carbone	Paolo Miceli
Lucia Cimino-Gambino	Margaret Monahan
Richard Clarkson	Emily Parini
Francesca Medoro	Frank Pawlowski
Consolazione	Carol Reisenger
Grayson Danielski	Kenneth Rick
Stanley Durant	Dot Rotondi
Luba Egan	John Rotondi
Alix Etheart	Thomas Scudero
Anthony J. Falke	Anne Skrzypinki
Barbara Fumai	Teresa Spyntiuk
Nicholas Gibbons	Vincent Troiano
Deacon John Governale	Anthony Virgadamo
Michael Haines	Bill Vogric
Peter Hellers	Yvonne Jones Williams
Justin Hosman	

The names will remain for six consecutive weeks unless the Parish Office is notified.



**Our Parishioners  
Serving in the Military**

Please keep all our Military and Support Personnel in your prayers, especially:

**United States Navy**

LT Geoff Hendrick  
LCDR Ryan Patrick Mahon  
LCDR Tara Mahoney  
CDR Andrew E. Glassing

**United States Army**

Spec Lotachukwu Okoye  
Spec Tucker Andrew Peterson  
1st LT Katherine L. Macaluso  
Sgt. Christopher W. Dean, Jr.  
SSG Matthew Takojeff

**United States Air Force**

1st Lt. William F. Cosgrove

**United States Marine Corps**

L Cpl Kristofer Katzenberger  
LT Sam Olive  
Cpl Joseph M. Macaluso

**United States Coast Guard**

Ensign Maureen Joyce Sussman

*“Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen.”*

**Please let us know if any of our Military and Support Personnel have returned home safely, so that we may update our prayer list.**

**BULLETIN DEADLINES**

Parish organizations wishing to submit notices for the bulletin should send items at least 7 days prior to the bulletin’s publication date (the deadline is Monday at 11:00 a.m.). Any submissions received after the deadline may be held for the following week’s bulletin. Please email items to: [rectoryoffice@ollchurchmalverne.org](mailto:rectoryoffice@ollchurchmalverne.org).

*The Tabernacle Flowers have been donated  
in Honor of*

***The Grandparents of Erin Graetzer  
and Kevin Blake***



*The Flowers by the St. Joseph’s Statue  
have been donated in Memory of*

***Joseph Laxton***

*Requested by  
The Carbone Family*



*The Altar Bread has been donated in  
Loving Memory of*

***Teresa Prendergast***

*Requested by  
The Prendergast Family*



***A donation to our church is a beautiful way to remember, honor or give thanks for loved ones.***

**Church Flowers:**

Altar Flowers: \$100 Tabernacle Flowers: \$120 for 2  
Flowers by Blessed Mother Statue: \$60  
Flowers by St. Joseph Statue: \$60

**Memorials**

Altar Bread: \$25 ~ Altar Wine: \$25  
Sanctuary Lamp: \$25

An acknowledgement of your donation will appear in the Sunday bulletin.

**No flowers** during the Advent and Lenten seasons.

**Memorials** available throughout the year. Please come to the Parish Center to make arrangements.



# Our Lady of Lourdes



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS OF LONG ISLAND

Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light for my path. PSALM 119:105

Field day fun for our Kindergarten, First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth was such a great success! They had a blast! Thank you to Mrs. Terrone and all the teachers and parent volunteers for making today a success! See next week for our Middle School Field Day Pictures!

## We Are Lourdes!!



## Principal's Message



As we celebrate Trinity Sunday following the great feast of Pentecost, we are reminded that our faith is rooted in relationship: the love of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. The mystery of the Holy Trinity teaches us that God is never distant or alone, but always present in communion, unity, and love.

Last week, we celebrated Pentecost, when the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles and filled them with courage, wisdom, and faith. That same Spirit continues to guide our school community every day. At Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic School, we strive to live out the spirit of Pentecost by sharing our God-given gifts in service to others, welcoming all with compassion, and growing together in faith and learning. Whether through prayer, acts of kindness, service projects, classroom collaboration, or support for one another, our students and staff reflect the presence of the Holy Spirit in meaningful ways.

What is especially unique about our Lourdes family is the message we strive to instill in every child each day: that they are Made by God, Loved by God, and that God has a plan for them. These simple but powerful truths remind our students of their dignity, purpose, and the special gifts they bring to the world. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we encourage our students to discover those gifts and use them to serve others with faith, compassion, and confidence.

Trinity Sunday also reminds us that each person has a unique role in God's plan. Just as the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit work together in perfect harmony, we too are called to work together as one school family. When we pray together, learn together, and serve others together, we reflect God's love in a powerful way.

As we approach the final weeks of the school year, I encourage our students to finish strong academically while continuing to grow spiritually and personally. These remaining days are opportunities to show gratitude, practice kindness, and live out the values we teach each day at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic School.

Thank you for your continued partnership, support, and faithfulness throughout the year. May the Holy Trinity bless your homes with peace, joy, and abundant grace.

~ Stephen Harth  
Principal



## Religious Education News

### Registration for 2026-27 Religious Education

Re-Registration forms have been sent out to all families currently enrolled in our Religious Education Program. Discounted rates will be available until June 12th.

New Registrations:

If you are registering your child(ren) for the first time, please email or call the Religious Education Office at (516) 599-7222. We will send you a new registration form.

### Mass Passes:

Congratulations to all students in our Sacramental Programs for submitting your Mass Passes in the collection baskets each Saturday and Sunday this year. We hope that you will continue to attend Mass although school is about to end for the summer. You may be on vacation, but God is watching over you 24/7. Come into His home to thank Him for his unconditional love.

### CATECHISTS NEEDED:

*In order to have a successful Religious Education Program we depend on the generosity of our Parish Community.*

*We are looking for volunteers to teach in our program for the upcoming year.*

*We offer classes on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and on Saturday mornings. You are almost sure to find a time that fits your schedule.*

*As you help our students learn our faith you will learn and grow as well.*

*Please consider giving just one hour a week to this most important ministry.*

*If you are a high school student and can find a partner, we would be delighted to have you "team teach" once a week.*



# A Centennial Celebration to Remember

*With grateful hearts, we thank everyone who joined us for our Blue & White Gala and our Centennial Mass celebrated by Bishop John O. Barres as we joyfully commemorated the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. These beautiful celebrations reflected a century of faith, community, devotion, and God's abundant blessings upon our parish family. From our humble beginnings in a tent in 1926 to the vibrant parish we are today, we give thanks for all who have been part of our story and look forward with hope to the generations still to come.*



*Special thanks to Bill Malone for serving as Master of Ceremonies for our Blue & White Ball. His warmth, humor, and enthusiasm helped make our 100th Anniversary celebration a truly memorable evening for all.*







# A Labor of Love for Our Centennial

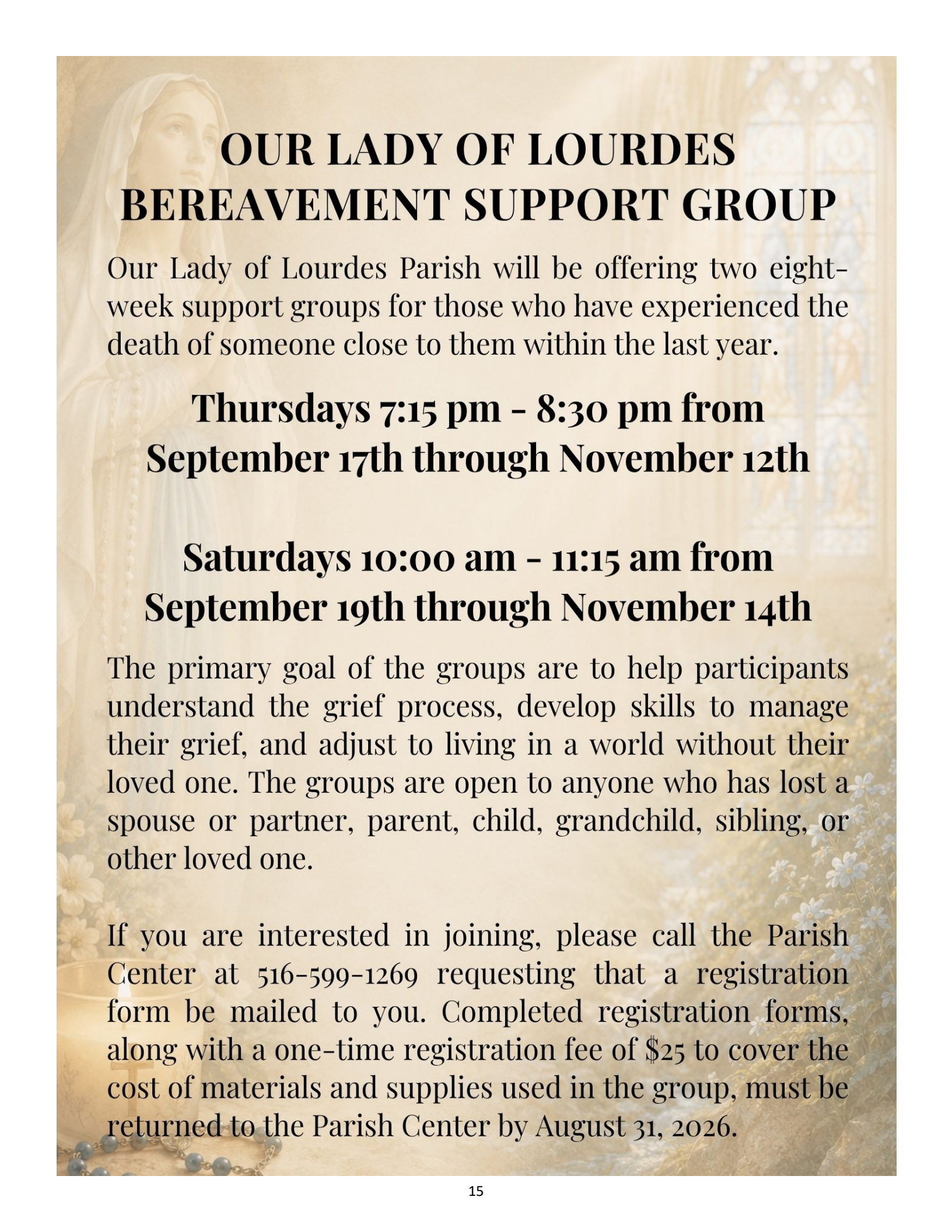
The 100th Anniversary SPIRIT Committee thanks Patricia, Fred, and Freddie Mantel for crafting and financially donating a replica of Our Lady of Lourdes Church to be used at future events and parades.

Additional thanks to Brian Lewis and Carl Prizzi for offering the use of their trailers to carry the replica in this year's Memorial Day Parade, which was unfortunately canceled due to weather.

Luckily, Freddie designed the replica to last, and it will be used in the future.

Thank you all for helping show OLL SPIRIT in its 100th year!!





# **OUR LADY OF LOURDES BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP**

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish will be offering two eight-week support groups for those who have experienced the death of someone close to them within the last year.

**Thursdays 7:15 pm - 8:30 pm from  
September 17th through November 12th**

**Saturdays 10:00 am - 11:15 am from  
September 19th through November 14th**

The primary goal of the groups are to help participants understand the grief process, develop skills to manage their grief, and adjust to living in a world without their loved one. The groups are open to anyone who has lost a spouse or partner, parent, child, grandchild, sibling, or other loved one.

If you are interested in joining, please call the Parish Center at 516-599-1269 requesting that a registration form be mailed to you. Completed registration forms, along with a one-time registration fee of \$25 to cover the cost of materials and supplies used in the group, must be returned to the Parish Center by August 31, 2026.




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*Adoration*

**1<sup>ST</sup> FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH  
8PM TO 10PM**

**PRO LIFE - 8PM TO 9PM  
NOCTURNAL - 9PM TO 10PM**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 5**

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**2<sup>ND</sup> THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH  
12 PM TO 5 PM**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 11**



**SATURDAY, JUNE 20**  
Mass at 11:30 am at the Rock of Our Lady  
Followed by a Procession and the Solemn  
Dedication of the site

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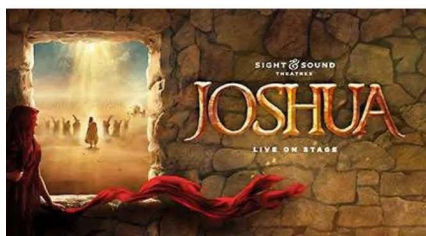
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*Our Lady of Lourdes Youth Ministry  
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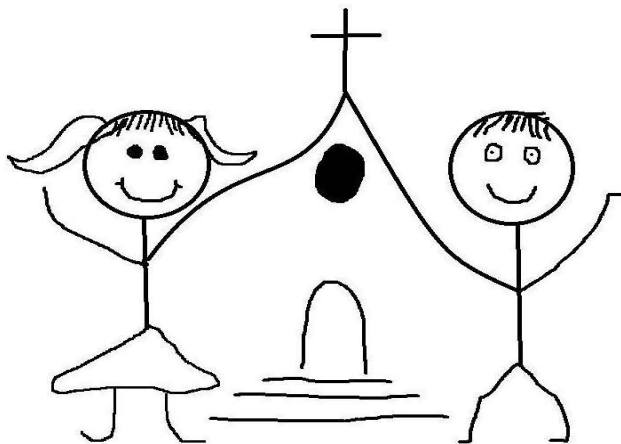
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**June 29th – July 10<sup>th</sup>**

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