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Roman Catholic Church
of
St. Jude

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Celebration of the Eucharist

SATURDAY EVENINGS
5:00pm Vigil Mass
7:30pm Spanish Mass
SUNDAY
8:00am English & Italian
9:30am Children's Choir
11:30am Adult Choir
5:00pm Youth Mass
MONDAY, TUESDAY,
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
9:00am Mass
WEDNESDAY
9:00am Mass
Noon Mass
SATURDAY
8:30am Mass
HOLY DAYS AS
ANNOUNCED.

Sixth Sunday of Easter May 9, 2010

Pastor
Rev. Gregory Yacyshyn
Parochial Vicar
Rev. Todd Saccoccia
In Residence
Msgr. John Heinlein

Deacons
Thomas Gillen
Ken Geoghan
Mark Herrmann
Joe Simeone

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
Available in danger of death or whenever there is a personal need, call the rectory for an appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage
Couples wishing to be married should contact the rectory at least one year in advance to meet with one of the priests to make wedding arrangements. Pre-Cana is required for all couples.

Devotions

MIRACULOUS MEDAL
NOVENA
Mondays after the
9:00am Mass

ST. JUDE NOVENA
Thursdays after the
9:00am Mass

ADORATION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT
Wednesdays after the
NOON Mass

Benediction at 3:00pm

FIRST FRIDAY
8:00pm - 9:00pm

Benediction at 9:00pm

THE HOLY ROSARY
Monday through Friday
at 8:30am; Saturdays at
8:00am

Parish Office Hours
MONDAY, TUESDAY,
THURSDAY AND
FRIDAY
9:00am - 5:00pm
WEDNESDAYS
9:00am - 6:00pm
SATURDAYS
10:00am - 2:00pm
SUNDAYS
9:00am - 2:00pm
CLOSED HOLIDAYS

Useful Numbers
RECTORY
281-5743
PARISH OUTREACH
281-5634
RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION
281-2835
YOUTH MINISTRY
281-5743
NURSERY SCHOOL
395-3959
QUEEN OF APOSTLES
SCHOOL
878-1033

Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession
SATURDAYS
4:00-4:45pm and by
appointment
WEDNESDAYS
2:00-2:45pm and by
appointment
Parish Outreach
MONDAY - THURSDAY
9:00am - 1:00pm
CLOSED
FRIDAY - SUNDAY
AND HOLIDAYS

Sacrament of Baptism
Celebrated on most
Sundays throughout
the year. Please
contact the rectory to
set up an appointment
with a member of the
staff to arrange for the
Baptismal preparation
session and to set a
date for Baptism.

Masses for the Week

SATURDAY MAY 8, 2010

5:00pm Mother's Day Remembrance

7:30pm Mother's Day Remembrance

SUNDAY MAY 9, 2010

8:00am Mother's Day Remembrance

9:30am Mother's Day Remembrance

11:30am Mother's Day Remembrance

5:00pm Parishioners of St. Jude

MONDAY MAY 10, 2010

9:00am Dolores Lanni †

TUESDAY MAY 11, 2010

9:00am George Slackford †

WEDNESDAY MAY 12, 2010

9:00am Josephine Farley †

NOON St. Jude Guild - Joan Jeans †,
Ana Maria Ferrer †, St. Anthony, Geri
Ryan-SFO †, GERALYN SANTIAGO †

7:30pm William J. Butler †

THURSDAY MAY 13, 2010 *Ascension of the Lord*

9:00am Mary Warren

NOON Joseph and Mary Thompson †

7:30pm William J. Butler Sr. †

FRIDAY MAY 14, 2010

9:00am Ann and Mike Leonardi
50th Wedding Anniversary

SATURDAY MAY 15, 2010

8:30am Robert Romano †

5:00pm Parishioners of St. Jude

7:30pm Poor Souls in Purgatory

SUNDAY MAY 16, 2010

8:00am Rocco Russo †

9:30am Laura Gottlieb †

11:30am Stephen Gallery †

5:00pm Irving Peterson †

† Denotes Mass is for deceased

FOR THE SICK: Benjamin Archer, Mary De Guisepppe,
Anthony Ronga, John Walsh, Geraldine Arnold, Benny Varriale,
Dan Clark, Vic Mendolia, Anna Daly, Baby Raymond Michael
Dhyme, Trinity Kotsonis, Frances Naglieri, Francis X. Butler,
Mary Polcha, Rosalie Densing, Alberto Montalvo, Theresa
Salvaggio, Gil Teofilo, Martin Horstman, Makayla Margulies,
Isabella Grace Dobbeck, Kaylee Corpi, Denise Winecoop,
Vincenzo Marcorella, Dominico, Marco, Ella Murphy, Elizabeth
Parrinello, Christopher McBride, Christopher Gagnon,
Christopher Barnes, Robert Justus, Christos Raptis, Josephine
Delia, Michelle Gonzalez, Trevor McCade, Cookie Landau,
Kimberly Turner, Angelo V. Cassarino, Mary Agnes Stock,
Jessica, Joseph Lambert, Nicholas Nasta, Judith Palmer, Julia
Tolve, Debra Pedersen, Kathleen Geiger, Stephanie LaPuglia,
Nicholas Ferrara, Tim Traskos, Frank Russo, Brian Groeckl,
Brian Anthony Thibadeau, Ann Mecca, Jeannine Sottong,
Anna Saccomagno, Anthony DeMaio, Regina Garufi, Catherine
Donnellan, Barbara Muller, Dorothy Heany, Cory Castelli, Joan
Weisner, Doris Blanco, Chris Mallon & Ceila Romaine

FOR THE DECEASED: Americo Pellechia

FOR THE MILITARY: Timothy Weisner, John Redding, Jr.,
Eric Reilly, Don Skelton, John Maresca, Vinnie Riveria, Matthew
Parenti, Michael Cuervo, Derek Trabocchi, Joe Occhineri, James
Tagliamonte, Matt Corica, Gerard Posillico, Kenneth Drumm, Jr.,
Shawn Weismiller and Richard, Daniel Engo, Daniel Edwards,
Bryant Walker, Bobby Sosa, Tori Pickney, Richard Kruger &
Michael Hickey

THE RECTORY WILL BE CLOSED ON SUNDAY, MAY 9th
MOTHERS DAY. THE OFFICE WILL RE-OPEN 9AM MONDAY.

Holy Day Mass Schedule

Thursday, May 13th is Ascension Thursday, a Holy Day of Obligation.
There is a Vigil Mass on Wednesday, May 12th at 7:30pm and
Masses Thursday, May 13th at 9:00am, NOON and 7:30pm.

Faith Formation

CONFIRMATION REHEARSALS

1:30pm Mass: Monday May 10th from 7-9:00pm, in our Church

4:00pm Mass: Wednesday May 12th from 7-9:00pm, in our Church

Sponsor and Candidates must attend rehearsals. If sponsor is
unavailable to come, parent may come in their place. Please be on
time. Offering envelopes will be collected at rehearsals.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Rehearsal Dates for First Holy Communion Masses Saturday,
May 15th, 2010.

10:30am Mass: Rehearsal time is 3-4:30pm Friday May 14th, in
our Church

12:30pm Mass: Rehearsal time is 5-6:30pm on Friday May 14th,
in our Church

An adult **MUST STAY THE ENTIRE REHEARSAL** for each child.
Remember to bring your completed banner with your child's last
name on the front and their full name, printed in ink, on the back.
Each top corner of the banner should have a 22" piece of ribbon
attached to it. Any offering envelopes will be collected at rehearsals.
Thank you for your cooperation.

Our Lady Queen of Apostles

Student Alumni Boosters are sponsoring a "Drive into Summer
Car Raffle" Win a Ford Mustang or Ford Fusion (Winner's Car)
provided Courtesy of Riverhead Ford. Only \$100 a ticket and only
500 tickets will be sold! Drawing: July 3, 2010 at 3:00pm Our
Lady of Apostles Auditorium 2 St. John's Place • Center Moriches.
Call: 631-878-1033 email:OLQABoosters@gmail.com For more
information and rules, www.olqany.org

Shrine of Our Lady of the Island Fatima Day

May 13th 2010, Manorville, NY 10:00am Stations 11:00am Rosary
11:30am Holy Mass 12:30pm Lunch 1:30pm Speaker Anthony
Fuina Padre Pio Miracle! Benediction.

St. Jude Social Ministry Sunday

Next Sunday, May 16th is our Social Ministry Sunday. The social will
be hosted by the Altar Guild, Outreach and St. Jude's Youth Group
in the parish center. All are welcome! You are invited to join us,
after all morning Masses for some tea or coffee and a treat or to
talk or just to say hello.

Lighthouse Catholic Media

The Virgin Mary Revealed Through Scripture Dr. Scott Hahn: Dr. Hahn
responds to key misunderstandings about the Virgin Mary and
explains the biblical and historical basis for the Catholic Church's
teachings about Our Mother, the Queen of Heaven.

The Month of May

Holy Mother Church begins the month of May celebrating St. Joseph the Worker. This memorial was instituted by Pope Pius XII in 1955, when the Soviet Union was flexing its totalitarian muscle to a new degree. "May Day" was and still is, the primary atheistic-communist holiday: the exaltation of the worker and the all powerful (Godless) state that gives individuals their meaning. By placing a celebration in honor of St. Joseph on that day, the Pope was proclaiming the very Catholic message that all our honest work and labors are not simply for the economic benefit and improvement of the state, but are also spiritual; and when offered to God are a means towards the salvation of souls. There is a clearly a sanctifying benefit to work, and the foster father of our Savior is the exemplar of the holiness that can be found in all the tasks we perform. St. John Vianney, the patron St. of parish priests said so simply and profoundly, "All that is not offered to God is wasted." Let us waste nothing we do, but freely give it all to Him with love.

On Wednesday, May 19, we will have the privilege of welcoming an "old" parishioner – Bishop Robert Guglielmone of Charlestown, SC, to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on our young people. This will be Bishop Guglielmone's first official visit to the parish where he grew up, served Mass, was involved in the youth group and parish council, and celebrated his first Mass. We look forward to welcoming him and hearing the message of encouragement he will offer to the 2010 confirmandi of St. Jude Parish.

Last Sunday, Fr. Leone (another long-time parishioner) began his homily at the 9:30 Mass with a beautiful and powerful statement: "The United States of America is a democracy. The Church is a monarchy; and Mary is our Queen." Following the homily, he led in procession the children who are receiving their first Communion this weekend and next, to the statue of our Lady, where she was crowned, "Queen of the Angels, Queen of the May," as that old hymn goes. What joy these young ones expressed as they each placed flowers in the vase at Mary's feet. The annual May crowning calls to our minds so many happy memories of our first Communion, however many years ago it was, when we encountered Christ for the first time in the Most Blessed Sacrament. We also look forward very much to celebrating Fr. Leone's Golden Jubilee of Ordination on Trinity Sunday, May 30th.

Today is Mothers Day. As we honor our holy Mother of Heaven, dearest of all mothers, let us remember to honor our precious earthly mothers whom God chose to prepare us for His kingdom. Let us do so with signs of affection, gratitude, and generosity. Though times are tough, and mom may enjoy it on occasion, don't think you are being a real sport if you take her to *White Castle* for Mothers Day. Some flowers, a nice meal, (that she doesn't have to make) a little pampering, and doing some things around the house for her would probably make her very happy. Most of all, whether living our deceased, the prayers we offer to the Lord for our mothers, and the knowledge that we are striving to live good, holy lives, may be for them the greatest gift.

In Christ,
Fr. Greg

God works directly in creation.

The first-century Church saw what that looks like—how messy things could be.

Christian faith is rooted in belief in the Incarnation. The Word of God became flesh. When John's Gospel says the Word dwelt among us, the original meaning is actually that God pitched his tent. God joins dusty, earthy humans and lives with them.

Acts describes a very down-to-earth problem. Jewish Law demanded that males be circumcised as a sign of the covenant of God. This practice became a sign of contention for early Christianity. Church membership and identity were at stake. *Does a Gentile have to become a Jew to become a*

Christian? Don't they have to follow the prescribed way to enter the covenant?

God joins dusty, earthy humans and lives with them.

Jesus' original disciples were Jews. Acts of the Apostles shows they continued to worship in the Temple.

They kept the Law. They also met on the first day of the week to celebrate the risen Christ in the Eucharist. Christ is the fulfillment of the Law.

What about those who were new to it all? How do these new gentiles become joined to the covenant? And how would a young Church divided in its answers to this question grapple with this challenge?

Church leaders met. The disciples honestly and passionately argued things out. As they fought for unity on this topic, they found that God's hand was with them.

God's help is down-to-earth. Don't let your hearts be troubled. The Lord of the heavenly city lives in the Church—pitches a tent here.

DAN FINUCANE
sundaybulletins@liguori.org

Mother Daughter Teas

"God's Plan for Growing Up" a chastity program JUNE 5 (13-15 YEAR OLDS) from 11:30am-2:00pm

For one Program The cost is \$25.00 per family, and for two \$40.00 (non-refundable) The registration fee covers a parent/guardian and up to 2 girls. Reservations are required.

For more information please contact 516-379-8292 ext:215
respectlife@drvc.org

Capital Campaign

Also, as the Capital Campaign winds down, (it formally ended in November 2009) we ask that if anyone has outstanding pledges and would like to continue receiving statements, that they please contact the rectory office. We will discontinue sending them after the May statement, unless we hear from donors otherwise.

You Can Help Heal Your Marriage Now

Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse? Are you constantly fighting? Or, do you simply shut down? Have you thought about separation or divorce? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouville helps couples through their difficult marriages. This program has helped thousands of couples worldwide experiencing ALL TYPES of marital difficulties. For confidential information about the Retrouville program, or to register for the upcoming weekend that begins on Friday, May 21st, 2010 at the Montfort retreat house in Bay Shore, please call 1-800-470-2230 and you will be connected directly and confidentially to a couple from Long Island/Metro Retrouville who can help. www.retrouville.org

Gay Willis Sings Broadway Classics

The Auxiliary Committee of the Little Sisters of the Poor invites you to a concert to benefit the elderly at Queen of Peace Residence. Sunday May 16th 2010 at 2pm. Bishop Kellenberg High School Auditorium Uniondale, NY 11553 Reserved Seating: \$40.00 General Admission: \$25.00 Reception to follow. Known for her role as Christine in the Broadway Production of Phantom of the Opera, Gay will be joined by James Michael, baritone and David Maiullo, pianist.

For tickets and information contact the Development Office at Queen of Peace Residence phone: 718-464-1800 or email: qpdevelopment@littlesistersofthepoor.org

Columbiettes Thank You

We would like to thank all who supported our fundraiser at Clare Rose Playhouse because of your support it was a huge success.—Mary Jean Nappe and The Columbiettes.

J.V. Kavanaugh Knights of Columbus

Presents an evening with **Sountrac**. Playing all the "Hits". Price of admission \$75 per couple or \$40 per person includes Dinner (Includes entree, side, salad, tap beer, wine, soda, coffee & dessert) and Show. Saturday May 22, 2010 7:00pm Doors open at 6:30pm Corner of Pawnee and Madison For ticket information call Joe at 834-6551 or GK Benny at 281-6501

St. Joseph's College

The Footsteps of St. Paul - Greece, May 28-June 7, 2010, 11 Days, \$2998pp double occupancy from New York. Travel with Father Francis Pizzarelli, SMM and Sister Grace Rowland, CSJ. For a detailed brochure call Sister Grace at 631-654-0199 or email: growland@sjcny.edu.

Catholic Communications Campaign Collection

The second collection for next weekend May 15th & 16th is for the Catholic Communications Campaign (CCC). Through your generous donations, CCC is able to spread the gospel message in our community and all over the world. CCC funds the development of traditional and new media programs that inspire and minister to their audiences. Half of the collection from our (arch) diocese stays to support local communication efforts, while the other half supports national Catholic media initiatives. Please give as generous as your means may allow to help spread the Good News.

Where will you find God today?

Other6.com—the missing piece in your daily search for God. Some of us find God at church on Sundays, but finding God the other six days of the week can be a puzzle. Other6.com is a community of people answering two simple but profound questions: *Where have you found God today?* and *Where do you need to find God today?* Other6.com, brought to you by Loyola Press, a Jesuit Ministry, is based on "examination of consciousness"—a prayerful review of the day intended to help us recognize God in our daily routines.

Community Thrift Shop

New and gently used clothes, shoes, & household items. 100% of donations given back to our community. Volunteers needed. 126 Mastic Road. Mastic Beach, NY 631-657-3989. Monday thru Saturday 10am-3pm.

Birthright

Birthright is in great demand for new and gently used baby equipment (Car seats, cribs, etc.) We will be happy to arrange a pick-up of the donated items. Please call Grace 516-367-7413

Father Leone's 50th Anniversary!

On Sunday, May 30th we are celebrating the 50th Anniversary of Father Leone's Ordination. All parishioners are invited to break bread in the parish center after the 11:30am Mass. Let us celebrate and honor Father Leone's years of service to the Church. All are welcome!

Mass Attendance

	SATURDAY			SUNDAY			Total
	8pm vigil	8am	9:30	11:30	1pm	Total	
Easter	565	381	831	720	275	2772	
	5pm	7:30	8am	9:30	11:30	5pm	Total
Apr 11	356	169	189	339	545	273	1871
Apr 18	346	250	199	367	565	328	2055
Apr 25	292	139	199	330	510	310	1780
May 2	242	106	258	465	470	284	1825

Weekly Collections

Regular Collection May 2 \$9,880.01
Monthly Maintenance \$3,292.00
Thank you!

Catholic Ministries Appeal

Our parish goal for 2010 \$45,612.00
Total pledges a/o 5/4/10 \$44,900.45
of Donors 175
Received YTD \$26,176.45
We are so close! Help us reach our goal!!

The parish receives 20% (\$9,122.40) when we reach goal.

www.CatholicMinistriesAppeal.org or call 516-379-5210 ext 2

Scripture Readings

MONDAY, MAY 10 *Easter Weekday*

Acts 16:11-15, Jn 15:26-16:4a

TUESDAY, MAY 11 *Easter Weekday*

Acts 16:22-34, Jn 16:5-11

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12 *Easter Weekday*

Acts 17:15, 22-18:1, Jn 16:12-15

THURSDAY, MAY 13 *Ascension of the Lord*

Acts 1:1-11, Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23, Lk 24:46-53 or Acts 18:1-8, Jn 16:16-20

FRIDAY, MAY 14 *Saint Matthias, Apostle*

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26, Jn 15:9-17

SATURDAY, MAY 15 *Easter Weekday*

Acts 18:23-28, Jn 16:23b-28

SUNDAY, MAY 16 *Seventh Sunday of Easter*

Acts 7:55-60, Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20, Jn 17:20-26

Altar Flower Offering

The altar flowers for the weekend of May 8th & 9th has been donated in memory of:
Peter & Edna Clancy

Altar Bread and Wine

The altar bread & wine for the week of May 10th has been donated in memory of:
Carmela Harris

Wedding Banns

III Maureen Abruscato & Mario DiMeo

Baptisms

We welcome our newly Baptized Children:

Johnathan Joseph Fabiano,
Robert Michael Wood,
Gavin John Hampson

May God bless them and their families.



Catholic Ministries Appeal

One Faith, One Hope, Many Gifts

Stewardship reminds us to count our blessings, acknowledge God's gifts to us and express thanks to Him.

We sincerely thank the 175 households who, as good stewards, have made a gift to the 2010 Catholic Ministries Appeal. You are helping many people in need in our community

Our Parish has raised \$44,900.45. We only need \$711.55 to reach our parish goal of \$45,612.00. The parish receives 20% (\$9,122.40) when we reach goal. If you have not yet pledged, please consider a gift today and help us to meet our goal. Any pledge amount we receive over goal is an additional 80% return to the parish.

Please remember to make your pledge now, even if you plan on fulfilling that pledge later in the year.

You may pick up information and pledge cards in the back of the Church, or for more information visit www.CatholicMinistriesAppeal.org or call 516-379-521- ext. 2

Please consider what you can do to make this campaign successful.

Please make your check payable to: Catholic Ministries Appeal

Pledge: \$	Down Payment: \$	Balance: \$
<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> Quarterly	<input type="checkbox"/> Annually
		<input type="checkbox"/> Other

Parish: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Donor Signature: _____

Acct#: _____