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Shrine Church of
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“To the Greater Glory of God and the Salvation of Souls.”



**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.

Third Sunday of Easter - May 8th 2011

Pastor
Rev. Gregory Yacyshyn

In Residence
Msgr. John Heinlein

Senior Priest
Rev. James Leone

**Parish Office
Hours**

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

Deacons
Thomas Gillen
Kenneth Geoghan
Mark Herrmann
Joseph Simeone

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
ST. VINCENT DEPAUL
281-5743 ext. 29

**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 Penance/
Confession**
SATURDAYS
Noon during Lent,
4:00-4:45pm and by
appointment
WEDNESDAYS
2:00-2:45pm and by
appointment

Parish Outreach
MON.-THURS.
9:00am-1:00pm
CLOSED
FRI., SAT., SUN.
AND HOLIDAYS

**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.

**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.

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

Masses for the Week

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2011

5:00pm Mother's Day Remembrance

7:30pm Mother's Day Remembrance

SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2011

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 9, 2011

9:00am Angela Amaroso †

TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2011

9:00am Rosemarie Kosik †

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2011

9:00am Angela D'Erasmo †

NOON Saint Jude Guild –
Gary Nankerus †,
In thanksgiving of
Our Lady of Fatima

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 2011

9:00am Debra Pedersen †

FRIDAY, MAY 13, 2011

9:00am John M. Mensch †

SATURDAY, MAY 14, 2011

8:30am Thomas Gutheil †

5:00pm Parishioners of St. Jude

7:30pm Elizabeth DiNardo †

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2011

8:00am Jacob & Vera Omelcruk †

9:30am Famiglia Russo †

11:30am John M. Mensch †

5:00pm Anges & Jerry McCarthy †

† Denotes Mass is for deceased

FOR THE SICK: Rich Alliegro, Benjamin Archer, Christopher Barnes, Sr., Barbara Breier, Edwin Brennin, Mary Buckley, Don Bull, Diane Bulin, Francis X. Butler, Cory Castelli, Jillian Comiskey, Rose Coppola, Anthony Cuccia, Mary Theresa Cunningham, Dorothy Davin, Anthony DeLuco, Alexandra Ditman, Mike Fallgren, William Farrington, Nicholas Ferrara, Theresa Ferrer, James Fiore, Santo Giunta, Steven Heerbrandt, Alfonso Inoe, Richard & Matthew Kaminsky, Lawrence Katz, Ann Kazanecki, Cookie Landau, Joseph Lutz, Dennis MacWilliams, Joe Maloney, Jean McDonald, Jack McCarthy, Joseph & Phyllis Mohn, Logan Murphy, Joshua Mussi, Anthony Naglieri, Francis Naglieri, Jennie Paruolo, Dorothy Romero, Frank Russo, Gina Pisano, Jeffrey Scaccio Jr., Albert Schacca, Lucille Scharrer, Barbara Schiebel, David Simon, Tony Sinagra, Bill Smith, Barbara Tagliamonte, Julia Tolve, Julia Vaglio, Al Vanderbilt, Mary Vazzana, Ronald Weick, Joan Weisner, Tony Zottoli

FOR THE DECEASED: Luis S. Sanchez

FOR THE MILITARY: John Abel, Joseph Competello, Matt Corica, James Crown, Michael Cuervo, Kenneth Drumm, Jr., Daniel Edwards, Daniel Engo, Michael Hickey, Jeffrey Holmes, Steven Kay, Richard Kruger, Chris Manakides, John Maresca, Joe Occhineri, Matthew Parenti, Rich Pinckney, Tory Pinckney, Gerard Posillico, John Redding, Jr., Eric Reilly, Vinnie Riveria, Don Skelton, Bobby Sosa, Derek Trabocchi, Timothy Weisner

Faith Formation

CONFIRMATION: Is Wednesday, May 18th.

REHEARSALS FOR CONFIRMATION: 1:30PM Mass – Monday, May 9th, 7–9PM at Church. 4:00PM Mass – Wednesday, May 11th, 7–9PM at Church.

The sponsor needs to attend, if unable, a parent may attend in their place. If you have not picked up your Confirmation Robe from the Faith Formation Office, you must do so promptly. There is a \$60 fee due when you pick up robe.

RETURN TEXTBOOKS: Parents, please remember to return your child's textbook to the Faith Formation Office so that you may reregister your child for the 2011–12 school years.

REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN FOR THE 2011-12 SCHOOL YEAR: Go online to St. Jude website, download form and print out. Complete appropriate form and include the tuition fee. RE-REGISTRATION FORMS can be mailed into the office, no need for you to come in. However, ALL NEW REGISTRATIONS, must come into the office and bring your child's original baptismal certificate, and the tuition fee. All forms will be placed on a first received, first placed system. Classes fill up quickly; do not wait until September to do this! By then, only home study program will be available.

St. Jude Golf Outing Rescheduled

Due to the rain forecasted on Wednesday, May 4th we postponed our outing until Tuesday, May 31st. Registration and tee off times remain the same. We apologize for any inconvenience and hope all can make it on the 31st.

I do not have all registered players contact information, if you would notify your foursomes it would be a tremendous help. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. The raffle will be drawn at the outing now scheduled for May 31st. Thank you, Tom Gross 631-921-6793.

Lighthouse Catholic CD of the Week

SEARCHING THE SCRIPTURES – THE GOSPEL OF JOHN – STEPHEN RAY

Join biblical expert and Catholic apologist Stephen Ray on a personal pilgrimage through the pages of St. John's Gospel. Stephen draws from his time spent in the Holy Land filming documentaries to bring forth many of the profound theological truths that lie beneath the surface of this gospel, and bring to light the many levels of revelation contained within.

Shrine of Our Lady of the Island—Fatima Day

On Friday, May 13th at the Shrine in Eastport. Rain or Shine. 10AM—Stations, 11:00AM—Rosary, 11:30AM—Holy Mass, 12:30PM—Lunch, 1:30PM—Guest Speaker, Steven McDonald "My Journey Faith and Forgiveness", 3:00PM—Benediction
For more information about Fatima Day, please call 631-325-0661.

Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign

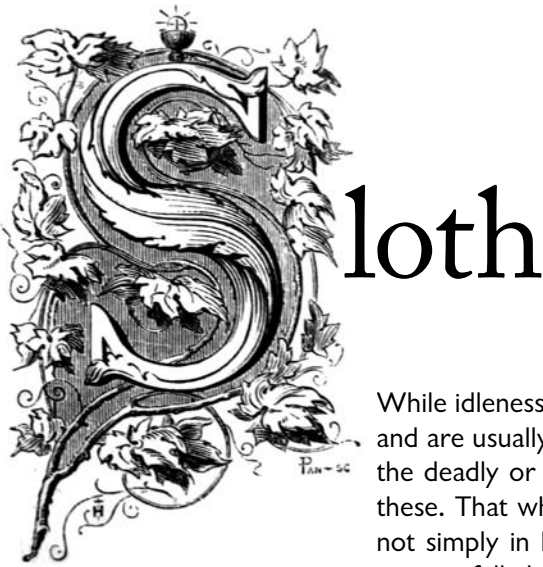
Next weekend, May 14th and 15th, you will have the opportunity to participate in the Collection for the 'Catholic Communication Campaign.' Collection proceeds support a wide variety of media projects that spread the gospel message and connect communities and individuals to their faith and to the Church. Please contribute generously and visit www.usccb.org for more information. Remember, half of the collected funds stay right here to support diocesan media projects.

Rosary Altar Society

We are happy to announce that Anne Schiraldi was installed as Vice President on Monday, May 2nd in a ceremony officiated by Father Greg. "Congratulations, Anne!"

Think well. Speak well. Do well.
These three things, through the mercy of God,
will make a man go to Heaven.

—St. Camillus de Lellis



While idleness, procrastination, and playing the “couch-potato” are far from virtuous states, and are usually the external images that come to mind when the word “sloth” is mentioned, the deadly or capital sin which commonly goes by this name is not reserved exclusively to these. That which is more correctly known as **acedia** (rather than sloth) can express itself not simply in laziness but even in nervous activity. We can frantically do many things and purposefully keep very busy... to avoid God.

“Acedia, more commonly called sloth through confusion with its most notable effect, is a disgust with the spiritual because of the physical effort involved. If the spiritual good from which acedia recoils has a necessary connection with the divine good, which should be the subject of Christian joy, it can be a sin, and even serious. Moreover, acedia is one of the capital sins, a common distraction from virtue, producing other, even quite distinct, sins.” (The Catholic Encyclopedia)

A clear recognition of this sin arose from the experience of the desert hermits of the 4th century. Its manifestation can be much more subtle and quiet than, for example, those of anger or envy; yet the effects of acedia can possibly be even worse. The desert fathers (the early monks) referred to it as the *daemon meridianus*, or the *noon-day devil*. The loneliness of the desert hermitage, the fatigue of long prayers, and the practice of constant fasting could produce a dangerously deep spiritual boredom and restlessness in some, actually resulting in a lethargy for spiritual growth and a distaste for the things of God. However this may apply to monastics of the past or the present, acedia is not an “exotic sin” that can only be experienced by spiritual elites. It is a common condition that can affect all people—clergy, religious, and lay.

How does acedia play out on the grand scale? Our beautiful, Catholic faith, at its most basic, proposes that there is a God—the Blessed Trinity—Who has created all that is; and that Jesus is the Way, the Truth, and the Life; and that there is objective truth, both theological and scientific, above and external to any individual or group. We believe that one’s opinion on moral or doctrinal issues is subservient to the greater reality of God, and that through the Holy Spirit, the Church has access to the Truth. Unfortunately, this is not the guiding principle under which our contemporary world operates.

One of the most insidious, prolific philosophies of our day that has affected us all is **relativism**: a belief or concept that *there is no objective truth or validity to anything, only the subjective value of something relative to persons or groups*. In other words, “You have your truth and I have my truth.” It is no wonder our society is in such trouble. Attitudes on moral issues such as, “I personally wouldn’t have an abortion, but for someone else...” or “I know the Church says ‘Sex outside marriage is a sin,’ but we really love each other, so I know God approves...” are clear examples of relativism or situation ethics. When our spiritual life and relationship with God becomes stagnant, this manner of rationalizing is what can result.

Approximately 70% of Catholics (who are able) don’t attend Mass. Why? Acedia is certainly the reason for a good many of them. “I believe in God but I don’t have to go to church, etc.” Yet it can also attack those of us who participate faithfully in weekly / daily Mass, as well. It is possible to make our Mass obligation and “go through the motions,” as Catholics (clergy too), but that the thought of taking more seriously and living the Gospel more deeply might repulse us. We might be suffering from acedia and it will surely affect the other areas of our life and our relationships.

The antidote to this sin of spiritual sluggishness or lukewarm-ness is zeal for the mission of Christ; for the salvation of souls. Asking the Holy Spirit for our particular mission and praying for it is the best place to start. We must desire to move from a place of indifference, to being on fire and fully alive in Christ. Being open to the Spirit by making definite time for God each day, and practicing the spiritual and corporal works of mercy will help to get us out of the spiritual malaise, melancholy, and small-heartedness. Our blessed Lord can do this if we ask Him to take control of our hearts and lead us in His ways.

**In Christ,
Fr. Greg**

Jesus reveals himself in the breaking of the bread...

As we read the stories of Scripture, we can find it either easy or difficult to identify with the characters we meet. We can readily find ourselves in today's Gospel story of the two sojourners on their way to Emmaus. Perhaps we haven't dined with Jesus or experienced him vanishing before our eyes. But haven't we all experienced something that later turned out to be quite different than what we thought?

These two believe they're simply meeting a fellow traveler as they hike back to their hometown of Emmaus. They're quite open in their conversation with him, sharing their previous expectations of this man Jesus and how unsettled they are by recent events in Jerusalem.

In a gesture of hospitality, they invite the stranger to stay and eat with them. This turns out to be no ordinary meal: Jesus reveals himself in the breaking of the bread, and they finally see who this stranger truly is. They see the experience

they've just had as something completely different than what they thought it was—God was at work in the most ordinary of experiences.

We too catch glimpses of God moving and transforming us. An illness, a job change, a difficult conversation, a chance meeting with a stranger—all of these look like one thing in the moment, but later we see how God was moving in those moments to heal, strengthen, or grow us.

But like the Gospel travelers, we must foster an openness—a hospitality of heart—to be able to see these workings of God more clearly. The Easter season

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JANEL ESKER

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Blood Drive

'Shirley Community Ambulance' is sponsoring a blood drive on Sunday, May 15th from 10AM to 4PM at 3 Plymouth Place Shirley. If you have not given a pint of blood in 56 days and are between the age of 16–75 years old, you are eligible to donate. Please eat a good meal and drink plenty of non-alcoholic beverages. Please call 631-399-5380 to make an appointment or walk in, all are welcome.

St. Andrew's Annual Tea Party

Saturday, May 14th 1- 4PM 'St. Andrew's Episcopal Church' on Neighborhood Rd. in Mastic Beach. Tickets are \$12.00. Join us for a lovely afternoon. Sample various teas, English sandwiches, scones and pastries. Don't miss out on our famous raffles. For more information and tickets call: Jennifer 395-9450 or Laura 281-5123.

A trip is planned to Pennsylvania on Saturday, October 8th to the 'Sight & Sound Theatre' who is presenting "Joseph". For details or registration form email lisa32873@aol.com or sushi08@optonline.net. Cost of trip is \$110.00 adults, \$90.00 (13-18), \$70.00 (3-12).

Dominican Village

IN THE MOOD: A celebration of the 'Big Band Era.' Includes a full sit down dinner on Saturday, May 14th at 7–11pm on the grounds of the 'Dominican Village Helen Butler, O.P. Hall.' Tickets are \$125 per person. Table of 10 at \$1000. Please name all guests. A 50/50 raffle at \$50 per ticket or 3 for \$100. Winner need not be present to win. For more information please call 631-842-6618.

OPEN HOUSE: Conveniently located on a sprawling 13 acre campus, a non-for-profit, nonsectarian, independent, assisted living residence respite care and short term stay rental retirement community. Please come by our open house between 1PM to 3PM: Thursday, May 19th. We offer outstanding programs, all-inclusive services and bountiful amenities. For more information, or to schedule a tour at your convenience, contact us today at 631-842-6091 or info@dominicanvillage.org.

There is nothing evil
save that which perverts
the mind and shackles
the conscience.

— Saint Ambrose

Bible Study

Bring the scriptures to life...your life! A weekly series on St. Paul's Letters to the Galatians and Romans will begin Wednesday, May 18th at 7PM in the Parish Center. We will be using the 'Little Rock Scripture Study Series,' the most popular bible study program that applies scripture to everyday life. The series will be led by Deacon Mark Herrmann. There will be a small fee for the study materials. Please call the Rectory to register.

Perennial Plant Adoption

On Saturday, May 21st from 9AM–1PM at the 'MMS Community Library' the 'Beautification Committee of the William Floyd Community Summit' will be offering plants for adoption to add beauty to our neighborhoods. If you have any perennial plants you would like to donate to this cause, please bring them May 21st

The Woman at the Well

Come together with other women as we look at the stories of the *Women in the Bible*, as well as other women in our church history, and see how they relate to our lives today. 'Mary Immaculate' Bellport, Church Auditorium. On Tuesday, May 24th Dorothy Day, 7-9PM.

He leaves His angels and millions of people,
to come into your soul,
to consummate in you the most intimate union,
to transform you into God,
to nourish in you the life of grace
with which you will attain heaven.
—Saint Teresa of the Andes



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
CONFERENCE AT ST. JUDE
IS HAPPY TO ANNOUNCE OUR

1ST ANNUAL TAILGATE YARD SALE

On Saturday, June 4th

From 8AM to 3PM

(Rain date June 18th)

Its time to clean out your attic, basement & garage.
Get rid of all those new and old items that you just don't use!
Put them all in the trunk of your car
and sell them right from the trunk at St. Jude's!

If you would rather just shop please come on down and get an
eyeful there is sure to be something for everyone!

ALL VENDORS: To reserve a spot at the Yard Sale, please call
Linda @ 631-495-9097 NO LATER than May 30th. A \$25 fee will
pay for 1 parking spot. Reservations only please.

You keep your profit from your sales
while the fee for RESERVED PARKING SPOTS will benefit
St. Vincent de Paul

100% will go to help those needy in our community... DIRECTLY!

EVERYONE IS INVITED TO PARTICIPATE!

THE MORE THE BETTER!

Please help St. Vincent de Paul!

Mass Attendance

	SATURDAY		SUNDAY				
	5pm	7:30	8am	9:30	11:30	5pm	Total
Apr. 17	464	210	349	497	670	350	2540
	8pm		8am	9:30	11:30	1pm	Total
Easter	506		487	691	1000	280	2964
	SATURDAY		SUNDAY				
	5pm	7:30	8am	9:30	11:30	5pm	Total
May 1	284	170	278	454	470	181	1837

Weekly Collections

Regular Collection May 1st	\$10,485.56
Catholic Schools	\$2,896.00
Holy Thursday St. Vincent de Paul	\$1,187.00
Good Friday	\$1,310.00

Catholic Ministries Appeal

2011 Goal	\$50,174.00
Total pledges a/o 5/3/11	\$55,964.08
# of Donors	183
Payments a/o 5/3/11	\$35,004.08

Thank you to all that have pledged to give
to the Catholic Ministries Appeal. We have
pledged 112% of our goal. Your generosity is
greatly appreciated. God Bless the parishioners
of St. Jude.

Scripture Readings

MONDAY, MAY 9, 2011 <i>Easter Weekday</i>
ACTS 6:8-15/JN 6:22-29
TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2011 <i>Easter Weekday</i>
ACTS 7:51-8:1A/JN 6:30-35
WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2011 <i>Easter Weekday</i>
ACTS 8:1B-8/JN 6:35-40
THURSDAY, MAY 12, 2011 <i>Easter Weekday</i>
ACTS 8:26-40/JN 6:44-51
FRIDAY, MAY 13, 2011 <i>Easter Weekday</i>
ACTS 9:1-20/JN 6:52-59
SATURDAY, MAY 14, 2011 <i>Saint Matthias, apostle</i>
ACTS 1:15-17, 20-26/JN 15:9-17
SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2011 <i>Fourth Sunday of Easter</i>
ACTS 2:14A, 36-41/1 PT 2:20B-25/JN 10:1-10

Altar Bread and Wine

The altar bread and wine for the week of
May 9th has been donated:
In memory of Rosemarie Kosik

Wedding Banns

III Renee McNeil/Keith Warno
III Danielle Citarella/Giuseppe Loiacono
I Michael Occhino/Gerri Katz

Baptisms

Natalia Rose Weidel
May God bless her and her family!

Diocesan Liturgy

Most Reverend John C. Dunne, Presiding 'Celebrating the Gifts of Persons with Special Needs.' Families and friends are welcome to come and celebrate with us! On Sunday, May 22nd at 3PM. 'St. Frances de Chantal Church' at 1309 Wantagh Avenue Wantagh, NY 11793. Coffee and cake will follow in the Parish Center. Please forward the completed registration form by May 18th to 'The Office of Faith Formation.' Mail to Mary Anne Russo, 'The Office of Faith Formation, Diocese of Rockville Centre', P.O. Box 9023, Rockville Centre, NY 11571-9023 or call Mary Anne at 516-678-5800 ext. 540.

Dinner and Dance For Adults with Special Needs

On Friday, June 3rd 6:30PM-9:30PM 'St. Frances de Chantal,' Parish Center 1309 Wantagh Ave. Wantagh, NY 11793. Pre-reservation and payment are a must! No reservations or money will be accepted at the door! Donation of \$16 per person requested. Download the registration form at www.drvc-faith.org. For more information, call Mrs. Brady, 516-785-4889.

National Shrine of Divine Mercy Day Trip

Please join us on a bus trip for day trippers to the 'National Shrine of Divine Mercy' in Massachusetts on June 12th. A ministry of the 'Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception.' There are 350 acres called 'Eden Hill' and an extensive gift shop on site. The schedule includes: Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary for Life, Mass & Chaplet, a boxed lunch and a \$10 Cracker Barrel credit towards dinner. Price is \$85 per person. Please call 'On Our Way Tours' at 631-850-3253 for more information.

Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Fatima Shrine

Join us for our annual sixth pilgrimage to the shrine in Washington D.C. on Monday, June 13th. We will depart from 'Our Lady of Mercy,' in Hicksville at 8:30AM. Bring your own lunch—picnic grounds & snack bar on premises. This trip is open to all who love the Blessed Mother. The cost this year is \$20.00 per person and it includes transportation, driver gratuity, "The Song of Bernadette" movie on the bus, and group singing favorite Marian hymns. If you are interested and have any questions please call Dan Sullivan 516-681-5633.

Mother's Day Tea

Mother Daughter Teas "God's Plan for Growing Up" a chastity program June 4th (10-12 year olds) from 11:30AM to 2PM. The cost is \$25 per family, and for two \$40 (non-refundable) The registration fee covers a parent/guardian and up to 2 girls. Reservations are required. Program will be held at: 'Cure of Ars' Parish Center 2323 Merrick Avenue, Merrick, NY 11566. Download the event flyers to register at www.drvc.org. Make checks payable to the 'Diocese of Rockville Centre, Respect Life Office' 50 N. Park Ave. Rockville Centre NY 11570. For more information please contact 516-678-5800 ext.: 626 or dtellis@drvc.org.

Life Center of Long Island

Do you know someone who is hurting from an abortion? 'The Life Center of Long Island' invites you to attend a healing weekend retreat Friday evening until Sunday afternoon. Our 'English Healing Retreat' will be on June 17-19th. For more information contact: Deacon Frank Gariboldi at (516)523-0586 or e-mail: fgariboldi@optonline.net. All communication is strictly confidential. To learn more about 'Rachel's Vineyard' call or look online www.rachelsvineyard.org 1-877-HOPE-4-ME.

The Salvation Army Star Lake Camp

From July 13th-20th the Adventure Camp or from July 23-30th the Mega Sports Camp, is available for children ages 7-11years old (must be age before July 13th). The Salvation Army will transport the children to and from the camp located in Bloomingdale, New Jersey. The camp is a sleep away camp. The slots are filling quickly so please get your application in as soon as possible. The deadline for applications is May 15th. The children will leave from the Salvation Army office at 211 Blue Point Avenue, Bluepoint, NY. Each child must have a physical within the year. Each child will receive a scholarship for the week; you only need to pay \$25 per child for registration. For further information call Irene at 631-363-6100. To see more about the camp. visit www.starlakeyouthcamp.org.

For it is in giving
that we receive.
—St. Francis of Assisi

Camp Good Grief

The idea of a camp where children could gather for crafts, walks, and exchanging thoughts had long been in the minds of Hospice bereavement staff. The name "Camp Good Grief" came from children in the Hospice bereavement counseling program. The program is facilitated by certified social workers, therapists, and nurse practitioners extensively trained in grief therapy for children. Camp will be held from August 22nd-26th in East Hampton. There is no charge for the camp. For more information please call Sarah Zimmerman at 'East End Hospice,' 288-8400.

Food for those in Need

The C.S.F.P. (Commodity Supplemental Food Program), funded by the USDA, NYSDOH, and administered by 'Catholic Charities' is offering free food for up to 6-12 months post-partum women, infants, children up to the age of 6 years, and elderly persons above 60 years of age. Gross monthly income for seniors: Single Senior—\$1,180 or less, Senior Couple—\$1,594 or less. For more information please call 631-491-4166 or go online at www.catholiccharitiesusa.org.

Going Places Network—Dress for Success

As part of a national grant from the 'Walmart Foundation' 'Dress for Success Brookhaven' will launch the 'Going Places Network by Walmart' in 2011. The 'Going Places Network by Walmart' will help unemployed and under-employed 'Dress for Success' clients gain professional skills, accelerate their job search and build confidence through weekly training sessions, one-on-one career coaching and networking in a supportive environment. With the addition of the 'Going Places Network by Walmart' to the 'Dress for Success Brookhaven' portfolio of programs, disadvantaged women will have access to support and services for every phase of their professional lives, starting with the job search and leading to sustained employment and self-sufficiency. Meetings will be held every Friday from 9:30-11:30AM at the 'NYS Department of Labor Workforce NY' 'One-Stop' 160 South Ocean Avenue, Patchogue, NY 11772. To learn more or enroll in the next 12-week program, please contact our offices at 631-451-9127.