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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.

Our Lord Jesus, Christ the King - November 20th 2011

Pastor
Rev. Gregory Yacyshyn

In Residence
Msgr. John Heinlein

Senior Priest
Rev. James Leone

**Parish Office
Hours**

MONDAY, TUESDAY,
THURSDAY, & FRIDAY
9:00am-5:00pm
WEDNESDAYS
9:00am-6:00pm
SATURDAYS
CLOSED
SUNDAYS
10:00am-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
219-3542

**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
12:30pm-1:00pm
Benediction at 1:00pm
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, NOVEMBER 19, 2011

5:00pm Parishioners of Saint Jude

7:30pm Francesca Ditman †

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2011

8:00am Maria & Giuseppe Giammalva †

9:30am Elli Oddo †

11:30am Parishioners of Saint Jude

5:00pm Sabina McNamara †

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2011

9:00am Robert Edwin Poetzsch †

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2011

9:00am William Rutkowski †

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2011

9:00am Antoinette Angjoli †

12 Noon Saint Jude Guild:

Elizabeth Jimenez-Palermo †

Dolores Messina †

Theresa Abbot †

Margaret Cermato †

Rosalie Signorelli †

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2011

9:00am Catherine Mone †

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2011

9:00am Carmen Pitaro †

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2011

8:30am Candice Shore †

5:00pm Rocco Leone †

“Happy Birthday in Heaven”

7:30pm Poor Souls in Purgatory

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2011

8:00am Anthony F. Jeans †

9:30am Deacon Thomas Gross †

11:30am Timothy Traskos †

5:00pm Parishioners of Saint Jude

† Denotes Mass is for deceased

FOR THE SICK: Paul Bidegain, Janet Brandimarte, Francis X. Butler, Cecelia Cottone, Anthony Cuccia, Natalie Danisi, Alexandra Ditman, Isabella Grace Dobbeck, Chuck Drake, Nicholas Ferrara, Anthony Fino, Christian Gallucci, Frank Gaeta, Bob Gamberale, Nora Getchell, Deacon Thomas Gillen, Ann Giordano, Michelle Gonzalez, Joan Guarino, Catherine Hannon, Jon Hanson, Steve Herrbrandt, Jo, Richard & Matthew Kaminsky, Father Walter Kedjerski, Cookie Landau, Christine Leone, Katherine Lindsey, Carmine Linsalata, Julius Manchise, Joseph V. Mosca Jr., Joan Muller, Ruth Muller, Joshua Mussi, Logan Murphy, Ronald Nappe, Frank Nitto, Miguel Oriana, Doris Ortiz, Joan & Jessica Passaro, Jackie Pastore, Gina Pisano, Salvatore Russo, Richard Rydzewski, Lucille Story, Joseph Stozzetto, Joseph Stozzetto Sr., Angelo Tafuro, Al Vanderbilt, Mary Vazzana

FOR THE DECEASED: George Korhut, Maria Minchala

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

THE RECTORY AND ALL PARISH OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON Thursday, November 24th and Friday, November 25th in observance of Thanksgiving. The rectory will be re-open on Sunday, November 27th.

THERE IS ONE MASS ON THANKSGIVING AT 10AM. You may bring your bread, wine, or other food for your Thanksgiving table to be blessed at Mass. The collection on Thanksgiving Day goes to the ‘St. Vincent de Paul Society, Conference at St. Jude’ to help with extra needs of the poor in our community.

Faith Formation

THANKSGIVING RECESS: There will be NO Faith Formation Classes beginning November 23rd to November 27th. Classes will resume Monday, November 28th. The office will be open Wednesday, November 23rd. Wishing all our families a blessed Thanksgiving holiday.

Lighthouse Catholic Media CD of the Week

LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA ADVENT WEEKEND: After all the Masses this weekend of November 19th & 20th, a representative from Lighthouse Catholic Media will be at the back of the church. CD bundles will be available at 4 for \$10 and Matthew Kelly’s book, *Rediscovering Catholicism*, will be offered for \$5. This book makes an excellent Christmas gift for a friend or family member you would like to invite back to our Catholic Faith.

Long Island Catholic Donation

50 years as Long Island’s trustworthy source of Catholic teaching, news and commentary and your alternative to the moral relativism of secular media. We urge you to share your Catholic faith with the next generation, by continuing or beginning your family’s subscribing membership in ‘The Long Island Catholic’. Just place your TLC envelope, with name, address, and donation of \$20 or more, in your parish’s 2nd collection for the weekend of December 3rd and 4th. If you wish you can make your donation/subscription online by visiting us at www.licatholic.org.

St. Vincent de Paul

Today as we celebrate ‘Christ the King’, we hear Jesus say: “...whatever you did for one of the least brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.” This month, through your gifts, the ‘Society of St. Vincent de Paul’ was able to assist many families by helping with utility and rent bills, etc. Thank You!

New Years Eve Party

New Years Eve tickets are on sale at 3 locations. The tickets can be purchased at ‘Roma Funeral Home’, ‘St Jude Rectory’ (cash or check), or via ‘St Jude Website’ through Paypal. The ticket cost is \$50 per person. However, if you purchase your ticket at one of the 3 locations on or before Thursday, December 1st, the cost per ticket is \$45. Table seating maximum is eight people. Tables have been generously donated for the party by the Kane Family. If your planning to attend why not take advantage of the \$5 off by purchasing your tickets early. Details will be forthcoming for other dates of ticket sales and raffle chances after December 1st. The caterer is ‘Mama Lisa’, and the music is by Bob Vecchio. The price includes food, DJ, wine, beer, soda, noisemakers and midnight champagne toast.

Thanksgiving Interfaith Service

Join us for a Thanksgiving interfaith service at Saint Andrew’s Episcopal Church on Neighborhood Road in Mastic Beach on Monday, November 21, 2011 at 7pm. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. We will join the St. Jude Choir, members of the Mastic Beach Hebrew Center, St. Andrew’s Episcopal Church, and other denominations. Light refreshments will be served.

Outreach Thank You

Outreach would like to thank the ‘Rosary Altar Society’ for their very successful bake sale on our behalf. The very delicious items brought in \$665 to fill Thanksgiving baskets and help give assistance to those in our community that may need an extra helping hand. God Bless!



From the Pastor
November 20th, 2011
Our Lord Jesus, Christ the King

Communion and Concluding Rites of Holy Mass

(In this final article on the Mass, please note the changes to the priest's invocations and the people's responses which follow. These are all included on the "pew cards" available for the congregation. Please—LEAVE THE PEW CARDS IN CHURCH! Thank-you!)

Following his silent prayer of preparation for Communion, the priest genuflects, takes the Host and, holding it slightly raised above the paten or above the chalice, while facing the people, says aloud: **Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.** And together with the people he adds once: **Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

The Priest, facing the altar, says quietly: **May the Body of Christ keep me safe for eternal life.** And he reverently consumes the Body of Christ. Then he takes the chalice and says quietly: **May the Blood of Christ keep me safe for eternal life.** And he reverently consumes the Blood of Christ.

After this, he takes the paten or ciborium and approaches the communicants. The Priest raises a host slightly and shows it to each of the communicants, saying: **The Body of Christ.** The communicant replies: **Amen,** and then receives Holy Communion. If any are present who are to receive Holy Communion under both kinds (if it is to be distributed), the minister says: **The Blood of Christ.** The communicant replies: **Amen,** and then receives Holy Communion from the chalice. Whether one receives under one species or both, Christ is fully present.

While the priest is receiving the Body of Christ, the Communion Chant (antiphon) begins. When the distribution of Communion is over, the priest or a deacon or an instituted acolyte purifies the sacred vessels with water. Any remaining Eucharist is either consumed or placed in the tabernacle. While he carries out the purifications, the priest says quietly: **What has passed our lips as food, O Lord, may we possess in purity of heart, that what has been given to us in time may be our healing for eternity.**

Then the priest may return to the chair. If appropriate, a sacred silence may be observed for a while, or a psalm or other canticle of praise or a hymn may be sung.

Then, standing at the altar or at the chair and facing the people, with hands joined, the priest says: **Let us pray.**

All pray in silence with the priest for a while, unless silence has just been observed. Then the priest, with hands extended, sings or says the Prayer after Communion, at the end of which the people acclaim: Amen. Technically, the Mass ends with the Post-Communion prayer. For many centuries, only the dismissal followed; no blessing. For those who may remember, in the *Extraordinary Form* (Traditional Latin) of the Mass, the dismissal *precedes* the final blessing. The Trinitarian blessing was added onto the Sacred Liturgy when the pontiff (the pope or presiding bishop) at a pontifical Mass, processed out of church, blessing the people as he went. What had been external to a bishop's Mass was eventually made part of it. Church historians record that priests were then also giving the blessing by the 11th century.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

If they are necessary, any brief announcements to the people follow here. Then the dismissal takes place. The priest, facing the people and extending his hands, says: **The Lord be with you.**

The people reply: **And with your spirit.**

The priest blesses the people, saying: **May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, † and the Holy Spirit.** The people reply: **Amen.**

Then the deacon, or the priest himself, with hands joined and facing the people, says: **Go forth, the Mass is ended.** Or: **Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.** Or: **Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life.** Or: **Go in peace.**

The people reply: **Thanks be to God.**

Then the priest venerates the altar as usual with a kiss, as at the beginning. After making a profound bow with the ministers, he withdraws.

If any liturgical action follows immediately (the Corpus Christi procession, for example), the rites of dismissal are omitted.

Though this series of articles on the Holy Mass is concluded, it is far from exhaustive of all that can be known about the greatest prayer and act of worship that can be offered to God. I hope that it has been and will be helpful for our understanding of what we are doing when we pray the Mass, especially as we begin next week using the Roman Missal, 3rd Edition. The changes will throw us off for a little while, but with some patience and docility to the Holy Spirit, the prayer will enter more deeply into—and then generously flow from—our hearts.

A Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving,
Fr. Greg

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. Join us next Tuesday, November 22nd where we will be discussing **Lady Sarah and Stranger Hager** 7:30–9PM at ‘Mary Immaculate’ in Bellport. Class is located in Room 7 of the Church Auditorium.

Faith on Tap

Join us on November 28th at the ‘Wantagh Inn’ located at 3264 Railroad Avenue (across from the RR station) at 7:30PM. We will be discussing “*Tweeting with God... Prayer Styles*” Our guest speaker is Fr. Ted Brown, Chaplain at ‘C.W. Post University’. Doors will open at 7PM. Please come early and have something to eat, meet new friends and re-connect with old ones. Let Twitter instantly connect you to what’s most important!—God! For information please email: msheridan@drcv.org.

Arsenic and Old Lace

The ‘McGann-Mercy Theatre Company’ will present its adaptation of the classic dramatic comedy, *Arsenic and Old Lace*. On Thursday, December 1st, Friday, December 2nd and Saturday, December 3rd at 7:30PM and on Sunday, December 4th at 2PM** In the ‘McGann-Mercy High School Auditorium’ Tickets are \$8 per person, to be sold at the door. For more information, contact 631.727.5900, ext. 10. **There will be a free bagel and danish buffet before the Sunday show.

Special Liturgy for Bishop Peter Libasci

On Sunday December 4th the diocese will gather to give thanks and ask God’s blessing upon Bishop Peter Libasci as he assumes the leadership of the ‘Diocese of Manchester’ in New Hampshire. There will be a special liturgy at 3PM at the Church of ‘Saint John the Evangelist’ in Center Moriches with a reception following. All priests, deacons, religious, parishioners of ‘St. Jude’ and people of God of the ‘Diocese of Rockville Centre’ are invited and encouraged to join with Bishop Murphy and all the bishops of our diocese to pray with and for Bishop Libasci as he prepares to be installed as the tenth bishop of the ‘Diocese of Manchester’ on December 8th. Priests and deacons are asked to R.S.V.P. to awalsh@drcv.org.

Christmas Tree Lighting

We will have our ‘Annual Christmas Tree Lighting’ sponsored by the ‘J.V. Kavanaugh Council of the Knights of Columbus’ on Tuesday, December 6th at 6PM in front of the Parish Center. All parishioners and our friends in the community are invited to attend. Thank you the ‘Mastic Beach Fire Department’ in helping to decorate the tree with lights and keeping Christ in Christmas. All are welcome to come back to the ‘Knights of Columbus’ hall at Pawnee & Madison in Mastic for a light refreshment.

Christmas Wreaths

‘St. Vincent de Paul’ will be selling Christmas wreaths and blankets outside after Mass on the weekends of December 3rd & 4th. We will also be selling at the ‘St. Jude Christmas Fair’. Please help us to help the less fortunate this Christmas.

Christmas Concert

Once again, we are proud to present ‘G.F. Handel’s Messiah’, in concert, performed by the ‘Choral Society of the Moriches’ on Friday, December 9th at 7:30PM in the Church. The suggested donation is \$15 for adults and \$10 for students, to at least cover the cost of the orchestra and production. Mark your calendars now and make this wonderful concert part of your annual Christmas celebration. It can be a lovely gift to ourselves in the true Advent spirit. We are looking for families, businesses, clubs, ministries, or other organizations too, who may be willing to sponsor this event. If you, or someone you know, may be interested in sponsoring please contact the rectory at 281-5743.

A Refutation of Moral Relativism

A lecture by Peter Kreeft will be held at the ‘Seminary of the Immaculate Conception’ located at 440 West Neck Road in Huntington on Sunday, December 11th in the Seminary Auditorium. Dr. Kreeft is a ‘Professor of Philosophy’ at ‘Boston College’, and one of our most popular and prolific Catholic writers. His books include: *Catholic Christianity*, *Summa of the Summa*, *Back to Virtue*, and *Before I Go: Letters to Our Children About What Really Matters*. Pre-registration is requested please call 631-423-0483 ext 102 or email bmalone@icseminary.edu. A coffee and cake reception in Refectory will immediately follow the lecture. There is a free-will offering.

Live in the world as if only
God and your soul were
in it; then your heart will
never be made captive by
any earthly thing.

—Saint John of the Cross

Classic Irish Christmas

On Sunday, December 11th at 2PM, Andy Cooney’s “Classic Irish Christmas Show” to benefit Hope House Ministries will be held at St. Joseph’s College in Patchogue. Andy and his band will be joined by ‘Ireland’s King of Blarney’, George Casey, ‘Celtic Folk Artist’ Kate Purcell, the ‘Darrah Carr Dance Troupe’ and “Emcee McCormick” Reserved seat admission tickets are \$30 per person and may be purchased through ‘Hope House Ministries’. For more information contact Janet at 631-928-2377 ext. 22.

Respect Life Youth Contest

The ‘Diocesan Respect Life Office’ is excited to announce the ‘9th Annual Youth Respect Life Contest’ for grades 7–8 Level 1, and grades 9–12 Level 2. We welcome all Catholic youngsters in the Rockville Centre Diocese to participate. Download your registration form at www.drcv.org/respectlife. The awards ceremony will be on March 22, 2012. All entries must be attached to the registration form, postmarked by January 27, 2012, and mailed to the ‘Respect Life Office’. Please note the registration form must be signed by a parent or guardian. Participation in the contest is through poetry, art (book mark design), essay, photography, music and video. All entries will be judged on originality and expression of thought in relation to our Catholic faith and the contest theme, **“I came so that all might have life and have it to the full”**. Respect life issues cover abortion, adoption, euthanasia, cloning, stem cell research, just war doctrine, death penalty, suicide, responsibility of Catholic politicians, reproductive technologies that include invitro-fertilization and embryo adoption, marriage, chastity, rights of the disabled and conscience protection for Catholic health care workers.

Building Stronger Catholic Elementary Schools

An ongoing series on the 'Strategic Plan for Catholic Elementary Schools' *Vision for the Future*. 'The Diocese of Rockville Centre' released a 'Strategic Plan for Catholic Elementary Education' on September 22nd, outlining the goals and actions that will provide a future for Catholic elementary schools on Long Island that is fiscally secure, academically excellent and fully engaged in promoting the Catholic faith and values. This plan may be accessed through the diocesan website, www.drvc.org.

EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE: Educational excellence is a hallmark of our elementary schools in the 'Diocese of Rockville Centre', and our 'Strategic Plan' is designed to build on that tradition of quality to take our schools to the next level.

The Strategic Plan envisions schools that will provide students with a challenging and diverse curriculum that utilizes 21st century teaching skills and technology and is rich in opportunities for exploration and growth. It sets a goal of maintaining the highest academic standards while at the same time improving academic programs. Some strategies include:

- Setting school-wide curricular benchmarks that will meet or exceed Diocesan guidelines and New York State standards.
- Offering a variety of extra-curricular and co-curricular opportunities to meet students' needs and interests.
- Incorporating cutting-edge instructional technology to the classroom and training teachers how to use it.

In an important new initiative, the 'Education Department' will create partnerships with area Catholic colleges and universities to develop professional opportunities aimed at improving instruction. We have several outstanding Catholic colleges and universities in our region, and collectively they represent a significant educational resource that currently is under-utilized. By forging new partnerships with them, we can offer meaningful opportunities to our students and faculty members.

We all know that the modern economy is knowledge based, and that makes quality education more important than ever for our children. The educational quality of our schools is a tremendous advantage that we have in attracting and keeping students.

Dr. Steven Cheeseman, associate superintendent of the 'Diocese of Rockville Centre' schools, said the 'Strategic Plan' aims "to create the strongest Catholic schools possible" to serve the needs of families and parishes. "This is about the vision for excellence," Dr. Cheeseman said. In the coming weeks, we will provide more information about the Strategic Plan and our vision for the future of Catholic elementary schools in our Diocese. By working together—religious and laity, principals and teachers, parents and students—we can achieve our shared goal of creating a secure future for our schools.

IRA Charitable Rollover: Now is Your Opportunity

You can make a gift from your 'Individual Retirement Account' to St. Jude before December 31st. You must be over 70 and use a traditional IRA. You will not have to report your gift as income—it will be income tax-free, and it will count toward your required minimum distribution (RMD). The best way for you to start is with your IRA custodian. Tell them you want to make a "**qualified charitable distribution**". In most cases you will only have to fill out a simple form. Your gift must go directly from your IRA to St. Jude—tax-free. If you receive the money first, then you'll be taxed on it like any other distribution.

"Nothing can come but what God wills.
And I am very sure that whatever that be,
however bad it may seem,
it shall indeed be the best."
—Saint Thomas More

Mass Attendance

	SATURDAY		SUNDAY			Total	
	5pm	7:30	8am	9:30	11:30		
Oct. 16	341	150	201	316	495	180	1683
Oct. 23	326	172	195	325	540	202	1760
Oct. 30	253	116	199	285	605	210	1668
Nov. 6	354	150	246	380	515	200	1845
Nov. 13	351	144	218	345	510	182	1750

Weekly Collections

Regular Collection Nov. 13th \$9,792.23

Catholic Ministries Appeal

2011 Goal \$50,174.00

Total pledges a/o 11/16/11 \$59,414.08

of Donors 200

Payments a/o 11/16/11 \$54,892.00

Thank you to all who have pledged.

Scripture Readings

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2011

Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

DN 1:1–6, 8–20 / LK 21:1–4

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2011

Saint Cecilia, virgin and martyr

DN 2:31–45 / LK 21:5–11

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2011

Weekday

DN 5:1–6, 13–14, 16–17, 23–28 / LK 21:12–19

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2011

Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, priest and martyr, and companions, martyrs

DN 6:12–28 / LK 21:20–28

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2011

Weekday

DN 7:2–14 / LK 21:29–33

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2011

Weekday

DN 7:15–27 / LK 21:34–36

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2011

First Sunday of Advent

IS 63:16B–17, 19B; 64:2–7 / 1 COR 1:3–9 / MK 13:33–37

Altar Bread and Wine

The altar bread and wine for the week of November 21st has been donated:

In memory of Helen Simchick

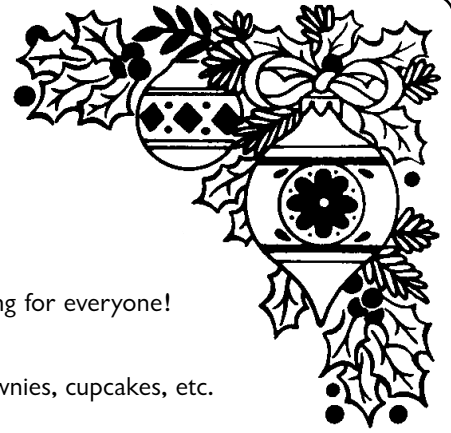
Altar Flower Offering

The altar flowers for the weekend of November 19th and 20th has been donated:

In memory of the Simchick Family

Date available: December 10th & 11th

St. Jude's Annual Christmas Fair



When: Saturday, December 3rd from 9AM-3PM **Where:** Parish Center

Visit Santa, shop the vendors, purchase raffle chances, enjoy great food; there is something for everyone!
For more information call the rectory at 631-281-5743.

Fresh baked goodies are needed for our bake sale if you would like to make cookies, brownies, cupcakes, etc.
Please call the rectory.

Raffles tickets will be on sale after Mass. Tickets are three for \$10.

1st Prize: \$1,000 cash, **2nd Prize:** \$300 cash, **3rd Prize:** Gucci Sunglasses, Tommy Girl Gift Set (Value\$250), **4th Prize:** Pampered Chef Baking Goods (Value \$125), **5th Prize:** Gateway Playhouse 2 theater tickets Value (\$106), **6th Prize:** Lee Anne's Flower Shoppe-Floral/Candle Table Centerpiece & Picture Frame (\$90) **7th Prize:** Oster Ice Shaving Blender-Perfect for Smoothies (Value\$75).

Winner need not be present at time of drawing. All drawings will be held on December 3rd, 2011.

St. Jude's 12th Annual Krist Kindle

The word *Kristkindl* means "Christ Child" in German. This custom began as a way to prepare for the coming of Jesus by seeing him in others. A group of people (family, neighbors, etc.) would put their names in a hat and everyone would pick a name. Several times during the Advent season, each person would do something special for their *Kristkindl* without the other person finding out who did it for them. The "something special" could be an act of kindness, a small gift, a service, or a prayer offered. On Christmas day everyone would reveal his or her identity to their *Kristkindl*.

Advent will soon begin, November 27th, and during this special time of preparation you can be part of 'St. Jude's Krist Kindle Program'! Just fill out the form below and place it in the brightly wrapped box in the lobby of the church or drop it off at the

rectory or just log on to our web site at www.stjudemb.org and follow the link to Krist Kindle.

During the week of November 21st you will receive, by mail, the name of your assigned family. You can pray for them and surprise them with cards, phone calls or little token gifts each week throughout Advent. Another family will have your name and will be surprising you too.

On Sunday, January 8th at 11AM all the participants in the program will meet for refreshments and will have the opportunity to meet their Krist Kindle family. This program is so much fun for the whole family.

THIS IS THE LAST WEEKEND TO SIGN UP!

Any questions please call Dinah Castro at 631-399-0604 or email to KristKindle@StJudeMB.org

Family Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Head(s) of Households: _____

Childrens Names and Ages:

Name: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Cross Street: _____

