Fifth Sunday of Easter
April 29, 2018
Sing a new song to the Lord!

Schedule of Masses

**Saturday Vigil**
5:00 pm

**Sunday**
8:00 am, 9:30 am (Family Mass),
11:00 am (Choir), 12:30 pm
4:00 pm (Vietnamese Mass) & 6:00 pm

**Weekdays**
Monday - Friday
7:00 a.m., 8:30 am, 12:15 pm

**Saturday morning**
8:30 am

**Holy Day Schedule**
Eve of Holy Day, 5:00 pm
Holy Day, 7:00 am, 8:30 am
12:15 pm and 7:30 pm

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**Baptism:** Saturday at 12:30 pm and Sunday at 2:00 pm. Contact the Parish Center to arrange for an interview and to register for the required preparation class.

**Confession:** Saturday 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm, and after the 12:15 pm Mass M—F, and by appointment.

**Marriage:** Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance and prior to wedding reception plans. Phone the Parish Center for an appointment with the priest or deacon you wish to officiate at your wedding.

**Pastoral Care of the Sick:** Holy Communion will be ministered by appointment to those confined to home. Contact the Parish Center to schedule a visit by a Eucharistic Minister. Those who are dangerously ill should request a priest for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. The Anointing of the Sick each Saturday morning at the 8:30 am Mass. In an emergency phone the Parish Center.
Dear parishioners and friends in Christ,

As we enter into this beautiful month of May I request your prayers for our First Holy Communion and Confirmation classes. Throughout this month our young parishioners will enter more deeply into the mystery of God’s love for them. Let us pray that they, together with their families, will experience a “spiritual spring-time.” May they truly encounter the Lord in these wonderful Sacraments of Christian Initiation and become active members of our Roman Catholic Faith Community and of our Parish Family.

If you have not already done so, please consider a donation to this year’s Catholic Ministries Appeal. Please read the attached letter from our Bishop concerning how you can help foster Dramatic Missionary Growth here on Long Island. Your tax-deductible sacrifice can do so much for so many. And remember that a substantial rebate comes back to our own Parish upon reaching our goal. We are currently at 75% of this year’s goal!

Our very own Saints Cyril and Methodius Parochial Elementary School is now registering students for the Fall ‘18 semester. With an excellent, experienced faculty, affordable tuition, and a Gospel centered atmosphere our Parish School might be just what you are looking for your child. Give Sister Susan Snyder a call to schedule a tour (667-4044 ex. 133)

Our Golf Outing is coming up on Thursday, June 21st. Join us for golf and/or for dinner, silent auction and raffles. See page 8 for registration and sponsorship information.

Have a great week and God bless you!

Monsignor Bob Clerkin
Mass Intentions

**Monday, April 30**
7:00 AM ~ For the Intentions of Chuen Kam Chan-Shek
8:30 AM ~ Frank C. Bleier
12:15 PM ~ Florence McCann

**Tuesday, May 1**
7:00 AM ~ Mary Sheila Malerba
8:30 AM ~ Patricia Hoyt
12:15 PM ~ For the Intentions of Msgr. Robert J. Clerkin

**Wednesday, May 2**
7:00 AM ~ For the Intentions of Chuen Kam Chan-Shek
8:30 AM ~ Timothy David Lage
12:15 PM ~ John Scanlon

**Thursday, May 3**
7:00 AM ~ For the Intentions of Robert Salerno
8:30 AM ~ Wilfred Corrigan
12:15 PM ~ Geraldine Maggipinto

**Friday, May 4**
7:00 AM ~ Healing of the Marsh & LaBella Family Trees
8:30 AM ~ Charles D’Ambera
12:15 PM ~ Anthony Gulino

**Saturday, May 5**
8:30 AM ~ Purgatorial Society
5:00 PM ~ Jeff Galluzzo

**Sunday, May 6**
8:00 AM ~ For Our Parishioners
9:30 AM ~ Carin LaMotte-Rivera
11:00 AM ~ Alfred Vaccaro, Fr. Costa, Anna Sweeney, Frank Mulligan, Yolanda Cappa, For the Intentions of Salmon Family
12:30 PM ~ Joseph Sarno
6:00 PM ~ Richard Vaughn

**Priest Celebrants For Easter**

**May 5 — May 6**

**Saturday, May 5**
5:00 pm - Fr. Grace

**Sunday, May 6**
8:00 am - Msgr. Clerkin
9:30 am - Fr. Aime
11:00 am - Fr. Grace
12:30 pm - Msgr. Clerkin
6:00 pm - Msgr. Clerkin

**BANNES OF MARRIAGE**

**Third Banns**
Kevin Aliaga — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
Janine Santoro — Ss. Cyril and Methodius

**Second Banns**
Vince Agatip — Ss. Cyril and Methodius
Blayne Haberkorn — Our Lady of Hope, Middle Village, NY

**NEWLY BAPTIZED**

Congratulations to the parents and families of the following children who were recently baptized:

- Isabella Grace Blake
- Elise Lauren Pistilli
- Landon Max Calvo
- Georgia Marie Pistilli
- Jackson Ryan O’Leary

**PRAY FOR THE SICK**


**MEMORIALS**

**April 29 through May 5**

**BREAD AND WINE** ~ For Marie Roca and Jim Pappianne. Rest in Peace dear friends. Love, Anna Mancini

**ALTER CANDLES** ~ For Mary Lomangino, Lucille Bogusz and Wanda Heavey. Rest in Peace, dear friends. Love, Anna Mancini.


**ALTER FLOWERS** ~ In thanksgiving to my heavenly Father for all His gifts, especially for family and friends. Gratefully, Anna

The Offering for Altar Candles and Candles at Our Lady’s Shrine $25; Bread & Wine $50, Altar Flowers $50 per Vase $100 for both.
Dear Friends:

Thank you for your support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal. The Catholic Ministries Appeal offers us a unique opportunity to be the Hands of Christ’s Mercy and His instrument of Dramatic Missionary Growth on Long Island and beyond, as it supports so many good works we accomplish together as Church.

The Catholic Ministries Appeal supports works of evangelization and ministries that provide spiritual, educational and charitable assistance to hundreds of thousands of men, women and children across our Diocese. So much of the vital work of our Church would not be possible if not for your support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

Our Holy Father Pope Francis said: “...Let us be renewed by God’s mercy, let us be loved by Jesus, let us enable the power of His love to transform our lives too: and let us become agents of this mercy.” The Catholic Ministries Appeal is a critical part of that calling, making it possible for Christ’s mercy to reach throughout our entire Diocese.

We see it in the smiles and laughter from our seniors at our community centers who, maybe for the first time in a long time, are socializing and sharing a hot meal with others. We see it the faces of those who, because of Catholic Charities, have long term sobriety and are reunited with their families. We see it in the joy of a seminarian as he completes his studies, and is ordained to the priesthood, and we see it in the excitement of a college student, away from home for the first time, finding faith-filled friends through a Catholic Campus Ministry program.

Through your prayerful consideration and reflection, I invite you to once again take part in the work of our Church by making a sacrificial gift to the 2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal. Together we can continue to be agents of Jesus’ mercy.

Thank you for your love for the mission of the Church. I will be keeping you and your family daily in my Masses and prayers.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre
In today’s Gospel, Jesus says that God is glorified when a disciple, grafted in Christ, produces abundantly and bears much fruit. The disciple must then be a good steward of that abundance.

OUR STEWARDSHIP PLEDGE: THREE HOURS TO THE LORD
● One hour in prayer each week
● One hour in service to others each week
● One hour’s wages financial support of our parish family.

Catholic Ministries Appeal
Goal $133,200
$100,487 Pledged  75% of Parish Goal

Thank you, and God Bless you, for your faithful weekly Stewardship of our Parish and for your support of the 2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal!

“We are not alone; we do not walk alone. We are part of the one flock of Christ that walks together.”
Pope Francis

Catholic Charities’ Talbot House helps people struggling with substance abuse reclaim their lives through all stages of the recovery process.

“The way I was living my life, I should not be here today. Every morning I wake up, I thank God for another day and for Talbot House.”
- John, former Talbot House client

John was homeless, jobless, lonely and very scared when he came to Talbot House. Today, sober since 2010, John is successfully employed, has a fiancée and a new home.

“John is one of the many miracles that we witness at Talbot House. We watched him come out of the darkness and into the light”
-- Toni DeFelice, LMSW, CASAC
Coordinator, Talbot House

Please consider donating to the Appeal and making a difference in someone’s life. Thank you!

Make checks payable to: Catholic Ministries Appeal
Parish Ss. Cyril & Methodius
Name ____________________________ Pledge: $ _________
Down payment: $ _________
Address ____________________________ City, State, Zip ____________________________
Phone: ____________________________ Signature: ____________________________ Date: ____________
Ss. Cyril and Methodius
Holy Name Society
TRIP TO SANDS CASINO
BETHLEHEM, PA.
SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 2018
$45.00 per person with $30.00 CASH RETURN
$5 FOOD CREDIT
Please park in the South Parking Lot opposite White Castle by the Deer Park Ave. fence by 7:45 a.m.
Bus leaves at 8:00 a.m.
BAGELS ON BUS
Reservations call Phil Hogan at 631-667-9148
Proceeds to Benefit
Ss. Cyril and Methodius Scholarship Fund

Knights of Columbus
Our Lady of the Rosary
Council #4428
ANNUAL COMMUNION BREAKFAST
SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 2018
8AM MASS
AT SS CYRIL AND METHODIUS IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWED BY BREAKFAST AT OUR HALL
COST $15 PER PERSON
NO TICKETS SOLD AT DOOR

GUEST SPEAKERS
MARK AND JOHN CRONIN
FROM
JOHN’S CRAZY SOCKS

For info contact DGK Joe Verdicchio at 516-848-8209

Ss. Cyril & Methodius R.C. Church
GOLF OUTING
TELEVISION RAFFLE
60 Inch Smart Television
(Donated by Mangano Family Funeral Homes)
$5 each ticket
100% of the proceeds benefit
Ss. Cyril & Methodius R.C. Church
Drawing Thursday, June 21, 2018
(Winner need not be present)

Our Lady of the Assumption R.C. Church
1 Molloy Street, Copiague, NY 11726, (631) 842-5211

VENDORS WANTED
OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION INTERNATIONAL FEAST
August 8th - August 12th
Space available for one (1) Day or up to all five (5) days
For more info call Flo at the Rectory number above

Our Lady of the Assumption R.C. Church
39 North Carll Avenue, Babylon, NY 11702, 631-699-0068
“Moving On” Group
An After Bereavement Group for Widows and Widowers Presents
Guest Speaker – Dr. Anne Kane
“The Hidden Gifts of Grief”
Friday, May 11th @ 7:30 pm
For further information please call
Geri Olson 631-661-8994
Dear Friends of Outreach,

We welcome every donation you make to our outreach pantry and you’ll never know the difference your gifts have made to the families this church serves. Trust us, its immeasurable. This month we are low on sweet stuff, like jelly, cookies, pudding, jello and canned fruit. Our thanks for all your “Sweet Offerings! May God bless you all.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

- Coffee
- Juice (large bottled)
- Jelly
- Canned fruit
- Pasta meals in a can
- Mac n cheese
- Beans
- Cookies
- Tuna Fish
- Napkins
- Tooth brushes
- Paper towels
- Boxed potatoes
- Peanut butter
- Soup
- Tea
- Rice
- Pasta
- Can Vegetables
- Shampoo
- Bar soap
- Tooth Paste
- Toilet Tissue
- Detergent

Food Store Gift Certificates are so important because they help us to purchase meat and non perishable items.

Outreach is open Mon, Wed, and Friday from 10:00am to 3:00pm for intakes (BY APPOINTMENTS) and 1:00pm to 3:00pm for Pantry.

Please pray for the homeless, the hungry and the poor.

God bless you, the Volunteers, and God Bless America.

Georgette Fromigia and the outreach volunteers

Ss. Cyril & Methodius Gift Card Program

This is an excellent way to support Ss. Cyril & Methodius.

Everyone needs groceries, so before you go to the supermarket, come and buy your gift cards. You pay nothing additional, and our Parish receives approximately 5%

Call ahead to make your purchase at the Parish Center, and we will be happy to have your order ready.

We offer gift cards for these stores:

- Supermarkets: King Kullen, Shop Rite, Stop & Shop
- Restaurants: Applebee’s, Panera Bread, Starbucks, Dunkin Donuts, Ruby Tuesdays, Texas Roadhouse
- Pharmacies: CVS, Rite Aid, Walgreens
- Others: Barnes & Noble, Lowe’s, Kohl’s, Bed Bath & Beyond, Tanger Outlets, Target, JC Penney’s, Home Depot, Walmart, Staples

Go to gscrip.com for a complete list of available gift cards.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

If you, or anyone you know is in need of assistance, please contact us at 631-667-4044, ext. 175, or at ssstvincetndepaul@gmail.com

In the Gospel today, Jesus says "Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing.” By serving our neighbors and by helping the poor, we can "bear much fruit" and we find that with Jesus we can do anything. Vincentians fulfill their mission in countless ways, primarily through one-on-one contact between volunteers and individuals or families who are in need. Working in teams of two, just as Jesus sent forth his disciples, we meet our neighbors in their homes to ascertain their full needs and provide assistance as available.

The next conference meeting will be held on May 2, 2018, at 7:15 pm in the Senior Center. Please join us.

“we Help People”

Rosary Altar Society

Plant Sale & Raffle

This Weekend April 28th & 29th

In the Breezeway

Proceeds to benefit Ss. Cyril and Methodius School Scholarships

Thank you for your support

Rosary Altar Society

Rosary Mass 11am Sunday May 6, 2018

Recitation of the Rosary at 10:30am

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN MEETING

Meeting May 21st at 8pm in the Church.

This is our Living Rosary and May Crowning meeting. After this we will proceed to the Auditorium for the election of the new Board. If anyone is interested in running for any position on the Board call Joan Loring at 631-242-1151. Tammy

USHERS NEEDED

Ushers are needed to serve at all Masses. If you would like to serve as an Usher please call Paul Coppola at 631-587-9649

Holy Name Family Mass

Mass 8:00 a.m. Sunday, May 13, 2018

Meeting May 14, 2018 at 7:30pm

in the Senior Center

If you are interested in running for any position on the Board please contact Phil Hogan at 631-667-9148. Elections will take place at our next meeting which is May 14th.

Men’s Spirituality Group

Please join Steve Neveroski on Thursday, May 10th at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center Chapel

All men of the parish are invited to attend.
S t u d i e s  y t o  c o m m o n  t h e  k i n g d o m  o f  G o d  a n d  t o  h e a l  t h e  s i c k . ”  L u k e  9 : 2

Are you seeking a deeper walk with the Lord, or to enrich your prayer life & have fellowship with others who love the Lord? Join us as we pray & praise the Lord through Scripture & song each Tuesday in the Pulice Senior Center from 7:30 to 9:30 pm. All are invited to join in prayer or praise. At the end of each meeting, there are prayer teams to pray over those who are in need of prayer. Bring a Bible & a friend. For information call Lucille 631-586-2438, or Charlie 631-667-4673.

LEVEL 8 CONFIRMATION RETREATS

Level 8 Students and parents! As was discussed at our Parent and Student meeting in January, Confirmation Retreats will be taking place THIS WEEK ONLY. These retreats are MANDATORY, and without going on one, a student CANNOT RECEIVE THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION, by order of the Diocese of Rockville Centre. PLEASE be sure to check your letters that we gave to you in person at January’s meeting for your Confirmation Retreat date and time so that you don’t miss it! Sign in starts at 4:30pm in the lobby of the school for a prompt 5:00pm begin time.

“ALSO IMPORTANT!”

GOWNS HAVE BEEN ORDERED. If you did not hand in your form, you will be receiving a standard sized gown, regardless of your height, as has been stated since January. Remember: A STUDENT WILL NOT RECEIVE THEIR GOWN UNTIL ALL OF THEIR REQUIREMENTS ARE COMPLETED, meaning that WE MUST HAVE: the Sponsor Form, Saint Report, 10 Christian Service Hours, 10 Mass Reports, $50 Sacrament Fee, and the remaining balances to be paid on your account.

First Holy Communions start this week, can you believe it?! All Communion parents received their seating chart, rehearsal information, and Communion Day information at our Parent and Student meeting held on the last day of class. Please be sure to check your seating charts, since all of the information is listed in one spot for you. As discussed at the meeting, please be sure to bring your children to the lobby of the school A HALF HOUR BEFORE YOUR REHEARSAL START TIME so that we can line up all of the children and make sure that they are in the right spots. Also remember that ALL COMMUNION BANNERS MUST BE DONE BY COMMUNION DAY, which you must also REPORT WITH YOUR CHILD A HALF HOUR BEFORE YOUR MASS TIME, TO THE SCHOOL LOBBY.

Please keep these Sacrament Students in your prayers!

Ms. Lauricella

Director of Religious Education and Family Faith Formation
Rev. Msgr. Thaddeus Rooney
Memorial Golf Outing & Dinner
Honoring Tim Leitch and
Our Lady of the Rosary Knights of Columbus
and Columbiettes

Timber Point Country Club, Great River
Sponsored by Mangano Funeral Home, Inc.

Thursday, June 21, 2018
12:00 PM Barbeque and Registration
2:00 PM Shotgun Start
6:30 PM Cocktail Hour 3 hour open bar
Buffet Dinner, coffee, tea and dessert

$150.00 per person for Golf (Soft Spikes required)
Barbeque, Green Fees, Beverage Cart, Dinner & Cocktails

$60.00 Dinner only

Prizes include: Closest to Pin, Closest to Pin Second Shot,
Longest Drive (60 and over, 70 and over, 80 and over and 60 and under).

Sponsors needed for: Tee/Greens-$110; Flag Sponsor -$150;
Driving Range-$300; Beverage Cart-$800; Golf Carts-$900;
Cocktail Hour -$900; Dinner-$900; Dessert -$900; Barbeque-$900

ALL FLAG ORDERS DUE BY MAY 25TH

For further information please call:
Sal Mangano (631) 586-3600 ~ Al Monahan ~ (631) 667-1342 ~ Mike Conboy (631) 539-8932
Rosemarie Brady (631) 681-6336 ~ Mary Malerba (631) 291-7020
Russell Salerno (631) 291-7020 ~ Justin Belkin (917) 407-3483
La Toya Dennis (516) 749-2813 ~ Carol Tannehill (631) 988-9906
Dcn. Phil Mills (631) 667-4044 Ext. 110

Please find enclosed a check payable to: Ss. Cyril & Methodius,
c/o Dcn. Phil Mills, 125 Half Hollow Road, Deer Park 11729

In the amount of $__________ to cover the cost of #__________ golfers.

Names: ___________________________________________  ___________________________________________

Item sponsored________________________________________ Amount $________________________