



St. Boniface Martyr

Roman Catholic Church

Established 1898

Serving the people of God in the communities of
Sea Cliff ~ Glenwood Landing ~ Glen Head ~ Glen Cove
“We are a pilgrim people on a journey toward the Kingdom of God.”

Fr. Robert A. Romeo, Pastor



“Come to me, all you who find life burdensome, and I will give you rest . . .
for my yoke is easy and my burden light.”

- Matthew 11:25-30

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 3, 2011

Mass Schedule



Daily Mass	8am
Sunday Masses	Saturday: 5pm Vigil; Sunday: 8am, 10:15am
Holy Day Masses	5pm Vigil; 8am, 7pm

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 3
The Bread & Wine, Sanctuary Lamp & Candles were donated in memory of Nellie & Joseph Furlong by Nancy, Patsy and Emily.

Zec 9:9-10; Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matt 11:25-30
 8am (Barbara Grella)
 10:15am (Jeanne Vernet)

Monday, July 4 (James Malloy)
Genesis 28:10-22a; Matthew 9:18-26
 Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Tuesday, July 5 (James T. Fauls)
Genesis 32:23-33; Matthew 9:32-38
 Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Wednesday, July 6 (Theresa Huffer)
Genesis 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Matt 10:1-7
 Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Thursday, July 7 (Benjamin Frizone)
Genesis 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Matt 10:7-15
 Celebrant: Bob

Friday, July 8 (James Eggers)
Genesis 46:1-7, 28-30; Matthew 10:16-23
 Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Saturday, July 9 (Angelo D'Avino)
Genesis 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Matthew 10:24-33
 Celebrant: Fr. Bob
 5pm Vigil

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 10
Is55:10-11; Rom 8:18-23; Matt13:1-23 or 13:1-9
 8am (Parishioners)
 10:15am (Larry Graziose)

Minister's Schedule

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 3

5pm Vigil	Fr. Bob
Lector:	Kevin Kelly
Ministers:	Eileen & Paul Bowersock Paul Bramfeld Yvonne Brantuas
8am	Fr. Bob
Lector:	Irene Harris
Ministers:	Peggy Niper Lorraine Petschauer Marie Agosta, Laura Andrysiak

10:15am	Fr. Bob
Lector:	Lauren Feehan
Ministers:	Sue Moran, Fran Roesch Rosemary & John Murello Tom Ryan, Allison Saavedra

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 10

5pm Vigil	Fr. Bob
Lector:	Theo Kyrkostas
Ministers:	Ann Dubin, Katherine Miller Debbie Mink Kathleen Van Bloem
8am	Fr. Bob
Lector:	Carole Kelly
Ministers:	Kevin Kelly, Ralph Casey Andrew DiSalvo, Peggy Niper

10:15am	Fr. Bob
Lector:	Carol Griffin
Ministers:	Diva & Ed Corbelletta Joe Vulpis, Pat Warner Scott Whitting, Loretta Zahner



St. Vincent de Paul Society

St. Vincent de Paul says "Let all things be done with charity."
 Together, with your gifts, members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society continues his work and mission in our parish

Thank you for all your support!

Furniture and financial donations are always welcome. You are too! Come join the St. Vincent de Paul Society and be a communal part of your parish. Call 822-3132 for details.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Please pray for the members of our parish who have entered into eternal life.



Placement of names on the sick list must be requested by an immediate family member through Fr. Bob. Names will be announced at weekend Masses for 3 weeks and then listed in the bulletin only.

George Bohn, Mae Caffney, Lucille Cappiello, Ronald Caputo, William J. Dobrowski, John Duignan, Sam Giordano, Sandra Haberle, Carol Hartney, Janine D. Kelly, Ernest Longobucco, James Molloy, Baby Max, Catherine Mortell, Mike Napoli, Carmel O'Brien, Susan Turner, Gloria Weis, Carolann White.

**PRAY FOR OUR
MILITARY**

**Lance CPL Matthew B. Christman
Flight Lieutenant Joseph Doyle
Commander Brett Korade
Ensign Brian McMenamin
Ensign Ian McMenamin
Private First Class Joshua McMillan
Captain Christina Merrick
Lieutenant Drew Whitting, USN.**



PRAYER GROUP

Mondays 7:30pm in the Chapel.
All welcome. Come, bring a friend!
Call John & Rosemary Murello at 676-2767 for more information.

**ST. BONIFACE HOLY HOUR
AND BENEDICTION**

Wednesdays at 2pm in the Chapel



PRAYER VIGIL FOR THE SICK

Thursdays 7pm -7:30pm in the Chapel



ROSARY

Monday through Saturday after 8am Mass in the Chapel.

STEWARDSHIP . . . A WAY OF LIFE



“Let all Your works give You thanks, O Lord, and let Your faithful ones bless You,” says the Psalmist. Stewardship is this “attitude of gratitude” for the many gifts God has given us.

Thank you for your financial stewardship of **\$7208** and **\$1802** donation for **Peter’s Pence** last week.

Thank you for your generous support!

SECOND BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Nicholas Alonso
St Boniface Martyr Parish
and
Jaymie Zurlo
St Edward’s the Confessor, Syosset



5% DONATION



“Your plenty at the present time should supply their needs so that their surplus may in turn one day supply your need.” (II Cor 8:14)

If you have any “plenty” left over, please place it in an envelope marked “**For Special Assistance**” and Fr. Bob will make sure it is given to those “to supply their need.” **PLEASE PRAY** about this and see what Jesus is calling you to do.

ST. BONIFACE BIBLE STUDY

7:30pm Thursdays
in the Parish Center. *All are welcome.*
Contact John or Rosemary Murello at 676-2767 for details.



THE CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

“Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful,” from Saint Faustina’s diary;
Fridays at 3pm in the Chapel



MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

The Miraculous Medal Novena, with the veneration of the relic of St. Catherine Labore, is prayed **each Saturday after the 8am Mass** in the Chapel.

LAY CARMELITES

of Blessed Titus Brandsma meets every **third Saturday of the month** at 9am in the Parish Center. Call Flora at 656-9375 or Pat at 887-7265 for details.

Dear Parishioners,

"Come to me, all you who find life burdensome and I will give you rest" Mt 11:28

The more complex life becomes, the more stress it brings to our daily lives. Who of us has not looked back on earlier days of our lives and have longed for the peacefulness of those times? Certainly when we were young most of us had less "worries" which would have made life seem more peaceful. When I was a Curate or Associate Pastor, I never could have imagined how much more complex my life would become when I became a Pastor. The first few years were very tough and gave me many sleepless nights. I worried about the parish and how we would pay our bills and get out of debt. I was confronted with the boiler, roof and air conditioner issues that seemed beyond my competency. This new challenge was a little daunting, to say the least. I focused not on the good that was happening, but kept looking at the road ahead and there seemed to be no end to what had to be done. What I realized at those moments in prayer (especially late at night in the church when I could not sleep), was that Jesus was telling me that I did not have to do this alone. He told me He was there offering His peace and rest if I just could just trust His promise. It wasn't easy at times, I can tell you. But the signs were there constantly. The scripture passage "*Trust in the Lord*" kept coming before me. Things like plaques from people or scripture being giving to me. Our Youth Group was at a joint meeting with St. Peter's Youth Group planning Midnight Run. We were asked to put our hand in this box of sand to pick out a rock with a Scripture passage written on it. And guess what mine was?...Trust in the Lord. Coincidence? I don't think so. Jesus at work? You can be sure! For some this may sound childish, but that's OK.

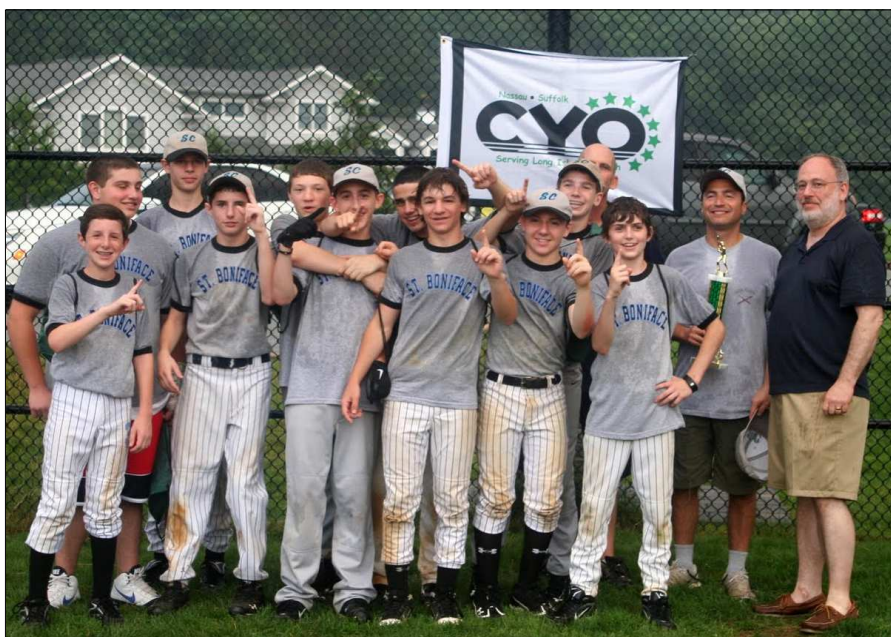
Jesus prays today in thanksgiving that what has been hidden from the wise, He has revealed to the child-like. I am so grateful to Jesus for those "child-like" moments in my life. Coming to Jesus and allowing Him to "yoke" Himself to me makes the burden easier. When I was able to give it all to Jesus, things began to fall into place. He sent people in my life to help me with the task ahead. These people took some of the burden and apprehension away. I know they didn't come into the picture by chance, but rather by the hand of Jesus. This gift of Jesus was the fulfillment of His promise in today's Gospel...**come to me all you who find life burdensome and I will give you rest**. Jesus has been my help and support and when I was able to give it to Him and His purpose, life took a different turn. I bring it all to Him and ask for His direction and strength. This is of course not always easy...my will still, at times, gets in the way. Do I still fall short? Yes, of course I do. I don't say this to brag or to insinuate that I am better than anyone else. It is stated to help you believe in the power of Jesus' promises. They are offered to all who seek Him out. It is not done in our own power but through God. Jesus has given us power of the Holy Spirit. We hear that encouragement in St. Paul's letter today. St. Paul reminds us that we must choose to live in the power of the Holy Spirit. Through that awesome power we are able to place ourselves at the disposal of Jesus. When we do this we allow Him to share our burdens and offer His rest from our worries. I am grateful to Jesus for His presence and I thank Him for all of you. You have made His presence known to me. Thank you for all you do! Trust in Him and look for the signs of His presence. Sometimes they are right under our noses. To some this may seem too child-like and unrealistic. To them and to all, I encourage you to trust. Trusting in Him really does work for those who believe. JESUS BE PRAISED! We have embarked on a journey in our

feasibility study; a process that I am giving to Jesus, and I encourage you to do the same. I am so pleased with all the support, excitement and encouragement. I am also grateful to those who expressed apprehension, concerns and questions. All of your thoughts and comments are taken seriously and add to the one picture. Please continue to work with Lynch Development so all your thoughts may be represented.

As we enter summer, please don't put aside worship. There are many activities and parities but our worship of Jesus at Mass should always be a priority and one not taken lightly. If you are traveling you may want to check out the web site from the United States Catholic Bishops or call **1 800-Mass Time**. You can also find Catholic Churches by checking out the following web site: www.masstimes.org or www.TheCatholicDirectory.com.

In Jesus,
Fr. Bob

CYO - On June 21st the St. Boniface Sea Cliff baseball team defeated Maria Regina by a score of 5 – 4 to win their 2nd consecutive CYO baseball league championship (7th and 8th grades). This dramatic come-from-behind walk-off win capped a season in which the St. Boniface team finished with a record of 11 wins against only 1 loss. This team, which is playing in its 6th season together, displayed tremendous heart and perseverance and was led by the dominant pitching of **Tim Maxwell**, **Anthony Falcone** and **Tristan Vitale**, the explosive bats of **Mike Moritz**, **Brandon LaSalle** and **Anthony Lisena**, the blazing speed of **Connor Lynn** and **Michael Gray**, the outstanding defense of **Tom Lipner** and **Kevin Lynch**, and the general all-around fine play of **Aidan Lewis** and **Anthony (A.J.) Capobianco**. The coaches and parents would like to express their thanks and appreciation to St. Boniface Martyr Parish, Sea Cliff Junior Baseball and American Community Bank for sponsoring this group of fine young men over the past few years.



ASR's GOLF OUTING

ASR will be having its 20th Annual Golf Outing at Wheatley Hills Golf Club in East Williston on Monday, **July 18**.

This wonderful day of golf includes brunch and dinner, food and beverages throughout the day, cocktail hour, all cart and green fees, driving range and prizes.

Also, don't miss out on your opportunity to win \$5,000! Century Club Raffle Tickets are available for purchase at \$100 each. Only 100 tickets will be sold. The winner receives \$5,000 and the remaining \$5,000 benefits ASR.

If you are interested in golfing or purchasing Century Raffle Tickets or for any questions, please contact:
Kim Federman 759-8495
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Photo left to right: Kevin Lynch, Anthony Lisena, Anthony Falcone, Connor Lynn, Brandon LaSalle, Tom Lipner, Mike Moritz, Anthony (A.J.) Capobianco, Tristan Vitale, Aidan Lewis, Mike Gray (assistant coach), Michael Gray, Tony Capobianco (manager) and Stew Lipner (assistant coach). Missing from photo: Tim Maxwell.



SUNDAY, JULY 3

We Americans are proud of our work ethic—perhaps too proud. We tend to value our work and busyness so much that we forget how to be still enough to hear God’s quiet voice. We need leisure—not frenetic vacationing or compulsive recreational activities but simple rest when we can unplug and *think*. Jesus says, “I will give you rest.” We may think he means *eternal* rest, but we don’t have to wait until we’re dead to enjoy it! We need to develop a pattern to “come away and rest awhile.” Why not today? Why not every Sunday? The media is full of “new” and flashy ways to avoid stress, but Jesus’ invitation is a simple, standing one: “Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest.”

MONDAY, JULY 4

Some people seem to be born with the gift of deep faith. They appear to have an intuitive grasp of the spiritual side of life and to know God is always with them. The rest of us must endure long periods of doubt and uncertainty that are only occasionally interrupted by brief moments of spiritual clarity. Whether our assessment of other people’s faith is accurate, our time might be better spent considering the state of our own. We could begin by asking, “Where am I on the continuum between faith and doubt?” Is it possible that the Lord is with you and you don’t know it? Can you ask God to help you to know it?

TUESDAY, JULY 5: ANTHONY MARY ZACCARIA

One of the more fervent prayer practices in Catholic tradition is the Forty Hours’ Devotion, and Saint Anthony Mary Zaccaria (1503-1539) was a major promoter of it. The devotion involves continuous (or near continuous) prayer for 40 hours before the Blessed Sacrament, which is exposed on the altar. The devotion arose during the Counter-Reformation, a time of church renewal and reform in response to the criticisms of those involved in the Protestant Reformation. If your spiritual life could use some reform and renewal, try participating in a “40 Hours.”

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6

More than anything else, Jesus has one basic message: The kingdom of God is at hand. He proclaimed it had begun and was on its way to fulfillment. In it is

everything he was, taught, did, and wants us to learn and do: Love God and one another wholeheartedly, especially those who are deprived in some way. Forgive as God has forgiven you. Be open to a new and different way of seeing the world and acting, one that brings everyone together in God. Are you ready to enter the Kingdom?

THURSDAY, JULY 7

Joseph had it tough as the second youngest in a family of 12 brothers. Picked on and hated because he was his dad Jacob’s favorite, Joseph ended up sold into slavery by his brothers. After many years of separation from his family, he again meets his brothers, only this time the tables are turned: Joseph is in a position of power, and his brothers are the vulnerable ones. It wouldn’t have taken much for Joseph to tap back into those feelings of hurt, betrayal, and rage and respond measure for measure. But he went beyond that, back to the sibling love he so cherished, and reacted with not only kindness but an outpouring of generosity. We, too, have that capacity and power for a love that is bigger than hurt.

FRIDAY, JULY 8

Sometimes it may seem that the gospel’s call to simplicity doesn’t stand a chance. Popular spiritual writer Henri Nouwen expressed this dilemma well: “So often the problems of the world seem so complex and intricate that your word strikes me as embarrassingly simple,” he wrote in a prayer that continued, “but you, O Lord, said, ‘Be clever as serpents and innocent as doves.’ Let me retain innocence and simplicity in the midst of this complex world.” That’s a good prayer for all of us as we try to balance spiritual life and daily life.

SATURDAY, JULY 9: AUGUSTINE ZHAO RONG

Some say that the Roman Catholic Church in China is actually two churches: one faithful to Rome and the other beholden to the state. The reality is much more complex, though there have been some deep divisions. Many in China felt that the timing of the canonizations in 2000 of the 150 martyrs the church remembers today highlighted China’s colonial past—a very sensitive subject for the Chinese people. A year later Pope John Paul II, addressing a group of Chinese and Western scholars in Rome, asked forgiveness for the past failings on the part of Christian missionaries in China. For some solid information on the church and China, visit the website of Seton Hall University’s United States Catholic China Bureau.



The next **Youth Group** will be on Sunday **July 10th** from 6:00-8:00 on the field behind the church for kickball. All are welcome!

For an updated schedule of youth group events for the summer please join our Facebook page 'St. Boniface Martyr Youth Group' or email the youth minister, Chris, at stbonym@gmail.com.

384 Winners

June 25 ~ \$25.00
Mary Jo Lilly, Garden City

June 26 ~ \$25.00
Eva Greenberg, Middletown, NY

June 27 ~ \$25.00
St. Vincent de Paul
St. Boniface Martyr Conference, Sea Cliff

June 28 ~ \$25.00
Natasha DiFeo, Sea Cliff

June 29 ~ \$25.00
Maryann Ryan, Glen Head

June 30 ~ \$25.00
Wilson Family, Sea Cliff

End-of-Month ~ \$100.00
Jim & Alice O'Donnell, Sea Cliff

End-of-Quarter ~ \$500.00
Taylor Evans, Sea Cliff

July 1 ~ \$25.00
Annette Marra, Sea Cliff

Tickets are available at the back of the Church and at the Parish Center.

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Office Hours: 9am-12:30pm & 1:30pm-4:30pm, Monday-Friday

Parish Registration: We welcome all new members of our parish family. We ask all parishioners to welcome and invite new neighbors and their families to become a part of St. Boniface Martyr Parish. Parish registration (census) forms available by the main doors of the church and in the parish office for new members. Please return completed forms to the parish office.

Baptism: Parents wishing to present a child for Baptism should be registered members of St. Boniface Martyr Parish. Parents are required to have a Baptism Preparation Interview and attend a Baptism class. Baptisms are celebrated on the last Sunday of the month. Godparents must be fully initiated members of the Catholic Church (having received the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist), and provide a sponsor certificate. Please call 676-0676 to pre-arrange.

Marriage: Couples wishing to be married should call the parish office before any other arrangements are made. A minimum of six months is needed for marriage preparations.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): An ongoing process of formation for those who ever wonder if they should become "Catholic". If interested, please call Fr. Bob at 676-0676.

Reconciliation (Confession): Saturdays from 4pm to 4:30pm in the church unless otherwise indicated. ❖