

St. Boniface Martyr Roman Catholic Church

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



"Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." - Matthew 22:15-21

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 19, 2014

Mass Schedule

Daily Mass: 8am (in the chapel except on Sundays)

Sundays: Saturdays 5pm; Sundays: 8am & 10:15am **Holy Day Masses:** 5pm Vigil; 8am & 7pm (in



29th Sunday in Ordinary Time: October 19

Isaiah 45:1, 4-6; 1 Thess 1:1-5b; Matthew 22:15-21

The bread, wine candles and sanctuary lamp used at this week's celebrations were donated in loving memory of *Shaun Brala* by Mom, Dad and Christie.

5pm Saturday Mass Intention: George Warner
8am Mass Intention: Parishioners
10:15am Mass Intention: Anthony "Buddy"
Pacheo

<u>Monday, October 20</u> (Charles Fink) MEMORIAL OF ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS *Ephesians 2:1-10; Luke 12:13-21* **8am Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Azubuike

<u>**Tuesday. October 21**</u> (Edmund Covel) Ephesians 2:12-22; Luke 12:35-38 **8am Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Azubuike

Wednesday, October 22 (George Warner) MEMORIAL OF ST. JOHN PAUL II Ephesians 3:2-12; Luke 12:39-48 8am Mass Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Thursday, October 23 (Frank Sobieski) MEMORIAL OF ST. JOHN OF CAPISTRANO Ephesians 3:14-21; Luke 12:49-53 8am Mass Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Friday, October 24 (Anthony Rotola) MEMORIAL OF ST. ANTHONY MARY CLARET *Ephesians 4:1-6; Luke 12:54-59* **8am Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Saturday, October 25 (Scott Pierce) Ephesians 4:7-16; Luke 13:1-9 8am Mass Celebrant: Fr. Azubuike 5pm Mass Intention: Andrew McDonald

Minister's Schedule

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5pm Lector: Ministers:	Celebrant: Fr. Azubuike Kevin Kelly Irma & Bill Berkley Eileen Bowersock, Paul Bramfeld
8am Lector: Ministers:	Celebrant: Fr. Bob Jovanna Lemonda Andrew DiSalvo, Peggy Niper Marie Agosta, Ana Arellano
10:15am Lector: Child Liturgy: Ministers:	Celebrant: Fr. Bob Eileen Moran Margaret Cuomo Maier Susan Castelli, Laureen Feehan Patty Lizza, Camille Miritello Mary Ann & Paul McDermott



Capital Campaign 2014 Update Renew & Restore the House of God

"Lord, I love the House in which You dwell" Ps. 76:8

Our plan is to begin the Restoration of the Church the end of December 2014. With less than four months to go, the status of the campaign is as follows:

Pledges to date: \$1,195,023. Total amount paid to date: \$1,018,220

Because of your continued generosity we continue to get closer to our target everyday. We encourage everyone to continue to meet their pledge in full and by doing so we will meet our goal. If you have not yet participated in the campaign and would like to contribute, we would like to encourage you to do so. To inquire about your balance or if you have any questions regarding the campaign please send an email to stbonifacefinance@gmail.com, or leave a message at the Parish Office (676-0676).

2014 payments are due on/before the following dates:

Monthly payment: October 31

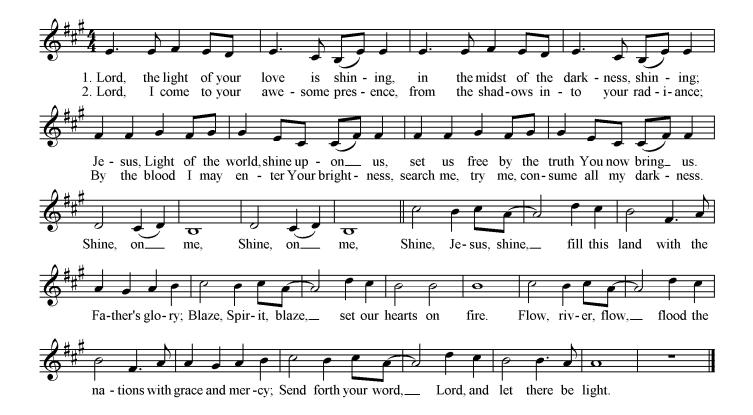
Third quarter payment: December 31

Annual/**Final** Payments are due December 31st, 2014. We are extremely appreciative of your generosity and your continued efforts to satisfy your pledged amount.

Thank you! The Campaign Committee

Shine Jesus Shine

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Catholic High School Open House

Sunday, **October 19,** from 10:30am-2pm St. John the Baptist Diocesan HS

CHSEE prep-course details are available on our website, www.stjohnthebaptisths.net

World Mission Sunday: October 19

This Sunday, *World Mission Sunday*, our Holy Father, Pope Francis, calls every Catholic to celebrate at the Eucharist, our vocation to be missionary and to help the Missions. As Catholics around the world, here at home and in the Missions, gather at the Eucharistic table, let us pray for the Church's worldwide mission and offer financial help through the Propagation of the Faith for more than 1,150 dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands. Thank you for your generosity.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas

Join us at our next meeting and see what we do Who: Women 18 years old and older When: First Monday of each month at 11am Where: St. Boniface Martyr, Sea Cliff

Contact: Regent Eileen Stanton 521-9418 emstanton@optonline.net

Women's Retreat October 24-26

Are you *"Clothed in Christ"* ?Please join the *LI Women's Retreat Ministry* for another powerful retreat at the Montfort Spiritual Center in Bay Shore on **October 24-26**. Our guest speaker, Patti Gordon, who enjoys bringing the Word of God to life through drama and dance, will share her gifts with us. Join us for praise, worship, fellowship, prayer, adoration. Reconciliation and Mass. For details call Yvonne at 631 -732-3574 or email L.I.WomenRM@aol.com.

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Please pray for those who have entered into eternal life especially Vera Pemberton.



William Anderson

Danny Lane

Maria Santoli

Rhonda Speranza

Marilyn Walthers



Lieutenant Melissa Buffa & Lieutenant Travis Buffa Lance CPL Matthew B. Christman Second Lieutenant Mario Coronel, US Army Flight Lieutenant Joseph Doyle Jake A. Hojnowski, Sailor E-3, US Navy Lance CPL Gregory Knox Captain Brett Korade, USN Lieutenant Brian McMenamin Lieutenant Ian McMenamin Private First Class Joshua McMillan Lieutenant Junior Grade Michael R. Ragusa, USN Private First Class Cole N. Muttee, USMC Lieutenant Commander Drew Whitting, US Navy Private Luke Whitting, US Army Captain Christina Merrick-Wright Captain Bradley Wright, US Army.

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 Cor²:58)

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.

Stewardship...a Way of Life

Thank you for your Financial Stewardship of \$9544 and \$1668 for our Maintenance & Repair Fund last week.

This week there will be a second collection for the World Missions. Next week there will be a second collection for the Catholic Ministries Appeal. Thank you!

Rosary

Mondays-Saturdays after 8am Mass in the Chapel.

Prayer Group

Mondays 7:30pm in the Chapel. All are welcome. Come, and bring a friend! Call John & Rosemary

St. Boniface Holy Hour and Benediction Wednesdays at 2pm in the Chapel.

Prayer Vigil for the Sick

Thursdays 7pm -7:30pm in the Chapel.

Bible Study

Thursdays 7:30pm-9pm in the Parish Center

So shall my word be that goes forth from my mouth; It shall not return to me void, but shall do mv will. achieving the end for which I sent it. -Isaiah 55:10

How is Gods' word affecting you? As we listen to God's word proclaimed each time we attend Mass, we become renewed and encouraged. We come to believe in a deeper way, the depth of God's love for us.

Come join us as we study of the Gospel of Luke.

Bingo

Fridays 7pm. Knights of Columbus Hall, 83 Sea Cliff Avenue, Glen Cove. All proceeds go to charity, including our St. Boniface Outreach Ministry.

Miraculous Medal Novena

Saturdays after 8am Mass in the Chapel with the veneration of the relic.

Lay Carmelites of Blessed Titus Brandsma

Third Saturdays 9am in the Parish Center. Call Flora at 656-9375 or Pat at 887-7265 for more information.







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Early Childhood Open House Nursery – 2nd Grade Friday, October 24th, 2014 9:00AM – 11:00 AM

> 12 Pearsall Avenue, Glen Cove 516-676-0762 www.asrcatholic.org



All Saints Regional Catholic School Faith ~ Foundation ~ Future Dear Parishioners,

"I have called you by name." Is 45:4

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A great exercise to bring to our daily prayer life is to ponder these words from the prophet Isaiah. I often encounter people who believe they can't be loved by God or be His instrument in doing the work of the Kingdom. We have a tendency to focus on our failings rather then the gifts entrusted to us.

What does it mean that God has "called us by name"? First it is the realization that God has called us and claimed us as His own through the waters of Baptism. He has forgiven our sins and has shown us the path of His "plan" for us. Secondly, when God calls us by name, this means He wishes to continue communicating with us. He wants to help us navigate a path through this world that is at times messy and confusing. He wants to be our comfort in times of pain and celebrate in our joyful moments. Communicating also entails His Word to help us discern in the choices of life. If He wants to communicate why does it seem that when we need God the most, He seems most silent? The answer may be that we are not listening, spending time in silent prayer as we wait on the Lord. Jesus in God is always speaking in the background of our lives. Can we be too busy to stop and listen? When we allow the voice of Jesus to be heard in the midst of the noise that desired communication can be a reality in our lives. In hearing the voice of Jesus we can find meaning and purpose in how we live . When we understand that we are loved how much more so can we then realize the gifts entrusted to us have value to others and need to be shared. We then can truly feel why we are called by name...we are loved.

When we hear God's voice and understand our own gifts and talents are our gifts from Him to be used within our own sphere of influence, we find ourselves delighted in what we are doing. Yes, at times we may become frustrated and wonder if we are even coming close to making a difference, but if we are listening - if we take time to look at those affected by what we do as we use what God has given us - we will indeed come to a deep satisfaction with our lives knowing we are serving God and serving others. And we sense that satisfaction all because God has called us by name.

This past Sunday-Monday our confirmandi went on retreat as they prepare for this wondrous Sacrament. It was a Holy Spirit-filled two days. You would have been as proud of our young people as I was. They were open, engaged and open to the power of Jesus. Their responses often moved me to tears. It was certainly a "high" for all of us who participated. I want to thank the many who helped the retreat be such a success and spiritual time away. Thank you is extended to the parents who volunteered as chaperones and entered into the retreat experience: Letizia Barbetta, Joanna Bianchi, Tom Burger, JoAnn Campbell, Reeni Dey, Matt Garry (our chef), Robert Lynch, Philip Milo, Laura Morea, Tom Reagan, Donna Rivera, Claudette Rowell, Catherine Stehling, Lorna Szemerenyi. I am always graceful to our Confirmation Coordinator, Pat Warner. We were blessed to have members of our Youth Group who gave up their day of to assist, lead discussion and offer personal witness talk: Gabby Gartner, Carolina Pardo and Sam Szemerenyi. None of this would be possible without the hard work, coordinating and organization of our D. R. E., **Karen Croce.** Last but certainly not least I offer my thanks and appreciation to our Youth Minister, **Chris Mandato**. His enthusiasm, faith and energy truly inspires our young people and the adults present. This retreat was certainly a high point in all our lives. Please enjoy the pictures and the chain of intercessions written by the young people that will be placed in the vestibule of our Church.

I encourage you to continue to pray the Rosary in this month of October.

In Jesus, Fr. Bob

⁶ Take Five for Faith

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow— a day at a time.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2014

When Jesus speaks about giving to God and giving to Caesar, he is not talking about the "separation of church and state." He's making not a political statement, but a theological one. What "belongs" to God? Why, everything! "All your heart, soul, mind and strength." If you have secular obligations and if they are just, then you fulfill them as an honorable citizen, but your "heart, soul and mind" belong not to the state, nor to your job or your favorite pastime. "You belong to Christ; and Christ belongs to God."

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20

MEMORIAL OF ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS Paul of the Cross, a mystic, saw in the Lord's suffering and dying the greatest demonstration of God's love. Though Jesus could have resisted his persecutors, he chose not to. Paul encouraged us to imitate Christ especially when tempted to lash out at someone who is bothering or irritating us. On a small scale we can chose the path Jesus chose on a very large scale: "When you feel the assaults of passion and anger," wrote Paul, "then is the time to be silent as Jesus was silent in the midst of His ignominies and sufferings." Though this approach runs counter to our assertive culture, try it out sometime and see if it does not bear unexpected fruit in your own life.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

Being a Christian means waiting in hope with love. For centuries, believers have waited for Jesus' return. The first disciples thought Christ's return was imminent. That belief kept the fires of belief stoked, and that faith has been passed on through the years. Today, you can meet Christ through personal encounters in prayer, Eucharist, and other people. Meet everyone like Christ—that's the mark of a living faith. That way, when Jesus comes, you will meet him with the same unifying love he shares with all people—even if you don't recognize him right away.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

MEMORIAL OF ST. JOHN PAUL II

Lots of superlatives apply to John Paul II. He was one of the most popular and longest-serving popes in modern times and one of the most travelled world leaders in history. As part of his emphasis on the universal call to holiness, he beatified and canonized more people than all of the popes in the previous 500 years combined. He himself was canonized a mere nine years after his death. He's an inspiration to Catholics, all of whom are charged to be stewards of God's grace and to be quick to bestow it. Share the grace of your own faith today.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

MEMORIAL OF ST. JOHN OF CAPISTRANO We live in dangerous and volatile times, no denying. Perhaps you hold back from giving more of yourself to God and neighbor for fear that it will all go to waste. Why bother if the world is so messed up, right? Wrong! It is times like these that demand our greatest commitment. John of Capistrano didn't hold back, and he lived in some pretty turbulent times himself back in the 14th century. One third of Western Europe, and 40 percent of the clergy, was wiped out by bubonic plague. The church was in schism and great powers warred. All of it makes our own day seem positively tame. Don't hold back—get some skin into the game.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

MEMORIAL OF ST. ANTHONY MARY CLARET Some saints make their mark by doing only one thing, but doing it very well. Others, like Anthony Mary Claret, paint with a broader brush. Among other things, Claret founded a religious order, fought for social change, was a writer and publisher, archbishop and refugee, even for a while chaplain to the queen of Spain—against his wishes, as he let her know. He was especially revered in Cuba where he spoke out against the abuses of slavery, which rankled the landed class and brought upon him no less than 14 attempts on his life. Claret, you might say, lived life large. Dare to dream your own big dreams for the sake of the gospel—and get out there to make them happen.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

MEMORIAL OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY Media resources tend to shower glory on athletes, celebrities, and winning candidates. This worldly praise and honor doesn't resemble the divine attribute of glory much. God chooses to share a reflection of divine glory with a surprisingly different cast of characters: the meek, the lowly, the little ones. This glory gives the saints their radiant haloes and makes people with loving ways shine when they walk in the room. On this final Saturday of Rosary Month, pray the Glorious Mysteries for more radiant ones to bless our world!

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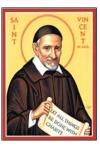


The youth group meets on Sundays from 6pm-8pm in the Parish Center. All 8th-12th graders are invited!

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

St. Vincent de Paul Society

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.



Communion Breakfast October 26

The Friends of the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, 440 West Neck Road, Huntington, invite you to the Annual Friends Communion Breakfast on Sunday, October 26.

Mass at 10am followed by brunch in the Refectory. Celebrant and speaker will be Bishop Andrzej Zglejszewski, Auxiliary Bishop of Rockville Centre. RSVP by October 19, \$30 per ticket.

For reservations and information call the Seminary Development Office at 631-423-0483 x 102 or email bmalone@icseminary.edu.

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- October 11 ~ \$25: John & Patricia Guy, Sea Cliff
- October 12 ~ \$25: Susan O'Brien, Sea Cliff
- October 13 ~ \$25: Pat Warner, Bayville
- October 14 ~ \$25: Katherine Kenny, Sea Cliff
- October 15 \sim \$25: Malinda Niper, Middletown
- October 16 ~ \$25: John & Patricia Alberga, Sea Cliff
- October 10 ~ \$25: Pat Merrick, Little River, SC

Tickets are in the church vestibule & parish center.

Pastoral Team

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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, call Fr. Bob at 676-0676.

Reconciliation (Confession): Saturdays 4pm-4:45pm in church.



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