

St. Boniface Martyr Roman Catholic Church

Established 1898 ~ Sea Cliff, New York

Serving the people of God in Sea Cliff, Glen Head, Glenwood Landing, Glen Cove and surrounding communities.

Reverend Kevin J. Dillon, Pastor

We are a pilgrim people on a journey toward the Kingdom of God.

Join us!

Seventh Sunday of Easter: May 16, 2021

Mass Schedule

8am Mondays-Saturdays; Sundays: 5pm Saturday; 9am, 10:30am,12pm

Confession*

Saturdays 4-4:45pm in the Parish Center. *Confessions will return to church June 5.

Church Hours

8am-2:30pm Monday-Friday; 8am-6pm Saturday; 9am-1pm Sunday.

Parish Address

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Office Hours 10am-2pm; Monday—Friday.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

If you know of parishioners in need of assistance call Jovanna Lemonda at 516-676-0676 x124.

Outreach Pantry

Saturdays 10am to 12pm for curbside pick-up. Call Co-Directors of Parish Social Ministry, Jody Fleischmann or David Meagher at 516-676-0676 x125 for more information.



"I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one. They do not belong to the world any more than I belong to the world. Consecrate them in the truth. Your word is the truth." - JOHN 17:15-17

Liturgy Schedule

On May 19, 2021, St. Boniface Martyr Church is open to full capacity! Mask wearing will still be continued, but you may to enter and exit the church through any doors. Temperature checks and pew tapes will no longer be required, but some social distancing will remain in place. Those who do not belong to the same household or family should try to maintain some distance. Morning Mass on the Feast of St. Boniface (Saturday, June 5), will be celebrated at 9am (not 8am). Confessions will resume on June 5 in the traditional church confessionals. Confession will no longer be celebrated in the Parish Center.

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Acts 1:15-26; Ps 103:1-20; 1 John 4:11-16; Jn 17:11-19 5pm Saturday Vigil Mass: Parishioners 9am Sunday Mass: Mother's Day Novena 10:30am Mass: John Joseph Baricevich, Kevin Peters 12pm Mass: Antonio Rebolledo & Michael Pica Monday, May 17 Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:1-7; Col 3:1; John 16:29-33 8am Mass: Mother's Day Novena

Tuesday, May 18: St. John I, pope Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-21; John 14:16; John 17:1-11 **8am Mass:** Dick Young

Wednesday, May 19 Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-36; John 17:11-19 8am Mass: Karen Schenck

Thursday, May 20: St. Bernardine of Siena *Acts 22:30, 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-11; John 17:20-26* **8am Mass:** Sheila Corrigan

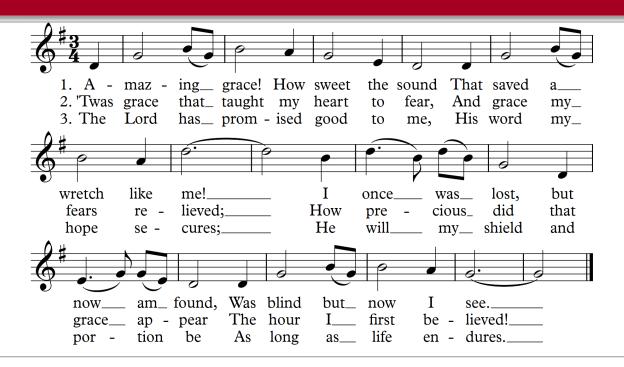
Friday, May 21: St. Christopher Magallanes and Companions Acts 25:13-21; Ps 103:1-20; Jn 14:26; Jn 21:15-19 **8am Mass**

Saturday, May 22: St. Rita of Cascia Acts 28:16-31; Ps 11:4-7; John 16:7-13; John 21:20-25 **8am Mass 5pm Vigil Mass:** Parishioners

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen. - *Pope Leo XIII (1810-1903)*

Opening Hymn: "Amazing Grace"



Prayers & Readings

Confiteor: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Gloria: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Reading I: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26

Peter stood up in the midst of the brothers -there was a group of about one hundred and twenty persons in the one place —.He said, "My brothers, the Scripture had to be fulfilled which the Holy Spirit spoke beforehand through the mouth of David, concerning Judas, who was the guide for those who arrested Jesus. He was numbered among us and was allotted a share in this ministry. "For it is written in the Book of Psalms: May another take his office. "Therefore, it is necessary that one of the men who accompanied us the whole time the Lord Jesus came and went among us, beginning from the baptism of John until the day on which he was taken up from us, become with us a witness to his resurrection." So they proposed two, Judas called Barsabbas, who was also known as Justus, and Matthias. Then they prayed, "You, Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which one of these two you have chosen to take the place in this apostolic ministry from which Judas turned away to go to his own place." Then they gave lots to them, and the lot fell upon Matthias, and he was counted with the eleven apostles.

Responsorial Psalm: 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20 *R. The Lord has set his throne in heaven.*

Bless the LORD, O my soul; and all my being, bless his holy name. Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits. *R*. For as the heavens are high above the earth, so surpassing is his kindness toward those who fear him. As far as the east is from the west, so far has he put our transgressions from us. *R*. The LORD has established his throne in heaven, and his kingdom rules over all. Bless the LORD, all you his angels, you mighty in strength, who do his bidding. *R*.

Reading II: 1 John 4:11-16

Beloved, if God so loved us, we also must love one another. No one has ever seen God. Yet, if we love one another, God remains in us, and his love is brought to perfection in us. This is how we know that we remain in him and he in us, that he has given us of his Spirit. Moreover, we have seen and testify that the Father sent his Son as savior of the world. Whoever acknowledges that Jesus is the Son of God, God remains in him and he in God. We have come to know and to believe in the love God has for us. God is love, and whoever remains in love remains in God and God in him.

Gospel Acclamation: R. Alleluia, alleluia.

I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord. I will come back to you, and your hearts will rejoice. *R*.

Gospel: John 17:11b-19

Lifting up his eves to heaven, Jesus praved saving: "Holy Father, keep them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one just as we are one. When I was with them I protected them in your name that you gave me, and I guarded them, and none of them was lost except the son of destruction, in order that the Scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you. I speak this in the world so that they may share my joy completely. I gave them your word, and the world hated them, because they do not belong to the world any more than I belong to the world. I do not ask that you take them out of the world but that you keep them from the evil one. They do not belong to the world any more than I belong to the world. Consecrate them in the truth. Your word is truth. As you sent me into the world, so I sent them into the world. And I consecrate myself for them, so that they also may be consecrated in truth."

Apostles' Creed: I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Nicene Creed: I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

An Act of Spiritual Communion: My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

(Prayers and Readings printed in the bulletin are the same as those that appear in the missalette.)

Dear Famílies in Faith,

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Please complete the attached registration form for the 2021-2022 Faith Formation year. <u>All Baptismal information must be included!</u>

We will do our best to place your child in a session but please note that class sizes are limited because of the guidelines set forth by the CDC that seem to still be in place. So please register early so that we can arrange meeting spaces accordingly. <u>No requests for being in class with friends will be accepted. Class placement</u> <u>is on a first come first served basis only.</u>

Catechists are needed in all grades especially this year as we are trying to limit class sizes. Please consider volunteering. We will train you and assist you in this ministry. Parent volunteers are essential to the success of the program. Catechist offering for the year is at a reduced rate!

Please send in your completed registration form no later than July 15, 2021. Any form received after that may possibly not get into a class and alternate arrangements will have to be made.

Gratefully things are slowly improving and we are starting to get back to a world that more closely resembles the days of the past but we are not quite there yet. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

God Bless you all. Stay safe and well!

The Office of Religious Education at St. Boniface Martyr Church



(Please open Form with QR code)

Let Us Pray

For Our Deceased: Deacon Ted Kolakowski

For Our Sick

Ryan Alexander Aguilar, Lucia Alonso, William Anderson, Brandon Arena, Bea Bohm, Richard Brown, Camille Costa, Therese Curry, Carmela DelGaudio, Hardai Dhandari, Emily Furlong, Gina Galante, Daniel Garcia, Gary Gullo, Mary Jo Hauser, Cecelia Hernandez, Sairah Khan, Abby Kolkhorst, Toni Lauria, Georgia Leim, Yvonne Lewis, Maryann McDermott, Bobbi McDonald, Bruce McGhee, Jean McGurn, Janet McKinnon, Horst & Gisela Mahr, Josephine Mamantel, Joseph Marra, Michelle Martone, Kenneth Moore, John Moran, Fr. Daniel Nash, Kim Occhiogrosso, John Orozco, Michelle Perone, Ray & Kathy Peters, Danielle Robinson, Tom Ryan, Jr., Abagail Salva, Pat Sawicki, Bill Schiller, Vincenza Scire, Anna Fiora Seda, Karl Sederholt, Teresa Staccone, Anna Stella, Katrina Stern, Bill Swift, Steven Taibbi, Steven Tipton, Glenn Van Pelt, Sr., Joe Vulpis, Lisa Vulpis, Scott Warner.

Requests for inclusion on the sick list must be made by an immediate family member through Fr. Kevin.

For Our Military

Second Lieutenant Conor Lynch, US Army

Lieutenant Melissa Buffa & Lieutenant Travis Buffa First Lieutenant Nicholas Cavallone, USAF Lance CPL Matthew B. Christman Second Lieutenant Mario Coronel, US Army Second Lieutenant Matthew Coronel, US Army Flight Lieutenant Joseph Dovle US Marine Lance CPO Philip W. Grella, III Jake A. Hojnowski, Sailor E-3, US Navy Lance CPL Gregory Knox Sgt. Christian Lada, US Army Christian Pace Laderer, MMN3, US Navy Private First Class Ignazio LaManna, US Army Private First Class Vincent S. LaManna, Jr., US Army Lieutenant Brian McMenamin Lieutenant Ian McMenamin Private First Class Joshua McMillan Lieutenant Michael R. Ragusa, USN SPC Jennifer Sinski, US Army Colonel Bryan Schiller, Army Reserve Petty Officer, 1st Class Corey Tag, US Navy Ensign Joseph Varello, USN Lieutenant Commander Drew Whitting, US Navy Sgt. Luke Whitting, US Army **Captain Christina Merrick-Wright** Captain Bradley Wright, US Army. 🗘

Stewardship

Thank you for your generous support!

Month of April Sunday Collections

Stewardship: \$12,819 (4 weeks); Easter: \$11,258; Maintenance & Repair: \$309; Holy Land (DRVC): \$320

There will be a second collection for **Catholic Communications** May 15/16.

Month of April *Faith Direct* Donations

Stewardship: \$14,579 (4 weeks); Easter: \$5,978; One-Time Gifts: \$900; Maintenance & Repair: \$858; Holy Land (DRVC): \$449; Faith Stream Ministry: \$200 *107 families now participating in FD as of 4/23/21*

Dear Parishioners,

Making plans for the summer? Make sure to plan for your offertory as well! When your summer travels take you away from Sunday services, eGiving lets you continue to support St. Boniface Martyr and the ministries you cherish.

You can sign up from your computer, smartphone or tablet, and set up a recurring donation or make a onetime gift. Recurring gifts sustain our parish through the busy summer months. You'll provide us with consistent support, even if you're away on a Sunday, so the programs, services, and ministries that mean so much to our community will never miss a beat.

Sign up today by visiting faith.direct/NY820. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.

God Bless You, Fr. Kevín

Congratulations to our First Communicants!

Gianni Alagna, Brandon Alonso, Julia Benfield, Julianna Biliski, Matthew Brandi, Madeline Burke, Ignacio Caminero, Miles Cardinale, Adrianna Carmona, Daniel Cenatiempo, Francesco Cenatiempo, Chloe Chartier, Matthew De Palma, Liam Dennis, Nola DeSanto, Lucretia Dilgard, Shae Early, Grayson Emmert, Ava Endress, Clare Gallagher, Juliet Garry, Declan Goff, Ellamae Grau, Thomas Halton, Gabriela Hanan, Nicholas Koulouris, Addison Lavelle, Christian Leoniuk, Jack Llewellyn, Benjamin Loftus, Ava Mahoney, Joseph Massari, Liam Mc Aree, Charlotte Mc Carthy, Declan Mitchell, Elora Nakutavicius, Lauren Ostemannn, Lucas Pegion, Ryan Pujdak, Ava Rechner, Antonio Romito, Ruby Schatz, Nicholas Tallarico, Peyton Tomasheski, Antonia Ward, Andrew Wasersztrom, Alessandra Yoo.

Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam: For the Greater Glory of God A Pastoral Letter Introducing the Ignatian Year by Bishop John O. Barres



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Imagine this story: A fame-driven soldier is holding his position in battle. He is shot and wounded by a cannonball. During his lengthy recuperation, he is left to read the few books nearby – books that happen to be about the life of Christ and the saints.

After his recovery, he experiences a deep spiritual conversion and decides to lay down his weapons for good. His new life with Christ profoundly transforms the Church and world for over 500 years and counting!

Some might say: "That's impossible!" Well, that story did happen. That wounded soldier is Saint Ignatius of Loyola (1491-1556).

Upon laying down his sword, doing an about-face and becoming Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ: May 3, 2021 a Catholic priest, Saint Ignatius founded what is today the largest male religious order in the Catholic Church – the Society of Jesus or "the Jesuits."

An order with 16,000-plus priests, brothers, scholastics, and novices worldwide.1 An order known for sanctity, scholarship in every field and major scientific discoveries. An order known for its worldwide mission and special fourth vow of obedience to the Pope, the Successor of Peter. This vow of total availability to the Roman Pontiff disposes the order for its characteristic missionary activity, and in the words of Pope Benedict XVI, calls Jesuits "– in the most genuine Ignatian spirit of 'feeling with the Church and in the Church' – 'to love and serve' the Vicar of Christ on earth."2

An order where more of its priests have been martyred for their faith than in any other order. In fact, in upstate New York, the National Shrine of the North American Martyrs in Auriesville is dedicated to three Jesuits martyred at the Mohawk Indian Village of Ossernenon in 1642 and 1646, including lay brother Saint Rene Goupil (1608- 1642), the priest Saint Isaac Jogues (1607-1646) and lay brother Saint John Lalande (died 1646).

An order whose priests have quite possibly influenced you, your children, or grandchildren. Today, in the U.S., in addition to numerous Jesuit high schools, there is a network of 28 Jesuit colleges and universities with over one million living graduates. Local Jesuit colleges include: Fordham University, Canisius College, College of the Holy Cross, Fairfield University, Boston College, Georgetown University, Le Moyne College, Loyola University, Saint Joseph's University, Saint Peter's University, and The University of Scranton. An order whose priests have contributed so much to theological study that is faithful to the Magisterium of the Church. Here in the United States, we think of priests such as Cardinal Avery Dulles, SJ, a native of Auburn, New York (1918-2008); another New Yorker, Father John Courtney Murray, SJ (1904-1967), who played a prominent role in the Second Vatican Council's 1965 Declaration on Religious Freedom (Dignitatis Humane); and Father Walter Ciszek, SJ (1904-1984) a native of Shenandoah, Pennsylvania who survived 15 years in a Russian prison camp – including five in solitary confinement. Father Ciszek grippingly tells his story and how faith gave him courage to endure the Gulag in With God in Russia (1964) and in He Leadeth Me (1973).

The Church has designated a special time of celebration in recognition of Saint Ignatius. Called an "Ignatian Year," it will mark significant anniversaries associated with this great Spanish saint. The Ignatian Year begins on May 20, 2021, the 500-year anniversary of Ignatius' wounding and spiritual conversion in Pamplona, Spain, and concludes on July 21, 2022, the anniversary of Saint Ignatius passing into eternal life. During the Year, the 400year anniversary of the canonizations of Saint Ignatius and his Jesuit confrere Saint Francis Xavier (1506-1552) will be celebrated on March 12, 2022.

In our diocese, several of our young priests are working on a series of reflections that begin an exploration of the life and legacy of Saint Ignatius. They will connect the Ignatian legacy with our legacy in 2021. (*To be continued*...)

Faith Stream Ministry

The 10:30am Sunday Mass may continue to be viewed live online (or recorded) here:

Facebook: www.facebook.com/StBonifaceMartyr/ Without Facebook: https://st-boniface-martyrchurch.freeonlinechurch.com/live

Website: www.saintboniface.org (Online Streams)

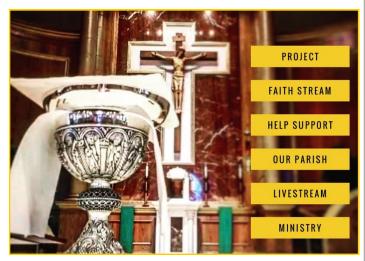
To follow along with the daily readings, go here: https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading

Please consider making a monetary contribution to our *Faith Stream Ministry* to keep providing our livestream masses. We are a volunteer based ministry and appreciate your support and generosity.

The Faith Stream donation link via Faith Direct is: https://membership.faithdirect.net/givenow/

The Diocesan dispensation from mass is still in effect, but a **lifting of the dispensation is anticipated in the near future.** People are encouraged to return to inperson participation in the Holy Mass and Sacraments.

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NY820/23930. If you prefer using a check, please make it out to "St. Boniface Martyr Church" with "Faith Stream" or "Video System" in the memo. **Thank You** for your support of St. Boniface Faith Stream Ministry. If you would like to volunteer to be a part of the Faith Stream Ministry, email **stbonstreaming@gmail.com**.

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Registration: We welcome new members to our parish family. Please contact the parish office.

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Baptism: Last Sunday of the month at 1pm. Please contact the office to arrange an interview and class. Godparents must have received the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation) and live in harmony with the Catholic Church.

Matrimony: Engaged couples are to call the parish office before any other arrangements are made. A minimum of six months is needed.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): A process of formation to become a Catholic. Contact Jane Serpico at stbonRCIA@gmail.com or call 516-676-0676 x130.

Bereavement Support: David Meagher at 516-676-0676 x131.

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