



# 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!*

## Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time: February 27, 2022



### Mass Schedule

8am Mondays-Saturdays. (Rosary after Mass;  
Miraculous Medal Novena Saturdays)  
5pm Saturdays, Sundays: 9am, 10:30am, 12pm

### Confession

Saturdays 4pm-4:45pm

### Church Hours

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

### Parish Office Hours

Mondays-Thursdays: 9am-3pm;  
Fridays: 9am-1:30pm

### Parish Address

145 Glen Ave. Sea Cliff, NY 11579  
Phone: 516-676-0676; Fax: 516-674-6742  
Email: [stbonchurch@gmail.com](mailto:stbonchurch@gmail.com)  
Website: [www.saintboniface.org](http://www.saintboniface.org)  
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### Outreach Pantry & Thrift Shop

Saturdays 10am-1pm. Contacts: Jody Fleischmann  
and David Meagher at 516-676-0676 x125

### St. Vincent de Paul Society

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

## Liturgy Schedule

All masses are in person.

The 8am Monday through Saturday Masses and 10:30am Sunday Masses are also streamed.

To view our streamed masses, see:

[facebook.com/StBonifaceMartyr](https://facebook.com/StBonifaceMartyr)

Or:

[saintboniface.org/streaming](https://saintboniface.org/streaming)

### **Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time: February 27**

*Sirach 27:4-7; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Luke 6:39-45*

**Holy Hour:** 4pm-4:45pm

**5pm Saturday Mass:** Robert Kraupner

**9am Sunday:** Alys Bono

**10:30am Sunday** (also streamed):  
Christy DeBenedittis

**12pm Sunday:** Parishioners

**Catholicism Series:** 2:30pm (*see page 6*)

### **Monday, February 28**

*1 Peter 1:3-9; Mark 10:17-27*

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

### **Tuesday, March 1**

*1 Peter 1:10-16; Mark 10:28-31*

**8am Mass** (also streamed): Joseph Toto

### **Ash Wednesday, March 2**

*Joel 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20—6:2; Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18*

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

**12:15pm Mass:** Rose Zito

**Holy Hour:** 2pm-3pm in the chapel

**4pm Mass:** Mary Toto

**7:30pm Word Service** (not a Mass)

### **Thursday, March 3: St. Katherine Drexel**

*Deuteronomy 30:15-20; Luke 9:22-25*

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

### **First Friday, March 4**

*Isaiah 58:1-9a; Matthew 9:14-15*

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

### **First Saturday, March 5**

*Isaiah 58:9b-14; Luke 5:27-32*

**8am Mass:** (also streamed)

**5pm Vigil Mass:** Baby Jaxson Valasquez Sorto

## Let Us Pray

### **For Our Deceased**

#### **For Our Sick**

Anna Carella

Baby Jaxson Velazquez Sorto

Pat Sederholt

Marie Agosta

Jean McGurn

Margaret Moore Alber

Martha Meneses

Lucia Alonso

John Moran

Luz Correa

Sr. Ellen Boykin

*The Sick List is updated monthly. Please call the Parish Office at 516-676-0676 if you would like your loved one to remain on the list. New requests must be made by a family member through Fr. Kevin.*

#### **For Our Military**

Jake A. Hojnowski, Sailor E-3, US Navy

Christian Pace Laderer, MMN3, US Navy

Second Lieutenant Conor Lynch, US Army

Lieutenant Brian McMenamin

Lieutenant Ian McMenamin

Lieutenant Commander Michael R. Ragusa, US Navy

Colonel Bryan Schiller, Army Reserve

Lieutenant Commander Drew Whitting, US Navy

Major Christina Merrick-Wright

Major Bradley Wright, US Army. 🇺🇸

### **St. Boniface Spotlight**

Thanks to photographs submitted by **Peggy Cullen**, the good works of our fellow parishioners and their ministries have been highlighted over the past several months. The bulletin has featured Boy Scout Troop 195 renovating our Outreach Thrift Shop through an Eagle Scout Project, our Vincentians in their Annual *Walk for the Poor*, our Outreach Pantry creating food baskets for Thanksgiving and Christmas, our Vincentians with our Giving Tree gifts (purchased through your generous gift card donations), and our Altar and Environment Ministers decorating our church for Christmas, (Christmas photos thanks to **Steve Dunn**). This issue highlights our Outreach Ministry again with the *Love Your Neighbor Project*, Girl Scout Troop 58, and a tribute to Rosemary and John Murello. If you would like to recognize a parishioner and/or ministry in the bulletin, please email [stbonbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:stbonbulletin@gmail.com).



## Stewardship

### Month of January Church Collections

Stewardship: \$20,437 (5 weeks)

Maintenance & Repair: \$616

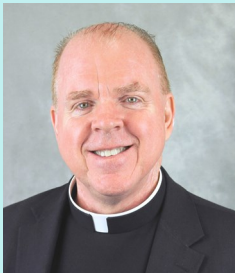
### Month of January Faith Direct Donations

Stewardship: \$16,143 (5 weeks)

Maintenance and Repair: \$948

Solemnity of Mary: \$329

*107 families are participating as of 1/24/22*



Dear Parishioners,

Even as the pandemic continues to bring uncertainty, the new year is filled with hope and promise; we always seek to grow our ministries, explore new ways to share the good news of Christ's love, and reflect His care and

mercy to those in need throughout the community. To continue to make a difference in 2022, St. Boniface Martyr is reaching out to our parishioners. Begin the new year with eGiving to help sustain and build ministries throughout 2022 that reflect the steadfast promise of God's love. The need is great in our community, and your generous online gifts will help people all around us.

We prayerfully request that you consider signing up for eGiving from your computer, smartphone or tablet. You can set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift. Sign up today by visiting [membership.faithdirect.net/NY820](https://membership.faithdirect.net/NY820).

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family. God Bless You!

- Fr. Kevin

### Thank You, Ana!

St. Boniface Martyr Parish wishes **Ana Arellano** a fond farewell and best wishes on her move to Georgia. Ana has graced St. Boniface Martyr Church for many years as Eucharistic Minister, often serving as lector at 8am mass. She was also a member of the Altar and Environment Ministry, decorating our church and altar so beautifully, especially for the Easter and Christmas seasons. God Bless You, Ana. *We will miss you!*



## Ministry Meetings

### Third Sundays: Bereavement Support Group

Meets at 3pm in Room 10 on the first floor of the St. Boniface Martyr school building, 12 Main Avenue, Sea Cliff. The group is facilitated by two experienced grief counselors, Dr. David Meagher and Linda Rose. There are no fees, however PRE-REGISTRATION is required. For information and registration, contact David Meagher at 516-676-0676 x131 or davidkmeagher@gmail.com or lrosecsw@hotmail.com.

### Mondays: Charismatic Prayer Group

Join with fellow parishioners this Lent for a weekly evening of praise, music prayer, and scripture. Zoom sessions are Mondays from 7:30-8:30pm. Call John and Rosemary Murello at 516-676-2767 for details.

### Tuesdays: Women of Faith Book Group

Meets monthly mornings and evenings via zoom. New members welcome! For more information and book selections, contact Pat Fox at pattomfox@gmail.com.

### Third Wednesdays: St. Vincent de Paul Society

Meets monthly at 7:30pm in the church narthex. Call 516-676-0676 x124 for details. **In the Gospel today, Jesus uses images in speaking to his disciples: "Can a blind man act as guide to a blind man? Why look at the speck in your brother's eye when you miss the plank in your own? A good tree does not produce decayed fruit." Donations come to the Society because a good person produces goodness from the good in their heart.**

### Thursdays: Scripture Study

Meets weekly via zoom from 7:30pm-8:30pm. We are studying the Gospel of John. Call John and Rosemary Murello at 516-676-2767 for details.

### Third Saturdays: St. Boniface Men's Group

Meets monthly at 8:30 am in Room 10, in the St. Boniface school building. 2022 is going to be an exciting year for the men in our parish and it is going to take a dedicated TEAM of brothers to make it happen. C'MON FELLAS, IT'S TIME TO GET TO WORK...FOR JESUS. JOIN US! Contact Rich Lucidi at richlucidi40@gmail.com.

### Third Saturdays: Lay Carmelites

Lay Carmelites of Blessed Titus Brandsma meets monthly 9am-12pm in the parish center. Contact Flora at 516-656-9375 or Ann Hunt at 516-676-0330 for more information.

## Ministries with the Murellos

In 2000, at the request of former pastor, Fr. Mike Torpey, Rosemary and John Murello instituted our weekly **Scripture Study Group**. At the request his successor, Fr. Bob Romeo, they began leading our weekly **Charismatic Prayer Group** in 2008. Despite restrictions resulting from the COVID-19 Pandemic, Rosemary and John have continued to lead both ministries every week via zoom!

Rosemary is also a **Eucharistic Minister** and a **Minister of Consolation**, comforting those who have lost a loved one, by officiating at wake services and helping the bereaved select readings and hymns for the funeral mass. Rosemary offers genuine care and concern on behalf of the St. Boniface Martyr parish community, reminding mourners that "love never dies." (1 Corinthians 13:8).

In 2018, our pastor Fr. Kevin Dillon, nominated Rosemary and John for the Diocesan **St. Agnes Medal**, which Bishop Barres bestowed upon them for their extraordinary service and dedication. According to the bishop, "Honorees are lay people whose love of the Church has been shown through the devotion to the Holy Father, to our diocese and to their parish." Rosemary and John are certainly two such lay people, that have built and continue to build up our parish. We are truly blessed to have this spiritual "dynamic duo" among us. Thank you, Rosemary and John, for saying "yes" to sharing your gifts and ministering to us! -jb



## Love God, Love Your Neighbor

Dear Anders,

My Loving-Kindness  
Wish for you:

- may you be safe
  - may you be healthy
  - may you live with ease and happiness
- And all the days of your life
- I hope you enjoy the gift and continue to explore, be curious and Always have a love for learning.
- Love,  
Someone who cares

**"Whatever you did for the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for Me." - MATTHEW 25:4**

In Father Kevin's homily on Sunday, February 13, he reminded us that we are all called to be a "blessing for others."

The St. Boniface Martyr Parish Outreach would like to thank the volunteers of the **"Love Your Neighbor Project"** [LYNP], for their generous gifts to 15 of our Outreach families. Each gift was beautifully wrapped and had a handmade card and note made by the children of the volunteers. To the left is one of the notes written to a neighbor in need. LYNP is a grassroots non-profit agency that serves our local community with resources, services and opportunities for neighbors in need.

**Girl Scout Troop #58** also conducted a food drive on a snowy day and collected food, toiletries and \$406.81 for our Outreach Food Pantry. All of these volunteers are true blessings to our Parish and we sincerely thank them for their compassionate caring.

- Peggy Cullen





Above: Jody Fleischmann, St. Boniface Outreach Coordinator, and Jaime Teich, Founder and Chief Neighbor for "Love Your Neighbor Project." Below: Girl Scout Troop #58's food drive for St. Boniface Outreach Pantry.

*Photos by Peggy Cullen.*





# Lent, Holy Week and Easter

## Ash Wednesday: March 2

Masses: 8am, 12:15pm, 4pm;  
Word Service - 7:30pm  
(the Word Service is not a Mass)

## Stations of the Cross: Fridays at 6:30pm

March 4, 11, 18, 25; April 8

## Confessions: Saturdays at 4pm

March 5, 12, 19, 26; April 2, 9  
(not April 16)

## Journey, Cross & Crucifixion: April 1 at 8pm

## Palm Sunday: April 9

Masses: Saturday 5pm;  
Sunday: 9am, 10:30am, 12pm

## Reconciliation Monday: April 11

Diocesan Day of Reconciliation; Individual Confessions  
from 2pm to 4pm and from 6pm to 9pm.  
No Confessions between 4pm and 6pm.

## Spy Wednesday: April 13 at 4pm

Stations of the Cross for Children

## Holy Thursday: April 14

9am Morning Prayer  
7:30pm Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper  
Adoration at Repository  
Concludes with 10:30pm Night Prayer

## Good Friday: April 15

9am Morning Prayer  
3pm Solemn Commemoration of the Lord's Passion  
Private veneration concluding with 7pm Night Prayer

## Holy Saturday: April 16

9am Morning Prayer  
12pm Blessing of the Food  
NO CONFESSIONS on HOLY SATURDAY  
7:30pm Easter Vigil

## EASTER SUNDAY: April 17

9am, 10:30am, 12pm

*\* Stay tuned for details and updates in the bulletin,  
website and Sunday Mass announcements.*

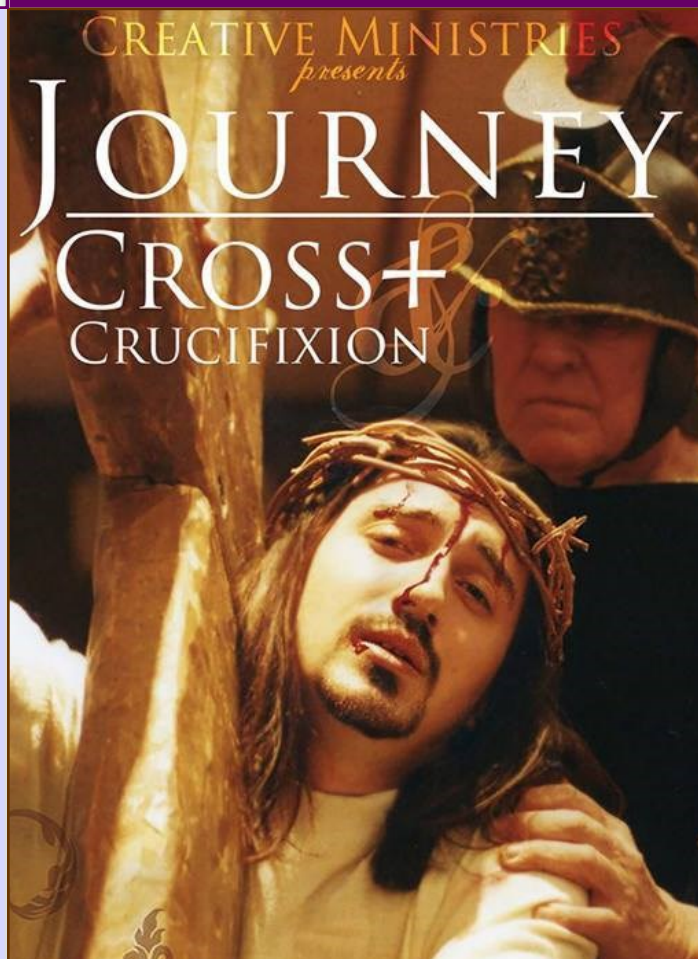


Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence from meat for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

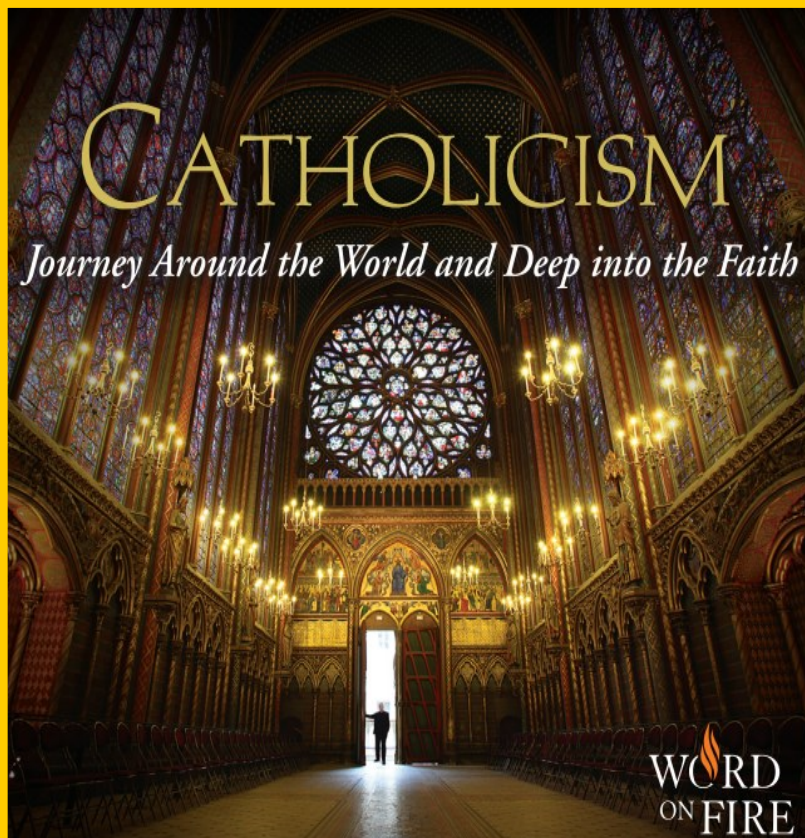
The norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members from age 14 onwards.

—USCCB



**The Journey, Cross & Crucifixion**  
is a live dramatic presentation of the Stations of the Cross. Join us in the Church on Friday, April 1 at 8pm as we experience the trial of Jesus, His journey through the streets of Jerusalem, and final moments on the cross.



**Deacon Tom** is the moderator of the presentation of this acclaimed series by author, speaker and theologian, Bishop Robert Barron. It is a stimulating and compelling exploration of the spiritual, moral and intellectual treasures of our Catholic Faith presented in a clear and understandable manner, using locations, scripture, art and literature.

We will watch a 55-minute episode on Sunday afternoons followed by a short discussion. It will be a nice way to reconnect with our Catholic Faith after the pandemic. Come to any of the ten sessions, which will be held in the Church so people may spread out and feel more comfortable. Teens and adults are invited to join us on Sundays from 2:30pm to 4pm in the church.

**Next presentation: March 6.**

Episode 9: *The Fire of His Love.*

Last Episode: March 13.

## Parish Information

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**Director of Religious Education (DRE):** Karen Croce  
516-671-0418 or email [stbonccd@gmail.com](mailto:stbonccd@gmail.com).

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

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

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**Baptism:** Fourth 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):** Interested in becoming a Catholic? Need to receive Communion or Confirmation? Contact Jane Serpico at [stbonRCIA@gmail.com](mailto:stbonRCIA@gmail.com) or call 516-676-0676 x130.

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