



# St. Boniface Martyr Roman Catholic Church

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and surrounding communities.

Reverend Kevin J. Dillon, Pastor

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

*Join us!*

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time: February 6, 2022**

## Mass Schedule

8am Mondays  
through Saturdays  
(Rosary after Mass)  
5pm Vigil 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 through  
Thursdays: 9am - 3pm;  
Fridays: 9am - 1:30pm

## Parish Address

145 Glen Ave. Sea Cliff, NY 11579  
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## Outreach Pantry

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

## St. Vincent de Paul Society

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



The Governor of New York State has included houses of worship in her recent directives. Therefore, since the Church does not require parishioners to present proof of vaccination in order to worship God, we ask that all parishioners (two years of age and older) comply with the requirement to wear masks when participating in any activities on parish grounds. **This State requirement is currently extended through February 10, 2022.** We will continue to adapt accordingly as new information becomes available.

## Liturgy Schedule

All masses are in person. The 8am and the 10:30am Sunday Masses are also streamed. Please see page 7.

### Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time: February 6

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11

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

**5pm Saturday:** For the use by the Holy Trinity by their disposal through the Immaculate Heart of Mary  
**9am Sunday**

**10:30am Sunday** (also streamed): Bill Rogers, Catherine Finnucane

**12pm Sunday:** Parishioners

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

### Monday, February 7

1 Kings 8:1-7, 9-13; Mark 6:53-56

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

### Tuesday, February 8: St. Josephine Bakhita

1 Kings 8:22-23, 27-30; Mark 7:1-13

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

### Wednesday, February 9

1 Kings 10:1-10; Mark 7:14-23

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

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

### Thursday, February 10: St. Scholastica

1 Kings 11:4-13; Mark 7:24-30

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

### Friday, February 11: Our Lady of Lourdes

1 Kings 11:29-32; 12:19; Mark 7:31-37

**8am Mass** (also streamed)

### Saturday, February 12: Blessed Virgin Mary

1 Kings 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Mark 8:1-10

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

**5pm Vigil Mass**

## Let Us Pray

### For Our Deceased

John DiStefano and John Jablonski

### For Our Sick

Jean McGurn

Margaret Moore Alber

Martha Meneses

Lucia Alonso

John Moran

Luz Correa

Sr. Ellen Boykin

Cathy Baka

Hilda Malone

Dianne Niper

Thomas Niper

The Sick List will be updated monthly. If you would like your loved one to remain on the prayer list, please call the Parish Office at 516-676-0676. 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

Colonel Bryan Schiller, Army Reserve

Lieutenant Commander Drew Whitting, US Navy

Major Christina Merrick-Wright

Major Bradley Wright, US Army. 🇺🇸

### Exposition, Adoration and Holy Hour

Adoration is the practice of placing the consecrated host in a Monstrance to pray before the Lord. During Holy Hour there may be silence with communal songs, prayers, or readings. Parishioners have two opportunities each week to spend time in Adoration:

**Saturdays 4-4:45pm:** Silent Adoration in church

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

## Stewardship

### Month of December Church Collections

Stewardship: \$17,656 (4 weeks)

Maintenance & Repair: \$930

Christmas: \$15,870

Religious Retirement Fund (DRVC): \$1063

*Next week's second collection will be for our*

**Parish Maintenance and Repair Fund.**

### Month of January Faith Direct Donations

Stewardship: \$16,143 (5 weeks)

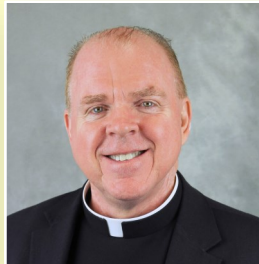
Maintenance and Repair: \$948

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 vital 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 <https://membership.faithdirect.net/NY820>. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family. God Bless You! - Fr. Kevin



### Planned Giving

Put your life-long, hard earned assets to work for the Lord. A gift -- a planned sacrificial gift to the Lord acknowledges that we are simply stewards of all which God has given us. We are managers of His blessings upon us. Just as we sacrificially give as good stewards throughout our lives we give our final gift at the end of our lives here on earth. By endowing your gift, your gift does not stop when you die. As you enter eternal life so too does your gift.

## 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, But 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

Looking for a deeper relationship with God? You are invited to be touched by God's love in a weekly evening of praise, prayer, music and scripture. We meet via zoom 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. Next meeting February 8. 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 via zoom. Call 516-676-0676 x124 for details. **The disciples decided to leave everything to follow Jesus. We are also called to follow Jesus, who tells us that "whatever you do to the least of mine, you do for me."** Your gift to those in need can bring the love and peace of Jesus to those who live in fear and doubt, loneliness and dread.

### Thursdays: Scripture Study

We meet 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

Meetings are 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 at 9am-12pm in the parish center. Contact Flora at 516-656-9375 or Ann Hunt at 516-676-0330 for more information.



**SVDPLI presents...**  
**2022**  
**Communion Closet**  
 Distribution of  
 Communion Dresses & Suits\* Event



**DATES**

Tuesday, 2/22 - Saturday, 2/26

10 am - 3 pm DAILY

*Evening Hours:*

5 pm - 8 pm (2/23 & 2/24 ONLY)

**APPOINTMENT REQUIRED**

\*SIZES NOT GUARANTEED



**COVID NOTICE**

**Only ONE adult will be allowed entry per participating child.**

*Masks and social distancing protocols will be enforced.*

***First Holy Communion is such a significant occasion in the lives of young Catholic families! Help neighbors in need make this sacrament extra-special for their child!***

Families who are referred by Conferences or collaborating Directors of Religious Education should register for an appointment before Feb 4<sup>th</sup> at

<https://form.jotform.com/212974219915059> or by calling (516) 822-3132.

**RAFFLES, GIFTS,  
COMMENDATION  
CARDS!**

For more information on the details of this distribution event, please contact Monique Love at (516) 822-3132.



# Take Five for Faith

## Sunday, February 6, 2022

Today is the National Day of Prayer for the African American Family. It recalls Pope Francis' encouragement of a family feeling among us all: "We need a community that supports and helps us, in which we can help one another to keep looking ahead. How important it is to dream together . . . Let us dream, then, as a single human family, as fellow travellers sharing the same flesh" (Fratelli Tutti, 8). Pray for unity in families, society, and church.

## Monday, February 7

Most of us probably thought (and hoped and prayed) the pandemic would be over by now, but COVID-19 is sticking around in 2022. As weary as we all are of it, we need each other as much as ever for support. Look no further than the corporal and spiritual works of mercy for guidance on helping others in ways that are safe and particularly useful right now. Visit the sick—if not literally, by grocery shopping or cooking for someone ill, or by reaching out to exhausted healthcare workers you know. Need tips on the other works specific to our times? Visit the Catholic bishops' resource page, "The Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy During the COVID-19 Pandemic."

## Tuesday, February 8: St. Josephine Bakhita

Each year, the International Day of Prayer and Awareness against Human Trafficking falls on this day—the feast day of Saint Josephine Bakhita, F.D.C.C. In 1877, while still a young girl, Bakhita was kidnapped from her Sudanese village and sold—many times over—as a slave. She was brutalized for 12 years, her body a bundle of scars from being whipped and tortured. But human trafficking isn't just a problem from long ago, happening only in faraway places. Today, the United States remains one of the world's top three trafficked nations. Pray for—and learn more about—trafficking victims by visiting [sistersagainsttrafficking.org](https://sistersagainsttrafficking.org).

## Wednesday, February 9

In our daily lives as Catholics, it's easy to forget that we are members of a big church. Most of us are members of the Latin Church, which is the largest of the two dozen churches that make up the Catholic Church. The other 23 are Eastern churches. They use different liturgies, and some were established during the earliest times in church history. The Ethiopian Catholic Church, for example, uses the ancient Ge'ez liturgy—one of the oldest in existence—and can be traced back to the missionary work of Saint Mark the Apostle. Today, remember that the Catholic Church is truly universal!

## Thursday, February 10: St. Scholastica

The truth behind the tradition continues. Tradition says that Scholastica, today's saint, had significant influence on her twin, Saint Benedict of Nursia, who codified the monastic way of life with his famous Rule. The lack of documentation on Scholastica's life is curious, given her centrality in shaping Benedictine life. There are written accounts of her, but they are sparse. While the historical record is lean, clearly Benedictine women, of whom Scholastica is said to be the first, have achieved spiritual greatness, scholarship, and leadership in their own right over the centuries and illuminated the faith for all of us.

## Friday, February 11: Our Lady of Lourdes

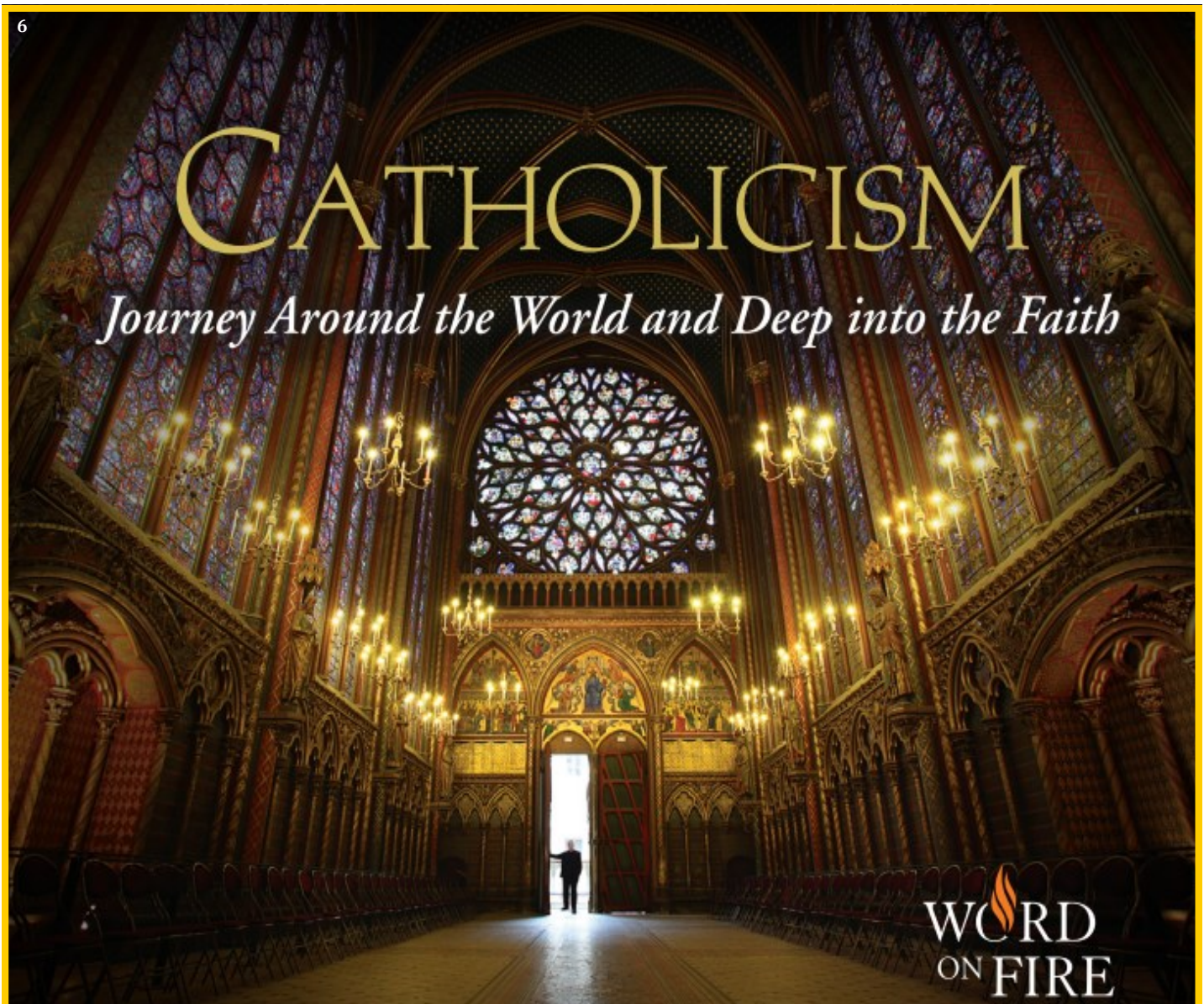
During the COVID-19 pandemic, many people have suffered from a sense of isolation and alienation, this despite the myriad forms of modern communication from calls, to Zoom, to social media posts. Nothing is quite the same as the up close and personal—a handshake, a pat on the back, an embrace, or a kiss. Indeed, as many physicians, spiritual healers, and wisdom figures will tell you, humans not only need physical touch but it has healing benefits. Jesus puts a finger in a man's ear and rubs his own saliva into the man's mouth to cure him. Through his touch, Jesus gives part of himself to others. Perhaps that is the secret to all healing. Each of us giving of ourselves to help others. Pray to Our Lady of Lourdes for the opportunity to provide a healing touch to someone in need.

## Saturday, February 12: Blessed Virgin Mary

From ancient times, the number seven was seen as the number of spirituality, perhaps because of the "seven moving luminaries" visible to the naked eye (the Sun and Moon, Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter, and Saturn). There are many examples of the use of the number seven in both Testaments, from the seven days of creation in Genesis to the seven churches of Revelation. Catholicism celebrates seven sacraments, identifies seven deadly sins and seven virtues, seven gifts of the Holy Spirit, and seven corporal and spiritual works of mercy. Today, the seventh day of the week, is a good day to reflect on the seven sorrows and seven joys of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

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**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 (at 2:30pm), followed by a short discussion. It will be a nice way to reconnect with our Catholic Faith after the pandemic.

Come to any or all 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.

**Next presentation: February 6** at 2:30pm in the church.

Episode 6: *A Body both Suffering and Glorious*

Future Episodes: February 13, 27; March 6, 13.

# St. Boniface Martyr Faith Stream Ministry

Please see page 2 of this bulletin for our Mass Schedule.

All Masses are in person.

In addition, the 8am Masses and the 10:30am Sunday Masses are also streamed as well as in person.

Streamed Masses may be viewed live online (or recorded) via these two links:

With Facebook:

[www.facebook.com/StBonifaceMartyr/](http://www.facebook.com/StBonifaceMartyr/)

Without Facebook:

<https://www.saintboniface.org/streaming/>

*Please note: live streams of our Parish Masses are no longer available on FreeOnlineChurch.com.*

The Faith Stream Ministry is also able to stream other special liturgies. Families may arrange for the streaming of weddings, funerals by emailing [stbonstreaming@gmail.com](mailto:stbonstreaming@gmail.com).



## Parish Information

**Pastor:** Rev. Kevin J. Dillon; [stbonpastor@gmail.com](mailto:stbonpastor@gmail.com)

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**Director of Music & Liturgy:** Jeffrey Schneider;  
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**Office Administration:** Karen Croce: Mondays,  
Thursdays, Fridays; Joan Schiller: Tuesdays, Wednesdays

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

**CYO:** Call Kevin Kelly at 516-676-0676 x 122.

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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.

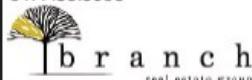
**Bereavement Support:** David Meagher  
at 516-676-0676 x131.

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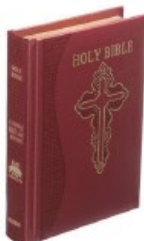
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