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February 5, 2023

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 9am and 4pm
Sunday: 8am and 10:30am
Mondays through Fridays: 8am

Holy Day Mass Schedule

Eve: 4pm; Day: 8am, 7pm

Confession

Saturdays 3pm-3:45pm

Holy Hour

3pm Saturdays (Church)
2pm Wednesdays (Chapel)

Rosary after 8am Mass

Miraculous Medal Novena

after 9am Saturday Mass

Church Hours

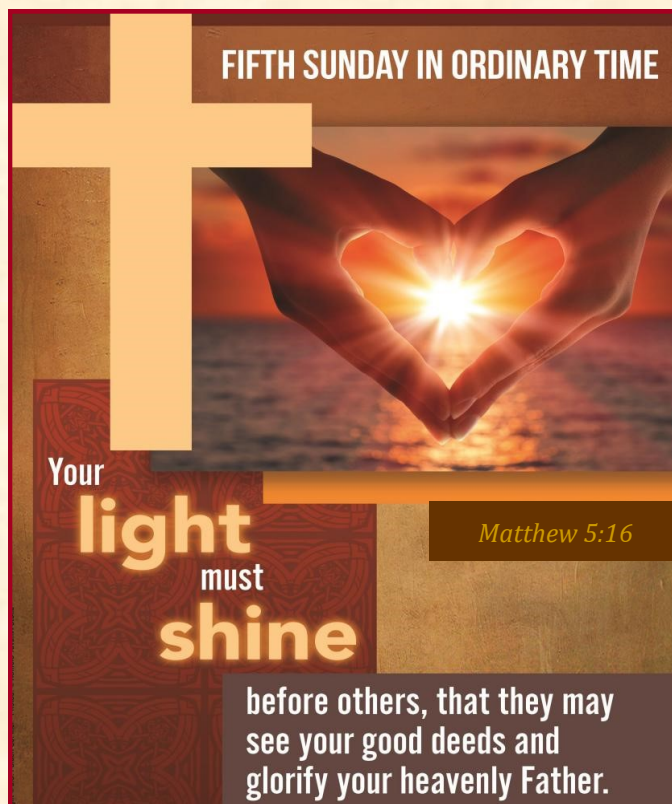
Mondays through Fridays: 8am-2:30pm;
Saturdays: 9am-5pm; Sundays: 8am-12pm

Parish Office Hours

Tuesdays - Thursdays: 9am-3pm;
Closed Mondays and Fridays

Parish Contact Information

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516-676-0676; stbonchurch@gmail.com
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

Online Calendar

Our parish online calendar is now available to the public! The link is on our website:

www.saintboniface.org

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday, February 4

3pm Holy Hour

4pm Mass: William Gill

Sunday, February 5

Is 58:7-10; Ps 112:4-9; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Jn 8:12; Mt 5:13-16

8am Mass

10:30am Mass: Dominic, Frances & Donna Stanco

Monday, February 6

Memorial St. Paul Miki & Companions

Gen 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-35; Matt 4:23; Mk 6:53-56

8am Mass

Tuesday, February 7

Gen 1:20-2:4; Ps 8:4-9; Ps 119:36, 29; Mark 7:1-13

8am Mass

Wednesday, February 8

Gen 2:4-17; Ps 104:1-30; John 17:17; Mark 7:14-23

8am Mass: Veronica Hoffman

Holy Hour: 2pm (in the Chapel)

Thursday, February 9

Gen 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; James 1:21; Mark 7:24-30

8am Mass

Friday, February 10

Memorial of St. Scholastica

Gen 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-7; Acts 16:14; Mark 7:31-37

8am Mass

Saturday, February 11

Gen 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-13; Matt 4:4; Mark 8:1-10

9am Mass: Albert Talamo

Let Us Pray

For Our Deceased

William Bell, Lorraine Camenzuli, Margaret Evans, Frances Regan

For Our Sick

Patrick Baca

Names will remain on the list for six weeks. Please call 516-676-0676 x128 or email stbonbulletin@gmail.com if you would like your listing continued. New requests must be made by an immediate family member.

If you know someone who is homebound and would like to have someone bring them Holy Communion, please call Jovanna Lemonda at 516-676-0676 x124.

For Our Military

Captain Nicholas Cavallone USAF

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

Christian Pace Laderer, MMN3, US Navy

First Lieutenant Conor Lynch, US Army

Lieutenant Commander Michael R. Ragusa, US Navy

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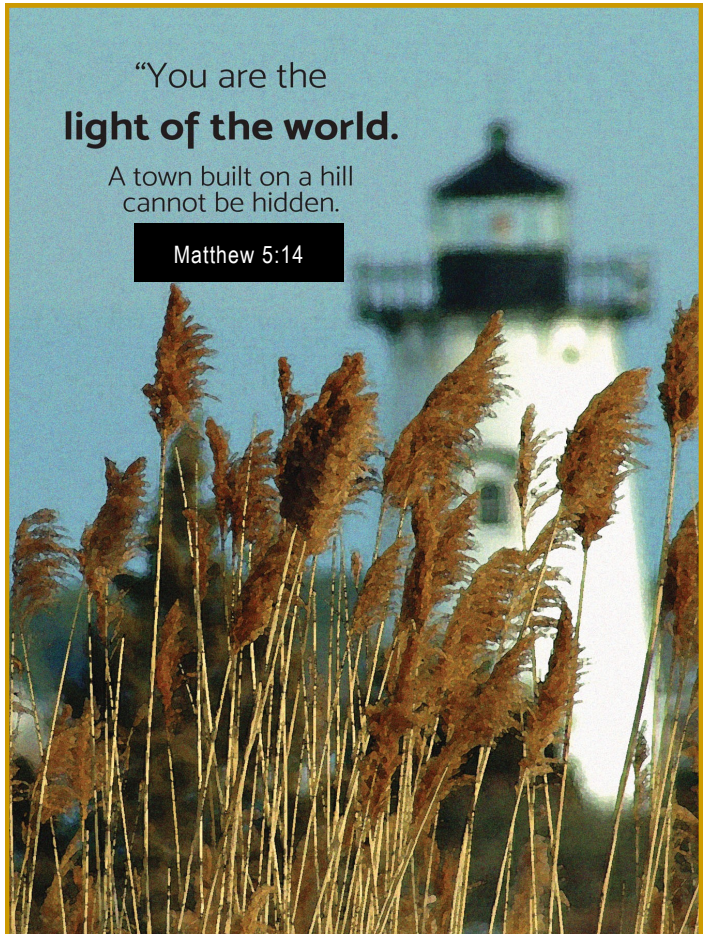
Major Christina Merrick-Wright

Major Bradley Wright, US Army. ✝

"You are the
light of the world.

A town built on a hill
cannot be hidden.

Matthew 5:14



Events this Week

Sunday, February 5

Monday, February 6

7:30pm Charismatic Prayer Zoom

Tuesday, February 7

4pm Religious Education Classes

7pm Women of Faith Book Group

Wednesday, February 8

10am Women of Faith Book Group

2pm Holy Hour in the Chapel

4pm Religious Education Classes

7pm Religious Education Classes

Thursday, February 9

7pm Event Committee Meeting

7:30pm Scripture Study Zoom

Friday, February 10

Saturday, February 11

Wanted: Cereal & Milk The St. Boniface Food Pantry

is in dire need of breakfast cereal and shelf stable milk. Food banks are unable to provide us with cereal at this time. Food donations may be bought to Sunday Mass or the food pantry on Saturdays from 10am to 1pm.



Outreach Thrift Shop

Visit our parish thrift shop Saturday from 10am to 1pm for great bargains from clothing to housewares for the whole family! All proceeds benefit our pantry.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In the Gospel today, Jesus says, "You are the light of the world," he is calling us to live our Christian vocation in words and deeds. Be a "light" to those living in need and in a world of darkness by giving a donation to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

The St. Boniface St. Vincent de Paul Society meets the third Wednesdays of the month at 7:30pm in the parish center. Please call Jovanna Lemonda at 516-676-0676 x124 to learn how you can help.

Ministry Meetings

Third Sundays: Bereavement Support Group

Meets monthly at 3pm in Room 10, first floor of the St. Boniface school building, 12 Main Ave., Sea Cliff. The group is facilitated by two experienced grief counselors, Dr. David Meagher and Linda Rose. No fee PRE-REGISTRATION is required. For details and registration, contact David Meagher at davidmeagher@gmail.com, 516-676-0676 x131 or lrosecsw@hotmail.com.

Mondays: Charismatic Prayer Group

Zooms weekly at 7:30pm for a power hour of praise, prayer, music and Scripture. Call John and Rosemary Murello for more information at 516-676-2767.

Tuesdays: Women of Faith Book Group

Meets monthly mornings and evenings in person and via zoom. New members welcome! For details about meeting time, location and book selections, please contact Pat at pattomfox@gmail.com.

Thursdays: Knitting Circle

Note: No Knitting Circle February 9th & 16th.

Meets weekly at 7pm in the parish center. Experienced knitters and beginners welcome. Join us! For information, contact Nancy Furlong at 516-759-5869 or brknit@optonline.net.

Thursdays: Scripture Study

Zooms weekly from 7:30pm-8:30pm to deepen and share our appreciation of the Word of God. We are studying the Book of Hebrews. Call John and Rosemary Murello at 516-676-2767 for details.

Last Thursdays: Men's Ministry

Now meets the **LAST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH**, at 6:30pm in **ROOM 11** on the first floor of the St. Boniface school building. If a holiday falls on that day, we will meet the following Thursday. Please contact Rich Lucidi if you are coming to any meeting at richlucidi40@gmail.com. **NEXT MEETING: FEBRUARY 23. Hope to see you there!**

Third Saturdays: Third Order Lay Carmelites

Meets monthly 10am-12pm in the parish center. Lay Carmelites of St. Titus Brandsma seek God's will and presence in the ordinary circumstances of life in solidarity with others. Call Flora at 516-656-9375 or Ann Hunt at 516-676-0330 to learn more about this ministry.



- ♦ Catholic Charities and Parish Outreach programs provided 1.2 million face-to-face services to 36,331 neighbors.
- ♦ On Saturday, June 18, 2022 the Most Reverend John O. Barres ordained three men to the priesthood for the Diocese of Rockville Centre.
- ♦ Our Office of Human Life, Family and Bioethics (Respect Life), began a monthly Rosary for Life in addition to maintaining their ongoing Respect Life initiatives that build a civilization of love and life which upholds the dignity and inviolability of all innocent human life.
- ♦ Holy Hours for Vocations are being celebrated throughout the year. Young people of the diocese, and those who desire to draw near to Our Lord in the Eucharist come together to pray, give praise and honor in Adoration. They pray for the intention of opening hearts to hear the call of Our Lord to consider vocations to the holy priesthood of Jesus Christ and religious life.
- ♦ Camp Quo Vadis celebrated its 6th year. Campers at Quo Vadis experience faith in an uplifting atmosphere that instills tools for them to become disciples in the Catholic Church. Young women, religious, young priests, seminarians and campers experience a culture of encounter and are challenged to holiness and mission.

Rosary for Life

Join the Office of Human Life, Family & Bioethics in prayer

Every Friday - 3:00 PM

Via Zoom

Click here for link

Meeting ID: 856 4708 7922

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Call In #: 1 (646) 876-9923

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Greetings & Gratitude from Fort Jackson

May the love and grace of God be with you all. Amen. It is with great joy, love and gratitude that I write you, my beloved family of St. Boniface.



I wish to let you know officially that on the 19th of January, I arrived at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, safely and I was sworn in as a Captain of the US Army on that same day.

I have started my training, which I am enjoying. And because of that I could not write you immediately because the program is tight, tedious, challenging and all engaging. I had to squeeze time out today to write and express my gratitude to you for the time and love we shared together.

Your love for me was so evident in your massive turnout for my farewell mass. You were so kind and so generous with your time and your gifts. I cannot thank you enough. May God, who knows how to reward good deeds, repays you in abundance. Amen.

Just know that my heart is always with you all. I am eternally connected with you and will always keep you in my heart and prayers. I also solicit for your prayers. I love you all, and I miss you greatly.

Yours in Christ and Mary,
Fr. (Cpt.) Azubuike Igwegbe

Jubilee Corner



Fr. Mike Torpey, Pastor (1989-2007)
and Sr. Kathleen Murphy, OP, Pastoral Associate (1995-1998).

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Friday, February 10th
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Father Daniel Griffin, SM

Reflection by

Brother Stephen Balletta, SM



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The Society of Mary is a religious congregation of brothers and priests who seek to grow in holiness as sons of Mary and to serve the Church as brothers in Christ. The Province of Meribah runs three retreat centers, two high schools on Long Island— Chaminade High School and Kellenberg Memorial High School — and St. Martin de Porres Marianist School (pre-K—8th grade). Following in the footsteps of their Founder, Blessed William Joseph Chaminade, they aim to nurture in students an informed and vibrant faith.

Reflections on the Readings

"Let your

*Light
Shine*

before others,
that they may
see your good
deeds and glorify
your Father
in heaven."



Matthew 5:16

The Light of Charity

If you do good things for others, good things will be done for you. That simple promise comes from Isaiah's prophecy. Feed the hungry. Shelter the homeless. Clothe the naked. Then your wound will be healed.

Isaiah addresses people being freed from their oppression. He tells them to be mindful of the needy. Several weeks ago, we heard him promise that those who had dwelled in darkness would see a great light. Now he says that light is coming from a specific location. It will come from within. As God's chosen people, their light will shine. But they should not just sit and wait for it. Their light will shine when they act in kindness.

Food, shelter, and clothing are basic human needs. Without them, people cannot live. Isaiah expects that those who have will share with those who have not. If we do not, the world cannot live at peace.

Many parishes offer practical opportunities for this kind of charity. They support a food pantry. They collect clothing. They repair homes and help the needy pay their bills. God may be calling you to perform a very specific action to help someone overcome a very basic need. Let your light shine.

The Right Words

It is hard to say the right thing at the right time. Some people seem to have a gift for words. They know what to say to comfort, challenge, or inspire others. Others of us say things without thinking, words we later regret. Often we just cannot think of the argument we would like to make when someone else is speaking. We think it up later. When we have the opportunity to speak, we might feel frustrated or inadequate. We might wish someone else would speak instead.

But words are not everything. People also learn from us by our actions. Sometimes our care and concern is written on our faces or communicated in gestures of kindness. God can use us, even when we cannot find words.

St. Paul wrote to the Corinthians, "My message and my proclamation were not with persuasive words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of Spirit and power."

Paul did not rely on public speaking technique. He spoke about his experience of God, and the power of the Spirit came through his words with a conviction that impressed his hearers.

If we get into situations where we do not know what to say, we may want to ask God for help before we speak. When we open our mouths, the Spirit of God can work, using our own experience and conviction in ways that words alone could not do.

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*Let your speech
always be gracious,
SEASONED WITH SALT,
so that you may know
how you ought to
answer everyone.*



COLOSSIANS 4:6, NRSV

Monthly Donations

December

Stewardship - \$32,569
Maintenance and Repair - \$2,017
Immaculate Conception - \$1,357
Religious Retirement Fund (DRVC) - \$1,734
Christmas - \$30,765

Faith Direct

Signing up for e-giving is easy. You can set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift. Visit Faith.Direct/NY820.

Holy Family Corner

This is a space for our young families to come and collect books to bring back to their pews to keep the kiddoes engaged during Mass. You may spend a few minutes here with your child to "cool down", do a coloring page or read a book.

Please DO NOT bring crayons back into the church or pews. Your children should never be left here unattended.

We want you to be comfortable back here, but please remember, voices carry.

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

Parish Trustees: Donna Calamis, Vincent Agosta

Pastoral Council Members: Vincent Agosta, Kevin Burke, Julie Byrne, Donna Calamis, John Canning, Karen Croce, Jody Fleischmann, Joseph Giordano, Noel Griffin, Kevin Kelly, Maryellen Kerr, Eileen Krieb, Jovanna Lemonda, Rich Lucidi, Robert Lynch, Carolyn Rassiger, Bill Schiller, Jeff Schneider, Jane Serpico, Frank Sujecki, Christine Whited

Baptism: Fourth Sunday of the month at 11:30am. 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): Are you or someone you know curious about the Catholic faith? We welcome those who are not baptized, those baptized in another Christian tradition and those baptized Catholics who have not received First Communion and/or Confirmation to join our inquiry class. Contact Jane Serpico at 676-0676 x130 or stbonRCIA@gmail.com for details.

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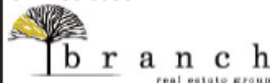
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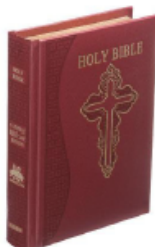
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