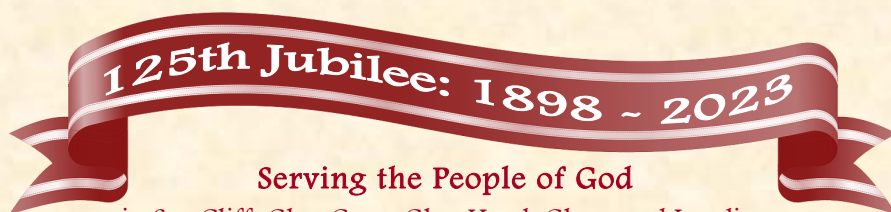


# Church of St. Boniface Martyr



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

The Very Reverend Dom Josef Norys, Can. Reg., Pastor

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

## Second Sunday of Lent: March 5, 2023

### Mass Schedule

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

### Holy Day Mass Schedule

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

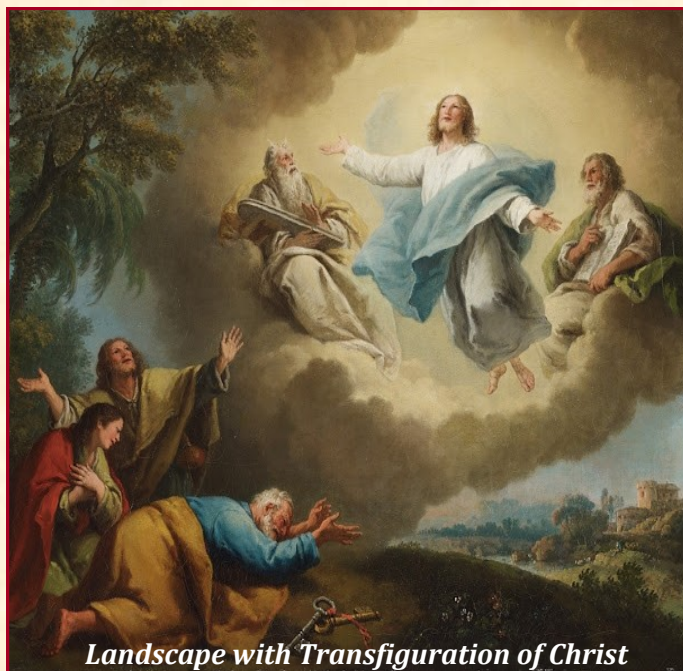
Mondays through Fridays: 8am-2:30pm;  
Saturdays: 9am-5pm; Sundays: 8am-12pm

### Parish Office Hours

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

### Parish Contact Information

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516-676-0676; stbonchurch@gmail.com  
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www.facebook.com/StBonifaceMartyr/



*Landscape with Transfiguration of Christ*

*Landschaft mit Verklärung Christ;  
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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](http://www.saintboniface.org)

# Liturgy Schedule

## Saturday, March 4

**3pm-3:45pm Confession**

**3pm Holy Hour**

**4pm Mass:** William Gill, Lina Martin

*Gen 12:1-4 ; Ps 33:4-22; 2 Tim 1:8-10; Matt 17:1-9*

## Sunday, March 5

**8am Mass**

**10:30am Mass:** Tom & Ann Gilhooly

## Monday, March 6

*Dan 9:4-10; Ps 78:8-13; Luke 6:36-38*

**8am Mass**

## Tuesday, March 7

**8am Mass**

*Isa 1:10-20; Ps 50:8-23; Matt 23:1-12*

## Wednesday, March 8

*Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-16; Matt 20:17-28*

**8am Mass:** Sally Ann Clancy

**2pm Holy Hour** in the Chapel

## Thursday, March 9

*Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-6; Luke 16:19-31*

**8am Mass**

## Friday, March 10

*Gen 37:3-28; Ps 105:16-21; Matt 21:33-46*

**8am Mass**

**7pm Stations** followed by Soup Supper

## Saturday, March 11

*Mic 7:14-20; Ps 103:1-12; Luke 15:1-32*

**9am Mass**



# Let Us Pray

## For Our Deceased

## For Our Sick

Patrick Baca

*Names will remain on the list for six weeks. Please email [stbonbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:stbonbulletin@gmail.com) or call 516-676-0676 x128 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

Lieutenant Commander Melissa Buffa, US Navy

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

Colonel Bryan Schiller, Army Reserve

Lieutenant Commander Drew Whitting, US Navy

Major Christina Merrick-Wright

Major Bradley Wright, US Army. ✪



## SVDPLI presents 2023 Communion Closet Distribution of Communion Dresses Event

### Dates

#### SUFFOLK COUNTY

Saturday, March 11th - 9am - 5pm

#### NASSAU COUNTY

Thursday, March 30th - 2pm - 7pm

Saturday, April 1st - 9am - 5pm

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 **March 6th (Suffolk County)** OR before **March 27th (Nassau County)** at <https://svdpli.org/communion-closet/> or by calling (516) 822-3132.*



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COMMENDATION CARDS!



## Events this Week

### Sunday, March 5

9am Handbell Rehearsal

### Monday, March 6

7:30pm Charismatic Prayer Zoom

### Tuesday, March 7

4pm Religious Education Classes

7pm Women of Faith Book Group

### Wednesday, March 8

10am Women of Faith Book Group

4pm Religious Education Classes

7pm Religious Education Classes

### Thursday, March 9

7pm Knitting Circle

7:30pm Scripture Study Zoom

### Friday, March 10

7pm Stations of the Cross followed by Soup Supper

### Soups On!

*Thank You, from the  
St. Boniface Food Pantry!*

Your response to our request for cereal was amazing and most appreciated! We are now in need of cans of ready-to-eat soup (not condensed), and shelf stable milk. Food donations may be brought to Sunday Mass or the food pantry in the parish center on Saturdays from 10am - 1pm.



### Outreach Thrift Shop

Visit our parish thrift shop in the parish center on Saturday from 10am to 1pm for great bargains from housewares to clothing for the whole family!

### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In the Gospel Jesus is transfigured and a voice from heaven said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased: Listen to him." Do we listen to Jesus when he asks us to take care of our brothers and sisters in need? Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Box will help them celebrate the grace of God's love.

### The St. Boniface St. Vincent de Paul Society

meets the third Wednesdays of the month at 7:30pm in the school building. 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 11**, 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

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: MARCH 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.

## Lent, Holy Week, Easter

### **FAST and ABSTINENCE during LENT**

**Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence for Catholics.** The norms for abstinence from meat are binding from age 14 onwards.

Good Friday is an obligatory day of fasting and 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.

—USCCB

### **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**7pm Fridays** in church

### **SOUP SUPPER**

**After Friday Stations** in the Parish Center (not Good Friday)

### **PALM SUNDAY: April 1-2**

**4pm** Mass Saturday

### **NO 8am MASS SUNDAY**

**10am** Mass Sunday with Blessing of Palms and Procession.

Easter Egg Hunt after 10am Mass

### **RECONCILIATION MONDAY: April 3**

**2pm-4pm** and **6pm-9pm** Confessions

### **SPY WEDNESDAY: April 5**

**4pm** Stations of the Cross for Children

### **HOLY THURSDAY: April 6**

**9am** Morning Prayer

**7pm** Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper

Adoration at Altar of Repose until 10pm

**10pm** Night Prayer and Conclusion

### **GOOD FRIDAY: April 7**

**9am** Morning Prayer

**3pm** Commemoration of the Lord's Passion

**7pm** Stations of the Cross

### **HOLY SATURDAY: April 8**

**9am** Morning Prayer

**12pm** Blessing of Food

NO Confessions —NO 4pm Mass

**8pm** Easter Vigil

### **EASTER SUNDAY: April 9**

**8am** Mass

**10:30am** Mass

## Jubilee Corner

Although small in stature, Josie has a big heart and lots of energy, which she has generously devoted to St. Boniface Martyr Parish for over two decades!

Many parishioners know Josie Harte for her Sunday morning commitment to hospitality and her assistance with refreshments at many parish functions and celebrations.

Josie came to Sea Cliff from County Cavan, Ireland, in 1986 to serve as a nanny for a local family's two sons. She became familiar with St. Boniface Martyr Church when walking the boys to Church and Religious Education. After the boys were grown, Josie began volunteering at St. Boniface Martyr Parish.

In addition to hospitality, Josie took care of the altar linens and the parish gardens. She could often be seen in the early morning weeding, watering or cultivating the flower beds around the church. Josie said she loves working in the garden because it's relaxing and a place where she feels close to God.

While being raised in Ireland, Josie's family was very religious, attending Mass regularly and praying the Rosary every evening. Josie traveled to Ireland annually to visit her brother, her sister and their families, but moved back home to Ireland last Sunday. St. Boniface parishioners are very grateful for Josie's many years of dedicated service to our church community. Her smiling presence will be sorely missed!

- Adapted from "Spotlight on Stewardship", by Carol Griffin



Josie's address is: 5 Forge Brook  
Ballinagh  
Co. Cavan  
Ireland



## This WEEK at HOME

### MONDAY, MARCH 6

#### Follow the Signposts

Consider the directions from Jesus in Luke's Gospel today signposts. They are so pivotal that our Church built the entire Jubilee Year of Mercy in 2016 on their foundation. Be compassionate. Avoid judgment. Shun condemnation. Offer pardon. Give generously. Write these directions on note cards and place them around your home where you will see them as daily signposts from Jesus.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 7

#### Live with Integrity

At the heart of today's Gospel is the call to live discipleship with integrity. To be a person of integrity means there is congruence between who we say we are and what we do. Speak with transparency. Act with authenticity. Strive for sincerity. Embrace the virtue of integrity as the doorway to holiness.

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8

#### Seek to Serve

Contending to be the first to be noticed, the first to be served, the first in line is a familiar human condition. Jesus reminds his apostles, and all of us, to vigorously resist this temptation. Instead he instructs us to cultivate humility through privileging service over prestige. Commit to practicing one act of humble service anonymously today.



### Thursday, March 9

#### Who Sits at Our Doorway?

Today's Scriptures provide a striking reminder to keep our eyes fixed on the Lord. The contrasting images between those like the rich man who trust in human beings and those who trust in the Lord reveal the consequences of our choices. Take a careful look around to see who sits at our "doorway." Perhaps there is a neighbor who goes regularly without food or feels invisible to our local community. How might we raise the visibility of those at our doorways and reach out with hope in the Lord?

### FRIDAY, MARCH 10

#### The Voices We Listen To

The quickest way to veer off the path of holiness is to bury our conscience. In tuning out the guiding voice of the Holy Spirit we can be easily led to destructive choices. The people around us may influence and even form us in some ways. Think about the primary people in your life and how they impact you. Today's Scriptures invite us to examine our conscience and do a check-in on the primary voices we are listening to in daily life.

### SATURDAY, MARCH 11

#### Lead with Compassion

Jesus uses parables to show how much our merciful God desires to be close to us. Today's parable about the forgiving father reminds us that God steadfastly stands waiting for us with open arms and infinite forgiveness. Be alert to the lost in your family and community: a child who feigns disinterest, a teen suffering with mental illness, a troubled, lonely neighbor. Through our warm smiles, kind gestures, and hospitable spirit we can communicate the invitation to return to our compassionate God and reconcile with the community of faith.

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## 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](http://Faith.Direct/NY820).

## Holy Family Corner

This is a space in the vestibule 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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**Mass Stream Ministry:** All masses are in person.  
8am, Saturday 9am and Sunday 10:30am masses  
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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,  
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 10:30am  
Mass.. 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  
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