

## Church of St. Boniface Martyr



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 Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday): April 16, 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**

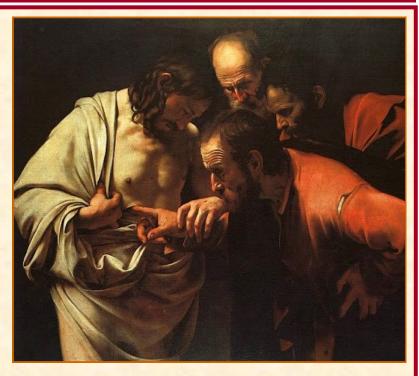
Mondays though Fridays: 8am-2:30pm; Saturdays: 9am-5pm; Sundays: 8am-12pm

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Tuesdays-Thursdays: 9am-12pm; 12:30-3pm **Closed Mondays and Fridays** 

#### **Parish Contact Information**

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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 to the public! Go to our website: www.saintboniface.org

### Liturgy Schedule

#### Saturday, April 15

3pm—3:45pm Confession

**3pm Holy Hour** 

4pm Mass: Patricia Mavros, Michael Lincks

Sunday, April 16

8am Mass: Tom Imerti

10:30 am Mass: John & Gerard Moran,

Carole T. Kelly

Monday, April 17

8am Mass: Albert J. Izzo

Tuesday, April 18

8am Mass

Wednesday, April 19

8am Mass

2pm Holy Hour in the Chapel

Thursday, April 20

8am Mass

Friday, April 21

8am Mass: Brian Buccola

Saturday, April 22

**9am Mass:** Marie Elizabeth Dunn **11am First Holy Communion** 

### Let Us Pray

#### For Our Deceased

Sr. Daniella Ezeh, Dorothy Ann "Dorf" Kaffl

#### For Our Sick

Sally Ann Clancy, Alfred Moschetta, Kathleen Van Bloem

Names will remain on the list for six weeks. Please email 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.

#### **Eucharistic Ministry to the Homebound**

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.

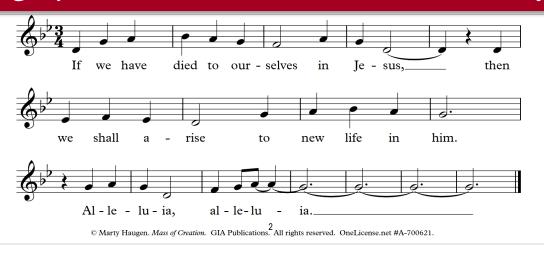
#### For Our Military

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.

### Second Banns of Marriage

Ryan O'Leary, St. Gerard Majella, NJ and Elizabeth Morrell

### Opening Hymn: "If We Have Died to Ourselves in Jesus"



### Events this Week

#### Saturday, April 15

Religious Ed Registrations after 4pm Mass

#### Sunday, April 16

**Religious Ed Registrations** after Sunday Masses **3pm** Bereavement Group

#### Monday, April 17

**6pm** Youth Group

7:30pm Charismatic Prayer Zoom

#### Tuesday, April 18

#### Wednesday, April 19

7:30pm St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting

#### Thursday, April 20

7pm First Holy Communion Rehearsal7pm Knitting Circle7:30pm Scripture Study Zoom

Friday, April 21

Saturday, April 22

# Thank You from the Food Pantry!

Your response to our soup and cereal requests were amazing! We now need **Chef** 

### **Boyardee** and **Personal Hygiene Products**

(shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, toothbrushes,

etc.), which may be brought to Sunday Mass or food pantry in the parish center on Saturdays 10am-1pm.

#### St. Boniface 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! All proceeds benefit our pantry.

#### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In the Gospel today, Jesus stands in the midst of us and says: "Peace be with you!" During Mass we turn to each other and say, "Peace be with you!" As you put your gift into the St. Vincent de Paul box you say, "Peace be with you!" to those who are in need.

We meet at 7:30pm the third Wednesdays of the month in St. Boniface School, Room 11. Please call Jovanna Lemonda 516-676-0676 x124 details.

### 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: Youth Group**

8th-12th graders are invited to the new Youth Center, Room 10 in the St. Boniface School building, on Mondays from 6pm-8pm. Follow us on instagram username: stbonyg. Join our facebook page 'St. Boniface Martyr Youth Group'. Contact our new Youth Ministers, April and Leo at 516-297-9886 or stbonym@gmail.com.

#### **Mondays: Charismatic Prayer Group**

Zooms weekly at 7:30pm. Praise with us! Call John and Rosemary Murello for details 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 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 more 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. 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. Our meetings consist primarily of looking at this crazy world through the lens of our faith. Questions? Contact Rich at richlucidi40@gmail.com or just pull me aside after Mass. **NEXT MEETING: APRIL 27**. *Brothers, we 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 for more information.

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### Feast by the Shore Volunteers Needed

Sign-ups start April 23. Please call the office at 516-676-0676 and leave your name.

### Feast by the Shore Donations Needed for Raffle Prizes

We are hoping to have some family friendly raffle prizes at the feast this year. We are looking for donations of new beach chairs, umbrellas, children's sand toys, tickets for sporting events or other family friendly events. If you have something you would like to donate, please contact Pat at <a href="mailto:pattomfox@gmail.com">pattomfox@gmail.com</a>.



### **GREAT LIVE ENTERTAINMENT!!**

THURSDAY *MAY 18 TPM - 10PM* ALIBI FRIDAY **MAY 19** 6PM - 1:30PM GLENN STRANGE 8PM - 11PM LIVESTOCK RUBY ACOUSTIC SATURDAY MAY 20 3PM - 5PM PROJECT CHICKEN HEAD 8PM - 11PM SUNDAY ENVY THE YOUNG 2PM - 5PM

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### **OPERATING HOURS:**

THURSDAY, MAY 18 - 6:00PM - 10:00PM FRIDAY, MAY 19 - 6:00PM - 11:00PM SATURDAY, MAY 20 - 1:00PM - 11:00PM SUNDAY, MAY 21 - 1:00PM - 6:00PM





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### Monday, April 17

#### **FOLLOW ACTS**

A reading from Acts is proclaimed on nearly each day of the Easter season. Written as a continuance of his Gospel account, Luke paints the broad strokes of the Church's development from the resurrection of Jesus to Paul's first imprisonment. Luke emphasizes the powerful role of the Holy Spirit in the formation of the Christian community and the spread of the Word of God. Read Acts through to gain a perspective of how this period unfolded.

#### Tuesday, April 18

#### **EVERYONE HAD ENOUGH**

The early Christian community laid the groundwork for upholding the common good by placing their treasure in a common purse to be shared fairly across the community. As a result, everyone had enough. Religious communities and some other intentional Christian communities follow this practice to this day. The care for the whole community supersedes the wants of the individual. While this ideal may seem radical to our modern way of thinking, there is much to be learned. How can you more intentionally share from our wealth with the most vulnerable in society?

#### Wednesday, April 19

#### WALK IN THE LIGHT

During the Advent season as we await the birth of Christ, the prophet Isaiah announces, "The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light" (Isaiah 9:1). Jesus himself proclaims, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life" (John 8:12). In today's Gospel reading, Jesus equates light with the eternal power of good and dark with the power of evil. As Christians, we are invited to walk in the light, to seek the truth, and to practice goodness.

#### Thursday, April 20

#### OBEY GOD

When confronted by the temple leaders about their bold preaching, Peter and the apostles reply, "We must obey God" (Acts 5:29). The Latin root of the word obey means "listen" or "hear." This is powerful instruction for us today. There are so many loud and competing voices in the world. As Christians, we are charged to listen to the voice of God.

Attending carefully to the preaching of the apostles in Acts and the speeches of Jesus in the Gospel of John will strengthen the words of truth in our hearts and help drown out all others.

#### Friday, April 21

#### My Light and My Salvation

Our responsorial psalm for today captures the essence of Easter faith. We keep our eyes glued on the Lord throughout our earthly life with hope that we will rest in the house of the Lord for all of eternity. Carry Psalm 27 in your pocket, tape it on your bathroom mirror, and pray it daily until you have it memorized. It will carve a path to holiness.

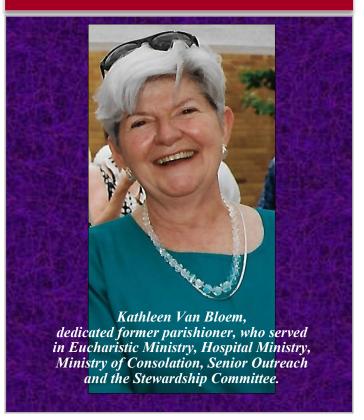
#### Saturday, April 22

#### MIRACLES ABOUND

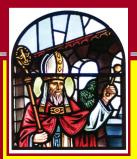
We hear of two powerful miracles in today's readings. Acts relates that the number of those in Jerusalem coming to believe in Jesus "increased greatly" (Acts 6:7). John's Gospel recounts how Jesus rejoined the disciples in the boat by walking across the water. Which miracle stirs your heart more: the exponential number of people coming to faith or Jesus walking across the sea? Take it to prayer.

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## Jubilee Corner



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### St. Boniface Religious Education

Religious Education Registration for St. Boniface Martyr Families will take place APRIL 15 &16 after all the Masses.

Please register promptly and take advantage of the Early Bird Discount!

### St. Dominic HS Transfer Night



### Monthly Donations

#### March

Stewardship: \$32,320

Catholic Relief Services (DRVC): \$785

#### **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 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.

### Parish Information

**Pastor:** The Very Reverend Father Josef Norys,

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Mass Stream Ministry: All masses are in person. 8am, Saturday 9am and Sunday 10:30am masses are streamed via facebook.com/StBonifaceMartyr OR: saintboniface.org/streaming. Questions? Email stbonstreaming@gmail.com.

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Bereavement Support: David Meagher 676-0676 x131. davidmeagher@gmail.com

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.

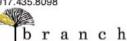
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): Are you or someone vou know curious about the Catholic faith? We welcome those who are not baptized, those baptized in another Christian tradition and those baptized Catholics who have not received First Communion and/or Confirmation to join our inquiry class. Contact Jane Serpico at 676~0676 x130 or stbonRCIA@gmail.com for details.

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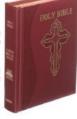
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