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Easter Sunday ~ April 9, 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-12pm and 12:30-3pm

Closed Mondays and Fridays

Parish Contact Information

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Christ's Appearance to Mary Magdalene after the Resurrection

Alexander Ivanov (1806 - 1858)

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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

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

10:30 am Mass: William Katsikas, James Fergusson,
Robert Brantuas, Tom & Anne Gilhooly

Monday, April 10

8am Mass

Tuesday, April 11

8am Mass

Wednesday, April 12

8am Mass

2pm Holy Hour in the Chapel

Thursday, April 13

8am Mass

Friday, April 14

8am Mass

Saturday, April 15

9am Mass

Let Us Pray

For Our Deceased

For Our Sick

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.

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. 🇺🇸



First 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

Sunday, April 9

Monday, April 10

7:30pm Charismatic Prayer Zoom

Tuesday, April 11

Wednesday, April 12

Thursday, April 13

7pm Knitting Circle

7:30pm Scripture Study Zoom

Friday, April 14

Saturday, April 15

10am Lay Carmelite Meeting

Religious Education Registration after 4pm Mass

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 the 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!

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Today as we celebrate the feast of Easter, we find the challenge of also seeing and believing the resurrection that comes through our own lives of self-sacrifice. It is then that we are truly Easter people! As you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Donation Box, know that you are a sign of God's love to those who are in need, and you give them Easter hope and joy.



St. Boniface St. Vincent de Paul Society

The St. Boniface Martyr St. Vincent de Paul Conference meets 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 lrosecswhotmail.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 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 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. 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: APRIL 27. 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 details.

Easter Letter from the Bishop



DIocese of Rockville Centre
Office of the Bishop

April 9, 2023

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Every Easter you and I are reminded of the power of the Paschal Mystery. Commemorating the celebration of the first Eucharist at the Mass of the Lord's Supper, walking with Jesus on the road to Calvary on Good Friday in the Liturgy of the Lord's Passion, and celebrating Christ's triumphant conquering of sin and death in the Mass of the Resurrection on Easter is a potent reminder of God's love for us.

During this season of Easter and this time of National Eucharistic Revival, it becomes even clearer to us that the Paschal Mystery is not a mere historical event, but a mystery in which we are privileged to participate every time we celebrate the Mass. In the Easter sequence, we sing: "Christians, to the Paschal Victim, offer your thankful praises!" The word Eucharist, which means, thanksgiving, implies that every time the Church gathers for the celebration of the Mass, she offers an act of "thankful praise" to the Lord. In this act of offering thanksgiving to God in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, we as a priestly people offer the sacrifices of our lives with the offering of the Body and Blood of the Lord, by which our sacrifices take on new value and meaning (seeCCC,§1368).

Love is central to the mission of the Church. The sacrifices that we offer to God each day and in the celebration of the Eucharist are an expression of our love for him and for his people. When Christ appeared to Peter and the apostles on the Sea of Galilee after his Resurrection, he asked Peter: "Do you love me?"

As he responds, "yes, Lord" to that three-fold questioning, Christ calls him to mission: "feed my lambs...tend my sheep... feed my sheep" (see John 21: 15-19). Like Peter, you and I are faced with that same question from the Lord: "do you love me ?" In other words, do we take the contemplative time that our hearts yearn for to renew our love for the Lord? In the offering of our time in prayer we are reminded of the very nature of God's love. Through that experience of true love, we realize that as disciples of Christ, you and I are called to mission: to bring the love of Christ to the world: to glorify the Lord by our lives: to extend the Divine Mercy to those who suffer; to let the earth shake with the joy of the Resurrection!

Every human heart is created to love. As we grow deeper in our devotion to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus as a Diocese this June, we ask the Lord to strengthen our hearts to love as Jesus loves and for the zeal to proclaim to those we encounter that "God is Love" (1 John 4:8,16).

I wish you and your families a Blessed Easter!

Sincerely in Christ,

† *John O. Barres*

Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre

Jubilee Corner



**July 13,1997: Fr. Mike Torpey (Pastor, 1990—2007).
Mass in Central Park, Sea Cliff near where the first
Catholic Mass was celebrated in the Old Chapel
on Fourteen Avenue on July 18, 1887.**

St. Boniface Martyr Feast by the Shore

at Tappen Beach
Shore Road, Glenwood Landing, NY



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		8PM - 11PM	CHICKEN HEAD
SUNDAY	MAY 21	2PM - 5PM	ENVY THE YOUNG

GREAT FOOD! GREAT RIDES! GREAT FOOD! GREAT RIDES!

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



\$\$\$ SAVE \$\$\$

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Religious Education Registration

APRIL 15 & 16 AFTER MASS

*Please register promptly
and take advantage of the early bird discount!*



Feast 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 pattomfox@gmail.com.



Monday, April 10

FAITHFUL FRIENDS

In Matthew's resurrection account, the first appearance of the risen Lord is to Mary Magdalene and "the other Mary." The encounter is utterly unexpected. The women were looking for the disciples. They could not imagine seeing Jesus. The first words Jesus speaks are "Peace" and "Do not be afraid." With their fear dispelled, the women embrace their call to be the first witnesses of the risen Christ.

Tuesday, April 11

CALLED BY NAME

John's resurrection account mirrors Matthew's in that the first appearance of the risen Lord is to Mary Magdalene. Consumed with grief and confusion, Mary is unable to recognize Jesus until he calls her by name. At the sound of her name, Mary is forever transformed. With certainty, she announces the good news. On the day of our baptism, and continually throughout our lives, God calls us by name and sends us as living witnesses to the world.

Wednesday, April 12

BE ALERT

There is so much good news to unpack and celebrate about the resurrection of Jesus that the Church gives us fifty days in the Easter season to do this. Today is one of the many times when we hear about the time Jesus appeared to the disciples on the road to Emmaus. He approaches and walks with them, first listening, then teaching, and ultimately revealing. Jesus does that with each of us, day by day, through the Easter season. Be alert for when he shows up!

Thursday, April 13

GO DEEPER

As Jesus ate and spoke with his disciples in Jerusalem, Luke tells us that "he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures" (Luke 24:45). He reinterpreted sacred Scripture in light of his birth, death, and resurrection, revealing a new layer of meaning about the plan of God. How might we allow our daily reading of the Scriptures through this Easter season to bring us to a deeper understanding of the paschal mystery in our time?

Friday, April 14

FIFTY DAYS

Today we hear from John about Jesus' third appearance to his disciples, this time on the beach of the Sea of Tiberias. The disciples have returned to their occupation of fishing. Jesus will be sending them back to the vocation to which he called them as evangelists. Jesus did not give up on his beloved disciples; he does not give up on us. Easter is not over; it has just begun. During these fifty days of Easter, we have time to contemplate how the Lord draws us close, feeds us, and empowers us to be living witnesses of joy..

Saturday, April 15

GO OUT TO THE WHOLE WORLD

The octave (eight days) of Easter concludes with Mark's account of how Jesus appeared first to Mary Magdalene. She immediately went to announce the good news. But, alas, she was met with resistance and disbelief. Witnessing the truth of Jesus Christ in today's culture requires confronting skepticism and rejection. But as Jesus instructed the disciples then, he commands us now to persist and "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature" (Mark 16:15).

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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, Can. Reg.; domjosef@gmail.com

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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.

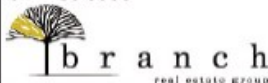
Matrimony: Engaged couples are to call the parish office before any other arrangements are made. A minimum of six months is needed.

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 x130 or stbonRCIA@gmail.com for details.

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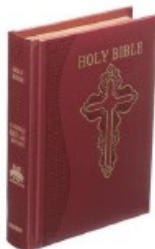
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