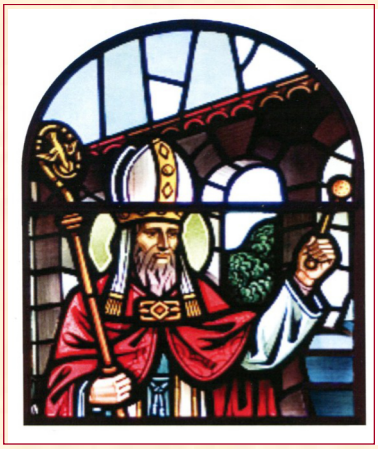


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## Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time: November 15, 2026



*"Parable of the Talents," by Willem de Poorter, 17th century. Public domain, via Wikimedia Commons*

**Mass Schedule**
Saturday: 9am, 4pm
Sunday: 8am, 10:30am
Mondays - Fridays: 8am

**Holy Day Masses**
8am, 7pm

**Confessions**
Saturdays 3pm - 3:45pm

**Holy Hour**
3pm Saturdays

**Church Hours**
6am - 6pm

**Parish Office Hours**
Tuesdays - Thursdays
9am-12pm; 12:30-3pm

**Parish Information**
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Sea Cliff, NY 11579
516-676-0676

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# Liturgy Schedule

**Saturday, November 14**
**3pm Holy Hour and Confessions**
**4pm Mass:** Eleanor & Joseph Addamo, Florence DiGioia

**33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time: November 15**
*Solemnity of St. Leopold*
**8am Mass:** Albert Talamo

**10:30am Mass:** Frank Miritello, Gloria Swift, Edward Eder, Gabriel & Frances Romeo

**Monday, November 16**
**8am Mass:** Jean Quartarolo

**Tuesday, November 17**
*Memorial of St. Elizabeth of Hungary*
**8am Mass:** Mollie Pascucci

**Wednesday, November 18**
**8am Mass:** Robert Norys

**Thursday, November 19**
**8am Mass:** Ed Beryl Kelly

**Friday, November 20**
**8am Mass:** Robert (Thomas) Graziose

**Saturday, November 21**
*Memorial of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
**9am Mass:** Chris Ayers
Miraculous Medal Novena following Mass

# Please Pray

**For Our Deceased**
Martin Higgins, Frank Lutz

**For Our Sick**
Matthew Gamboa, Rich Martin, Marilyn Martone, Nicole Wollack

*Names remain on the sick list for six weeks. Please email stbonbulletin@gmail.com to include your loved one's name. Requests must be made by a family member.*

**For Our Military**
Commander Melissa Buffa, US Navy
Captain Nicholas Cavallone USAF
Fr. Azubuike Igwegbe, Chaplain, US Army
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Lieutenant Commander Drew Whitting, US Navy
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Lieutenant Colonel Bradley Wright, US Army.

# Eucharistic Ministry

If you know of homebound parishioners who would like Communion brought to them, call 516-676-0676.

# Outreach Head Needed

**Jody Fleischmann** and **David Meagher**

are stepping down as Coordinators of the St. Boniface Martyr Parish Outreach Pantry and Thrift Shop. We are deeply grateful for their thirteen years of dedicated service to the parish community. *Thank you, Jody and David!*

Could you help carry this vital ministry forward?

Jody and David leave big shoes to fill, and we are looking for volunteers to step into coordinator roles to keep our parish pantry running.

If you would like to learn more, please speak to Fr. Josef or email him at domjosef@gmail.com

# Banns of Marriage

*Please pray for*
***Christina Michael** and **Daniel Ahern***
*as they prepare to enter into marriage*
*at the Church of St. Boniface Martyr*
*on December 5, 2026*



# St. Leopold




Saint Leopold III, often called "Leopold the Good," was born in 1073 and served as Margrave (ruler) of Austria from 1095 until his death. He lived at a time when rulers were expected to defend their lands, settle disputes, and shape the public life of their people. Leopold carried those responsibilities with a reputation for justice, generosity, and devotion to the Church.

In 1106 Leopold married Agnes, the widowed daughter of Emperor Henry IV. They had eighteen children, many of whom served the Church. Although offered greater political power within the Holy Roman Empire, Leopold is noted for his humility and commitment to serving God and His people. Leopold moved among Europe's most powerful families using his influence and wealth to strengthen Christian life. He supported religious communities and founded monasteries that became enduring centers of prayer, learning, charity, and pastoral service. Foremost among these is Klosterneuburg Abbey. Leopold and Agnes established the foundation near their residence, and the cornerstone of the abbey church was laid in 1114. In 1133 Leopold entrusted the monastery to the Augustinian Canons, who have served there - praying in community and caring for parishes - across nine centuries.

Leopold died at Klosterneuburg on November 15, 1136, and was buried there. Canonized by Pope Innocent VIII in 1485, he is honored as a patron of Austria; his feast is celebrated on November 15.

St. Boniface Martyr Church shares a unique connection with St. Leopold through our Pastor, Fr. Josef Norys, a Canon of the Canonry of Saint Leopold at Klosterneuburg Abbey.

*Image: St. Leopold. Hans Part, between 1489 and 1492. Public domain, via Wikimedia Commons. Text Compiled from public historical sources about St. Leopold III of Austria.*

# Thanksgiving Baskets

## *Outreach Food Drive*

Once again, we are reaching out to our parishioners to help us with our **Thanksgiving Food Drive.**

All food collected is used for our Thanksgiving baskets which are distributed to our Outreach families and neighbors.

As you all know, economic times make it difficult for some families to purchase food and feed their families, and therefore your assistance is greatly appreciated.

**All food donations may be brought to the Church during Sunday Mass or dropped off at the Food Pantry Saturdays between 10am and 1pm.**

***Here is a list of food needed:***

**turkey, gravy, canned green beans, canned corn, shelf stable milk, cake mix, stuffing, canned soup, instant mashed potatoes, small bags of rice, cake icing, cranberry sauce, canned sweet yams, canned fruit, strawberry or grape jelly.**

***Thank you*** for your help in providing food to our needy families and neighbors.

***Thank you*** for your great love and care.

***Thank you*** for your mercy and grace.

***Thank you*** for always supporting us and our mission.

Forgive us when we don't thank you enough for who you are, for all that you do and for all that you have given.

***God bless you and your families!***

- David, Jody and all the Outreach Volunteers



## YOUTH GROUP CHRISTMAS WREATH SALE

The wreaths are florist-quality, double-sided balsam pine wreaths. In addition to 2' & 3' wreaths, we are selling half & full grave blankets, white pine roping and poinsettias. Each of the wreaths & grave blankets are hand decorated by our youth group with pine cones, glass balls, and beautiful handmade red bows.

**WHEN TO ORDER:** Orders are open until Sunday, **November 22.**

**HOW TO ORDER:** Through the online form by scanning the QR code, or by following the link: **https://tinyurl.com/St-Bon-Wreath-Sale**.

**FORMS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE VESTIBULE.** You may place your order form into the shoebox labeled WREATH SALE vestibule.

**PAYMENT:** Through Venmo @april_meier, or by mailing a check to April Meier, 173 Dubois Ave., Sea Cliff NY 11579, or with cash/check upon pickup.

**PICK UP:** after all masses on Dec 5th & 6th.

Questions? Contact April Meier, Youth Minister: 516-297-9886 or stbonym@gmail.com. *Thank you!*

## The Giving Tree

The Joy of Giving

Cards designating gifts for you to purchase are available in the vestibule after all the Sunday Masses.

In order for gifts to be delivered in time for Christmas, please bring them to church no later than Sunday, **December 6.**

Please tape the original card to the outside of your **new unwrapped gift, along with the gift receipt,** and place your gift under the Giving Tree by the altar. Thank you and God bless you!

*Questions? Call Susan: 516-671-7058*

## TENTH ANNIVERSARY!

## Christmas Around the World



## Saturday, December 5

**An evening of fun, food and festivities celebrating the diversity of St. Boniface Martyr Church**

**4pm in Church:**
**Mass, Tree Lighting & Creche Blessing**

**5:30pm in the Gym:**
**The Christmas Pageant**
**and Christmas Around the World**

**Volunteers Needed!**

**To host a country table**
**To coordinate raffle items**
**To help set-up and clean-up**

**Email stboncatw@gmail.com for more information.**

# Events This Week

**Sunday, November 15**
2pm Bereavement Support Group

**Monday, November 16**
6:30pm Youth Group
7:30pm Charismatic Prayer Zoom

**Tuesday, November 18**
7pm St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting

**Thursday, November 19**
6pm First Communion Parents Night
7pm Confirmation Parents Night
7pm Knitting Circle
7:30pm Scripture Study Zoom

**Saturday, November 21**
10am Lay Carmelite Meeting

# St. Boniface Outreach

Contact Number: 516-676-0676

## Volunteers Needed at the Pantry!

Due of the growing need in our community, we need volunteers to help receiving deliveries during the week and on Saturdays during pantry hours from 10am-1pm. We welcome Middle and High School Students. Call today to become part of our pantry family! There are plenty of tasks: help giving out food, arranging the stock room, assisting clients with their packages, help in the Thrift Shop and with Thanksgiving food baskets. Thank you!

**Thrift Shop:** Open Saturdays 10am-1pm.

# St. Vincent de Paul

Contact Number: 516-676-0676

The good news of today's Gospel is the extravagance of what is being given us. All we need do is be faithful in "small matters." When you donate to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, you are sharing God's extravagant love.

We meet on the third Wednesday of the month at 7pm. If you are interested in becoming a Vincentian, or if you know of a neighbor in need, please call the St. Vincent de Paul Society at the number above.

# Ministry Meetings

**Third Sundays: Bereavement Support Group**
Meets at 2pm in St. Boniface School, 12 Main Avenue, Sea Cliff, and is facilitated by two experienced grief counselors, Dr. David Meagher and Linda Rose. No fee, but PRE-registration required. Contact David Meagher at davidkmeagher@gmail.com, or lrosecsw@hotmail.com for details and registration. **Next Meeting: November 15.**

**Sundays or Mondays: Youth Group**
8th-12th graders are invited to the Youth Center, Room 10 in St. Boniface School from 6:30pm-8pm. **Next Meeting: November 16.** Follow us on instagram username: stbonyg. Join our facebook page 'St. Boniface Martyr Youth Group'. Contact Youth Minister, at 516-297-9886 or stbonym@gmail.com.

**Mondays: Prayer Group**
Zooms Mondays 7:30-8:30pm. Praise with us! Call John & Rosemary Murello for details at 516-676-2767.

**Women of Faith Book Group**
Meets monthly in the parish center. The morning group meets first Saturdays of the month at 10am. **Next Meeting**: **December 5.** The evening group meets monthly on Tuesdays at 7pm. Date TBD. New members welcome! Contact: Pat at pattomfox@gmail.com.

**Thursdays: Knitting Circle**
Meets weekly at 7pm in the parish center. Beginners welcome. Contact call Nancy Furlong for details at 516-759-5869 or brknit@optonline.net.

**Thursdays: Scripture Study**
Zooms Thursdays from 7:30pm–8:30pm to deepen and share our appreciation of the Word of God. Contact John & Rosemary Murello at 516-676-2767 for details.

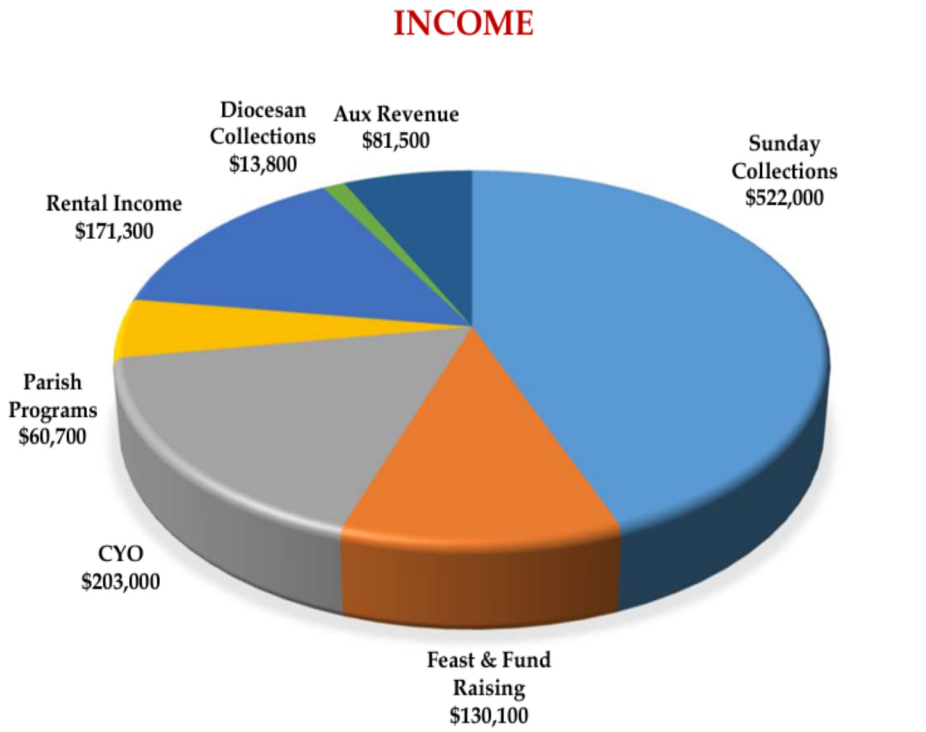
**Men's Ministry**
Meets September through June the second Saturday of the month from 7:30am to 8:45am in St. Boniface School, for a bit of breakfast, prayer, videos and discussion. For details, contact Rich Lucidi at richlucidi40@gmail.com. **Next Meeting: December 12.**

**Third Saturdays: Third Order Lay Carmelites**
Meets monthly 10am-12pm in the parish center. Lay Carmelites of the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Titus Brandsma Chapter, seek God's will and presence in the ordinary circumstances of life in solidarity with others. Contact Ann at 516-676-0330 or Flora at 516-676-0330 Next Meeting: **November 21.**

# St. Boniface Martyr Financial Report

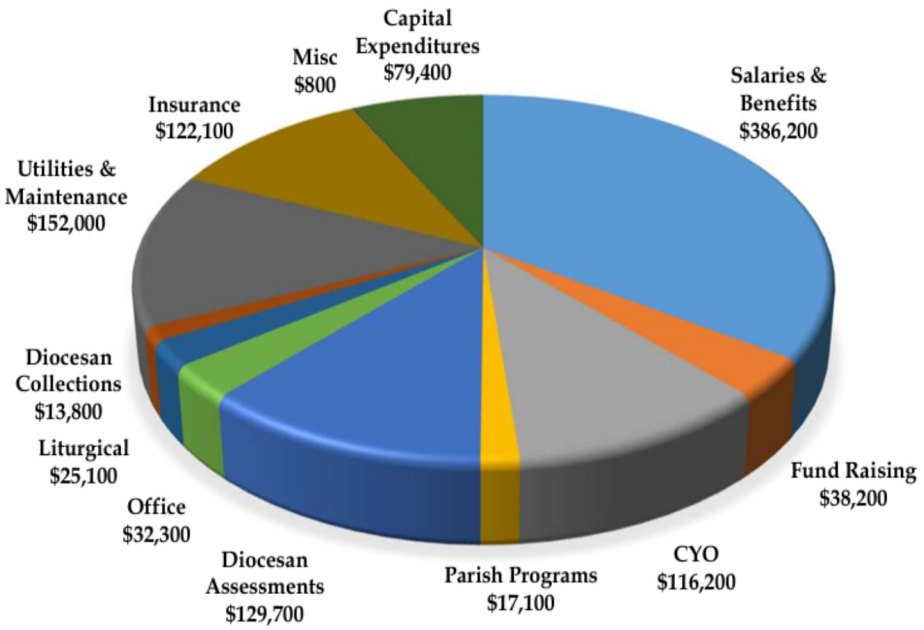
**Income**

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| Sunday Collections | $522,000 |
| Feast & Fund Raising | $130,100 |
| CYO | $203,000 |
| Parish Programs | $60,700 |
| Rental Income | $171,300 |
| Diocesan Collections | $13,800 |
| Aux Revenue | $81,500 |
| **Total Income** | **$1,182,400** |




**Expense**

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|---|---|
| Salaries & Benefits | $386,200 |
| Fund Raising | $38,200 |
| CYO | $116,200 |
| Parish Programs | $17,100 |
| Diocesan Assessments | $129,700 |
| Office | $32,300 |
| Liturgical | $25,100 |
| Diocesan Collections | $13,800 |
| Utilities & Maintenance | $152,000 |
| Insurance | $122,100 |
| Misc | $800 |
| Capital Expenditures | $79,400 |
| **Total Expense** | **$1,112,900** |
| **Net:** | **$69,500** |



# CYO Basketball

**Boys & Girls Intramural Basketball Grades K-4**



**Registration is open through December.**

**Season runs January through March.**

**For more information and registration visit www.StBonifaceCYO.org!**

# Monthly Donations

**August**

Stewardship: $37,303

Maintenance $1,496.00

**ParishSOFT** (formerly Faith Direct)

You can set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift. Call 866-930-4774 option 6, or email donorsupport@parishsoft.com for details. Visit https://giving.myparishsoft.io/app/giving/FD-820

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**Pastor:** The Very Reverend Dom Josef Norys, Can. Reg.; domjosef@gmail.com

**Deacon:** Tom Fox; stbondcntom@gmail.com

**Business Manager:** Eileen Krieb; stbonfinance@gmail.com

**Music Director/Organist:** Ron Land; stbonmusic@gmail.com

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**Virtus Coordinator:** Christine Whited; stbonvirtus@gmail.com

**Bereavement Support:** David Meagher; davidkmeagher@gmail.com

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

**Sunday Hospitality:** Angeleta Dhandari-Donovan; 631-219-5050; stbonhospitality@gmail.com

**Parish Trustees:** Donna Calamis, Vincent Agosta

**Pastoral Council Members:** Vincent Agosta, Nan Bischoff, Kevin Burke, Julie Byrne, Donna Calamis, John Canning, Karen Croce, Jody Fleischmann, Kevin Kelly, Maryellen Kerr, Eileen Krieb, Jovanna Lemonda, Robert Lynch, Carolyn Rassiger, Bill Schiller, Jane Serpico, Frank Sujecki, Christine Whited

**Baptism:** Fourth Sunday of the month at 10:30am Mass. Please contact the office to register. 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.

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

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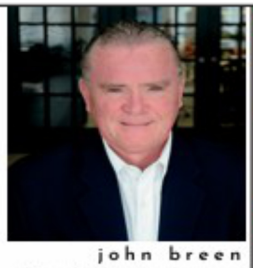
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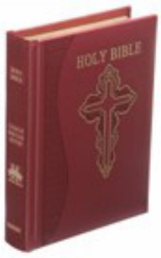
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