



# Our Lady of Grace

**Roman Catholic Church**

**November 1, 2020**

**All Saints' Day**



**We change lives through the Risen Christ**

By **praying** daily for our intentions  
& our mission.

By **witnessing** daily our love for God  
& all persons.

By our **presence** worshiping at Mass for  
mutual support & the grace of God.

By our **support** through our time, talent &  
treasure & encouraging others.

## We Celebrate the Eucharist

Saturday Evening: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00 Noon

Monday - Friday 8:00am & 9:00am

Saturday 8:00am

## Contact Us

666 Albin Ave., West Babylon, NY 11704

Office: 631-587-5185 Fax: 631-587-1427

Faith Formation: 631-661-9353

Parish Social Ministry: 631-661-9354

Day Care: 631-422-4681

[www.ourladyofgrace.net](http://www.ourladyofgrace.net)

[parish@ourladyofgrace.net](mailto:parish@ourladyofgrace.net)

## Our Clergy

Rev. Joseph Davanzo, Pastor

Rev. Martin Adu Gyamfi, Associate

Rev. Gregory Breen, Associate

Deacon Ricardo Garcia

Deacon Brian Miller

Deacon Irwin Saffran

## Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Saturday: 3:00pm - 6:00pm

Sunday: 9:00am - 12:00pm

Or call for an appointment: 631-587-5185.

## Our Pastoral Staff

Jeanmarie Florio, Day Care Director

Peggy Harnisch, Faith Formation Director

Ann Kristoffersen, Parish Social Ministry

James Pisano, Facilities Manager

Terence Purtell, Director of Music

Doreen Scalise, Kids of the Kingdom

Tischa Stanley, Angel Care Coordinator

## Regular Devotions:

**Miraculous Medal Novena with Rosary:**

Mondays following 8:00am & 9:00am Masses.

**Holy Face of Jesus:**

Hour of Reparation 1st Friday after 9:00am Mass

**Padre Pio Prayer Group**

2nd Tuesday of each month after the 9am Mass.

# Our Parish Communion

## Pastoral Council

Lee Abseck  
Mary Ellen McEntee  
Maria Russello-Chetti  
Kathleen Scheid

Ralph Fiorillo  
James Nevins  
Lucy Sanchez  
Concetta Whelan

## Finance Council

Richard Korcz (Trustee)  
Leonardo LoCricchio  
Robert Scharf (Trustee)

Joseph Salzone  
Debra Nicosia  
Thomas Vilella

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## Mass Intentions

### Unannounced Mass Intentions:

Offered almost immediately and do not appear in the bulletin and are not announced at Mass. Please come to the Office. Cost: \$20

### Multiple Mass Intentions:

Offered weekly alternating with the Saturday, 5:00 pm Mass and Sunday, 8:00 am Mass.

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## Memorials for week of Nov. 1, 2020

### Rose for Life

In Memory of Michael & Margaret Pomilia

### Sanctuary Lamp

In Memory of: Kathleen & Daniel Twohig

### Bread & Wine:

In Memory of Helen Cavanaugh

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## Memorial Opportunities

### Remember or Honor Loved Ones

Sanctuary Lamp: \$10    Rose for Life: \$10  
Bread and Wine: \$25 each  
Prayer Garden Paver: \$75

You can also donate to our Altar Fund; cards available in Office. Call: 631-587-5185.

## Baptism

Call the Office to schedule an appointment for a Baptism interview as soon as practicable.

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## Matrimony

Arrangements for marriage must be made as soon as possible but **not less than 18 months** prior to the intended wedding date.

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## Confession/Reconciliation

Every Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45pm in the church or call for an appointment.

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## Anointing of the Sick

For those facing surgery or with major disorders, should call the Office.

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## Becoming a Catholic

For adults, teens, or children over age 7 who are interested in becoming Catholic or completing their Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, Communion) please call the Office.

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## Angel CARE

We service children from West Babylon District. Morning care is from 7am - 9am; \$11 for first child and \$10 each additional child. Afternoon children are bused from elementary schools; \$13 first child and \$12 each additional child. Call 631-893-6564 or email [pstanley@ourladyofgrace.net](mailto:pstanley@ourladyofgrace.net).

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## Daycare is Open!

We are following OCFS and CDC guidelines, and the children are having fun. If anyone needs care, please call (631) 422-4681 for a tour after 6:00 or on Saturdays. We need a teacher assistant 3:00 - 6:00pm, M-F and a loving person to work 2:00 - 6:00pm, M-F. Please send resumes to: [Daycare@ourladyofgrace.net](mailto:Daycare@ourladyofgrace.net).

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## “Reflect, Reconnect, Renew” with Extra Chi

Monthly concert series continues Nov. 7 at 6:00pm with flute music from “Extra Chi” flute and piano duo with music inspired by nature and human experience. Suggested Donation: \$10 to offset cost of yearly parish li-

## For Your Reflection

### If You're Sick & Tired of Babies Dying in Abortion You Must Vote Pro-Life

By Carol Tobias: LifeNews.com; Sept. 10, 2020

We frequently hear, “Does it really matter if I vote? Nothing ever seems to change.” Or, “Elections aren’t going to stop abortion. We need to change people’s hearts and minds.” We, as a pro-life movement, are working to change hearts and minds. We want people to embrace every unborn child as a unique human being deserving of respect and legal protection. But whether these children continue to die will depend on our laws and whether it remains “legal” to end these lives. Our time is short to make sure family, friends, and neighbors are remembering our unborn brothers and sisters as they vote. Why does the election matter? Because those elected will make laws that will save precious preborn lives or contribute to the carnage. As we ponder our decision, we must ask ourselves:

- ◆ Will those elected pass legislation to safeguard unborn children or will they enact laws that allow abortion for any reason throughout all 9 months of pregnancy?
- ◆ Will abortionists be required to inform women of the consequences of, and alternatives to, abortion?
- ◆ Will parents have the right to know if their minor daughter is pregnant and considering abortion?
- ◆ Will millions of our tax dollars be used to pay for abortion?
- ◆ Will living unborn children have their arms and legs torn off, limb by limb, as they are subjected to a gruesome dismemberment abortion?
- ◆ Will babies who survive an abortion be given the same medical attention and care as a child born prematurely at that same age?

Elections have consequences for the cultural attitude toward human life and for legal protections for the innocent little ones in the womb. If a candidate isn’t willing to protect the most vulnerable and defenseless, among us, can we really trust him to use their position to manage other parts of our lives? If a candidate doesn’t think parents have the right to know their minor daughter is considering abortion, what else will that official agree to hide from parents, whether in school or elsewhere? I had a friend who shared her wrenching story. She was a single mom who was pregnant 4 times. The 1<sup>st</sup> resulted in an adoption, the 2<sup>nd</sup> in a miscarriage, the 3<sup>rd</sup> in the birth of a beautiful blond-haired boy, and the 4<sup>th</sup> in an abortion. Tears ran down her cheeks as she explained the abortion was the one she will regret forever. Women are not told about physical, emotional, or psychological effects of abortion.

- ◆ If candidates don’t believe in providing complete information to women prior to the abortion, are they willing to cover up other information for others at other times?
- ◆ If candidates want our tax dollars to kill unborn children, or to promote abortion in other countries, how else will they misuse government funds?
- ◆ If candidates have no compassion for babies who feel pain as their arms and legs are torn, or are will allow babies who survive to die on a back room cold table, do we want them representing us?

We are told we shouldn’t be “single-issue voters.” There are many issues in any election, but do any of them compare or outrank protecting the innocent and defenseless, who have no voice to speak for themselves? We want wise leaders making sensible decisions so that we can pursue our dreams, raise a family in a safe environment, worship as we desire, have the liberty to do what we think is best for ourselves and loved ones. But those leaders must also be willing to speak up for those with no voice. Our nation kills 850,000 babies every year. We’ve lost about 62 million babies in the last 47 years. Yes, we must continue to educate our communities about the humanity of each of these little humans; we must change hearts and minds so that abortion becomes an abominable, unthinkable option. As we continue the important work of changing attitudes, we also MUST work to change the law. Lives depend on our votes.

### Respect Life: Support for a Candidate for Public Office

*“Support of abortion by a candidate for public office, some of whom are Catholics, even if they use the fallacious and deeply offensive “personally opposed but....” line, is reason sufficient unto itself to disqualify any and every such candidate from receiving our vote. **Let me repeat:** Support of abortion by a candidate for public office, some of whom are Catholics, even if they use the fallacious and deeply offensive “personally opposed but...” line, is reason sufficient unto itself to disqualify any and every such candidate from receiving our vote.”* Bishop William F. Murphy; August 2016

# Banns of Marriage



## 1st Banns:

Andrea Schiralli - Liborio Musacchio

## 3rd Banns:

Lauren Chismar - Andy Blanco

## Welcome Our Newly Baptized!



Anthony Salvatore Vinci

Colton Jace Hubenko

Gavin Robert Blennau

## All Souls' Day Remembrance Monday, Nov. 2nd

Please join us as we pray for all the faithful departed, especially during this pandemic. Masses at 8:00am, 9:00am, and 7:30pm.

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## Weekly Envelopes

As the year is coming to an end, we all look forward to a healthy and happy year to come. To make things easier for everyone, the weekly envelopes will be mailed to everyone that receives envelopes on a bi-monthly basis.

With this in mind, if you do not already receive envelopes, please either stop by or call the parish office to sign up for them. This would be for anyone receiving weekly or monthly envelopes. Also, if you haven't signed up for weshare, this is also a great way to support the parish. See inside for further details.

# Worship This Week

<b>Mon.</b>	<b>All Souls' Day</b>
<b>Nov. 2</b>	Wis 3:1-9 / Rom 5:5-11 / Jn 6:37-40
8:00am	Pasquale Pino
9:00am	
7:30pm	All Souls' Remembrance
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>St. Martin de Porres</b>
<b>Nov. 3</b>	Phil 2:5-11 / Lk 14:15-24
8:00am	
9:00am	Ruth Hill
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>St. Charles Borromeo</b>
<b>Nov. 4</b>	Phil 2:12-18 / Lk 14:25-22
8:00am	Ruth M. Hill
9:00am	Paola Gina Minardi
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
<b>Nov. 5</b>	Phil 3:3-8a / Lk 15:1-10
8:00am	Silvio & Joan Impagliazzo
9:00am	Helen Cavanaugh
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
<b>Nov. 6</b>	Phil 3:17 - 4:1 / Lk 16:1-8
8:00am	
9:00am	Holy Face of Jesus Living & Deceased
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
<b>Nov. 7</b>	Phil 4:10-19 / Lk 16:9-15
8:00am	Robert Campbell
5:00pm	People of the Parish
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
<b>Nov. 8</b>	Wis 6:12-16 / 1 Thes 4:13-18 / Mt 25:1-13
8:00am	Faustina Alina Boika (Baby Living)
10:00am	Peter Ruvolo
12:00pm	Richard Kellenberger

## Mass Intentions

*Many Masses are available for intentions.  
Please contact the office.*

## Parish Social Ministry

### The 7 Themes of Catholic Social Teaching: 6. Solidarity

The USCCB teaches the relationships between faith and political life; this week the 6<sup>th</sup> theme: Solidarity. *“We are one human family whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences. We are our brothers’ and sisters’ keepers, wherever they may be. Loving our neighbor has global dimensions in a shrinking world. At the core of the virtue of solidarity is the pursuit of justice and peace. Pope Paul VI taught that if you want peace, work for justice. The Gospel calls us to be peacemakers. Our love for all our sisters and brothers demands that we promote peace in a world surrounded by violence and conflict.”*

### DASH - Crisis Care for Children, Adults, and Families

Family Service League’s - Diagnostic, Assessment and Stabilization Hub (DASH) offers 24 hour, 7-day crisis care. Available to Suffolk residents who struggle with mental health and substance use disorders. Assessments, counseling and care management intervention is available for children five years or older, adolescents, and adults. DASH includes nurse practitioners in psychiatry, registered nurses, social workers, credentialed alcoholism and substance abuse counselors and peer specialist. DASH works with NYS Office of Mental Health, Division of Mental Hygiene, and NYS Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services. 24/7 HOTLINE: 631-952-3333

### Thank You for Your Support of Birthright!

Thank you for purchasing the press-on-roses for Birthright! Thank you to the many volunteers who gave their time to assist Birthright and help raise money for this worthwhile cause.



The children at OLOG Daycare have been having a great time playing and learning. We have been reopened since July 6 and God has kept us healthy and safe. We still have a few open slots for all ages. Please call us for a tour. (631) 422-4681



### Choirs Restart at Mass November 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>

Starting mid-November the Youth Choir returns to Saturday 5:00pm Mass, and the Adult Choir returns to the Sunday 12:00 Mass. After careful rehearsals and the October 3 choir concert full of safety precautions, all those in our music ministry are healthy and covid-free.

### Thanksgiving & Christmas at Outreach

The pandemic has changed how Outreach will assist our neighbors in need for Thanksgiving and Christmas. We ask your cooperation to ensure the safety of our volunteers and the families we assist.

**Thanksgiving** – instead Thanksgiving baskets, we ask that you donate a gift card to the local supermarket instead—ShopRite, Stop & Shop, Best Market.

**Christmas – please only gift cards.** To honor the current restrictions and for the safety of both our parishioners, as well as our volunteers, we will distribute **ONLY GIFT CARDS**. **We are unable to accept and/or distribute any clothes, toys, other gifts, etc.** Some gift cards we need are: Applebees, Bath & Body Works, Bed, Bath & Beyond, Burger King, Big Lots, Dollar Tree, Dunkin Donuts, 5 Below, Marshalls, McDonalds, Old Navy, Panera, Taco Bell, Target, Walmart and Wendy’s.

We are grateful for your continued support. Please help Parish Social Ministry make this Christmas a special one for those who come to us for assistance.

# Faith Formation

## Children's Faith Formation – Time to Register!!!

Registration for Faith Formation classes is ongoing. Classes will follow ALL safety protocols. Parent meetings have begun. If your child will attend school entirely remotely this year, we have a virtual option for most levels. Call our office at 631-661-9353 for more information. We will set up classes soon; please register as soon as possible!

### Parish Pantry: Nonperishable Food Items



We need the nonperishable food items for our regular food distribution: canned soups, pasta sauces, pasta, canned vegetables, canned tuna, canned beans, macaroni and cheese, Pasta-Roni, Rice-A-Roni, Tuna Helper and similar products, dried rice, dried beans, canned fruit, dried soup or ramen, breakfast cereals, oatmeal, snacks, peanut butter, fruit juices, jelly, powdered milk, sugar, pudding, gelatin, flour, cake and brownie mix. These can be brought any time and placed in the food bin in the Parish Lobby. Thank you for your outreach to those in need.

Dear Friends and Parishioners,

I am happy to open the Sacred Music Society for the new 2020-2021 season. With your generosity, we've been able to offer beautiful music for our liturgies, concert and special programs. With gratitude for those who gave last season, I invite all to consider supporting this initiative for the new season.

Contributions support our music programs, concert series and instruments for Christmas, Easter and Pentecost. Acknowledgments are made in our concert programs and special musical offerings and in our bulletin. You can contribute at the following levels:

- ◆ St. Cecilia (\$350 or more)
- ◆ Schola Cantorum (\$200 to \$349)
- ◆ Cantor's Circle (\$100 to \$199)
- ◆ Psalmist's Platform (\$50 to \$99)
- ◆ Chorister's Guild (\$25 to \$49)
- ◆ Angelic chorus (up to \$24)

Please mail or bring form below and check payable to "Our Lady of Grace" to the Parish Office: Attn: Terence Purtell. Any questions, contact [tpurtell@ourladyofgrace.net](mailto:tpurtell@ourladyofgrace.net) or 631-587-5185. God bless you for your generosity and support. - Terence

### OUR LADY OF GRACE SACRED MUSIC SOCIETY 2020-2021

I wish to support the Sacred Music Society with a donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Donation is:**

In memory of \_\_\_\_\_ In honor of \_\_\_\_\_

Anonymous \_\_\_\_\_

### Be a Winner and Support Our Calendar Raffle - \$25 ticket lasts 6 months.

Coming: the new raffle tickets will be in the mail soon!

10/26/20	10/27/20	10/28/20	10/29/20	10/30/20	10/31/20	11/1/20
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