

# St. Brigid's R.C. Church



**12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

25 June 2023

# LIFE @ SAINT BRIGID'S

Information about parish prayer and liturgical life!



## Pagkakaisa ng mga Filipino sa Parokya ng St Brigid Uniting Filipinos at St. Brigid's Parish

For many years, St. Brigid's has had a strong and vibrant Filipino community that enriched and strengthened our parish in beautiful ways.

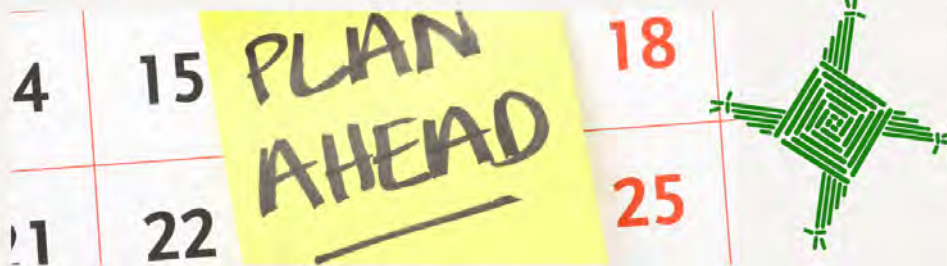
I would like to re-establish this community in our parish in the same ways we have established communities in the Italian, Haitian and Hispanic communities.

We are going to have a planning meeting on  
**MONDAY, JUNE 26, 2023 + 7 P.M.**

**St. Anthony Hall**

*Father John*

**St. Lorenzo, pray for us!**



## ST. BRIGID'S 2023-24 CALENDAR PROCESS

This week, all ministry and organization leaders should receive a detailed email about the calendar planning process for the 2023-24 Pastoral Year.

**NO EVENTS MAY BE PLANNED FOR SEPTEMBER 2023 - AUGUST 2024 (EVEN ANNUAL EVENTS) UNTIL APPROVED IN THIS PROCESS.**

All dates must be submitted via email to [calendar@saintbrigid.net](mailto:calendar@saintbrigid.net) or returned to the Parish Office at St. Anthony Hall. All ministries and organizations should attempt to plan through the entire year.

*If you do not receive an email or letter in the mail, this means that you are not noted as a ministry leader at St. Brigid's. Please follow up directly with Fr. John about this - [fatherjohn@saintbrigid.net](mailto:fatherjohn@saintbrigid.net).*





# THE PASTOR'S POST

*John and Jeremiah and*

## THE TERRORISM OF THE CHURCH

Dear Parish Family:

I am thinking of Jeremiah and John the Baptist today. (I hear you, "Get a life, Fr. John!") Stick with me.

This Saturday, we celebrate the Nativity of John the Baptist. The Gospel (Luke 1) for both the Vigil and the Day tells us about the birth of John the Baptist. It's a great story...break out your Bibles! John the Baptist's father, Zechariah, and his wife, Elizabeth, are both pretty old. Zechariah has this encounter with the Divine and then is made mute because he did not believe in all that God could do! But the people around them....they talked and talked and talked!

This Sunday, we read from the book of the prophet Jeremiah. Read part of the first reading today, "Jeremiah said: 'I hear the whisperings of many: "Terror on every side! Denounce! let us denounce him!" All those who were my friends are on the watch for any misstep of mine.'" Here again, the whisperings, and the talking, and the watching.

I recall a few years ago - and I have looked again to find the actual talk - Pope Francis addressing, I believe, priests, and saying that gossip is the terrorism of the Church. That the words we speak can terrorize others, make them hostages to their past, and prevent them from living. I think he's on to something.

Take some time to think about your day today or over the past 24 hours...can you consider some times you spoke poorly or even just talked about someone else? If we think about it, you might be surprised at often it can happen. Perhaps with someone we know or even a celebrity or politicians. We can often feel the need to talk, condemn, judge, carry on, etc.

The Church, as Pope Francis knows, is not above this! Lord knows! In full transparency, I think about how often I come up short in this area. How quick I am to make the comment or judgment or pass something on to someone else. I feel like I can never be vigilant enough! Second, though, I consider how many times I've been approached with statements and questions like, "Fr. John, did you hear about what's happening in this parish?" or "Fr. John, you know people are saying...." or "Hey, I heard you're putting a

soup kitchen in the outreach center. What are you thinking?" or "So you're going to make every Mass here bilingual?" These questions are easy to address. (Answers, in order: It's not my business. Please ask them to talk to me. No. No.)

Pope Francis offered some great advice, I believe, in that same talk. If you want to gossip, first bite your tongue. If you still want to gossip, bite it harder...even draw some blood if you have to! It makes you laugh but try it the next time you want to talk about someone else. You might need to see a tongue doctor for all the wounds, if you're honest.

There's another wisdom in dealing with gossip and it comes from Zechariah's experience. After doubting God, he is made mute. Wisdom on many levels. He is unable to respond to the gossip about this older couple giving birth and only speaks to announce the name, John. (Everyone was talking at the time that it should be another name....more gossip!). Then he prays the Benedictus, a beautiful prayer of praise to God. This might work too.

A few weeks ago after a day of school, meetings, etc. I got reamed out about many things - some I was responsible for and some that I had nothing to do with (I mean really I was 27 when that happened...). I started to try and reply and then just fell quiet and listened. There was a lot of "You don't know" and "People are talking..." and "I heard about you..." and so on. As the person finished - about 20 minutes later - I said "Thank you" and wished them well. Everything in me wanted to rant or call a friend and so on. I stayed quiet and said a prayer for the person asking God to help them (it was a nice prayer) and me. It was a good Zechariah like practice and one that served me well. Maybe the same will work for you? People are saying it might just work.

Please say a prayer for me - I promise the same.

*Feather*



# EL POST DEL PARROCO

## Juan y Jeremías y

### EL TERRORISMO DE LA IGLESIA

Querida Familia Parroquial:

Hoy estoy pensando en Jeremías y en Juan el Bautista. (Os oigo: "¡Consíguete una vida, P. John!") Quedaos conmigo.

Este sábado celebramos la Natividad de Juan Bautista. El Evangelio (Lucas 1) de la Vigilia y de la Jornada nos habla del nacimiento de Juan Bautista. Es una gran historia... ¡sacad vuestras Biblias! El padre de Juan Bautista, Zacarías, y su esposa, Isabel, son ya bastante ancianos. Zacarías tiene este encuentro con la Divinidad y luego se queda mudo porque no creía en todo lo que Dios podía hacer. Pero la gente a su alrededor.... ¡hablaba y hablaba y hablaba!

Este domingo leemos el libro del profeta Jeremías. Leamos hoy parte de la primera lectura: "Jeremías dijo: 'Oigo los murmullos de muchos: "¡Terror por todas partes! Denunciamoslo". Todos los que fueron mis amigos están atentos a cualquier paso en falso mío". Aquí de nuevo, los susurros, las conversaciones, y la vigilancia.

Recuerdo hace unos años -y he vuelto a buscar para encontrar la charla actual- al Papa Francisco dirigiéndose, creo que a sacerdotes, y diciendo que los chismes son el terrorismo de la Iglesia. Que las palabras que pronunciamos pueden aterrorizar a los demás, convertirlos en rehenes de su pasado e impedirles vivir. Creo que da en el clavo.

Tómate un tiempo para pensar en tu día de hoy o en las últimas 24 horas... ¿puedes considerar algunas ocasiones en las que hablaste mal o incluso simplemente hablaste de otra persona? Si pensamos en ello, se sorprendería de lo a menudo que puede ocurrir. Quizás con alguien que conocemos o incluso con un famoso o con políticos. A menudo podemos sentir la necesidad de hablar, condenar, juzgar, seguir adelante, etc.

La Iglesia, como sabe el Papa Francisco, ¡no está por encima de esto! El Señor lo sabe. Con total transparencia, pienso en cuántas veces me quedo corto en este terreno. Cuán rápido me apresuro a hacer un comentario, a juzgar o a pasar algo a otra persona. Siento que nunca estoy lo suficientemente alerta. En segundo lugar, pienso en cuántas veces se me han acercado con afirmaciones y preguntas cómo: "FJ, ¿te has

enterado de lo que está pasando en esta parroquia? o "P. John, sabes que la gente está diciendo..." o "Oye, he oído que vas a poner un comedor de beneficencia en el centro de extensión. ¿Qué estás pensando?" o "¿Así que vas a hacer todas las misas bilingües?". Estas preguntas son fáciles de responder. (Respuestas, por orden: No es asunto mío. Por favor, pídale que hablen conmigo. No. No.)

El Papa Francisco ofreció un gran consejo, creo, en esa misma charla. Si quieres cotillear, primero muérdete la lengua. Si todavía quieres cotillear, muérdete la más fuerte... ¡Incluso hazte sangre si es necesario! Da risa, pero pruébalo la próxima vez que quieras hablar de otra persona. Puede que necesites ir al médico de la lengua por todas las heridas, si eres sincero.

Hay otra sabiduría para tratar con el chisme y viene de la experiencia de Zacarías. Después de dudar de Dios, se queda mudo. Sabiduría a muchos niveles. Es incapaz de responder a las habladurías sobre una pareja mayor que va a dar a luz y sólo habla para anunciar el nombre de Juan. (Todo el mundo hablaba en ese momento de que debería ser otro nombre.... ¡más habladurías!). Luego reza el Benedictus, una hermosa oración de alabanza a Dios. Esto también puede funcionar.

Hace unas semanas, después de un día de colegio, reuniones, etc. Me echaron la bronca por muchas cosas, algunas de las que era responsable y otras con las que no tenía nada que ver (de verdad, tenía 27 años cuando ocurrió...). Empecé a intentar responder y luego me quedé callado y escuché. Hubo un montón de "Usted no sabe" y "La gente está hablando..." y "He oído hablar de usted..." y así sucesivamente. Cuando la persona terminó, unos 20 minutos más tarde, le di las gracias y le deseé lo mejor. Todo en mí quería despotricar o llamar a un amigo, etcétera. Me quedé callado y recé una oración por la persona, pidiéndole a Dios que le ayudará (fue una bonita oración) y a mí. Fue una buena práctica, como la de Zacarías, que me sirvió de mucho. ¿Quizá a ti te funcione lo mismo? La gente dice que podría funcionar.

Por favor, reza una oración por mí - te prometo lo mismo.

*Father John*



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Help Needed TODAY!

E-mail or call Fr.  
John at  
fatherjohn  
@saintbrigid.net  
or 516.334.0021

# Baptism

We are in need of volunteers to assist with baptism intakes - here at St. Anthony Hall and on your schedule. Be the "first" person many encounter at St. Brigid's. Training provided! A great way to serve our newest families at St. Brigid's!



## Summer

## Evening Prayer

Monday, July 10th  
Monday, July 24th  
Monday, August 7th

7:00 p.m.  
Gazebo -  
St. Brigid's Green



Bring a chair and a friend! We'll take care of the rest!

Trae una silla y a un amigo. Nosotros nos encargamos del resto.

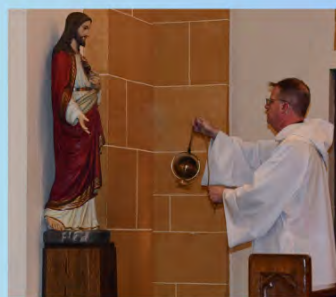


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## Praying for Sister Ann & Socorro Moreno

On Thursday, June 15, 2023, St. Brigid's gathered to celebrate Solemn Evening Prayer for the Vigil of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and to honor and give thanks to God for Sister Ann Horn, O.P. and Socorro Moreon for their years of service as Directors of Faith Formation. Sister Peggy McVetty, O.P., Prioress of the Sisters of St. Dominic, preached at the Evening Prayer. Following, all gathered on St. Brigid's Green for a wonderful celebration of community and gratitude. Thank you to all who helped to make this such a wonderful evening.



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## SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

All volunteers and employees at St. Brigid's are required to participate in a VIRTUS training course and to go through a background check. You can sign up for the VIRTUS classes by visiting [www.drvc.org](http://www.drvc.org) or clicking here: <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/index.cfm?> We offer a class or two each month at St. Brigid's. You may take the class anywhere it is offered.

### UPCOMING CLASSES AT ST. BRIGID'S

Sunday, June 25th - 5 p.m. (Spanish)

Monday, July 17th - 7 p.m. (English)

Wednesday, July 19th - 4 p.m. (English)

If you need help registering for the class or filling out paperwork, WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU! Please contact the Parish Office - 516.334.0021 or email [elvia.l@saintbrigid.net](mailto:elvia.l@saintbrigid.net) or [irma.c@saintbrigid.net](mailto:irma.c@saintbrigid.net). Appointments available during the day and at night.

### REMINDERS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Please check your email regularly to complete monthly updates. (Be sure to check your "spam" or "Junk" folder.)

**PASTORAL INTERVENTION TEAM** The dedicated telephone line for reporting allegations of sexual abuse (516-694-9063) continues to be available. If the caller does not reach someone directly, messages can be left on an answering machine connected to the phone. Those messages will be retrieved by a member of the Intervention Team and returned as soon as possible. All appropriate steps will be taken to protect the reputation and privacy of those involved. For more information on the Charter for the Protection of Children / Young People, please visit [drvc.org](http://drvc.org).

Todos los voluntarios y empleados de St. Brigid's deben participar en un curso de formación VIRTUS y someterse a una verificación de antecedentes. Puede inscribirse en las clases de VIRTUS visitando [www.drvc.org](http://www.drvc.org) o haciendo clic aquí: <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/index.cfm?> Ofrecemos una o dos clases cada mes en St. Brigid's. Usted puede tomar la clase en cualquier lugar que se ofrece.

### PRÓXIMAS CLASES EN ST. DE BRIGIDA

Domingo 25 de junio - 17.00 h (español)

Lunes, 17 de julio - 19.00 h (inglés)

Miércoles, 19 de julio - 16.00 h (inglés) Si necesita registrarse para la clase o llenar papeleo, ESTAMOS AQUI PARA AYUDARLE! Por favor, póngase en contacto con la Oficina Parroquial - 516.334.0021 o correo electrónico [elvia.l@saintbrigid.net](mailto:elvia.l@saintbrigid.net) o [irma.c@saintbrigid.net](mailto:irma.c@saintbrigid.net). Citas disponibles durante el día y la noche.

### RECORDATORIOS PARA VOLUNTARIOS

Por favor, revise su correo electrónico con regularidad para completar las actualizaciones mensuales. (Asegúrese de revisar su carpeta de "spam" o "Junk").

### **EQUIPO DE INTERVENCIÓN PASTORAL**

La línea telefónica dedicada para reportar acusaciones de abuso sexual (516-694-9063) sigue estando disponible. Si la persona que llama no consigue hablar directamente con alguien, puede dejar mensajes en un contestador automático conectado al teléfono. Esos mensajes serán recuperados por un miembro del Equipo de Intervención y devueltos lo antes posible. Se tomarán todas las medidas oportunas para proteger la reputación y la intimidad de los implicados. Para más información sobre la Carta de Protección de la Infancia y la Juventud, visite [drvc.org](http://drvc.org).

# PARISH OUTREACH

*We are here to serve and care for you!*

If you're struggling with something and not sure where to turn, please turn to St. Brigid's. We may not be able to address all concerns but will do our best to help and/or refer you for additional support. Our Parish provides confidential support and assistance. Immigration concerns, food insecurity, serious illness, economic problems, mental health concerns and many others are issues we may all face at different times in our lives.

Si tiene problemas con algo y no está seguro de a dónde acudir, diríjase a St. Brigid's. Es posible que no podamos abordar todas las inquietudes, pero haremos todo lo posible para ayudarlo y/o recomendarlo para obtener asistencia adicional. La oficina de ayuda provee apoyo y ayuda confidencialmente. Las preocupaciones de inmigración, la inseguridad alimentaria, las enfermedades graves, los problemas económicos, los problemas de salud mental y muchos otros son problemas que todos podemos enfrentar en diferentes momentos de nuestras vidas.

## PANTRY SHOPPING LIST

These are the items our pantry is in particular need of this week. You can drop them off at the Schaefer Center or leave them at the doors of the Church or Chapel.

- Canned Beets
- Canned Peas
- Juice (any size)
- Snacks

If donating food to the pantry via delivery, the address is 75 Post Avenue, Westbury, NY

*Our Parish Outreach program, located in the Father Schaefer Outreach Building, provides a range of social services for people of the local community.*

**Address:**

75 Post Avenue,  
Westbury NY 11590  
516.334.0021

**DIRECTOR OF OUTREACH & COORDINATOR OF CASA MARY JOHANNA,**

*St. Brigid's Immigration Outreach Ministry*  
Yanira Chacon  
516.334.0021 x. 362  
yanira@saintbrigid.net

**THE WELL**

*Barbara Powell*  
516.334.0021 x. 361  
barbarap@saintbrigid.net

**FOOD PANTRY:**

*Ximena Aravena*  
516.334.0021 x. 327  
ximena@saintbrigid.net

**Hours of operation:**

<b>Monday</b>	4:30p - 7p
<b>Tue. &amp; Wed.</b>	10:30a - 12p 1p - 3p
<b>Thursday</b>	10:30a - 12p 4:30p - 7p
<b>Friday</b>	10:30a - 12p

## CASA MARY JOHANNA

¿Necesita una carta de la iglesia para algún trámite legal? Llame el censo parroquial para obtener esta carta. Censo disponible en la oficina parroquial. -

¿Necesita un identificación de la parroquia?

Presente un documento de su país de origen. (Pasaporte, acta de nacimiento ó tarjeta de elector).



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*Moving on up and Getting up!*

## CHAIR NEWS!

This week, we have started to use a platform for the Presider's Chair. This will allow the Presider to be better seen behind the cantor stand in the Church.



In Our Lady's Chapel, we have purchased a number of chairs with "arms" that will make getting up and down a little easier for some of our parishioners.



## Brigid's On the Move...



The Sunday Night Mass will move to St. Brigid's Church beginning on

**Sunday, July 2, 2023.**

This will allow us to close Our Lady's Chapel earlier and also avoid some conflicts with other events in the school parking lot this summer.

THE SIX @

**...from Maple to Post**

## Low Gluten Hosts Available

Low gluten Communion hosts are made in a dedicated bakery from a recipe of wheat starch and water, approved by the United States Council of Catholic Bishops as valid matter for use in the Catholic Eucharist according to canonical requirements. Gluten content of this wafer is below 20 parts per million.

PLEASE ASK THE SACRISTAN BEFORE MASS IF YOU NEED A LOW GLUTEN HOST.

## Ministry of Consolation

St. Brigid's needs you - particularly as we seek to serve those who mourn. The Ministry of Consolation assists families in preparing for the funeral of a loved one. Can you offer your gifts to support our families in need? At this time, we are in particular need of:

- **Greeters:** Welcome guests coming to St. Brigid's, handout the worship aid, direct people to their seats on the day of the funeral.
- **Worship Aid Makers:** able to update our Mass program for each funeral, involves light computer and possibly copier use

If you're able to help or want to find out more information, contact the Ministry of Consolation by reaching out to the front desk at [frontdesk@saintbrigid.net](mailto:frontdesk@saintbrigid.net) or calling 516.334.0021.



# OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOL

*St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional Catholic School  
101 Maple Avenue, Westbury, NY 11590 + 516.333.0580  
Mr. Paul Clagnaz, Principal*

Earlier in June, our Nursery, Pre-K and Kindergarten students celebrated the end of their school year with **Moving Up** programs. Congratulations to our youngest learners and their families!



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## We Welcome the Newly Baptized

Dylan Haziel Carcamo Martinez  
Ingrid Dayana Romero Nunez  
Grace Ariana Escorza  
Jaziel Santiago Leyva-Zelada  
Miguel Ignacio Garcia Marquez  
Jeimy Estefani Rivera Guevara  
Henry Balmore Pineda Rodriguez

## ***Salve Regina Mater Misericordiae***

*The following have been enrolled in the Perpetual Mass in honor of Our Lady of Westbury offered each Saturday.*

Michael Bernardo (+)  
Sr. Hannah Marie Cox  
(living)  
Jules Misa (+)



St. Brigid's Church Haitian Community presents:

## **HOLY LAND AND ROME PILGRIMAGE**



10 Days - October 24 - November 2, 2023  
Visit Tel Aviv, Nazareth, Cana, Mount of Beatitudes, Sea of Galilee, Jerusalem, Rome and more!

For more information, contact Cari  
Estime or Fr. Nesly at 516.334.0021



# KOMINOTE AYISYÉN

- Chak dimanch, nou genyen lamès an Kreyol a 2h30 PM, epi lamès an Fransè a, dènye dimanch chak mwa.
- Haitian Kreyol Mass: Sunday at 2:30 Church - Post Avenue
- Tout fanmy ki ap bezwèn fe Baptèm, Antèman oubyen Maryaj nan kominote Ayisyen lan, en Fransè oubyen en Kreyol ap bezwen rele nan biro pawas la dekwa pou yo kapab jwenn tout enfòmasyon ke yo ap bezwen sans saa.
- For baptisms, marriages, funerals, memorial masses in Kreyol, French, families must call Parish Office for information.
- Chak dezyèm Samedi nan Mwa yok Gwoup Ayisyen Karismatik la genyen Lapriyè a 8 h PM nan Legliz pawas la.
- Charismatic Prayer: Every 2nd Saturday of the month, at 8 PM Church - Post Avenue.
- Chak premye Samedi nan Chak Mwa se Randevou ak tout Asosye Monfortain yo nan chapèl lekòl Our Lady of Hope, Pawas la a 2h PM.  
Associate Montfort Group Mass: Every 1st Saturday of the month - 2 PM - Our Lady's Chapel Chapel, Maple Avenue.
- Pou tout aktivite pelerinaj yo ak lapriyè karismatik yo, rele Carismène Estimé nan nimero: 516 770 3248.
- Pilgrimages: Contact Carismène Estimé at the Parish Office for Fr. Nesly Jean Jacques
- Pa bliye ranpli "Census la", nou tout ki ta renmen anregistre pou vini mamb nan kominote yo. N'ap jwenn ti livrè saa le nou apènn rantre legliz la ak nan biwo pawas. N'ap pran li, nap ranpli infomasyon yo mande nou yo . Epi nap remetli bay sekretè ki nan biwo a. lap fè swivi tout bagay pou nou epi konsa nap vini mamb nan paroisse la.
- To register and become member of the parish of St. Brigid's, please complete the Census (blue book) available in the Parish Office.
- Chak premye samedi nan chak mwa, "asosye Monfoten" gen lames nan "Shrine Our lady of Island" , Eastport ak tout mamb yo a 2h PM. Tout fidèl yo invite tou. Nap tan nou tout.



# WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK

*ORAMOS POR LOS QUE ESTAN ENFERMOS..*

Michael Bustillo  
Michael Guadagnoli  
Dan Foster  
Juan Antonio Chacon  
Mary Ellen & Vincent Ciranto  
Kate Furcano  
Ann Jensen  
Gertrude Westphal  
Grace Bivona  
Alicia Gonzalez Rodriguez  
Nancy Brown  
Karen Howe  
Gail Tooker

Alicia Gonzalez,  
Wanderley Camargo  
Michael Coppola  
Gordon Shaw  
Elizabeth Pennisi  
Karen Howe  
Philip Ryan  
Wendy Rivera Ortega  
Joshua Bourassa  
Baby Joshua Love  
Frank Joseph Turano  
Sanjeev Bode  
Rita McDougall  
Shashini Chameli Kumari  
Dehideniya

Michael Zenick  
Armando Reyes  
Dan Augere  
Angel L. Ocasio, Sr.  
Ahmed  
Audrey Hall  
Anthony Iovino  
Mary McKenna  
Carlos Ivan Monserrate  
Shannon Kula  
Raymond Thomen  
Carol Roth  
Gilberto Aravena  
Raymond Henning  
Christopher Bagnasco

Gladys Martinez  
Rhonda Jo Stephens  
Maria Mannetta  
Toufique Bin Habib  
Tony Perfetti  
Jeanette Murphy  
Christine Clancy  
Bernice Campbell  
Carley Barten  
Timmy Sullivan  
Paul Ryan Smith  
Catherine Dillon  
Brian McGrath  
Sharon Shovein  
Polly Gibson

## WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED...

*REZAMOS POR LOS QUE HAN MUERTO..*

Simona Reyes, Emmanuele Eustache, Robert J. Gonzalez, Denise A. Tilley, Christine T. Giardino

## WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SERVE IN THE MILITARY...

*ORAMOS POR AQUELLOS QUE SIRVEN EN LAS FUERZAS ARMADAS..*

Vladimir Julien - Naval Chief in Okinawa Japan  
John Gaeta - Lnc. Corporal USMC Northern Europe  
Cameron Crosby - Corporal Marines  
Dillon Puglisi - STSSR US Navy, Guam  
Patrick Simons, Lieutenant, US Navy  
Daniel Tilghman

### **We have refreshed our Military Prayer List**

If you wish to place someone on the military prayer or sick list, please go to parish website and click on "Forms" and "Prayer Requests", or call the parish office.

<https://saintbrigid.net> - 516.334.0021 ext. 300



# THE MASS

## FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING JUNE 26

### MONDAY/LUNES JUNE 26

7:00am - Souls in Purgatory  
12:10pm - Kevin Preiss

### TUESDAY/MARTES JUNE 27

7:00am - Joseph Louis & Anne Carmen Ellie  
12:10pm - Matthew Conte

### WEDNESDAY/MIERCOLES JUNE 28

7:00am - Joseph Gedeon  
12:10pm - Reynaldo King  
7:30pm - Maricela Mejia

### THURSDAY/JUEVES JUNE 29

7:00am - Richard & Anreda Berry  
12:10pm - James & Nancy Ritschel

### FRIDAY/VIERNES JUNE 30

7:00am - Rev. Gregory (Anthony) Heinlein  
12:10pm - Bob Hug

### SATURDAY/SAGRADO JUL 1

8:00am - Novena Mass -  
5:00pm - Rose Vingo  
7:00pm - Mauricio Amaya

### SUNDAY/DOMINGO JULY 2

7:00am (English) - Helen Shaw  
8:00am (Spanish)\* -  
8:30am (Italian) - Carmina Buffolino, Giacomina Petti, Filippo & Angelina Petti, Simone & Anamaria Mauro, Vincenzo, Mino, Dominick & Roberto Berasti, Salvatore DeLucia  
9:30am (English)\* - Leonido Maala  
10:00am (English) - Dolores Manzioe, Karl John Sederholt, Gary Keller, Jerald Graff, Annette McGrath, Lucrezia Sallustio  
10:45am (Spanish)\* - Oscar Rodriguez  
11:30am (English) - Ching Keong "CK" Teng  
12:15am (Spanish)\* - Jose Roman  
2:30pm (Kreyol) - For Mr. & Mrs. Denis & family (In Thanksgiving)  
6:00pm (English)\* -

\*Mass is celebrated in Our Lady's Chapel - 101 Maple Avenue  
Daily Masses are celebrated in the Church.

## Looking Ahead....Thirteenth Sunday Ordinary

*Consider praying this prayer from the Roman Missal that will be part of our liturgy for next Sunday:*

*O God, who through the grace of adoption, chose us to be children of light, grant, we pray, that we may not be wrapped in the darkness of error but always be seen to stand in the bright light of truth. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.*

*Considere rezar esta oración del Misal Romano que será la parte de nuestra liturgia para el próximo domingo.:*

*Señor Dios, que mediante la gracia de la adopción filial quisiste que fuéramos hijos de la luz, concédenos que ne nos dejemos envolver en las tinieblas del error, sino que permanezcamos siempre vigilantes en el esplendor de la verdad. Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo, que vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espirity Santo y es Dios por los siglos de los siglos.*



# FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Here is some basic information about our parish community. Visit [www.saintbrigid.net](http://www.saintbrigid.net) for more detailed information or call the Parish Office at 516.334.0021 or e-mail [frontdesk@saintbrigid.net](mailto:frontdesk@saintbrigid.net)

## PARISH LEADERSHIP

**Fr. Nesly Jean Jacques, SMM**

*Associate Pastor*

**Fr. Andres Velez**

*Associate Pastor*

**Fr. Alfred Emeka Okakpu**

*In Residence*

**Rev. Msgr. James Vlaun**

*In Residence*

**Deacon Jim Morris**

**Deacon Frank Pesce**

**Deacon Manuel Ramos**

**Ximena Aravena**

*St. Brigid's Food Pantry*

**Vince Buzzeo**

*Youth Minister*

**Marcel Catafago**

*Business Manager*

**Yanira Chacon-Lopez**

*Director of Outreach*

*Casa Mary Joanna*

**Paul Clagnaz**

*Regional School Principal*

**Sister Ann Horn, OP**

*Director of Faith Formation*

**Socorro Moreno**

*Director of Faith Formation*

**Susan Porteus**

*Director of Music*

**Barbara Powell**

*St. Brigid's Well*

**Fr. John Sureau,**

**Pastor**

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## We Celebrate the Eucharist (Mass)

**Saturday Evening** (Church - Post Avenue) 5:00 pm (English) - 7:00 pm (Spanish)

**Sunday (Church- Post Avenue)** 7:00 am (English) - 8:30 am (Italian) -

10:00 am (English) 11:30 am (English) - 2:30 pm (Kreyol)

**Sunday (Our Lady's Chapel in the School - 101 Maple Avenue)**

8:00 am (Spanish) - 9:30 am (English) - 10:45 am (Spanish) 12:15 pm (Spanish) - 6:00 pm (English)

Daily Mass (Monday - Friday): 7 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. (St. Brigid's Church)

Wednesday (Spanish): 7:30 p.m. (St. Brigid's Church)

Saturday Mornings: 8 a.m. (St. Brigid's Church)

## We Welcome Sinners/ Damos la Bienvenida a Los Pecadores

Confessions are heard Monday - Friday after the 12:10 p.m. Mass, Wednesdays from 6:45- 7:15 p.m.

Saturdays from 4- 4:45 p.m. and 6:15-6:45 p.m.

Habr  confesiones de lunes a viernes despu s de la misa de las 12:10 p. m.

Mi rcoles de 6:45 pm a 7:15 p. m.

S bados de 4:00 pm a 4:45 p.m. y 6:15-6:45 p. m.

## Celebramos el Bautismo/ We Celebrate Baptism

For more information about celebrating the baptism of your child, please contact the Parish Office at 516.334.0021 or email [frontdesk@saintbrigid.net](mailto:frontdesk@saintbrigid.net) to set a baptism intake appointment. For children above the age of 7 and adults who desire baptism or confirmation, please contact the Office of Faith Formation at 516.334.0021 or email [faithformation@saintbrigid.net](mailto:faithformation@saintbrigid.net).

Para obtener m s informaci n sobre c mo celebrar el bautismo de su hijo, comun quese a la Oficina Parroquial al 516.334.0021 o env e un correo electr nico a [frontdesk@saintbrigid.net](mailto:frontdesk@saintbrigid.net) para programar una cita inicial para el bautismo. Para ni os mayores de 7 a os y adultos que deseen bautizarse o confirmarse, comun quese con la Oficina de Formaci n en la Fe al 516.334.0021 o env e un correo electr nico a [Faithformation@saintbrigid.net](mailto:Faithformation@saintbrigid.net).

# FOR YOUR INFORMATION

## **We Love Children and Families at St. Brigid's!**

### **¡Nos encantan los niños y las familias en Santa Brígida!**

For information about St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope Regional School, please call (516) 333-0580 (or scan this QR code). For information about our Faith Formation Program, for public school children in Grades 1-12, go to [saintbrigid.net](http://saintbrigid.net) or call the Parish Office at (516) 334-0021, ext. 352



Para obtener información sobre la Escuela Regional St. Brigid/Our Lady of Hope, llame al (516) 333-0580 (o escanee este código QR. Para obtener información sobre nuestro Programa de Formación en la Fe, para niños de escuelas públicas en los grados 1-12, visite [saintbrigid.net](http://saintbrigid.net) o llame a la Oficina Parroquial al (516) 334-0021, extensión 352

## **¡Nos encantan las bodas!/ We Love Weddings!**

Comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial o envíe un correo electrónico a [frontdesk@saintbrigid.net](mailto:frontdesk@saintbrigid.net) para programar una cita inicial. Para aquellos que están casados por lo civil y desean que su matrimonio sea reconocido por la Iglesia, llamen a la Oficina Parroquial. Los planes deben hacerse por lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha deseada para la boda.

Please contact the Parish Office or email [frontdesk@saintbrigid.net](mailto:frontdesk@saintbrigid.net) to schedule an initial intake. For those who are married civilly and desire to have their marriages recognized by the Church, please call the Parish Office. Plans should be made at least six months before your desired wedding date.

## **We Care for the Sick and the Homebound/**

### **Nos preocupamos por los enfermos y los confinados en casa**

Just because you may not be able to come to St. Brigid's does not mean you are any less a part of our parish family. If you or a loved one would like to receive communion at home or be anointed by a priest, please contact the Parish Office.

El hecho de que no pueda venir a Santa Brígida, no significa que no sea parte de nuestra familia parroquial. Si usted o un ser querido desea recibir la comunión en casa o ser ungido por un sacerdote, comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial.

## **Oramos ante el Santísimo Sacramento/**

### **We Pray Before the Blessed Sacrament**

La exposición del Santísimo Sacramento se lleva a cabo en la Iglesia de lunes a viernes desde la 1 p.m. hasta las 5 p. m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place in the Church Monday - Friday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

## **We Want to Help/Queremos Ayudar**

Our parish offices are located at St. Anthony Hall - 85 Post Avenue, Westbury, NY. Office hours are Monday - Friday from 12 Noon to 8 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Please call us at (516) 334-0021 or e-mail to [frontdesk@saintbrigid.net](mailto:frontdesk@saintbrigid.net)

Nuestras oficinas parroquiales están ubicadas en St. Anthony Hall - 85 Post Avenue, Westbury, NY. El horario de oficina es de lunes a viernes de 12:00pm a 8:00pm, sábado y domingo de 9 am-3:00 pm.

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# IN OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

*Information about parish prayer and liturgical life!*

## The Durazzano Society & The Ladies Auxilliary proudly present **THE FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY DI PADOVA**

Saint Brigid School Corner of Maple Avenue & St. Brigid's  
Lane, Westbury

**JUNE 29 TO JULY 2, 2023**

Thursday - June 29.  
6:00 pm to 10:00 pm

Music by DJ Angelo Lo Stivale

Friday - June 30  
7:00 pm to 11:00 pm

Music by Maria Venuto, Francesca Cavalaieri, and  
Joe Nastasi

Saturday - July 1  
7:00 pm to 11:00 pm

Music with Luigi Pane and Cioccolato Band

Sunday - July 2  
4:00 pm to 10:00 pm

Entertainment by Roberto Attanasio & Francesca  
Cavalieri

**ON SATURDAY EVENING THE DURAZZANO SOCIETY IS PROUD TO ANNOUNCE THERE WILL BE  
A SPECTACULAR DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS (IN CASE OF RAIN, THE FIREWORKS WILL BE HELD  
ON SUNDAY, THE LAST DAY OF THE FEAST)**

Sunday - July 2nd at 8:30 am A solemn Mass will be  
celebrated in honor of Santo Antonio to be held in St.  
Brigid Church on Post Avenue. After the Mass there will  
be a parade in honor of Santo Antonio in the streets of  
the Village.

At 9:00 pm there will be a Traditional Live Auction

At 10:00 pm a Raffle (1st Prize \$1,000; 2nd Prize \$250  
and 3rd Prize \$100

**SAVE THE DATE**

