

**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT  
MARCH 8, 2015**



**DESTROY THIS TEMPLE  
AND IN THREE DAYS I WILL RAISE IT UP.**

**THE BASILICA PARISH OF THE SACRED HEARTS OF JESUS AND MARY  
SOUTHAMPTON, NY**



# *Welcome to the Basilica Parish of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary*

## **Pastoral Team:**

**Rev. Michael A. Vetrano, Pastor**

In Residence: Rev. Msgr. William J. Gill

Carl Sanfilippo, Deacon

Jennifer Ferrantino, Director, Religious Education

Suzanne Marchisella, Parish & Cemetery Secretary

Jo Ann Morse, Director of Music

Bill Kunzer, Plant and Facilities Manager

### **Daily Mass**

Mon. Wed. Thurs. Fri. at 12 noon

Tue. at 8:00 am

First Saturday 8:00 am

### **Weekend Masses**

Saturday: 5 PM

Sunday: 8 AM, 9:30 AM,

11 AM, 12:30 PM (in Spanish)  
and 5 PM

### **Reconciliation**

Saturday: 4 PM - 4:45 PM

### **Ministry to the Sick**

For communion at home or Anointing  
please contact the Parish Office.

### **Baptism**

Please contact the Parish Office  
to schedule an appointment.

### **Marriage**

Arranged at least six months in  
advance, please call the Parish Office.

### **Becoming A Catholic**

We welcome those who would like to  
become Catholic and adult Catholics  
who have never received formal  
religious education and/or sacraments.  
Contact the Parish Office.

### **Parish Leadership:**

#### **Finance Committee**

Fred Weinfurt (trustee)

Pat Jordan (trustee)

Jay Diesing

Charlene Kagel

John Neknez

#### **Pastoral Council**

In formation

#### **Liturgy**

Deacon Carl Sanfilippo

Jack Hanlon

#### **Consolation**

Sr. Barbara McKenna, RSM

#### **Adult Faith Formation**

### **Contact Us**

#### **Parish Office**

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M-F 9 AM - 4:00 PM

Weekend by appointment

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#### **Apostolado Hispano**

Rev. Steve Grozio

631-283-4379 Cell: 631-375-1001

#### **Vincentian Fathers**

631-283-9647

### **Human Resources of the Hamptons — Help for those in Need**

The Human Resources Program volunteers reach out to meet the temporal needs of the elderly, the housebound, and the poor of our parish and community. Our parish Care for the Caregiver Program delivers hot meals to families in need of this kind of help on Wednesday evenings. Call the Human Resources Office for information and assistance.

# BASILICA PARISH OF SACRED HEARTS OF JESUS & MARY

## Third Sunday in Lent :: March 8, 2015

Readings: Ex 20:1-17; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25

**Mission Statement: We are a Eucharistic centered people, who by following Christ's teaching, join together to love and serve those in spiritual and physical need in our community.**

### Liturgical Ministers Schedule

#### **Saturday Mar 14 5 PM Father Mike Vetrano**

SERVERS Lenahan Family  
E.M.'S T. Cavallaro, T. Grimaldi, M. Lynch,  
LECTORS H. Reister

#### **Sunday Mar 15 8 AM Father Ed Kiernan**

SERVERS B. Ambrose, K. Culver, L. Martin  
E.M.'S M. King, P. Mackey, J. McKenna,  
C & J Mottern  
LECTORS P. Bogan, K. King-Bush  
GREETERS

#### **9:30 AM Father Mike Vetrano**

SERVERS A. Cuccia, F. Kelly, C & L Yastrzemski  
E.M.'S G. Arresta, J & A Cuccia, J. Neknez  
LECTORS R. Kelly, E. Morgani  
GREETERS I. Robinson, M. Robison, S. Stelling

#### **11 AM Father Bill Gill**

SERVERS M, N & W Bellucci, E. Wingfield  
E.M.'S S. Adelante, G. Bauer, J. Cleary,  
S. McCulley, L. Robins  
LECTORS J. Kepczynska  
GREETERS C. Brown, C. Butler

#### **5 PM Father Paul Dahm**

SERVERS R. Anderson, J. Terry  
E.M.'S N. Conroy, S. Oldakowski,  
L. DeRobertis  
LECTORS M. Terry

### **ALTAR MINISTRY**

ALTARS: J. Ripalone

ALTAR CLOTHS: G. Bauer

HAND LINENS - March 1-14—D. Blake-Mott

### **SOUTHAMPTON HOSPITAL**

March 8—J. McCarthy

March 15—D. Podlaski

### **HAMPTON CENTER**

March 8—J & C Mottern

March 15—T. Alegria, M. McDonald

Rosary— March 12—TBA



### **Mass Intentions for the Week of March 9-15**

Monday	12:00	Brian F. X. Fitzgerald
Tuesday	8 AM	Katherine Libous
Wednesday	12:00	John Borucke
Thursday	12:00	Philip McGuire
Friday	12:00	Richard McCabe
Saturday	5 PM	Bernard McKenna
Sunday	8:00	Filomena Marciw
	9:30	People of the Parish
	11:00	John, Douglas & William Borucke
	12:30	Mass in Spanish
	5 PM	William B. Platt, Jr.

### **Financial Realities and Stewardship**

The March 1st collection was \$5908.00

Thank you for your generosity.

### **Memorial donations**

To donate the flowers on the altar or bread and wine and/or candles offered at Mass each week, please contact the parish office. No flowers during Lent.

# Pastor's Letter

March 7/8

## Prayers for Deacon Carl

Dear Parish Family,

It has been a little more than two years since Deacon Carl Sanfilippo joined our staff here at Sacred Hearts. He has brought so much life and blessing to our community. Carl is the kind of person who lives out a deep life of faith in a very down to earth way that is full of humanity. He has helped so many of our families prepare for baptism, brought to life the ministry of consolation, and promoted the ministry of hospitality at our weddings.

Right now Carl and his wife Pat are facing a difficult time and really need our prayers.

It was just a year ago that Carl and Pat suffered the sudden loss of their daughter Jennifer who died suddenly in February 2013. I know that Carl and Pat faced this loss with great courage and faith. Carl began a bereavement group to help others facing loss not long after Jennifer's passing. Last year at our Living Stations of the Cross, he spoke beautifully and gave a powerful witness to how our community helped him walk that journey of loss and bereavement.

This past fall, Carl became concerned about feelings of fatigue and weakness. He has been undergoing a series of medical tests since then but has been feeling worse and worse. As a result, Carl has not been able to be with us since just before Christmas. In the last couple of weeks, the doctors have told him that he very likely has amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, a serious and progressive neurological disease which many know as Lou Gehrig's disease. ALS is a difficult disease to diagnose accurately and though serious, it can have a different rate of severity in different people. Needless to say, this has been a very hard diagnosis for his family to receive.

At this time, Carl is taking a break from all the medical visits to spend a week in Florida getting some warmth and a little rest. I know he misses the life of our parish and I have assured him that we will do whatever we can to help him return to a level of ministry that will be good and helpful for him. Until now there has been little we could say because of so much uncertainty. Now Carl has asked me to let everyone know what is happening. On his behalf I also ask you to pray for him and Pat. If you would like to send him a card or message you can do that through the rectory and I will be sure to get those messages to him.

In this season of Lent, let us lift our Deacon Carl and his family up to the compassionate and healing love of our God.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

*Fr. Mike*

Rev. Michael A. Vetrano



## **A Note from Religious Education Director Jennifer Ferrantino**

Lent continues and we are challenged to see the coming of our Lord in the things we are doing and not doing. Our children are actively participating in Lenten preparations in classes and outside of class.

Our Confirmation candidates have been eagerly assisting in parish life, as greeters, lectors and helpers at Mass.

We are so proud of these students who are taking these steps to embrace their faith and live it out.

We are planning our Living Stations of the Cross on Good Friday (April 3<sup>rd</sup>), many of our young people will be helping with this event. It is wonderful event and a great way to spiritually connect with the Easter message, if any parishioner is interested in helping please contact me.

First Holy Communion Families will meet for the First Holy Communion workshop Saturday March 14<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM in the Parish Hall.

Confirmation Families please be sure to hand in all your paperwork and mark your calendars for Confirmation retreat Saturday April 25<sup>th</sup>.

Please contact me with any questions 631-283-0508 or [jferrantino@shjmbasilica.org](mailto:jferrantino@shjmbasilica.org)



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## **Youth Ministry!**



**On Friday March 20<sup>th</sup> we will have Stations of the Cross lead by our young people at 7 PM in our church and a Lenten soup supper gathering for 8<sup>th</sup> graders and up.**

**Bring a friend! For a spirit filled fun evening.  
Contact Jen Ferrantino with any questions.**

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## Cold Weather Financial Realities

It has been a winter of record cold and some very bad weekend weather. Already this winter our maintenance staff has used almost 4000 pounds of rock salt to keep our walkways as safe as possible.

**But no matter how much we do, a weekend storm or icy weather keeps people away and has negative impact on our collections!**

If you stayed home the last couple of weeks out of an abundant concern for safety, you certainly did the right thing. If you could **help us make up the collections for the last few weeks** we would be even more grateful! Parish life and financial realities never head south or take a vacation. Your help is appreciated.



## 2015 Catholic Ministries Appeal Serving God by Serving Others



*"No vocation is born of itself  
or lives for itself. A vocation flows from the  
heart of God and blossoms in the good soil  
of faithful people"*

-Pope Francis

### Answering the Call to Serve

Father James Shelton, ordained in June of 2014, remembers the day he entered the Seminary.

***"From the first moment that I walked into the Seminary, I knew immediately that being a priest was what I wanted to do; I knew I was going to be happy and joyful serving God's people."***

The Catholic Ministries Appeal helps seminarians devote themselves fully to their studies as they prepare to serve as our priests.

Today, serving as an Associate Pastor at Good Shepherd in Holbrook, Fr. Shelton hopes to reach out to others so they can ***"experience the joy and peace that the Lord provides."***

# **Our Parish Mission 2015**

## **Walking With Jesus with Fr. Pat Kelly**

This Lent our parish will welcome Fr. Pat Kelly for a three night mission, March 9th, 10th, and 11th. A native of Ireland and a member of the African Mission Society, Father Pat's whole priesthood has been devoted to mission work. He has served the poorest of God's poor and will share with us in wit and song how he has met Jesus along the way. Please set aside these three evenings of faith and inspiration.



**Monday, March 9th, at 7:30 PM**  
**From Knowing About Jesus to**  
**Knowing Jesus Personally.**

One missionaries journey from head to heart. The importance of Mary's *Magnificat* (Luke 1:38).

**Wednesday, March 11th,**  
**at 7:30 PM**  
**The Cross in Our Lives Today**

Realizing what Jesus accomplished for us on the cross is the most important truth we will ever learn in our lives. Col.2:13-15.

**Tuesday, March 10th,**  
**at 7:30 PM**  
**Accepting the Gift of Salvation**

Realizing that our salvation begins, not with what we do, but with accepting what Jesus has done. Salvation is a free gift and cannot be earned. I will share how this truth is presented to us in Paul's letter to the Ephesians.

**Please also remember that Father Pat will also be celebrating daily mass on Monday at noon, Tuesday at 8:00am, and Wednesday at Noon**  
**A kind of Mini-Mission for those who are not able to hear him at night.**



## Angel Tea

Sunday, April 19, 2015

2:30 p.m.

Sacred Hearts Church - Parish Hall

Tea, Sandwiches, Raffles, 50/50 & Fun with Sr. Pat Duffy, OP

\$10 donation

RSVP by April 12 – 516-635-2638 Mary Welker

Presented by the Adult Faith Formation

Please call Patricia Sheerin 287-7864 if you would like to volunteer to make sandwiches or desserts or help setup on Friday, April 17, or breakdown on Sunday, April 19.



Dear Friends,

Although the official end of our In Nomine Domini renewal was Thanksgiving, donations and pledges continue to come in and many parishioners found the Christmas season a wonderful time to make a gift. The In Nomine Domini fund is an ongoing part of our parish. Parishioners and friends are welcome to support it at any time. You will find a full listing of all those who have pledged their support on our website and in this bulletin you will find those whose pledges were received since mid-

### In Nomine Domini Fund Preserving our Heritage Building our Future

I would like to make my gift in \_\_\_\_ payments over  One Year  Two Years

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

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

A check payable to Sacred Heart Church – In Nomine Domini is enclosed or please charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to MC Visa Amex

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

#### Founders

- \$100,000
- \$75,000
- \$50,000

#### In Nomine Domini Members

- \$25,000
- \$15,000
- \$10,000

#### Stewards

- \$5000
- \$2500
- \$1000

#### Supporters

- \$500
- \$250
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Our Lady of the Hamptons



While the heavy snow fell outside, one hundred-twenty dads and daughters enjoyed the music inside at the OLH Father-Daughter Luau .

Msgr. William J. Gill of the Basilica Parish of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary was the celebrant of the Lenten Liturgy prepared by Ms. Melissa Meyer and her third graders.

The drawing of the BUCKS FOR BOOKS grand raffle at OLH will be held on March 19. The raffle of prizes from \$500-\$20,000 is a major fund raiser to benefit the programs at the regional school. Please call 283-9140 to secure your tickets.

Registration for the September 2015 year at the OLH pre-school at St. Rosalie's Parish Center in Hampton Bays is now open. A fully licensed program for three and four year olds in preparation for elementary school is available with extended hours. Call 283-9140 to arrange tours and interviews. Space is limited.

Our Lady of the Hamptons, the East End's premier Catholic school, chartered by the State of New York, accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools is also recipient of a Blue Ribbon for Excellence from the U.S. Department of Education. OLH serves parishes and communities extending from Quogue to Montauk.

Information packets and registration materials are available at the school now, leading toward September 2015 enrollment. Registration for prospective kindergarten students (must be 5 years old prior to November 30, 2015), and grades one through five must be completed before March 15. Admission to the OLH prep (grades 6,7,8) in the newly constructed complex is limited but available.

### **McGann-Mercy Theatre Company to Perform "Diary of Anne Frank"**

On March 19th - 21st, the members of the award winning McGann-Mercy Theatre Company will perform their version of the stage adaptation, *"The Diary of Anne Frank"*. Set during World War II in the Netherlands, this stirring drama brings to life the pages of a diary written by young Anne Frank, who, along with her family and acquaintances hid for more than two years from the Nazis.

Running from Thursday, March 19th through Saturday, March 21st in the school auditorium, the show starts at 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$10 per person and will be sold at the door.

For more information on *The Diary of Anne Frank*, call 631.727.5900, ext. 310.

## Life Corner :: SHJM Respect Life Ministry

RESOURCES FOR THOSE SEEKING AN ALTERNATIVE TO ABORTION:

Rockville Centre Diocese, 516-678-5800, ext.626, [www.drvc.org/](http://www.drvc.org/)

[respectlife](http://respectlife.org/)

Priests for Life, 888-735-3448, [www.priestsforlife.org](http://www.priestsforlife.org)

Birthright, 631-728-8900, 800-550-4900

Healing post-abortion: Rachel's Vineyard, 877-467-3463,

[www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org)



*Did you know ...* for every one child adoption in America, there are approximately thirty (30) couples waiting to adopt. Although exact estimates are difficult to determine, there are probably over one million couples waiting to adopt in the USA.

The ratio of **abortions-to-adoptions** is about **12-to-1** ---

There are many sources providing adoption services; for more

information visit [www.heartbeatinternational.org](http://www.heartbeatinternational.org), or almost any pro-life website.

## The Synod on the Family — An opportunity to offer your input

This fall Pope Francis will gather bishops from around the world to reflect on the special care of our church for families. There is a special focus on families that are in some separated from the church and its teachings and families facing new challenges in our culture. If you go to our parish website you can read an entire document outlining these challenges. There are 45 questions on which the Pope seeks our advice.

Each diocesan bishop is being asked to prepare a response to these questions and to solicit the advice of priests, deacons, religious, and lay persons. If you would like to contribute your thoughts to some or all of these questions you should:

1. Visit the website and read the entire mandate.
2. Email you response to: [synodofbishops@drvc.org](mailto:synodofbishops@drvc.org) — you must include your name and parish.
3. Be sure to do so before March 13th and remember only responses sent this way will be included.

## Reflections On the Gospel from Pax Christi

March 8, 2015



A common image of Jesus is of a gentle, loving, merciful, healer who never gets angry, excited, or unpleasant. Then we read Sunday's Gospel where Jesus explodes, turning over tables and expelling money-changers and vendors from the Temple. Actually, this isn't the only time we see this side of Jesus in the Gospels, but it is probably the most extreme. The explanation is pretty clear, but what is the lesson in it for us? For one, we learn that righteous anger (not *self*-righteous anger) exists. Then we learn that turning over the tables of injustice is something we *should* do. In Jesus's case, we are taught that the injustices he was overturning included desecration of a sacred place and cheating. These could apply to us today, as well, but maybe there is another you'd prefer to choose. Think of all the "isms" like racism, sexism, classism, and ageism. Think of the Ten Commandments in the first reading. The difficulty might be choosing just one. Whichever you choose, let's all put our righteous anger to good use overturning what we know is wrong in God's eyes.

## Think Warm Thoughts The Tent Party is Coming! Be Part of the Plan

Yes, we all need some warm thoughts. So start to think about the summer. The new date for our Tent Party is Saturday August 29. We need committee members on every level to make this a success. Some opportunities are:

Our Sponsorship Committee  
Food and Beverage Committees  
Tent and Property Committee  
Service and Decoration Committee  
Prize and Entertainment Committee  
Publicity Committee  
Ticket Sales and Reservation Committee

If you are ready to help make this event a success please contact Fr. Mike by phone (283-0097)  
Email ([pastor@shjmbasilica.org](mailto:pastor@shjmbasilica.org)) Summer is on its Way



### Stations of the Cross

We remember the road to Jesus' death and link his journey to our own as our parish deacons lead us through this beautiful devotion. Come and pray with us...

**Each Friday during Lent— at 7 PM**

### Living Stations of the Cross

**Good Friday, April 3rd, at 7:30 PM in the Church**

This is a wonderful opportunity for your Lenten and Holy Week journey! Our parish community comes together—led by our young people, our Music Ministries and members of our parish community—who share their own personal experiences on this most holy and solemn night. The celebration includes the Veneration of the Cross.

## Grief: Coping with reminders after a loss :: Bereavement Group meets on Wednesdays at noon.

Grief doesn't magically end at a certain point after a loved one's death. Reminders often bring back the pain of loss. Here's help coping – and healing. To continue on the path toward healing, know what to expect – and how to cope with reminders of loss, a 6 week Bereavement Group meets on Wednesdays. Anyone interested please call the parish office at 283-0097 Ext 0.



## Ministries in Need of Your Help

### Lectors, Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers

Just about every one of our masses can use additional Lectors, Ushers, and Eucharistic Ministers. I would especially love to see some of the youngest members of our parish be of service in this way. **Our 5 PM mass on Sunday** needs the most support right now. We are often very short of all three ministries at this mass. If you are interested please contact Fr. Mike [pastor@shjmbasilica.org](mailto:pastor@shjmbasilica.org) Training will take place in April.

### Sexton for Saturday 5 PM

Fancy word, but a sexton is a person who opens and closes the church! We need someone who is available after the 5 PM mass on Saturdays, especially when we have visiting priests. It takes just about 10 minutes to close and secure our church at the end of the day. Interested? Please contact Fr. Mike [pastor@shjmbasilica.org](mailto:pastor@shjmbasilica.org)

### Altar Servers Needed!

We are looking for more young people to become Altar Servers. If your child is in grades 3-8 and would like to become an altar server please contact Mary Adamczyk at 283-4991.



## Adult Faith Opportunities for Prayer & Study

**Bible Study** :: meets every Tuesday at 1 PM in the upper meeting room of the Parish Center. New members are always welcome!

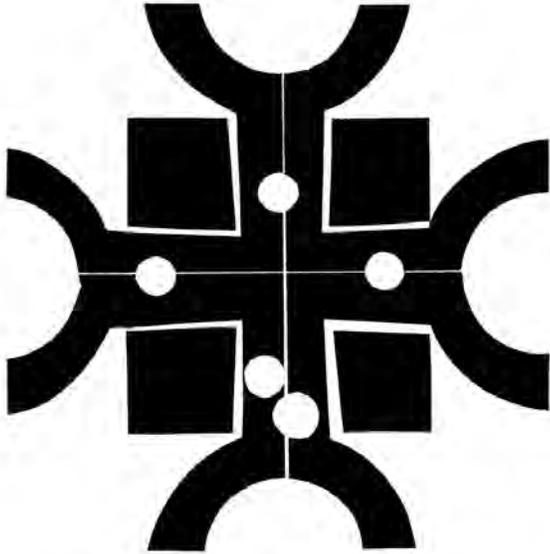
**Spiritual Book Group** :: meeting every Tuesday at 1 PM in the dining room of the Parish Center. New members are always welcome!

**Secular Franciscans** :: meet on the second Sunday of the month in the dining room of the Parish Center after the 11 AM Mass. Would you like to know more about us? Please come to our meeting. Bring a bag lunch and we will supply the coffee.

**Resurrection Prayer Group** meets on Thursdays at 7 PM in the Parish Center. Come share your healing gifts with us. All are welcome.

### We pray for the sick of our Parish and Community

Winnie Chin	John Bishop	Robert O'Shea	Suzanne Parillo
Gwendolyn Porter	Eileen Finlay	Roger Williams	Robert Melter
Daniel Sheerin	Stan Witkowski	Anne O'Brien	Anna Norsic
J T Welker	Marcelle Enne	Peg Jordan	
Paul Beatty, Sr.	Philip Masi	Patricia Kahl	Dorothy Higgins
Michael Kelley	Aubrie Press Rodecker	Christina Haag	Susan Katzer
Drew Bodin	Ann Blackmore	Perry DeLalio	Macario Yat de Leon
Dottie Brown	Eileen Birnholz	Bobby & Caroline Parillo	Mary Ann Tupper
Patricia Jordan			



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**El Misterio Pascual! Plenitud de los Tiempos, Clave de Redención** - Estamos en el Tercer domingo de Cuaresma y no olvidemos la meta hacia la cual camina esta Cuaresma: es una peregrinación que con Cristo, cargando con su cruz o ayunando en el desierto, va en busca de aquel "consumatum est" -todo se ha cumplido - y, más allá, la gloria de la Resurrección. Todas nuestras angustias como cruces a costas, como ayunos de Cuaresma, van a florecer, queridos hermanos. Por eso no perdamos la perspectiva de la Cuaresma. La gloria del resucitado es también nuestra gloria, nuestra herencia, en la medida en que nos unamos a su esfuerzo liberador en el dolor y en el sufrimiento. El Misterio Pascual es la meta, la muerte y la resurrección de Cristo. La Cuaresma es nada menos que peregrinar al encuentro de ese hecho que le dio el verdadero sentido de la historia de todos los hombres y de cada hombre. Por eso no podemos vivir la Cuaresma y la Semana Santa sin pensar en una implicación de mi vida personal. Como hombre y como pueblo, en su encrucijada actual, no [estamos perdidos]. ...Sabemos que Dios nos ama, como dice el mismo Papa, "Con un amor irreplicable". Es única tu relación con Dios. Dios respeta tu individualidad. Así como te ama como pueblo...Dios tiene designios en esta historia de salvación que nos va recordando en forma de una peregrinación hacia la Pascua, la santa Cuaresma. *Tomado de la Homilía de Mons. Oscar Romero, 18 de marzo de 1979*

**Vía Crucis** - Todos están invitados al Vía Crucis en nuestra basílica todos los viernes de la cuaresma a las 8:00 PM. Esta semana el Grupo de San Jerónimo nos guiará en la devoción.



**Ayuno, Abstinencia y Actos de Penitencia para la Cuaresma:** Los obispos de los Estados Unidos prescriben, como obligación mínima, que todas las personas que han cumplido los catorce años y los mayores de catorce están obligados a abstenerse de comer carne de res, de pollo, de puerco, etc., todos los viernes de cuaresma. Además, todas las personas desde los dieciocho años de edad hasta los cincuenta y nueve años, inclusivos, están obligadas a ayunar limitándose a una sola comida completa el viernes santo, mientras las otras dos comidas en esos días deben ser ligeras.

**Seguro de Salud para Niños** - La representante de *Fidelis Care*, Konny Tapias, estará en el Apostolado Hispano los miércoles de las 10 AM hasta la 1:00 PM, para ayudar con seguro de salud para los niños.

### Rincón de Información

#### Curso Pre-Bautismal

Domingo, 29 de marzo a la 1:30 PM en el Apostolado o las 5 PM en la iglesia en East Hampton. Favor de llevar la copia del acta de nacimiento del niño. Bautizos en Southampton serán el 5 de abril, el 3 de mayo, el 7 de junio y el 5 de julio.

#### El Asesor de Inmigración de Caridades Católicas

En el Apostolado el 12 de Marzo, de las 2:00 a las 5:00 PM.

#### Comunidad de Oración para Adultos y Familias

Los martes a las 7:30 PM en la el salón parroquial. El tercer martes de cada mes se reúne en la iglesia para la hora santa.

**Divina Misericordia** - Misa en la Basílica el cuarto miércoles de cada mes a las 8:00 PM.

**Preparación Pre Matrimonial** - Para casarse por la iglesia, haga una cita para una entrevista con el P. Marvin o el P. Esteban. El curso pre-matrimonial se da por seis domingos, de las 9 AM al mediodía comenzando el primer domingo de junio, octubre o febrero.

#### Requisitos para el Bautismo de un Niño

**Curso:** Para bautizar a su hijo, es necesario que los padres y padrinos asistan al curso pre-bautismal.

**Padrinos:** Debe escoger a los padrinos conscientes de los requisitos. Los padrinos tienen que ser católicos bautizados, confirmados y que han hecho su Primera Comunión y deben poder comulgar. El padrino (madrina) debe ser un(a) soltero (a) o debe ser casado por la iglesia.

**Permisos:** Si viven afuera de la zona servida por el Apostolado Hispano, necesitan una carta de su párroco dándonos permiso para bautizar su hijo.

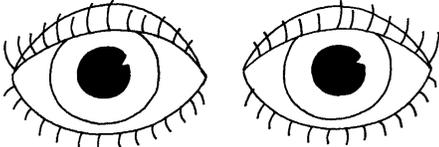
**Padre Esteban:** Cel: 631-375-1001; Fax: 631-287-0986

**Apostolado Hispano:** 631-283-4379; Fax: 631-287-7123

**Horas del Apostolado:** Miércoles, Jueves y Viernes -2-4 PM

Psalm 25:15 says,  
 "My eyes are ever fixed on the LORD."  
 That means we should follow and look to God for help.  
 To remind you of this, write your name on the blank.  
 Color the eyes the same as yours. Color the rest of the certificate.  
 Cut it out and hang it up.

\_\_\_\_\_ 's  
 (your name)



are Fixed on  
the Lord

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## HOSANNA

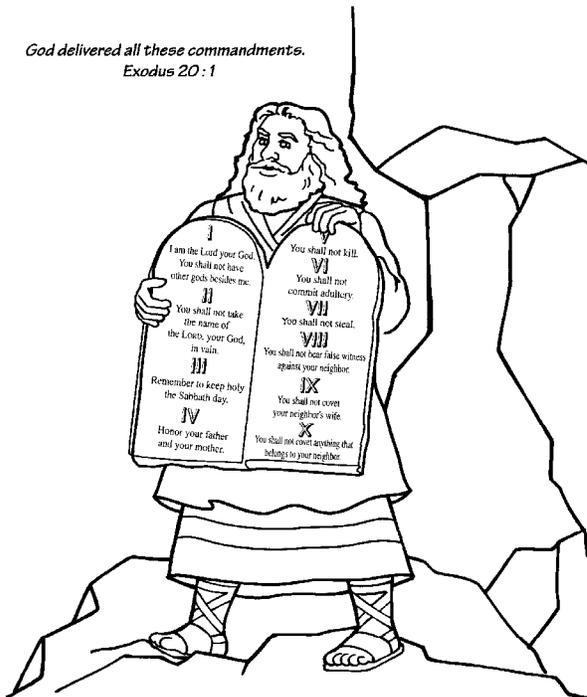
### Third Sunday of Lent

Once when Jesus was in Jerusalem, he found animals being sold in the Temple. He sent the sellers away because he wanted the Temple to be his Father's house of prayer, not a store. Look at both pictures. Circle five extra things in the bottom one.






God delivered all these commandments.  
 Exodus 20:1



## CATHOLIC CORNER

### LENTEN ALMSGIVING

This Lent we are learning about people who are great models of the Lenten practices of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Today we will meet a model of almsgiving. As we learn more about him we can practice becoming more like him.

St. Martin de Porres (1579-1639) was a very generous man. The son of a freed black slave and a Spanish nobleman, he grew up in poverty in Lima, Peru. As a young teenager he was taken into a Dominican monastery as a servant. Eventually he became a Dominican brother and served the poor all his life. He cared for sick brothers, and fed the poor of the town each day with leftover food from the monastery. He opened a home for abandoned street children and took in all races and faiths. He planted orchards on unused land and invited the poor to share the figs, olives, and oranges. He even taught them how to care for the orchards. He loved all creatures, even the mice he found in the monastery. He had very little and was always willing to give everything to the poor. What can we learn about almsgiving from Martin?

Try to fill the spaces below with the money you want to put aside for almsgiving this Lent. Maybe you already have it saved or maybe you can do chores to earn it. You can stack more than one coin on each spot. Each member of your family can make their own chart. Decide with your family where you will donate the money you collect during Lent.

25¢	10¢	5¢	1¢
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Remember, almsgiving is not just a practice for Lent.  
 Almsgiving should teach us how to be generous all of our lives.