

**SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 12, 2017**



**IF YOU BRING YOUR GIFT TO THE ALTAR,
AND THERE RECALL THAT A BROTHER OR SISTER
HAS ANYTHING AGAINST YOU,
LEAVE YOUR GIFT AT THE ALTAR,
GO FIRST AND BE RECONCILED
AND THEN COME AND OFFER YOUR GIFT.**

**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
Jeannine Rose, Director of Parish Social Ministry
Maura Mandato, Youth Minister
Dominick Abbate, Director of Music
Bill Kunzer, Plant and Facilities Manager

Daily Mass

Mon. Wed. Thurs. Fri. at 12 noon
Tue. at 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 with our
Deacon. Baptisms are generally
performed on Saturdays.

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 Office

Suzanne Marchisella
Karen Berry
Donna Valle

Parish Leadership:

Finance Committee

Fred Weinfurt (trustee)
Pat Jordan (trustee)
Jay Diesing
Charlene Kagel
John Neknez

Pastoral Council

In formation

Adult Faith Formation

Mary Adamczyk



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BASILICA PARISH OF SACRED HEARTS OF JESUS & MARY

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Sir 15:15-20; Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37

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, Feb 18 5 PM Fr. Bill Gill

SERVERS Terry Family
E.M.'S T. Cavallaro, M. King, M. Lynch
LECTORS C. Ferguson, K. King-Bush

Sunday, Feb 19 8 AM Fr. Bill Gill

SERVERS L. Martin
E.M.'S P. Mackey, J. McKenna,
J & C Mottern, M. Muller
LECTORS P. Bogan, M. Mackey
GREETERS

9:30 AM Fr. Joe Finnerty

SERVERS J. Ruggieri
E.M.'S G. Arresta, J. Cuccia, N. McCulley
D. Valle
LECTORS A. Cuccia, G. Rivera
GREETERS J. McCulley

11 AM Fr. Joe Finnerty

SERVERS L. Lenahan, May Family
E.M.'S T. Alegria, G. Bauer, S. McCulley, S.
Wilson
O. Wynne
LECTORS H & M Bennett
GREETERS C. Brown, C. Butler

5 PM Fr. Paul Dahm

SERVERS R. Anderson
E.M.'S L. DeRobertis, M. Nikolich
T. Westergard
LECTORS N. Conroy, A. O'Brien

ALTAR MINISTRY

ALTARS: J. Ripalone
ALTAR CLOTHS: G. Bauer
HAND LINENS - Feb.13—19

SOUTHAMPTON HOSPITAL

February 12—J & C Mottern
February 19—N. McCulley

HAMPTON CENTER

February 12—J. McCarthy
February 19—M. Lynch, P. Shaughnessy
Rosary—February 16—C. Bishop



Mass Intentions for the Week of Feb 13-19

Monday	12:00	Elizabeth Robinson
Tuesday	8 AM	Anthony Marrocco
Wednesday	12:00	Lulu Keszler (L)
Thursday	12:00	Bailey Brown (L)
Friday	12:00	Virginia & William Kearns
Saturday	5 PM	Bailey & Richard Brown (L)
Sunday	8:00	Brian F. X. Fitzgerald
	9:30	People of the Parish & Celestino Gambino
	11:00	Joseph Forestano
	12:30	Mass in Spanish
	5 PM	Charlotte Meyer

Memorials

To donate the flowers on the altar or bread, wine and/or candles offered at Mass each week, please contact the parish office.

Financial Realities and Stewardship

The February 5th collection was \$7,278.00.
Thank you for your generosity!

Pastor's Letter

February 11/12

Happy Valentines Day

Dear Parish Family,

In case you were wondering, there actually was a Saint Valentine. Legend holds that he was a Roman priest who died during the third century persecutions of the early Christian community. He was buried near Rome and the ruins of his grave are marked by the date of February 14. Not much more about him is known. In the official calendar of the church the date February 14th belongs to Saints Cyril and Methodius, two missionary brothers who brought Catholic faith to lands that are now the Czech republic. While so little is known of Valentine's life, everyone knows him as the saint of love and that February 14 is a date to tell everyone from that special someone on down to your parents, children, family, and friends that you love and care about them. So my letter to you this week is simply this: You, my parish family, are my valentine! I love and care for you very much. I am happy to be a part of all of your lives!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Mike

Rev. Michael A. Vetrano



A rare stained glass image of St. Valentine. He holds a palm or olive branch for peace and a martyr's sword. He wears a priest's vestment and stole crossed over his chest as a sign of protection.

Welcome Dominick Abbate Our New Director of Music

It is an honor and privilege to be following in the footsteps of Joann Morse, my former piano teacher, as the music director of this incredible parish. Sacred Hearts has always held a special place in my heart. I grew up in this church after moving to Southampton at age two, making the sacraments of reconciliation, communion, and confirmation here. This church is also the first place where I played professionally, at the age of 12 when I covered for Joann one Sunday on piano. I am thrilled to be coming full circle in my relationship with the Basilica.



Since that Sunday sixteen years ago, I have played at countless churches in New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, and here on the East End of Long Island. Most recently, I have been the choir director and organist at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary in Bridgehampton and the Old Whalers Church in Sag Harbor.

Throughout my music career, I have discovered that the music ministry is not only shaped by the music director, but by the people who make up the ministry. All the choirs that I have had the honor of directing have become a part of my extended family. I hope to continue to grow that family and invite anyone who has considered sharing their talents to please join us by the piano for our children's choir rehearsal Wednesdays at 5PM and also in the choir loft for our adult choir rehearsal on Wednesdays at 6 PM. Rehearsals will begin Wednesday February 15th. With the Easter season right around the corner, now is a perfect time to join in the beginning of this exciting new phase of our music program!

Outside of church, I am a former financial advisor and now funeral director at Brockett Funeral Home, where I am privileged to serve our community. I hold a bachelor's degree in Economics from the College of the Holy Cross in Worcester, MA and an associate's degree from McAllister's Institute of Funeral Service in Manhattan. In April, I will be getting married to my college sweetheart, Christine McCue, a registered nurse at Stony Brook University Hospital. We are looking forward to our wedding at St. Therese parish in Montauk near her family's home.

I have already been approached and welcomed by so many kind members of our congregation. I am excited to meet you all, so please do not hesitate to say hello, and more importantly, come up to sing in the choir loft and down by the piano. I look forward to joining you in song and worship!

Dominick

News from the Office of Social Ministry: Jeannine Rose



Winter is Here! The St. Bernard League is Here to Help

For most of us, winter is a magical time in Southampton. For some of us it is the beginning of a long season of loneliness and isolation. Now is the time to consider opening your heart and connecting with a neighbor through our St. Bernard League. Please use the form below to recommit your family to be a source of help for those in need. More importantly, if you or someone you know NEEDS help, please have them notify us right away. People are waiting to HELP YOU!!!



Name: _____
 Contact email: _____
 Phone number: _____
 Address: _____

Forms can be dropped in collection basket or sent to the rectory attn.: Jeannine Rose, Parish Social Ministry.

RCIA :: Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults



All Baptized adults in need of preparation to receive First Eucharist, or Confirmation are invited to attend RCIA. The next class is scheduled for Tuesday, January 17th at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center. To Register: Please contact Jeannine Rose, Parish Social Ministry 631 283-0097. **You've been thinking of taking the next step for a long time, now is the time to begin the process. All are welcome!**

The Feast Before the Fast



All are invited to join us on
Tuesday February 28th at Noon for our
SECOND Annual

"Feast Before the Fast"
Mardi Gras Luncheon in the Parish Cen-
ter

Seating is limited to 30, so sign up early
Please respond before Friday Feb 24th.

The suggested donation for this luncheon is \$15.00 and the menu includes a hot buffet of Chicken Scalopini; Penne alla Vodka; a Garden Salad and bread, coffee or tea.

Catered by Southampton's own **La Parmigiana**.

Call Jeannine Rose, Director of Parish Social Ministry, to reserve your spot! (631)283-0097

Save The Date

Saturday March 18

for a Special St. Patrick's — St. Joseph Event

Celebration of the feasts of St. Joseph and St. Patrick

Pot luck social and Game night in the School Auditorium

from 6 - 9 PM

Bring an Italian Dinner an Irish Dessert or even a Dance to share!



In Sympathy

Peter F. Gannon

We mourn the passing of Peter Gannon on January 27, 2017. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on January 31, 2017 by Rev. Msgr. William Gill. Burial followed at Sacred Hearts of Jesus & Mary Cemetery. Peter was a faithful communicant at Sacred Hearts. He also taught Religious Ed here. Our sympathies go out to his wife, Julia, daughter, Catherine, son, Peter, brother, Edward, grandchildren, their family and friends.

Elizabeth Robinson

We mourn the passing of Elizabeth Robinson on January 27, 2017. A Memorial Mass was celebrated on February 3, 2017 by Rev. Michael A. Vetrano. Burial of cremains followed at Sacred Hearts of Jesus & Mary Cemetery. Our sympathies go out to her children, Elizabeth, Janice, Russell, Faith, and Sean, brother, Douglas, sister, Janice, grandchildren & great—grandchildren, family and friends



Be A Year Round Friend and Supporter of SHJM

It's that time of year when the days get colder and a time when many SHJM parishioners have active plans. The migration of summer visitors, people heading to warmer climes for the winter, vacations, and travels all diminish the numbers of those who are able to worship here each week. But please remember that our parish itself is here year round and we never take a break from service and ministry. Last year we began a program of planned, automated giving, called First Fruits. It was a huge success and well over 10% of our supporters participate in this way. It enabled our parish to maintain a more consistent year round income. Automated giving can help insure that our parish remains strongly supported. So here are some ways you can do this:

First Fruits: The easiest, and best if you are technologically challenged is to enroll in First Fruits. All you need to do is give us a void check and fill out a First Fruits Form. You can get one on our website, at the rectory, or at the back of church. First Fruits transfers a contribution either weekly or monthly from your checking account to the church.

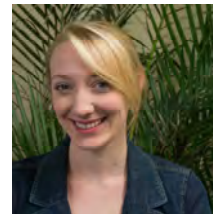
Online Bill Pay: Chances are your bank already had a online check writing service called Bill Pay. If you have online access to your checking account you can set it up to write a regular check to SHJM. Just visit your online banking site and set it up for the contribution you desire. Remember to include your Envelope Number.

Pay Pal: Pay pal is another way you can make regular contributions. Soon it will also be a way that you can contribute using Credit Cards. Check our website and check back here for more information.



Sacred Hearts Basilica YOUTH GROUP

We welcomes all 8th Grade and High School teens!



Youth Group

Wednesday, February 15th 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Come hang out with us in the parish school gym and Youth Center!

Spring Youth Day- March 4th, 2017

Meant to Live for More – Your Life Makes a Difference! Come out and meet Bishop John Barres. Maura will be taking teens interested in attending Teen Youth Day.

Registration deadline is February 27th, 2017

Summer Youth Group Service Trip

Catholic Heart Work Camp July 2 -8, 2017

Spots have been reserved for next summers Catholic Heart Work Camp.

We will be traveling to Groton, MA for a week of service.

A deposit of \$125 will be accepted to reserve your spot today.
heartworkcamp.com

Contact Maura for more information!

Maura Mandato: Youthgroup@shjmbasilica.org

DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE YOUTH

MEANT TO LIVE FOR MORE!

PAUL J. KIM
SINGER / SPEAKER / INSPIRER

Saturday, March 4, 2017
10am – 3pm

For teens
8th –12th Grade

\$20 per person

St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Catholic Church
175 Wolf Hill Road
Melville, NY 11747

For more information,
please contact
Marianne Sheridan,
Director of Youth Ministry,
Diocese of Rockville Centre at
516-678-5800 ext. 615
or at
msheridan@drc.org.

Your Life Makes A Difference!

Follow us on Instagram @ shyg168



Ash Wednesday :: March 1

As always we will have plenty of opportunities to celebrate the beginning of Lent. Blessed ashes will be distributed at the following times.

6:30 AM — Mass in Spanish

8:00 AM — Mass

10:00 AM — Prayer Service

12:00 Noon — Mass

2:00 PM — Prayer Service

4:00 PM — Children's Service

All Welcome

6:00 PM — Prayer Service

7:00 PM — Young peoples' Mass

All Welcome





Welcome:

The Basilica Parish of Sacred Hearts of Jesus & Mary joyfully welcomes the following newly baptized child:

Francesco Luciano Burriesci

Jo Ann Morse retires from Sacred Hearts.

Choir Members Gather to Honor Ms. JoAnn Morse as she concludes here ministry here at Sacred Hearts!



Legion of Mary

Regular meetings of the Legion of Mary at Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary will be held on Tuesdays at 10 AM in the Chapel room in the Parish Center. It's not too late to join...Membership is ongoing. All are welcome!



Secular Franciscans meet on the Second Sunday of the month after the 11 AM Mass in the Parish Center. You are always welcome to come to our meetings. Please come, bring a friend, bring a snack for breakfast, and we supply the coffee.

Resurrection Prayer

Group :: meets on Tuesdays at 6 PM in the Parish Center. Come share your healing gifts with us. Prayer requests are always welcome.

Spiritual Book Group :

Spiritual Book Group meets on Tuesdays, at 1 PM, in the Parish Center. All are welcome!

Pray for Our Sick

Peg Jordan & Pat Jordan
 John Lynch
 Patrick & Eileen Connolly
 Suzanne Parillo
 Bobby & Caroline Parillo
 Ebby Culver
 Elizabeth Joyce
 Robert Melter
 Daniel Sheerin
 Bailey & Richard Brown
 Capt. Mark Enne
 Mary Nadurak
 Michelle Morrone
 Tim Lynch
 Peter Madison
 Elaine McDonagh
 Michelle Cropp
 John Schizas

Memorials:

If you would like to donate altar flowers or bread, wine and candles in memory of a loved one or for a special intention please call the parish office.

The main altar flowers this week are from



Bill and Pam Culver. "In thanksgiving for our parish family, friends, and loved ones who shared our daughter's journey to the truth with prayers, love, support, and friendship."



Our Lady of the Hamptons

Our Lady of the Hamptons concluded the celebration of Catholic Schools Week in a big way, hosting events and representing the school in several public community occasions. A special THANK YOU DAY for community leaders and school support personnel was accompanied by competitions in oratory for the older students, and a spelling bee for the lower grades.

The Spelling Bee winners were: first graders Giovanni Tumino and Ruby Boeding who amazed the older competitors finishing in first and second place and third place winner David Giraldo. In the speech contest, Prep 8 students Christopher Stutt and Johan Allan were declared the first and second place winners, with prep 7 Shea Rodriguez capturing third.

The community of Our Lady of the Hamptons is extending an invitation for potential students and their families to explore the options of enrollment in the East End's premier Catholic elementary school for September 2017. Limited placement is available in Kindergarten through grade 5. Admission to the Prep program (grades 6-8) is available after personal interviews and evaluation. The registration period will end on February 28.


Pre-school for three and four year old students is offered at the campus of St. Rosalie's Church in Hampton Bays. Tours and conferences leading toward admission can be arranged. Informational packets are available. Call 631-283-9140 to set up a personal appointment and tour. More information is available on the website www.olh.org.

RESOURCES FOR THOSE SEEKING AN ALTERNATIVE TO ABORTION:

Rockville Centre Diocese, 516-678-5800, ext.626,
www.respectlife.drvc.org
 Birthright, 631-728-8900, 800-550-4900



The Diocese of Rockville Centre provides both information and support services in regard to the Life issues, particularly in regard to crisis pregnancy, when abortion is being considered as the only way out of a difficult situation. There is a diocesan outreach program, with a 24-hour confidential hotline, where a woman with an unexpected pregnancy can turn for help: call 1-855-301-4247, or a call can be made to OPTIONLINE at 1-800-712-HELP(4347). Please visit the Diocesan website, listed above, for more information.



Reflections On the Gospel
February 12, 2017

This Sunday the Gospel continues to carry us deeper into the Sermon on the Mount, begun a couple of weeks ago. Now we hear Jesus repeatedly telling us, “You have heard it said..., but I say...” And what Jesus says is really tough: not just don’t kill, but don’t be angry; not just don’t commit adultery, but don’t even look lustfully at another; not just don’t take a false oath, but don’t swear at all. Yikes! How do we do that? Can we do that? It would seem that Jesus thinks we can. He trusts us to be able to be better than our worst selves. He trusts us to be able to be righteous, loving, honest. He challenges us not only to give charity, but to do justice, to give to the needy, for example, but also to work to correct the systems that allow people to be needy. Jesus is calling us to our best selves. Let’s give it a try.



VI Domingo Ordinario, Año A. Ilustración © 1999 S. Erspamer. Printed from www.Liturgya.com

No he venido a abolir la ley o los profetas; sino a darles plenitud - El libro de Éxodo nos relata que Dios dio a Moisés la Ley escrita en dos tablas (Ex 32:15-16). La Ley guio el pueblo de Israel, pero el pueblo pecó contra la Ley repetidamente. Finalmente, Dios dijo, en el libro de Jeremías que iba a establecer una nueva Alianza con Israel. Dijo, “pondré mi Ley dentro de ellos, y la escribiré en sus corazones” (Jer. 31:33).

En el Evangelio de hoy, *Jesús dijo a sus discípulos: No crean que he venido a abolir la ley o los profetas; no he venido a abolirlos, sino a darles plenitud, y comenzó a darnos ejemplos de lo que eso querría decir. La Ley de Moisés prohibió ciertas acciones, pero Cristo dirige nuestra atención a nuestro corazón, sabiendo que, si el corazón es bueno, las acciones serán buenas. Sencillamente, el discípulo del Señor debe tener un corazón puro, un corazón abierto al amor y la gracia de Dios. Por eso Jesús nos exige que no debemos enojarnos con el hermano, sino que debemos reconciliarnos uno con el otro. Nos aconseja a no tener malos deseos y de no jurar en falso.*

La primera lectura nos presenta con una decisión ¿la vida o la muerte? ¿seguir la enseñanza de Dios o no? ¿Dónde está tu corazón?

Intenciones del Papa para 2017 - Febrero

Misas en español para Miércoles de Ceniza

1 de marzo

- 6:00 AM – Southampton – Misa
- 6:00 PM – Greenport – Servicio
- 6:30 PM – Montauk – Misa
- 7:00 PM – Bridgehampton – Misa
- 7:30 PM – Hampton Bays – Misa bilingüe
- 7:30 PM – Riverhead – Misa
- 8:00 PM – East Hampton – Misa

Acoger a los necesitados. Por aquellos que están agobiados, especialmente los pobres, los refugiados y los marginados, para que encuentren acogida y apoyo en nuestras comunidades.

Aniversario del Grupo de Renovación en East Hampton - La Comunidad de Oración de la Renovación Carismática Santísima Trinidad de East Hampton les invita a celebrar su XV aniversario que será el día miércoles 22 de febrero a partir de las 6:30 pm en el Salón Parroquial de la Iglesia.

Rincón de Información

Curso Pre-Bautismal

El curso se da el último domingo de cada mes a la 1:30 PM en el Apostolado Hispano en Southampton o a las 5:00 PM en la iglesia en East Hampton. Este mes el curso será el domingo, 26 de febrero. Favor de llevar la copia del acta de nacimiento del niño. Bautizos en Southampton serán el 5 de marzo y el 2 de abril, el 7 de mayo y el 4 de junio.

El Asesor de Inmigración de Caridades Católicas

En el Apostolado Hispano en Southampton el jueves, 9 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 el salón parroquial. El 3º martes de cada mes - la hora santa en la iglesia.

Preparación Pre Matrimonial

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

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

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.

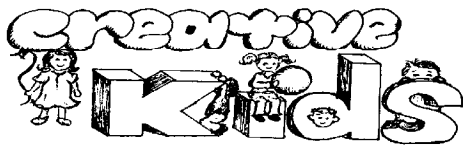
Permisos: Si viven afuera de la zona servida por el Apostolado Hispano, necesitan una carta de su párroco dándonos permiso para bautizar su hijo.

Padre Cesar Lara: Cel. 631-332-5300

Padre Jesus Arellano: Cel. 929-257-3467

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

Horas del Apostolado: miércoles a viernes de las 2-5 PM



Forgotten Cookies

1. Preheat oven to 350F.
2. Beat 2 egg whites and 2/3 cup sugar until stiff peaks form.
3. Add a 6 ounce package of chocolate chips and 1 teaspoon vanilla.
4. Mix ingredients and drop by spoonfuls onto a greased cookie sheet. Put them into the preheated oven.
5. **TURN OFF THE OVEN!** Forget the cookies for at least 2 hours.
6. Remove your forgotten cookies and enjoy!

You won't forget the taste! Share them with a friend.



Never forget God's laws of love!



If you have sinned against your brother, go first and be reconciled with your brother, then come and offer your gift.

Directions: Circle the pictures that rhyme with SIN.

Home	Visitor
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GOD'S WORD FOR CHILDREN!

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Eye has not seen and ear has not heard what God has prepared for those who love him.

**Sirach 15:15-20 Ps 119:1-2,4-5,17-18,33-34
Cor 2:6-10 Matt 5:17-37**

Directions: Draw the most beautiful thing you have ever seen.

Whoever obeys and teaches these commands will be called greatest in the kingdom of heaven.



Directions: Write the missing letters to quote Jesus from Matthew's Gospel. Use the letters provided.

“L_t your ‘Ye_’ mean ‘Yes’_nd
you ‘No’_ean ‘No.’ Any_hing
mo_e is from the e_il_ne.”

e s a m t r v o