Celebrating the Eucharist at Saint Christopher’s

**Sunday Masses**
- Saturday: 5:00pm
- Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 5:00pm, 7:00pm Spanish Mass

**Weekdays**
- Mon thru Fri: 7:00am and 9:00am
- Saturday: 9:00am

**Holyday Masses**
Please consult the weekly Bulletin on the Sunday before the holyday.

**Parish Mission Statement**
“We the People of St. Christopher’s Roman Catholic Church, united by faith in one God and Father, nourished by Jesus Christ through the Word and the Eucharist, and anointed with the power of the Holy Spirit, strive to meet the spiritual needs of our parish family and the local community as we journey in faith together through prayer, faith formation, evangelization, stewardship, and fellowship.”

**Reconciliation**
Saturday: 4:00pm - 4:45pm

**Devotions**
- **Rosary** - Monday thru Saturday after 9:00am
- **Miraculous Medal Novena** - Monday after 9:00am Mass
- **Eucharistic Adoration** - Thursdays 7:00pm- 9:00pm

**Rectory Office Hours**
Monday thru Friday: 9:00am-5:00pm
Rectory Phone: (516) 223-0723
Rectory Fax: (516) 867-5678

Bulletin E-Mail: bulletin@stchrisbaldwin.org
Parish Web Site: www.stchris.com
School Web Site: www.stchris-school.org

**Rectory Office**
223-0723

**Parish School**
223-4404

**Religious Education**
223-5813

**Social Ministry**
442-0932

**Adult & Youth Ministry**
223-5813

**Emergencies**
639-0918
**Parish Information**

**Clergy**
Rev. Nicholas Zientarski, Pastor  
Rev. Cornelius Dery, Hospital Chaplain  
Deacon Anthony Banno  
Deacon Ralph Muscente

**Parish Administration**
Mr. Michael Mencarelli, Business Manager  
Ms. Jamie Gonzalez, Tuition Manager  
Mrs. Renee Villante, Administrative Assistant, School  
Mrs. Diane Geschwind, Executive Assistant, Parish

**Music Ministry**
Mr. James Montalbano,  
Director of Music

**Faith Formation of Children & Youth**
Mr. Timothy Gely, Principal  
Mrs. Madelaine Willi, Director of Religious Education  
Mr. James LaRocca, Confirmation Coordinator

**Parish Social Ministry**
Ms. Julia Santiago, Director

**Parish Council**

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**Parish Trustees**
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Tony Wilkens

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**Sacraments and Parish Life**

**Baptism**
Second, third, and fourth Sundays of each month at 1PM and the second and third Saturdays at 1PM. The required Baptismal Preparation class is held on the first Sunday of each month at the 9:30AM Mass in the Church and class to follow in McGoldrick Hall. Pre-registration is required two months before Baptism for the preparation class and the actual date of Baptism. Contact the Rectory beforehand.

**R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)**
This is the process for adults wishing to become Catholic, complete their Sacramental initiation, or attain full membership in the Church. For further information, please contact Deacon Anthony Banno at the Rectory at 223-0723.

**Reconciliation (Confession, Penance)**
Saturdays from 4PM to 4:45PM in the Church. At other times, please feel free, and most welcome, to make an appointment with one of the priests.

**Matrimony**
Please make an appointment with one of our priests or deacons at least nine months before an anticipated wedding date to begin preparations for marriage and to obtain information regarding the required Pre-Cana conferences. Either the bride or groom or the immediate family must be resident parishioners.

**Communion for the Sick**
Anyone unable to attend Mass because of illness may receive Holy Communion at home on a regular basis. Deacons and Eucharistic Ministers assist the priests in this ministry. Please call the Rectory.

**Parish Membership**
Every family in the parish should be registered. Census registration forms are available at the Rectory.

**Bereavement Support**
We focus on the emotional turmoil of the bereaved with understanding and experience to provide support and reassurance to one another. Please call the Rectory at 223-0723 for an appointment.

**Ministry of Consolation**
The ministry assists families in the planning of funeral liturgies. Deacon Anthony Banno is the moderator.

**Adoration - Convent Chapel - Temporarily Suspended**
Exposition, First Friday of the month after 7AM Mass  
Rosary For Life at 6PM  
Prayers at 7PM, Benediction at 7:45PM  
First Saturday of the month at 8AM in the Church.
Week of July 26th

**Monday**  
Jul 26 - Ss. Joachim and Anne  
7AM Ruthann McGrade  
9AM Anne Fatihful

**Tuesday**  
Jul 27 - Weekday  
7AM Dolores Oristano  
9AM Grace & Frank Murphy

**Wednesday**  
Jul 28 - Weekday  
7AM Laufey Muscente  
9AM Bruce Portmore

**Thursday**  
Jul 29 - Ss. Martha, Mary & Lazarus  
7AM Andrew Moreno  
9AM Katie McNeil

**Friday**  
Jul 30 - St. Peter Chrysologus  
7AM Rev Gerald McCool, SJ  
9AM Richard Lane

**Saturday**  
Jul 31 - St. Ignatius of Loyola  
9AM Girolamo Raneri  
5PM Jacqueline Meyer  
Ruthann McGrade  
Richard Rattotti

**Sunday**  
Aug 01 - 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
7:30AM Parishioners of St. Christopher  
9:30AM Jay Fraser  
11:30AM Mary Del Castillo  
5PM Virginia A. Geraci  
7PM Spanish Mass - Misa en Español

Please Pray

Please pray for all Parishioner born into eternal life. Keep them and their families in your prayers.

Antoine Rusu, Gladys Zsunkan, Carmen Mathieu

Parish Schedule

Masses have resumed.  
Please note, all Masses will take place in the Church Building.

**Mass Schedule:**
Monday through Friday: 7AM & 9AM  
Saturdays: 9AM & 5PM  
Sundays:  
7:30 AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM & 5PM  
7PM Spanish Mass

**Eucharistic Adoration:**

*Beginning 7/7 at 7:30PM there will be a Rosary for Life prayed during Adoration in the Church.*

The Rectory Office Hours:  
Monday - Thursday 9AM until 5PM  
Friday 9AM until 4PM

Sanctuary Light

The Living Flame of the Sanctuary Light will burn in prayer for:  
Rev. John Gorman

Stewardship: A Way of Life

“What shall I return to the Lord for all that He has given to me?”

**Collection for July 18th**

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**Ministry Appeal - 2021 - Goal - $90,000.00**

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81.59% of Goal  
Thank You as always, for your generosity to St. Christopher’s!
Readings for the weekend of Sunday - August 1

Exodus 16: 2-4,12-15
Psalm 78: 3,4bc,23-24,25,54
Ephesians 4: 17,20-24
John 6: 24-35

Pray for our Troops

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen

Brian Kevin Carroll
Ryan Reilly
Michael Catalano
Lt.Cmdr. Frank Walter
Cona
Gregory McGlynn
Thomas R. Pettit
James Harris
Lt. Cmdr. Christopher F.
Mercuro USCG
Cmdr. James D. Grant USN
Eric McDermott
Sgt. Jeffrey Houck
Shawn Bowe
Sgt. Debbi Bailey
Craig Meekins
Padraic McDermott
Charles Guarnerei
Capt. Terence M. Bellew
Ryan Locke
Robert Gallagher
Michael Connell
Pvt. Kevan John McCabe
Conner Jamison
Lt. Anthony J. Posillico
Kolina Bowers
Rolan Guzman
SFC Carlos Casanova
Capt. Claudio Casanova
Matthew Houk
Lt. Michael Selover
Cpl. Joseph Giannone
Navy Chief Brian Berretta
Cpl. Christian Roldan
Matthew Brule
Darren P. Phelan
Christopher D. Phelan, Jr.
Kerri Parks
Cody Bonora
Paul Delaney, USMC
S.N. Ryan Neugebauer
Lt. Michael D. Davis
John Chervenak
Capt. Claudio Casanova
Sgt. Joseph Pecora
John Rueman
Linda Geraci
Bajada
Mariela Caneles
Ethel Ulrich
Joseph Peter
Montalbano
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Tuffano
Peter Hughes
Lisa Mahr
Lorenzo Anthony Mazzuca
Kaitlyn Lally
John Peters
Michele
Kizerow-Frasca
Robert J. Oswald II
Sandra Murdaugh
Cathy Petrarca
Rosemary
Phillip McCluskey
Baby Marius
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Maryann Hannan
Marquerite Sheyda
Singer

Please Pray

If you (or a family member) are listed on the “Please Pray” list and have been returned to good health, please call the Rectory at 223-0723, to make room for others. Thank you.

Sunday Mass Celebrants

Weekend of July 31/August 1

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*Deacons Preach
This schedule is subject to change without notice.

Wedding Banns

First Time
Nicholas Monioutus & Eva Milone
St. Christopher’s

Third Time
Peter Connell & Sarah Polacco
Sacred Heart  St. Christopher’s
Island Park

Next Sunday’s Readings

Readings for the weekend of Sunday - August 1

Exodus 16: 2-4,12-15
Psalm 78: 3,4bc,23-24,25,54
Ephesians 4: 17,20-24
John 6: 24-35
Dear Friends in Christ,

The Feast is here! We hope you have been able to join us these past evenings for the festivities and please continue to pray for good weather by asking for the intercession of St. Medard! Although we were not able to have our usual setup this year with booths, we are at least happy to celebrate a fun event for our community and keep the tradition going!

There is still time to participate in our Grand 50-50 Raffle. The winner will be called at 10:00PM on Sunday night, rain or shine. Additional tickets may be purchased at the Parish Booth at the Feast. The winner will take home thousands of dollars, so please get your tickets in!!

This past week we welcomed Father Bernard Soeter, a priest from Ghana who is here in the United States for the first time and will act as summer help for both our parish and Mount Sinai/South Nassau Hospital. This coming week, we welcome Fr. Frank Addey, another priest from Ghana, who will assist us with some Masses as well. Father Cornelius returns to us on August 4th. Let us thank God for these fine priests from Ghana and the assistance they offer us here at St. Christopher’s! We are also grateful to Fr. William Cleary (seminary professor) for assisting us on the weekend of July 10-11 and Msgr. Charlie Fink for helping July 3-4 and this weekend as well.

This Sunday is the World Day of Prayer for Grandparents and the Elderly. Whether our grandparents are alive or not, we want to think about their many contributions to our own lives and to the culture around us. The wisdom of years and the witness of faith we see in our grandparents and all seniors inspires us to pursue excellence and seek the good. How many lessons have we learned from them! May God richly bless them and let us all take a moment today to thank them as we appreciate their role in our lives!

Today’s Gospel from John 6 is the beginning of the Bread of Life Discourse. The multiplication of the loaves and fishes took place at a site just off the Sea of Galilee and is now a small shrine church that you can visit (see below). We naturally think of the Eucharist in this miracle, but we also think about what God provides for us. As we enjoy these summer days, let us take some time to think about the blessings we have received and what God has given us!

-Father Zientarski
Earlier this year, Pope Francis declared the fourth Sunday of July as “World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly.” The inaugural theme is “I am with you always” to emphasize not only the Lord’s closeness with the aged, but also the intergenerational bonds shared between young and old. While older people have a mission to encourage young people in their faith, young people are called to be present in the lives of older people.

On July 25, 2021, in the Diocese of Rockville Centre, we will celebrate the treasure of those “rich in many years” by recognizing the contributions (and continued role) of grandparents in “Passing on the Faith” as well as the need to “Cherish Our Seniors” by letting older people in the community know they are always loved and remembered. You can visit the website [www.catholicgenerations.com](http://www.catholicgenerations.com) to learn more, including how to receive the plenary indulgence.

In the words of St. John Paul II, “…at every stage of life the Lord can ask each of us to contribute what talents we have. The service of the gospel has nothing to do with age!”
SAINT CHRISTOPHER’S FEAST
JULY 22-25, 2021

Yes, the Feast is happening this summer, as we return to some sense of normalcy and try to get back to the things we love. For decades, our parish has had a Feast in honor of St. Christopher, our patron. His feast day is July 26th. We are happy to convey to you this good news - please mark the dates now and plan on joining us!

This year’s Feast will feature additional rides and some different games. Due to some remaining covid regulations, we will not have the usual food booths, but there will be opportunities to enjoy food trucks! Likewise some of the games booths will not be possible this year, but other fun things will take their place. We would like our parishioners and guests to enjoy something this summer, even if it is not the “usual feast.” Let us give thanks to God for this opportunity to have fun, enjoy time with family and friends, and continue a beautiful tradition here at the parish.

Help St. Christopher’s Pantry

Welcome to the Bloomin’ 4 Good Program!
At Stop & Shop! Flowers can make someone's day, brighten up a room or spread a smile.

Now they can fight hunger, too!

If you buy two, three, or more Bloomin' 4 Good Bouquets throughout the Months of July and August you will be helping St. Christopher’s Pantry fight hunger.

We have been selected to receive a $1 donation for every $9.99 Bloomin’ 4 Good Bouquet with the red circle sticker sold at the store located at 905 Atlantic Ave, Baldwin.

Let’s fight hunger together!

Prayer to St. Medard
For Good Weather during our Feast

Saint Medard

Legend has it that, when he was a child, Medard was once sheltered from the rain by a large, hovering eagle. The image of being sheltered by the bird is his most common depiction in art, and led to his patronage of good weather, against bad weather, for people who work outdoors.

St. Medard we ask you to intercede for us during our Parish Feast. Please grant us sunshine and good weather so that we may gather together in fellowship and enjoy each others company.

Amen.
Parish Outreach

Pantry Needs
Chef-Boyardee pasta, pancake mix, Canned chili with beans, Coffee, paper towels, non-refrigerated can hams, Salsa, chips, Toilet paper.

Please NO paper bags!

Pantry Hours
Tuesday 2:00PM - 3:30PM

As of July 1st Pantry will be CLOSED on Fridays.

Registration for Religious Education

REGISTRATION IS NOW TAKING PLACE

We are now accepting registrations for the 2021-2022 Academic year.
We will be providing in-person instruction.

Please send your registration forms in as soon as possible.
All fees must be paid at the time of registration. No registration will be processed until all requirements have been met.
As always, if there is a financial difficulty, please call Mrs. Willi at:
516-223-5813 ext. 214

All forms and information can be found on the Parish website: stchris.com
Under Religious Education News
Or
Call 516-223-5813
Deacon Information Session

CALLED TO BE A DEACON?
If you are discerning a vocation to the diaconate, you and your wife are invited to attend an

INFORMATION SESSION

ONE OF THREE MEETING DATES:
7:00 PM Thursday, September 16th
4:00 PM Sunday, September 19th
7:00 PM Tuesday, September 21st
at the
Seminary of the Immaculate Conception
440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743.

To reserve a place at one of the meetings, contact Carol Rizzotti, at 631-423-0483 Ext. 179 or email diaconateformation@drvc.org.

Catholic Charities/Talbot House

Are you or someone you know having family or interpersonal problems due to drinking ALCOHOL and/or using DRUGS?

CATHOLIC CHARITIES/Talbot House, a Chemical Dependence Crisis Center, located in Bohemia provides withdrawal and stabilization services on a voluntary basis to males and females over the age of 18, who are seeking to stop and/or withdraw from alcohol and/or other drug use. The medical and clinical staff at Talbot House will assess the kind of care the person needs, to begin his/her journey in recovery.

For more information, please call: 631-589-4144.
Talbot House staff is available 24/7. Each call is confidential. Talbot House is a NO fee for service program.

Will You Pray for Vocations?
Our Church desperately needs more priests and religious.
Join thousands of Catholics by pledging to pray daily or weekly at www.invisiblemonastery.com

600 Club Winners

600 Club Winners
June 2021

$600 #005 M/M J. Smith
$100 #413 Patricia Barry
$100 #530 Carmela Daeder
$50 #119 Richard Baldassano
$50 #239 Robert & Denise Seaman
$50 #188 Kathy Tetro
$50 #287 Isabelle Love

Congratulations to all of the winners!
Would you like to see your name here?
See information in this bulletin on how to join!
Misa en Español los domingos a las 7PM

**Bautizo:** El Segundo Sabado del mes
Clase de preparacion de Bautismo, el tercer sabado del mes a las 6:30PM
Para matricularse llame a Regina DeJesus (516) 445-9780

**Formacion para Ninos y Adolescencia**
Primera Communion y Confirmacion
llamar a Madeline Willi
Directora de Educacion Religiosa
(516) 223-5813

**Escuela de St. Christopher**
Para mas informacion llame la oficina
(516) 223-4404

**Matrimonio**
Por favor llame a la oficina parroquiar para mas informacion (516) 223-0723.

**R.I.C.A.: (Rito de Iniciacion Cristiana para adultos)**
Para adultos que desean convertirse al Catolicismo o completar los sacramentos
Para mas informacion llame Regina DeJesus (516) 445-9780

**Adoracion De la Eucaristia**
En la Capilla del Convento
Primer viernes del mes, despues de la misa de las 7AM
Benedicion a las 7PM

**Grupo de Oracion Renovacion Carismatica**
Todos los Sabados a las 7PM en la cafeteria de la escuela
Para mas informacion llame Jose Molina (516) 455-3930
Reina Argumedo (516) 554-7785

**Communion Para los Enfermos**
Si no puede asistir a la misa por enfermedad, puede recibir la Communion Sagrada en su hogar. Llame a la oficina parroquiar (516) 223-0723
Now is the time to join!

The 600 Club is an additional source of income for our Parish. Here is how it works. You donate $60.00 annually, get a Lucky Number and you are eligible for monthly prize drawings. We give monthly prizes of:

1 - $ 600.00
2 - $ 100.00
4 - $ 50.00

With Special Extra Drawings in December.

Why aren’t you in The 600 Club?

This is a great gift for birthdays or any occasion.

We will send a gift letter.
You will give the recipient 90 CHANCES TO WIN!

Remember - you have to be in it to win it!
Don’t wait - join the 600 Club now.

Make a check for $60.00, payable to St. Christopher’s 600 Club, and we will notify you of your lucky number.

NAME__________________________________________
ADDRESS_________________________________________
TEL. # ________________________

Please send to the Rectory:
St. Christopher’s Church
600 Club
11 Gale Ave
Baldwin, NY 11510
Phone # 223-0723

THANKS FOR JOINING AND GOOD LUCK!
Your name could be listed as a WINNER!

Chaminade Final Honor Roll

Declan J. Cody       Tyler X. David
Edem G. Desir        Leif E. Natindim
Matthew B. Walker    Jordan D. Bissainthe
John A. Carney       Carlos I. Santana
David T. Hammond, Jr. Adam E. Walker
Jonathan L. Stasi-Welsh

Stroke Support Group

Stroke support group meets monthly at The DeMatteis Center in Greenvale.
There is no fee to attend but 516 pre-registration is required.
Please call (516) 629-2013 for more information about the group and how to register.

Anniversaries

CELEBRATING WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

The first Sunday of each month at the 11:30AM Mass, we celebrate the wedding anniversaries of couples who were married in that month. The dates for the rest of 2021 are shown below. Please join us and let us celebrate your married love with our parish family!

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Online Giving Now Available

Give thanks with a Grateful Heart

Here are 2 convenient ways to give.

ONLINE via www.StChris.com

1. Click the Button on our parish website in the lower right corner of the homepage.

2. Enter the amount you want to give, select a fund, choose your frequency and enter your email address.

3. Click CONTINUE and enter your payment information to complete the transaction.

4. An Enrollment Form is available in this bulletin for your convenience.

TEXTING a DONATION

1. Text stchrischurch and any amount to 73256.

2. Click the link you receive in your text message response.

3. Follow the prompts to give.

Text giving even saves your payment information so you can quickly give again!

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

(from St. Alphonsus Ligouri)

Respect Life Corner

Value the gift of Fatherhood

In revealing and reliving on earth the very fatherhood of God.

A man is called upon to ensure the harmonious and united development of all the members of the family.

Friend us on Facebook

St. Christopher’s Respect Life

Pregnant? Need Help?

Call 1-800-395-4357
24 hours a day - 7 days a week
### Litany of Saint Joseph

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**Let us pray:**

O God, who in your inexpressible providence were pleased to choose Saint Joseph as spouse of your most holy Mother, grant, we pray, that we, who revere him as our protector on earth, may be worthy of his heavenly intercession. Who live and reign for ever and ever. Amen.

*Approved by the Committee on Divine Worship, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. Public domain.*
Hibernians

McGuinness - Fitzsimons
Division 14

Celebrate of your Irish Heritage and Catholic Faith?

Join the Ancient Order of Hibernians
We promote Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity!
We are the oldest and largest Irish Catholic organization in the United States.

Gentlemen of Irish birth or descent, from either parent, and a practicing catholic over 16 years old are welcome to join. As we transition from the pandemic toward a more normal times enjoy and celebrate our heritage.

Learn to play the bag pipes. Lessons on Monday evenings with the Glor Na nGael Pipe Band. Contact Tom Piderit at Bytshore1@aol.com.

Prospective members please contact Jim Henry at JHenryiii@aol.com or call 516-652-9850.

For additional information please visit:
https://www.aohdiv14ny.org/ or
https://www.facebook.com/division14ny or https://aoh.com

Knights of Columbus

Daniel J. Bradley Council
Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus are ordinary men of our parish who contribute their time and energy to building our parish in faith and contribute their services to people in need in our local community and beyond. The Knights offer men a great opportunity to get involved in parish life.

The four hallmarks of being a Knight of Columbus are charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism. Thus, the Knights of Columbus are committed to both God and country.

Consider joining today. The Knights welcome men 18 and older. Our local council is the Daniel J. Bradley Council, which meets here at Saint Christopher’s. If you are a Catholic man who is looking for fraternity and getting involved in building up our community through service, contact:

Robert Llompart:
rob@kingbearauto.com or
516-366-8768

For more information on the Knights in general, see the following website: www.kofc.org

Office of Child Protection

Parishioners are advised to contact Mary McMahon at the Office of Child Protection if they suspect any instances of sexual abuse of minors by anyone on parish property:

(516) 678-5800 x 573.
Confidential hotline: 516-594-9063

Have You Considered a Vocation to the Priesthood?

Have you considered a vocation to priesthood or religious life?

Find out if God is calling you:
www.LongIslandPriest.com
Dear Friends:

This past Spring, Pope Francis spoke about the importance of having a prayer life that is complimented with acts of love. He stated, “A small act of pure love is more useful to the Church than all the other works combined.” One way we can perform an act of love is by supporting this year’s Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA). Your gift, given in love to God and neighbor, will help spread Dramatic Missionary Growth across Long Island.

The CMA helps fund the education of our seminarians—the future priests of the Diocese of Rockville Centre. Your gift helps these young men focus on their studies and prayer life, instead of worrying about how they will financially support their education. Last month, I ordained 3 men to the priesthood; your gift helped make that possible and will be remembered for years to come as they offer the Sacrifice of the Mass for generations to come.

Along with the seminarians, the CMA helps hundreds of thousands of Long Islanders each year. Your dollars can be used to help a pregnant mother looking for resources to help her family, a homeless veteran find housing, or an individual struggling with a drug addiction receive treatment. Your gift combined with the gifts of your fellow Long Island Catholics can be life changing for so many people—and be a light of hope for those who are in darkness.

This past year and a half have been difficult for all of us, especially those who have lost loved ones or have suffered severe financial hardships. If you have suffered from those instances, please reach out to your local parish for support and care or call Catholic Charities at 516-733-7000. If you are able to give to the CMA, I ask you to please pray on it and give what you can. I speak for myself and your pastor when I say thank you for your gift. Your generosity and compassion are very much appreciated.

May God bless you and your loved ones.

Sincerely in Christ,

[Signature]

Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre
FORMED is GREAT for Summer Reading:

[Images of books]

https://formed.org/
(Parish code: DNQ2BH)
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| **Good Shepherd Hospice**  
Mercy Hospital in Rockville Centre has opened a new wing to give comfort to those who are dying: Good Shepherd Hospice Care. Each patient receives a private room and professional, compassionate care is given to them.  
For more information or to take a tour: 516-586-1420  
[www.goodshepherdhsopice.chsli.org](http://www.goodshepherdhsopice.chsli.org) |
| Catholic Health care for women and men, offering fertility assistance, issues with recurrent miscarriages, and a host of other services.  
[www.chsli.org/gianna-center-long-island](http://www.chsli.org/gianna-center-long-island) |
| Unplanned pregnancy? Need help?  
Care, counseling, and pro-life options for women. Find hope and solutions with the Life Center. Four locations: Deer Park, Massapequa, Riverhead, Hempstead.  
[www.lifecenterli.org](http://www.lifecenterli.org) |
| Project Rachel. Find hope, healing, forgiveness, and love after abortion. Project Rachel offers women and men opportunities to feel the Father’s love.  
[Hopeafterabortion.com](http://Hopeafterabortion.com) |
| Courage is an international apostolate of the Catholic Church, which ministers to persons with same-sex attractions.  
[www.courageRC.org](http://www.courageRC.org) |
| Catholic Charities, Talbot House  
Talbot House is a 24-hour voluntary chemical dependence crisis center, providing detox services to adult men and women who are in crisis.  
| Covenant Eyes  
Break free from pornography and live a life of freedom.  
[www.covenanteyes.com](http://www.covenanteyes.com) |
Please consider ways you and your family can financially support our parish so that we can meet our many expenses as a large, non-profit organization.

### Weekly Giving - Collections

| **Sunday and Holy Day Mass collections** | keep our parish going. St. Christopher’s relies totally on the generosity of its parishioners every dollar helps! Consider using parish envelopes - or Online Giving, this way we can keep track of your donations and give you a statement at the end of the year for tax purposes. Go to stchris.com for more information on scheduled giving. |

### Ocean Financial Credit Union

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| **The Jennifer Fulwiler Show**  
2-4PM Weekdays  
Jennifer is a convert, a wife and mother of 6, and has lots of good ideas and interesting guests on her show! *Note:* You must be a SiriusXM subscriber. |
| **LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA** offers a wide array of downloadable talks and conferences that will aid you and your families in learning more about the Catholic faith. Download the APP for your smartphone today and start listening!  
[www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org](http://www.lighthousecatholicmedia.org)  
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| Bishop Robert Barron is one of America’s leading Catholic theologians and media stars. He offers numerous Catholic resources for faith formation on his website, [www.WordOnFire.org](http://www.WordOnFire.org) |
| **Catholic MEGA app** |
| Are you looking for EVERYTHING CATHOLIC on your smartphone or i-Pad? You’ve come to the right place! Download this free APP and gain access to dozens of links that will connect you to lots of great Catholic resources! |
| **Attention Ladies!** |
| Looking for an excellent resource for growing in the Catholic faith as a beloved daughter of God? Try [BLESSED IS SHE](https://BLESSEDISSHE.NET)! This online resource connects you with other Catholic women, the bible, stories of faith, prayer groups, and conferences. We hope to offer a women’s bible journaling group here at St. Christopher’s in the near future! |