



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the community of St. Mary's, Manhasset, building on our rich heritage of Catholic faith and tradition, center ourselves in the Eucharist and honor God in proclaiming the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Guided by the Holy Spirit, we seek to be the presence of Christ through our liturgical, educational and social ministries. We dedicate our time, talent and treasure to the service of all as we build the kingdom of God in our world.

We commit to this mission in the name of Jesus Christ.

Masses for the Week

**Monday, September 22nd**

Proverbs 3:27-34; Luke 8:16-18

7:00 Robert Hayes

9:00 Thomas Sutton

**Tuesday, September 23rd**

**St. Pio of Pietreicina (Memorial)**

Proverbs 21:1-6, 10-13; Luke 8:19-21

7:00 Joseph Bownes

9:00 Barbara McCarthy

**Wednesday, September 24th**

Proverbs 30:5-9; Luke 9:1-6

7:00 Rosemary Feeney

9:00 Sophie Kasinski & family

**Thursday, September 25th**

Ecclesiastes 1:2-11; Luke 9:7-9

7:00 James Cain

9:00 Rosa Ardovini

**Friday, September 26th**

Ecclesiastes 3:1-11; Luke 9:18-22

7:00 Thomas E. Doherty

9:00 Evelyn M. Baxter

**Saturday, September 27th**

**St. Vincent de Paul (Memorial)**

Ecclesiastes 11:9 - 12:8; Luke 9:43b-45

8:00 Marie Doellgast

5:00 Evelyn M. Baxter

Anna T. Spokas

Rev. Msgr. John J. Wiest

Stanislaus & Mary Catherine Moran

Alice Coughlin

**Sunday, September 28th**

**Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Ezekiel 18:25-28; Philippians 2:1-11; Matthew 21:28-32

7:30 Tom Roach

9:00 Armando Zega

10:30 For the People of the Parish

12:00 Padre Pio

Ludwig Schaefer

George Gardella

Geraldine Baker

Joan Casey

5:00 Peter Lawrence

Parish Directory

**Msgr. John J. McCann - Pastor**

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**St. Mary's Elementary School**

627-0184

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**St. Mary's High School**

Dr. Kevin McBride - Principal 627-2711  
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Please Pray for the Ill

Stasia Alvarez  
Edward Anker  
Marino Benedetti  
Frank Conforti  
James Falazzo  
Grace Falcone  
Geraldine Garczynski  
Jonathan Hoy

Robert J. Kohlhagen  
Madison Claire Lewinger  
Jack Joseph Lewinger  
Carlene McDevitt  
Fran Patterson  
Dr. Louis Pisciotta  
Grace Pirozzi  
Livia Richards  
Barbara Zinczak

In Memoriam



Joan Corcoran  
Matteo DeMarco

*Names will remain on the list for 3 months. Please notify the Bulletin Editor if you would like to continue.*



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

**Catechetical Sunday - 2008**

On this Catechetical Sunday - 2008 we recognize and honor those who serve as catechists in Saint Mary's.

The goal of those involved in the catechetical ministry work is to deepen and strengthen faith and the knowledge of our Catholic Faith of those in our parish elementary and high school, in our after school religious education program, in our adult faith formation efforts, in our gatherings for parents of children about to be baptized, in our in-home pre-marriage program, in the R.C.I.A. and in our youth ministry efforts.

In and through our baptism Jesus calls each of us, especially parents, to the catechetical ministry. We are to share our faith with others and to serve as witnesses of the Good News of God's love and forgiveness as found in Jesus Christ. We are to be catechists both in formal and informal ways.

On this Catechetical Sunday and through out the year, remember our catechists in prayer and seek to sharpen your catechetical skills by becoming more familiar with the scriptures and in the Pauline Year, especially the writings of St. Paul, by being faithful in your worship of God at Sunday Mass, by basing your choices on Christian principals, by setting aside time for prayer, cherishing your family and friends and reaching out to those in need.

**St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina**

This Tuesday is the Feast of St. Pio of Pietrelcina. We, in St. Mary's, will honor St. Padre Pio next Sunday, September 28th following the NOON Mass with a procession to his shrine next to the rectory on Clapham Avenue.

**Saint Agnes Medal**

Each September Bishop Murphy recognizes and honors the gifts of time and talent of parishioners from all the parishes of the Diocese by awarding them the St. Agnes Medal. This September the Bishop presented the St. Agnes Medal to two St. Mary's parishioners, Bob and Peggy Guillo. For many years Peggy has been a dedicated volunteer for two or three days each week in our Parish Social Ministry Office.. Bob serves the Parish Community in many areas. Among them are: Parish Social Ministry, the Ministry of Consolation, as a Minister of Communion, heads the Ministry to the Homebound and serves at both St. Francis and North Shore Hospitals, as a member of the Adult Faith Formation Committee. In the name of all in Saint Mary's, I congratulate Bob and Peggy on their being awarded the St. Agnes Medal from Bishop Murphy.

God Bless

Msgr. John McCann

**Eucharistic Adoration**

THURSDAY  
1 p.m. to 8 p.m.

The Chapel

Off the south side of the Church

*Come spend some time in prayer!*

*Pray for Peace!*

*Pray for Vocations!*

*Pray for your family!*



# Stewards of God's Gifts

Good stewards follow the advise of St. Paul and conduct themselves - by wise use of their time and talents - in a way worthy of the Gospel of Christ.

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who put their faith into action by using their gifts freely in support of our parish ministries and community activities.



The collection for Sunday, September 14, 2008 amounted to \$23,138  
Credit Cards amounted to \$3,399 totaling \$26,537  
The collection for Sunday, September 16, 2007 amounted to \$23,128



September 21, 2008  
Catechetical Sunday

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

As the chief catechist of the Diocese of Rockville Centre I am delighted to join you in the celebration of Catechetical Sunday 2008! How appropriate it is for us to focus on this year's theme: "The Word of God in the Life and Mission of the Church," as we celebrate the Year of Saint Paul. Within the Year of St. Paul, a Synod of Bishops will take place on the theme *The Word of God* next month in Rome.

When our Holy Father, Pope Benedict visited us last spring he reminded us of the importance of being people of the Word. While the Word can be found in the pages of Scripture, it takes root in the hearts of believers when they share it as faith-filled witnesses.

On this Catechetical Sunday we give thanks to all those in our parishes who give their time and talent to bringing the Word to life in our various catechetical programs. We are blessed to have thousands of volunteers working in various parish programs which are designed to foster the faith development of our parishioners at every stage of life's journey. Dedicated professional staff assist these volunteers as together they labor to provide the fertile soil in which the Word will take root.

The work of catechetical ministry is vital to the church. Let us take time today to thank a catechist. Let us take time today to celebrate the catechetical ministry of each parish.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William Murphy", written in a cursive style.

Bishop of Rockville Centre



**ADULT FAITH FORMATION**

**CATHOLICS IN NEW YORK: 1808 - 1946**

Join us for a day trip to the Museum of the City of New York for this exciting exhibit tracing the history of the Catholic Church in New York.

**Wednesday  
October 22, 2008**

Bus departs at 9:00 a.m. from St. Mary's Church parking lot and returns approximately 3:30 p.m.

Deluxe charter bus will transport us to the museum where we will spend the day, the price includes a guided tour of the exhibit, time to explore the rest of the museum and a boxed lunch. \$50 per person. To sign up or for more information call Jo-Ann Metzdorff at St. Mary's Parish Office 516-627-0385.

**CATECHISM EXPRESS**

Each week this 40 minute informal class will focus on one area of our Catholic faith. An instructor with a Master's Degree in Theology will lead each session which will consist of a brief prayer, 25 minutes of instruction and 10 minutes for discussion and questions.

Classes begin at 7:40 and end at 8:20. Ten minutes before and after each class are free for chatting with your fellow parents and parishioners while enjoying a hot cup of coffee or tea and some baked goods. Classes are held every Monday night when Middle School Faith Formation classes are in session. It is a great way for parents of those in Monday night classes to meet other parents and not have to deal with the traffic coming back to campus to pick up the kids. Open to ALL parishioners!

**Sessions begin on Monday September 29 in the Marian Room**

**Topic for session one is - The Human Quest for God.**

The cost is FREE and you don't have to attend each week.

**LITTLE ROCK SCRIPTURE STUDY** resumes Monday, Sept 22 at 10 a.m. in the John Paul II Room. The group is studying the Gospel of Luke. Open to all. If anyone is interested in an evening group studying the same Gospel please call Jo-Ann in the Parish Office. We have a facilitator, we just need those interested. Day to be determined.

**St. Mary's Book Club** - Our first meeting will be on Tuesday morning, October 7. Our first book will be **Eat, Pray, Love**, the NY Times bestseller by Elizabeth Gilbert. The book is available in paperback at any bookstore, library or online. Please read the book prior to Oct. 7. Call Jo-Ann in the Parish Office for more information.

*Did you know?*

Do you have a question for this column? If so drop a note to Jo-Ann Metzdorff at the Parish Office or e-mail joannm@stmary.ws

**This week's question: What is a Vicar General? What is a Vicar Forane?**

**Answer to last week's question: What does the title "Monsignor" mean?** **Monsignor** is the form of address for those members of the clergy of the Catholic Church holding certain ecclesiastical honorific titles. As a form of address, "Monsignor" is not itself an appointment (properly speaking, one cannot be "made a monsignor" nor can one be the monsignor of a parish). Its use is connected with honorary titles. The three titles most often seen in connection with the style "monsignor" are Protonotary Apostolic, Prelate of Honor and Chaplain of His Holiness. These honors are bestowed upon a priest by the Pope, most often through the recommendation of the local bishop.



## ST. MARY'S GIFT SHOP

Tuesday & Thursday  
9:30 a.m.- 12 p.m.

Sunday 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Unique gifts for every occasion  
New merchandise arriving weekly

The Gift Shop is located in the  
Lower Level of the Church

All Proceeds Benefit  
Parish Social Ministry



On September 21st at the 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Masses, St. Mary's Children and Adult choirs will begin.

Rehearsals for the Adult Choir will begin on Wednesday, September 24th at 8 p.m. in the church.

Rehearsals for the Children's Choir will begin on Wednesday, October 1st at 7:00 p.m. in the church.

All are welcome!

For more information please contact Diane Bayen at 627-0385 ext. 1021.

### HANDICAPPED PARKING

Parishioners are reminded that the alleyway between the church and the convent is designated as handicapped parking only. Please park along the convent building or wall as the alleyway needs to remain clear for emergency vehicles.

### NEW EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

The parish is in need of new Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to assist our priests at Sunday celebrations of the Mass. Candidates must be practicing Catholics who have received Confirmation, are at least 18 years of age, and are living in conformity with Catholic moral teaching. Diocesan training is mandated and will be held on Saturday, Oct. 4 at Mercy High School in Riverhead or on Oct. 18 at Kellenberg High School in Uniondale. Both sessions are from 9-1. Those interested please make a request in writing to Msgr. McCann as soon as possible. We especially are looking for men and couples, as it is a wonderful ministry for a couple. We are not seeking homebound ministers at this time.

Present Extraordinary Ministers are asked to give their availability to Jane Clifford as soon as possible so that she can make up the next schedule.



### YOUTH MINISTRY

## TONIGHT ST. MARY'S YOUTH MINISTRY welcomes

### HIGH SCHOOL FRESHMEN & PARENTS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 @ 5:45 p.m.

St. Mary's Youth Ministry is sponsoring a Welcoming Pizza Party in the Marian Room tonight, September 21, after the 5 p.m. Mass. All High School Freshmen and their parents are invited to hear the members of Youth Ministry speak about their experiences as active participants in St. Mary's Parish.

Listen to stories about our food drives, fundraisers, speakers, summer service trips and topics of concern discussed at our Sunday evening meetings.

Sign up sheets will be available after the meeting along with refreshments.



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**  
**1 - 8**  
**FAITH FORMATION**

Catechists Grade 7 - There will be a meeting held on Monday, September 22 at 7:30 p.m.

Catechists Grade 8 - There will be a meeting held on Wednesday, September 24 at 7:30 p.m.

It is important that every catechist attend one of these meetings. Everyone will receive a manual at that time. However, if you already have your manual you will need to bring it to this meeting.

**Echoing the Word** - Wednesday, September 24th at 10 a.m. Catechists and Assistants please plan to get Diocesan Certification by attending these sessions. Our topic this week is Catechetical Session and Environment.

**Classes begin for Grades 1 - 5 Tuesday, September 23rd and Thursday, September 25th from 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.**

**WE NEED YOUR HELP!**  
**WE ARE STILL IN NEED OF CATECHISTS FOR THE FOLLOWING GRADES!**

|                               |                              |                               |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Monday</b>                 | <b>Tuesday</b>               | <b>Wednesday</b>              |
| <b>Grade 6 - 3 catechists</b> | <b>Grade 3 - 1 catechist</b> | <b>Grade 1 - 2 catechists</b> |
| <b>Grade 8 - 1 catechist</b>  | <b>Grade 5 - 1 catechist</b> | <b>Grade 2 - 1 catechist</b>  |
|                               |                              | <b>Grade 3 - 2 catechists</b> |
|                               |                              | <b>Grade 4 - 2 catechists</b> |

**CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS  
OPEN HOUSES**

**You are invited to explore the benefits  
of a Catholic High School Education**

**Feel free to visit you schools during the times and dates listed below:**

| DATE                  | TIME                   | SCHOOL                        |
|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <u>SEPTEMBER 2008</u> |                        |                               |
| SUNDAY 21             | 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  | St. Dominic HS                |
| SUNDAY 28             | 12:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. | Holy Trinity HS               |
|                       | 2:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.  | St. Mary's College Prep. HS   |
| <u>OCTOBER 2008</u>   |                        |                               |
| SATURDAY 4            | 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. | Sacred Heart Academy          |
|                       | 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. | Kellenberg Memorial HS        |
|                       | 2:00 p.m. - 4 p.m.     | Chaminade HS                  |
| SATURDAY 18           | 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. | McGann-Mercy Dioc. HS         |
|                       | 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. | Academy of St. Joseph         |
| SUNDAY 19             | 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | St. John the Baptist Dioc. HS |



**PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY**



Shampoo    Toothpaste    Soup    Deodorant

Donations may be left in the food baskets located in the north and south lobbies of the church. Thank you.

**ST. MARY'S BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP**

St. Mary's Bereavement Support Group for **widows and widowers** will begin on **Wednesday, October 1st** and will continue every Wednesday through November 19th. The group will meet in the Office of Parish Social Ministry from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. **Please call the Office of Parish Social Ministry at 365-2705 to register.**

**F.O.C.U.S. NEWS**

**Bridge** - Thursday, September 25th - Marian Room, 12:00 Noon

**ANNUAL COCKTAIL SUPPER PARTY**

Wednesday, October 8, 2008

5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

North Hempstead Country Club

\$50.00 Check made payable to St. Mary's Church

For further information, please contact the Office of Parish Social Ministry at 365-2705

**Readings and Questions for Faith Sharing**

**Reading I: Isaiah 55:6-9**

The Thoughts of the Lord

**Reading II: Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a**

Life is Christ

**Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16a**

The Vineyard Workers

**Theme:** The Ways of the Lord

**Question for Children:** When have I, in my humanness, limited the scope and breadth of God's grace?

**Question for Adults:** In your experience, when has God acted in a way that went beyond your expectations?

**Manhasset Community Fund Garage Sale**

The Manhasset Community Fund is sponsoring its Second Annual Community-wide Garage Sale on Saturday, October 4, 2008. To register please call:

Liz Ehrhardt at 627-2240 or

Maria Mohan at 627-2536

**GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

On Sunday, October 5, 2008 couples married 50 years or more are invited to a special mass to be celebrated by Bishop John Dunne at St. Rose of Lima, Massapequa at 2:00 p.m.. Please pick up your registration card at the Parish Office, fill it out and return it to the Parish Office in time to reach the Diocese of Rockville Centre no later than September 21, 2008. Approximately one week to ten days before the ceremony information regarding the day will be mailed to you. If you have any questions you may call 516-678-5800, extension 242.



**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Thursday, September 25**

Saint Mary's High School Alumni Association  
16th Annual Don Monti Memorial Golf Classic and  
Fall Dinner Reception  
Plandome Country Club  
Stonytown Road, Plandome

**Saturday, October 11**

Saint Mary's High School Class of 1968  
40th Anniversary Reunion  
7:00 PM  
Manhasset Bay Yacht Club  
455 Main Street, Port Washington

**Saturday, October 11**

Saint Mary's High School  
1950's Sock Hop Reunion  
6:00 PM  
Immaculata Hall Gymnasium (former Girls' School)  
All Alumni from the 1950's are invited to attend.

**Sunday, October 12**

Saint Mary's High School Annual Alumni Mass &  
Breakfast  
Church of Saint Mary  
10:30 AM Mass with a breakfast reception to follow  
in the Marian Room.  
All Alumni are invited to attend.

**Friday, October 24**

Saint Mary's High School Class of 1988  
20th Anniversary Reunion  
8:00 PM  
The Swan Club  
Shore Road, Glenwood Landing

**Saturday, November 1**

Saint Mary's High School Class of 1993  
15th Anniversary Reunion  
8:00 PM  
Strathmore Vanderbilt Country Club  
Country Club Drive, Manhasset  
For more information on any of these events, please  
contact the Office of Alumni Relations at 627-4605  
or visit [www.stmaryalumni.ws](http://www.stmaryalumni.ws)



**ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE**

September 22nd - 28th

**Monday, September 22nd**

7 a.m. Benjamin Ackert & Joseph Meyer  
9 a.m. Timothy Ahern & Paul Radman

**Tuesday, September 23rd**

7 a.m. Juliana Baydar & Tima Pavlovich  
9 a.m. Madeline Barcia & Catherine Lynch

**Wednesday, September 24th**

7 a.m. Anthony Benja-Anthon & Patrick Denihan  
9 a.m. Elizabeth Boyle & Sara Lynch

**Thursday, September 25th**

7 a.m. Courtney Connors & Danielle Nicosia  
9 a.m. Michael Broderick & Brendan Gallagher

**Friday, September 26th**

7 a.m. Nicholas Cordi & Lauren Merola  
9 a.m. Taylor Brooks & Caitlyn McNamara

**Saturday, September 27th**

8 a.m. Elizabeth Boyle & Sara Lynch  
5 p.m. Donal & Katie O'Sullivan, Julia  
Glynn & Abigail Kucharczyk

**Sunday, September 28th**

7:30 a.m. Kristen & Nicole LaBruna, Claire  
Lavelle & Emily Sears  
9:00 a.m. Benjamin Ackert, Joseph Meyer,  
Timothy Ahern & Paul Radman  
10:30 a.m. Vincent Caliendo, Dominic DeLucia,  
Charlie & Mary Malhame  
12 p.m. Elizabeth Boyle, Madeline Barcia,  
Sara & Catherine Lynch  
5 p.m. Anthony Benja-Anthon, Patrick  
Denihan, Vincent deVenoge & Chris Gentile

Schedules can be picked up in the sacristy

**MASS SCHEDULE  
September 27th & 28th  
(subject to change)**

5:00 p.m. Saturday, September 27th  
Fr. Allan Sikorski

7:30 a.m. Sunday, September 28th  
Fr. Joe DeGroccho  
9:00 a.m. Fr. Joe DeGroccho  
10:30 a.m. Fr. John Kennedy Pragasam  
12:00 p.m. Fr. Allan Sikorski  
5:00 p.m. Fr. Michael Galea



# EXTEND YOUR SUNDAY WORSHIP!

Stand Up for Life  
Sunday, October 5, 2008  
2:00 - 3:30 p.m. (rain or shine)  
Rte. 110 and Rte. 25  
Huntington, Long Island  
& Exit 70 of the LIE  
Manorville, Long Island

Signs to be distributed at site read:  
Abortion Kills Children  
Love Them Both  
Amelos a los dos  
El Aborto Mata Ninos

You will be participating in one of the 1300 similar events in the U.S. and Canada.  
October is Respect Life Month  
Sponsor: Long Island Coalition for Life - 631-243-1435

**SUNDAY □ OCTOBER 19, 2008 □ 3:00 PM**

## The Joy of Music Concert and Reception

*honoring*  
The Memory of Joseph & Tita Monti  
Msgr. John J. Strykowski  
Rev. Patrick M. Griffin, C.M.

*featuring*  
Susan Mello (Soprano)  
The Hibernian Festival Singers

*location*  
Seminary of the Immaculate Conception

*hosted by*  
The Friends of the Seminary

For more information contact:  
Beverly Malone  
631.423.0483 X 102  
e-mail: bmalone@icseminary.edu

## ROSARY SOCIETY

### ROSARY SOCIETY OPENING MASS

Thursday, Oct. 2nd - 10 a.m.

at Our Lady of Grace

Luncheon to follow Mass. All are welcome to join the Rosarians as we begin our New Year. Please RSVP to Ann at 627-4621.

### AMERICAN FAMILY ASSOCIATION'S TV PROGRAM

CHANNEL 20

EVERY THURSDAY AT 8:00 p.m.

The American Family Association of NY, established at the request of the Rockville Center Diocese, presents a weekly cable TV program on various issues affecting the family. The program now airs throughout Long Island every Thursday evening from 8 - 9 p.m. on Cablevision Channel 20. Tune in!

### CYO - Nassau & Suffolk Golf Classic

The 15th Annual Bishop Gerald J. Ryan Golf Classic will be held on Monday, October 20, 2008 at the beautiful Nassau Country Club, Glen Cove, NY. Dinner guest speaker will be Tom Pecora, Head Coach, Hofstra University Men's Basketball. For information, call Margaret at 516-433-1145 ext 13 or visit the CYONS web site at [www.cyons.org](http://www.cyons.org)

We hope you will continue to join us to play Bridge at Our Lady of Grace. This fall, we will be calling our get-togethers **GAME DAY** so that more people will be included. Just gather your group together and bring your game along....bridge or canasta cards, dominoes, mah-jong, etc. Also bring your lunch; beverages and dessert will be supplied (\$5 donation is suggested). Mark your calendars now and come enjoy our fun afternoons. We will meet at noon on the last Tuesday of each month (unless otherwise noted) as follows: Dates for 2008 are: September 30, October 28, November 18 (3rd Tues.) Dates for 2009 are: January 27, February 24, March 31, April 28, May 26 and June 30. For reservations and/or further information, call Mary Masso at 627-4981 or Mary Keogh at 627-1016.



# Silver membership Circle program



**What is the Silver Circle Membership Program?**

A fundraiser that raises money for the IHM Sisters Retirement Fund

**How much does a Membership cost? Why should I join?**

Memberships are \$25 each. You may purchase as many as you like. In addition to supporting the IHM Sisters, you have more than 300 chances to win prizes ranging from \$50 - \$1,000!

**When and where are the prize drawings?**

Drawings are held once each month from October 2008 through June 2009 IHM Center or Marian Convent in Scranton, Pennsylvania.

**What are other Member benefits?**

You are remembered in a monthly mass for our benefactors and are able to share in the daily works and prayers of the IHM Sisters.

To join, please send \$25.00 per membership along with the following information to Sr. Sandra McMahon at: St. Mary's Convent, 1320 Northern Blvd. Manhasset, NY 11030

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ AMT.\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to Sisters of IHM



## **BANNS OF MARRIAGE**



### **THIRD BANNS**

Jesse Silver - St. Dominic, Oyster Bay, NY  
Linda Faello - St. Mary's, Manhasset, NY

Justin Kuczmariski - St. Mary's, Manhasset, NY  
Chrisanne Botello - Austin, TX

### **SECOND BANNS**

Eric Shuman - St. Mary's, Manhasset, NY  
Jessica O'Malley, St. Mary's, Manhasset, NY

### **FIRST BANNS**

Paul Quinlan - St. Francis deSales, Rockaway, NY  
Teri Ann Puliafico - St. Mary's, Manhasset, NY

## **SERVICE HOURS**

### **ATTENTION JR. HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

There are so many ways you can assist the Faith Formation Office during our class times. The time passes so quickly when you are working with children. Please call our office at 627-4028.

### **ANNUAL RED MASS**

Bishop Murphy will celebrate the annual Red Mass for all lawyers, judges and court personnel on Tuesday, September 23, 2008 at the Church of St. Joseph in Garden City. The mass of the Holy Spirit is offered traditionally asking God's blessings at the beginning of the judicial year. All are invited. For more information please call 516-678-5800 ext. 622.