Week at a Glance
March 19th - 26th

Sunday, March 19th
10:00 am  Children’s Liturgy of the Word

Monday, March 20th
4:30 pm  1st Grade Church tour
5:00 pm  Holy Thursday Planning Mtg

Tuesday, March 21st
10:00 am  Book Discussion Group
11:00 am  Over 50 Club
7:00 pm   Youth Ministry Meeting
7:30 pm   Liturgy Committee Meeting

Wednesday, March 22nd
4:30 pm  1st Grade Church tour
6:45 pm  St. Vincent de Paul District Mtg

Thursday, March 23rd
8:00 am   Food Ministry
9:30 am   ENDOW

Sunday, March 26th
12:00 pm  Celebration of Life Mass & reception

Come Pray With Us

Daily Masses:
Monday-Thursday at 12pm; Saturday at 9am

Weekend Masses: Saturday at 5pm
Sunday Masses: 8am,10am and 12pm

Special Needs Mass & Respite:
Saturday, April 1 at 6:00 pm

Holy Days: Vigil at 7:30 pm;
9am on Holy Day

Our Lady Queen of Martyrs welcomes persons with disabilities.
Special seating and wheelchair area reserved at all Masses. Hearing devices available.
We celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism!

Each second Saturday of the month, we celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism. This month we welcome:

Harper Grace VanCott
Preston Michael Laterza
Bradley Thomas Klesaris

into our community of faith. Congratulations to their parents and godparents!

As part of our 1st Communion program, 2nd grade classes are asked to attend one of our regular Saturday morning Masses. Fr. John invites the children into the sanctuary for the gospel and they remain with him until they are sent to give a special sign of peace to their families. It is a wonderful teaching experience for these 2nd graders.

to commemorate the anniversary of the first Girl Scout meeting. On March 12, 1912, Juliette Low and two other women met with 18 girls in Savannah, Georgia to form the first Girl Scout troop. Today the Girl Scouts’ membership has grown to 3.6 million members throughout the United States and in more than 90 countries. Father Dowling included Girls Scouts of all ages in prayer and also recognized girls who earned their Girl Scout Religious Awards. These age appropriate awards help each girl become more aware of God’s presence in her daily life. Please contact Austin Cannon (516)678–5800 ext 245 at the Diocese of Rockville Centre Catholic Scouting office for more information.
Dear Fellow Choir Directors and Choir Members,

Thank you all for being such an integral part of last night’s Deanery Mass with Bishop Barres. Your preparation and your musicianship were much appreciated by all in attendance. Personally, it was a thrill and honor to conduct so many fine singers, and the broad beautiful sound we made together is something that will stay in my mind for a long time.

I had someone sitting in the pews record the Mass with my handheld audio recorder, and have uploaded the anthems and the psalm to a Dropbox. (Sorry that Malotte’s “The Lord’s Prayer” does not start at the beginning of the piece, but what’s there is great!). Attached is the very nice group photo we took after the Mass. Again, please share these with all who participated.

In speaking with Bishop Barres after the Mass, he said that he was glad to have provided such a “good excuse” for all of us to get together and sing. It was such a pleasant, Spirit-filled experience, and as many expressed to me after the Mass, I too hope we find “another good excuse” to collaborate again in this way in the near future.

Best wishes for Lent and Easter!
Matthew Koraus, MM, FAGO, ChM        Director of Music Ministries      Church of St. Patrick, Huntington

Will you invite a friend to Mass?

Bishop Barres encourages us all to take part in his initiative of inviting one inactive Catholic friend or family member to attend Mass this Lenten Season.

Bishop Barres is passionate about dramatic missionary growth and compels each of us to “gently, humbly, compassionately, non-judgmentally bear witness to the beauty of our intimacy with Christ and love for the mission of the Catholic Church”.

Bishop Barres even joked that he gave us an extension for our invitations, from the previous date of Ash Wednesday to now, Easter!

It is surely a time of hope and renewal as we look toward the resurrection of Christ. Let us keep Bishop Barres in our prayers as he shepherds us in our journey of faith.
The Journey of the Cross

Two years ago the Passionists Order generously donated to our parish the statue of Saint Gabriel, the cross and the altar that you see on our property by the water’s edge. The story of the journey of the cross and our spiritual connection to these gifts continues.

Over these past two years we have been blessed to gather at this outdoor altar to celebrate the Eucharist. With crowds sometimes numbering as many as 400, it became apparent that enhancement of the space was necessary. Nelson and Pope Engineers and Surveyors provided their services and expertise to design this project in compliance with Department of Environmental Conservation regulations.

We are delighted to announce the details of the Saint Gabriel Sacred Space Project including memorial giving opportunities that include a Wall of Honor.

As part of the Saint Gabriel Sacred Space Project, we are sponsoring a Buy A Brick campaign giving parishioners the opportunity to leave a lasting legacy at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs. The final design for this project includes a short seatwall that will surround this Sacred Space. Commemorative bricks will be placed in the Wall of Honor at the entrance of this holy ground.

An Annual Saint Gabriel Sacred Space Mass will be celebrated in remembrance of all.

Staff and committee volunteers will offer a presentation of the project and will be on hand to answer questions and assist parishioners with the ordering process through our website beginning on March 26th.

In order to be included in the FIRST PHASE of this project, all brick orders must be received by April 24th. Subsequent orders will be processed and added to the Wall of Honor annually.

4 x 8 Engraved Brick $125  8 x 8 Engraved Brick $275

This lasting gift becomes a permanent part of the landscape of Saint Gabriel Sacred Space. What a wonderful way to remember your family or someone you love.
Lent: A Time of Renewal and Grace

During this season of Lent, let us challenge ourselves to not simply just give something up, but instead to take something on, to find a deeper meaning to this season. Let us use this season for deepening our spiritual life through the means of sanctification offered us by the church: fasting, prayer and almsgiving.

We are called to live a life of faith, which involves so much more than giving something up...we are called to give of ourselves to others. This Lent, why not consider doing something that responds to God’s call...to give more of ourselves to others and to God and give more time to renew the gift of our faith.

During this Lenten season, consider spending some time in reflection and prayer as we journey through the Stations of the Cross.

Stations of the Cross - Fridays at 12:00pm in the Church

DIOCESAN DAY OF RECONCILIATION

On April 10, 2017, Monday of Holy Week, all Catholics of the Diocese are invited to come and be reconciled, that we might celebrate the Paschal Mystery with heart and mind renewed.

We will offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation from 3:00 - 9:00 PM.

“Lent is the favourable season for renewing our encounter with Christ, living in his word, in the sacraments and in our neighbour.”

~ Pope Francis
**Lenten Mission ~ All Are Welcome**

All of our parishioners are welcome to join with parishioners at St. Anthony of Padua for a special Lenten Mission.

**March 27th, 28th, and 29th**
**at the 9:00 am Mass and 7:30 pm Mass**
**St. Anthony of Padua Church**
**in East Northport**

Father Robert Joerger, C.P., will lead us in reflection and prayer. Father Joerger is currently the Provinical Superior of the Passionists in the Eastern US, Canada and parts of the Caribbean. He has traveled extensively to international Passionist provinces. His past ministries include directing the Former St. Gabriel’s Retreat House for Youth on Shelter Island, as well as preaching parish missions and retreats.

Two years ago when the Retreat House closed, the Passionist’s order generously donated the statue of St. Gabriel, the cross and the altar to our parish. The story of the journey of this cross and our spiritual connection to these gifts continues as they have found their new home, a Sacred Space, here in Centerport.

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**Sing For Joy**

Our Traditional Choir is looking for all voices to join us in singing to celebrate Masses for the coming season.
We sing on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month from September to June, and rehearse on Thursday evenings at 8PM, alternating between the Church and the Community Room.
Please call Lillian La Barbara at (631) 261 5216 for further information.

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**The Catholic Relief Services Collection**

Next week, our parish will take up the Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC).

Funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and Christ’s love and respect to all people here at home and abroad.

Next week, please give generously to the CRSC and help Jesus in disguise.

Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.
This month the Diocese invites us to offer names of people to be trained as Eucharist Ministers and Lectors.

If you are prayerfully considering serving in one of these ministries, please phone or e-mail Father John at (631)757-8184 or jgilmartin@olqmparish.org

Considering either one of these two ministries comes with expectations of commitment and availability. Our faith community is dependent on those who serve to be present at the liturgies for which they are scheduled. We do understand certain considerations and take this into account in preparing the schedules. Thank you for your willingness to serve.

Eucharistic Minister
As you see at each Mass, we have a number of Eucharistic Ministers who help distribute the Body and Blood of Jesus. We also have Eucharistic Ministers who visit parishioners who are ill or homebound, bringing them Holy Communion.

- Eucharistic Ministers help distribute the Body and Blood of Jesus to our faith community. We are called in this ministry to offer the Body and Blood of Jesus to one another. As the minister holds the Body of Christ or the cup with His precious Blood, we are called to see Christ, His real presence, before us. We are also to see Christ in the person who comes to us for communion, and most especially we are to reflect Christ for others to find Him in us as we share communion. We become united by the Body and Blood of Christ. Hence, the reason we receive both His Body and His Blood.

- We prepare for this ministry by prayer and reflection. Serving as a Eucharistic Minister is not simply giving something to others, but rather, sharing someone, Jesus, with one another. Reverence, deep love and respect for the Eucharist and a firm belief in the Real Presence, is critical to this ministry.

The Ministry of Lector
As you listen each Sunday, you hear that we have very fine Lectors here at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs. Any who are interested in becoming a Lector here at the parish are asked to note the following:

- First of all, this is a ministry – it is not simply a role which a person accepts because he or she might be a good reader. Being a Lector is much more than simply reading words from a book. It is proclaiming God’s word from the sacred scriptures!! These words are holy and the Lector is called to proclaim them to our faith community. We are all called to hear the real presence of God in these words.

- A Lector is called to believe the words he or she reads. The Lector should strive to understand the message and to reflect on the words that are proclaimed to the parish.

- This is a ministry of service, as is that of a Eucharistic Minister. God’s word and His presence in His Body and Blood we administer bring with them significant responsibility. Service calls us to ministry, not always at our convenience, but to be of service to the community as needed.

Training Sessions for Ministers and Lectors will be offered at St. Elizabeth, Melville
Wednesday, April 26th and Wednesday, May 10th at 7:00pm - 10:00pm
Dear Friends:

During the special Lenten season, please allow me to share a special request with you. If you have never contributed to the Catholic Ministries Appeal, or if you haven’t contributed in a number of years, please consider making this the year that you join with me and other members of this Parish family and make a donation to the 2017 Appeal.

As you may already be aware, 100% of all the money raised by this fund helps support more than 60 programs and services that the people of our church as well as all of the people on Long Island have come to rely on.

These programs include services to people in need; affordable housing for senior citizens; people with disabilities and our veterans, as well as formation of our priests, deacons, lay leaders, and young people. These are just a few of the programs that help make our church and this Island a vibrant and wonderful place to live.

But to help ensure that we can always serve those who come to us for aid, support and spiritual guidance, we need help from you!

If 100 of our parishioners, who have not supported us in the recent past, made a $25 contribution this year – think about how many more people we could help. If that amount is more than you can manage, consider $5 or $10. Every gift counts and makes a difference in the lives of others!

Make checks payable to:

Catholic Ministries Appeal

Parish ____________________________ Pledge: $______

Name ____________________________ Down payment: $______

Address ____________________________________________

City, State, Zip: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________ Signature: ____________________________ Date: __________

“Lent is a favorable season for opening the doors to all those in need and recognizing in them the face of Christ. Each of us meets people like this every day”

- Pope Francis
CALLING ALL YOUTH MINISTRY TEENS!

What are you doing this summer?

GET INVOLVED WITH OUR SUMMER 2017 SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

**Outward Bound**
Saturday, July 29 (9AM – 5PM)
Floyd Bennet Field
Gateway National Park in Brooklyn

Cost: $155 per person
(This includes lunch and snacks for the day)

**LAST CHANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN OUTWARD BOUND TRIP OR THE NAZARETH FARM TRIP**

**Nazareth Farm**
Date: Sunday August 13-19
Location: Nazareth Farm, Salem, West Virginia

Cost: $300 per person

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**NOTRE DAME VISION**

Notre Dame Vision is a Catholic youth leadership training program run at the University in South Bend, Indiana. Students from high schools and parishes all over the country are invited to attend these week-long sessions at Notre Dame, where the school staff and college student volunteers run the program. Throughout the week, teens participate in a variety of group activities, discussions and workshops to develop their faith and leadership skills. The program provides many opportunities to attend Mass, prayer services and the Sacrament of Reconciliation as well. Notre Dame Vision is a comprehensive program that really helps teens to bond with their peers and experience personal growth.

**Date:** Monday, July 10 – Friday, July 14

**Location:** Notre Dame University, South Bend, Indiana

**Cost:** $350 per person for the program. Financial Aid opportunities are available if applications are sent to the University by March 1. This does not include the cost of travel to Notre Dame which will be determined by a later date.

**Deadline:** If you would like to attend ND Vision, you must email Youth Minister Bill Leone at the following address bleone@olqmparish.org by Monday, March 20. If you need an application, please email Bill. Once the group of teens going on the trip is finalized, paperwork and payment must be submitted to the parish by Monday, March 27. The trip is open to all teens who will be attending high school in September 2017.

Questions? Contact Bill Leone at bleone@olqmparish.org.
SPECIAL BIRTHDAY WISHES!

Parish Social Ministry volunteers brings smiles and birthday wishes to some of our senior parishioners!

Happy birthday to

Madeline Rappelt

Rosemarie Guercia

Val Legaspi

The Harborfields Council of PTAs invites all Harborfields Senior Citizens to a FREE performance of “Guys and Dolls” on Wednesday, March 29th.

The talented students of Harborfields High Theatre Company are sure to delight...

“I’ve got the horse right here, his name is Paul Revere and here’s a guy that says that if all weather’s clear... Can do, can do, this guy says the horse can do...”

Dessert and coffee at 5:30pm, show begins at 6:30pm. Tickets are required in advance. Please call 631-754-5320, ext. 319 no later than March 22nd.
Career Employment Workshops

All are welcome to join these inclusive, non-denominational programs

Once again, the Parish Social Ministry Office of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs is offering our Career Employment Workshops. In the past 23 years, OLQM has helped over 2000 people develop their job search skills and career paths. Workshops are led by active and retired executives from Management, Human Resources, Outplacement and Academia. They offer practical suggestions and information in a supportive environment as a FREE service of Parish Social Ministry.

The series consists of separate but interrelated sessions, spread over six weeks on Monday evenings, beginning on March 20. The program is a hands on experience designed to improve skills and build confidence while providing individualized feedback. It assists those currently unemployed, recent graduates, people returning to work or individuals considering a career change.

**WORKSHOP TOPICS**

- **Career Assessment: Identify your Strengths, Talents and Transferable Skills**
  What kind of work will really make you happy?

- **Library Research & Resources**
  Learn to identify and research companies needing your skills and experience.

- **Effective Resumes: Styles & Techniques**
  Learn to write targeted cover letters and resumes that are clear and concise.

- **Basics of Building a Network of Contacts**
  How to build a network of people who know you and can introduce you to the right people.

- **Practical Interviewing Skills**
  How to develop your “Brand,” learn how to answer the question, “Tell Me About Yourself.”

- **One-on-One Job Search Support**
  Opportunity for those who would like individualized discussions with workshop leaders.

All workshops, except the Library Research workshop, will be held at the OLQM Community Room, 53 Prospect Road, Centerport, New York, beginning at 7:00pm.

**Pre-registration is requested to attend!**

To RSVP, please contact Maria Ryan at mryan@olqm.parish.org or call (631)754-9045
Volunteers needed for Project Hope Dinner on Sunday, March 26th. The dinner will be held at the Moose Lodge on Pulaski Road in Greenlawn. Please bring a smile and a dessert!

Volunteers needed for set up at 1:30 - 2:30 pm and serve/clean up at 2:45 - 5:00 pm.

Please call our office to register. Thank you.

Thank you to all who donated to help the victims of the Bull Calf Landing Fire.

Your donations truly helped these families through a very tough time.

Eli Gagliano helped raise awareness of the fundraiser and took up a collection for the families on his own.

Thank you Eli!

Parish Social Ministry is looking for volunteers to support our many ministries.

Are you looking to help others? Do you feel called to serve?

Here is the perfect way.....

Volunteers are needed for our
Homebound Ministry
Transportation Ministry
Nursing Ministry
Seniors visiting Seniors (companion program)
Respite Program
Office Support

Give our office a call for other ministries and other opportunities to serve. Thank you!

WE ARE HERE TO HELP
If you are struggling with something and not sure where to turn, Our Lady Queen of Martyrs is here to help you by providing confidential support and a compassionate presence. Many feel the need for a friendly ear, a gentle hand and to know they are not alone when facing serious illness, economic problems, marital difficulties, mental health concerns or caring for those who are ill or elderly.

We are here for you. Please call our Parish Social Ministry office at (631) 754-9045.
## Youth Ministry and Faith Formation MARCH 2017 SERVICE CALENDAR

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Open to all: All can attend, YM: for 9th-12th graders, Faith Formation: 1st-8th graders.

If Your Child is interested in attending any of the events you must call the Parish Social Ministry Office at 754 9045 to register.
Scripture Lesson: Living Water (John 4:5-42)

Cool, refreshing water! There is no substitute when you are hot and thirsty.

Today’s gospel is about water. The part of the world where Jesus lived was very hot and dry. Jesus, tired and thirsty, sat down beside a well to rest. Soon a Samaritan woman came to the well to fill her water jar. Jesus first asks the woman for a drink, but then offers the woman “living water”. He tells the woman, “Whoever drinks the water I give will never thirst; this water will become a spring of water welling up to eternal life.”

The woman didn't understand that "living water" meant she should believe that Jesus was the Savior. But after spending time with Jesus, she is so refreshed by his “water of eternal life” and so excited to share the news with others that she ran into the city and told her friends, "Come and see. This man I met must surely be the Christ."

Today we also celebrate the Feast of St. Joseph, foster father of Jesus.

We don’t know a lot about St. Joseph’s life. We do know he was a poor carpenter from Bethlehem, and was also a distant descendant of King David.

Bible stories portray Joseph as open to God, obedient, upright, and, above all, kind.

He cared for Mary and Jesus and was a role model for us on how to act when we are faced with difficult or complicated personal choices.

He put God’s will first and his own feelings second. When he understood what God wanted from him, he obeyed.

Attention Grade 1 Parents: Church Tours

Monday, March 20th or Wednesday, March 22nd
4:30-5:15 PM in the Church

Classes are assigned.
Check with your child’s catechist for your schedule.
March 19th
The Third Sunday in Lent

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF EXODUS
When the Israelites escaped from Egypt they entered a desert land that was hardly habitable. There was little food so God provided manna and quails for the people to eat. Here they are angry because there is no water, a complaint that seems reasonable in a climate that is 100 degrees with the sun beating down. Would you complain? I would. So, the people test God (that is what Massah means) and quarrel with God (that is what Meriba mean ) and God comes through with water as Moses strikes a rock and water pours forth. Remember, this is a story filled with symbolism, so the staff with which he strikes the rock is the very same staff that he used to part the waters so the Israelites could escape the Pharaoh's army and slavery in Egypt. The question that the people were asking, “Is the Lord in our midst?” is answered with a powerful YES. Sometimes, in our darkest most challenging moments we may ask the same question. Where are you God to help me out in this tragedy, depression, betrayal, loss, illness or worse? The answer is always the same. It is the promise that appears most often in the Hebrew Scriptures and in the words and actions of Jesus, I AM WITH YOU.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: “If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.” This is not about hearing voices in your head. How do we really hear God's voice? It is in prayer, listening to and reading the scriptures and in our relationships with the people in our lives. We never know when God will speak to us through the events and people in our lives. The key is listening with the heart as well as the ears.

A READING FROM THE FIRST LETTER OF SAINT PAUL TO THE ROMANS
Paul gives us a message of hope. “And hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.” This is the ultimate I AM WITH YOU. Paul is telling us that the Holy Spirit, the very presence of the third person of the Holy Trinity actually lives within each of us. Of course, saying that is not enough, we need to experience it and believe in the Spirit within us. Do you pray to the Holy Spirit; have conversations with this deep inner presence? Do you sometimes sense the Spirit in someone else or in something you hear or read or encounter in nature, OR in the love of someone you also love? In the midst of all the electronic communication that bombards you every day, try to go inside for a while so you can deal more sanely and happily with the outside world.

REFLECTIONS ON THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN
Here we go with a connection to water again that we saw in the first reading and to the Spirit that Paul invokes. Jesus is tired and thirsty so he goes to the communal well, talks to a woman there and asks her for a drink. This could be seen as three strikes against Jesus, three mistakes that a good Jewish man should never commit. First, he talks to a woman who is by herself. Second, she is a Samaritan, who are a people considered to be heretics by Jews. Third, he is talking to the woman at a well which was often a place to meet prostitutes. SHAME! Three strikes and you are out for being a good Jew. But Jesus the Jew came for all and here he is reaching out beyond his usual audience of his fellow Jews. Jesus wants to expand the notion of what water really means. Jesus tells the woman “Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again; but whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst; the water that I shall give shall become a spring of water welling up to eternal life.”

WATER-SPIRIT-I AM WITH YOU –ETERNAL LIFE
Water was life to the people in the dessert and God gave them water. Water is life to us and God bathes us in the water of Baptism and gives us the Holy Spirit that is with us always into eternal life. That is who we are. That is the gift of life that God has given to us, life shared in the community of the Trinity. It makes everything different if we accept the gift. Let us consciously try over and over to accept the gift as it is given in so many ways that we may have missed or shut out.
As we journey through the winter months, I want to assure you that Our Lady Queen of Martyrs is here to celebrate the liturgies and sacraments with you. But, when life’s busy challenges or extreme weather get in the way, you may not always be able to be here. When Mother Nature sends storms and blizzards our way, our Mass attendance and collections are significantly affected. This is one reason why we encourage you to consider supporting the parish by making your weekly contributions electronically through Faith Direct.

You can quickly sign up online at www.faithdirect.net using our church code: NY229, or by mailing an enrollment form available in the parish office. Thank you for your faithful support.
March 19: Third Sunday of Lent:

In today’s Gospel, Jesus says: “My food is to do the will of the one who sent me and to finish his work.”

Let us especially remember those who have asked for our prayers.

Father Ed Dowling          Stephen Persico
Owen Kenny                 Jeffrey Kurr
Tony Millon               Patrick McGinn
Charles Menacho           Joan Sullivan
Mary Ellen Caracuel        Michael Malone
Carmella Raguso           Rosemary Jenkins
Colonel Michael Gabel      Lea Fischer
Sue Pavicevic              Marian Earing
Grace Schimmel            Mary Deruvo
Nancy Krauss               Bob Dolan
Dominic Gargiulo          Mary Gagliano
Martin Fortunato          Connie Leogrande
Mark McLaughlin           Jaiden Scelzo
Carl Pergola              Isabelle Grenier
Frank Moretti             Richard Harder
Kyle Deerwester           Jack Stewart
Lorena Murray             Charles Mazzoni
Mary Gillespie            Alf Paulsen
Mary Greco                Martha Aliperti
Virginia E. Hetherington  Bruce Waring
Bromley Hall              Deacon Roger Miller
Sammy Minetta             Joan Salerno

Pray for the peaceful rest of all our beloved parishioners and friends especially
Ann O’Connor

May all those who have gone before us share the joys of eternal life.
This workshop will be an introduction to the experience of how our children interpret their world and how we can bring the faith to them. **Location:** St John Nepomucene Church, 1140 Locust Ave, Bohemia, NY 11716 **Instructor:** Kathy Russell-Sica MS Ed **Dates:** Tuesdays, April 25, May 2, 9 and 16 10:00am- 11:30 am **Cost:** $40.00 per person **If you have any questions contact Kathy Russell-Sica ksica@drvc.org 516-506-2260 **Register Online** www.drvc-faith.org

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**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

Attention Married Couples!

Love is in the air this spring!

Give your spouse a

**Marriage Encounter Weekend**

Rediscover your love and enhance your hopes and dreams! This weekend, plant a seed and watch your love grow!!!

April 28th to 30th
@ Seminary of the Immaculate Conception
440 W Neck Rd.
Huntington, NY 11743
**Space is limited.**
For more information about the weekends or to apply call 1-877-697-9963 or visit our web site at http://www.wwme.org

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**5th Annual Women's Conference**

The Voice of Catholic Women
Saturday, April 8, 2017
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Seminary of the Immaculate Conception
440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743

We look forward to hearing everyone’s story!

**JOIN US FOR:**
Morning Prayer in the Chapel,
Presentations, Conversations and a Festive Luncheon

**OFFERING:** $25.00

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**Homecoming Farm’s**

**Sixth Annual Spring Awakening 2017**

**Water is Life...**
Understanding the Challenges We Face
Locally and Globally, Protecting this Sacred Gift

Saturday, March 25
8:45AM – 3:30PM
Helen Butler Hall at Dominican Village
565 Albany Avenue, Amityville, NY 11701

$45 includes lunch and snack

**Join us for an energizing day gathered with other Water Protectors and Activists who understand that Water is Life.**

Keynote speaker: S. Suzanne Golas, CSIP, Founder and Director of WATERSPIRIT, who also serves as her Congregation’s NGO representative at the UN. She concentrates on Sustainable Development and Water. After lunch, other presenters, including Adrienne Esposito of Citizen’s Campaign, will discuss water crises on a global and local level.

**REGISTER:** S. Jeanne Clark, OP 631-842-6000, Ext.338 or email earthhomeci@aol.com for info.

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