

Saint Benedict's Roman Catholic Church

2969 Otis Avenue, Bronx, New York 10465

The Home Parish of Terence Cardinal Cooke ~ (March 1, 1921 - October 6, 1983)
Cardinal Archbishop of New York—Motto: *Fiat Voluntas Tua*, meaning, "Thy Will Be Done"

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RECTORY SUMMER HOURS, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2018:
(unless otherwise noted)

Monday - Thursday:

9:00am until 12:30pm

1:30pm until 4:00pm

Friday:

9:00am until 12:00 Noon

Saturday:

9:00am until 12:30pm

1:30pm until 4:00pm

Sunday: Closed

SCHOOL:

1016 Edison Avenue, Bronx, NY 10465

Tel: 1-718-829-9557

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Website:

<http://www.stbenedictschoolbx.org>

CLERGY:

Reverend Stephen P. Norton
Pastor

Reverend Daniel P. Tuite
Parochial Vicar

Deacon A. Michael Salvatorelli
Deacon John Scott

PASTORAL STAFF:

Mr. Ray Vitiello, *School Principal*

Sr. Joan Quinn, I.H.M., *Religious Education Office - School*
1-718-829-1200

Mrs. Anne Myers, *Director of Music*

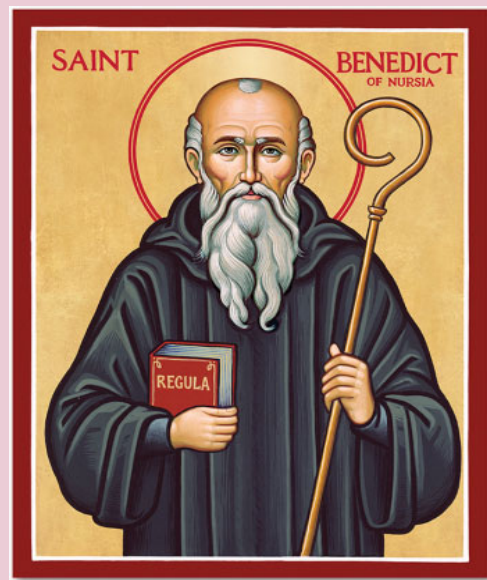
THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Please call the Rectory for a date soon after the birth of your child.

THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Please call the Rectory at least six (6) months prior to date of Marriage.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK:
Please inform the priests if you have a family member in the hospital.

**If you have an emergency, at any time of the day or night,
please call the Rectory's emergency number at
1-718-828-3403**

Welcome to Our Parish



M A S S E S:

Weekdays: 6:45am and 8:30am

Saturdays: 8:30am and 4:00pm

Sundays: Vigil: 4:00pm (Saturday evening),

Sundays: 7:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 7:00pm

Holy Days of Obligation:

Vigil 7:00pm (Night before)

6:45am, 8:30am and 12:00 Noon

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Saturdays: 9:00am until 9:30am and
3:00pm until 4:00pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
(See page 4)

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA
Monday 8:30am in the Church

*Sunday, July 8, 2018 - Bulletin
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses, in order that the power of Christ may dwell with me. — 2 Corinthians 12:9

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MASSES FOR THE WEEK:

SUNDAY, July 8th - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:00 St. Benedict's Parish
- 8:00 Francesco & Maria Teresa Versaci
- 9:30 Osvaldo Decicco
- 11:00 Francesco Grandilli
- 7:00 Miguel Santos Vazquez

MONDAY, July 9th - St. Augustine Zhao Rong

- 6:45 Edel Quinn
- 8:30 Holy Souls in Purgatory

TUESDAY, July 10th

- 6:45 Angela Capra and the Deceased Members of the Capra Family
- 8:30 Angelina DelVecchio
"7th Anniversary in Heaven"

WEDNESDAY, July 11th - St. Benedict

- 6:45 St. Benedict's Parish
- 8:30 Hugo Fucci

THURSDAY, July 12th

- 6:45 Eileen Aline
"Happy Birthday in Heaven"
- 8:30 Betty Eberle

FRIDAY, July 13th - St. Henry

- 6:45 Juaquina & Modesto Soler
- 8:30 Mary & Joseph Bigley

SATURDAY, July 14th - St. Kateri Tekakwitha

- 8:30 Mary Elizabeth O'Neill
- 4:00 Michael Buzzeo

SUNDAY, July 15th

- 7:00 Daniel Dela Barry
- 8:00 Piacentino & Raquel Parenti
- 9:30 Francesco & Irene Scalera
- 11:00 Michael Berardini
- 7:00 St. Benedict's Parish



Please Remember to Pray for the Sick! May they find healing and comfort in Jesus Christ!

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|------------------------|----------------------|
| Blanch Ross-Anderson | Rose Leo |
| Anthony Battista | Frankie Lettera |
| Judy Berardinone | Elizabeth Mandile |
| John Bracco | Jenny Mauro |
| Amy Buscamonte | Margie McCarthy |
| John Caminiti | Chris McPadden |
| Inez Cantamessa | Denise McPadden |
| Kevin Curran | Maylee Roman Overman |
| Tom Curran | Antonette Roublick |
| Mike & Louis D'Annucci | Jennie Schuette |
| Michael DeGennaro | Kathy Selvaggio |
| Sean Fagan | Pasquale Tartaglione |
| Marion Gruber | Gail Terico |
| | Jean Varela |

Babies/Children

Baby Amari, Danielle Grace Comblo, Charli Mary Carozza, Jeremy Cox, Sebastian DeLuca, Marco Garcia, Joseph Gentile, Blake Salvatore Haddock, Baby Olivia Iafelice, Baby Noelle Jablonka, Sophia Lopez, Infant Lucas Ortiz, Alexandra Rosario, Joseph Salvatorelli, Ava Rose Scolaro, Baby Sydney Selvaggio, Tiffany Toro, Azalea Vargas, Rayne Weiner

To add a family member or friend to the sick list, please email: cajanicki@gmail.com or call the Rectory at 718-828-3403, ext. 101. Thank you!

+ Please Pray for the Recently Deceased Members of our Parish and their Grieving Families +
Martha Menna

Travelling?

If you will be travelling in the United States and want to find the nearest Roman Catholic Church and its Mass schedule, you can visit the website: **Masstimes.org**.

Jesus Is Never on Vacation!



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

- II. *Jamie Magneri & Ryan Hannigan*
- II. *Veronica Rivera & Eric Arguello*

THIS WEEK'S ALTAR BREAD, WINE, AND ALTAR CANDLES HAVE BEEN DONATED BY:

Theresa Hudec
IN LOVING MEMORY OF:
Yolanda and Robert Hudec

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 8, 2018:

- Monday:** Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9; Mt 9:18-26
- Tuesday:** Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38
- Wednesday:** Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7
- Thursday:** Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15
- Friday:** Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17; Mt 10:16-23
- Saturday:** Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33
- Sunday:** Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-14; Eph 1:3-14 [3-10]; Mk 6:7-13

STRENGTH AND GUIDANCE

A prayer for strength is often needed during difficult times. Please remember that God is always here for us, to give us strength, guidance and lift our hearts when all seems hopeless.

From the Pastor:

My Dear Parish Family:

It is summertime and the living is easy! Summer means a little slower pace for all of us and time for us to enjoy relaxing at home or barbequing with family and friends. Perhaps a trip to the beach or time away is in your summer plans, but whatever your activities are this summer, please do not forget God!

Sunday Mass happens every week no matter what type of weather and, yes, even during the summer months. If you are traveling during July or August please remember to attend Church and consider bringing back a bulletin for me so I can see what goes on in other parishes (I steal ideas from other places all the time!).

Daily Mass may also be a good vacation practice. We are not rushing off to work during our vacations and so perhaps it might be a good opportunity to attend daily Mass or come to the Adoration Chapel on Tuesdays (9 A.M. until 4 P.M.) and/or Fridays (9 A.M. until 12 Noon). Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Jesus in the form of the bread from Sunday Mass) is placed on the Altar so that we can look at HIM and pray to HIM face to face. It is cool and quiet in the Adoration Chapel (located in the former convent building) for all the members of the parish. Bring your children or grandchildren to adoration to teach them the importance of prayer, the truth of Jesus, God's Son, really present in the Host and to learn to take a few minutes of quiet time. Bringing your little ones to Church even in the summer will help them always and especially to grow in love with God.

One final thought - Confession! The Sacrament of Confession is always available by request at the rectory or each Saturday morning after the 8:30 Mass or from 3 until 4 P.M. Saturday afternoon. Confession is good for the soul and is a beautiful gift of peace, mercy and love directly from our Father in Heaven, so do not forget to get to Confession this summer.

Yes, it is summertime and the living is easy! Building a better relationship with God at anytime of the year is also easy, so please do not forget to stay close to God even during the summer!

Until next week, **Happy Summer!** St. Benedict and Cardinal Cooke, Servant of God, pray for us!

Fr. Stephen P. Norton



2018 RECTORY SUMMER HOURS

Effective July 1st through September 3rd, the rectory summer hours will be as follows:

Monday through Thursday

9am until 12:30pm and 1:30pm until 4pm

Friday

9am until 12:00 Noon

Saturday

9am until 12:30pm and 1:30pm until 4pm

Sunday

Closed

We will resume 9am-7pm (Monday through Friday) beginning Monday, Sept. 5th. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!

Have a Blessed and Safe Summer!

ST. BENEDICT'S SCHOOL

St. Benedict's School offers FULL & HALF DAY Pre-K 3 & 4 Year Old Programs and FULL DAY Kindergarten through Grade 8. If you are interested in having your child(ren) attend St. Benedict's School for the **2018-2019** school year, please visit our website at: www.stbenedictschoolbx.org for important registration/application information. Please feel free to contact St. Benedict's School (718-829-9557) for a tour. A limited amount of scholarships are available for those eligible.

St. Benedict RE (CCD) Program

Re-registration/Registration for 2018-2019 is now Open for Grades 1 - 8 and high school

If anyone would like to re-register/register your child(ren) for the **2018-2019** RE (CCD) Program, please note the following tuition rates:

1 child	\$125.00
2 children	\$175.00
3 children	\$225.00

You can contact Sr. Joan Quinn by calling her at 718-829-1200 or stop by her office at St. Benedict School. During the summer, Sr. Joan will be in her office during the month of July, except July 4th through July 16th.

Classes begin on Sunday, September 9, 2018 and Wednesday, September 12, 2018, respectively.

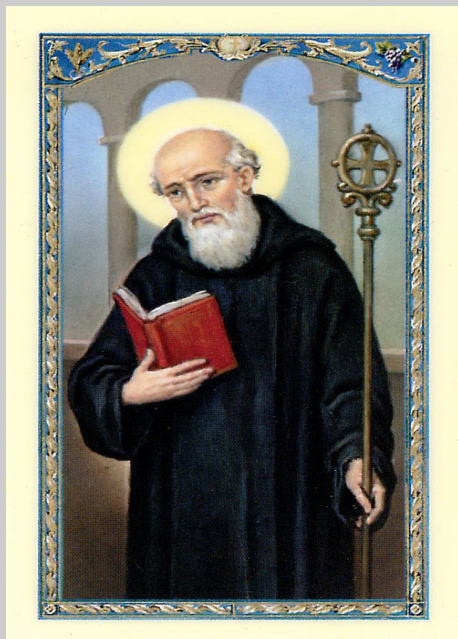
World Youth Day - Young Adults from the Archdiocese of New York will travel to Panama this upcoming January to take part in historic celebrations! In conjunction with the Office of Youth Ministry, the Office of Young Adult Outreach will be offering a 5-day trip and an 8-day trip. If interested, please contact Mary Elise Zellmer for more information at: MaryElise.Zellmer@archny.org.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

**Sunday, July 1, 2018
50/50 WINNER:**

Due to the Fourth of July Holiday, this bulletin had to be sent earlier than usual. Thank you for your understanding.

**SAINT BENEDICT - OUR PATRON SAINT
Feast Day July 11th**



Saint Benedict of Nursia (Italian: *San Benedetto da Norcia*) (480-547) is a Christian saint, honored by the Roman Catholic Church as the patron saint of Europe and students. The spirit of St. Benedict's Rule is summed up in the motto of the Benedictine Confederation: pax ("peace" and the traditional ora et labora "pray & work")

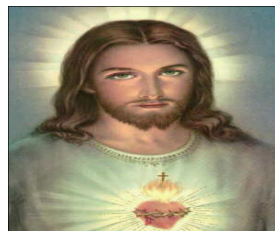


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Bus Trip to the Catskills with Fr. Bretone

Sat., July 14th - the bus departs at 8:30am **sharp** from St. Benedict's Church (**Bruckner Boulevard side**). Please bring your own lunch. Cost per person: \$42.00 (**payment must be paid in advance**). For reservations, please contact Aida at 347-621-3204.



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION (CHAPEL)
Summer Hours effective July 3rd**

Tuesdays

9:00am until 4:00pm Adoration Chapel

Fridays

**9:00am until 12:00 Noon Adoration Chapel
11:00am Rosary in the Adoration Chapel**

We have **Eucharistic Adoration** here at St. Benedict's Parish in the Adoration Chapel on **Tuesdays and Fridays**, unless otherwise noted. Please stop by and spend some quiet time with Jesus. Please tell a friend, neighbor and/or relative. See for yourself how peaceful and relaxed you can feel. You can stay as long as you want or as little as you want.

**+ Prayer List For Our U.S. Servicemen and Women +
U.S. Air Force:**

1st Class Airman Eric Bosco, Lt. Col. Thomas D. Crimmins, Ismael Guiles, Major Roger Illari, Stephanie Mendez, Air Force Airman, Msgt. Daniel Rivera, Major Alicia Stumpf, Major Sean Stumpf.

U.S. Army/U.S. National Guard:

Pvt. Michael Careswell, Fr. (Chaplain) James Collins, Pvt. Matthew Dooley, Sgt. Scott Douglas, Jason Engeldrum, Sgt. Pedro Flores, Pvt. Anthony Grieco, Jr., 2nd Lt. Christopher Hackett, Johnny Jiminez, 82nd Airborne, Corporal Jenna Kuhl, Pvt. Ryan McNamara, Staff Sgt. Javier Mendoza, PV2 James McCarthy, Captain Peter Anthony Orlando, Pvt. Anthony Ottaviano, Captain Fr. Peter Pompisello, Major Lori Robinson, Thomas Robinson, Jr., Timothy S. Valentine, S.J., Capt. Javi SanJuan, 1st Lt. Renee SanJuan, Col. Raymond Van Pelt, Franky Perez, PV2 Manual Ramirez, Sgt. Andrew Santander, Staff Sgt. Matthew Wickes, SPC Albert Zapata, Staff Sgt. William Ziegler.

U.S. Coast Guard:

Jayke Hooks, Seaman Apprentice, Thomas J. Hooks, Brandon A. Moreno, Seaman Apprentice, PO3 Eberlee Santander.

U.S. Marine Corps:

Master Sgt. Mark S. Lynch, Corporal Kevin S. Major, LCpl Erik M. Mango, Major Frank Parisi-Reserves, Sgt. Benjamin Rodriguez, Staff Sgt. Randy Vaccaro-Reserves, Pvt. 1st Class, Jason R. Wager-Reserves.

U.S. Navy:

Diplomat John Brunetti, Lt. Joshua Eskow, Petty Officer Gillen, Lt. Jennifer Groger, Abhan Christopher Hough, Naval Airman E-3, Sea Bee Sammy Pizzano, Petty Officer William F. Ramos, Ralph Romero Sanchez, Richard Torrens, Lt. Victor Schaeffer.

Marriage SaveHouse

Marriage SaveHouse is taking a break for the summer. **We will return Sat. September 15th at 9:15am.** If you and your spouse need immediate help with your marriage, please call Deacon Michael at 718-828-3403 x107 and leave a message. Thank you.

Have a Blessed and Safe Summer!

Northeast Bronx Senior Citizen Center (NEBXSCC)

The Northeast Bronx Senior Citizen Center will hold a Flea Market on **Tuesday, July 10th** from 9:00am-12:00 Noon. Jewelry, bric-a-brac, Avon, etc. Vendors by appointment, 718-892-6090.

World Apostolate of Fatima, USA/Blue Army Shrine

Friday, July 13th World Apostolate of Fatima, Our Lady's Blue Army Shrine, 674 Mountain View Road East. Asbury, NJ 08802. Experience the 150 acre scenic beauty and serenity of our outdoor Shrine: 10:30 Confessions, 12:00 Outdoor Rosary Procession, 12:30pm Speaker: Rev. Joshua Caswell, S.J.C., 1:00 Holy Mass Celebrant: Most Rev. Joseph Perry. 3:00 Divine Mercy Chaplet. Visit the Holy House USA containing largest piece of tree upon which Our Lady stood, altar from Tuy, stone from Loreto. Visit the Angel Tabernacle carved according to the description of the Angel of Portugal by the Fatima seers. www.bluearmy.com/ 908-689-1700.

REMINDERS:

**Rectory Summer Hours
(please see page 3)**

Sun., 7/8	NO BAPTISMS	
Tues., 7/10	9am-4pm	Adoration Chapel
Tues., 7/10	7:30-9pm	Summer Book Club Convent upstairs
Thurs., 7/12	7:00pm	Women's Cornerstone Meeting, Convent upstairs, large room
Thurs., 7/12	7:30pm	Men's Cornerstone Meeting, Convent, upstairs, small room
Fri., 7/13	9am-12 Noon	Adoration Chapel
Fri., 7/13	11:00am	Rosary - Chapel
Fri., 7/13	12:00 Noon	Rectory Closes
Sun., 7/15	11:00 Mass	Baptisms
Mon., 7/16	7:00pm	Baptism Instructions Convent
Tues., 7/17	9am-4pm	Adoration Chapel
Tues., 7/17	7:30-9pm	Summer Book Club Convent upstairs
Fri., 7/20	9am-12 Noon	Adoration Chapel
Fri., 7/20	11:00am	Rosary - Chapel
Fri., 7/20	12:00 Noon	Rectory Closes
Sun., 7/22	11:00 Mass	Baptisms



Summer Book Club

Bro. David has organized a Summer Book Club on Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm this summer in the convent upstairs. We will be reading and discussing C.S. Lewis' **The Screwtape Letters**. To order a copy of the book, please call the rectory at 718-828-3403, ext. 101. **The next meeting will be Tuesday, July 10th. Participants should read the first four letters to prepare for the discussion.**
All are welcome!

Church of Santa Maria, St. Raymond Avenue

During the summer months of July and August, **Santa Maria** "Reconciliation Mondays" will have new hours: from 5:00pm to 7:00pm only. During this time, we will have Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions in English, Spanish and Italian. These extended hours of confessions will end with the 7:00pm evening Mass. Please note that confessions are no longer scheduled on Saturdays at 4:00pm or prior to the evening Masses at 6:45pm; however, personal appointments for confession are possible when requested. 718-828-2380/www.santamariaparish.us/

Archdiocese of New York

Recently the Archdiocese of New York launched a quarterly magazine, **Archways**, to keep you informed about the programs and services we have to offer you and all Catholics in our 10 counties. We publish **Archways** four times per year: online at: www.archny.org/archways and - if you are a contributor to the **Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal** - you will receive it twice per year in print. We hope that you will look forward to each new edition and that you will come away more informed about what we can accomplish together in service of Jesus and His Church.

AMVETS Post 38 will be having Bingo at 1440 Shore Drive on Monday, July 16th. The doors open at 7:00pm.

All Proceeds go to the Veterans!

**Look back and thank God;
Look forward and trust God;
Look around and serve God;
Look within and find God!**

ORGANIZATIONS:

AA Friday at 8:00pm - *FAH - 1-347-387-0079
Al Anon - Friday from 7:00pm-8:00pm for Beginners and from 8:00pm-9:00pm for the regular meeting in the **Convent - 1-646-281-9522
Bereavement Group - Spring and Fall Sessions Saturday from 11:00am until 12:30pm - **Convent 718-828-3403, ext. 101
Bible Study - Tuesday 7:00pm **Convent upstairs
CCD—RE-CCD Classes Sunday from 10:30-12:00pm and Wednesday from 4:15-5:45pm - *Parish School*
Children of Light Charismatic Group - Monday 7:30pm - *Providence Rest, Waterbury Avenue*
Choir (Adult) Rehearsal Wednesday from 7:15-8:30pm and Sunday Mass at 11:00am
Choir (Children) Rehearsal Wednesday from 2:45pm-4:00pm and Sunday Mass at 9:30am
Fife and Drum Corps - Monday 6:00pm - *Parish School*
Legion of Mary - Wednesday 7:30pm - *Convent Chapel*
NA - Wednesday 7:00pm - **Convent
Nar-Anon - Wednesday 6:30pm - **Convent
Overeaters Anonymous Monday - 7:00pm - **Convent
RCIA Sunday at 11:00am Mass and then over to the **Convent at 12:00 Noon - Classes begin in September and end in May
Respect Life 2nd & 4th Friday 7:00pm - **Convent
St. Benedict's Knights of Columbus
 Website: www.kofc11590.org
 *FAH-Father Albert Hall or **Convent, 1082 Edison Avenue

Reasons to be Registered in the Parish:

- * Helps support the Church;
- * Proves that you are a practicing Catholic;
- * Helps to obtain sponsor certificates, release letters, or any other documentation needed from the Church;
- * Enables you or members of your family to become eligible for any of the sacraments (Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick);
- * Enables you to have your children registered in our Parish School or our Religious Education Program (RE-CCD) for their religious education;
- * Give you a sense of belonging to the Parish Family;
 Stop by the rectory **Monday-Friday**, 9:00am-12:30pm and 1:30pm-7:00pm, **Saturdays**, 9:00am-12:30pm, and 1:30pm-4:00pm, **Sundays, Closed**.
 You can call the rectory at 1-718-828-3403, ext.101.

We're Always Looking For...

BOX TOPS - EDUCATION: All you have to send in are the actual squares of the box tops, the bar codes of the item you purchased are not needed. You can send them to the school, attention Cristina Cherubino. Everything helps and the school appreciates your participation with this. Go to BTFE.com.

For Your Information: If anyone would like to listen to Radio Maria English...type the web address **radiomaria.us**. Then...on the bottom left where it says "24/7 Live Listening..Listen Live" ..click on "Live Stream" on the Radio 620am

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TELEPHONE EXTENSIONS

When the recording comes on, please dial the extension. The extension numbers are as follows:

Fr. Stephen Norton	109
Fr. Dan Tuite	104
Deacon Michael Salvatorelli	107
Reception Desk	
(Isabelle Welsh)	101
Carole Janicki	102
Carl Triano	117
Sr. Joan Quinn (CCD)	1-718-829-1200
School	1-718-829-9557

Helpful Information for Our Parish Family:

If anyone would like to donate furniture, clothing, etc. to charity, contact any of the following organizations:

- CATHOLIC CHARITIES:** 718-292-9090
ST. MARY'S CHURCH: 718-529-6070 or 718-529-7825
HOUSING WORKS: 212-366-0820
SALVATION ARMY: 800-728-7825
ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH: 718-931-9270
THORPE: (They do NOT pick up. 718-933-7312 or 718-295-2550
 You have to bring your donation to Thorpe).

The above organizations may set a date with you to pick up your donation(s) unless otherwise specified. Thank you for caring.

Catholic Directory:

Familink.com - Internet Protection

www.familink.com - Catholic Internet provider service which filters the Internet. **PROTECT YOUR FAMILY:** Make your computer safe for your children and for yourself. BSAFE ONLINE internet filter will protect you from chat rooms, pornography, violence and other harmful websites. To order and install go to their website at: **www.bsafefhome.com**

Sisters of Life - Post Abortion Help

www.sistersoflife.org
 1955 Needham Avenue, Bronx, NY 10466. Pro-Life Sisters who pray and fight for all human life, born and unborn. Retreats for women who have had an abortion, please call 1-718-881-8008 and ask for Theresa.

The Catholic League - www.catholicleague.org
 1011 First Avenue, NYC, NY 10022.

Fighting anti-Catholic bias in the media and entertainment field. If interested, they ask for a \$15.00 donation for their newsletter.



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COVER SHEET

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INSTRUCTIONS:

Please GLUE OR STITCH EVERY WEEK. Do NOT leave any pages loose (unless there is an insert) and please do NOT staple. Thank you!

Thank you for your patience waiting for this bulletin. Happy 4th of July!

God Bless All of You!

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