

*ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE AND OUR LADY OF THE LAKE/MOUNT CARMEL IS A ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH WITH THE EUCHARIST AS THE CENTER OF ITS LIFE. OUR MISSION, AS DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST, IS TO BUILD UP THE KINGDOM OF GOD BY LEADING, NOURISHING AND SERVING THE COMMUNITY IN WORD AND SACRAMENT.*

**From the Desk of Msgr. Martin**

**August 14, 2016**

**Be All That You Can Be! Laugh a Little!**

A young boy was walking down the street pushing a lawn mower. A priest who was out in his yard said "Hi, son, where are you going with the mower"? The boy said, "I'm trying to sell it. I want to buy a bicycle". The priest said "How much do you want for it? We may be able to use a mower around here". The boy thought \$30.00 would buy him a bicycle, so he sold the mower to the priest for \$30.00. A couple of days later, the boy rode by the rectory on his new bike. The priest was out in the yard pulling on the cord, trying to start the lawn mower. The boy said, "Oh, Father, you have to cuss a little to get that mower started". The priest replied, "I have been a priest 25 years and I have forgotten how to cuss". The boy said "you keep pulling that cord and it will come back to you".

An atheist was sailing in Scotland when his boat was suddenly attacked by the Loch Ness monster. The monster flipped the sailboat in the air and opened its mouth to swallow him. "O God, help me" the man cried out. The monster froze and backed off. The man heard laughter and a deep voice from the sky declare, "I thought you didn't believe in me! The man replied "until a minute ago, I didn't believe in the Loch Ness Monster either".

A man ran furiously along the dock to the ferry boat slip. He made a tremendous jump over twelve feet of water and landed with a painful crash on the deck of the ferry. As he lay there rubbing his injured leg, one of the deckhands went to this side, took him by the arm, helped him up and said " you didn't have to do that buddy, the boat wasn't going out, it was coming in"!

A doctor told a rich man that he would die in a couple of weeks. So, the rich man called his three friends...his preacher, his doctor, and his lawyer, to his bedside. He said, "I am dying and my pastor told me that I can't take it with me but I think I found a way". I have prepared three sealed envelopes each containing \$10,000 in cash. When I die, I want each of you to walk by the casket and drop in your envelope with the \$10,000. After the funeral the three friends met together. The preacher said "I've got a confession to make. We needed to repair the church organ, so I took \$2,000 out of my envelope and used it for the organ. I only dropped in \$8,000". The doctor confessed "I took \$5,000 out of my envelope for my new clinic. I only dropped in \$5,000". The lawyer said "my conscience is clear I did what our good friend Joe asked. I picked up your envelopes and dropped in mine with a check for the full amount of \$30,000 made out to our good friend Joe"!

Be All that you can be, Laugh a Little!

**Readings for this Week, 20 Sunday in Ordinary Time**



**First Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10**

Jeremiah urged the people of Jerusalem to surrender to the enemy. This angered the princes, who then requested that Jeremiah be put to death. After Ebed Melech pleaded for Jeremiah's life, the king decided to free him.

**Second Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4**

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**Gospel: Luke 12:49-53**

Jesus tells his disciples that his message will not bring peace to the earth. Some families will become sharply divided because some members will embrace him, while others condemn him.

**Next Weeks' Readings**

**First Reading: Isaiah 66:18-21**

**Second Reading: Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13**

**Gospel: Luke 13:22-30**



## ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

### ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

#### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 2016**

8:00AM ROBERT MILETTI  
5:00PM REGINA AUER

#### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2016**

8:00AM MARY AND ERNEST CAMPO  
10:00AM HELEN USS  
12:00PM SR. MARIE DECURTIS  
5:00PM MARY ANN NAPOLITANO

#### **MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 2016**

##### **ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

7:30AM THERESA DEMARCHI  
9:00AM FRANK AND FEDELA TRANZILLO  
NOON (LIVING) ANTHONY & THERESA SCATOLA  
7:30PM CHARLES LAMB

#### **TUESDAY, AUGUST 16, 2016**

7:30AM ANN VOSS  
9:00AM SUNNY HALPERIN

#### **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, 2016**

7:30AM JOSEPH PUCHALSKI  
9:00AM JANICE BAUER

#### **THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 2016**

7:30AM CLOTIDE COLLAZO  
9:00AM JAMES M. WALSH

#### **FRIDAY, AUGUST 19, 2016**

7:30 AM CARMEN RIVERA- RAMOS  
9:00AM ANNA RUANE

#### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 2016**

8:00AM JOSEPH MAZZOLA  
5:00PM YOLANDA BATTISTA

#### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 21, 2016**

8:00AM JOSEPH AND SARAH LUPIA  
10:00AM ANN MANNIX DORSEY  
12:00PM BARBARA TINTERA  
5:00PM MURIEL HICKS

### OUR LADY OF THE LAKE / MOUNT CARMEL

#### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 2016**

4:00PM MARY AND RONNIE TOLVE

#### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2016**

9:00AM MICHAEL AND FRANCES BUDNAR  
11:00AM THERESA DEMARCHI  
12:30PM STANISLAWA & ANTONI GALAZKA  
(MASS IN POLISH)

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4:00PM MURIEL HICKS

#### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 21, 2016**

9:00AM THERESA DEMARCHI  
11:00AM SARAH CURZIO  
12:30PM ST. JAMES & OLL/MT. CARMEL PARISHIONERS  
(MASS IN POLISH)

## TO EVERYTHING THERE IS A SEASON AND A TIME FOR EVERY PURPOSE UNDER HEAVEN

### TIME TO BE BORN: BAPTISMS FOR THE WEEK:

ANDREW JOSEPH OKOCHI & BRYANT JAMES OKOCHI

### TIME TO HEAL: THOSE WHO ARE ILL:

TERRY SIEGEL, KYLE ULICH, MARIE BASCIANO, TERESA KOBYLINSKA, STACY BRIGANTE, WILLIAM MCGREEVY JR., JOHN MCGREEVY, KRISTEN KAMINOS, ANTOINETTE BONO, JOHN SPAGNOLI, JENNIFER RACIOPPO, CHARLES CLARKSON, JACK MARK, BILL DIETERICH, SAMANTHA BASCIANO, MARY BRADY, VINCE VILLANI, GEORGE BIOLSI, WILLIAM BIOLSI, GERARD BIOLSI, CLAUDE BOER, MARGARET CUNNINGHAM, PATRICIA UPTON, MICHAEL DIGNAM, THOMAS SARTORIS, JEFF COOK, TAYLOR DESALVO, SARAH FAIRBAIRN, BARBARA GUGLIERI, PRISCILLA ELIZONDO, MICHAEL SMITH, ZOFIA KOPACZ, FRAN BELLONI, MARK STAFFORD, SUSI SPROLE, BILL CALDERONE, RHODA CARNES, PAUL JEURGENS, MARIE STINGONE, CARMINE STINGONE.

### A TIME TO DIE: THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

WILLIAM DILLON, DONALD DIETZ, MARIO ANTOCI, KEVIN COSIDINE

### A TIME TO LOVE: MARRIAGES FOR THE WEEK:

SIOBHAN PRATT AND CHRISTOPHER GRUBER

### TIME FOR WAR: A TIME FOR PEACE:

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES AND THEIR FAMILIES

## CELEBRANTS FOR NEXT WEEK

### ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 2016

5:00PM FR. MUOGHALU

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 21, 2016

8:00AM FR. KURPIOS

10:00AM MSGR. MARCHITELLI

12:00PM FR. MUOGHALU

5:00PM FR. KURPIOS

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#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 2016

4:00PM MSGR. MARCHITELLI

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 21, 2016

9:00AM FR. MUOGHALU

11:00AM MSGR. MARTIN

12:30PM FR. KURPIOS (MASS IN POLISH)

### St. James Gift Shop

The Gift Shop is open on **Sundays** from 8:00AM to 1:00PM in the Carriage House. If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering please call Theresa at 845-278-8033.

## STEWARDSHIP IN OUR PARISH

### AUGUST 7, 2016

SUNDAY COLLECTION           \$ 13,658.00  
GOLD ENVELOPES               \$ 1,517.00

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TOTAL \$ 15,175.00

### Second Collection

Church in Latin America     \$ 2,540.00

### PARISH PAY FOR JULY

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS       \$ 8,824.33  
GOLD ENVELOPES             \$ 600.00

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Total \$ 9,424.33

### Cardinal's Appeal as of August 5<sup>th</sup>

Goal: \$132,000.00 – Pledged: \$88,952.00

Paid: \$79,618.00 – Number of Gifts: 384

Average Gift \$230.00

## BONANZA 2016

Bonanza Tickets are on sale for **\$50.00** each and can be purchased in the Parish Office, School Office or CCD office



Prizes are:

Two - **\$200.00** drawings each week for 45 weeks.

Winners will be re-entered in subsequent drawings.

Three - **\$2,000** drawings during the year  
Next \$2,000 drawing Thanksgiving Eve

**This week's \$200 winners are  
Joe & Carrie Monteiro and Stefanie Pacheco**

## WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF ST. JAMES AND OUR LADY OF THE LAKE / MOUNT CARMEL

Thank you for joining in our Eucharistic celebration. We are glad that you are here with us today, especially if you are a visitor, and sincerely hope that you will find nourishment for your faith and life here. If you have recently moved into our Parish, please introduce yourself to one of the priests or deacons and the parish staff. You are cordially invited to register at our Parish Office at St. James. Currently our parish has 4,500 registered families.

### MONDAY NIGHT NOVENA MASS

Each Monday evening we gather as a community at 7:10 pm to pray the Rosary together and then celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Following the Mass we pray the Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal which affords us an opportunity to pray for our particular intentions and intercessions. All are invited.

### UNANNOUNCED MASSES

#### DECEASED:

MARY COZZOCREA, DOLORES DEWEIS, DONALD DIETZ,  
MARTIN DILLON, JOHN MAYOUE, FRANCIS MEEHAN,  
FRANK PROSCIA, CARMEN SABINO

LIVING: FR. VINCENT HOWLEY

## BANNS OF MARRIAGE



2nd Kelly Mallon and Mathew Simpson  
2nd Shane Pais and Eric Horn  
1st Alessandra DiFortunato & Joseph Bochmeire

**THE SANCTUARY CANDLE  
BURNING IN ST. JAMES CHURCH  
THE WEEK OF AUGUST 14 – 20<sup>TH</sup>  
IN MEMORY OF MARTIN DILLON  
DONATED BY JOE AND BARBARA CASEY**

## CCD TEACHERS NEEDED

**We are in need of CCD Teachers for  
the following classes at  
Our Lady of the Lake site:**

**Grade 5- Classes on  
Saturday at 8:30am & Saturday at 9:50am**

### ST. JAMES PRAYER GROUP

The St. James Prayer Group meets every Thursday at 7:30pm in the Chapel of Life. Come join us for an evening of praise and worship through song, a quiet time of scripture reading and sharing how God is working in our lives, followed by intercessory prayer, for the intentions of our Pope Francis and all our clergy, for our parish, our own intentions and for those who have asked us to pray. The Prayer Group is open to all parishioners. Please join us for a peaceful evening away from the busyness of the day to be with Our Lord.

### MEN OF ST. JAMES

The "Men of St. James" come together for prayer and discussion to make what the Pope is calling for a reality here at St. James Church. It is also a place to re-ignite the fire that may have grown dim or just to meet other men who are also trying to be faithful Catholic men. We meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays at 7:00AM in the Carriage House. Come. "Open the door." They called the church together and reported what God had done with them and how he had opened the door of faith..." (Acts 14:27)

### COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION DVD'S

The 2016 DVD's ordered through Roland Productions are now available to be picked up in the Parish Gift Shop on Sundays from 8:00AM to 1:00PM. Additional copies of the DVD's are still available by calling Roland Productions 845-471-6472.

### Scripture Study at St. Lawrence O'Toole

#### **Program 1:**

September 8 - November 17, 2016 and  
January 5 - March 30, 2017

Matthew: The King and His Kingdom  
24 Weeks - Two Sessions:

Thursdays at 9:45am to 11:45am  
(Or)

Thursdays at 7:00pm to 9:00pm

**Fee of \$20.00 includes workbook.**

#### **Program 2:**

Exodus: Called to Freedom- 11 Weeks  
Two Sessions:

Sept. 6 - Nov. 15 - Tues. at 9:45am to 11:45am  
(Or)

Sept. 21 - Nov. 17 - Tues. 7:00pm to 9:00pm

**Fee of \$25.00 includes workbook.**

### ST. SEBASTIAN'S TERRACE AND COLUMBARIUM

#### **192 purchased - 260 Niches still available**

We have celebrated Mass at the Altar of our Terrace and Columbarium many times. There are 89 niches engraved and interred. The price of a niche is \$2,500, which gives you the right to inter the remains of two people. If you have been thinking of purchasing a niche, and would like to schedule an appointment, please contact Mrs. Maureen Larkin at 845-225-2079 on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday.

For those of you not familiar with a Columbarium, it is a Latin word that describes a collection of niches to house urns containing cremated human remains. Usually inscribed with the person's name and dates of birth and death, columbaria are constructed to serve as permanent resting places for our loved ones in a 'churchyard' or landscaped terrace. May the Lord who has blessed this project now be a final resting place for many of our loved ones.

### SAVE THE DATE

**FRIDAY NOVEMBER 4, 2016  
ST. JAMES CARD PARTY - 7PM**

### Healing Mass at St. James

A Mass for Healing will be celebrated on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 7:30 PM in St. James Church. The celebrant will be Fr. Tom Kreiser. Individual prayers for will be said after the Mass. Any questions, please call Laura at 845-225-2531 or Sue at 845-225-2880.

### SAVE THE DATE

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2016**

### **VOLUNTEER PICNIC**

**PUTNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK**

**CALL THE PARISH OFFICE TO SIGN-UP BEFORE  
SEPTEMBER 2ND**

## WHY BE CATHOLIC?

Did you ever ask yourself "why" you are Catholic? Like most people, your parents had you Baptized, and imparted to you your "Catholic identity" by their own Christian lives. However, somewhere along the line you made a personal choice, a commitment to live the faith handed on to you. You completed the sacraments of initiation: Confirmation and Holy Eucharist. You chose to make the Gospel of Jesus Christ your own and now you are trying to live a Catholic Christian life.

But what if you have never been baptized, or never completed the Sacraments of Initiation with Confirmation and Holy Eucharist? Is God calling you today to take the next steps towards Him and the church He established on this earth? Do you or a family member, or friend, yearn for a deeper and closer relationship to God as a fully initiated member in the Body of Christ, the Church? Now is the time to act.

**The RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) and **RCIT** (Rite of Christian Initiation for Teens) is the program of formation and learning the Catholic faith leading to full initiation. To learn more, go to [www.stjamescarmel.org](http://www.stjamescarmel.org) and click the banner at the top for RCIA/RCIT information, on-line registration, or to down-load a registration form you can fill out.

## Seton Summer Bible Seminar

Join St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Shrub Oak, for a Summer Bible Seminar titled, *THE APOSTLE PAUL ON CELIBACY AND MARRIAGE*, given by Fr. Martin Kowalski. It will be held on four Thursday evenings from 7-9pm in the Seton Memorial Chapel.

8/18 - Celibacy or Marriage: which is better?

8/25 - Marriage: Union of Bodies and Souls

9/1 - Christian Revolution: Indissolubility of Marriage

9/8 - Only in the Lord: Paul on Mixed Marriages

Fr. Kowalski is from Kielce, Poland. He studied at the Pontifical Biblical Institute in Rome and at the Rothberg International School in Jerusalem. He teaches courses in the Old and New Testaments at the John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin and at the Seminary in Kielce. This is a free event. All are welcome. Bring your own Bible.

For more information, call [914-528-3547](tel:914-528-3547)  
email [seton@bestweb.net](mailto:seton@bestweb.net),  
or visit us at: [www.seton-parish.org](http://www.seton-parish.org).



## From the Parish Nurse

### Back to School - Lice

Lice are tiny, wingless, parasites insects that, like bed bugs, feed on your blood. They are easily spread (just ask any school nurse!), especially by school children due to the close personal contact and sharing of personal belongings.

Head Lice develop on the scalp. They are easiest to see at the nape of the neck and over the ears. Small eggs (nits) produce by the lice attach to the hair shafts. The eggs hatch in about a week, producing more lice.

Body lice spend their time in the folds of your clothing. Body lice are spread through direct contact with infected clothing or bedding, or with an infected person. In rare cases, body lice may carry diseases.

Lice is spread through head to head or body to body contact, close proximity of stored belongings, sharing items, and contact with contaminated furniture.

Symptoms include intense itching, and small red bumps on the scalp, neck and shoulders. Lice on the scalp, body, or clothing can be seen-they are about 1/8" in size. Lice eggs stick to the hair shaft. They can be mistaken for dandruff, but they don't easily brush off.

### Treatment includes:

-A nonprescription shampoo that is specifically formulated to kill lice. Occasionally you may have to seek out your physician for a stronger prescription shampoo.

- Rinsing hair with vinegar after shampooing

-Combing wet after rinsing to physically remove nits or lice from hair

-Washing of all contaminated or potentially contaminated items

-Sealing all non-washable items in airtight bags for two weeks

-Vacuuming floors and furniture

-Covering furniture for two weeks to prevent re-infestation. Do not do this if you have small children that could suffocate in a plastic cover.

-Wash combs and brushes in very hot, soapy water, or soak them in alcohol for an hour.

*Information compiled by: Susan Anello MS RN*

*If you have any questions or suggestions for topics that you would like to see covered, leave your name and number at the parish office for Susan to contact you, or you may e-mail her at [saa38@aol.com](mailto:saa38@aol.com). Place "Parish Nurse" in subject area.*



## "Coat of Arms"



Renovata Studios has fabricated a "Coat Of Arms" backdrop for Lady of Mt. Carmel Statue in Our Lady of the Lake/Mt. Carmel Church, Donations can be made in Memory or in Honor of a Loved One.

**Donations are \$150 for a 3 Line Name Plate or \$300 for a 5 Line Plate**

Please see Maureen in the Parish Office on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday

### ***St. James the Apostle School 2016 / 2017 School Year***

***Full day Kindergarten through 8th Grade  
Our Teachers are certified with  
Masters Degrees***

#### ***St. James Pre-K Program***

*Our Pre-K Half-Day program offers the option of a Morning and Afternoon Session for 3 and 4 year olds in addition to our Full Day program.*

**Pre-K –Full Day Program  
3 and 4 Year Olds  
Tuition**

**3 Full Days -\$ 6,450**

**5 Full Days -\$ 7,250**

**Pre-K –Half Day Program  
3 and 4 Year Olds  
Tuition**

**3 Half Days -\$ 2,150**

**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**

***NEW - 2 Year Program  
with Mrs. Gina Viebrock***

## **Partaking in the New Evangelization!**



My name is Megan Callaghan and I've been a parishioner at St. James since Baptism. Last year, God called me to Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS) to begin missionary work on college campuses. In Matthew 28:19, Jesus gave us the Great Commission- "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations". College is an exciting new time for young adults, learning what it means to be independent. However, many college students struggle to see God's presence; they look too often to fleeting worldly things.

This past year, I had the great opportunity to serve at the Stephen F. Austin State University's campus in Nacogdoches, Texas. The Lord did amazing things in both my life and the lives of the students involved in the Catholic center. This August, I will return to SFASU to continue serving students through bible study, mentorship, and virtuous friendship. I am beyond excited to be part of God's work and ask for your prayers in helping me to do just that! We are all called to help the New Evangelization, so I hope you prayerfully consider supporting God's mission by helping me reach the SFA campus and their community!!

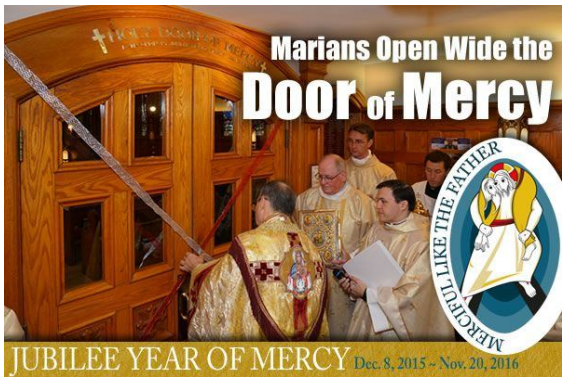
For more information on how to support this missionary work, please contact me at **[megan.callaghan@focus.org](mailto:megan.callaghan@focus.org)**. I would love to share more about FOCUS and answer any questions!

### **ARCHCARE**

Need help caring for yourself or someone else but not sure where to turn to? Call ArchCare - (The Care Community of the Archdiocese of New York). They can answer your questions about housing for seniors, disabled persons, and access to health care, dementia care, and caregiver support groups.

Call ArchCare Navigation Center at 855-951-2272, from 8:00am to 8:00pm, seven days a week.

## Parish Pilgrimage to the Shine of Divine Mercy



Pope Francis inaugurated the extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy on Dec. 8, urging the faithful to come to know the face of God's mercy — Jesus Christ — and to show that face of mercy to our friends, neighbors, and enemies alike.

"This extraordinary Holy Year is itself a gift of grace," Pope Francis said in his homily for the Jubilee's opening Mass, just before opening the Holy Door in St. Peter's Basilica. Only hours later, the Marian Fathers in Stockbridge, Massachusetts, opened a newly installed Holy Door of their own at the inside

entrance to the National Shrine of The Divine Mercy. Indeed, at the request of Pope Francis, for the first time in the 700-year-old tradition of Jubilee years, dioceses around the world opened their own Holy Doors at specific pilgrimage locations.

The Shrine in Stockbridge was selected by the Most Rev. Mitchell T. Rozanski, the bishop of the Diocese of Springfield, Massachusetts, to be among the dioceses official Jubilee Year destinations.

### Saint James Parish Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Divine Mercy October 15, 2016

•Depart Saint James Parking Lot at 8:00 AM by Charter bus.  
**Limited to 54 passengers**

- Arrive at 10:00 AM in Stockbridge for a 90 minute visit to the Norman Rockwell Museum.
- Day includes Confessions, Mass, Holy Hour, Talk, and the Holy Door.
- Bring your own picnic lunch and snacks for the trip home.
- Depart National Shrine at approximately 5:00 PM.
- Return to Saint James Church at approximately 7:00 PM.

**Cost:** Including bus fare with tip and admission to Norman Rockwell Museum:  
**\$47.00-** Make checks payable to St. James the Apostle Church

**TO REGISTER ON-LINE, CLICK ON THE "EVENTS/CALENDAR" LINK at:  
[stjamescarmel.org](http://stjamescarmel.org) - or come to the Parish Office to register.**

**REGISTRATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY SEPTEMBER 30, 2016**

***St. James 3rd Annual Golf Outing  
September 12, 2016  
Centennial Golf Course  
185 Simpson Road, Carmel, NY***

***\* Honoring Fr. Vincent Howley \****



***\$200 per Golfer  
or \$700 a Foursome***

***11:00am Registration***

***Includes Brunch, Cocktail Hour at 5:30pm,  
Dinner, Golf Cart, Prizes***

***Contests:***

***Closest to the Pin***

***Longest Drive***

***Hole in One Competition***

***Sponsorship Boosters: \$50***

***Sponsorship Tee: \$100***

***Sponsorship Signs for Contests: \$250.00***

***Registration Forms are in the Parish Office***

***Please RSVP by August 30th***

***For information or to be a Sponsor call 845-225-2079 ext. 102***