


<b>MASSES FOR THE WEEK</b>	
<b>March 28, 2010</b>	
<b>SUNDAY</b> 7:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM 12:00 PM	<b>March 28 Palm Sunday</b> Jim Vigilis Eugene Sheridan Anna Riva & Magda Borello Victoria W. Homkow
<b>MONDAY</b> 8:30 AM	<b>March 29</b> Catherine Maas
<b>TUESDAY</b> 8:30 AM	<b>March 30</b> Anne Tupper
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 8:30 AM	<b>March 31</b> Herb Sinkinson (26th Anniversary)
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>April 1 Holy Thursday</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>April 2 Good Friday</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>April 3 Holy Saturday</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>April 4 Easter Sunday</b>



Please see the next page for the full schedule

### HOLY WEEK PRAYER SERVICES

Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday are the only three days of the liturgical year when **morning Mass is not offered**. Here at St. Peter's, there will be Morning Prayer and Reflection each of these days.

- April 1<sup>st</sup>, Holy Thursday, led by MaryChristine Thomsen
- April 2<sup>nd</sup>, Good Friday, led by Joe Bianco
- April 3<sup>rd</sup>, Holy Saturday, led by Kathy McIntyre



#### Please pray for...

##### The Sick

Ivo Linares Bejarano, Tom Kelly, Claudia Renjifo,  
Infant Theodore Rosequist, Gregory Ryan

##### The Deceased

Beatrice Mijatovic, Marjorie Reilly

### Mark Your Calendars

On **April 5<sup>th</sup>**, we will be opening the Mass Book for the months of July to December of 2010. Please keep in mind that, in fairness to all, we cannot give you more than 2 masses at a time. Thank you for your cooperation.

#### SAINT PETER'S REACHES OUT TO THOSE WHO MOURN

Bereavement Support Group meets every Friday at 8:00 pm in St. Peter's Pastoral Center. For more information, call Rose Osterberg at 767-1460, or Yvonne Calabrese at 883-4817, email ycal@optonline.net.

Children's Bereavement: Individual counseling is available. Please call Sr. Peggy Tully at 883-2782 for assistance.



### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays, 11:30 am to 5:30 pm  
Benediction at 5:30 pm

Holy Hour at Our Lady of Fatima on First Friday at 7:30 pm.

“The only time Our Lord asked the Apostles for anything was the night when He went into His agony. Evil was awake, but the disciples were asleep. That is why there came out of His anguished and lonely heart a sigh: ‘Could you not watch one hour with Me?’”

Archbishop Fulton Sheen



### Remembering Loved Ones

*Week of March 28, 2010*

#### Eucharistic Bread and Altar Wine

*In Memory of Ronald Francis Basile  
Requested by Mother and family*

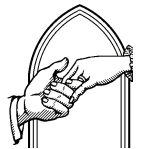
### Scripture Readings

April 4th, Easter Sunday  
Acts of the Apostles 10: 34a, 37-43  
Colossians 3: 1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5: 6b-8  
John 20:1-9

### WEDDING BANNERS

#### First Time

Michelle Louise Sinisi and  
Ramiro Alonzo Rivera, St. Peter's



On Good Friday, our parish will take up the annual Good Friday **Collection for the Holy Land**. Please help support our brothers and sisters in the Holy Land by giving to the Good Friday Collection. This Pontifical Collection allows the Franciscans and others to continue caring for Christianity's holiest sites and for God's people in the Holy Land. Please be generous.

### STEWARDSHIP CORNER

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who commit to supporting the vision and mission of Jesus by serving others through ministry.

From Art to Legal and Marketing to Videography, the Helping Hands of St. Peter's are multi-talented volunteers eager to help out! Need a Helping Hand? Call us, **The Stewardship Committee**. Contact Terry Zenobio at 516-883-3456.



#### WEEKLY REPORT ON FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Last Weekend's Collection Basket	\$14,331
Number of envelopes	385
Automated Giving	\$2,000

*“Thank you for your generous support of our parish”*



**2010 HOLY WEEK LITURGIES**

**PALM SUNDAY, March 28**

**Vigil Mass:** 5:00 p.m. (Saturday, March 27)  
**Masses: Main Church:** 7:30, 9:00, 10:30, 12 Noon  
**School Church:** 9:30 a.m. Spanish Mass

*Liturgical Guidelines do not allow for the celebration of Morning Mass during the Sacred Triduum*

**HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 1**

**8:30 a.m.** Morning Prayer  
**8:00 p.m. Main Church:** Mass of the Lord's Supper  
 Church remains open for Adoration until 11:00 p.m.

**GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 2**

**8:30 a.m.** Morning Prayer  
**10:30 a.m.** Outdoor Stations in Spanish  
**12:00 Noon Main Church:** Solemn Liturgy in Spanish  
**3:00 p.m. School Church:** Solemn Liturgy in English  
 Including Holy Communion and Veneration of the Cross  
**8:00 p.m. Main Church:** Stations of the Cross

**HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 3**

**8:30 a.m.** Morning Prayer  
**12:00 Noon Main Church:** Swieconka (Blessing of Food)  
 (No 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday)  
**7:30 p.m. Main Church** Easter Vigil Mass  
**8:00 p.m. School Church** Easter Vigil Mass in Spanish

**EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 4**

**Masses: Main Church:** 7:30, 9:00, 10:30, 12 Noon  
**School Church:** 9:30 a.m. Spanish Mass

**HOLY WEEK CONFESSIONS**

*(Sacrament of Reconciliation)*

**SATURDAY, MARCH 27**

4:00 p.m. until last penitent is heard, but not later than 5:00 p.m.

**MONDAY, MARCH 29**

3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

**HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 1**

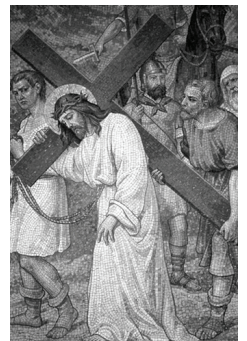
4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 2**

Confessions following 3:00 p.m. Liturgy in School Church

**HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 3**

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon  
 NO CONFESSIONS BEYOND 12:00 NOON



**WEEKEND MASSES**

**Saturday, April 3**

7:30 PM Main Church Fr. Pat

**Sunday, April 4**

7:30 AM Main Church Msgr. McNamara

9:00 AM Main Church Msgr. Simmons

10:30 AM Main Church Fr. Pat

12:00 PM Main Church Fr. Pat

9:30 AM School Church (Spanish) Fr. George

THE HISPANIC COMMUNITY OF ST. PETER'S  
WILL PRESENT AN OUTDOOR RE-ENACTMENT OF THE  
**WAY OF THE CROSS** AT 10:30 A.M. ON GOOD FRIDAY.  
WE BEGIN AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE CHURCH.  
ALL ARE INVITED!

**Youth Group Meeting Today (March 28<sup>th</sup>)**

7-9 p.m. in the Pastoral Center

MIDNIGHT RUN preparation and  
Spring Fever Celebration



**JUMP in and JOIN!  
Join the Greeters Ministry  
Come Meet, Come Greet**

A smile is the only prerequisite. Greeters are assigned about 1 mass per month to warmly welcome all those entering the church. All parishioners are welcome to join (EM's and Ushers too).

**Smile** - Meet and Greet for GOD.

Call or email:

Charles Roth, 767 6185, [charles@rothadvertising.com](mailto:charles@rothadvertising.com)

Jane Harris, 883 8878, [Flower0449@optonline.net](mailto:Flower0449@optonline.net)

Terry Zenobio 883 3456 ~ Mary Nuzzolese 767 7025



**Spiritual Direction**

- ◆ *Would you like to encounter God in a deeper way?*
- ◆ *Are you seeking guidance on your journey of faith?*
- ◆ *In challenging times, are you looking for a sense of inner peace?*

Any of these reasons are ones that may lead to a desire for Spiritual Direction, a process of private sessions to explore your life of faith. If this is something you would like to hear more about, then begin by calling any of the four trained Spiritual Directors at St. Peter's:

**Carol Breslin**~767-7603 **Kathy McIntyre**~767-1792  
**Eleanor Roth**~767-6185 **Sr. Peggy Tully, O.P.**~883-2782

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S**

<u>Sun.</u>	<u>March 28</u>	<u>Location</u>
7:30 AM	Spanish Coffee Hour	Cafeteria
11:00 AM	Spanish Stations Rehearsal	School Church
11:00 AM	Spanish Young Adults	Pastoral Center
11:30 AM	Spanish Mass Choir	School Church
12:00 PM	CYO	Gym
<u>Mon.</u>	<u>March 29</u>	<u>Location</u>
5:00 PM	CYO	Gym
<u>Tues.</u>	<u>March 30</u>	<u>Location</u>
5:00 PM	CYO	Gym
8:00 PM	Choir	Main Church
<u>Wed.</u>	<u>March 31</u>	<u>Location</u>
5:00 PM	CYO	Gym
5:00 PM	*Setup and Performance	Main Church
7:00 PM	Spanish RCIA	Martha & Mary Rm.
7:30 PM	*Setup and Refreshments	Cafeteria
	*Journey, Cross, Crucifixion	
<u>Thurs.</u>	<u>April 1</u>	<u>Location</u>
7:00 PM	Cursillo	Faculty Room
8:00 PM	Charismatic Renovation	PSM Office
8:00 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper	Main Church
<u>Fri.</u>	<u>April 2</u>	<u>Location</u>
8:00 AM	Spanish Stations set up	Cafeteria
8:00 AM	Spanish Stations/Liturgy	Main Church
8:00 AM	Spanish Stations	Parish Grounds
7:30 PM	Charismatic Prayer Mtg.	School Church
8:00 PM	English Stations (setup 7:30)	Main Church
<u>Sat.</u>	<u>April 3</u>	<u>Location</u>
7:00 PM	Spanish Renovation Choir	School Church

If you have reserved a meeting room on parish grounds but have decided to cancel the event, kindly contact the parish secretary well in advance of the reserved date. This would be very helpful to all ministries and staff at the parish.

**SAVE THESE DATES AND COME CELEBRATE!**

\*Our Deacon **Frank D'Angelo** will celebrate his Tenth Anniversary of Ordination as Deacon on Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, at the 12 Noon Mass. A parish reception will follow.

\*On Sunday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, **Sister Peggy** will celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of her entrance into the Sisters of St. Dominic (Dominican Order). She will be honored at our 12 Noon Mass followed by a reception in St. Peter's Gym.

**PEACE AND JUSTICE IN OUR LIVES!**

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Center, 6 Cottonwood Road

**April 15~Thomas A. Schweitzer, PhD.**, Professor of Law at Touro College. "*Growing Up With Peace And Justice*".

**April 22~Bob Keeler**, Editorial writer for *Newsday*. "*Making Peace In A Time Of Endless War*".

**April 29~Sr. Margaret Mayce, O.P.** A member of the Sisters of St. Dominic of Amityville. "*If You Want Peace, Work For Justice*".

Joint Presentations Sponsored by the parishes of  
Our Lady of Fatima and St. Peter of Alcantara

**PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY**  
**PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION**  
**MARCH 28, 2010**

“The Lord God has given me a well-trained tongue that I may know how to speak to the weary a word that will rouse them,” says Isaiah in today’s first reading. The gifts God has given us are likewise given for the good of others. How am I using my gifts?

As we begin this holiest of weeks, we call to mind, heart and prayer not only the suffering of Jesus 2010 years ago, but also the suffering today of all our brothers and sisters... the oppressed, hungry, naked, jobless, depressed, passed-over etc., etc.,. Most frequently these folks are hidden in our society, but let us all look harder!

Once again, thanks to your most generous Caritas food card donations, most of our client families have/will receive an extra food gift before Easter. Just to know, families of three receive a card for \$50, and those of more members, one of \$100...all recipients are so grateful and surprised.

NEW DIRECTIONS IN CAREGIVING is a program sponsored by the School of Education, Health and Human Services at Hofstra University on Thursday, April 15 from 8 am to 3:15 pm in the multipurpose room. The general registration fee is \$100, \$30 for senior citizens (62 +). The conference fee includes a continental breakfast and buffet lunch. It will start promptly; fees are nonrefundable unless cancellation notification is provided at least 48 hours in advance of the conference. For a registration form and more information please call (516) 463- 5750.

Project Independence is a new Town of North Hempstead program designed to support and assist aging residents of the town to remain in their own homes and familiar communities as they grow older. At the parking lot entrance, on the glass table, is a survey form to help the Leaders of this project understand the services needed in order to make this “aging in place” initiative effective. Completion of the survey, including the contact information section, will automatically register you in Project Independence. A registration card will be mailed to you. If you want to register for Project Independence, but want your survey information kept anonymous, just tear off the form at the bottom of the letter and mail it to the address given. You will receive your registration by mail. This information came in a letter sent by town Supervisor Jon Kaiman. The transportation for shopping and to medical appointments are initial parts of this program, already in function and most successful.

Once again we thank the Boy and Cub Scouts in their efforts in collecting food for our client people here in Port Washington. This collection was rained out two weeks ago.

MAY THIS WEEK BRING MANY BLESSINGS TO  
 EACH OF US.

**APOSTOLADO HISPANO**  
**DOMINGO DE RAMOS**  
**28 DE MARZO DE 2010**

Hosanna al Hijo de David. Bendito el que viene en nombre del Señor, el Rey de Israel. Hosanna en el cielo.

Hoy, Domingo de Ramos, principiará LA SEMANA MAYOR, Semana Santa. En estos días, acordémonos del amor, el perdón, la reconciliación y LA PASION Y RESURRECCION DE JESUCRISTO.

Miércoles, 31 de Marzo, a las 8 pm, en la iglesia central, habrá una presentación, en vivo, de la Vía Cruz. Todas estamos invitado.

Jueves, 1 de Abril, a las 8 pm, en la iglesia central, celebramos LA CENA DEL SEÑOR con la misa, bilingüe. Después de la misa, habrá la adoración del Santísimo hasta 11:00 de la noche.

Viernes, 2 de Abril, la VÍA CRUZ afuera, estará a las 10:30 am. La Liturgia del Viernes Santo sigue en la iglesia central a las 12 de medio día.

Sábado de la Gloria, (3 de Abril) con la bendición del fuego, la procesión, lecturas especial, bendición del agua, la renovación de las promesas bautismales, y la Liturgia Eucarística tendrá lugar en nuestra iglesia, empezando a las 8:00 pm.

Domingo de Pascua de la Resurrección del Señor, 4 de Abril, estará a las 9:30 am (como siempre).

\*\*\*Si ud. Quiere recoger agua bendita, Sábado de la Gloria, favor traer un botella plástica

TODOS LOS SERVIDORES DE LAS CELEBRACIONES DE SEMANA SANTA, ESTAN NOMBRADO POR LOS CO-ORDINADORES DE CADA DIA.

**SERVIDORES DE DOMINGO DE LA  
 RESURRECCION**

ANIMADOR: Edy Taz.

LECTORES: Blanca Fabián, Miriam Signorini.

MINISTROS: Alicia y Orlando Castillo, Rosa Maria Quintana.

ACOLITOS: Yessica Quintanilla, Mark Arias, Christian A.

CAFÉ: **NO HABRA HORA DEL CAFÉ.**

**SERVIDORES DEL DOMINGO PROXIMO,  
 11 DE ABRIL**

ANIMADOR: Martha Anyarin.

LECTORES: Marcelino Lugo, Juan Gonzáles.

MINISTROS: Hugo y Hortensia Melgar, Stephanie Lugo, Aracely González.

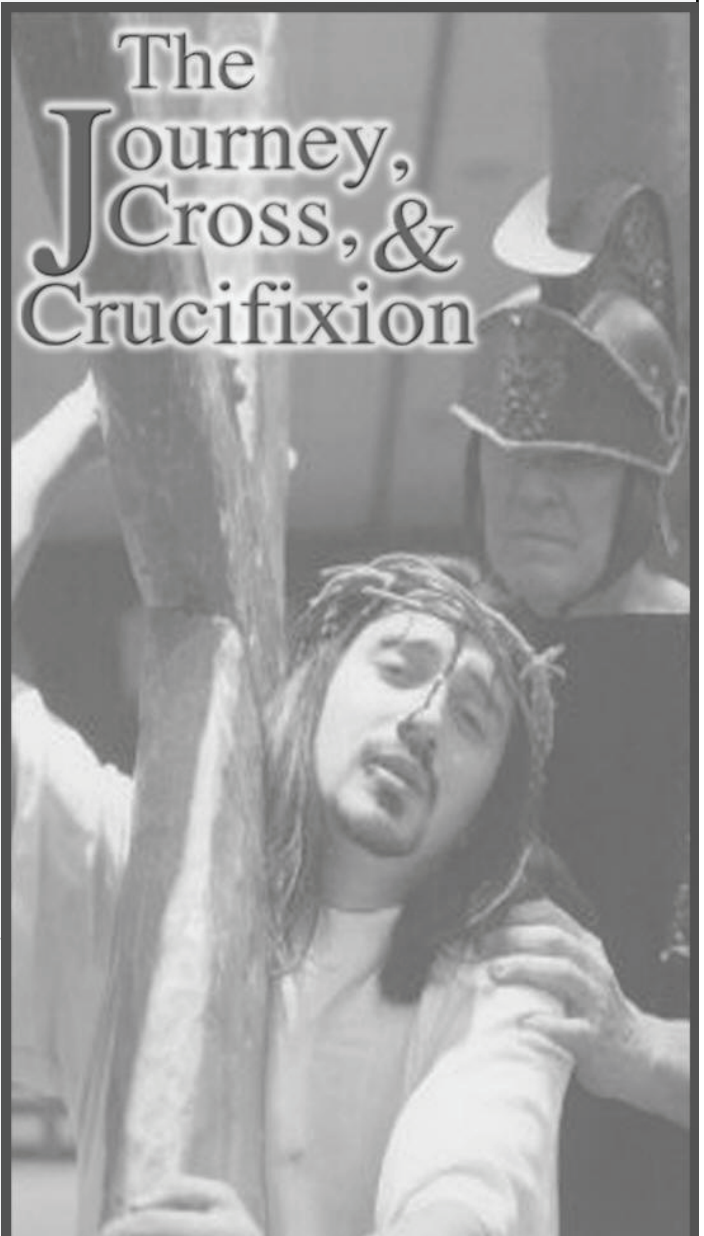
ACOLITOS: Verónica Rivas, Katherine Flores, Ana Parra  
 CAFÉ: GRUPO 8: Mauricio Palacios, Sandra Palacios, Ramiro Carillo, Laura Mata, Claudia Arriola, Luis Fernando Castro, Roberto Carlos López, Arely Anaya.

Creative Ministries Play Troupe  
presents

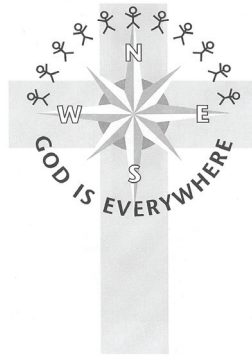
A live, dramatic, presentation of  
the Stations of The Cross  
Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>  
8:00 pm  
Main Church  
St. Peter of Alcantara

*A troupe of Christian actors,  
musicians and dancers will perform  
this well known play.  
A perfect addition to our St. Peter's  
Holy Week schedule  
during a prayerful time when  
Catholics are spiritually preparing for  
Easter Sunday.*

*For this great day, attendees will eyewitness  
Jesus' journey through the streets of Jerusalem  
and His final moments on the cross.*



*All members of the community are welcome to join us  
and refreshments will be served in the cafeteria  
immediately following the dramatization.*



Religious Formation: 516-883-5584  
Director: MaryChristine O. Thomsen  
Office Hours: Mon. 1 pm - 8:30 pm  
Tues. 9:30 am - 5:30 pm  
Wed. 9:30 am - 5:30 pm  
Thurs. 9:30 am - 3:00 pm  
Closed Friday

## **RELIGIOUS FORMATION MINISTRY** **MARCH 28 - APRIL 4, 2010**

**This week:** NO religious Education classes this week due to Public School vacation.

Classes begin again the week of APRIL 12<sup>th</sup>

Please bring your children to church this week. The older children will benefit from the Living Stations of the Cross presented by Creative Ministries on Wednesday evening at 8:00 p.m. in the main church. Check the various times for the Stations of the Cross and Morning Prayer as well as the evening liturgies of Holy Week.

### **Sacrament News ~ Looking Ahead:**

**Communion banners** are due in the religious formation office by Wed. April 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Confirmation assignments:**

8<sup>th</sup> graders were due this past week. Check packet for remaining assignments.

7<sup>th</sup> graders should be working on their Talent and Gifts reflection and finishing their service work, chart and essays.

### **Confirmation Retreats ~ 8:15 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.**

GROUP ONE: Thursday April 8<sup>th</sup>  
The following classes: Ms. Reagan, Ms. Mitchell, Mr. McDonald, and Ms. Labertino.

GROUP TWO: Monday, April 19<sup>th</sup> - St. Peter's school.

GROUP THREE: Tuesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>  
The following classes: Ms. D'Agostino, Ms. Wright, and Mr. Sperling.

### **Administration Information: Registration for 2010-2011 is underway!!**

**Yes it is time to reregister.** Those in the program this year should receive a letter from us this coming week or early next week.

**NOTE:** Two changes are being instituted this year to streamline our process

1. Full tuition is due with registration as is the practice of our CYO ministries. Please contact the director if you need any assistance.
2. Unless you specify on the form that you want to change dates for your class, we will assume you are staying with the same day of the week for instruction.

**MIDDLE SCHOOLERS ~** Anyone in 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade who will be doing school sports next year please consider signing up for Monday evening classes.

### **Family Ministry: Resources and Reflections**

Resource: The Rosary ~ *The Rosary of Jesus and Mary* by M. Jean Frisk.

Adult & Child: Imagine yourself spending this Holy Week with Mary.



## *St. Peter's School News*

### **Spring Fling a Big Success**

Many, many thanks to Kelly Lowe and Kelly Dennis for chairing the annual Ladies Spring Fling! Port Washington Yacht Club was filled with fabulous vendors, great raffles, delicious food, and a bevy of beauties on Thursday, March 18<sup>th</sup>. Everyone had a great time while supporting our wonderful school. Among the raffle winners were Suzanne Young, Sharon Ajello, and members of our staff. Congratulations to Mrs. Duhig, Ms. McCue and Ms. Shackel! The Kelly girls would like to thank all of the many volunteers who made the evening possible, with a special thanks to Kathryn Carroll, MaryPat Eilbacher, Leana Mongelli and Mary Moss for chairing the committees.

### **Transportation Forms Due**

Please note that all transportation forms for Port Washington busing to St. Peter's School are due this Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>. If you have not sent in a form, you must contact Wilma Stubbs at the Administrative Office on Campus Drive.

### **Eighth Graders are Finalists in "Respect Life" Essay Contest**

St. Peter's 8<sup>th</sup> Grade students, Julia Cascio, Nicole Erickson, and Oona Intemann were named as finalists in the Diocesan Respect Life Contest. They wrote essays and poetry in Mrs. Schachter's Reading/Writing class which were then submitted to the diocese. Emily Stearns won Second Place in the Poetry Contest. All the ladies were awarded medals and Emily won a \$250 cash prize. Congratulations, girls!

### **Specialty Scrip Delivery This Week**

Please note that if you placed an order for specialty Scrip during the week of March 19<sup>th</sup>, your orders will be sent home with your child on Tuesday, March 30<sup>th</sup>. If you would prefer to pick up your gift cards, please contact Maura Vernice at [mauravernice@netscape.net](mailto:mauravernice@netscape.net).

### **St. Peter's School Closed for Easter Vacation**

Beginning Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, (Holy Thursday), St. Peter's School will be closed for Spring Recess. Classes will resume on Monday, April 12<sup>th</sup>. On behalf of St. Peter's faculty, students and staff, have a blessed Easter and enjoy your week!

### **Timothy C. Kelly School Celebration~Save the Date & Raffle Info**

All of the St. Peter's community is asked to "Save the Date" for the annual SPS fundraiser. This year's celebration will be held on Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at Plandome Country Club. Please contact Maggie Moran if you would like to volunteer at [moranm@optonline.net](mailto:moranm@optonline.net). We will have some exciting raffle opportunities for all! The Grand Cash Raffle is worth \$5,000, and only 350 tickets will be sold. 1 ticket-\$75, 3 tickets-\$150. We also have a Tuition Raffle available, with the winning prize to be 1 year's tuition for one SPS student for the 2010-2011 school year. 1 ticket-\$25, 3 tickets-\$50, 6 tickets-\$100. Please contact Mary Joan Buckley at [mojobuck@optonline.net](mailto:mojobuck@optonline.net) for raffle information and sales.