



St. Andrew Church

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Sag Harbor, New York 11963

Rev. Peter Devaraj, Pastor	Ext. 37
Rev. Manuel Zuzarte, Associate Pastor	
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We welcome the opportunity to serve you.
Parish Office hours are: Monday - Friday, 9:30am to 2:30pm.
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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 15th, 2024

ST. ANDREW MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY: 5:15pm
SUNDAY: 8:00am, 10:45am (Family Mass)
MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY: 9:00 am

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Classes: 1st-4th Grade at 9:30 am on scheduled Sunday mornings. 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Grades at 7:00 pm on scheduled Wednesday nights.

OUR VISION STATEMENT:

We, the community of St. Andrew, are called and empowered through our Baptism to share in Jesus' mission of building the Kingdom of God.

Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to worship as a community, develop lay leadership and serve the needs of others.

Our prayer is that our dedication to Jesus' mission will be manifested in harmony, growth and love.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

By the grace of God, we bring Jesus' Good News to Life.

QUEEN OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY: 4:00pm
SUNDAY: 9:30am

RECONCILIATION:

EVERY 1ST, 3RD AND 5TH
SATURDAY: 4:15-4:45pm or BY APPT

BAPTISMS:

Baptisms are celebrated the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month. Parents are required to attend two preparation meetings. Please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

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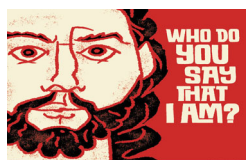
Parishioners arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the ceremony and before arranging the social plans.

DEVOTION:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on First Friday, immediately following the 9:00 am Mass until 10:30am.

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY:

Hours by appointment only.



THE THEME

Within our Scripture readings today are deep and at times, controversial questions. Jesus asks his disciples: “Who do people say that I am?” Then he asks Peter, “But who do you say that I am?” Like Peter, all Christian faiths today proclaim that Jesus is the Christ, the anointed one. Despite our common proclamation, the second reading often serves as a proof text that separates Catholics from our Protestant brothers and sisters. Does faith alone save or does faith combined with corporal and spiritual works save us? These questions invite us to delve more deeply into the mysteries of God.

THE READINGS

ISAIAH 50:5c-9a: The Lord God is my help.

JAMES 2:14-18: Faith without works is dead.

MARK 8:27-35: Who do you say that I am?

MASSES AND SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

MASS INTENTIONS REQUESTED BY MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2024

1CORINTHIANS 11:17-26, 33; LUKE 7:1-10

9:00 AM *Frank Gerecke (31st Anniversary)*

Paul Gerecke

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2024

1CORINTHIANS 12:12-14, 27-31a; LUKE 7:11-17

9:00 AM *Selva Devaraj*

Emmy Vozzo & Family

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2024

1CORINTHIANS 12:31-13:13; LUKE 7:31-35

9:00 AM *Jacqueline L. Soukup*

The Soukup Family

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2024

1CORINTHIANS 15:1-11; LUKE 7:36-50

9:00 AM *Intentions of Tim Flynn*

Sheila Decosse

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2024

1CORINTHIANS 15:12-20; LUKE 8:1-3

9:00 AM *Selva Devaraj*

Gary & Ursula DeAmario

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2024

EPHESIANS 4:1-7, 11-13; MATTHEW 9:9-13

5:15 PM *Alex Koehne*

Koehne Family

Peter Cardone

Fr. Peter

Cheryl Orcutt

Barbara & Steve Lobosco & Family

Steve Dunn

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2024

WISDOM 2:12, 17-20; MARK 9:30-37

8:00 AM *Helen & Daniel Callahan*

June D'Amato

Peter Lynch

His Children

10:45 AM *Rita A. Smith*

Loving Card Friends

Selva Devaraj

Robin Smith

Alex Koehne

Koehne Family

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS -

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21st, 2024

5:15PM Mass *Priest Fr. Manuel*

Lector - L. Gotko

E.M.'s - J. Kane Zaykowski

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22nd, 2024

8:00AM Mass *Priest Fr. Manuel*

Lector - S. Miller

E.M.'s - E. Stone

10:45AM Mass *Priest Fr. Manuel*

Lector - L. Koehne

E.M.'s - A. Opel

Moving? Remember to notify us of address or telephone number changes so that our records are always up to date.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Most recently: *Nora Cosgrove, Barbara King, Gloria Benedetto, Rachel Brown, Charlie Greene, Anita Brown, Kathy Delaney, Joe Ploeger, Bob O'Neil, Jerry Grandenetti, Alexander Perricone,*

Erena Gay O'Brien, Cheryl McMahon, Joseph Santacroce, Lauren Haropolus, James Burke, Leo Green, Paul Fitzpatrick, Joseph Vernice, Melaine Buttonow, Tom Flanagan, Kathy Heinz



From Fr. Peter's Desk 24th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Dear Parish Family:

In our First Reading, Isaiah, attacked and rejected for speaking out, assuredly had a difficult cross to bear. But today we hear him insisting that he is willing to face all his opponents, for he trusts in God.

St. James writes, in our Second Reading, that faith must be put into action, which may lead to carrying a difficult cross. Our faith must inspire us to act in a very specific way: our actions must focus on radically following Christ and dedicating ourselves to justice.

In our Gospel, Jesus tells the crowd that each person must take up his or her cross if they wish to save their life. Jesus speaks, openly to his disciples about the suffering he will endure, which reminds us that the cost of discipleship is great.

My brothers and sisters in Christ, we hear a very appropriate message today as we celebrate Catechetical Sunday. Jesus teaches His disciples a very difficult lesson. First, He tells them that He will suffer and be killed. Then He tells them that each disciple must take up his or her cross and follow Him. They must sacrifice their lives for His sake and for the Gospel. Not even Peter, perhaps his closest disciple, can accept all this. Today, we too must decide if we can accept this, and can we give our all to Christ?

**God Bless You Always,
Fr. Peter**



Stewardship Reflection
“So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead.”

Living Stewardship
As we hear in the second reading today, show others your faith through your works.

Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

<i>Weekly goal for 9/08/24:</i>	\$7,200.00
<i>Sunday Collection for 9/08/24:</i>	\$5,445.00
<i>Votive Candles for 9/08/24:</i>	\$ 55.00
<i>Faith Direct Weekly Donations:</i>	\$1,805.00
Total for 9/08/24:	\$7,305.00



Lord, Hold these men and women in your loving hands and protect them as they protect us and bless them for their selfless acts. We pray for peace in our world and an end to war. Amen.

Serving in the armed forces:
James Calfa, Michael Borgese, Clint Kelly, Rudy Lunk, Cheryl Scarlato, Darryl Treadwel, Peter Wojciechowski, Russell Little, Maddie Martin, Dylan Kaminski, Zachary North, Ryan S. Gioel, Victoria Selkirk, Connor Doughty Gallagher, Andrew W. Tilton, Cole Yardley, Matt Seel, Mitchell Mavellia, Barney Ales, Eric Prime, Jr.



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*God Bless You,
Fr. Peter*



Memorials

Parish Memorials

St. Andrew's offers different types of memorials which can be donated in memory of a deceased family member or friend, or for the intentions of living individuals for special occasions.

The memorials are as follows:

Bread and Wine: The donation to sponsor the Bread and Wine is either \$25.00 for a week or \$100.00 for the month

Altar Flowers: The donation to sponsor the Altar Flowers is \$150.00 for the week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Andrews Church Mass Schedule:

Daily Mass: Monday-Friday at 9:00AM

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass: 5:15PM

Sunday: 8:00AM and 10:45AM

Parish phone #: 631-725-0123

Queen of the Most Holy Rosary

(Bridgehampton) Mass Schedule:

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass: 4:00PM

Sunday: 9:30AM (English)

And 11:00AM (Spanish)

Parish phone #: 631-537-0156

The Rosary Group

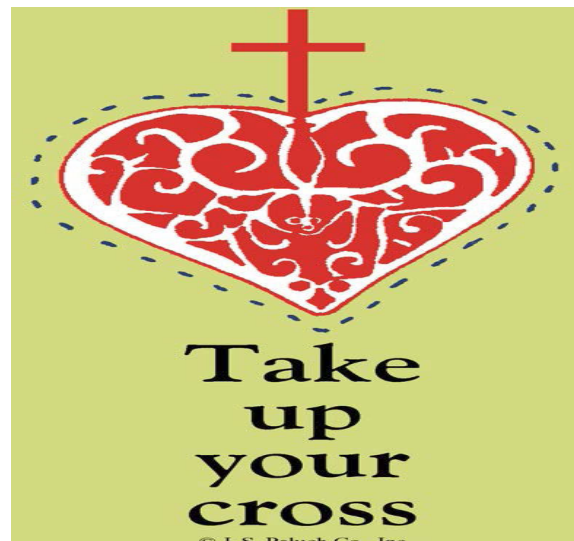


Daily, after the 9AM Mass in the church we pray the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy. Every

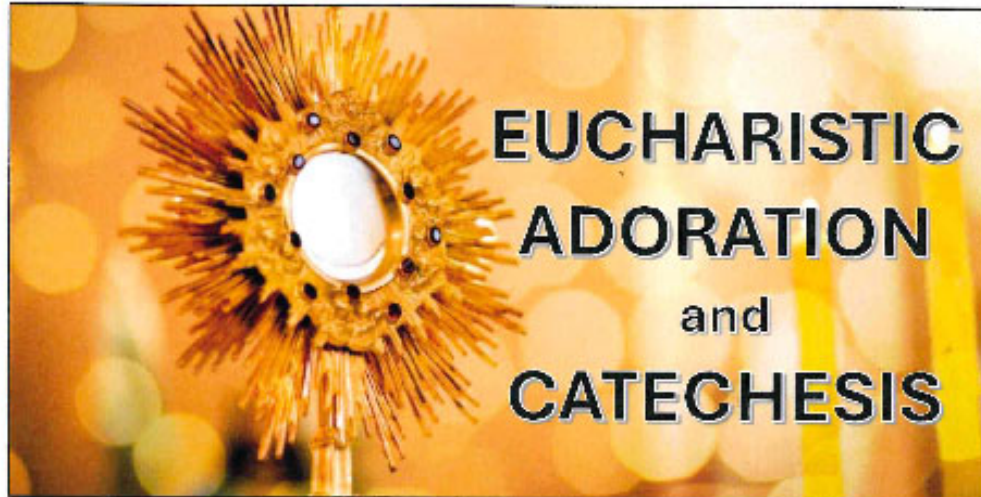
Tuesday, after the 9AM Mass, in the church we meet to pray the Miraculous Medal Novena followed by the Rosary and Chaplet. Also on Saturdays at 9:30AM we meet to pray the Rosary. All are welcome.

Child/Teen Bereavement Groups

Child/Teen Bereavement Groups will meet for six sessions. A concurrent adult group will be offered at the same time at the Immaculate Conception Church Parish Center, 18 Ocame Ave, Westhampton Beach, NY for six sessions: 5:30-7PM on Thursdays, October 12, 24, November 7, 14, 21, December 5. Assessment, Registration and any Questions, please call Angela Byrns, LCSW at 631-288-1546 ext. 209 or email abyrns@eeh.org. RSVP by Oct. 3.



**Take
up
your
cross**



Join **BISHOP ANDRZEJ** this Fall
for the monthly times of prayer and reflection called
EUCHARISTIC HORIZONS
exploring the deeper understanding of our mysteries of life
in the light of perpetual gift of grace and real presence of Jesus
in **His Sacrament of Love**

September 24, 2024
October 29, 2024
November 26, 2024
December 17, 2024

At 7:00 pm

Church of St. Paul the Apostle
2534 Cedar Swamp Rd., Brookville

ALL ARE WELCOME

For further information
Call - 516.744.6850
Email - worship@drvc.org



LECTIO DIVINA

- Lectio
- Meditatio
- Oratio
- Contemplatio

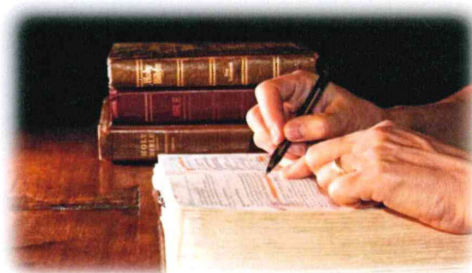


Join Bishop Andrzej
 For Scripture Reflection Series
on JESUS and NICODEMUS
Tuesday, October 1, 2024
 at 7:30 pm - ZOOM webinar.



Bible Study Verse
NICODEMUS the PHARISEE
Coming to the Light
Gospel of John 3. 1-21
 Life in Spirit

Registration is required in order to receive the ZOOM link to each session.
 Please contact the Western Vicariate office with your name, parish, email address and phone number.
 Send your email to:
westernvicariate@drvc.org
 or call Suzanne at 516-744-6850.





**GRADES 6-12
CONTINUOUS
SELF-GUIDED TOURS**

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Spreading Our Wings Rooted in Faith



OPEN HOUSE

OCTOBER 5, 2024
9 AM - 1 PM



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