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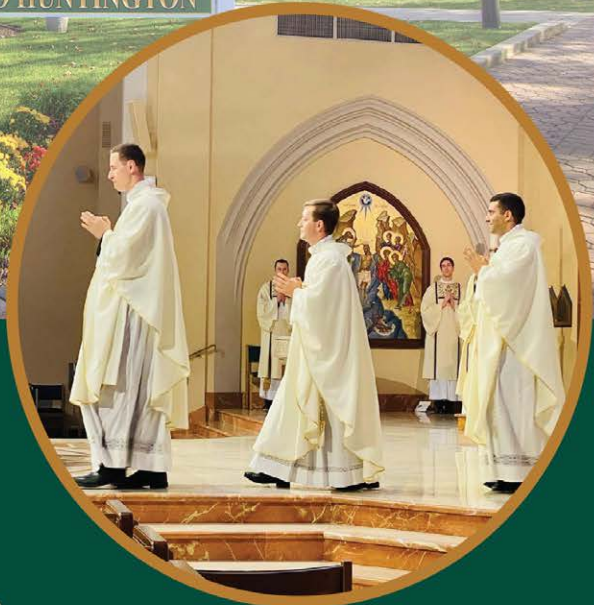
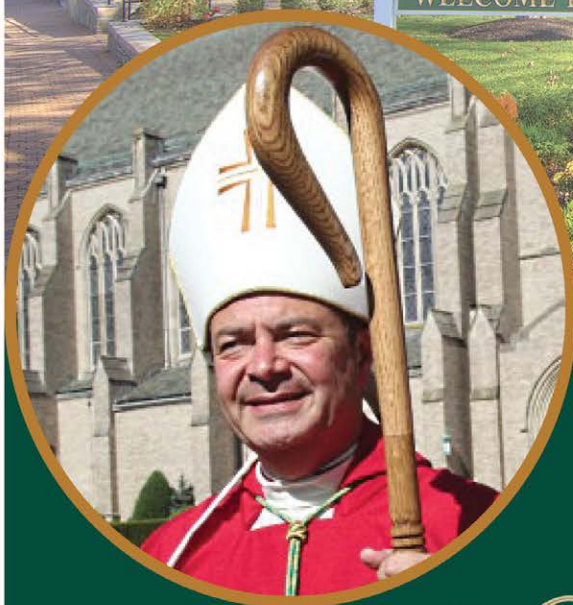
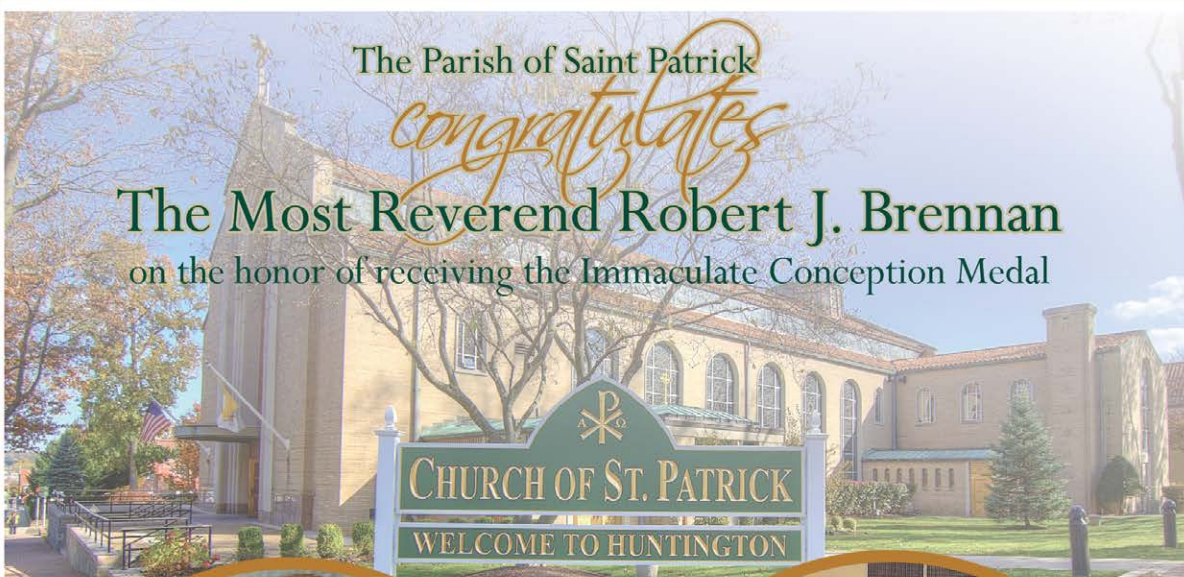
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Te Deum

*A Celebration of Priesthood
from the Joyful Enthusiasm of the First Days
to the Witness of Priestly Fidelity through the Years*

Presentation of the Immaculate Conception Medal

The Most Reverend Robert J. Brennan
Eighth Bishop of the Diocese of Brooklyn



Welcome Our Newly Ordained

Rev. Louis Cona
Advance Studies in Italy

Rev. Christopher Heller
Church of St. Dominic, Oyster Bay

Rev. Stephen Rooney
Church of Notre Dame, New Hyde Park

*The Seminary of the Immaculate Conception is committed
to the mission of formation and education in the Catholic faith
in service of the Local and Universal Church.*

The Immaculate Conception Medal

Established in 2014 by Bishop William Murphy, the Immaculate Conception Medal is awarded annually to a senior priest. The honor is in recognition of the special qualities of fidelity and commitment to a lifetime of dedicated priestly service. The inaugural Immaculate Conception Medal was presented to Monsignor Thomas J. Colgan, Ordination Class of 1949.

Past honorees and Immaculate Conception Medal recipients include ~

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Seminary History



Although part of the Diocese of Rockville Centre, the Seminary's history begins with the Diocese of Brooklyn. In 1853 Pope Pius IX separated geographical Long Island from the guidance of the Bishop of New York and established the whole of the Island as the Diocese of Brooklyn.

To accommodate the growing Diocese and the number of men seeking to become priests, Bishop Thomas E. Molloy, third bishop of Brooklyn, purchased 200 acres in the Village of Lloyd Harbor. The new Seminary formally opened on September 28, 1930. Funding for the construction was made possible by the support of generous parishioners from the Brooklyn Bridge to Montauk Point. The cost of the building totaled \$2,645,000 – the total sum collected was \$2,660,000!

Because of tremendous growth, Long Island was divided into two Dioceses in 1957. The counties of Nassau and Suffolk were formed into the Diocese of Rockville Centre, leaving Kings and Queens counties as the Diocese of Brooklyn. Located within the boundaries of the newly created Diocese, the Seminary came under the jurisdiction of the Bishop of Rockville Centre. Men from the Diocese of Brooklyn continued to study for the priesthood at Huntington with those from the Diocese of Rockville Centre until 2012.

September 2012 marked a singularly significant chapter in the history of the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception. The Dioceses of Brooklyn and Rockville Centre and the Archdiocese of New York formed the St. Charles Borromeo Inter-Diocesan Partnership in Spiritual and Theological Formation for Clergy, Religious and Laity. Candidates for priesthood from all three Dioceses began participation in a single program of priestly formation at St. Joseph's Seminary in Yonkers.

Celebrating ninety-two years since its opening in 1930, the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception continues to be an active, vibrant center of formation and education. The Sacred Heart Institute, created by the St. Charles Borromeo Partnership and supported by the three dioceses, offers retreats and ongoing programs of theological and spiritual enrichment for priests and deacons. The formation program for candidates for the Permanent Diaconate of the Diocese of Rockville Centre is based here. Programs sponsored by the Friends of the Seminary during the year provide additional opportunities for spiritual enrichment.

Located in Huntington, about forty miles from New York City, the Seminary stands on more than 200 acres of hilly land overlooking Cold Spring Harbor, Lloyd Harbor and Oyster Bay. The building is constructed in Spanish Romanesque style with a Byzantine tower. Each guest room has its own private bath. Many religious and lay groups have discovered the Retreat & Conference Center at the Seminary to be the ideal location for their gatherings. The unique beauty and tranquility of the chapels, facilities and grounds provide the perfect setting for retreats, days of recollection, parish staff meetings, workshops, conferences, picnics, etc. The magnificent Rose Garden, created and maintained by volunteers, offers an oasis of peace and solitude for all. Come visit us – you will be warmly welcomed!



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The Most Reverend ROBERT J. BRENNAN
Eighth Bishop of the Diocese of Brooklyn

Bishop Robert J. Brennan was born June 7, 1962, to Robert and Patricia Brennan in the Bronx, New York. The oldest of five children, Bishop Brennan has two brothers and two sisters, 14 nieces and nephews, and three great-nephews and niece. Raised in Lindenhurst, where his parents still reside, he attended the parish elementary school, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, and St. John the Baptist Diocesan High School. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree in mathematics and computer science from St. John's University.

Bishop Brennan studied for the priesthood at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, Huntington. Bishop John McGann ordained him a priest in the Diocese of Rockville Centre, NY, on May 27, 1989. His first priestly assignment was to the Church of St. Patrick in Smithtown, NY. In 1994, he was appointed Secretary to the Bishop, working in this capacity for three bishops: Bishops John McGann, James McHugh, and William Murphy. He resided at St. Agnes Cathedral and served at the parish during those years. In 2002, he was named Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia for the Diocese of Rockville Centre. In 2010 he was appointed pastor of the Church of Saint Mary of the Isle, Long Beach, NY.

On July 25, 2012, Bishop Brennan was ordained as Auxiliary Bishop for the Diocese of Rockville Centre. Leaving his position as pastor in Long Beach at that time, he resided in the parish of Our Lady of Peace in Lynbrook. On January 31, 2019, he was appointed 12th Bishop of Columbus, Ohio. While in Columbus, he traveled throughout the 23 counties of the Diocese to meet and engage the people in order to learn about their everyday activities and faith commitment.

Bishop Brennan was installed as the Eighth Bishop of Brooklyn on November 30, 2021, shepherding 1.3 million Catholics in Brooklyn

and Queens. Since his installation not quite a year ago, Bishop Brennan has hit the ground running, learning about this vast Diocese and its great faith-filled people. He has visited more than 100 parishes and many schools, held meetings with all the Deaneries, and celebrated many joy-filled liturgies.

At the national level, Bishop Brennan has served with the USCCB as a member of the Committee for Catholic Education, the Administrative Committee, and the Priorities and Plans Committee.

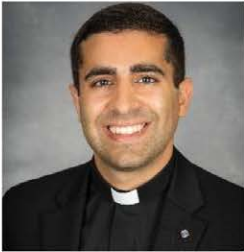
It is our privilege to welcome Bishop Brennan back to the metropolitan area and to honor him with the Immaculate Conception Medal.



Bishop Robert J. Brennan

Coat of Arms

Newly Ordained



Fr. Louis Cona is from Franklin Square where he was a parishioner of St. Catherine of Sienna. He graduated from H. Frank Carey High School, Franklin Square and Georgetown University. At Georgetown, he studied political philosophy, was active in the Georgetown U. Knights of Columbus Council, as well as university pro-life activities. He worked for Georgetown's Religious Freedom project and interned on Capitol Hill. Fr. Cona attended St. Joseph's Seminary, Yonkers, and the Pontifical North American College in Rome. While in Rome he was a Savi guide - leading pilgrims on a special tour of the necropolis beneath St. Peter's Basilica. On ordination he was assigned for the summer to the parish of St. Therese in Montauk. He is currently back in Italy for advanced studies.



Fr. Christopher Heller, originally from Bay Shore, graduated from Chaminade High School and The Catholic University of America. He attended St. Joseph Seminary, Yonkers where he studied for the priesthood for the Diocese of Rockville Centre. *"I am filled with overwhelming gratitude to God for his goodness to me and his faithfulness to me all these years. My only response is to raise the cup of salvation - the Eucharist and the preaching of the Word - and to make my life a ceaseless offering of thanksgiving to him. I am excited and prepared to 'pay my vows' on my ordination day before family, friends, and the people of God on Long Island and to remain faithful to him through my ministry to them. In short, my heart has been filled with gratitude these days, looking back at where God has been in my life and where his promise is leading me now. Priesthood has been one of God's greatest gifts to me, and I pray it will be my greatest gift back to Him."* Fr. Heller is Associate Pastor at the Parish of St. Dominic in Oyster Bay.



Fr. Stephen Rooney's hometown is West Hempstead and his home parish is St. Joseph's in Garden City. He graduated from Holy Trinity Diocesan High School, Hicksville and St. John's University. After much discernment, which included four years of undergraduate studies at St. John's University, Fr. Rooney opted for the priesthood—a choice he has never regretted. Fr. Rooney attended St. Joseph Seminary, Yonkers. He is an avid runner who has bicycled across America for affordable housing. Fr. Rooney's first assignment is to the Parish of Notre Dame in New Hyde Park. "I look forward to getting to know the families of the parish," said Rev. Rooney. "I look forward to being a full-time evangelizer, bringing people to God each and every day."



Congratulations

Fr. Christopher Heller
Fr. Louis Cona
Fr. Stephen Rooney

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*Welcome to
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for being a recipient of the Immaculate Conception Medal

and

Welcome!

to the Newly Ordained

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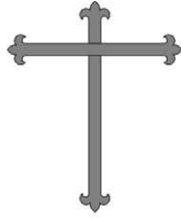
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Bishop Robert J. Brennan
and thank you!

The Catafagos

Born at Montepulciano, Italy, October 4, 1542, **St. Robert Bellarmine** was the third of ten children. His mother, Cinzia Cervini, a niece of Pope Marcellus II, was dedicated to almsgiving, prayer, meditation, fasting and mortification of the body.

This saint was the spiritual father of St. Aloysius Gonzaga, helped St. Francis de Sales obtain formal approval of the Visitation Order, and in his prudence, opposed severe action in the case of Galileo. He has left us a host of important writings, including works of devotion and instruction, as well as controversy. He died in 1621.





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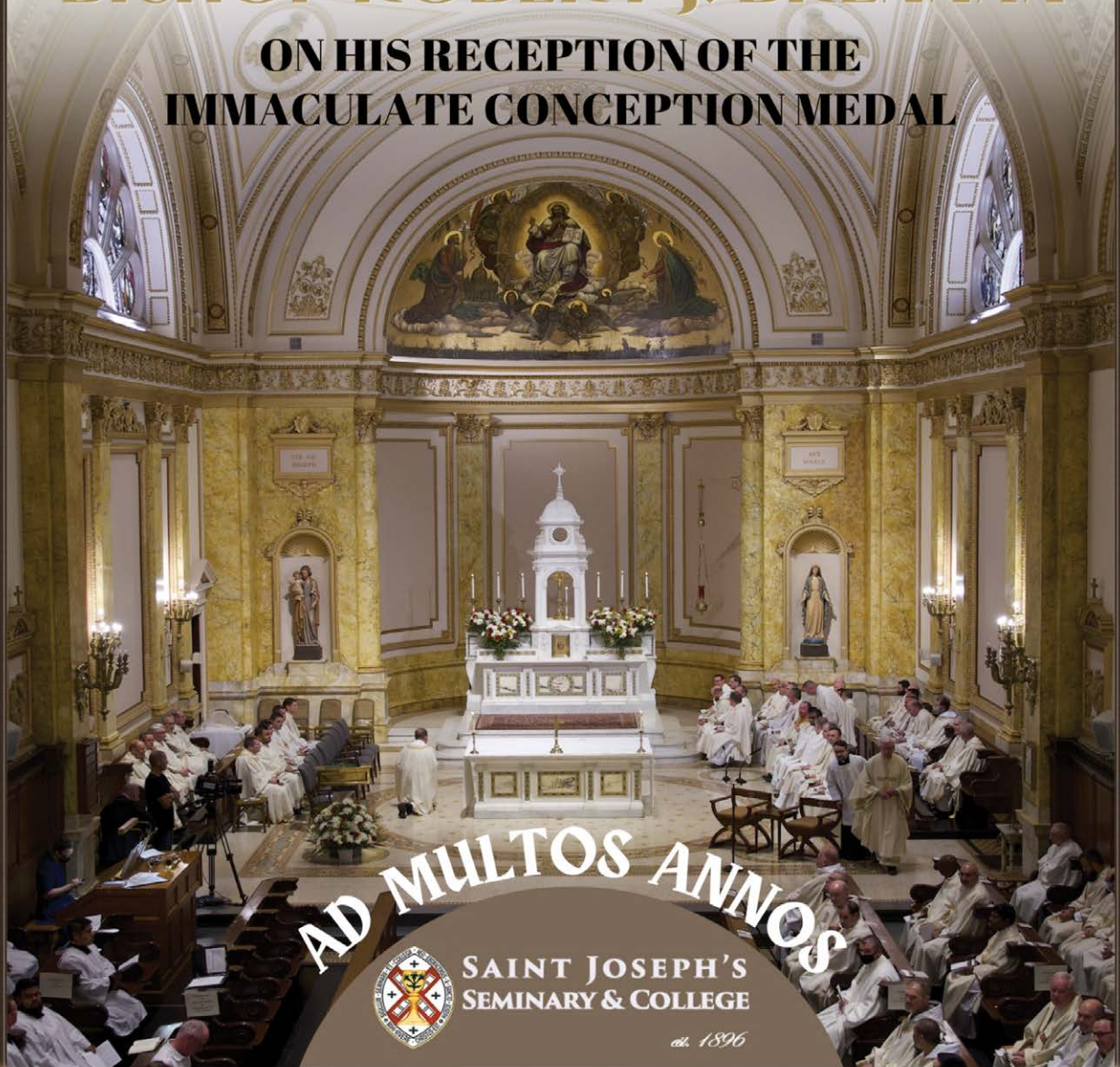
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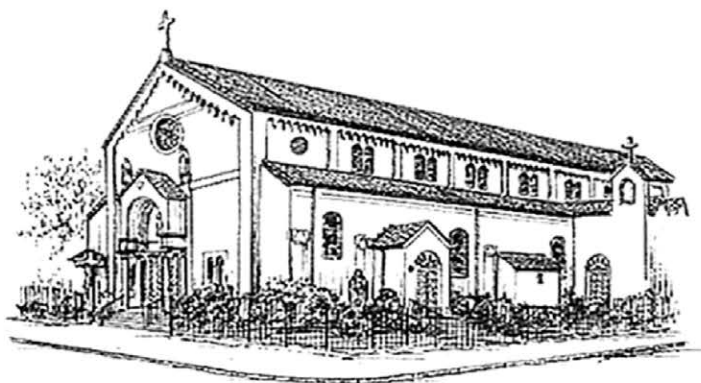
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*His admirers through the centuries have regarded **Louis IX** as the ideal Christian. Ruler. His skill as a knight and engaging manner with the public made him popular, though contemporaries occasionally rebuked him as a “monk king.” Despite his liberalizing legal reforms, Louis was a devout Christian and enforced strict Catholic orthodoxy. He passed severe laws punishing blasphemy and targeted France’s Jews, including the burning of the Talmud after the Disputation of Paris. He is the only canonized king of France.*



Congratulations to

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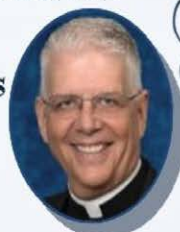
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Happy 1st Year Anniversary & Welcome Back to Long Island!

*Congratulations
to the newly ordained!*

Fr. Louis Cona



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Fr. Christopher Heller

*Congratulations to
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**Ordained to
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Deacon Steven McClernon
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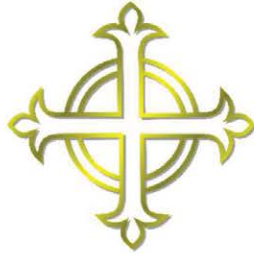
St. Christopher is the patron saint of travelers and of children. His feast day is July 25. Because he is not officially recognized by the Church, he has no date of beatification or canonization. Despite these technicalities, it is widely thought that he was real and that he continues to intercede on behalf of Christians, especially children, today.



*Congratulations to
Fr. Christopher Heller.*

Thank you!

The Catafagos



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Bishop Robert J. Brennan*

*Special Blessings to
Fr. Chris Heller*

Janet & Kenneth Chiang



~ A Prayer by Deacon Keith Fournier ~

Lord Jesus, you chose Stephen as the first deacon and martyr of your One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church. The heroic witness of his holy life and death reveals your continued presence among us. Through following the example of his living faith, and by his intercession, empower us by your Holy Spirit to live as witnesses to the faith in this New Missionary Age. No matter what our state in life, career or vocation, help us to proclaim, in both word and deed, the fullness of the Gospel to a world which is waiting to be born anew in Jesus Christ. Pour out upon your whole Church, the

*same Holy Spirit which animated **St. Stephen**, Martyr, to be faithful to the end, which is a beginning of life eternal in the communion of the Trinity.*



*Congratulations to
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Thank you!

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Yours in Christ,

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Congratulations

to

*The Most Reverend Robert Brennan
Bishop of the Diocese of Brooklyn*

upon receiving

*The Immaculate Conception Medal
at the 2022 Te Deum Dinner*

Your friends,

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to
Bishop Robert J. Brennan



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of
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Bishop Robert Brennan
and the
Honored Newly Ordained
of the Diocese of Rockville Centre



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Pastor

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Bishop Robert J. Brennan



on receiving the

Immaculate Conception Medal

With love & gratitude,

The Kahn Family

Congratulations, Gratitude and Best Wishes

2022 Te Deum Honoree

Bishop Robert J. Brennan

A heartfelt welcome to our diocesan priests

Father Louis Cona

Father Stephen Rooney

And our council brother,

Father Christopher Heller

We are blessed with your response to His calling

Holy Men All!

Ad multo annos

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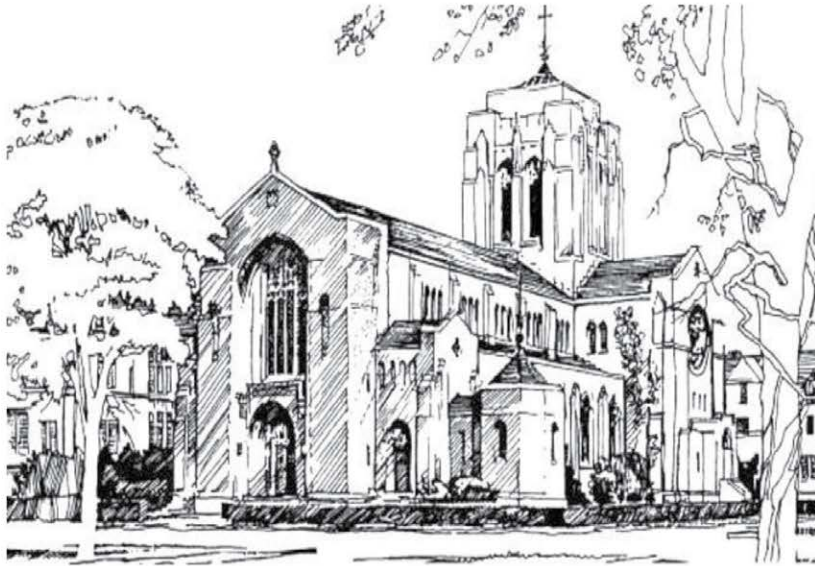
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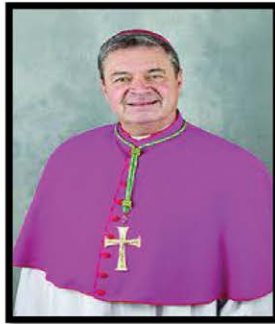
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Annual Te Deum

Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, Huntington, NY

Congratulations to . . .



Bishop Robert J. Brennan receiving the Immaculate Conception Medal
In appreciation for his ministry.

Congratulations to . . . Our newly ordained June 2022
Rev. Louis Cona, Rev. Christopher Heller & Rev. Stephen Rooney

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of Priestly Service,
and may our newly-ordained priests
find joy as they serve the people
of the Diocese of Rockville Centre.*

*With Prayers,
The Parishioners of Sacred Heart Parish
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Fr. Stephen Rooney

as they begin their priestly ministry

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The Eighth Bishop of the Diocese of Brooklyn
Immaculate Conception Medal 2022 Recipient

and

Welcoming Our Newly Ordained

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Bishop Robert J. Brennan

and congratulate our newly
ordained priest's

Fr. Louis Cona

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And Extend Our Blessings to our Newly Ordained Priests

Reverend Louis Cona, Reverend Christopher Heller and

Reverend Stephen Rooney



Reverend Msgr. James P. Swiader and the Priests,
Deacon, Staff, and Parishioners

St. Joseph Church, Garden City



The people of St. Patrick Church in Smithtown offer our congratulations to Bishop Robert J. Brennan, and newly ordained priests Fr. Chris Heller, Fr. Louis Cona, and Fr. Stephen Rooney.



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As he receives the Immaculate Conception Medal

And Welcomes Our Newly Ordained:

Reverend Louis Cona

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Reverend Stephen Rooney

As they are honored at the
Seminary of the Immaculate Conception's
Te Deum Dinner

Ad Multos Annos!



*Best Wishes to the
Seminary of the
Immaculate Conception*

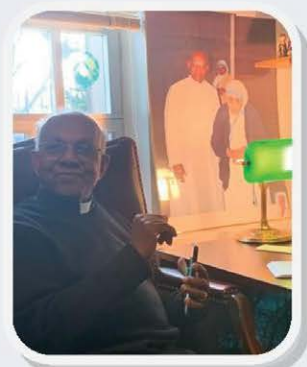
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In Thanksgiving And Gratitude For

Father Gus

(Rev. Augustine Fernando)



*We are deeply grateful for his service in the Diocese of Rockville Centre
and his ministry of healing and spiritual guidance.*

*A life of humility, joy and generosity shared
with the faithful on Long Island and abroad.*

*We pray for God's blessings upon Father Gus
as he continues his retirement with his family in India.*

Your beloved sons and daughters - The Members of the Rosary Prayer Group



In Loving Memory

of

Joseph Yanosik

*Congratulations to
Bishop Brennan
and
Our Newly Ordained Priests
Fr. Louis Cona
Fr. Christopher Heller
Fr. Stephen Rooney*



*Fr. Peter Devaraj, Pastor
and the Congregations of
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CONGRATULATIONS
BISHOP ROBERT J. BRENNAN

Special Blessings to Our Newly Ordained

FR. Louis Cona
FR. Christopher Heller

Special Blessings & Welcome
to the Parish of Notre Dame

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Congratulations to Bishop Robert J. Brennan, on the Immaculate
Conception Medal and for our newly ordained priests, Fr. Louis Cona,
Fr. Chris Heller, and Fr. Stephen Rooney.**

**May God Bless you!
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We thank God for your Ministry
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Prayers & all God's Blessings to
Fr. Cona, Fr. Heller & Fr. Rooney,
new laborers in the Vineyard.
And to Bishop Brennan who has labored
in many diverse Vineyards.
~ The Parish Family of Good Shepherd
Holbrook, NY ~



OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH
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The priests, staff and parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes congratulate Bishop Brennan on all of his contributions to the life of the Diocese. His encouragement to our new priests as they embark on their journey of faithful service to the Church is a blessing.

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WISHING YOU GOD'S CONTINUOUS BLESSINGS
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for your distinguished priestly service

Msgr. Joseph DeGrocco, Pastor
and the **Priests, Deacons, Pastoral Staff**
and **Parishioners of OLPH**

Congratulations

Fr. Christopher Heller.

You are a good shepherd
and we are blessed to have you
at St. Dominic's.

Dan Searby

Congratulations and God's Blessings to

Bishop Robert J. Brennan

Recipient of the

Immaculate Conception Medal

We Welcome Our Newly Ordained

Reverend Louis Cona

Reverend Chris Heller

Reverend Stephen Rooney

**The Parish Family of
St. Barnabas the Apostle
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A prayer offered by Father Arcoleo and the Parishioners of
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“Te Deum/God we praise You for the gift of Jesus Christ and His Holy Priesthood.
Through, with, and in those men You call to be Priests, You continue
to gather a people to Yourself, so that from the rising of the sun
to its setting, a pure sacrifice may be offered to Your Name.

Please accept our praise in thanksgiving for

REV. FATHER LOUIS A. CONA,

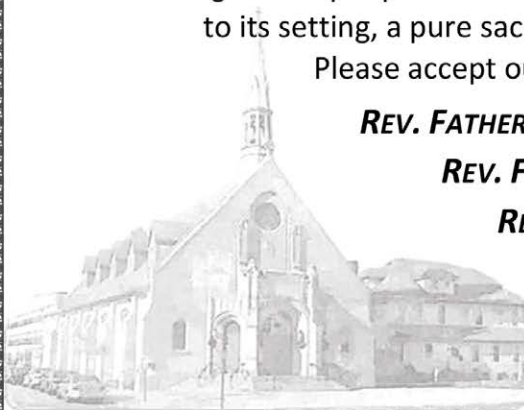
REV. FATHER CHRISTOPHER HELLER,

REV. FATHER STEPHEN ROONEY, and

the MOST REVEREND ROBERT J. BRENNAN.

May *Thy will be done* in all they say and do.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.”



Fr. Chris Heller

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*Congratulations to Bishop Brennan
and
God's Blessing Upon the Newly Ordained Class of 2022.
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*Congratulations, Bishop Brennan!
Welcome to the newly ordained priests!*

*Msgr. Robert J. Batule
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Selden, New York*



St. Jude R.C. Church

Honors
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And welcome newly ordained
Fr. Cona, Fr. Heller & Fr. Rooney

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Congratulations to Bishop Brennan
and
Welcome to Our Newly Ordained



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May almighty God continue to bless this institution,
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