fr smith blessed rosaries made by our parish school K5. these students pray the rosary every afternoon across the year.

16 may 2021
ascension of the lord (OF)
sunday after the ascension (EF)

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Fr. Christopher Smith, STD

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Deacons:

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Our Mission

To share the fullness of the Gospel to all we encounter in our lives by equipping disciples to create and strengthen a personal relationship with Christ. By the grace of God, we are called to strive for personal holiness, participate fully in the vibrant life of the Church's Tradition and transform the world.

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Friday 9a-12p

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Are you new? Welcome! We are grateful that you have come to our parish and hope that you will soon call this faith community your home! Please contact the parish office to learn more.

Letter from our Pastor

An Extraordinary Parish for Ordinary People

Dear Friends in Christ,

At the beginning of this month, I had the great grace to represent the parish at the Carmelite Monastery of Fairfield, PA. Our very own Samantha Johanning was clothed as a cloistered nun and given a new religious name, Sister Catherine Rose of the Immaculate Conception. The Carmelite order traces its origins all the way back to the Prophet Elijah, who lived as a hermit in a cave. Hermits throughout the Holy Land were inspired by his example in the Middle Ages, and they became loosely associated with Mt Carmel in the Holy Land. The order underwent a serious reform in the 16th century under luminaries such as St John of the Cross and St Teresa of Avila.

One of the distinguishing characteristics of Carmelite women's religious life is *papal enclosure.* It means that, except under the most extraordinary of conditions, they do not ever leave their monastic compound. Visitors are accepted at monasteries with papal enclosure, but they visit with the sisters behind a double grille for a brief period of time. Business is often contracted with the sisters behind what is called a turn, a kind of cylindrical lazy susan where objects are passed back and forth.

The hermit priest who celebrated the Mass of Clothing remarked on the grille, that most people think that it is a sad thing that beautiful young women would literally place themselves behind bars, when they could be free. But in reality, we are the ones who are behind bars, and they are the ones who are truly free. That hit me hard. We often have this illusion that we are free because we can move about as we please but we are often tied down with so much that we are the ones behind bars living in the prison of the world.

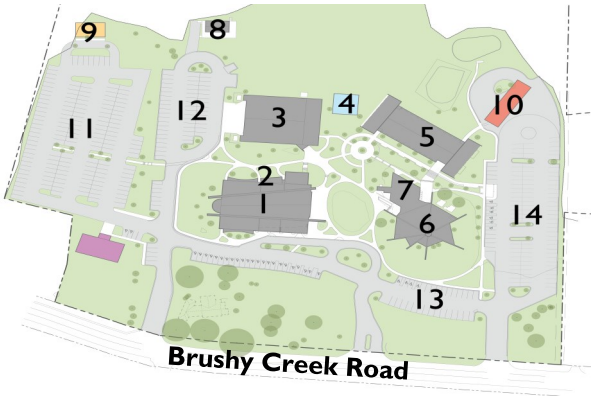
The Carmelites live entirely off the goodness of those who recognize the value of their apostolate, which is prayer and sacrifice for souls. The particular monastery where our own parishioner is now a novice has 24 women in a house which is growing. They live entirely off divine providence for all of their daily needs. If you are interested in sending in prayer intentions or care packages of very practical every day materials, please send them to:

Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph
327 Water Street
Fairfield, PA 17320
www.fairfieldcarmelites.org

In Christ,

Fr. Christopher E. Smith

Our Map—A Smoke, Vape & Tobacco Free Campus



1 Church
2 Christ the King Adoration Chapel
3 PAC (Parish Activity Center) & PAC Classroom
4 Guadalupe Hall
5 School & School Offices (Lourdes Hall)
6 & 7 Parish House, under the protection of Our Lady of Fatima
8 KofC Building
9 Pope Francis House
10 Walsingham Hall
Parking Lots 11, 12, 13 and 14

= where you see this symbol, it means live broadcast simultaneously on Facebook & YouTube

Parish Calendar

Fr Christopher Smith = FCS Fr Michael Cellars = FMC Ordinary Form =OF Extraordinary Form =EF

sunday, 16 may the ascension of the Lord (OF year B) sunday after the ascension (EF)	monday, 17 may easter weekday (OF) st paschal baylon (EF)	tuesday, 18 may st john I (OF) st venantius (EF)
8a Mass Edward Rauch+(FCS) 9.15a Masked Mass (gym) Evelyn Smith +(FRT) 10a Mass Chuck Eaton+ (FCS) 12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FRT) 5p Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament	No Mass	6p Communion Service (no Mass)
9a choir *7p CYO* *7p basketball pac* *7p rosary online (details)*	*10.30a svdp pope francis house* *6.30p boy scouts pac* *6.30p legion of mary kofc bldg* *7p rosary online (details)*	*no confessions* *6.30p kofc kofc bldg* *7p fidelis & fraternus* *7p men's bible study lourdes hall* *7p rosary online (details)* *7.30p server practice*
wednesday,19 may easter weekday (OF) st peter celestine (EF)	**thursday, 20 may** st bernandine of siena (OF & EF)	**friday, 21 may** st christopher magallanes (OF) feria after ascension (EF)
8.30a Mass Kathy Ohlinger+(FMC)	7a Communion Service (no Mass)	12p EF Mass Agnes Pushpam Miranda+(FCS)
4p & 6p choir *7p pop women's group study (link)*	*10a cursillo kofc bldg.* *7p rosary online (details)*	*7p rosary online (details)*
saturday, 22 may st rita of cascia (OF) vigil of pentecost (EF)	**sunday, 23 may** pentecost sunday (OF year B & EF)	**prayer requests**
5p Mass Jane Landry Kaiser+(FCS) Domestic Church Celebration Opportunity	8a Mass Gary & Brenda Weekley-L (FCS) 9.15a Communion Service (Masked in PAC) 10a Mass Bulletin Ad Sponsors (FCS) 12p EF Mass For the People of the Parish (FCS) 5p Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament	All those serving our country, Gena Cunningham, Julie Mallory, Bridgitte Gunnells, Wrenn Calcutt, Jim Bannister, Stephen Wiltberger, Lillie Nesbitt, Kevin Stainton, Doris Pratt, Sarah Williams, Kenneth Price, Jackie Andrejack, Dcn Bob Smith, Lois Smith, Christy Smith, Shannon Harkins, Gloria Dussich, Rose Schillaci, Kristina Murphy, Laurie Taylor, Carl Jones, Luigina & John Warga, Mary Jean Heap, Rita Herd, Marlene C. Eugenia Kolinko, Emily Stapinski, Susan Subrizi, Ed Case, Lee Mobley, Stella Boris, Terri Arkins, Rosemary Craig, Janine Moore, Jean Casey, Thomas Dorsey, Jennifer Gregory, Jennifer Pfaffl, Kevin Curtis, Ray Lopez, Peter McPherson, Lola Hartman, Frank Cespedes, Bob Haden, Kayla Whatley & Joe Valitchka
9a marriage prep parish house *3.30-4.40p confession* *6p mass setup pac (volunteer here)*	*3p altar server training* *7p CYO* *7p basketball pac* *7p rosary online (details)*	

Please contact the Parish Office to request a name be added to the prayer list.
We will leave names on the prayer list for two weeks, unless requested otherwise.

Happenings & Needs

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homebound ministry

If you are homebound and wish to receive Holy Communion, please contact Deacon Mark at mark.thompson@princeofpeacetaylors.org or 864.630.0606.

lay dominicans

If you would like to learn more about the life and charism of Lay Dominicans and how they share in the apostolic mission of the Dominican Order through the Four Pillars: Prayer, Study, Community and Apostolic Preaching, email Linda Head, OP, for information: ixhead@gmail.com.

widows and widowers

Be comforted by those who have experienced the grief of the loss of a spouse on the first Saturday of the month in the Pope Francis House.

- Join our social lunch on 22 May at Stax Omega at 12n. All are welcome. Please RSVP!

Call Jean Casey 864.423.7010 to learn more.

formed on demand—free access

We're offering access to Formed On Demand to all of our active parishioners and school families! When you register at formed.org/register, use code GYYF72. The parish receives your name/confirms your status. Then, you receive FREE access to our subscription service offering access to thousands of studies, films, audios, and ebooks.

perpetual eucharistic adoration

"It is the LORD." John 21:7

Please consider adopting an hour or become a substitute. Contact Lisa Buss at 864.508.7123 or adoration@princeofpeacetaylors.org with questions!

- Adorers are reminded to receive the code directly from Lisa Buss.
- **Hours in need of adorers:**
  - 12p Sundays; 12a Mondays; 11p Tuesdays; 12p Wednesdays; 6a Thursdays, 2p Saturdays

baptism class

Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptism Class. The next class will be held on Thursday, 10 June at 6.30p through Zoom (virtually). Please contact Deacon Gus for details at 864. 420.0497 baptisms@princeofpeacetaylors.org

⇒ *Baptisms cannot be scheduled until the class is completed.*

⇒ *Only Deacon Gus can schedule Baptisms.*

bulletin sponsors needed

Now is the time to call Andy Gillhouse , Diocesan Publications, to become a bulletin advertiser. Our advertisers allow us to publish the bulletin at no cost to the parish. Reach out to Andy at 407.701.8618 or agillhouse@diocesan.com to learn more.

Prayerfully consider donating the following:

sanctuary lamp $20
donated by:
Miriam Owen
in memory of: Donald E Owen, Sr & Guelda Spirito

bread & wine $20
donated by:
Maria Nitsche
in honor of:
Thomas Joseph Blaze

flowers $220
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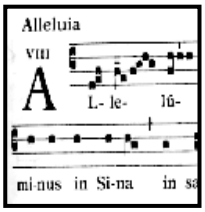
in honor of:
their wedding on 15 May

music $300

Happenings & Needs

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celebrating our graduates

If you are a senior of Prince of Peace graduating from High School or College, we would love to congratulate you! Please provide us with your name & school/college from which you are graduating from by 30 May to bulletinsubmissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org

latin mass community emails

Please email Tracey Mershon to be added to the distribution list for Latin Mass Community announcements at traceymershon63@gmail.com.

open enrollment for our parish school

Which school in the Diocese has the highest MAP scores? Prince of Peace Catholic School!

POPCS students scored higher than all Greenville County public schools on MAP testing, too.

Please schedule a tour of the parish school with Liz Burgdorf at 864-331-2145.

vocations prayer after EF mass

The mothers of Prince of Peace gather every Sunday after the 12n EF Mass to pray that the Lord will raise up priests and religious sisters from their children.

The tiny village of Lu gave 323 priests and nuns to the Church after their pastor, Msgr Alessandro Canora, gathered the moms to offer their Communion every First Sunday and Adoration every Thursday! May He hear our prayers too!

men's bible study

Men's Bible Study meets on Tuesdays from 7-8p in Guadalupe Hall (The Middle School). They are just starting a study by St Ignatius on Book of Matthew. It's a great time to get involved! Questions? Contact Deacon Michael Thompson at 864.365.6178.

welcome new parishioners

Join us in welcoming the newest members of our parish family: Jonathan Smith; Michael & Diana Baldassarra and family; Sandra Watson; John & Fatima Soley; Kenneth & Heather Long and family; and Robert & Jane Ingram.

permanent volunteer positions in parish office

Would you be willing to serve as a permanent volunteer receptionist in the parish office? The following hours of a full time volunteer position have not been adopted, yet:

Tuesdays 2-4p
Wednesday 2-4p
Thursday 2-4p

Volunteers would need to be available on a consistent, weekly and reliable basis. Please contact Maria Rauch to make a commitment today!

totus tuus—vacation bible school

Our wildly successful Vacation Bible School, Totus Tuus, will return again, 11-16 July 2021!

TOTUS TUUS TOTALLY YOURS

⇒ registration is now open—forms available by emailing Maria Barontini or stopping by her office
⇒ $35 per child ($80 maximum per family)
⇒ grade school students (ENTERING grades 1-6) will meet Monday-Friday 9a-2:30p (students need to bring lunch daily) and our youth program (grades 7-12) meets Sunday-Thursday 7-9p.
⇒ due to COVID each grade 1st-6th will be limited to 12 students maximum.

What makes Totus Tuus special? The Totus Tuus program was developed by Catholics and teaches the Catholic faith. Totus Tuus is run by a team of enthusiastic, college-age adults who are on fire for our faith. The Totus Tuus program follows a 6-year curriculum cycle. So even if you came last year, or three years ago, the material is going to be different. Not to mention, the team changes each year so the leaders will have a totally fresh perspective.

⇒ We need 1 host family for our female team members, dinner host families, and adult volunteers for each grade level. Please email Maria Barontini!

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get to know the knights of columbus 9184

Men: Join the Knights of Columbus in Prayer and Catholic Fraternity Thursday nights at 7.30p outside our building that is next to the Parish Activity Center and Pope Francis House). Call or text our Grand Knight John Olson at 354-5680 with questions.

St. Joseph, pray for us. Blessed McGivney, pray for us.

here are the ways to continue giving to pop

Electronic giving is a convenient way to make contributions. **Donate online** in our tithe.ly system - set-up EFT, one-time donation or recurring donation. Manage your giving with ease by downloading the tithe.ly app to your phone.

If you normally give via WeShare, you can stick with it or switch! The parish incurs lower fees with Tithe.ly. Here's the WeShare link for managing your account.

prayer request

In your kindness, please pray for the repose of the soul of Anthony Dennis Caruso .

Eternal rest, grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

triune mercy kitchen—help needed

Join our parish family with a **corporal work of mercy by feeding the hungry** of Triune Mercy Kitchen on the first Sunday of June. Please sign up here to have the food and drinks ready for delivery. Contact Phillip & Hannah Helm with questions at 805.750.5663 or community.kofc9184@gmail.com.

job openings

Prince of Peace Catholic Church & School is accepting applications for:

- Full time Music Teacher and Pastoral Associate for Children's Music beginning 1 July. Learn more.

Please send a cover letter, resume, and three letters of recommendation to Fr Christopher Smith at frsmith@princeofpeacetaylors.org,with cc's to alan.reed@princeofpeacetaylors.org and principal@princeofpeacetaylors.org.

sacrament of baptism

Please welcome the newest member of the Body of Christ:

- **Carlo Maria Cruz Lizardo**, son of Giancarlo & Ioanna on 1 May
- **Sarah Katherine Head**, daughter of Connor & Haley on 1 May
- **Wulfstan Dorminy,** son of John "Sweet Tea" & Georgina on 8 May
- **Abigail Ruth Simmons**, daughter of Jeffrey and Sandra on 8 May

parish emails

Did you know we send out emails, sometimes with time sensitive information not found elsewhere? Be sure you're signed up to receive important messages and white list our address so it doesn't get lost in your SPAM.

- Sign up here for the parish master list
- white list the domain @princeofpeacetaylors.org

newlyweds!

Congratulations to the following couple who received the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony:

- **Ashley Lynn Ammons & Summer Douglas Schreiber** on 15 May 2021
- **Lauren Suzanne Clark & Mark Robert Egan** on 15 May 2021 (in Tryon, NC)

Free Academic Summer Camp

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FREE academic summer camp open to the public at our parish school

Prince of Peace is thrilled to offer a summer academic and enrichment camp for all rising K5 through 8th grade students (including those not enrolled at the parish school)! This camp experience is the first of its kind at Prince of Peace and we will target math and literacy skills to shore up learning loss due to the limitations placed on teaching and learning during the pandemic. This could be a tremendous support for students and help prepare them to start the 2021-2022 school year with heightened academic confidence.

The academic program is driven from Catapult Learning's Summer Journey Program that combines Achieve Literacy and Mathematics, as well as curricula from Prince of Peace. The enrichment programing is STEM Robotics driven from the Engineering Design Process. Ultimately, the experience would balance academic enrichment and learning with fun and engaging activities.

What are the dates for the camp? June 28th through July 29th (we have built in a "break" in the camp from July 12th through the 19th to allow families to participate in Totus Tuus, Vacation Bible School).

What are the days/hours for the camp? The camp is scheduled for 9a to 12n each day, Monday through Thursday for each week of the camp . The schedule will include 1 hour of mathematics, 1 hour of literacy and 1 hour of enrichment (STEM Robotics)

What is the cost of the camp? As a result of the EANS (Emergency Assistance for Non-Public Schools) funding, we are able to offer this academic camp **FREE OF CHARGE**. The only cost for the camp is a $20 fee for a POPCS summer camp tee shirt. Comparable camps in the Greenville area are asking $150 to $300 per week, so this is an amazing opportunity for the community!

Who are the teachers? Qualified teachers from Catapult Learning will be leading the sessions. Some of our very own POPCS teachers may participate as well!

What are the class sizes? Class sizes are limited to 10 students for each group with four classes currently being offered. Students will be grouped in the following manner:

Group 1: K5-1st
Group 2: 2nd-3rd
Group 3: 4th-5th
Group 4: Middle School.

How do we register for the camp? Registration will be first come, first served. A waiting list will be established once a group has been filled and, if there is enough demand, we will be able to add additional groups. It is our hope to provide the camp experience for all who would like to attend. We do ask that you only register if you are able to commit to the dates the camp is offered. Click **HERE** to register for the 2021 Prince of Peace of Peace Academic Summer Camp. Questions? Contact the parish school at 864.331.3921.

How do I purchase my required camp t-shirt? Click here.

Celebrating the Liturgical Life of the Church

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22 May: Feast of Saint Rita of Cascia. In the hills of Cascia, Italy, Antonio and Amata Lotti welcomed their only child, Margherita, in 1381. Her name meant "pearl" and she was called Rita. Growing up in Cascia, Rita knew the local Augustinian nuns and was attracted to their way of life. But her parents arranged a marriage to provide security, and so Rita obediently married Paolo Mancini with whom she had two sons. In the troubling political climate, there was often conflict between families. Paolo was the victim of one conflict, and was murdered. The societal expectation was that the boys should avenge father's murder. Rita forgave her husband's killers. She faced a steep challenge in convincing her sons to do the same. She pointed to the image of the crucified Christ and the fact that he forgave those who killed him. Soon, however, both sons died of illness. Trusting God after these tragedies, Rita felt called to a second vocation: religious life. The sisters at the Monastery were hesitant and refused her request, because although Rita had forgiven her husband's killers, family had not. There were members of the rival family in the convent; her presence would be detrimental to community harmony. And so, Rita set out to make peace between the families. She went to her husband's family and exhorted them to put aside hostility. They were convinced by her courage. The rival family, astounded by this, also agreed. The families exchanged a peace embrace and signed an agreement, putting the vendetta to rest forever. At age 36, Rita finally was accepted into the Augustinian convent. She lived a life of prayer, contemplation and spiritual reading for 40 years. On Good Friday of 1442, she had an extraordinary experience. In contemplation before an image of Jesus, she was deeply moved and spoke her willingness to relieve Christ's suffering by sharing in his pain. Her offer was accepted, and Rita was given a thorn from his crown penetrating her forehead. The wound it caused remained open until her death. Toward the end of her life, Rita was visited by a relative who asked if there was anything she could do. Rita asked for a rose from the garden of her family home. It was January, the dead of winter, but upon arrival at Rita's family garden, the relative astonishingly found a fresh rose in the snowy garden. She brought the miraculous rose to Rita, who died peacefully on May 22, 1457. The convent bells immediately began to peal unaided by human hands. So many people came to look upon the gentle face of the "Peacemaker of Cascia" that her burial had to be delayed. It became clear that something exceptional was occurring as her body was free from nature's usual course. It is still incorrupt today, in a glass coffin in the basilica of Cascia, where numerous miracles have been wrought. On May 24, 1900, Pope Leo XIII canonized St. Rita, heralding her as the saint of impossible and desperate cases. St. Rita's Church at Cascia was raised to the ranks of a basilica, September 11, 1955, by Pope Pius XII.

Ideas for celebrating this feast at home:

- In honor of her name, make "Margherita" Pizza for dinner (recipe here!) Really, any Italian themed meal would be fitting.
- Plant a rose bush in your yard: roses are one of the symbols associated with St. Rita.
- Read the address that Pope St. JP II gave on the 100th anniversary of St. Rita's canonization: link here.
- Go to confession: exemplified by forgiveness of her husband's murderers, Saint Rita is patroness of reconciliation.
- Peacemaking: the Saint of Cascia didn't just forgive, she helped two rival families set aside a vendetta and make peace. Is there a person you need to make peace with? Be inspired by Saint Rita to do it today.
- Play a game of baseball! St. Rita has been loosely associated with the game of baseball. If you're not convinced that an unofficial patron can help you out in the bottom of the ninth, remember that Saint Rita is also the Patroness of Impossible Causes!

(sources: *excerpts from "The Precious Pearl" by Fr. Michael DiGregorio; stritashrine.org*)

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School (Office: 864.331.3921) *our childcare registration number is 24774

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Submit your announcements 2 weeks prior to the desired bulletin date to bulletinsubmissions@princeofpeacetaylors.org

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summer camps 2021

- **Academic STEAM Camp** (see pg 7)
- **Totus Tuus Vacation Bible School** (see pg 5)
- **Archery Camp** will be 21-25 June from 9a-11.30a each day for rising 4th grade-9th grade students of the school or parish. Learn the basics of the National Archery in Schools Program sponsored by the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources. The cost is $85 for the 1st child. And, in families with multiple children, $75 for the 2nd child, and $65 for 3rd child+. Limit 12 in the camp (first come, first served paid & completed registration). Until further notice by the Diocese of Charleston, COVID protocols will be followed. Email Coach Moreau or pick up the forms in the school office. Deadline 28 May.
- **Dribble for Destiny Summer Basketball Camp** is for ages 6-13 boys and girls. It will be held 9a-12p on Tuesday, 6 July—Friday, 9 July. Camp includes ball dribbling, passing, shooting, ball handling, daily contests, daily devotions, video, snack and full court play round out each days activities. The Awards Ceremony is on 9 July @ 11a. The cost is $119 and includes a t-shirt OR ball. Registration forms are available in the parish office or online. Maximum of 50 athletes.
- **Summer Art Camp with Marilyn Alber** is a great way for kids entering 1st-8th grade to kick off summer and be creative. Choose between week 1 (14-18 June) and/or week 2 (21-25 June). Classes are held for 2 hours each day Monday-Friday in the Media & Art Bldg. The cost of a 1-week session is $160, materials provided. The registration deadline is Friday, 28 May. No refunds are given after 1 June. Forms are available at the school office. For additional information, contact mmalber@att.net.

become an altar server

Calling all young men who have received their First Holy Communion to serve the Lord at the altar. We will be having a set of three introductory classes on serving the Ordinary Form of the Mass on 16 & 23 May and 6 June at 3p in the Church. This three-class training is mandatory for all new servers, but existing servers are welcome to attend. If you have any questions, please reach out to Deacon Cavin or Deacon Suarez.

bosco night fundraiser

The Brotherhood of Fraternus & The Sisterhood of Fidelis cordially invite you to the Bosco Society Event, Spring Forward, on Thursday, 27 May from 7-9p at Larkin's at Sawmill (22 Graves Drive).

- Discover more about the impact of this Sisterhood and Brotherhood.
- Enjoy hors d'oeuvres, wine, beer, and a special cocktail.
- Hear testimonies from young people, parents and volunteers.
- Find out about how you can impact young people in our community through our local Bosco Society fundraiser.

RSVP to Billy and Kelly Martin by Thursday, 20 May 20 (631)786-7712 | upstatefraternus@gmail.com
N.B. Admittance to the event requires an RSVP

join the 7 sisters apostolate

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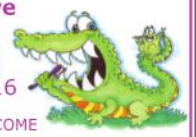
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