

Social Groups for the Widowed, 2009-2010

Programs offered to meet new friends and to enjoy a variety of activities together
Call the contact number for details and any changes.
Updated May 3, 2010

- Babylon** **Sociable Singles of St. Joseph Church**, meets at their Parish Center, 39 N. Carll Ave., 3rd Friday of the month, 7:30-9:30 pm
Contact: Lorraine DeCanditis (631) 669-6557
- Bay Shore** **Beginning Experience**, a weekend program offered twice a year in Feb. and Aug. for those ready for a new beginning after the loss of a spouse, at Montfort Spiritual Center, 26 South Saxon Ave.
Contact: Connie (516) 735-1720, Carmen (516) 739-0973 or John (516) 822-0635
- Bellmore** **St. Barnabas Widows and Widowers Club**, 2341 Washington Ave., offers a variety of programs, all faiths and ages welcome.
Contact: Terry Hoffmann, (631) 669-0198
- Blue Point** **Widows & Widowers Group of Suffolk**, at Our Lady of the Snow Church Basement, 175 Blue Point Ave., meets 2nd Fridays, 8 pm.
Contact: Susan Lanchantin (631) 363-9546
- Bohemia** **Parents Without Partners, (PWP), Suffolk County – Chapter #64**, meets at Bohemia Recreation Center, Ruzicka Way, must be single with a child of any age, website: www.pwp64online.com, e-mail: pwp64@mail.com
Contact: PWP (631) 218-9414
- Centerport** **“Moving On,”** support group to help the transition from being a couple to being a single, at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, 53 Prospect Rd., 3rd Fri. of month, 7:30 pm
Contact: Parish Outreach Office (631) 754-9045
- East Meadow** **Lazarus Group**, at St. Raphael Church, 600 Newbridge Road, meets twice a month on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 7:30 pm, for details contact Phil Washburn (516) 735-3127.
- Freeport** **Our Holy Redeemer Widows and Widowers Club**, meets once a month on the 3rd Sunday, at Our Holy Redeemer School Cafeteria (downstairs), 87 Pine Street, 2-4:30 pm, Sept.-June
Contact: Irene Guth (516) 378-2887
- Garden City** **Young Widows & Widowers Social Group**, meets monthly at St. Joseph Church Basement, St. Agnes Room, Franklin Ave. and Fifth St., 3rd Wed. of month, 7:30 pm.
Contact: Margaret (516) 248-7786
- Hicksville** **St. Monica’s Widows & Widowers**, VFW Hall, 320 S. Broadway, meets 1st Tues., 7 pm
Contact: (516) 681-3159.
- Huntington Station** **St. Hugh’s Widows & Widowers**, at St. Hugh’s School, 128 Pulaski Road, meets monthly on the 4th Tues., 7 pm (Sept.-June).
Contact: Lucy Mulzoff (631) 427-7645.
- Lindenhurst** **Alician Guild of Our Lady of Perpetual Help**, meetings at the K of C Hall, 400 S. Broadway, 2nd Tuesdays, 8 pm; dances for singles and couples on 2nd Fri., 8 pm-12 am
Contact: Mickey (631) 957-5382 or John Hotelling (631) 957-8369
- Manhasset** **F.O.C.U.S. Group** (for widows and widowers and singles), St. Mary’s Parish, offers a variety of events in different locations
Contact: Christine Sutherland at Parish Social Ministry (516) 365-2705;
socialmin@stmary.ws

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- Massapequa** **L.I. Naim Widows & Widowers**, at Elks Club, 2162 Veterans Blvd., meetings on 1st Thursdays at 8:00 pm; monthly dances on 3rd Fridays at 8:00 pm-12 am
Contact: Augusta Behringer (516) 485-4828 or Rosie Failla (516) 972-2576
- Massapequa** **St. Bernard's Widows & Widowers**, at Elks Club, 2162 Veterans Blvd., meetings on 2nd Thurs. of month - 8 pm, dances on 4th Fridays – 8 pm..
Contact: Chris Korn (631) 842-6734 or Rosie Failla (516) 972-2576.
- Massapequa** **"Starting Over,"** at St. Rose of Lima Parish, 2 Bayview Ave. (corner of Merrick Road), meets 3rd Sunday of each month at 3:30 pm.
Contact: Carmella Cotroneo (516) 798-6807.
- Northport** **Long Island Single Sailors Association**, offers a variety of events, socials and sailing activities in various locations in Suffolk County, website: www.lissa.org.
Contact: Hot Line (631) 930-6409
- Riverhead** **Young at Heart (55+)**, at St. John the Evangelist Parish, 546 St. John's Place, meets in the Parish Center, last Sat. of month at 2 pm
Contact: Ann Alonzo (631) 727-0901
- Seaford** **Stepping Out**, at St. James Parish Center Hall, Seamans Neck Road (off Hicksville Road), meets twice a month, 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 7:00-9:00 pm, (Sept.–June). In Nov. and Dec. they meet only on the 2nd Tuesdays.
Contact: Ruth Miller (516) 735-8048.
- Smithtown** **St. Patrick's Singles Fellowship**, at St Patrick School Annex, 284 East Main Street, offers coffee & conversation on the 3rd Sunday of the month following the 9:00 am Mass, meeting 10 am – 1 pm, welcomes all singles.
Contact: (631) 265-2668 (weekdays)
- Wantagh** **DSC-Chapter #1** (Divorced & Separated Catholics), at St. Frances de Chantal Church, 1309 Wantagh Ave., welcomes all singles (widowed, separated, divorced and never married), offers a wide calendar of events. Orientation meeting is the 4th Tues at 7:30 pm
Contact: Hotline: (516) 897-2721.
- Williston Pk** **Spirituality for Singles**, at St. Aidan's Church, 505 Willis Ave., meets 1st Sat. of the month, (Sept.– May), 7:30 pm, in the Upper School Cafeteria.
Contact: Ann Marie (718) 225-5833.

Please Send Additions, Deletions or Corrections to:

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