

# Catholic Cemeteries, Diocese of Rockville Centre, Invites You to Attend

## *“Networking and Coffee”*

for all those working with the bereaved:  
support group facilitators, consolation ministers, counselors, clergy, chaplains and school personnel

Saturday, Oct. 24, 2009  
9:00 am- 1:00 pm

Emmanuel Retreat Center at  
Kellenberg Memorial High School, Millennium Room  
1400 Glenn Curtiss Blvd., Uniondale, NY  
\$10 per person

*Presenter: Donna Kukura, M.H.C.*  
*“Healing from Suicide and Homicide”*

Donna is a bereaved sibling, survivor of the suicide of her brother Thomas, 9/11/02, and unsolved murder of her brother, Brian, on Christmas Day 2002; is a Mental Health Counselor for over 20 years, worked with families of 9/11 victims, Co-founder, Board Member and Chapter Leader (2002-2008) of LI/Suffolk County Parents of Murdered Children, a national organization for family & friends of murder victims, workshop presenter and group facilitator.

This presentation will discuss the impact of suicide or homicide on family members, the extra dynamics of such a traumatic loss (involvement with police department and court system), what helps, the coping strategies for this all consuming grief, the hope of returning to normal and what we can do to “walk with them” in a meaningful way.

*Also, Updates and Concerns with Elaine Stillwell, M.A., M.S.,  
Bereavement Coordinator, Diocese of Rockville Centre*

Directions to Kellenberg High School: So State Pkwy or No. State Pkwy to Meadowbrook Pkwy, to Exit M4-West (NY 24-Hempstead Tpke). Make left at first traffic light onto Glenn Curtiss Blvd (former EAB Bldg on left corner, Marriott Hotel and Veterans Coliseum on the right). Pass 2 short traffic lights and make first right onto Kellenberg campus. Pass the H.S. entrance, drive to end of bldg and turn right, park and enter door for Emmanuel Retreat House, take elevator to 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, turn left and enter Millennium room.

To Register, mail your check payable to Catholic Cemeteries and the tear sheet below to:

Facilitator Training, Catholic Cemeteries, P.O. Box 182, Westbury, NY 11590-0182  
Any questions, call Elaine Stillwell, Ber. Coord., (516) 334-7990, x 122 or Ann Carey (516) 334-7990, x 120

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Amount enclosed \_\_\_\_\_