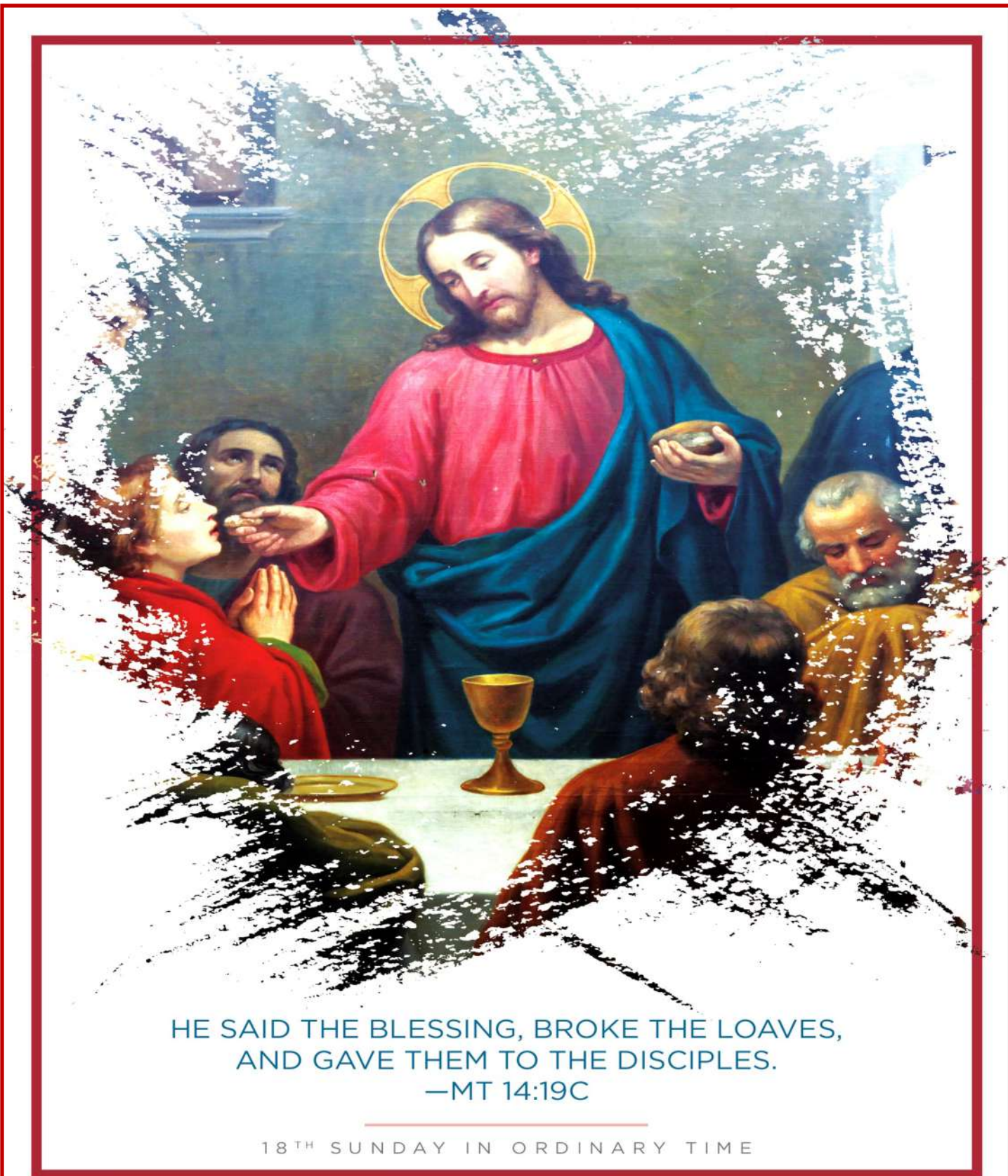




HE SAID THE BLESSING, BROKE THE LOAVES,
AND GAVE THEM TO THE DISCIPLES.
—MT 14:19C

18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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AUGUST 2, 2026 - EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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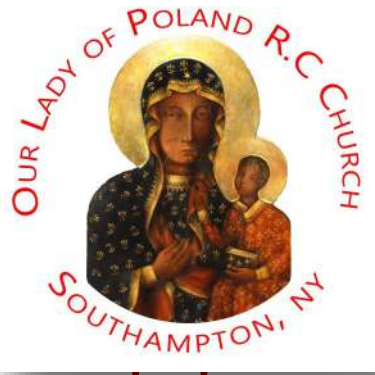
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WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 5:00 PM

**Sunday: 9:00AM (Polish),
10:30 AM,
12 Noon**

Monday - Saturday: 7:30 AM

Holy Days of Obligation

5:00 PM Eve before

**On the day itself: 7:30AM,
5:00PM & 6:00PM (Polish)**

Confessions:

Monday - Saturday: 7AM

Saturday: 4:00PM

Baptisms and Weddings:

Please email or call the office if you would like to schedule a Baptism or Wedding. Weddings should be scheduled 6 months in advance of wedding date.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS - UPDATED

If you would like a mass card, dedicate mass intentions or flowers, receive a baptismal certificate or any other business matter, please stop by the rectory on any Monday thru Friday between the hours of **8AM - 2PM**. If you are not available during these times, please call the rectory at 631-283-0667 and we would be happy to schedule an appointment with you. There will be **limited office hours on Monday August 3rd and Tuesday, August 4th**. Please call the office before arriving to ensure someone is there to help you during this time.

2026 MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass Book for the Year of the Lord, 2026, is open. There are several masses available in August and the rest of the year. Please note the 5PM Mass on Saturdays and the 9:00AM Polish Mass on Sundays, will be continue to be Collective Intentions Masses. This means there may be more than one intention at these Masses. All dates are given out on a first come, first serve basis. If there are dates that are close to your heart, please stop by call, email or mail your request to the rectory as soon as possible. Checks should be made out to Our Lady of Poland. It is \$20 per Mass.

HOLY COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Please call the rectory if you or someone you know would like to receive Holy Communion but are unable to attend Mass due to a long term illness. Fr. Dariusz will visit the sick & elderly on the first Friday of each month & would be happy to visit you or your loved one.

FLOWERS/BREAD & WINE

The Sanctuary Flowers and the Bread & Wine can be donated each week for \$90.00 and \$50.00, respectively. Your donation will be mentioned in the bulletin with the name of the person in whose honor or memory, they are given. Please call, email or stop by the rectory if you are interested.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - WEDNESDAY

Please join us every Wednesday after the daily 7:30AM Mass from **8AM - 9AM** for Eucharistic Adoration.

DAILY DIVINE MERCY AND ROSARY

There is recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 7:15AM before the 7:30AM daily mass and of the Rosary after the 7:30AM daily mass Monday through Saturday. You are invited to join us.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK - All Masses are live-streamed on our website: olpchurch.org

SATURDAY, August 1, 2026 - St. Alphonsus Liguori

7:30AM + Leonard Zaloga (Michele Zaluski)

5:00PM + Frances Sadowski (Family)

+ Helen Konopka (Lorrie and Doyle Mitchell, daughter and son-in-law)

+ Frank & Bertha Stachecki (Loretta and Terry Lynch)

- For all the Intentions offered for the Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary, especially the parishioners of Our Lady of Poland



SUNDAY, August 2, 2026 - Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00AM(Polish) + Berta Kicińska and Lucja and Władysław Usyk (Rus Family)

+ Roh, Helena, Wiktor Bień (Teresa Skowrya)

10:30AM + Edward & Greta Okunewicz (Okunewicz Family)

12:00PM + Cecylia Wilczynska (Anniversary) (Ela)

MONDAY, August 3, 2026

7:30AM - For Parishioners

TUESDAY, August 4, 2026 - St. John Vianney

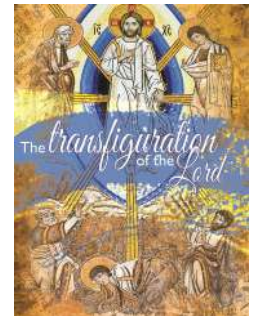
7:30AM + David and Theresa Ross (Ross Family)

WEDNESDAY, August 5, 2026 - The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major

7:30AM + Mary Malone (Lynch and Diesing Families)

THURSDAY, August 6, 2026 - The Transfiguration of the Lord

7:30AM - For Health & God's Blessings for the Foster Family



FRIDAY, August 7, 2026 - First Friday; St. Sixtus II; St. Cajetan

7:30AM + Agnes and Frank Glinka (Son, Deacon Bill Glinka)

6:00PM (Polish) - For a Special Intention (Walentyna Plonska)

SATURDAY, August 8, 2026 - St. Dominic

7:30AM - For Health & God's Blessings for George Sim & Lisa Johnston and Family

5:00PM - For Health & God's Blessings for Terry & Loretta Lynch and Family

- For all the Intentions offered for the Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary, especially the parishioners of Our Lady of Poland

SUNDAY, August 9, 2026 - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00AM(Polish) + Bogusław Płoński (Sister and Family)

+ Jerzy and Klaudia Knapik (Family)

10:30AM - For Parishioners

12:00PM + Nora "Noni" Hines (Vincent Hines and Family)



READINGS FOR THE WEEK - YEAR A

Sunday: Is 55:1-3/Ps 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18/Rom 8:35, 37-39/Mt 14:13-21
 Monday: Jer 28:1-17/Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102/Mt 14:22-36
 Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22/Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29, 22-23/Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
 Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7/Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13/Mt 15:21-28
 Thursday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9
 Friday: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7/Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41/Mt 16:24-28
 Saturday: Hb 1:12-2:4/Ps 9:8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Mt 17:14-20
 Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS - THANK YOU

Due to early bulletin submission, the collection totals for July 26th will appear in a future bulletin.

This weekend the second collection will be to offset our monthly subsidy paid to Our Lady of the Hamptons RC School.

Next weekend there will be only one collection.

*Thank you for your generosity
to our collections each week and to those who
continue to make donations online!*

SCHOOL SUBSIDY COLLECTION

This weekend the second collection will be to offset our monthly subsidy to Our Lady of the Hamptons RC School. Each month, Our Lady of Poland, along with the other supporting parishes, pay a subsidy to Our Lady of the Hamptons Regional Catholic School. The second collection taken on the first weekend of each month does not go directly to the school, however, it is used to offset the subsidy we pay, which is \$1,610 per month. Thank you for your generosity & helping us support our Catholic school.

MUSIC AT MASS

You will find in the green JourneySongs book the following music used during each mass:

- # 186 Glory to God
- # 189 Holy, Holy, Holy
- # 191 When We Eat This Bread
- # 193 Amen
- # 194 Lamb of God

Remember: "He who sings, prays twice"

SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Thus says the LORD: All you who are thirsty, come to the water! (Is 55:1)

Psalm: The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs. (Ps 145)

Second Reading: For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor present things, nor future things, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Rom 8:38-39)

Gospel: Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing, broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, who in turn gave them to the crowds. (Mt 14:19)

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2026 SUMMER APPEAL

Our Annual Summer Appeal continues! Thank you to all those you have already sent in your donations. We truly appreciate your generosity.



This year it is imperative that we have a successful Summer Appeal because our weekly collections are not large enough to pay our monthly bills to run the parish. We also need to replace the air conditioners in the church, as was detailed in the letter sent out from Fr. Dariusz at the end of May.

If you did not receive a letter and return envelope in the mail, please call the rectory or there are extras in the vestibules of the church. You can also put your donation marked "summer appeal" in the collection basket. Or you can make your donation to our summer appeal on our website: www.olpchurch.org. No registration or account is needed. You can either donate with a debit or credit card or with a PayPal account. It is quick, easy, safe and secure.

We humbly request that each family donate whatever amount you are able! Thank you for your consideration.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & DEVOTION

Please join us on Friday, August 7th and on the first Friday of each month at 7:30AM in English and 6:00PM in Polish for the Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus with Exposition of the Most Holy Sacrament and Adoration.



SUNDAY SOCIAL

This Sunday, August 2nd, the Southampton Polish American Society will be hosting a "Social" from 10AM to 1PM in the downstairs Meeting Room which is handicap accessible and air conditioned! All are welcome! Bring the children! Coffee and light refreshments will be served. The "Social" is a gift from the Southampton Polish American Society.



OLP CHURCH COOKBOOK

We are excited to announce a special community project:

The Our Lady of Poland RC Church Cookbook! So far, we

have received some wonderful recipes!

We invite you to share your favorite recipes—whether they are cherished family traditions, holiday dishes, or everyday meals. This cookbook will celebrate the rich traditions, cultures, and memories that make our parish so special.

Please submit your recipes along with your name and any special story or memory connected to the dish as soon as possible.

Submit to: frythea@yahoo.com or email to the church office. All proceeds from the cookbook will go directly toward supporting the operating expenses of Our Lady of Poland RC Church.



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Have you ever considered becoming a Lay Dominican?

As Catholics, we are all called to grow in holiness and to share the Gospel in our daily lives. For some, that call may include a vocation to the Lay Fraternities of St. Dominic.

Lay Dominicans are Catholic men and women who live in the world while embracing the Dominican charism through the Four Pillars of Dominican Life: **Prayer, Study, Community, and Preaching**. Through ongoing formation, study of Sacred Scripture and the teachings of the Church, communal prayer, and active participation in parish and family life, Lay Dominicans seek to know Christ more deeply and bring His Truth to others.

The Dominican Family has given the Church some of her greatest saints, scholars, and preachers, including St. Dominic de Guzmán, St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Catherine of Siena, St. Martin de Porres, and St. Rose of Lima. In particular, St. Catherine of Siena demonstrates the profound impact a Lay Dominican can have on the Church through prayer, holiness, and courageous witness to the Truth.

As a parishioner of Our Lady of Poland and a member of the Lay Fraternities of St. Dominic, I would be delighted to speak with anyone who is interested in learning more about this beautiful vocation. Whether you are simply curious or feel that God may be calling you to a deeper life of prayer, study & service, I invite you to reach out.

Please contact Marcia Elizabeth C. Favale at 631-902-8848. I would be delighted to speak with anyone who is interested in learning more about the Dominican way of life and the vocation of the Lay Fraternities of St. Dominic.

"To contemplate and to give to others the fruits of contemplation." — St. Thomas Aquinas
"Be who God meant you to be, and you will set the world on fire." — St. Catherine of Siena

SCHOOL NEWS

While the summer is the time NOT to think about school, the administration and faculty of Our Lady of the Hamptons Regional Catholic School invites you to consider your family as an OLH family for the 2026-27 school year.

The registration process for the 2026-27 school year both at the main campus in Southampton, as well as at the pre-school site in Hampton Bays is on-going with available placement in the Pre-K Three and Pre-K Four programs at St Rosalie's Parish Center. This fully accredited program is an enriched, creative curriculum.

Limited space is available in the kindergarten and grades 1,2 and Prep 7. Personal family interviews are required of all considering enrollment and are being scheduled now. Please contact the school office at 631-283- 9140 to request a registration packet and set up that appointment.

We extend to you an open invitation to visit our school...your parish school...and at any time. Come and see...spread the word that Catholic education is alive and well in Southampton!



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

If your child is attending public school and is in need of religious education this Fall, please call the rectory office at 631-283-0667 as soon as possible.

NEWMAN CONNECTION

It's time to get your high school grads connected to their campus ministry at their college of choice. Since over 80% of students stop practicing their faith in college, getting connected to a Catholic community is crucial...and the time is now.

Go to: <https://www.newmanministry.com/> to find your campus and more information on how the Newman Ministry helps college students grow their faith!



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TACHS Prep Course Schedule (All sessions held at SJB)



Saturday, September 12, 2026
8:00 – 10:30 AM



Saturday, September 19, 2026
8:00 – 10:30 AM



Saturday, September 26, 2026
8:00 – 10:30 AM



Saturday, October 3, 2026
8:00 – 10:30 AM



Saturday, October 17, 2026
8:00 – 10:30 AM



Test Taking Strategies Session

Friday, November 6, 2026
5:00 – 8:00 PM



What Students Will Gain

- ✓ Targeted review of TACHS subjects
- ✓ Proven test-taking strategies
- ✓ Time management skills
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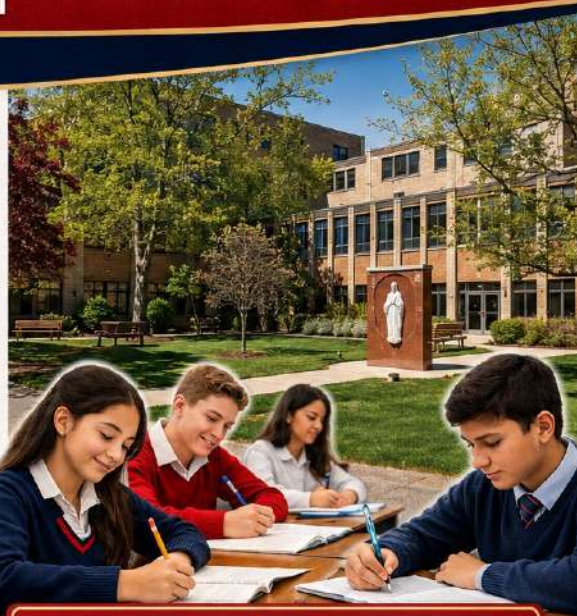
Who Should Attend

Current 8th grade students preparing for the TACHS exam for admission.



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Questions?
Admissions Office



631-587-8000 ext. 113



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St James RC Church Parish Event

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Saturday, September 12, 2026 7:30 AM - 3:30PM

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7:30 - 8 AM	Check in at Parish Center
8 - 9	Mass in the Church
9 - 10	Welcome & Presentation by John Bergsma
10 - 10:15	St Paul Center Presentation
10:15 - 10:45	Break / Book Sales
10:45 - 11:45	Presentation by John Bergsma
11:45 - 12:45	Lunch / Book Sales - bring a bag lunch (optional)
12:45 - 1:45	Presentation by Scott Hahn
1:45 - 2:15	Break / Book Sales
2:15 - 3:15	Presentation by Scott Hahn
3:15 - 3:30	Raffle / Concluding Remarks



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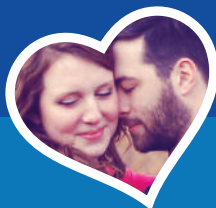
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