

Our Lady of Sorrows Church
217 Prospect Street, South Orange, NJ 07079
973-763-5454
www.olschurch.com



Catholic Schools
Faith. Excellence. Service.

MASSSES: *Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm; Sunday 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 am*
Monday-Friday 7:00 am and 12:00 pm; Saturday 8:30 am and 12:00 pm

Penance: Confessions Saturday 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm or by appointment

Baptism: Contact Parish Office after the birth of your child to begin Baptismal preparation program

Ministry of the Sick: Call Parish Office for anointing of seriously or chronically ill and arrange Communion calls

Marriages: Arrange at least one year in advance with a parish priest

RECTORY & PARISH: 973-763-5454 • FAX: 973-763-9506 • www.OLSCHURCH.COM

January 31, 2021
4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



A Message from Judy Foley, Principal of Our Lady of Sorrows School

Beginning on Sunday, January 31st, we begin Catholic Schools Week here at Our Lady of Sorrows School.

Quoting the Archdiocese of Newark: “Faith and Knowledge meet in many places, but the place you can be certain of their meeting is in a Catholic School.” Catholic school students are given a challenging curriculum that will help them prepare for a successful future, but academics do not stand alone.

A Catholic education also values a commitment to service, encouraging students to serve God by serving others. Our Lady of Sorrows School is a community of service, a place where helping one another and aiding those in need are the norm.

In relation to leadership, Pope John Paul II told us that the ultimate test of our greatness is the way that we treat every human being. Here at Our Lady of Sorrows School, our students are in an environment where they can grow and develop their skills as the leaders of tomorrow, leaders with vision and empathy, who share a connection to their families, communities, and the world.

By helping our children become people of high moral character, people of integrity, and people of faith, we at OLS are committed to educating the whole child. Equipping them to become the leaders of tomorrow is at the heart of what we strive to do every day. Our children are the future and I thank God for them every day and because of them, look positively ahead.

We will hear in the Psalm this Sunday, “*Come, let us sing joyfully to the Lord.*” It is through a Catholic education that our students and families can proclaim the Good News and translate that into action with thanksgiving and joy!

Elsewhere in the bulletin, you will see just a few of the events we have planned for this week. Please join with us in spirit as we celebrate Catholic Schools Week. We are an extraordinary family here at OLS. God’s blessings to all as we embark on 2021.

Warmest regards,

Ms. Judy A. Foley



Our Lady of Sorrows School Catholic Schools Week 2021

January 31- February 6



Sunday January 31st

Virtual School Mass 10 am

Join the OLS community VIRTUALLY on YouTube or at the 10am Mass.

[Click here to watch!](#)

Tuesday February 2nd

Religion Bee!

Classes will compete in the Religion Bee and have other fun activities to celebrate Catholic Schools Week!



CSW Pizza Kit Night!

Order Pizza Kits from Bunny's!

Order your Pizza Kits [HERE!](#)

Thursday February 4th

Class Activity Day

OLS Students will participate in activities including Geography Trivia and Reading Buddies.

Saturday February 6th

Talent Show Premieres 7pm!

Tune in to the OLS School YouTube Channel for the 2021 Catholic Schools Week Talent Show.

Watch for information in the Weekly Announcements on how to participate!



OLS Virtual Book Fair

January 31st- February 16th



Monday February 1st

OLS School Food Drive for the OLS Food Bank!

OLS School Families will have the chance to participate in collecting and donating needed items to the OLS Food Bank.

Watch for information in the Weekly Announcements on how to participate!



Wednesday February 3rd

OLS Blue and Gold Day!

Both remote and in-person students will have some fun activities with Mr. D! Remote and in-person students are welcome to wear Blue and Gold Spirit Wear!

(rain date will be Friday 2/5)

and

Ice Cream Treat for our OLS Students and Staff!



Friday February 5th

OLS Crazy Hat Day!

*rain date for 2/3.

Both remote and in-person students will have some fun activities with Mr. D! Remote and in person students can wear their best crazy hats! Teacher Appreciation- Take home lunch for the faculty and staff courtesy of the HSA



**THE SACRIFICIAL GIVING
OF OUR PARISHIONERS**

January 24th	Week 30	Y. to Date
Collection	\$9,635	\$356,969
Avg. Budgeted	\$12,038	\$361,154

Repairs & Maintenance:\$5,440

Food Pantry: \$2,256

Thank you for your continued support!

Parish Offices Now Open

You may now enter our Parish Office on Monday through Friday, from 10:00am-3:00pm. You must enter through the 4th Street entrance. When you arrive, press the new electronic button next to the door and a member of our parish staff will respond. You may visit us during those hours to arrange for Masses, to pick up or drop off items, to drop off food to the Food Pantry, or for any other parish related business. **PLEASE NOTE: A MASK MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES WHEN YOU VISIT US.** We look forward to seeing you!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

We once again have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Monday and Friday, from 12:30pm - 3:00pm, concluding with recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Please consider spending some quiet time in prayer before Our Lord in the exposed Eucharist. What the world, our nation, our Church, and our families need more than anything else right now is time spent with Jesus in quiet prayer. Honestly, can you think of any better way to use a few minutes of your Monday and Friday afternoons than with Our Lord in the peaceful quiet of our beautiful church?

New Confession start time

Confessions will begin to be heard at 12:45 pm on Saturdays (rather than 1:00 pm) and will continue until 2:00 pm. This adds an additional 15 minutes of scheduled confession time.



Tables in front vestibule of church

Please do not leave any flyers, newsletters, brochures, etc. on the tables in the front vestibule of the church. We have discovered material left on the tables that is of a political nature and/or non-religious nature. We will put all such material immediately into the trash. Please check with church staff first if you would like to leave any material on the tables. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter!

Meet Our Staff

Rev. Brian X. Needles, Pastor

frbrianneedles@gmail.com

Rev. Richard Pfannenstiel, Parochial Vicar

Fanmann91@msn.com

Rev. Eugenio (Gino) de la Rama, Priest in Residence

Deacon Walter Wiggins, Permanent Deacon

deaconwalt@outlook.com

Ms. Judy Foley, School Principal

principal@ourladyofsorrowsschool.org

Sr. Mary Selina, S.C.C., Pastoral Associate

passociate07@gmail.com

Jennifer Noll, Catechetical Coordinator

jennollols@gmail.com

Christopher Kaiser, Youth Minister

kaiserch@shu.edu

Colleen McDonald, Administrative Assistant

sorrowchurch@gmail.com

Preston Dibble, Director of Music

olsmusician@gmail.com

Karlene Campbell, Nursery Director

karlene@thenurseryatols.org

Charles Noun, Business Manager

ols217so@msn.com

Anne Moore, Parish Secretary

ols.pastor@verizon.net

**Please sign up for Our Lady of Sorrows
Digital newsletter today! Go to our website
main page under news and events.
<http://www.olschurch.com>**

Stewardship Reflections

"Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties." – 1 Corinthians 7:32

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but he will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future. Then pray for things instead of worrying about them.

From the Blood Drive Committee:

Though coronavirus may be preventing us from conducting our scheduled June 2020 blood drive, please don't let it prevent you from considering the needs of others. Blood product reserves are always depleted during the summer months and the current pandemic has only compounded the problem. Yet, consider the cancer patient who isn't afforded the luxury of taking time off from chemotherapy during this lockdown; they are among many who so desperately rely on your selfless donations.

May we encourage you to reach out to Vitalant blood services to schedule a donation. They have fixed donation sites in West Orange, Parsippany, Lincoln Park and Paramus, and can be contacted via vitalant.org or by phoning 201-251-3703.

Electronic Parish Giving

Please consider making your offerings to our parish through our "Electronic Funds Transfer". This allows parishioners to make weekly/monthly donations to the parish that will be taken directly from your bank account or credit card account once a month. Electronic Parish Giving is easy and convenient with no additional cost to you as you support your parish. It can be accessed through our parish web site (www.olschurch.com). You may still receive envelopes in the mail and if you wish you could turn them into the collection on Sunday and simply write "Parish Giving" on them. Please consider enrolling today as a way to enhance your personal stewardship to our parish. **If you begin to use Electronic Giving and do not wish to receive envelopes (which will save the parish money) please contact the parish office.**

St. Gianna Pro-Life Ministry

Thank you to everyone who came to our Holy Hour for Life last Friday evening. It was a beautiful, solemn hour of prayer. Let's continue to pray for an end to abortion and the protection of all human life, now more than ever! There has never been a more critical time in our country's history to pray for babies in the womb.

Please visit our Facebook page for information on additional pro-life events around the Archdiocese, including these that we can all participate in as a parish community:

- Jan. 29 - **A Day to Remember & Pray** - Eucharistic Adoration from 12:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. at St. Paul Parish in Ramsey, which will also include the Divine Mercy Chaplet and confession at 3:00, the Rosary and Litany for Life from 6:30 - 7:30, with Holy Mass to follow.
- Consider donating a baby item to the Mercy House in Newark or any crisis pregnancy center.
- Pray for all expectant mothers and fathers, those who are going through unplanned pregnancies, and those who are contemplating abortion. May they choose life!

Take action against N.J. Gov. Murphy's **Reproductive Freedom Act**.

Go to the New Jersey Catholic Conference website, njcatholic.org, to get the facts on this proposed legislation and to know what you can do to help stop it. Or visit njrtl.org for more information.

Facebook: facebook.com/olsprolife | Instagram: @olsprolife





Nursery Opening

Infant Teacher Position openings

The Nursery

7:30am -12:30pm

&

9:00am-5:00 pm 5 days a week.

Experience preferred

If you are interested please reach out to
Karlene Snipe Director at 973-763-4040 ext.1 or email
karlene@thenurseryatols.org



\$120 Donation & 12 Chances to win!
Cash Prize of \$1500 Each Month
Only 500 tickets will be sold

Every Ticket Holder eligible to win each month, even if you won a previous month.

Drawing to be held the 15th day of each month at @ 1:00 pm in the Church office.

First Drawing: January 15, 2021

Purchase by completing the form below and mail with your donation or put in the collections on Sunday (it will be brought to the office.) We will mail your ticket to you. Please make checks payable to Our Lady of Sorrow's Church (for \$120.00).

We can take checks, cash or credit cards

**Our Lady of Sorrows 2021 CALENDAR RAFFLE
ORDER FORM**

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ for _____ chance(s) in the Raffle

Credit Card # _____ Security # _____ Expiration _____

Name(s) _____
Please Print, PERSON ENTERING MUST BE 18 YEARS OR OLDER

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Email: _____

NJIGCCID 467-1-14202

Municipal RL 1345

2021 Mass Book

The 2021 Mass book is now open. You may send in your Mass intention requests by mail. The donation for Masses is \$10 for each one. Please use the form below to submit requests by mail or place this form in the Sunday collection basket. When we receive your request, we will call you to let you know if the date and time you requested is unavailable. If you require a Mass card, we will mail it to you (please check the box below if you wish to have a Mass card).

Requested by _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Name of the deceased or Special Intention (please specify): _____

Is a Mass card required? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Date (weekday) _____ ☐ 7:00 am ☐ 12:00 Noon

Date (Saturday) _____ ☐ 8:30 am ☐ 12:00 Noon

Date (Saturday Vigil/Sunday) _____ ☐ 5:30 pm ☐ 8:00 am
☐ 10:00 am ☐ 11:30 am

Name of the deceased or Special Intention (please specify): _____

Is a Mass card required? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Date (weekday) _____ ☐ 7:00 am ☐ 12:00 Noon

Date (Saturday) _____ ☐ 8:30 am ☐ 12:00 Noon

Date (Saturday Vigil/Sunday) _____ ☐ 5:30 pm ☐ 8:00 am
☐ 10:00 am ☐ 11:30 am

Name of the deceased or Special Intention (please specify): _____

Is a Mass card required? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Date (weekday) _____ ☐ 7:00 am ☐ 12:00 Noon

Date (Saturday) _____ ☐ 8:30 am ☐ 12:00 Noon

Date (Saturday Vigil/Sunday) _____ ☐ 5:30 pm ☐ 8:00 am
☐ 10:00 am ☐ 11:30 am

Name of the deceased or Special Intention (please specify): _____

Is a Mass card required? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Date (weekday) _____ ☐ 7:00 am ☐ 12:00 Noon

Date (Saturday) _____ ☐ 8:30 am ☐ 12:00 Noon

Date (Saturday Vigil/Sunday) _____ ☐ 5:30 pm ☐ 8:00 am
☐ 10:00 am ☐ 11:30 am

Amount enclosed: \$_____ (make check payable to Our Lady of Sorrows)

Helping Those in Need: Society of St. Vincent de Paul

*"Whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine,
you did for me." (Mt 25:40)*

Inspired by Gospel values, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, a Catholic lay organization, leads women and men to join together to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to those who are needy and suffering. This is done in the tradition of its founder, Blessed Frederic Ozanam, and its patron, St. Vincent de Paul.

The Society is one of the largest charitable organizations in the country. The purpose of the Society is to bear witness to the love of Christ. Our parish group does this by offering financial assistance to individuals and families temporarily unable to meet their current living expenses.

Every effort is made to provide this assistance in ways that respect the dignity of the recipient and the strictest confidentiality of the relationship between the recipient and the Society. People of all backgrounds and religions can receive assistance.



Email olssvdp@aol.com if you are in need of assistance.

The Society cannot do this alone. We are therefore most grateful for the monetary donations we receive in order to carry out our work. Donations may be sent to: Our Lady of Sorrows Church, c/o Society of St. Vincent de Paul, 217 Prospect Street, South Orange, NJ 07079. Checks should be made out to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Thank you for helping us bear witness to the love of Christ.



COVID-19 Crisis Counseling Services

NJ Hope and Healing Crisis Counseling Program (CCP) at the Family Service Bureau of Newark is available to assist communities affected by COVID-19. We are a neighbor helping neighbor team with staff on-call to provide the following services:

- Online Support for Stress Management Techniques
- Develop New Coping Skills
 - Compassion Fatigue
- Communication Techniques
 - Resource Linkage



Hours of Operations: Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Phone Number: 973-272-7488

Email Address: FSBNJHH@newcommunity.org

*Services offered in Bergen, Essex, Hudson and Passaic counties.
Various languages are available.*

**Services are available
remotely for families,
individuals and youth.**



This program is brought to you by/through NJ Hope and Healing Crisis Counseling Program (CCP). Family Service Bureau of Newark in collaboration with the New Jersey Department of Human Services' Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services, Disaster and Terrorism Branch, is offering a Crisis Counseling Program (CCP) through a FEMA/SAMHSA grant.



SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 2021

5:30 PM People of the Parish

SUNDAY, JANUARY 31, 2021

8:00 AM Deacon John Inguaggiato

10:00 AM Deacon John Inguaggiato

11:30 AM Vincentia Lewis

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2021

7:00 AM Shirlee Needles

12:00 PM William Carroll "Willie"

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2021

7:00AM Edmund Duthie

12:00 PM Lawrence Gallo

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2021

7:00 AM Claire Duffy

12:00 PM Richard Needles

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2021

7:00AM Pat Butterworth

12:00 PM Helen Jung

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2021

7:00 AM Agnes Blair

12:00PM David Jung

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2021

8:30 AM The Brutofsky Family

12:00 PM Mounif El Masri & Yean Guerrero

VIGIL MASS FEBRUARY 6, 2021

5:30 PM All Rosarians Living & Deceased

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2021

8:00 AM People of the Parish

10:00 AM Vincentia Lewis

11:30 AM Donald G. Wilms

In Sympathy Of

Let us remember in our prayers those who have recently passed away at OLS: **Mary Ann Cappaze**. We pray for the repose of her soul and also for those left behind during this time of loss.

In Memoriam

It is a loving gesture to donate the weekly Sanctuary Lamp in memory of a loved one or for a special intention.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Donations to support our Music Ministry are gratefully accepted. Donations are applied toward the purchase of printed choral music and instrumentalists for holiday liturgies, concerts & special occasions.

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please remember to pray for the following in your prayers: Julia Callaghan, Angie Sena, Daniel Callaghan, Elizabeth Stuart, Marie Somers, Bill Aber, Neville Moore, Jane O'Donoghue, George Richmond Files Jr., Megan More, Ludgarda Rosa, Stephanie Windsor, Amy Dombrowski, Mark F. Davonski, Beth Hebron, Jennifer Bober, Rosemary Muller, Melissa O'Brien, Rita Arena, John Colaku, Pat Bendrot and Deacon Raj Srinivasa.



THE HOLLE FAMILY

Is Proud of Our 160 Years of Traditional Care and Service to the Maplewood and South Orange Communities

New Our Family Can Serve Our Lady of Sorrows Parish From Two Convenient Locations:

Preston Funeral Home
153 South Orange Ave.
South Orange
973-762-1133

The Jacob A. Holle Funeral Home
2122 Millburn Ave.
Maplewood
973-762-2200

A. Clark Holle
Executive Director
NJ Lic. No. 4174

Jacqueline A. Holle
Executive Director
NJ Lic. No. 3961

Richard J. Holle
Director - NJ Lic. No. 2790

Ed & The Boys Construction
Honest, Reliable,
Quality Work
ED PETERSON
Parishioner
Fully Insured
(973) 819-5720

Zen Pets
Omar Alston
Non-Fri 9am-8pm
Sun 10am-6pm
973-761-6121
www.zenpetsnj.com

SAINT TERESA OF AVILA Cemetery & Mausoleum
134 Passaic Avenue, Summit, NJ 07901

CHURCH: (908) 998-9424 | MAUSOLEUM: (908) 277-5741 | www.st-teresa.org/cemetery

Maureen Creagh-Kaiser, Ph.D., LPC
Offering Counseling and Psychological Services
South Orange, NJ
Call to schedule an appointment:
(973) 768-9312

SOPizza
12-14 West South Orange Ave.
Menu: www.maplewoodonline.com/bunnys
973-763-1377

TOWN HALL DELICATESSEN
Birthplace of the Slipping Joe
74 First Street
So. Orange, NJ 07079
973-762-4900
www.TownHallDeli.com

KW KELLERWILLIAMS
Mark J.L. Mattheiss
In Tune With Today's Market
How much is your home worth in today's market?
Call me today to find out!

Cell: 973-489-0509
Office: 973-762-5400
181 Maplewood Ave., Maplewood
markmattheiss@kw.com
MarkMattheiss.com

BISTRO d'Azur
14 ACADEMY STREET, S.O.
bistrodazur.com
Mary & Tom Conway, Parishioners

EMERGENCY SERVICE • 24/7 INCLUDING HOLIDAYS
SUPER PLUMBER
Plumbing • Heating • Cooling • Construction
1-800-GOT-WATER (400-9283)

GERARD GONSALVES, D.M.D.
ADVANCED DENTISTRY
HOURS BY APPOINTMENT • 763-1300
2168 Millburn Ave., Suite 102, Maplewood

Exceptional Dentistry for the Entire Family
MUENCH FAMILY DENTAL
Kevin Muench, DMD, MAGD
Call 973.763.2221
140 Maplewood Ave
Maplewood, NJ
MuenchDental.com

CKO kickboxing
FREE TRIAL CLASS
LOSE WEIGHT • HAVE FUN
CKOMaplewood.com
973-996-8779
1923 Springfield Ave., Maplewood

TAKE-OUT RESTAURANT
Sophisticated comfort food
TROPICS
www.TripToTheTropics.com • 973-823-5100
61 Academy Street, South Orange, NJ
Bring this bulletin and get 10% off reg. order

PARK WOOD
Diner • Restaurant
Your Hosts:
The Kluans Family
1958 Springfield Avenue
Maplewood, NJ 07040
Tel: (973) 313-3990
Fax: (973) 313-3991

WILBER'S
PAINTING & CARPENTRY
Interior • Exterior
973-762-6333

Lee Myles
TRANSMISSIONS • AutoCare
Of Union
"The Most Trusted Name in Transmissions Since 1947"
BOB OR JERRY
Tel 908-687-8300
Fax 908.964.1888
Toll-Free 1.888.328.8253
1415 Stuyvesant Ave., Union

Lic. # 11094
Gateway
plumbing & heating
973-672-1000

Michael Auer
Sales Associate & Parishioner
1000 W. 10th Avenue, Suite 100, NJ 07079
New South Orange & Maplewood Real Estate Offices
Cell: 201-289-2386 • Office: 973-436-8148
MichaelAuer1@aol.com • http://MichaelAuer.net
FREE HOME MARKETING EVALUATION

catholicmatch®
New Jersey
CatholicMatch.com/dateNJ

OLS - St. Joseph's Basketball
A shared parish ministry for Girls & Boys in Grades 1 to 12
Stjosephcyobb@aol.com
Visit our web site
www.stjosephscyobb.org

RESERVOIR RESTAURANT
Italian Cuisine • Pizza • Catering
106 West South Orange Ave. • South Orange, NJ
973-762-9795 973-763-1488

Amasi Plumbing & Heating, LLC
Anthony Masi, Owner • NJ Plumbing Lic. #11028 • PMB #506
(973) 444-2122 (Call or Text)
4 South Orange Ave. • South Orange, NJ • Amasiplumb@gmail.com
WE WILL DONATE UP TO \$50 ON EVERY JOB!

TIRED OF CLIMBING STAIRS?
Rentals • Sales • Free Estimates
Family Owned & Operated Since 1947
William's LIFT CO. UP!
908-402-1130
24 South Avenue • Fanwood, NJ
www.williamslifts.com

FAMILY OWNED • FREE CONSULTATION
All-Around Tree Removal Services
Large tree removal • Tree removal with crane • Tree root removal
Lot and land clearing • Branch chipping • Wood and tree logging
Hire Experienced Arborists
• Regular Pruning and Maintenance
• Protect your property from hazardous trees
• Prolong the life of your trees
• Maintain the decorative appeal of your landscape's shrubs and trees
Let Us Cut Your Trees Down to Size
Trimming • Manual removal of tree parts • Tree cutting (all sizes to 30 ft) • Tree inspections
www.FranksTreeService.com (908) 273-2228

Natalie Knows...
Call me for a FREE Home Market Analysis
www.nataliefarrell.com
Natalie Farrell Weichert Realtors
Cell: 917 514-7541
Office: 973 762-3300