

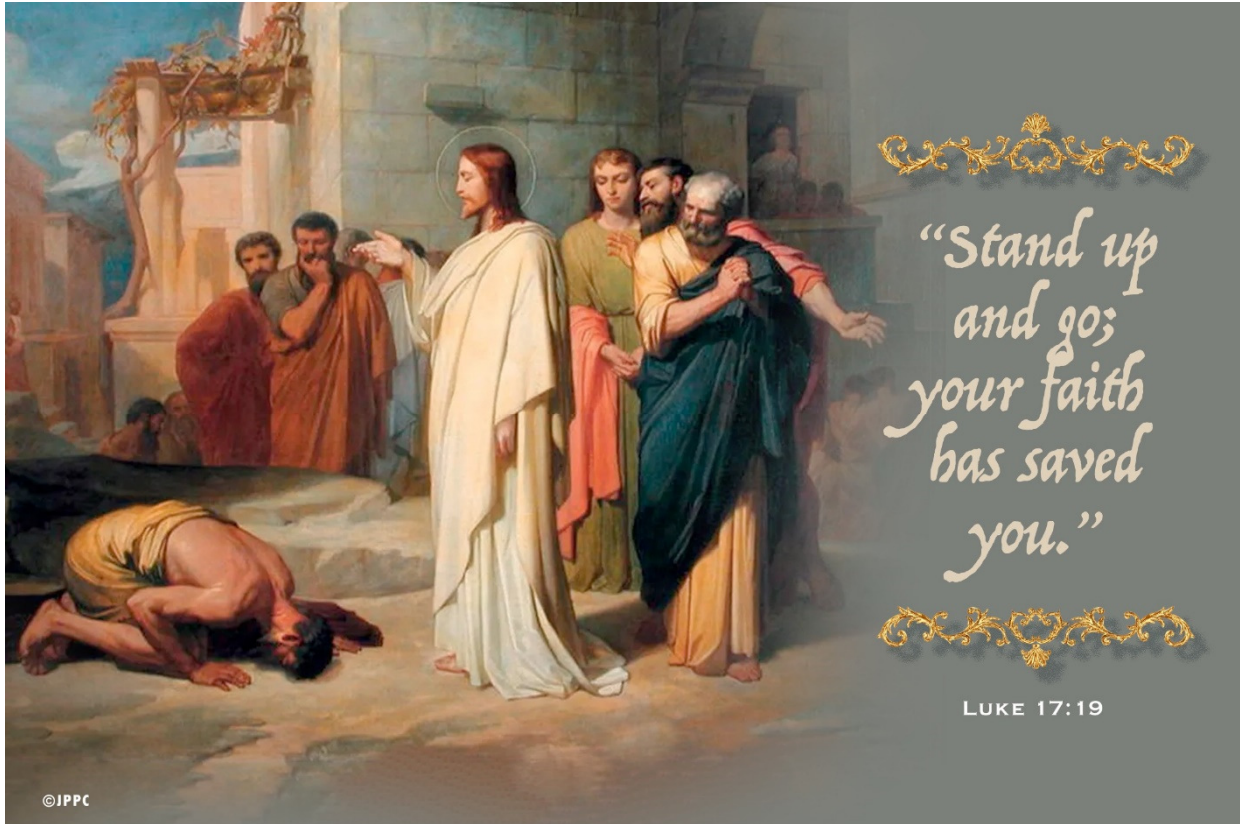


# *Our Lady of Sorrows*

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**MASSES:** 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 12:45 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 for the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick and to arrange Communion calls

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**October 9, 2022**

**28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## *A Message from Fr. Brian*

Experts tell us that babies need to be held and touched a lot. They have a basic need for physical warmth and contact. They don't want to be ignored. Babies cry because they instinctively know that's the way to get attention. Crying is their way of calling out, of saying, "Hey, don't ignore me."

We all know that ignoring someone – including babies – is one of the worst things that you can do to a person. It's dehumanizing. So, imagine how happy the lepers in this Sunday's Gospel were when they were cured. Someone cared for them. Someone took the time to focus-in on their needs. They were used to being ignored and shunned. But here, Jesus, as He always does, shows us that He cares for those that the rest of the world seems to ignore.

Jesus heals the 10 lepers. Because leprosy (Hansen's Disease) has largely disappeared today from the Western world, we tend to forget what a terrible and terrifying disease it really is. But the truth is that there are still thousands of cases worldwide, mainly in Africa and Asia. The victims must live with a disease that causes terrible mutilation of the human body, including the loss of fingers and toes, and as the disease progresses, the victims are left blind.

And as if the disease itself isn't cruel enough, it also comes with social ostracism. And that was even more true in Jesus' day than in our own. Lepers then were forced wear a bell around their necks, as if they were cattle. They had to live outside the city walls, and they had to cry, "Unclean, unclean!" when a person without leprosy approached them.

But in our Gospel, Jesus responds to the neglect of the lepers, those who had been ignored by their society for so long. He healed all 10 of them. In the history of the Bible before Jesus, there had only been 2 cases of lepers being healed. This Sunday's 1<sup>st</sup> reading tells us of the healing of Naaman. The other was the healing of Miriam, the older sister of Moses.

There hadn't been a person healed of leprosy in 700 years! Then Jesus heals 10 of them at once. Talk about the extravagance of His healing love! But only 1 returns to thank Him. It sure seems like the other 9 were guilty of ingratitude. And Jesus notices it. He points it out to those around Him.

We all, hopefully, would have shown our gratitude for something so unforgettable, incredible, and amazing. After all, it's natural to thank God when He's done something amazing and incredible for us. You know, everything we have and everything we are is pure gift from God. The only thing that we can claim for ourselves are our sins. Everything else is a gift from God. And hopefully we're thanking God for all of those gifts and blessings.

Thanking God isn't just for Thanksgiving Day. We ought to spend a few minutes each and every day thanking God for His gratuitous, in things both big *and* small, even those things that at first don't necessarily seem like blessings. It's called having an attitude of gratitude.

Grateful Blessing,



**THE SACRIFICIAL GIVING  
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<b>October 2</b>	<b>Week 14</b>	<b>Y. to Date</b>
Collection	\$10,478	\$162,990
Budgeted	\$11,788	\$165,031


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***Thank you for your generosity!***

**Please Remember OLS**

Please remember OLS in your estate plan. No matter how large or small, every gift will help sustain the Parish for generations to come. A gift in your will is an excellent way to support one of our many ministries.

Can you commit one hour per week to help an innocent child during this this campaign?



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main page under news and events.  
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# Mary our Mother



**A concert of sacred music  
featuring Marian texts  
Sunday, October 23, 2022  
4:00 PM**

Please plan to join us in this month of the Holy  
Rosary for a special concert  
by our Parish Choir and Youth.  
They will lead us on a musical journey,  
exploring the many beautiful hymns  
honoring our Blessed Mother.  
Admission is FREE and all are welcome.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

We have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Monday and Friday, from 12:30pm - 3:00pm, concluding with the Divine Mercy Chaplet, which at this time we're offering in particular for peace in Ukraine. Please consider spending some quiet time in prayer before Our Lord in the exposed Eucharist. 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?

**CYO BASKETBALL**

Boys and Girls in Grades 1 – 12 who are registered students in the OLS CCD program are invited to play CYO Basketball as part of a shared parish ministry with St. Joseph's in Maplewood. Teams will practice and play games at St. Joseph's Parish Gym from October to March. Registration has begun and will conclude by October 10.

Contact Gerry O'Connor, St. Joseph's Athletic Director, at [stjosephcyobb@aol.com](mailto:stjosephcyobb@aol.com), with any questions or to volunteer. Additional information and registration forms can be found on the St. Joseph's CYO Basketball web site at [www.stjosephscyo.org](http://www.stjosephscyo.org).



### Meet Our Staff

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### 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](http://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.**



**Please Join!**

**THE 2022 NATIONAL PUBLIC**

**ROSARY RALLY**

**Sat. October 15**

**Feast of Our Lady Of Fatima**

**12:30 pm** following the 12:00 Mass (Rain or Shine)

**In front of Our Lady of Sorrows Church**

**217 Prospect St., South Orange, NJ**

In this important election year, join over 14,000 Public Rosary Rallies for America being held on Oct. 15 across our nation from 12-1:00. We will pray together as a united force for our country!

All are welcome! (Sponsored by Rosary Society)

**The more participants, the greater our force!**

**Bring your rosary-- your spiritual sword!**

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### **Sponsor Certificates A reminder:**

To receive a Sponsor Certificate for Baptism or Confirmation, you must be registered in the parish for a minimum of six months. Sponsor Certificates indicate that **the individual is a registered member of our parish and is a practicing Catholic and has received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist.**



### **VIGIL, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2022**

5:30 PM Sebastion Bocconcelli

### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2022**

8:00 AM People of the Parish  
10:00 AM Deceased Members of the Lambusta  
and Abramo Families  
11:30 AM Manuel Fernandes

### **MONDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2022**

7:00 AM Carrie Pfannenstiel  
12:00 PM Daniella Leroy – Special Intention

### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2022**

7:00 AM John T. Farrell  
12:00 PM Margaret Mary Maddi Glenn

### **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2022**

7:00 AM Lara Jaworski  
12:00 PM Richard Pilone

### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2022**

7:00 AM Carolina P. Sanchez - 5<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary  
12:00 PM Lucy Iantosca

### **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2022**

7:00 AM Frank Cavallaro and Alice Cody  
12:00 PM R. Jay Basco – Special Intention

### **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022**

8:30 AM Margherita and Antonio Pizzillo  
12:00 PM Josephine Calabrese

### **VIGIL MASS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022**

5:30 PM Theresa Peluso

### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2022**

8:00 AM People of the Parish  
10:00 AM Carrie Pfannenstiel  
11:30 AM E.J. Tierney

### **In Sympathy of**

Let us remember in our prayers those who have recently passed away here at OLS: **Rev. Frederick L. Miller, John “Jack” DiRisio, and Mary Ellen Rustum.** We pray for the repose of their souls and also for those who mourn their passing.

### **IN MEMORIAM**

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

This week’s Sanctuary Candle in the Upper Church is being offered as a special intention for **Sr. Rosamund.** Requested by Sr. Judith.

### **MUSIC MINISTRY**

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

### **REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Please remember to pray for the following in your prayers: Cathy Craig, 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, Melissa O’Brien, Rita Arena, John Colaku, Kate Mullin, Norma Gonzalez, Agnes Marshall, Bekim Colaku, Kyle Reardon, Mary Jane Tannen, Catherine Sullivan, Robert Charles, Jeanie Marucci, Patricia Bee and Elizabeth Mary, Donna T., Roy Bell, Norma Hermann, Mimi Hermann, Jennie Magliaro and Annalise Magilaro.



# *2022 OLS Rosary Congress*

## *October 10-11, 2022*



### **24 Hours of Eucharistic Adoration**

### **Rosary prayed at the top of each hour**

**October 10, 7:00 pm**

**Opening Mass**

**Followed by 24 hours of Adoration of the  
Blessed Sacrament**

**Rosary prayed at the top of each hour,  
from 8:00 pm - 7:00 pm, Oct. 11<sup>th</sup>**

**October 11, 7:00 pm**

**Reflection by Fr. Sebastian Kajko,  
Franciscan Friar of the Renewal (CFR)**

**Recitation of the Rosary and  
Litany of the Rosary**

**Solemn Benediction of the  
Blessed Sacrament**

**Please consider leading the Rosary during one of  
the hours or committing to spending 1 hour  
before Our Eucharistic Lord in prayer.**

**Use the QR code to sign up or visit our parish  
website to sign-up: [www.olschurch.com](http://www.olschurch.com)**







## Women's Morning Retreat

Saturday, October 15th  
Begins with 8:30 am Mass  
in the Upper Church

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featuring a reflection by  
Sister Honora Nolty, OP

A Dominican Sister for 63 years, Sister Honora Nolty has dedicated her life to Catholic service. She began her ministry in education, serving as a teacher, principal, and eventually associate superintendent of schools for the Diocese of Brooklyn. She went on to direct the educational arm of Channel, a Catholic peace corps for young college graduates, facilitated the founding of the Inter-community Ministry Volunteer Program, and served as the director of Siena Spirituality Center in New York. For the past 14 years she worked at RENEW as a presenter, director of pastoral services, director of development, and associate director.

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Please RSVP by Sunday, October 9  
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