# Our Lady of Sorrows Church 217 Prospect Street, South Orange, NJ 07079 973-763-5454

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MASSES: Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm; Sunday 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 am Monday-Friday7:00 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

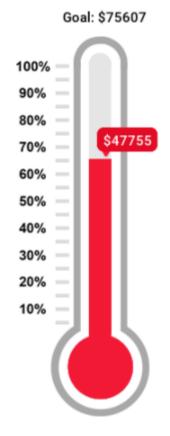
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May 16, 2021 Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord

## Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal

Total donors as of 5-11-21: 96

# of OLS families: 2,138



### To share your blessings:

https://support.rcan.org/a/donate

The programs and ministries within the Archdiocese that depend on the Annual Appeal include the following:

### Caring for the Poor and Vulnerable:

Catholic Charities Hospital and Prison Ministry Ministry with Persons with Disabilities Respect Life Office Protecting God's Children

### Passing on the Faith:

Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry Catechetical Office (CCD) College Campus Ministry (including at SHU!) Catholic Schools (including OLS!)

### Proclaiming the Gospel:

Ministry to Multi-Ethnic Communities Office of Evangelization Office of Family Life International Missions Ministry with the Deaf

### Forming Future Priests and Supporting Retired Clergy:

Seminarian Education Continuing Formation of Priests Priest Health Care

### THE SACRIFICIAL GIVING OF OUR PARISHIONERS

May 9 <sup>th</sup>	Week 45	Y. to Date
Collection	\$11,203	\$527,361
Avg. Budget	ed \$12,038	\$541,731

Food Pantry \$676

Thank you for your continued support!

### **Help Needed with Altar Linens!**

We are in need of a few people who can help us with the laundering and ironing of our altar linens (the purificators and corporals). Several people who currently help us with this have already or will soon be moving away. It's a great honor to assist in this task, as the linens are used in the celebration of Holy Mass. If you are able to assist with this task, please email Ana Santoliquido:

ana.santoliquido@gmail.com. Thank you!

### Reminder about face masks

Please remember to keep your face mask on during the entirety of Mass, lowering it only when you receive Holy Communion.



Thank you for your cooperation.

### OLS School Pre-K and K-8

973-762-5169

www.ourladyofsorrowschool.org

### **Nursery**

973-763-4040

www.thenurseryatourladyofsorrows.com

### 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. 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 now more than ever 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?

### **Update from the OLS Food Pantry**

The COVID-19 pandemic has taken a tremendous toll on local families. Prior to March, we served 100-125 families each week. For the past 2 months, we have provided bags of groceries to 400-450 families on our Saturday distribution dates.

Please help us keep our shelves stocked with basic grocery items including boxed milk (1qt, all types), hot/cold cereal (low sugar), pasta and sauce, peanut butter and jelly, beans (can/dry), canned tuna & chicken, rice (1lb bags, all types), canned fruit and vegetables. Food donations can be dropped off in the front vestibule of the church Monday-Friday 7am-3pm or Saturday, 8:30am-3:00 pm and at the front door of the rectory 3-5pm Monday-Saturday. Monetary donations are also accepted by check (payable to 'OLS Food Pantry' and mailed to the church at 217 Prospect Street) or online at https://olschurch.com/parish-giving/ Questions? Email olspantry@gmail.com or call



973-370-0458.

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website main page under news and
events.

http://www.olschurch.com



Are you or someoneyou know being called to the fullness of the Catholic faith? Are doyou or someone else need to confirm your Baptismal call by receiving Confirmation? Please do not hesitate to call the parish office and ask for Sister Mary Selina this week or any time after May 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Please Do Not Hesitate to say YES to the Lord's invitation.

### 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 <u>schedule</u> 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.

All donors and staff will have their temperatures taken before being allowed to enter the blood drawing site

### 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 isaregistered member of our parish and is a practicing Catholic and have received Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist.

### 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.

### Meet Our Staff

Rev. Brian X. Needles, Pastor frbrianneedles@gmail.com

Rev. Richard Pfannenstiel, Parochial Vicar Fanmann91@msn.com

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### \$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 15<sup>th</sup> 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	Enclosed is my check for \$ for chance(s) in the Raffle				
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### 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):						
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Amount enclosed: \$ (make check payable to Our Lady of Sorrows)						



### VIGIL SATURDAY, MAY 15, 2021

5:30 PM Stasia Borowicz

### SUNDAY, MAY 16, 2021

8:00 AM People of the Parish 10:00 AM Vincentia Lewis

11:30 AM All Rosarians Living & Deceased

### MONDAY, MAY 17, 2021

People of the Parish 7:00 AM

12:00 PM Ron Pilot

### TUESDAY, MAY 18, 2021

People of the Parish 7:00AM Cledanor Joseph 12:00 PM

### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 2021**

7:00 AM People of the Parish 12:00 PM

Paul Frank

### THURSDAY, MAY 20, 2021

People of the Parish 7:00AM 12:00 PM People of the Parish

### FRIDAY, MAY 21, 2021

People of the Parish 7:00 AM 12:00 PM People of the Parish

### **SATURDAY, MAY 22, 2021**

People of the Parish 8:30 AM

12:00 PM Philip Sherry

### VIGIL MASS MAY 22, 2021

Stasia Borowicz 5:30 PM

#### SUNDAY, MAY 16, 2021

People of the Parish 8:00 AM

Elizabeth Giuliano Magres- 36<sup>th</sup> 10:00 AM

Anniversary

George O'Neil 11:30 AM

### In Sympathy of

Let us remember in our prayers those who have recently passed away here at OLS: Steven *Fuld*. We pray for the repose of their souls and also for those left behind during this time.

#### 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, Melissa O'Brien, Rita Arena, John Colaku, Pat Bendrot, Kate Mullin, Rosemary Muller, Norma Gonzalez and Charles Gianni.





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