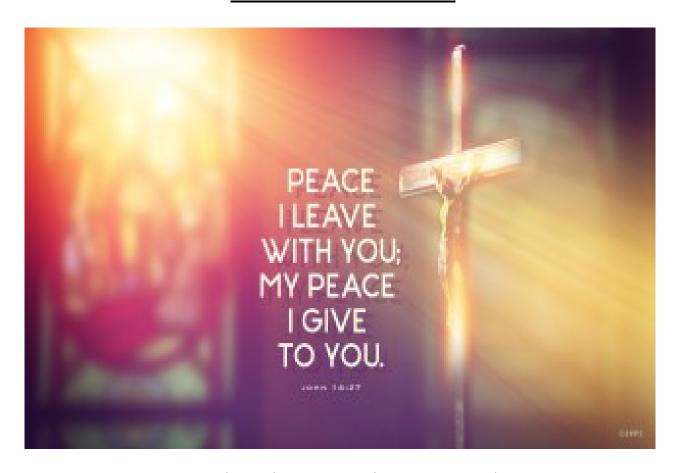


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MASSES: Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm; Sunday 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 am Monday-Friday7:00 am and 12:00 pm; Saturday 8:30 am and 12:00 pm Penance: Confessions Saturday 12:45 pm – 2:00 pm or by appointment

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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May 22, 2022
Sixth Sunday of Easter

A Message from Fr. Brian

The 2nd reading for this Sunday comes from the Book of Revelation and describes the New Jerusalem. It states, "The angel took me in spirit to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God. It gleamed with the splendor of God. Its radiance was like that of a precious stone, like jasper, clear as crystal."

This is a portion of the vision that John the Apostle had of the city of God, the New Jerusalem. John had been taken to the top of a high mountain and he saw this glorious vision, which is the place where we will spend eternal life in the heavenly presence of God.

That's the new Jerusalem. We as a parish will be making a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in November and our trip will include 5 nights in the old (present day) Jerusalem (as well as 3 nights in Galilee). Though not the same as the New Jerusalem as described by John in the Book of Revelation, the city of Jerusalem as it stands now is about 3,500 years old and it is a site to behold! I've been there 3 times and, if possible, I would be very content to spend the rest of my days there, so powerfully moving is that holy city.

Our parish pilgrimage to the Holy Land promises to be a life-transforming experience for all who partake. A trip to the Holy Land will be a blessing for you not just while you are there, but forever thereafter. As I've noted, I've been to the Holy Land 3 times with over 100 pilgrims and for all the people I traveled with it was a grace-filled pilgrimage that has enriched their lives of faith in ways that can't be measured. We will walk where Jesus walked and pray where Jesus prayed! Included in the list of places we will visit are Nazareth, Bethlehem, Cana, Capernaum, Jerusalem, the Dead Sea, Massada, and we'll even take a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee!

We are limited to 30 pilgrims, but we still have about a dozen spaces left. If you are interested in this trip, please let me know as soon as possible so that we can hold a place for you. If you go on our parish website (www.olschurch.com), you can find the brochure for the trip, with a description of all the wonderful places we will visit in and around Galilee and Jerusalem.

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This weekend, and in coordination with the annual Archdiocesan Missionary Cooperation Plan of the Pontifical Mission Societies, we will be visited by a priest of the Adorno Fathers. They are a religious Order of priests and brothers founded in 1588. The Order serves the poor, engages in humanitarian works, and proclaims the Gospel of Jesus Christ in the countries of Germany, Congo, Kenya, India, the Philippines, and the United States (including in Ramsey, NJ). We look forward to welcoming the Adorno Fathers and supporting the work that they do to make Jesus better known, loved, and served.

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As I noted in my bulletin column last week, we will have a "farewell" party for Fr. Rich on June 25th after the 5:30 pm Mass. Please see the flyer in this bulletin and plan to join us as we thank Fr. Rich for his 18 years of dedicated and faithful service to OLS.

Blessings.

Fr. Brian

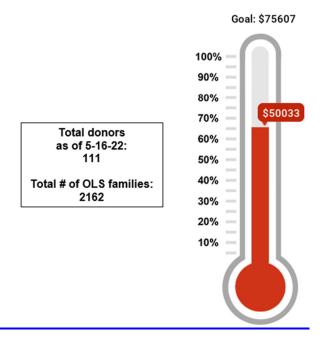
THE SACRIFICIAL GIVING **OF OUR PARISHIONERS**

May 15th	Week 46	Y. to Date		
Collection	\$10,643	\$547,506		
Budgeted	\$11,179	\$503,055		
Catholic Home Mission \$1,377				
Additional Easter \$500				
Food Pantry \$250				

Thank you for your generosity!

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Our parish goal is within reach. Please help us to reach it!



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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?

Prayer for Vocations

Lord Jesus, Good Shepherd, may young people in our parish hear your call and follow your voice as they discern their vocations. Lead your people to heaven through the ministry of holy priests and consecrated men and woman. Jesus, we trust in you! Amen.

OLS PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND



November 3-13, 2022

Walk where Jesus walked Pray where Jesus prayed

Pilgrimage includes Mount Carmel, the Sea of Galilee, Nazareth, Cana, the Mount of Beatitudes, Capernaum, Mount Tabor, Bethlehem, Jerusalem, the Dead Sea, Massada, and much more.

Cost: \$3,950 per person, double occupancy, all inclusive (limit of 30 travelers)

Email Fr. Brian - frbrianneedles@gmail.com



VIGIL, SATURDAY, MAY 21, 2022

5:30 PM Stasia Borowicz

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022

8:00 AM All Rosarians Living and Deceased

10:00 AM People of the Parish

11:30 AM Anna Jemas

MONDAY, MAY 23, 2022

7:00 AM Carrie Pfannenstiel 12:00 PM Andre Jean Louis

TUESDAY, MAY 24, 2022

7:00 AM Naldy De La Paz 12:00 PM Josephine Clemens

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 2022

7:00 AM Titoy De La Paz 12:00 PM Alicia Sousa

THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2022

7:00 AM Robert Gascoyne 9:30 AM School Mass

12:00 PM Rose Shoemaker - 3rd Anniversary

FRIDAY, MAY 27, 2022

7:00 AM Mary Kay Mitchell 12:00 PM Guillermo Sanchez

SATURDAY, MAY 28, 2022

8:30 AM Ludwid Widerka

12:00 PM Jacques Frantz Jean Charles

VIGIL MASS SATURDAY, MAY 28, 2022

5:30 PM People of the Parish

SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2022

8:00 AM All Mothers of the Leroy

Mompremier and Georges Families

10:00 AM Deceased Members of the

Lambusta and Abramo Families

11:30 AM Robert Antinozzi - Special

Intention

In Sympathy Of

Let us remember in our prayers those who have recently passed away here at OLS: *Stanley A. Milewski*. We pray for the repose of their 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 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, Rosemary Muller, Norma Gonzalez, Agnes Marshall, Bekim Colaku, Kyle Reardon, Mary Jane Tannen, Catherine Sullivan, Robert Charles, Wilma Wiggins, Joe Tirone, Jeanie Marucci and Jo Kirk.





Our 50/50 Raffle is back!! Tickets are \$30 each, Books of 5 are \$150 There will be 3 winners

1st Prize – 35% of the Raffle Profit 2nd Prize – 10 % of the Raffle Profit 3rd Prize – 5% of the Raffle Profit

We will pick the winners on Sunday, September 11, 2022 at the Parish Picnic.

Purchase by completing the form below and mail with your donation or put in the collection basket on Sunday (it will be brought to the office.) We will mail your ticket to you. Please make checks payable to Our Lady of Sorrows Church.

Tickets may also be purchased in the office or on our website https://olschurch.com/

We can take checks, cash or credit cards

Our Lady of Sorrows 2022 50/50 RAFFLE

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You are invited to a "Farewell" Celebration for Fr. Richard Pfannenstiel



To be celebrated on
Saturday, the Twenty Fifth of June, 2022 in
St. Joseph's Hall
following the 5:30 pm Mass.
Wine & Cheese and finger foods
will be served.

Please R.S.V.P. by

June 17th to

Colleen McDonald

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