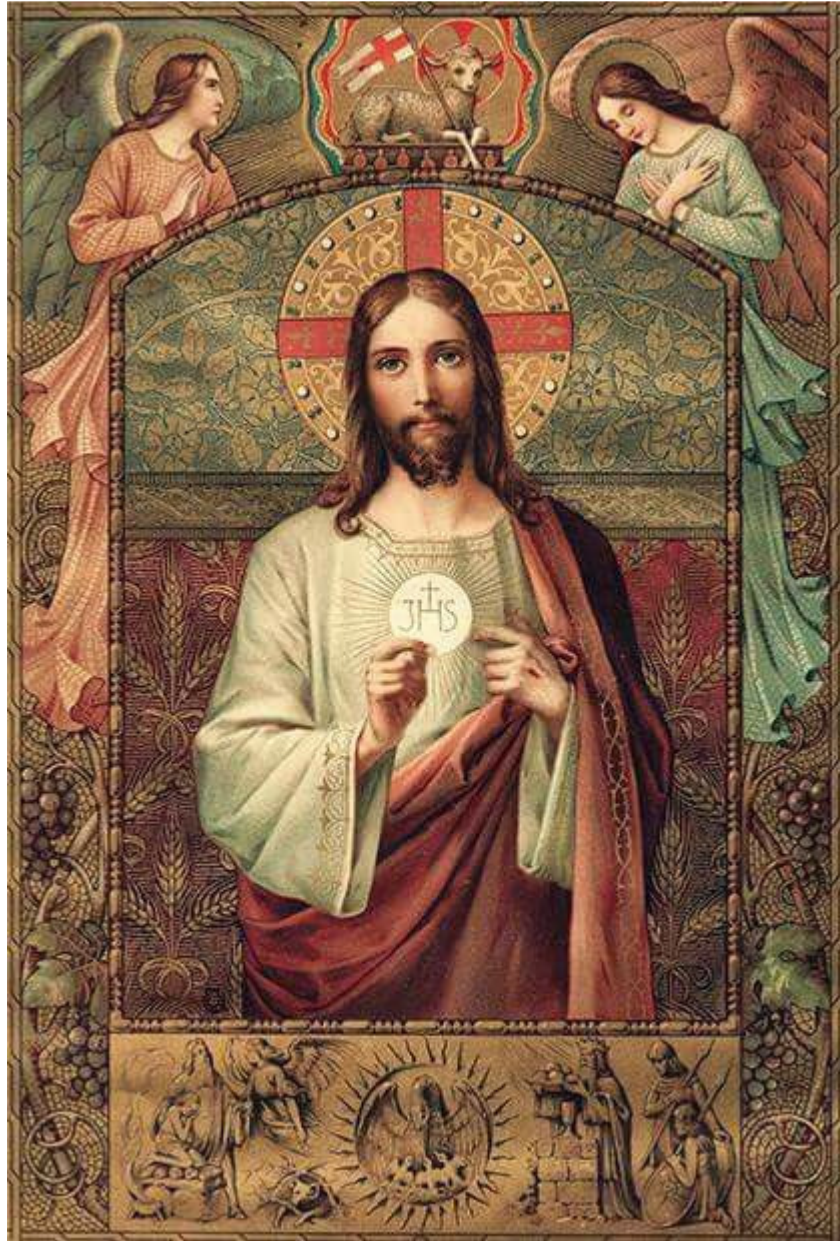


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MASSSES: *Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm, Sunday 8:00, 10:00 & 11:30 am*
Monday-Friday 7:00 am, 12:00 pm Saturday 8:30 am, 12:00 pm (Lower Church)

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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June 23, 2019
Solemnity of Corpus Christi

A Message From Fr. Brian

As we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi), let us listen to the words of some of the holy men and women who have found in the Eucharist a treasure beyond compare.

“When you approach the tabernacle remember that he has been waiting for you for 20 centuries.” *St. Josemaría Escrivá*

“Always remain close to the Catholic Church, because it alone can give you true peace, since it alone possesses Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, the true Prince of Peace.” *St. Padre Pio*

“All the good works in the world are not equal to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass because they are the works of men; but the Mass is the work of God. Martyrdom is nothing in comparison for it is but the sacrifice of man to God; but the Mass is the sacrifice of God for man.” *St. John Vianney, Cure d’Ars*

“What wonderful majesty! What stupendous condescension! O sublime humility! That the Lord of the whole universe, God and the Son of God, should humble Himself like this under the form of a little bread, for our salvation.” *St. Francis of Assisi*

“If Christ did not want to dismiss the Jews without food in the desert for fear that they would collapse on the way, it was to teach us that it is dangerous to try to get to heaven without the Bread of Heaven.” *St. Jerome*

“How many of you say: I should like to see His face, His garments, His shoes. You do see Him, you touch Him, you eat Him. He gives Himself to you, not only that you may see Him, but also to be your food and nourishment.” *St. John Chrysostom*

“Holy Communion is the shortest and safest way to Heaven.” *Pope St. Pius X*

“The Eucharist is the supreme proof of the love of Jesus. After this, there is nothing more but Heaven itself.” *St. Peter Julian Eymard*

“The Bread of angels has become the Bread of mankind; This heavenly Bread puts an end to all images; O wonderful reality! The poor, the slave, and the humble can eat the Lord.” *St. Thomas Aquinas, Panis Angelicus*

“I adore Thee, O my Savior, present here as God and man, in soul and body, in true flesh and blood. I acknowledge and confess that I kneel before that Sacred Humanity, which was conceived in Mary’s womb, and lay in Mary’s bosom; which grew up to man’s estate, and by the Sea of Galilee called the Twelve, wrought miracles, and spoke words of wisdom and peace; which in due season hung on the cross, lay in the tomb, rose from the dead, and now reigns in heaven. I praise, bless, and give myself wholly to Him, who is the true Bread of my soul, and my everlasting joy.” *Blessed John Henry Newman*

“He is The Bread sown in the virgin, leavened in the Flesh, molded in His Passion, baked in the furnace of the Sepulcher, placed in the Churches, and set upon the Altars, which daily supplies Heavenly Food to the faithful.” *St. Peter Chrysologus*

“When you look at the Crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host you understand how much Jesus loves you now.” *St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta*

O Sacrament Most Holy, O Sacrament Divine,
all praise and all thanksgiving, be every moment thine.

Corpus Christi Blessings,



THE SACRIFICIAL GIVING OF OUR PARISHIONERS

June 16 th	Week 51	Y.To Date
Collection	\$13,501	\$644,113
Avg. Budget	\$14,039	\$705,961

Christian Initiation Highlights

Five new members were initiated into our Christian Community. They are: Mabel Anne Miller, Daphne Jean Kraemer, Anne Julia Placke, Henry Thomas Snyder and Valentina Eileen Insana. We congratulate their parents, godparents and families. Our next Baptismal Celebration will be held on Sunday, July 14, 2019.

Reflections on Catechism

2847 The Holy Spirit makes us discern between trials, which are necessary for the growth of the inner man, and temptation, which leads to sin and death. We must also discern between being tempted and consenting to temptation. Finally, discernment unmasks the lie of temptation, whose object appears to be good, a "delight to the eyes" and desirable, when in reality its fruit is death.

Come Adore the Lord

God is always with us, but so often we are not with God. If only for a few minutes, visit Jesus truly present in the Blessed Sacrament exposed on the altar in the chapel downstairs every Monday and Friday from 12:30 till 3:00 pm. At 3pm, the hour of Christ's total abandonment and death on the cross for us we offer Him our love by praying the powerful 10 minute long Chaplet of the Divine Mercy. **Let us put our faith into action!**

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Would you like to acquire a greater resolution from the Sunday Gospel and Homily? The Men's Prayer Breakfast is the place to be. Join other men every Wednesday morning at 6 a.m. in the lower church. "Let your good spirit lead you to me on a level path" Rise and Shine with the Lord.



Calling All Green Thumbs!

Do you like to work in the garden? Do you love our parish grounds? If you can answer "yes" to both of these questions, we invite you to join the new OLS Garden Club. What is it? It's simply a group of parishioners who desire to help maintain the flower beds around our parish property. You may have noticed that we have planted some flowers in the front of the church. Wouldn't it be wonderful to have our entire parish campus decorated with flowers? If you're interested in contributing to this effort, please send an email to Fr. Brian at frbrianneedles@gmail.com.

Blood Bank

Thank you to all those who participated in last Sunday's Blood Drive. Your persistent generosity not only helps those in eminent need, but helps to boost reserves for the normally depleted summer months. Vitalant Blood Services and the OLS Blood Drive Committee are most grateful for your continued support and unwavering benevolence.

Giving Tree for Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) Host Weeks

Please note that there will be a Giving Tree for upcoming IHN Host Weeks this weekend and next weekend (June 29/30) in the church vestibule, which will include tags for items and supplies we need for each week. We ask that you bring the items, with the tag securely taped to the item, to the church vestibule this weekend or next weekend. Thank you in advance for your generosity! Also volunteer sign-up sheets are now available in the church vestibule for the next Interfaith Hospitality Network Host Week: July 28 to August 4. For more information, please contact Anna Nelson at: annanelson202@gmail.com or 973-378-3136 or Liz Petroccia at: lizpetroccia@msn.com or 973-763-4053.

Our Digital News Letter

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>



SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 2019

5:30 PM Victor Vena

SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2019

8:00 AM Mary Timchak
10:00 AM People of the Parish
11:30 AM Fr. John Krozser

MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2019

7:00 AM Carrie Pfannenstiel – Special Intention
12:00 PM Marvin Pfannenstiel

TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 2019

7:00 AM Elvia Parra
12:00 PM Robert Pfannenstiel

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2019

7:00 AM James Pfannenstiel
12:00 PM Teresa Friess

THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2019

7:00AM Jennie Pellecchia
12:00 PM Peter Pellecchia

FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2019

7:00AM Albert Annucci
12:00 PM Martin Moran Jr.

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2019

8:30 AM Elisabeth Durby
12:00 PM Gil Radday

VIGIL MASS JUNE 29, 2019

5:30 PM William Holmok

SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2019

8:00 AM John Guarente
10:00 AM In Thanksgiving for Bernadette Ezuduemoih, Family & Souls in Purgatory
11:30 AM People of the Parish

IN MEMORIAM

This week's **Sanctuary Candle** in the Upper Church is being offered in loving memory of **Elvia Parro**. Requested by Patricia & Fernando. This week's **Sanctuary Candle** in the Lower Church is being offered in loving memory of **Fernando Errazuriz**. Requested by The Buttros Family.

OFFER OF GIFTS

When the Mass intention is for your loved one or friend, and you would like to bring up gifts of bread and wine, please advise one of the ushers.

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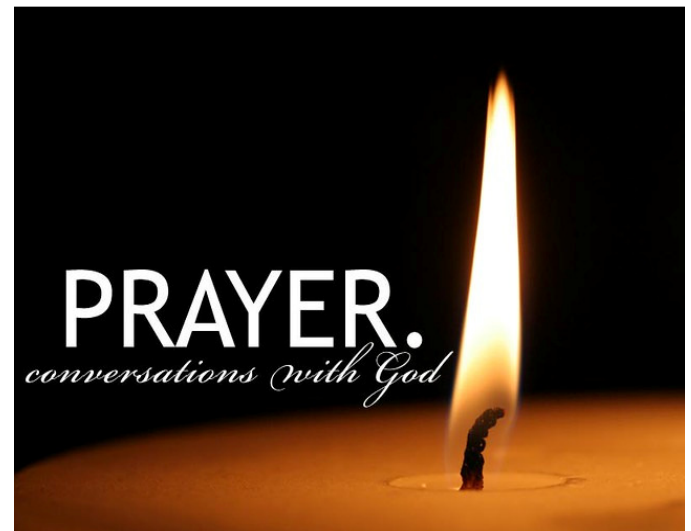
It is a loving gesture to donate the weekly Sanctuary Lamp in memory of a loved one or special intention.

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, Margaret Farrell, Daniel Callaghan, Elizabeth Stuart, Marie Somers, Michael Davis, Bill Aber, Neville Moore, Jerry McElroy, Jane O'Donoghue, George Richmond Files Jr., Megan More, Marie Manno, Ludgarda Rosa, Dale Marshall, Eileen Muench, Stephanie Windsor and Ralph Coccia.



Online CCD Registration Now Open

New and returning families can now register for CCD classes and the OLS homeschooling program by accessing the online registration form via the parish website: www.olschurch.com. Simply click on the "Religious Education" tab at the top of the home page.

The registration form can also be accessed by typing the following information into your computer's browser: <https://forms.parishgiving.org/form-3676671>

Register before July 15th to take advantage of "Early Bird" pricing. Payment may be made via credit card or bank transfer (electronic check). Please note, no child will be refused acceptance into our program due to financial hardship. Any family who would like to request financial assistance or to set up a payment plan should contact Colleen McDonald at sorrowschurch@gmail.com or 973-763-5454 x285.

Monday CCD classes begin September 23rd from 3:45 - 5:15 pm for students in Kindergarten through Grade 6; and 7:00 - 8:30 pm for students in Grades 7 and 8. Please note, this year we are also offering a Monday afternoon class for 7th graders with limited enrollment. Tuesday CCD classes begin on September 24th from 3:45 - 5:15 pm for students in Grades 1 through 6.

If you have any questions regarding CCD registration, please contact Jen Noll at jennollols@gmail.com or 973-763-5454 x235.

Attention Parents of Rising First Graders

Is your child entering first grade this fall? If so, please note that the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and Eucharist are received in the second year of religious education, generally in second grade. It is the policy of the Archdiocese that children must have two years of religious education before receiving these sacraments.

Please visit the OLS parish website home page at www.olschurch.com and click on the "Religious Education" tab at the top of the page to access our new, online registration form to sign-up for CCD and begin the very first step toward your child's reception of the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and Eucharist.