

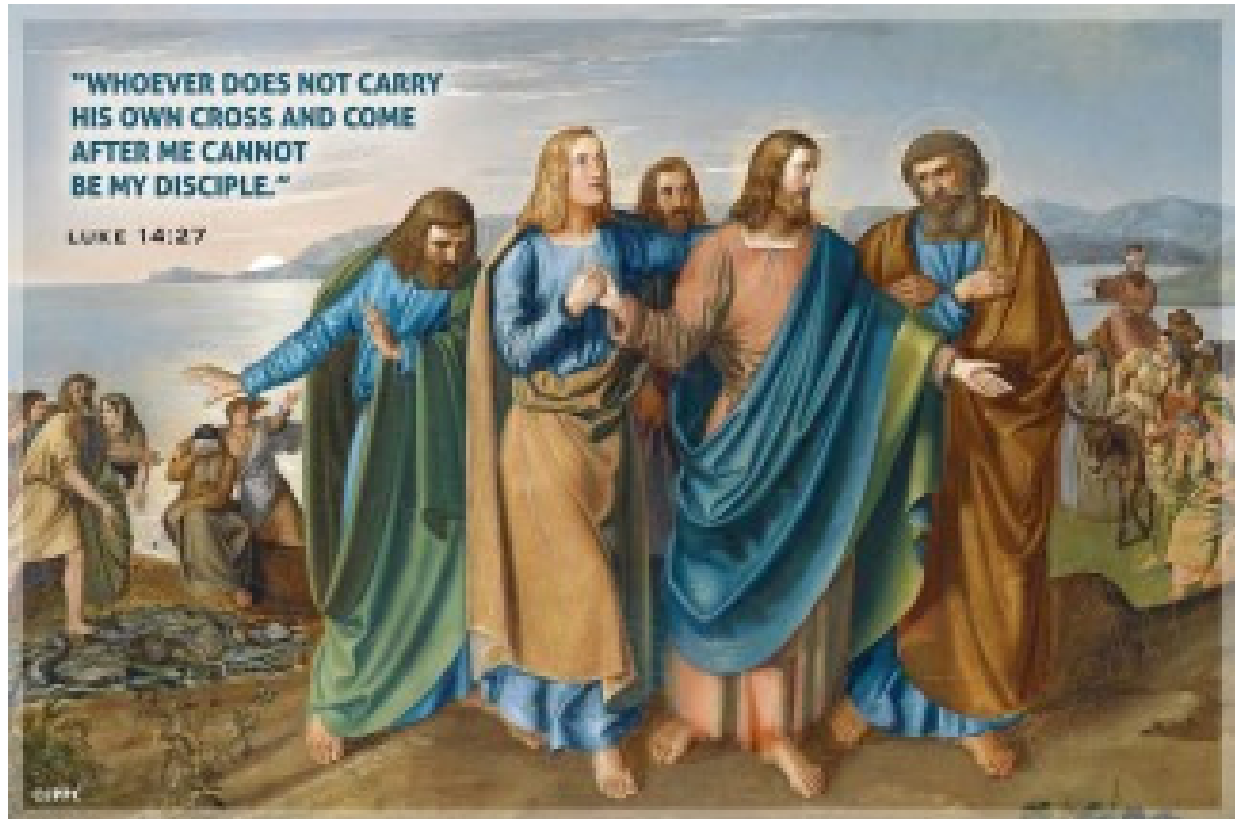


Our Lady of Sorrows

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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 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

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

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September 4, 2022

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

A Message From Fr. Brian

Nobody wants to admit it (including me!), but it's true nonetheless: Summer is coming to end. College students have already begun classes. Most grade schools and high schools will start classes this week, including our own parish school, which begins its new year on Wednesday, September 7th. Before most students return to class, our nation celebrates Labor Day. It's not only a time to get in one more BBQ or one more day down the Shore, but it's also a day for us to reflect upon human work and the rights and dignity of workers. In addition, it's a chance to pray for those who are out of work, who are under-unemployed, or who are unhappy in their work. Perhaps we can invoke the intercession of St. Joseph, who is the patron saint of laborers. It was he who, by the work of his carpentry, provided for Mary and for the infant Jesus.

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The liturgical feast of Our Lady of Sorrows is annually celebrated on September 15th. The Church allows a parish that is named after Our Lady of Sorrows to transfer that Feast to a Sunday so that the parish can celebrate the Feast with greater solemnity and with more of the faithful present. We will therefore celebrate our patronal Feast next weekend (September 10-11). May our Blessed Mother, under her title of Our Lady of Sorrows, continue to watch over our parish family and may we continually seek refuge under her mantle.

After the liturgical celebration of our patronal Feast next Sunday, we will gather as a parish and school community for our annual parish picnic. As I've noted before, the last two years have seen outstanding attendance at this picnic (last year, more than 225 people came). We will have a wonderful day of food, fun, and games. See the flyer in today's bulletin and RSVP as quickly as possible. We need to get a good idea of numbers as we make our food order and so the sooner you reserve, the easier it is for us. To RSVP, email Michelle Dixon: medixon8@gmail.com. Please do not delay in registering. We need to hear from you by Friday, September 9th.

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At the picnic, we'll draw the tickets for the winners of our 50-50 Raffle. Honestly, sales haven't been as great as past year, but there's still plenty of time to take a chance and you can do so very easily by visiting our website: <https://olschurch.com/>. You can also fill out the flyer in this bulletin and return it to our office or drop it in the Sunday collection basket. We will mail your tickets to you. This is the only major fundraiser we will do this year and to support OLS in this way also gives you a chance to win a nice jackpot! Good luck to all!

Labor Day Blessings,



Please join us for our Parish and School Picnic!



**Sunday
September 11**

12:30-
5pm

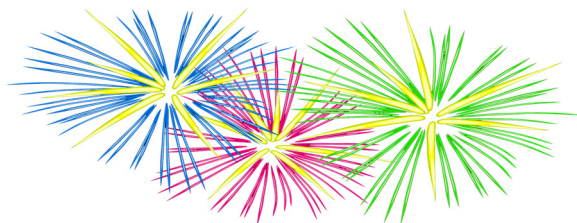
\$10 per person
\$25 for couples/
families

Please RSVP

Email Michelle Dixon
medixon8@gmail.com



Games and activities for children.
OLS will provide all of the food, as well as
water, soda, and coffee. Just show up! BYOB.



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 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: _____

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[Municipal RL 1359](https://www.municipal-rl.com/)

THE SACRIFICIAL GIVING OF OUR PARISHIONERS

August 28th	Week 9	Y.to Date
Collection	\$10,495	\$104,068
Budgeted	\$11,788	\$106,091

Food Pantry \$1,963

Thank you for your generosity!

Volunteer for Family Promise of Essex County

We will again be supporting families experiencing homelessness for Family Promise of Essex County (formerly Interfaith Hospitality Network) in October. We need to shop for a list of grocery items for four to five families and prepare a meal for each family. The meals and grocery items will need to be delivered to St. Joseph Hall in the lower church the evening of Monday, October 10 or the morning of Tuesday, October 11, and will be delivered to the Family Promise Office on October 11. The volunteer roles include:

- Cooks to prepare and pack a meal, or part of a meal, for four to five families.
- Shoppers to buy and donate the requested grocery items for each family.
- Volunteers to help accept and store donations on Monday evening (October 10) and Tuesday morning (October 11).
- Driver to deliver the meals and grocery items to the Family Promise Office in Montclair between Noon and 1:00 pm on October 11.

If you are interested in volunteering for any of these roles, or have any questions, please contact Anna Nelson at:

annanelson202@gmail.com or 973-477-9546.

In September we'll also have sign-up sheets in the church vestibule for any roles that still need to be covered.

Labor Day

We will have only one Mass on Labor Day, Monday, September 5, at 9:00 am. May God bless all who labor for His Kingdom!

Clothing and Shoe Drive

Mercy House, which is an extension of the Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of Newark, is located in the heart of Newark and offers a welcoming space for individuals and families in need. They are now collecting Summer to Fall articles of clothing for babies, children, young adults and adults. The clothes may be new or gently used, but must be clean and in good condition (no suits at this time). Shoes also are greatly appreciated. Donations may be dropped off in the front vestibule of the Church, from August 27 through September 11. Thank you for your generosity to this collection, which will benefit so many who are in need.

Meet Our Staff

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***We are so Happy to Invite You To
Our Lady of Sorrows Healing Mass
September 17, 2022***

***Our Lady of Sorrows Church
217 Prospect St.
South Orange, N.J. 07079
973-763-5454***

This sacrament is administered by a priest who lays his hands on the head of the sick person. He then anoints the sick person on the forehead and palms of the hands with the oil of the sick, while praying: "through this holy anointing may the Lord in His love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit. May the Lord Who frees you from your sin save you and raise you up."

Who can receive this Sacrament?

- Anyone suffering any kind of mental, physical, spiritual or emotional illness
- Facing serious surgery
- Advanced age
- Anyone in danger of death

******** There will be a light lunch served this year ********

Sign-up Deadline: September 9th

**(We would be grateful if you could RSVP by the 9th. This way
we can ensure that enough food is ordered)**

Names of those attending:

Name and address of contact person:

Phone # of contact person: _____

Number staying for a light lunch []

Please make sure to indicate if you will be staying for lunch. **Only those who indicate that they will be staying for lunch will receive lunch.**

Please note: The area near the baptismal font will be set aside for those who need to have Holy Communion brought to them. If anyone has a concern just let us know and we will work out a way to help you. If you have any questions, please contact Sr. Mary Selena at 973-763-5454.



VIGIL, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2022

5:30 PM People of the Parish

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2022

8:00 AM Deceased Members of the Lambusta
and Abramo Families
10:00 AM Isabel Serrano Haddad
11:30 AM Manuel Fernandes

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2022

9:00 AM Wilfredo Soloman

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2022

7:00 AM Alojzy Kasprzak
12:00 PM Eduardo Ravasco

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2022

7:00 AM Alojzy Kasprzak
12:00 PM Evelyn A. Trapp

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2022

7:00 AM Carrie Pfannenstiel
12:00 PM Richard Pilone

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2022

7:00 AM Dawn Mattheiss
12:00 PM Robert Novembre

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2022

8:30 AM Deceased Family and Friends of
Ferrace-Pizzillo Families
12:00 PM Benito Morgan

VIGIL MASS SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2022

5:30 PM Patricia J. Smith

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2022

8:00 AM People of the Parish
10:00 AM All Rosarians, Living and Deceased
11:30 AM Mario Inguaggiato

IN MEMORIAM

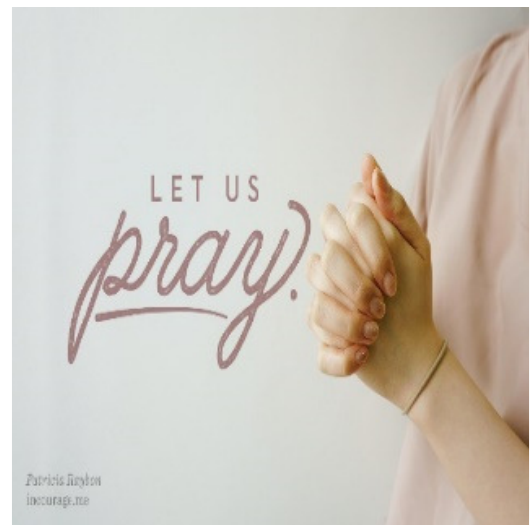
It is a loving gesture to donate the weekly Sanctuary Lamp in memory of a loved one or for a special intention.

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, 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.



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