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(201) 246-7379

January 8th, 2017

The Epiphany of The Lord

SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST

Weekday Masses: Monday—Saturday 7:30 AM
Saturday evening Mass: 5:00 PM
Sunday Masses: 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
Holy Day Masses: 7:30 AM, 12:00 PM & 7:00 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00—4:30 PM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Third Sunday of the month after the 10:30 AM Mass. Parents must be registered as parishioners. Arrangements for the Baptism should be made at least one month in advance.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please notify the rectory or priest in the event of a serious illness. Visits to the home-bound and those in hospitals are made by priests and Eucharistic Minister.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Arrangements should be made one year in advance of the proposed marriage according to the Common Policy of the Bishops of the Province of New Jersey. Either the Bride or Groom must be registered with Our Lady of Sorrows Parish.

RELIGIOUS VOCATION

Women and men who feel called to the Religious Life and men called to the Holy Orders should contact the Vocation Office 973-497-4365 or speak with a Parish Priest.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (R.C.I.A.)

Have you received the Sacrament of Confirmation, First Eucharist or First Penance or Baptism? Are you interested in membership in the Catholic Church? If so, call the Rectory.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Welcome! Every Catholic should be registered in the Parish. Letters of testimony for Godparents and Sponsors cannot be given unless one is registered. All parishioners should be active in parish life and be known to one of the Parish Priests. Stewardship (church support) is a serious responsibility of every Catholic. We urge all parishioners to make regular use of their collection envelopes. When moving, notify the Parish office.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS MISSION STATEMENT

We are Catholic Christians of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish who are conscious of the plan of God for the salvation of all. We praise the Lord in our everyday lives by sharing our faith and talents with each other for the continued growth of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish Community. We wish to live the Beatitudes of Jesus and put them into practice in our daily lives as we answer **His** call to evangelization.

Prayer At Epiphany

God's holy day has dawned for us at last;
Come, all you peoples, and adore the Lord.



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Today the Bridegroom
 Claims his bride, the Church,
 Since Christ has washed her sins away
 In Jordan's waters;
 The Magi hasten with their gifts
 To the royal wedding;
 And the wedding guests rejoice,
 For Christ has changed
 Water into wine, alleluia.

God's holy day has dawned for us at last;
Come, all you peoples, and adore the Lord.

~From the Morning Prayer for Epiphany

Stewardship Prayer

Lord, we give our thanks to you for the gifts you have given to us—our life, our family and friends—time, talents and material possessions. All that we have comes from You. Help us to remember this always and rejoice in Your generosity. Help us on our spiritual journey, so that we may constantly renew our relationship with You and with all the people of our Parish Community. Give us the strength and courage to become better followers of Jesus, to be disciples. **Help us always to hear the call to live the Stewardship Way of Life.** Amen.



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Our Lady of Sorrows is looking for people interested in becoming Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers. The more people willing to participate, the less often each person would be called upon to serve. Please do not take the stance that someone else will volunteer—more often than not, that attitude produces zero results. Please consider volunteering now. Anyone interested should contact the office at 201-998-4616.



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Retrouvaille – A lifeline for troubled marriages

Has your marriage become unloving or uncaring – your relationship grown cold, distant – thinking about a separation or divorce? Are you already separated/divorced but (both of you) wish to try again – then the Retrouvaille program may help you.

RETROUVAILLE (Rediscovery) sponsored by the Family Life Office/Diocese of Metuchen consists of a weekend experience for couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions.

The next program is scheduled for the weekend of February 10-12, 2017. All inquiries are confidential. For more details please call the Family Life Office 732-243-4573, Rich & Annette Colasuonno 732-236-0671 or Tom & Pat McTague 732-583-4468 (evenings).

The Hope Family Store is a Catholic religious gift, music and book shop featuring a St. Therese Mission Center and mini-Café for visitors.

It is located at 120 Kearny Avenue in Kearny, New Jersey, alongside St. Cecilia parking lot (entrance on Chestnut Street) and is open:

- Mondays 10:30AM -2:30PM
- Tuesday 10:30AM - 2:30PM
- Thursday 10:30 - 2:30PM
- Saturdays 10:30 - 4:30PM

The Hope Family Store donates ALL proceeds to family-strengthening charities including St. Cecilia's Parish.

FREE BINGO At the Hope Family Store! **Every 4th Saturday of the month**, Bingo cards will be provided for anyone who comes to play at 2PM to the gift shop (in the parish house alongside St. Cecilia's Church, Kearny parking lot). Prizes will be from the Store's gifts, books, and music!

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, January 8th

CCD Classes

-2nd Collection—Help Pay Church’s Fuel & Energy Costs

SATURDAY, January 14th

-Confessions 4:00 to 4:30 PM

-2nd Collection—Continuing Support of the Parish

LECTOR/MINISTER SCHEDULE

January 14/15

5:00 PM	J. Mackesy	V. Lutkus
8:00 AM	C. Danzi	A. Martinez
10:30 AM	C. Kerr	

ALTAR SERVERS

January 14/15

5:00 PM	Kristen & Kayleen
8:00 AM	Nicole, Natasha, & Izabella
10:30 AM	Kayla & Savannah



The 1st collection for December 25th was \$12,292.00.
The 1st collection for January 1st was \$1373.00

As always, thank you for your generosity.



Let us remember all our family members, loved ones, and fellow parishioners who have died; may God reward them for their good deeds done in faith. Let us also pray for those who are sick at home or in the hospital, especially **Carole Anderson, Christopher Jordan, Maria Soares, Maria Gomes, Terri Karras, Gary Davitt, Shawn Fottler, Jennie Fischer, Rose McCormick, Garcia Family, Ted Hirschi, Lisa Harris-Van Egmund.**
May God grant them healing.

Prayer to St. Anthony for those with cancer

Dear St. Anthony,
you recognized Our Lord Jesus
as the Divine Healer.
In your goodness and kindness,
please intercede for (mention name)
who is suffering from cancer.

If it is God’s will,
I ask that this day,
the gift of healing be granted to (name).
Comfort them during
times of unbearable pain,
and ask our Lord to grant
them peace and patience in suffering.

Amen

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Mass Intentions



(Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead. However, the following are specifically remembered this week.)

THE ROSARY WILL BE PRAYED 20 MINUTES BEFORE EACH WEEKEND MASS

SATURDAY, January 7

**5:00 PM -A Blessing for Sophia Rose Aguilera
Murphy / Mary & Armand Calabrese**

SUNDAY, January 8

8:00 AM -Special Intention for Carol Anderson / Chris Danzi

10:30 AM Al Zarbetski / Irene & Family

MONDAY, January 9

7:30 AM -Fr. Michael Fuino / OLS

TUESDAY, January 10

7:30 AM -Tony Carratura/ Lucille Muldoon

WEDNESDAY, January 11

7:30 AM Leona Lutkus / OLS

THURSDAY, January 12

7:30 AM -People of the Parish / OLS

FRIDAY, January 13

7:30 AM Priests of the Parish / OLS

SATURDAY, January 14

7:30 AM -Edward Burokas / OLS

Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, January 14

5:00 PM -Walter & Helen Mackalonis / Ray & Linda Mackalonis

SUNDAY, January 15

8:00 AM -Martha & Steve Heteyey / Kathleen Fudali

10:30 AM -Joseph Gilchrist / John & Alice Keogh



For the week of January 8th 2017

Altar Bread & Wine.....

People of the Parish / OLS

Sanctuary Lamp.....

People of the Parish / OLS

Altar Candles.....

People of the Parish / OLS

Pope Francis The Holy Father’s Prayer Intentions for 2017 For the Month of January



Evangelization: Christians at the service of the challenges of humanity. That all Christians may be faithful to the Lord’s teaching by striving with prayer and fraternal Charity to restore ecclesial communion and by collaborating to meet the challenges facing humanity.

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