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(201) 246-7379

January 15th, 2017

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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.

LOVE Bears ALL Things (1Cor 13:7)

This has to do with *the use of the tongue*, holding one's peace about what may be wrong with another person. It implies limiting judgment, checking the impulse to issue a firm and ruthless condemnation: "Judge not and you will not be judged." (LUKE 6:37)

Although it runs contrary to the way we normally use our tongues, God's word tells us: "Do not speak evil against one another, brothers and sisters" (Jas 4:11)

Pope Francis (Amoris Laetitia—Joy of Loving)

Gossip.....by Fr. Mark Nolte

One of the things that tears at the fabric of a parish is gossip. People talking and pulling things down, complaining, bickering, you name it. Gossip is like tearing open a feather pillow in a 25mph wind...you can never retrieve all the feathers.

Many people in this and every parish give so much to make the place hum with positive activity but a couple of complaining words wipe out whatever good was done. And it takes the wind out of the sails.

When I hear of such talk I get discouraged and my energy level is sapped. And there is no way to respond to the gossip because, like the pillow feathers, they just get scooted along and kept in the air by others.

Gossip is another way of saying: rash judgment, detraction and calumny: **Rash judgment** is assuming as true, without sufficient foundation, the moral fault of a neighbor. **Detraction**, without an objectively valid reason, discloses another's faults and failings to persons who did not know them. **Calumny**, are remarks, contrary to the truth, that harm the reputation of others and give occasion for false judgments concerning them.

If we all held to the high principle of making sure our words never ventured into these three sins against the 8th commandment we would all do a lot less talking.

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The cure to gossip—which may be mailed, spoken, written, emailed, sign-language, texted, broadcast, etc.—**is charity**.

The Apostle Paul has given an incomparable depiction of charity: :Charity is patient and kind, charity is not jealous or boastful; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrong, but rejoices in the right. Charity bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things."

(1Cor 13:4-7)



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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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But those who trust in the LORD will find new strength. They will soar high on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary. They will walk and not faint.

Isaiah 40 :31

Change the Lens ... Change the Perspective

The Community of God's Love, Rutherford's Catholic Charismatic Community, is hosting the DVD series "An Introduction to a Feminist Interpretation of the Bible" by Sister Barbara Reid, OP. Race, class, culture, and gender all determine how one understands Scripture. This series will take the feminist viewpoint to interpret several well known scripture stories, offering both men and women a different perspective on their meaning. This series will begin on Friday **January 20th** with "Sophia's Table: An Introduction" and "The Creation of Woman and Man." It will take place at Visitation House, 70 West Passaic Avenue (Corner of West Passaic and Mortimer Avenues) in Rutherford. The evening will include a light supper **at 7 p.m.**, followed by the two videos, dessert, and discussion. For information and registration, call 201 – 935 – 0344 or email secretary@thecgl.org Session 2 will be on February 10. Free will offering.

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 15th

No CCD Classes

-2nd Collection—Continuing Support of the Parish

SATURDAY, January 21st

-Confessions 4:00 to 4:30 PM

-2nd Collection—Archdiocesan Monthly Assessment

LECTOR/MINISTER SCHEDULE

January 21/22

5:00 PM	L. Mackalonis	J. Morton
8:00 AM	A. Martinez	C. Danzi
10:30 AM	W. Kluss	L. Muldoon

ALTAR SERVERS

January 21/22

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



The 1st collection for January 8th was \$704.00.
The 2nd collection was \$299.00

As always, thank you for your generosity.

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 14

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

SUNDAY, January 15

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

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

MONDAY, January 16

7:30 AM -Mary & Joseph Buben / Maryann & Robert Williamson

TUESDAY, January 17

7:30 AM -Linda Naseef & Deceased Members of FOSS / Elaine Faulk

WEDNESDAY, January 18

7:30 AM Priests of the Parish / OLS

THURSDAY, January 19

7:30 AM -People of the Parish / OLS

FRIDAY, January 20

7:30 AM Walter Anthony Kluss / Walter J. Kluss

SATURDAY, January 21

7:30 AM -Rev. Msgr. Dominick Pocus / Gen & Al Mazur & Family

Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, January 21

5:00 PM -McBride & Serafenas Families / Dot & Ed McBride

SUNDAY, January 22

8:00 AM -Fr. Michael Fuino / OLS

10:30 AM -Paul & George Sr. Fudali of Jersey City/ Kathleen Fudali



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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For the week of January 15th 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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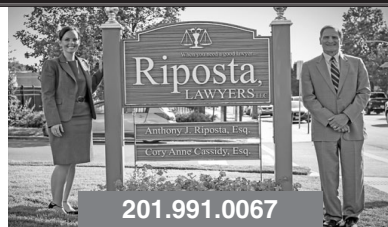


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