

OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH

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November 10, 2019
32nd 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 & 10:30 AM

Holy Day Masses:

7:30 AM, 12:00 PM & 7:00 PM

Summer Sunday Mass Schedule:

June 28, 2020 - September 6, 2020

Saturday 5:00 PM;

Sunday 9:00 AM only

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism is held the third Sunday of the month after the 10:30 AM Mass. Arrangements for the Baptism should be made at least one month in advance. There are no Baptisms during Lent.

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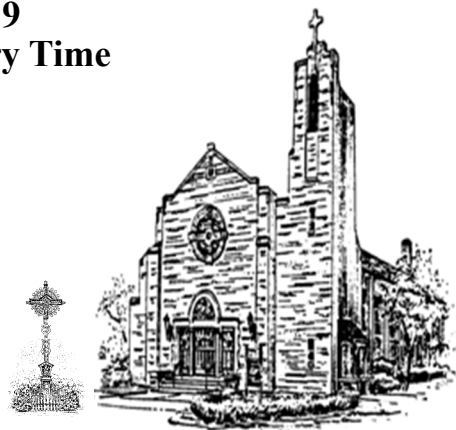
Please notify the rectory or priest in the event of a serious illness. Visits to the home-bound and those in hospitals are made by Priests, Deacons and Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers.

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.



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, please notify the rectory office.

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

If you have not received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Eucharist, or Confirmation, and are over 18 years of age, and are interested in membership in the Catholic Church, please call the rectory 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.



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**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 10, 2019**

My steps have been steadfast in your paths, my feet have not faltered. I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God.
— Psalm 17:5-6a

CONFIDENCE IN THE LORD

We are nearing the end of the liturgical year. Today's readings remind us that our own lives will draw to a close one day, and we can be certain that the Lord will encourage, strengthen, and save us—both now and at the last. The astonishing story of the Maccabees invigorates our faith as we behold an entire family willing to die rather than deny the Law of Moses. The psalm response echoes the faithful cries of the Maccabees: "I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God." That same confidence appears in Saint Paul's letter to the Thessalonians. "The Lord is faithful," he testifies; "he will strengthen you and guard you from the evil one." In the Gospel, Jesus explains just how long God's protection will endure. The children of God whom God guards, Jesus says, will live forever like angels.

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE**



The Knights of Columbus are collecting non-perishable food items for Thanksgiving. Kindly place your donated non-perishable food items in the barrels located in the vestibule of the Church. It is through your generosity that we are able to reach out and help those in need for Thanksgiving. The donated food items will be picked up by the Knights of Columbus on Friday, November 15th, 2019. We thank you for your continued support and generosity.

**TREASURES FROM OUR
TRADITION**

In the seventeenth century, English Catholics, many of them wealthy and well educated, looked to the American colonies as a place to regain a measure of religious freedom. In Ireland, the so-called penal laws were even harsher than in England, as a minority Parliament tried to force the conversion of the population by denying the majority political and economic power. Beginning in 1691, laws were passed that punished dissenters, principally Catholics, but also causing hardship for Jews, Quakers, and others. There were acts forbidding "mixed marriage" or

**THE ROSARY SOCIETY
CHRISTMAS WREATH SALE**



The Rosary Society of Our Lady of Sorrows Church is sponsoring a Christmas wreath sale. The cost of the wreath is \$20.00 Pre-order forms can be found in the Church vestibule or at the Rectory office. Please return your order and payment no later than Sunday, November 17th. Thank you for your continued support.

**JOIN THE ADULT CHRISTMAS
CHOIR!!**

"He who sings, prays twice."
St. Augustine

Being part of a church choir is not only a ministry, but it is part of being on a team. Not only will you form a bond with the other choir members that can last for years to come, but through music, you will form a closer relationship with God through the Mass. You are invited to join our choir as we prepare for the liturgical season of Christmas. Choir practice will begin on Monday, November 18th, at 7:15 PM. No experience necessary!! We hope to see you there!!



MARTHA MINISTRY

Join us on the 3rd Saturday of the month, November 16th at 10:00 AM, to help us maintain our Church in beauty and order to honor God.

sending children "beyond the seas" for schooling. Catholics were taxed at double the common rate, barred from the legal professions and from university, and not allowed to build churches or own a decent horse.

In 1793 the situation began to change, as it became clear that the economic persecution would not drive the majority away from Catholicism. Gradually, laws were repealed until by 1829 freedom was won, although Catholics at university were ineligible for honors, and until the 1920s when the Republic was formed, the Church of Ireland was the state church, funded by the taxes of all citizens.

REUNION

All Time Our Lady of Czestochowa Reunion
November 30, 2019
115 South Third Street
Harrison, NJ 07029
Mass dedicated to all Alumni at 5PM following a celebration at 6PM in the Parish Hall. Cost \$35 includes food, music, soda, BYOB,

Optional Tricky Tray and 50-50. All students, faculty, parishioners and family, all clergy, sisters and priests, past and present, are welcomed.

Please join us!

Tickets must be purchased in advance by mail to:
Mary Hoey, 174 6th Street, Harrison, NJ 07029 or
by VENMO@olcreunion so we can plan accordingly.

Checks payable to:
OLC Class Reunion.

PILLARS OF THE PARISH

"Therefore go, and make disciples of all nations."

Matthew 28:19

The Pillars of the Parish will hold a meeting on Thursday, November 14th, at 6:30 PM in the Church hall. All are welcome.

PERSPECTIVE

We must often draw the comparison of time and eternity. This is the remedy of all our troubles. How small will the present moment appear when we enter that great ocean!

—St. Elizabeth Ann Seton



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 a hospital, especially **Ray Blair, Anne Caveney, Joseph Colamedici, Mary Calabrese, Maria Cunha, Kathleen Fudali, Gary Davitt, Ted Hirschi, James Kashauer, Tom Kashauer, Edward McBride, Kathleen Podlaski, Joe and Barbara Russell, Jose Sanchez, June Struzienski, and all those whose names appear in our "Parish Book of Prayers for the Sick"**.

May God grant them healing.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE NOVEMBER 16/17		
	LECTOR/MINISTER	ALTAR SERVERS
5:00PM	J. Mackesy J. Morton	Nicole, Natasha, Izabella, Giselle
8:00AM	A. Martinez/C. Danzi	Kayla, Savannah, Alexandra, Vanessa, Haley
10:30AM	W. Kluss/L. Muldoon	Kristen, Kayleen, Emily, Eileen, Vincent



All Saints Day collection:
\$477.00

The 1st collection for November 3rd:
\$960.00

The 2nd collection Church's Higher Energy Costs:
\$408.00

Thank you for your generosity!

IMMACULATE HEART ACADEMY FALL DRAMA

Immaculate Heart Academy presents *The Curious Savage* as its fall drama on Friday, Nov. 22 at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday, November 23 at 2PM and 7:30 PM. Artistic direction is by Ms. Maureen McNulty, IHA director of the performing arts, and production is by the IHA Theater Arts class. For more information and to purchase tickets, which are \$15 each, visit ihatheater.com. Immaculate Heart Academy is located at 500 Van Emburgh Ave., Township of Washington, NJ 07676.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9
12 Noon Praying of the Rosary
Our Lady of Sorrows Church
4:00 PM—4:30 PM Confessions
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10
2nd collection Archdiocese of Military Service
9:00 AM Religious Education classes
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13
7:30 PM Fr. John's Bible Study
St. Cecilia Parish Center Basement

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14
6:30 PM Pillars of the Parish
Church Hall
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16
10:00 AM Martha Ministry
4:00 PM—4:30 PM Confessions
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17
2nd collection Maintenance & Repairs
9:00 AM Religious Education classes
Christmas Wreath orders due.
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18
7:15 PM Adult Christmas Choir
Practice



Saturday 5:00 PM
Leo Yarmolowicz
Req. Yarmolowicz Family

Sunday 8:00 AM
November 10
Barbara Lore
Req. Mary Donorovich

10:30 AM
Moss Quirk
Req. John and Alice Keogh

Monday 7:30 AM
November 11
Viktoria Buchholz
Req. Przybylski Family

Tuesday 7:30 AM
November 12
Helen and Joseph Krakosky
Req. Gen and Al Mazur & Family

Wednesday 7:30 AM
November 13
Joseph J. Mazur
Req. Brother Alex and Gen Mazur & Family

Thursday 7:30 AM
November 14
Valentas Matonis
Req. Kathy Daunoras

Friday 7:30 AM
November 15
Adele and Matthew Sluzis
Req. Gen and Al Mazur & Family

Saturday 7:30 AM
November 16
Edmund Abromaitis
Req. Przybylski Family

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 5:00 PM
November 16
Eleanor and Frank Grinfield
Req. Patricia and Henry Golda

Sunday 8:00 AM
November 17
Helder Esteves
Req. Wife, Ermelinda

10:30 AM
Barbara Lore
Req. Irene Potts

THE ROSARY WILL BE PRAYED 20 MINUTES BEFORE EACH WEEKEND MASS.

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK
November 10, 2019



ALTAR BREAD & WINE...
Mary Donorovich / OLS

SANCTUARY LAMP...
Mary Donorovich / OLS

ALTAR CANDLES...
Mary Donorovich / OLS

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