

OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH

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9:00 AM-4:00 PM
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February 9, 2020
5th 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.

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, 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

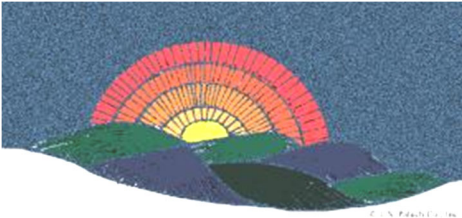
Welcome! Every Catholic should be registered in the parish. Letters of testimony for Godparents and Sponsors cannot be given unless one is registered. All parishioners should be active in parish life and be known to one of the parish priests. Stewardship (church support) is a serious responsibility of 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.



**FIFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 9, 2020**

Light shines through the darkness for the upright.— *Psalm 112:4*

GOD'S CALL

The person who has been “saved,” who has “heard the good news of salvation,” still lives in an unsaved world, a world sadly oblivious to the presence of God. Today’s readings outline how the disciple is present in the world.

The outline begins with Isaiah: “Share your bread . . . shelter the oppressed . . . clothe the naked” (Isaiah 58:7). Those who hear the word of salvation are not insensitive to the urgent needs of others. Then Paul reminds his flock that he brought Christ to them not in eloquence or wisdom, but by being with them in the “weakness and fear” of their daily lives (1 Corinthians 2:3). Finally, Jesus tells his disciples to go out into the gloom and darkness of the streets of the world and let God’s light shine through their good deeds.

We disciples don’t save the world. To the extent, however, that we have heard the word of God and been awakened to God’s presence, we may spread that word and bring that presence to others. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

PRESIDENT’S DAY-FEBRUARY 17

There will be no Religious Education classes on Sunday, February 16th, in observance of President’s Day. Classes will resume on Sunday, February 23rd. The Rectory office will be closed on Monday, February 17th. The office will reopen on Tuesday, February 18th.

PRESIDENTIAL GARDENING

After I die, I want it said of me that I plucked a weed and planted a flower wherever I thought a flower would grow.

—Abraham Lincoln

CELEBRATE MARRIAGE!



Family Life Office of the Archdiocese of Newark is sponsoring an Enrichment for Married Couples. Keep the love alive from Valentine’s Day and come **Celebrate Marriage**. This one-day marriage enrichment offers some time to look at where you are in your marriage, improve your basic communication skills, and revisit memories of your life together as a married couple. Worldwide Marriage Encounter will present this day which will be held on Sunday, February, 23 at the Archdiocesan Center, 171 Clifton Avenue from 9:30am – 4:30pm. The cost for the day is \$50 per couple which includes a light continental breakfast, lunch and presentation materials. Mass will be celebrated at the end of the day.

For more information or to register, please contact Brian.Caldwell@rcan.org or call 973-497-4324.

**CATHOLIC MEN’S
CONFERENCE**

Archdiocese of Newark

*Man of God...
I am my Brother’s Keeper*

Saturday, February 29, 2020
Seton Hall University
8:00 AM—4:00 PM
Mass at 4:00 PM
400 South Orange Avenue
South Orange, NJ 07079

To register online, visit
www.rcan.org/mens-commission.

For more information email:
CatholicMen@rcan.org or call
(973) 497-4545

Cost: \$30

Clergy/Religious: Free

Save the Date

Archdiocese of Newark
Women’s Commission

Alive in Christ

The Eucharist...His Heart in My Heart

Saturday, March 7, 2020
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

FR. JOHN’S BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays—7:30 PM

All are welcome to join Fr. John at St. Cecilia Rectory Basement for the Bible Study on “Matthew-The King and His Kingdom” by Jeff Calvins and Sarah Christmyer. The Sunday Gospel readings taken from the Gospel of Matthew will be discussed.

“Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by renewing of your mind...” Romans 12:2

CAKE SALE



The Pillars of the Parish are sponsoring a Cake Sale after the 5:00 PM Mass on Saturday, February 15th, and Sunday, February 16th, after the 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM Masses. Thank you for your support!

**BLESSED MIRIAM TERESA
PARISH
2ND ANNUAL
WINE TASTING SOCIAL**



Join us at our
2nd Annual Wine
Tasting Social
Saturday, February
29th
5:30 PM—9:00 PM
Cost \$40

Andean Room @
St. Andrew School
126 Broadway, Bayonne, NJ

Complimentary wine glass, fruit and cheese platter/table, water, coffee and dessert are included.

For tickets or information, please call the Parish office at (201) 437-4090.



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 **Anne Caveney, Joseph Colamedici, Mary Calabrese, Maria Cunha, Kathleen Fudali, Gary Davitt, Ted Hirschi, James Kashauer, Tom Kashauer, Edward McBride, Kathleen Podlaski, Barbara Russell, Jose Sanchez, June Struziensi,** and all those whose names appear in our “Parish Book of Prayers for the Sick”.

May God grant them healing.

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Saturday
5:00 PM

Sunday
8:00 AM

10:30 AM

Monday
7:30 AM

Tuesday
7:30 AM

Wednesday
7:30 AM

Thursday
7:30 AM

Friday
7:30 AM

Saturday
7:30 AM

February 8

James Colamedici

Req. Jean Morton

February 9

Raymond Blair Jr.

Req. Rodger and Ruth Ireland

Mary Donorovich

Req. The Rosary Society

February 10

People of the Parish

Req. OLS

February 11

Marian Olechnowicz

Req. OLS

February 12

Ruth Polinski

Req. OLS

February 13

Emanuela Ciccone

Req. OLS

February 14

Souls in Purgatory

Req. OLS

February 15

People of the Parish

Req. OLS

6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday
5:00 PM

Sunday
8:00 AM

10:30 AM

February 15

Nick Zuza

Req. Sally Zuza

February 16

Diana Hearn

Req. L.C.C.

Richard and Paul Sr. Fudali

Req. Kathleen Fudali

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

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FEBRUARY 15/16		
	LECTOR/MINISTER	ALTAR SERVERS
5:00PM	L. Mackalonis/ J. Morton	Nicole, Natasha, Izabella, Giselle
8:00AM	A. Martinez	Kayla, Savannah, Alexandra, Vanessa, Haley
10:30AM	C. Danzi	Kristen, Kayleen, Emily, Eileen, Vincent



1st collection 2/2/2020: \$1167.00

2nd collection 2/2/2020: \$554.00

Thank you for your generosity!!!

2019 STATEMENTS FOR INCOME TAXES

The 2019 statements for income taxes will be mailed directly to all our registered parishioners by our collection envelope distributor. We thank you for your patience in this matter.



ST. CECILIA CHURCH FOOD PANTRY

Fridays, 1:30 PM—3:00PM

The Food Pantry is in need of non-perishable foods to feed the families in our town of Kearny. If you can donate any of these items it would be appreciated: macaroni & cheese, rice (2lb. bag), canned vegetables, canned fruits, assorted soups, canned tuna, canned meats, pasta & sauce. Food barrels are located in the rear of OLS Church.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8

4:00 PM—4:30 PM Confessions

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

9:00 AM Religious Education classes

2nd collection: Maintenance and Repairs

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

7:30 PM Fr. John's Bible Study

Matthew— His King and His Kingdom

St. Cecilia Rectory Basement

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

4:00 PM—4:30 PM Confessions

Cake Sale after the 5PM Mass

sponsored by the Pillars of the Parish

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

No Religious Education classes

2nd collection: Archdiocesan Monthly

Assessment

Cake Sale after 8 AM and 10:30 AM

Masses sponsored by the Pillars of the Parish

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17

President's Day

Rectory Office is closed.

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

February 9, 2020



ALTAR BREAD & WINE...

People of the Parish / OLS

SANCTUARY LAMP...

People of the Parish / OLS

ALTAR CANDLES...

People of the Parish / OLS

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