

THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS – ST. ANTHONY



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626 S. Olden Ave.

Worship & Sacramental Life
OLS: Our Lady of Sorrows Church
SA: St. Anthony Church

Weekend Masses

Saturday:

4:30 p.m. (SA), 5:00 p.m. (OLS)

Sunday:

7:30 (OLS), 8:00 (SA), 9:00 (OLS)

10:00 (SA), 11:00 a.m. (OLS),

6:30 p.m. (Creole) (SA)

Holy Days of Obligation

Vigil:

7:00 p.m. (SA)

Daytime:

7:00 a.m. (OLS), 12:15 p.m. (SA)

7:00 p.m. (OLS)

Weekday Masses

7:00 a.m. (OLS)

8:00 a.m. (SA)

Holidays as announced

Sacrament of Baptism

11:15 a.m.: 1st Sunday (SA)

12:15 p.m.: 2nd & 3rd Sundays (OLS)

11:00 a.m.: 4th Sunday (Mass) (OLS)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday and by appointment

3:15-4:00 p.m. (SA), 3:45-4:30 p.m. (OLS)

Parish Staff

Rev. Msgr. Thomas N. Gervasio, Pastor
Rev. John C. Garrett, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Pierre M. Alabré, Haitian Ministry
Rev. Oscar Sumanga, In Residence

Deacons

James Buchanan
James Challender
Joseph Jaruszewski
Timothy Moore
Kevin O'Boyle
Dennis Slavin

Pastoral Outreach

Mrs. Joan Bartolomei

Youth Ministry

Miss Karen Proulx

Music Ministry

Mr. Michael Amantia, Esq.

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ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

June 15, 2008

We are his people: the sheep of his flock. Psalm 100

Mass Intentions for the Week OUR LADY OF SORROWS

SATURDAY, JUNE 14
 5:00 p.m. Angelica Persiani *Family
 Chester LaBella *Family

SUNDAY, JUNE 15
 7:30 a.m. Vince Crivelli *Fran & Jack Bleier
 Joseph Kopec *Theresa Hrabchak
 9:00 a.m. Giuseppe & Maria Portello
 *Mr. & Mrs. Luigi Portello
 Katherine Cleary *Terry & Joe Shields
 11:00 a.m. Augusta & Benedetta Zomparelli
 *Mr. & Mrs. Romolo Zomparelli
 Joan Van Norman
 *Richard Young & the Hudson family

MONDAY, JUNE 16
 7:00 a.m. Intentions of Frank Scala *Patricia Gerber
 Helen Koval *M/M M. Muka

TUESDAY, JUNE 17
 7:00 a.m. Sara Conners *Nick Chomicki
 Alexander Wilczynski
 *Norman DiGiuseppe & family

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17
 7:00 a.m. Victor DiColo *Wife
 Mary Ragazzo *M/M E. Cicchetti

THURSDAY, JUNE 19
 7:00 a.m. Frank J. Ricketti, Sr. *John & Eileen Haller
 Frank Silvestro *Family

FRIDAY, JUNE 20
 7:00 a.m. Mildred Banko *Kathie Powell, daughter
 James A. Challender, Jr. *Family

SATURDAY, JUNE 21
 5:00 p.m. John & Lorraine Kelly *M/M R. Ponticiello
 Thomas G. Wechsner *Wife

SUNDAY, JUNE 22
 7:30 a.m. William Curtin, Sr. *Family
 Anna Rose Iannaci *M/M Ken Stout & family
 9:00 a.m. Catherine & Walter Meier *Carolyn Hawkes
 Antoinette Narcini *E. Pacera
 11:00 a.m. George & Frances DeBlois *Daughter
 In honor of St. Thomas More
 *Michael Amantia, Esq.

Mass Intentions for the Week SAINT ANTHONY

SATURDAY, JUNE 14
 8:00 a.m. Sara Kerlin *Mary Kerlin
 Anthony T. Mancuso & Michael J Tomasulo
 *Family

4:30 p.m. Josephine Rosetti *Family
 Joseph Nocera *Mom & family

SUNDAY, JUNE 15
 8:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish
 10:00 a.m. William Stout, Sr. *Wife & son
 Mary & Frank Chiacchio *Family

MONDAY, JUNE 16
 8:00 a.m. Ann Marie Dickson *Estate
 Jaimie Burd *The Uhaze Family

TUESDAY, JUNE 17
 8:00 a.m. Anthony Ricciardelli *Msgr. Gervasio
 Deacon Joseph Malloy
 *The Napolitano Family

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18
 8:00 a.m. William Hurley *Carol & Hugh Bryce
 Deacon Joseph Malloy
 *The Baranowski Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 19
 8:00 a.m. Pauline Wrobel *Son, Frank
 Salvatore Romani *Connie & Dave Starling

FRIDAY, JUNE 20
 8:00 a.m. Helen & John Keenan *Mollye Carroll
 Thomas Davidson *Davidson Family

SATURDAY, JUNE 21
 8:00 a.m. James E. O'Rourke *Parish
 Deacon Joseph Malloy *Marge D'Agostino
 Dorothy Wilkie
 *Lewis & Marianne Gryziewicz
 Vincent J. Gallipoli *Rose & Michael Swem

SUNDAY, JUNE 22
 8:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish
 10:00 a.m. David & Patricia Johnson *Mom & Dad
 Renato J. Paglione
 *Angelo & Carmela DiGiuseppe

Rectory Office Hours

Mon – Thu: 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.; 1:30 - 8:00 p.m.
 Fri & Sat: 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.; 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Closed Sunday

Liturgical Celebrations This Week

Thu., June 19 St. Romuald
 Sat., June 21 St. Aloysius Gonzaga

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners:

Today's Gospel passage relates the calling of "the twelve." The selection of this group of intimates was one of the most important events of Jesus' public ministry. The choice of the Twelve came entirely from Our Lord's initiative and the importance He attached to this act can be seen in His prayerful preparation for it. To them alone Jesus discloses the messianic mystery, the predictions of His passion and the instructions about true discipleship. They alone were permitted to celebrate the Last Supper with the Lord. The number twelve had a special symbolic meaning—it is the number of Jacob's sons, the number of the twelve tribes of Israel. In establishing the circle of Twelve, Jesus presents Himself as the patriarch of a new Israel and institutes these twelve men as its origin and foundation. Pope Benedict has said, "There could be no clearer way of expressing the beginning of a new people, which is now no longer formed by physical descent but by 'being with Jesus.'" We see in this event, the apostolic foundation of the Church—one of the identifying marks of the true Church established by Christ. The twelve in turn appointed successors and the Church continues to be governed by them, our bishops, who pass on the faith that comes from the apostles. Even though the Church is a spiritual communion, a divine reality, a mystical body, it nonetheless is identified in the world through the marks or signs that distinguish it and point to it as Christ's one true Church. In our daily prayers this week, let us not neglect to include the person and intentions of our Holy Father, Pope Benedict, and our Bishop, John Smith, together with his predecessor in the See of Trenton, Bishop John Reiss. How blessed we are to be part of the Lord's apostolic Church!

In matters temporal, I am pleased to tell you that the work on the elevator project and the roof replacement is moving along. As I mentioned previously in this weekly message, the scope of our projects in the capital campaign have been adjusted to reflect the pledges that fell well below our intended goal. The majority of gifts were restricted to the elevator project for which there is a need and enthusiasm. No less a need of course is the very troublesome roof! We are proceeding on these two "fronts" and will then attempt to make other improvements to our facilities as funds permit.

In closing, in the name of our priests, deacons, and staff, I offer to all fathers our prayerful best wishes. Today is "their day" but our love and respect for all fathers is present every day!

With affection,
Msgr. Gervasio

Stewardship Report

Weekly collection: June 8 \$18,989

A Few Recent Expenses

Envelope System Quarterly Printing & Postage	\$3,119
OLS Church & Hall Cleaning (June)	\$2,113
Health Benefits (June)	\$1,200
Lift Repairs (St. Anthony Church)	\$1,200
Religious Education Texts and Programs	\$985
Office Supplies & Postage	\$755
Equipment Leasing	\$654

Capital Campaign Update

Pledged	\$1,156,307
Received to Date	\$604,000

Happy Father's Day



We unite ourselves to the nation in rendering honor to the vocation of fatherhood and offer our prayerful best wishes to the fathers of our parish:

**God our Father,
in your wisdom and love you made all things.
Bless and strengthen all fathers.
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.
Grant that we, their sons and daughters,
may honor them always
with a spirit of profound respect.
We commend to your love and mercy
the souls of all fathers who have died.
Bring them into the joy of your kingdom.
Amen!**

Help Needed

We don't want to leave anyone out, so we have a great opportunity for you to volunteer in our Religious Education program! Catechists and Aides are needed. If you love your faith and are willing to share this faith with children, please call the Office of Religious Education (587-4140).

Sunday 9:30 – 10:45 a.m.

Catechists and Aides for 1st grade

Monday 4:00 - 5:15 p.m.

Catechists and Aides for 4th, 5th, and 6th grades

Wednesday 7:15 - 8:30 p.m.

Catechists and Aides for 7th grade

Days of Renewal for Liturgical Ministers

The Liturgy Committee, along with Deacon Tim, will be hosting A Day of Renewal at Our Lady of Sorrows for all EMHC on Saturday, June 21, and one for Lectors on Saturday, June 28. Both days will begin at 8:30 a.m. and end at 2:30 p.m. We welcome back Fr. Peter Girard, who presented our parish Lenten mission, for these two days. Both days will include Mass, personal prayer, and dialogue. Breakfast & lunch will be provided. If you have not already done so, RSVP ASAP to the parish office (587-4372).

Religious Education Announcement For Parents of Religious Education Students

In order to place the children in the various sessions, we ask for your cooperation in completing your registration forms as soon as possible. This will give us time to assign both children and Catechists to the sessions prior to September 2008. Since we have lots of children, we need the weeks between August and September 17 to organize the sessions so that our first day will run smoothly. Again we ask for your cooperation.

We will be mailing all the information and Religious Education schedule to parents by the second week of August.

Cherubs

Have you enrolled your preschooler or kindergarten child in *Cherubs*?

What is *Cherubs*?

Cherubs is the name of our early childhood religious education program for three-, four- and five-year-olds.

When are classes?

Cherubs sessions are held on Sunday mornings from 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. from October to April.

Where are the classes held?

Cherubs classes are held in the parish elementary school building in 'age appropriate' classroom settings.

What about class size?

Cherubs class sizes are usually small (8-12 children), so learning opportunities are optimal.

Why send my child to this program?

Children who attend early childhood religious education classes are better prepared to begin formal religious education classes in first grade. During *Cherubs* classes the children are introduced to Scripture stories, songs, prayers and practices, as well as fun-filled, faith-filled crafts and activities.

Where do I sign my child up?

The Religious Education Office has all the details. Please call 587-4140 to obtain registration forms.

Seniors' Activities

Senior Club #1

Corporate Mass:
June 29 at 10 a.m. at St. Anthony Church

Senior Club #2

End of year luncheon: June 17
1 p.m. at Rosa's Restaurant
Trip to Showboat Casino, Atlantic City
Wednesday, June 18
Bus leaves OLS parking lot at 9:30 a.m.
Call Theresa (838-2736) for reservations

Senior Club #3

Last meeting until September: June 24
1:00 p.m. – Church Meeting Room
A luncheon will be served
Table 1 hosts

Our Seniors Clubs welcome new members! You do not have to be a parishioner to join the Seniors Clubs.

God Bless Our Newly Baptized

Joshua Jie Ferdetta Giovanni Salvatore Lucania

OLS-SA Youth Group

High School Youth Group

June 1 - Meeting 7-9 p.m.
June 8 - Meeting 7-9 p.m.
June 15 - Father's Day, no meeting

June 22 - Youth Group Picnic



June 29 - Meeting 7-9 p.m.
July 6 - No Meeting
July 11 – 13 - *Steubenville East* (No Sunday meeting)

July 18 - Beach Day!



July 20 - Meeting 7-9 p.m.
July 27 - Aug 2 - JusticeworX

Middle School Youth Group

June 6 - Meeting 7-9 p.m.

June 20 - Summer Kick-off 7-10 p.m.



July 4 - Independence Day (No meeting)
July 18 - Meeting 7-9 p.m.

Thanks!

On behalf of the students, teachers, and staff at Our Lady of Sorrows Preschool, we would like to thank you for your participation in the "Family Night Out" at Zingaro's. We raised \$300.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity to Catholic Schools.

Caring Hearts Report: The Good Work Continues

During the month of may, Caring Hearts volunteers devoted 225 hours to providing companionship and assistance to seniors. In addition to the time spent on administrative chores, volunteers performed household repairs, did chores, visited and shopped for the homebound, and provided meals and transportation.

Weekly Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

The lamps that burn before the Blessed Sacrament at St. Anthony this week are offered:

In loving memory of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Donnelly
at the request of their daughter
and

In loving memory of Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Wagner
at the request of her sister

Rosary Altar Society

Our Lady of Sorrows - St. Anthony Rosary Altar Society held their monthly meeting on Monday, June 2. Deacon Tim Moore conducted a ceremony inducting the new officers for the upcoming two years: President Mary Halasz, Vice-President Toni Levandowski, Secretary Melissa Demko, and Treasurer Joyce Berryman.

Corporate Sunday is on Sunday, July 6, at the OLS Campus. The recitation of the Rosary begins at 8:30 a.m. followed by Mass at 9:00 a.m. All are invited to join us to recite the Rosary for world peace, an end to abortion and terrorism, the intentions of the Pope, and for the personal intentions of all those present.

Bingo Assignments

Saturday: 8 p.m. – Parish Center Cafeteria

The Bingo worker schedule appears below. If there is a scheduling conflict, please contact Karen Brisson (587-4141) or Susan Dolan (324-3985) well in advance so that other arrangements can be made. Workers are asked to arrive by 6:45 p.m.

Jun. 21	Haney, Horn, Maher, Mizsak, Murphy
Jun. 28	Patten, Plutto, Quinn, Rossetti, Alessi

Bible Study Groups

Monday Night Bible Study (Last Session until September)

OLS Lower Church at 7:30 p.m.

Information: Len Communi—800-365-9656 x6561

Wednesday Morning Bible Study & Faith Sharing

OLS Church Meeting Room at 9:45 a.m.

Information: Mary Napolitano—586-2203

Women's Scripture Sharing

1st & 3rd Sunday each month from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

2nd floor of Mary's Haven, OLS Campus

New members & guests welcome.

Information: Pat—587-6838

School of Community

The Our Lady of Sorrows-St. Anthony parish "School of Community" meets on Thursday evenings at 7 pm in Mary's Haven (the former convent on the Our Lady of Sorrows campus).

"School of Community" is a moment of Adult Faith Formation that is part of the Church movement *Communion and Liberation (CL)*. It is called "school" because it teaches us more about our faith as a continuous encounter with Jesus, who asks us "What are you looking for?" and proposes to us to "Come and see," as He did to the Apostles. Through the reading of texts and discussions, we seek a deeper awareness of Jesus' presence in our lives. It is through our encounter with Jesus Christ that allows us to live the truly more human "life to the full" that Jesus promises to all His followers. It is in living in communion with Christ Jesus that we find true freedom, meaning and fulfillment in our lives. From this encounter, renewed every day, a deep love for Christ is born that affects every aspect of our life.

In the words of Pope Benedict XVI, "Communion and Liberation is a community experience of faith born in the Church not by the will of an organized hierarchy but originating from a renewed encounter with Christ, and thus, we can say, by an impulse derived ultimately from the Holy Spirit."

Everybody is welcome to "Come and see."

For information you may call Fr. JC Garrett, and/or check the website of Communion and Liberation: www.clonline.us.

Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased

William Carter, DVM

Adele Mihavetz

Pray for the Sick

We commend to your prayers all the sick in the parish. While not every name can appear in the listing below, we remember all those who are ill and pray that they may know the Lord's healing presence.

Anthony DiPaola, Sr.	Dennis Fordham
Elizabeth Garton	Jack Heller
Edith LaBella	George Loh
Ken Macauley	Mary McCutchan
Richard Pizzuti	Theresa Raniolo
Vivian Saxby	Ian Scheuerman
Lillian Springer	Mary Masick Timian

Due to limited space and our desire to include the names of others, absent special circumstances, names will remain on our list for one month only. Please call the parish office (587-4372) to have a name removed earlier.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Author Lecture and Book Signing

St. Rose Parish (Belmar) invites you to meet James Harford, author of *Merton & Friends: A Joint Biography of Thomas Merton, Robert Lax, and Edward Rice*, on Saturday, June 28, from 10:00 a.m. to Noon. A small supply of books will be available for purchase and signing. R.S.V.P. to Tina DeVito (732-681-0512, ext. 491, or tdevito@strose.k12.nj.us).

Holy Father's June Prayer Intentions

General: That Christians may cultivate a deep and personal friendship with Christ so they are able to communicate the strength of His love to those they encounter.

Mission: That the International Eucharistic Congress in Quebec, Canada, may lead to ever deeper understanding of the Eucharist, the heart of the Church and source of evangelization.

Field Hockey Camp for Girls

Kids with Sticks Field Hockey Camp
Notre Dame High School
July 28 to August 1
Girls ages 8-14
Call 267-342-8008

Widows & Widowers Dance Social

The Mercer County chapter of the Widows and Widowers will hold its monthly dance social on June 27, at 7:30 p.m., at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 1451 Klockner Road, Hamilton. Refreshments will be served. All widows and widowers are welcome to attend. For details, call Marilyn (587-8959) or Regina (585-3453).

Al Doan, Jr. Golf Tournament

Mountain View Golf Course
Bear Tavern Road, West Trenton
Monday, June 23

Registration: 6:30 a.m. Shotgun Start: 8:00 a.m.

Best Ball Format

Entry Fees: \$125 Early Bird or \$150 at Door
Dinner Only Tickets: \$40

Top 3 finishing foursomes will receive prizes
Prizes also for: Hole-in-One, Straightest Drive, Longest Drive, and Closest to the Pin
Plus a 50/50, Door Prizes, & Tricky Tray Auction
Sponsorship opportunities abound!

For details, for additional information about the tournament, or to register:
call Jay Raywood (586-3922)

or email aldoanjrmemorialgolfouting@verizon.net
Proceeds benefit the Al Doan, Jr. Memorial Scholarship for Nottingham High School Football Athletes

Visits to Local Nursing Homes

The Legion of Mary, Mater Dei Praesidium, makes weekly visits to local nursing homes. If you have a relative or friend who would like to be visited, please contact Louise Perilli (675-1849) or Louise Ferrara (586-8153).



Project Freedom's 6th Annual Golf Classic Monday, July 28 Cranbury Golf Course Southfield Road West Windsor, NJ

Registration: 10:00 a.m.

Shotgun Start: Noon – California Scramble

Registration Fee: \$ 150 (includes golf, cart, bag drop service, coffee/bagels at registration, lunch, cocktails at 5:00 p.m., buffet dinner at 5:30 p.m.)

Fee for dinner only: \$50

Putting contest, closest to the pin, straightest drive for men and women, 6 Hole In Contests, 50/50 Raffle

Tournament sponsorships still available.

For further information, call Gary Zarrilli or Tom Csapo at 448-2998 or email gzarrilli@projectfreedom.org



For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, . . .

Matthew 25:35

Loaves and Fishes

Saturday, June 28

The Loaves and Fishes Community of the Diocese of Trenton serves meals on the last two Saturdays of every month all year long at St. Mary's Cathedral in Trenton. Our Lady of Sorrows/St. Anthony will host the meal on Saturday, June 28. We will be serving dinner for more than 600 guests.

OLS School PTA will prepare bagged lunches on Friday, June 27, beginning at 5:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

We **REALLY** need volunteers to serve at the Cathedral on Saturday!

Can you spare just a few hours out of one day to serve Jesus?

There are several ways you can help: You can work "behind the scenes" in the kitchen or serve the guests directly, and several time slots are available:

- 10 helpers to serve bagels and coffee at St. Mary's, 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
- 10 helpers to prepare the meal and work in the kitchen, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- 30 helpers to serve the dinner guests, 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- 5 helpers to serve at the second station in the cafeteria, 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
- 6 helpers to prep the dessert, 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- 10 helpers to clean the kitchen, Noon – 1:30 p.m.
- 10 helpers to clean the cafeteria and fold the tables, 12:30 – 1:30 p.m.

Does your child need service hours? This is a great way to earn them!

Is transportation an issue for you? Car pooling for adults is available.

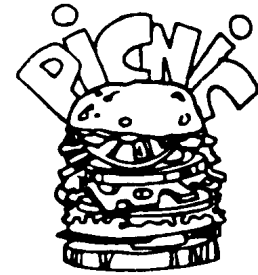
To volunteer or to arrange transportation, contact:

Mary Vanderhoof at 587-9035, or email mmvfaith@aol.com,

Leo Wieger at 586-3882, or email lwieger@optonline.net,

Cheryl Uhaze at 588-0890, or email cuhaze@optonline.net.

CYO Day Camp 50th Anniversary



When: Saturday, July 12 (Rain date: Sunday, July 13)
Where: Day Camp. 453 Yardville-Allentown Road, Yardville
Time: 12:30 to 6:30 p.m.
What: Picnic food from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. No fee—the CYO will supply the picnic food and drinks. Each guest is asked to bring an appetizer, side dish, or dessert.

- § The pool will be open from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.
- § A very brief program with remarks will be held at 3:00 p.m.
- § Bring any old photos to share
- § Commemorative t-shirts will be sold!
- § Kids games and activities offered
- § Music
- § Much, much more fun with familiar friendly faces

For more information, contact Patrick Hardiman at 585-4280, ext. 102 or phardiman@cyomercer.org.

In the event of questionable weather on Saturday, July 12, call our weather line (585-4280) after 10:00 a.m.

Complete and return the form below to CYO Yardville Day Camp (453 Yardville Allentown Rd, Yardville NJ 08620) before July 1.

Name of person/family _____

Family Address _____

of adults attending _____ Phone number _____

and ages of children attending _____

Food item bringing (optional) _____

Join Sr. Ruth on a Bus Trip to Lancaster



See *In the Beginning*, the Story of Creation,
At the famous Sight & Sound Theater
In Strasburg, PA, and enjoy:

- Shopping at the Lancaster outlets;
- “Lupper” at a popular area restaurant;
 - Excellent company;
 - Prizes; and
 - A 50-50.

Date: Saturday, August 16

Show Time: 4:00 p.m.

Cost: \$100 per person

Trip cost includes round trip transportation with a movie on board.
Bus leaves Our Lady of Sorrows parking lot (please park along the back fence)
at 9:00 a.m. and returns around 8:00 p.m.

Save your gas and enjoy a great trip! Call Sr. Ruth Durfee, S.C., at 731-5798 to
reserve your seats, then complete the form below and return with your check
(payable to OLS-SA) to the rectory by July 15.

Name: _____ #of Tickets: _____

Address: _____

Amount Enclosed: _____ Phone #: _____