

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, 9:00, & 11:00 a.m. (OLS)
8:00 & 10:00 a.m. (SA)
6:30 p.m. (Creole) (SA)

Holy Days of Obligation

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

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)

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

Parish Staff

Rev. Msgr. Thomas N. Gervasio, Pastor
Rev. Eugene K. Savarimuthu, Adjunct
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

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SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

July 19, 2009

"The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want." Psalm 23

Mass Intentions for the Week OUR LADY OF SORROWS

SATURDAY, JULY 18
5:00 p.m. Kmetz & Ungarini Families
*M/M Michael Kmetz
Jennie Asta Calcese *Doohaluk Family

SUNDAY, JULY 19
7:30 a.m. Robert D'Auria *M/M Grice
Anthony J. Golowski *Son
9:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish
11:00 a.m. George & Theresa Novak *M/M J. Bernath
Mary Jane Seiler *M/M Robert Bennett

MONDAY, JULY 20
7:00 a.m. Rose DeUmberto & Frank Pacera *E. Pacera
Eleanor Scherer *Earl & Rose Babbitt

TUESDAY, JULY 21
7:00 a.m. Margaret Renyo *James & Regina Uveges
Alice Davis *Prendergast Family

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22
7:00 a.m. Spencer Baldwin *Elizabeth & Robert Liedtka
Jack Cascio *Elizabeth & William Gray

THURSDAY, JULY 23
7:00 a.m. Elizabeth Davies *Robert & Margery Cottrell
Margaret Gulfin *Dem & Annette Ilagan

FRIDAY, JULY 24
7:00 a.m. Theodore Gould *Brand Family
William Hamilton *Chuck Murphy

SATURDAY, JULY 25
5:00 p.m. Deacon Joseph Malloy *Eileen Murphy
William C. Carter *M/M Randy Ponticciello

SUNDAY, JULY 26
7:30 a.m. For the people of the parish
9:00 a.m. Frank Pavan *M/M Luigi Portello
George Zimmer, Jr. *Nick Chomicki
11:00 a.m. Mary Jane Seiler *Dave & Angela Milinowicz
John Conte
*Jim Cacciabauda & Gloria Grinius

Mass Intentions for the Week SAINT ANTHONY

SATURDAY, JULY 18
8:00 a.m. Barbara DiStefano *Chuck Murphy
Angela Elizabeth Bagley
*Jessie DellaRossa & Tommy

4:30 p.m. Mary Jane Seiler
*M/M Harry Masterson & family
Patricia Woodcock *Pam Beagin & family

SUNDAY, JULY 19
8:00 a.m. Joseph Connolly *Grace Phelan
Elizabeth Garton *M/M Eugene Villanueva
Fortunato Battisti *Wife
Louis A. DeAngelo, Jr. *Wife, Irene

MONDAY, JULY 20
8:00 a.m. Emil Petrecca *Family
Harold Phelan *Family

TUESDAY, JULY 21
8:00 a.m. Stanley Nowak *Marjorie Hamarich
Paul T. Zabicki *Kevin & Carol Farley

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22
8:00 a.m. Grace Rossi *Ben & Clara Gioe
Patricia Burton *Prendergast Family

THURSDAY, JULY 23
8:00 a.m. Ted Krainski *Art & Terry Schauer
Frederick J. Lyle
*Beth Anne & Steve Mahoney

FRIDAY, JULY 24
8:00 a.m. Francis X. Robb, Sr.
*Dottie Hayman & Guy San Filippo
Fritz Gaspard *Mariyam & Austin Francis

SATURDAY, JULY 25
8:00 a.m. Rose Marie Cole *Tony & Ceil
Fred Sorrento *Wife, Vickie, & family
4:30 p.m. Maria Parente *Troiani Family
Patricia Woodcock *Donna Thieman

SUNDAY, JULY 26
8:00 a.m. Elizabeth Garton *Emily & John Dix
Edwin Lewandowski, Sr. *Elaine Urbani
10:00 a.m. David & Patricia Johnson *Mom & Dad
Howard Fritsch *Mary Krisanda

Liturgical Celebrations This Week

Mon., July 20	St. Apollinaris
Tue., July 21	St. Lawrence of Brindisi
Wed., July 22	St. Mary Magdalene
Thu., July 23	St. Bridget of Sweden
Fri., July 24	St. Sharbel of Makhilūf
Sat. July 25	St. James

Weekly Novena at St. Anthony

Miraculous Medal Novena: Monday, after 8 a.m. Mass
St. Anthony Novena: Tuesday, after 8 a.m. Mass

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners:

You may have heard of the dialog between a pastor and his parishioner. The Pastor asked a venerable usher what he thought of his sermon. "I especially liked the passage at the end," said the elderly man. "Which was that?" asked the pastor. "The passage from the pulpit back to the sacristy!" he replied.

I do not doubt that a few parishioners who frequent Our Lady of Sorrows may have felt as did the dear usher, after my remarks at all the Masses there. These were related to the renovation of the church's interior. I was very pleased to have received so many favorable reactions to the plans that will be realized there over the next few months. Thanks for your interest, support and enthusiasm! Through pulpit announcements and bulletin articles, we will keep everyone informed about the progress of this work. At this point we are still awaiting the approval of the township building officials.

Drawings of the proposed interior and of the elevator to be constructed at St. Anthony will be displayed in both our churches. In regard to the elevator, after review of the final construction plans, the township has required the installation of a generator for safety concerns. This is now being arranged by the architect and construction firm.

Please join me in welcoming this weekend, Fr. Eugene Flores of the LaSalette Missionaries who is here to appeal for the support of his congregation's work. Please be as generous as possible. In addition to our prayers, our financial support is a practical way to be a part of the missionary efforts of the Church throughout the world.

With affection,
Msgr. Gervasio

You Are Invited!

Our parish offers sincere congratulations and prayerful best wishes to

Fr. Sam Sirianni

on his installation as Pastor of
St. Robert Bellarmine Parish, Freehold.

Fr. Sirianni, better known as "Father Sam," is Director of the Office of Worship for the Diocese of Trenton and has held various assignments in the greater Trenton area. He served as parochial vicar and administrator of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish.

Father Sam cordially invites our parish community to his installation liturgy next Sunday, July 26, at 5:00 p.m. It will take place at St. Robert Bellarmine Church, 60 Georgia Road, Freehold.

Stewardship Report

Weekly Collection: July 12	\$19,260
June Rent Income (St. Anthony Campus)	\$29,271

June Expenditures

Utilities	
Telephone	\$1,725
Nat Gas Co	\$ 356
PSE&G	\$2,643
Contracted Services	
Lawn Care / Groundskeeping	\$3,160
Maintenance, Repairs & Improvements	\$2,666
Equipment and Furnishings	\$1,800
Household Expenses	\$1,703
Liturgical & Church Supplies	\$2,312
Religious Education Program	\$1,723
Elementary School Subsidy Support	\$37,500
Office Supplies & Equipment	\$1,157
Other Expenses	
Charity / Loaves & Fishes	\$746
Hosp'y / Welcome Sun. / St. Martha Sun.	\$347
Marriage Prep. / Celebration of Marriage	\$2,553
Transport for Mass	\$200
Monitor	\$401
Website	\$538
Security	\$75
Total Expenditures	\$61,605

Bishop's Annual Appeal (as of 7/13)

Pledged: \$75,021 Paid \$57,905 Donors: 419

The Carillon Returns!

An additional aspect of our church enhancement for Our Lady of Sorrows is the repair of the malfunctioning carillon. The system now has four new speakers to replace the defective ones. The sound of bells will call the faithful to worship and we shall enjoy once again the ringing of sacred hymns through the year.

Bingo Assignments

Saturday: 7:30 p.m. – Parish Center Cafeteria

The Bingo worker schedule appears below. If there is a scheduling conflict, please contact Karen Brisson (587-4141) or Karen Carella (888-4388) well in advance so that other arrangements can be made. Workers are asked to arrive by 6:15 p.m.

July 25	Goodman, Kianka, Kite, Kotnarowski, Leavey, Mazur
Aug 1	Mount, Oakley, Rivera, Rossi, Schanz, Valyo

Year for Priests 2009 – 19 June – 2010

Faithfulness of Christ—Faithfulness of priests

A Prayer for Priests

Dear Lord,

We pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry.

We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, “Do whatever He tells you” (Jn 2:5).

May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary’s most chaste spouse.

May the Blessed Mother’s own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross.

May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love, seeking nothing but your greater glory and the salvation of souls.

Amen.

Saint John Vianney, pray for us.

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Keep in Your Prayers this Week:

Reverend Monsignor Ronald J. Bacovin

Reverend John P. Bambrick

Reverend Richard J. Basznianin

Reverend Edward H. Blanchett

Reverend John Bogacz

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From the Curé d’Ars:

My children, the three acts of faith, hope, and charity contain all the happiness of man upon the earth.

Catechism on the Love of God

Wildwood Trip

OLS-SA Senior Club #1 is sponsoring a trip to Wildwood , Sept. 28 - Oct. 1 (Mon. – Thu.) Price is \$245/person (double), which includes bus, meals, taxes, gratuities, and a great itinerary. Call Gloria at 587-1944 for more information.

Witness to our Faith in the Eucharist

The warmer weather urges a reminder to all about proper dress for the celebration of Mass. The Catechism teaches that “Bodily demeanor (gestures, clothing) ought to convey the respect, solemnity, and joy of the moment when Christ becomes our guest.” (#1387) The late Archbishop May, of St. Louis, wrote: “Once upon a time we had pastors who used to upbraid parishioners who came to church without suit coats, and women with “hankies” or tissues on their heads were regularly denounced. That was a bit extreme. But have we hit the other extreme in the casual clothing we see at Mass in some churches today? Jesus was very insistent about proper reverence in God’s house. Are we?” Our dress conveys the importance and dignity we attach to something or someone. What of our encounter with the Lord of heaven and earth? Dignified dress has a witness value to our brothers and sisters, sending the message that Mass is the most important part of my week. Let us be more reflective about the choices we make about Mass, avoiding that attire which is meant for the beach and health club or gym! Think about it!

Seniors’ Activities

Senior Club #1

There will be no meetings in July or August.
Trip to Resorts (AC) on Wednesday, July 15
Bus leaves St. Anthony parking lot at 9:00 a.m.
Call Gloria at 587-1944 for reservations

Senior Club #2

We also will run buses to AC casinos on July 15 and August 19, so mark your calendar now. The bus leaves the church parking lot at 9:30 a.m.
Call Bea at 298-5559 for reservations

Senior Club #3

There will be no meetings in July or August.

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

Flowers



The flowers at the Holy Family altar are from Charlotte Scarna Holden



with love and gratitude for the blessing of her granddaughter, Ava Charlie Holden.

Weekly Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

The lamp that burns before the Blessed Sacrament at Our Lady of Sorrows this week is offered in loving memory of John Francis Young at the request of his wife, Lucy.

God Bless Our Newly Baptized

Lucia Marguerite Canuso Sophia Rose Kaplan
William R. Kohut, Jr. Justin Alexander Laski
Charles George Schulz

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.

James Cleary, Natalie Devlin, Paula Donahue, Bud Foley, Pete Hourihan, Edith LaBella, Lucas Tyler Logan, Elizabeth Rauth, Leon Santilli, Victoria Sorrento, Dave Thoennes, Anthony Tonzini, Virginia Urlick

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. Call the parish office (587-4372) to have a name removed earlier.

Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased

Dominic Palumbo

Diocesan Pilgrimage

Bishop John Smith invites you to journey with him to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception on Saturday, September 19.

The bus will leave Our Lady of Sorrows parking lot at 7:00 a.m., so please arrive no later than 6:45 a.m. We should arrive back in Mercerville around 8:30 or 9:00 p.m. You may bring a bag lunch or buy lunch in the Shrine's cafeteria. We will have a short stop on the way down and stop for dinner on our way home.

The cost of the trip is \$25 per person. Please make check payable to OLS-SA, and indicate on your check "National Shrine Pilgrimage." Complete the form below and place it and your check in an envelope marked "National Shrine Pilgrimage." Put the envelope in the collection plate, or send it to the parish office no later than Monday, August 10. If you have any questions or need additional information, please call Mary Halasz at 585-4804 or Lou D'Zurilla at 587-3871.

Diocesan Pilgrimage Reservation Form

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ No. Attending _____

x \$25

Total Enclosed _____

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? Cherub sessions are held on Sunday mornings from 9:30 to 10:30 from Oct. - May.

Where are the classes held? Cherub classes are held in the parish elementary school building in 'age appropriate' classroom settings.

What about class size? Cherub 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 Cherub 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, ext 2, to obtain registration forms.

Religious Education News

Registration—In order to place the children in the various sessions, we ask you to complete your registration as soon as possible. We have more than 590 children in the program and need time to assign both children and catechists so that our beginning day will run smoothly.

We will mail information and the Religious Education schedule to parents by the end of August. Our first sessions will start on September 13, 14, and 16. Our office is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For your convenience, all registration forms are available on the parish website (www.ols-sa.org). You may print the registration form and mail or bring it to the Religious Education Office.

Attention TCA Parents—If your child attends Trenton Catholic Academy and is in the 2nd or 7th grade, please make sure that you register him or her for sacramental preparation.

Catechists Needed—We need catechists for grades 4 & 5 on Mondays, from 4:30 to 5:45 p.m.; for grades 1 & 5 on Wednesdays from 6 to 7:15 p.m.

The soul of a child hungers for the unconditional love of God and for the knowledge that God is ever present in their lives—even in times of trial and distress. Are you willing to "feed them yourself" by sharing the Word of God and the faith of our Church with the youngest in our flock? Please come to speak with us about volunteer opportunities in the faith formation of our children. We simply cannot conduct the religious education and sacramental preparation programs without volunteer catechists. If you think you might be interested, please email MFranis@ols-sa.org or call 587-4140, ext 2.

OLS-SA Golf Classic

Calling all golfers: Register now for Our Lady of Sorrows-St. Anthony's 15th Annual Golf Classic. It will be held on Wednesday, September 30, at Mercer Oaks Golf Club. Golf entry forms are available at the church exits.

Around the Diocese

Solemnity of Saint Joachim & Saint Anne Benediction & Triduum Prayers

Wednesday, July 22, at 7:00 p.m., St. Joachim Church
Thursday, July 23 at 7:00 p.m., St. Joachim Church
Friday, July 24 at 7:00 p.m., St. Joachim Church

Please join us as we honor our worship site's holy patron, St. Joachim, and his wife, St. Anne. Solemn Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, July 26, at 11:00 a.m.

Saint Joachim Church, 20-56 Butler St., Trenton

In the Footsteps of Our Forebears

Sponsored by the Parish of Our Lady of the Angels and the VALNERINA – Trenton / Hamilton Gemmelaggio, preparations have begun for a unique trip to Italy during September 2010. We would like to have a session to present some ideas and listen to some concerns regarding the format of this particular trip on Wednesday, July 22, in the Lower Parish Office of Our Lady of the Angels Parish (21-23 Bayard St.) immediately following the Triduum Prayers in honor of Saints Joachim and Anne. All are welcome to come. See you there!

Marriage and Natural Family Planning . . . A Divine Design

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Plan your family naturally. Here are the Natural Family Planning options for 2009:

- ✓ Fertility Planning Information Evenings (7:00 – 9:00 p.m.)
 - ✓ Tuesday, September 22, at Holy Cross Parish in Rumson
 - ✓ Thursday, November 19, at St. Mary of the Lakes School in Medford
- ✓ Private Instruction (by appointment)
 - ✓ In Sea Girt: Mary McMenaman* (732-449-9177; marytmac@verizon.net)
 - ✓ In Eatontown: Josi Shimkus* (732-380-1440; josijohn@optonline.net)

* Creighton Model Fertility Care Practitioners

- ✓ Online Instruction at www.nwfs.org

For more information on Natural Family Planning alternatives in the Diocese of Trenton, contact Peg Hensler, NFP Coordinator, at 406-7400, ext. 5556, or phensl@dioceseoftrenton.org.

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