

THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS – ST. ANTHONY



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August 30, 2009



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 Upper Church)
7:45, 9:15, & 11:15 a.m. (OLS Lower Church)
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)

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

Monthly Rosary & Weekly Novenae

Rosary: 1st Sun of Month, 8:30 a.m. (OLS)
Miraculous Medal Novena: Mon, after 8 a.m. Mass (SA)
St. Anthony Novena: Tue, after 8 a.m. Mass (SA)

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 Challenger
Joseph Jaruszewski	Timothy Moore
Kevin O'Boyle	Dennis Slavin

Trustees

Julianne DeCore	Kenneth Sked
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Pastoral Outreach

Joan Bartolomei

Youth Ministry

Karen Craven

Music Ministry

Michael Amantia

Parish Secretary

Doreen Griffin-Gallway

Financial Secretary

Clara Gioe

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Our Lady of Sorrows School & Religious Education Program

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TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

August 30, 2009

“The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.” Psalm 15

Mass Intentions for the Week OUR LADY OF SORROWS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29
5:00 p.m. Deacon Joseph Malloy
*Rhodes/Platt Families
Paul Voilas *Mercerville Serra Club

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30
7:30 a.m. Joseph & Olga Baker *Family
Intentions of Greg Fera
*Joe & Joanne Hejda
9:00 a.m. Leonard Kantor *M/M Jellinek
Clara Cannon *Sandy Lorenz
11:00 a.m. Nora Gallagher *Mary Jane Supal
Steve Mihalow *Brian & Janette Young

MONDAY, AUGUST 31
7:00 a.m. Msgr. James P. McManimon
*Jack & Betsy Dirk
Patricia Woodcock *Vanderhoof Family

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1
7:00 a.m. Helen Derrico *Doris & Rich Chmiel
Jennie Proccacino
*Rosemary Proccacino & family

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2
7:00 a.m. Joan M. Hooker *Eva Porter
Frank Louis Silvestro *Daughter, Frances

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
7:00 a.m. Margaret Renyo *Madge Zemcik
Helen Worob
*Jean, Ronald, & Chris Sheppard

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
7:00 a.m. Kaye Luckie *Margie & Fred Pallotti
Dorothy Dwyer *Bugus Family

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
5:00 p.m. Anthony D'Auria *M/M Grice
Joseph J. Pucciatti *M/M George Lanna

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
7:30 a.m. For the people of the parish
9:00 a.m. Harry & Anna DiMemmo *Daughter, Eleanor
Michael Kocan *Wife and family
11:00 a.m. Richard J. Maher, Sr. *Mollye Carroll
Nellie Graziano *Brian & Janette Young

Mass Intentions for the Week SAINT ANTHONY

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29
8:00 a.m. Gregory & Emilia Alessi
*Zina Amantia & family
Marilu Woodruff *Tom & Jane Sweeney
Albert Bruschi *Family
Amedeo DeSantis *Norma Asta

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30
8:00 a.m. For the people of the parish
10:00 a.m. Robert H. Herrera *Helen Imbalzano
James V. Tramontana
*Charlotte Scarna Holden & family

MONDAY, AUGUST 31
8:00 a.m. Michael Kerlin *Mary Kerlin
Alfonsina Roudentein *M/M Louis Pascucci

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1
8:00 a.m. Virginia Britton *TNC Club
Dennis Grainger *Walter Henry

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2
8:00 a.m. Joseph Baxter *Family
Gregory & Emilia Alessi *Josette Mayes

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
8:00 a.m. Theodore & Margaret Zorn *Family
Maureen Murphy *Rosary Altar Society

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
8:00 a.m. Ethel Bowden *Joan & Bob Bennett
Marilu Woodruff *Angelo & Clare Millioto

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
8:00 a.m. Maryann & Robert Griggs *Griggs Family
Mary Tonne Romano
*Vince & Pietrina Peroni
4:30 p.m. Angelina Maldera *Mary, Olympia & Angie
Albert Bruschi *Family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
8:00 a.m. Mary & John Zaluski *Family
Elizabeth Garton *Julie Serbon
10:00 a.m. Deceased Kelly Family Members
*Pat & Bernice
Robert Herrera *M/M Carl Nami

Liturgical Celebrations This Week

Thu., Sept. 3 St. Gregory the Great
Fri., Sept. 4 First Friday

Weekly Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

The lamp that burns before the Blessed Sacrament in Our Lady of Sorrows this week is offered for the intentions of Virginia Urlick at the request of Marge & Bill Urlick.

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners:

At the outset, I offer sincere thanks to all who attended Mass at Our Lady of Sorrows last weekend. I am most appreciative of your patience and good cheer with regard to our changes in seating for the renovation period. Last weekend it became apparent that either additional space or additional Masses were needed. Therefore I have decided to add three Masses to the Sunday schedule at Our Lady of Sorrows. Please note the schedule on the reverse side of this page. As I mentioned in my remarks, we hope to move quickly through the process and will try our best to make everyone as comfortable as possible.

We received a response to our permit application for the elevation addition at St. Anthony Church. The electrical inspector has raised questions regarding electrical service. We are in the process of responding to his questions. Patience is a virtue! We are proceeding with the painting of St. Anthony Church Hall. It is sorely needed...fresh paint has not touched those hallowed walls since the late 1980s. We anticipate this work to be completed in three or four week's time.

I would be remiss as a pastor if I did not call your attention to a decline in our weekly giving. Last week's collection total was one of the lowest in recent memory! I trust that we can attribute this to many families being on summer holiday! Perhaps on their return they will "make up" for the absence. I am very grateful for your stewardship and pray that it continues to be generous and consistent.

Recently I saw that well known "back to school" ad on TV with its musical theme: "It's the most wonderful time of the year!" i.e., at least for parents. You may know it...a jubilant parent fills the cart with many school supplies much to the chagrin of the children! Whatever our sentiments, I know that our school and religious education program are ready to extend a warm welcome to new and returning students. If you have not registered your child in our school or religious education program, please do so as soon as possible!

With affection,
Msgr. Gervasio

Help Wanted

Volunteers needed for Our Lady of Sorrows-St. Anthony 15th Golf Classic to be held at Mercer Oaks on September 30. Please call: John Chmiel at 587-3696.

First Thursday

September 3

Eucharistic Adoration

follows 8:00 a.m. Mass (SAC)

Confessions

6:00 p.m.

Evening Prayer & Benediction

6:30 p.m.

Stewardship Report

Weekly Collection: August 23	\$16,221
July Rent Income (St. Anthony Campus)	\$29,271

July Expenditures

Diocese of Trenton	
Diocesan Assessments	\$13,750
Property Insurance	\$6,085
Life Insurance	\$217
Health Insurance	\$8,004
Auto Insurance	\$2,400
Pension Program	\$3,300
Subsidy to T.C.A. - monthly (based on S.A.C. rentals)	\$5,566
Utilities	
Telephone	\$3,319
Nat Gas Co	\$68
PSE&G	\$8,312
Contracted Services	
Lawn Care / Groundskeeping	\$2,785
Copier	\$305
Professional Fees	
Realtor Fees, Rental Properties	\$6,310
Maintenance, Repairs & Improvements	\$7,377
Household Expenses	\$4,831
Liturgical & Church Supplies	\$3,179
Religious Education Program	\$308
Bereavement Ministry	\$192
Office Supplies & Equipment	\$1,301
Other Expenses	
Diaconate Program	\$350
Envelope Printing and Postage	\$3,189
Hamilton Twp. Property Taxes	\$1,147
Transport for Mass	\$160
Monitor	\$396
Music Ministry	\$667
Workshop - Pastoral Care	\$225
Clergy Retreat	\$500
State of NJ - Elevator Inspection Fee	\$164
Total Expenditures	\$84,407

Bishop's Annual Appeal (as of 8/24)

Pledged: \$77,031 Paid \$64,656 Donors: 434

RENOVATION UPDATE

Weekend Mass Schedule

Our renovations are moving along at an ambitious pace in order to complete the project by Christmas. This is indeed a “work in progress” and so in order to address the problem of the limited space the church provides, we shall utilize both the church and its lower hall. It is our hope that this will alleviate the crowding and provide a more comfortable environment for worship. The additional Masses will be celebrated on Sunday morning 15 minutes after the usual Mass time upstairs.

The benefit of having two churches may also be a help in this situation.

The following parish weekend schedule will be in effect until the renovations increase the capacity of the “upper church.”

Saturday evenings

4:30 p.m. St. Anthony
5:00 p.m. OLS (Upper Church)

Sunday mornings

7:30 a.m. OLS (Upper Church)
7:45 a.m. OLS (Lower Hall)
8:00 a.m. St. Anthony
9:00 a.m. OLS (Upper Church)
9:15 a.m. OLS (Lower Hall)
10:00 a.m. St. Anthony
11:00 a.m. OLS (Upper Church)
11:15 a.m. OLS (Lower Hall)

Liturgical Notes

Due to limited space and the increase in Masses, we shall suspend **at Our Lady of Sorrows** the custom of distributing the Holy Eucharist under both forms. Moreover, the Masses celebrated in the hall will take a simpler and more quiet form.

We hope these changes will be helpful during this transition. Remember that they are *temporary inconveniences for permanent improvements*.

Daily Mass during Renovation

The daily 7:00 a.m. Mass is now being celebrated in the lower church hall. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. This will help expedite the work so that it will be finished by Christmas.

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.

~

Keep in Your Prayers this Week:

Reverend Genaro P. Daguplo

Reverend Leandro B. Dela Cruz

Reverend Monsignor John K. Dermond

Reverend John G. DeSandre

Reverend Mark T. Devlin

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From the Curé d'Ars:

**How ungrateful it is to show ourselves mean . . .
towards a God who has shown himself so prodigal
towards us.**

On Furnishing a Church

Thanks!

Thank you to the "Iron Mike Volunteers"—Tony Gervasio, Lewis Gryziewicz, Tim Jones, Steve Kovacs, Joe Novak, and Stan Nowalski—for their assistance in setting up the chairs and preparing the OLS campus for the current renovations. They also placed concrete bumpers in the parking lot at the St. Anthony campus.

Let the Little Children . . .

Children's Liturgy of the Word for grades 1-5 will begin on September 13 at the 11:15 Mass in the Lower Church. We process to the Music Room following the opening prayer and return to celebrate the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Come join us as we pray, sing, and celebrate God's amazing Word!"

Vendors Wanted!

New merchandise only

No flea market or yard sale items

Our Lady of Sorrows School Craft Fair

Saturday, October 10

9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Set-up time begins at 7:30 a.m.

Our Lady of Sorrows Parish Center

3800 East State Street Ext.

Mercerville, NJ 08619

For information, call Carolyn Staub 609-510-7689 or email OLSFestival@gmail.com.

Rosary Altar Society News

Corporate Sunday – Sunday, September 6

Corporate Sunday will be held at the OLS Campus. The Rosary will be recited at 8:30 a.m. followed by the 9:00 Mass. Everyone is welcome to join us for the rosary as we pray for our parish community, world peace, an end to terrorism and abortion, the intentions of the Holy Father, and for the personal intentions of all those present.

Monthly Meeting – Monday, September 14

Traditionally, our Rosary Altar Society opens our new year with a prayer service; however, our parish will celebrate Our Lady of Sorrows Feast Day on Monday instead of Tuesday, September 15, so all are invited to attend this special Mass honoring Our Lady of Sorrows at 7:00 p.m. in the Lower Church. Following Mass, we will hold our regular monthly meeting in the Church Meeting Room. Gertrude Pinto and her committee will provide refreshments.

All women who are interested in becoming a member are invited to join us on Corporate Sunday, and also to attend our monthly meeting.

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.

**Sep 5 Lewallen, Long, Luciano, Marion,
Miller, Pasqua**

**Sep 12 Pulaski, Roberto, Salvatore, Sheehan,
Torres, Valatka, Zdanowicz**

**Please Pray for Our Beloved
Deceased**

Mildred Kennedy

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.

Caia Arnone, Ted Dolci, Paula Donahue, Edith LaBella, Barbara McClanahan, Margaret Renelli, Charles Scarna, Dave Thoennes, 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.

Diocesan Pilgrimage - Sat., Sept. 19

Bishop John Smith invites the clergy and the faithful of the Diocese of Trenton to journey with him to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception on Saturday, September 19. The cost of the trip is \$25 per person. Please make check payable to OLS-SA, and indicate on your check "National Shrine Pilgrimage." You may place your check in an envelope marked "National Shrine Pilgrimage," and place it in the collection plate, or return to the parish office as soon as you can.

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 at approximately 10:00 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 to Washington DC, and stop for dinner on our way home. For questions and additional information, please contact Mary Halasz at 585-4804 or Lou D'Zurilla at 587-3871.

Our Lady of Sorrows School News

We look forward to meeting and welcoming new members to the Our Lady of Sorrows School Community. New student registration is on-going through the summer. Please call (587-4140) the school for additional information and visit our website (www.OLSSchool.us) for news and photos.

Returning Students: The 2009 – 2010 school calendar is now available on the school website. It can be found under "Latest News" and under "Parent Life." Scroll through the arrows for each month. Additional activities will be added as the year progresses. Enjoy the rest of the summer! See you on Tuesday, September 8!

Girls Basketball Coach Needed

Contact Nick Commiso at 586-1544 or nick5914@aol.com to schedule interview. Please submit resume.

DOLS

Kick-Off Car Wash

Saturday September 12, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

(Rain date, Sat. September 19)

Our Lady of Sorrows School Parking Lot

Donation: \$5 per car

Half of the net profit will be donated to the Holy Cross Center of Learning/Holy Innocents Society, which provides religious education to mentally challenged children.

For more information call Robin Melone at 609-396-3412.

An Invitation for Young Adults

A young adult ministry program is forming in the parish. If you're between 21 and 35, you're invited to attend the group's first meeting at 7 p.m. on Sept. 15, in Mary's Haven.

Seniors' Activities

Senior Club #1

Meeting: Wednesday, September 9, 1:00 p.m.

St. Anthony Church Hall

Please note: Due to an ongoing painting project, this meeting will end before 3:00 p.m.

Senior Club #2

Meetings: Tuesdays, September 1 & 15, 1:00 p.m.

Church Meeting Room

Trip to Showboat Casino on Wednesday, Sept. 16

Bus leaves the church parking lot at 9:30 a.m.

Call Bea at 298-5559 for reservations

Senior Club #3

Meetings: Tuesdays, September 8 & 22, 1:00 p.m.

Church Meeting Room; Table 4 will host.

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

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 (587-1944) for details.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Buy or Sell at the K of C Flea Market

Trenton Council #355 of the Knights of Columbus will hold a flea market on Saturday, September 26 (rain date: October 3) from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the rear parking lot at Our Lady of the Angels – Immaculate Conception Church. Refreshments will be available for purchase. For space rentals, please call 215-788-2386.



Trenton Diocesan Spiritual Center
Mount Holly, NJ
609-877-0509 FHOP@verizon.net
www.FHOP.org

Monthly Spiritual Exercises

9/16, 10/7, 11/4, 12/2, 12/30, 2/10, 3/10, 4/14, 5/5; 3:30-4:45 p.m.; love offering

If you need or desire a retreat, but cannot get away, give yourself the gift of this retreat that invites you to pray with Scripture each day using the format of the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius. We will meet on 9 Wednesdays for sharing and input on the next month's prayer.

Discernment Course

9/22, 10/13, 11/10, 12/15, 2/16, 3/16, 4/13, 5/11, 6/8; 3:30-4:45 p.m.

This is a course in discernment of spirits. St. Ignatius, the master teacher of discernment, offers us tools and methods to help us hear and follow God's voice as God directs us from within. There will be some reading and journaling required between monthly sessions. \$200

Study of St. John of the Cross

9/24, 10/15, 11/12, 12/10, 2/11, 3/11, 4/8, 5/6; 1-2:15 p.m.

We continue our study of St. John of the Cross this year using a combination of his *Spiritual Canticle*, along with *The Science of the Cross* by Edith Stein, OCD. We will follow with *Lectio Divina* and *Centering Prayer* (2:30-3:30 p.m.) for those who can stay. \$125

Friday Morning Retreat

9/18, 10/23, 11/20, 12/11; 9:30 a.m.–noon

Can you reserve one Friday morning a month for a retreat? This year we will be under the instruction of St. Catherine of Siena as we allow her love for God and gentle boldness to fill our souls. \$100 (includes book)

Diocesan Office of Family Life Programs

The Office of Family Life is sponsoring a free educational seminar for all members of the Trenton Diocese, entitled *Marriage by any other name? Catholic Considerations of 'Same-Sex' Marriage*. This evening presentation will be held at St. Gregory the Great Parish, Ferrante Hall, on Wed. evening, Sept. 9, from 7 to 8:30 pm. The featured presenter is nationally renowned marriage expert Damon C. Owens. Please register online (www.dioceseoftrenton.org/go/owens), or call the Family Life office at 406-7400, ext. 5558 to register.

On Sun., Sept. 20, from 3:00 to 5:30 p.m. at St. Robert Bellarmine Parish (Freehold), the Office of Family Life will present a screening of the recently released *Fireproof*, a hope-filled story of a fire-fighter's quest to not only rescue others, but also to "fireproof" his marriage and rescue his wife's heart. A panel discussion will follow. Supervised child care will also be available through the assistance of the parish youth group. Go to www.dioceseoftrenton.org/go/fireproof or call 406-7400, ext. 5573/5592, for details or to register.

Retreat for the Separated or Divorced

A weekend retreat for separated or divorced persons will be given on September 18-20 in Newton (NJ) by a Franciscan retreat team. For more information, call Fr. Tom Kelly, OFM, (973-985-9736) or Deacon Milt (973-271-5097).

Minister to the Sick

St. Francis Medical Center is seeking volunteers who are outgoing in personality to visit our inpatients with our hospitality cart. Teams of two individuals would give out snacks and beverages while speaking with patients and being a source of encouragement during their hospital stay. Volunteers would work 2 hours in the afternoon on one or more days per week.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion work as part of team, usually once a month on either Saturday or Sunday, and bring communion to patients in the morning or afternoon.

To find out more about these and other volunteer opportunities or to request an application, please contact Debbie Wilno at 599-5317. This could be your opportunity to make a difference!

Women's Fall Retreat

Enjoy the peaceful surroundings of Loyola, a Jesuit retreat house in Morristown set on 30 acres of scenic woodland, lawns and gardens, Friday evening, October 9 to Sunday afternoon, October 11. A reasonable offering covers private room, all meals, beautiful liturgies and inspiring talks. For additional information, please call Dorothy Soi at 275-3837 (evenings) or email dtkbiblestudies@aol.com.

Pilgrimage to Divine Mercy Shrine

Don't miss out on a heartwarming pilgrimage to Divine Mercy Shrine in Stockbridge, Massachusetts, from October 26-28. The cost of \$400 per person (double occupancy) covers bus transportation, accommodations at The Red Lion Inn, three meals, gratuities, and other attractions. A \$100 deposit is due by September 10. For more information, call Barbara at 587-8520.

A Retreat for the Seriously Ill

Genesaret, a retreat designed to provide a spiritual and temporal oasis for men and women suffering with a serious illness, will be held the weekend of October 23 – 25 at the Xavier Center in Convent Station (NJ). The retreat will begin Friday at 1:30 p.m. and end with a closing Mass on Sunday at 1:30 p.m.

There is no cost to you for the retreat. For more information, call Hilare Reinold at 732-566-7237.

Mercer County Farmer's Market Nutrition Program



The Farmers Market Program was developed to provide lower-income seniors with checks that can be used to purchase fresh produce grown by New Jersey farmers. The Mercer County Nutrition Project is the lead agency and coordinator in Mercer County for the Farmers' Market Nutrition Program, and has been for a number of years. We are looking to distribute checks to Mercer's seniors.

The program gives seniors the opportunity to receive fresh produce, stretches food budgets, and ensures better nutrition and variety in their diet.

The Mercer County Nutrition Project reminds seniors of these guidelines:

- Ø You must be 60 years old to receive checks under this program.
- Ø You must provide proof of income or self-declare your gross income to meet the income guidelines.
- Ø You may not pick up checks for anyone other than yourself.
- Ø Checks are to be signed in front of the farmers. Do not send signed checks to the market with a friend. The farmer has the right to refuse to honor them.
- Ø Checks may be used only at certified farm stands, **not grocery stores**. Stands will display a yellow poster indicating that they accept these checks.
- Ø Only one set of checks per person will be awarded each year.
- Ø Husbands and wives can each receive their own set of checks.

**Next distribution at the
Mercer County Extension Service
(Next to the Trenton Farmers' Market)
930 Spruce Street
September 1, 2009
Noon – 4:00 p.m.**

**For additional information, call the
Mercer County Nutrition Office at 989-6650**

Come Celebrate
The Feast of Our Lady Of Sorrows
OUR LADY OF SORROWS - ST. ANTHONY
ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC

Date: September 20

Time: Noon to 5:00 p.m.

Place: Our Lady of Sorrows Campus

Bring: Lawn Chairs, Card Tables, etc. and a Covered Dish or Dessert to Share

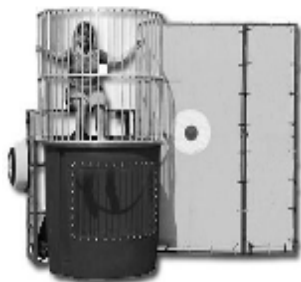
The Parish Will Provide: Hot Dogs, Hamburgers Pork Roll, Popcorn, Soda, Other Beverages, and Lots of Goodies

FUN FOR EVERYONE

DJ Music · Balloons · Games · Prizes · 50/50 Drawing

And

THE INFLATABLES



The Dunk Tank

Moon Bounce

Obstacle Course

IMPORTANT: We would like to ensure that there is plenty of food and fun for everyone in attendance. Please return the form below to the rectory or school, or place it in the collection at mass no later than September 13. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer to help, please call Cheryl Uhaze at 588-0890 or send an email to cuhaze@optonline.net.

Picnic Attendance Form

Family Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ **Number of People Attending:** _____

Food Item to Share: _____

KID'S KOrner

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GOSPEL TODAY

AUG. 30, 2009 MARK 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23



Be Doers of the Word

Jesus tells us nothing from the outside can make us impure. What comes from within us is what matters. How we conduct ourselves is what can make us impure.

"From within people, from their hearts, come evil thoughts...".
Mark 7: 21

"Be doers of the Word and not hearers only".

James 1: 22

BIBLE WORD SEARCH



Find all the words in the puzzle... left, right, up, down or diagonally.



BACK

to

SCHOOL

- Perfect
- Gift
- Giving
- Father
- Word
- Truth
- Doer
- Hearer
- Blessed
- Religion
- Pure
- Undefiled
- Help
- Orphans
- Widows
- Heart
- Teaching
- Conduct
- Follow
- God
- Welcome
- Good
- Faith

A	P	H	E	A	R	E	R	Y	W	U	Y
U	W	E	L	C	O	M	E	T	F	I	G
T	D	L	G	N	I	H	C	A	E	T	H
N	T	P	T	P	P	E	L	R	T	D	R
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H	E	R	T	P	F	A	I	T	H	P	I
B	Z	N	U	N	D	E	F	I	L	E	D
A	F	O	L	L	O	W	H	J	S	W	R
G	I	V	A	D	E	S	S	E	L	B	O