

THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS – ST. ANTHONY



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October 11, 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 Closed in observance of Columbus Day
Tue – 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 Challender
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

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TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

October 11, 2009

Sell all that you have, and follow Jesus' way. Mark 17-30

Mass Intentions for the Week OUR LADY OF SORROWS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10
5:00 p.m. Deacon Joseph Malloy
*Deacon Tim, Roseann, & family
Ann Brogel *Carolina L. Castaldo

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11
7:30 a.m. Msgr. Girolamo Amantia *Michael Amantia
Msgr. Emilio A. Cardelia *Michael Amantia
7:45 a.m. George & John Kira *Loving Sister
Billy Barnes *Jim & Bernie Walsh
9:00 a.m. Albert & Arline Tibak *Griggs Family
Americo Mazzoni *Libby Wilson
9:15 a.m. Christine M. Brydzinski *Robin & Jim McGuire
Intentions of Charlotte Mamo
*Mary Ann & Bruno Tydryszewski
11:00 a.m. Deceased Pontani Family Members *Family
Paul Voilas *Frank & Nancy Cairo
11:15 a.m. Maria Savelli *Family
James & Margurite Fennelly *Son, Vincent

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12
7:00 a.m. Mary Goliszewski *Daughter, Marian
Josephine Gago *Robin & Jim McGuire

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13
7:00 a.m. Jane Adams *Helen & Son, Nick Condorousis
Dorothy Dwyer *Maureen & Bud Pfeffer

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14
7:00 a.m. Msgr. Edward O'Keefe *Parish
George J. Kira *Sister

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15
7:00 a.m. Mary Gais *Daughter, Rosemarie
Brian Jones *Robin & Jim McGuire

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16
7:00 a.m. Mamie LaBella *OLS Sunshine Club
John Haefner *Mariyam & Austin Francis

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17
5:00 p.m. Salvatore Romani *Millie Herbert
Ruth E. Strycharz *Husband, Gene

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18
7:30 a.m. William G. Seiler, Jr. *Family
Frank Louis Silvestro. *Wife
7:45 a.m. Margaret Drake *Daughter & husband
Keith Sefton *M/M D. Milinowicz
9:00 a.m. Yeager Family *Carolyn Hawkes
Rhodes Family *Rhodes-Platt Family
9:15 a.m. Thomas Brown *Christopher Blake
11:00 a.m. John Valek *Dottie Hayman & Guy Sanfilippo
Americo Mazzoni *Juliana McNeal
11:15 a.m. Gloria Schulman *Robin & Jim McGuire
Frank J. Rasimowicz *M/M Robert Bennett

Mass Intentions for the Week SAINT ANTHONY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10
8:00 a.m. Agnes Branca *Kathy Bryce
Marilyn Morgan *Family
4:30 p.m. Connie Sgro *Bill & Mary Ann Miller
John & Elsie Demko *Children

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
8:00 a.m. For the people of the parish
10:00 a.m. Emmanuel Sumango *Family
Ann Casale *Woodcock Family

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12
8:00 a.m. Loretta Sutton *Grandchildren
James O'Malley *M/M Dave Bell

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13
8:00 a.m. Walter J. Sikorski, Sr. *Frank Wrobel
Marie Morgan *Lillian & Walter Morgan

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14
8:00 a.m. Timothy Walton *Jon Adams, Jr.
Lucy Dutko *OLS-SA Religious Ed.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15
8:00 a.m. Joseph Franco *Vince & Linda Luciano
Regina Hoffman *Frank & Edna Dempster

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16
8:00 a.m. Thomas Herrera *Parents
Frances M. Povia-Davis *The Silagy Family

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17
8:00 a.m. Marilyn Morgan *Mary Kaye & Andrew
Joseph F. Franco *Loretta M. Franco
4:30 p.m. Frank Graziano *Wife
50th Wedding Anniversary of
John & Eileen Haller *Children

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18
8:00 a.m. For the People of the Parish
10:00 a.m. David & Patricia Johnson *Mom & Dad
Ethel DiMucci *M/M Ronald Sukotsky

Celebrations This Week

Mon., Oct. 12	Columbus Day
Wed., Oct. 14	St. Callistus I
Thu., Oct. 15	St. Teresa of Jesus
Fri., Oct. 16	St. Hedwig
	St. Margaret Mary Alacoque
Sat., Oct. 17	St. Ignatius of Antioch

Parish Office Closing

Please note that the parish office will be closed on Monday, October 12, in observance of Columbus Day. Enjoy a safe and restful holiday weekend!

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners:

You can well imagine that the capital projects we are undertaking are taking up much of my time and attention. I have been pleased with the progress of the work. Our weekly renovation "update" in the weekly bulletin will keep you informed about the projects.

In this month of October, dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary, I want to acknowledge with gratitude the Rosary-Altar Society. The group's annual "day of recollection" will take place on Saturday, October 31. I hope that many women of the parish will be in attendance. We shall welcome, Sr. Ascenza Tizzano, a Religious Teacher Filippini as retreat director. In addition to her presentations, the "day" will include time for personal and group prayer and a buffet lunch. Our bulletin has additional details!

I also want to remind every one of two other events this month—Next Sunday is Mission Sunday. Your regular packet of offering envelopes includes a Mission Sunday envelope. Please be as generous as your means permit. The offerings are destined for a common fund of solidarity distributed in the Holy Father's name among the missions and missionaries of the world.

Speaking about packets of envelopes, our parish distributor informed us that many did not receive their packets at the usual time due to issues at the post office. We received not a few calls about the delay, but the problem was beyond our control. Thanks for using your own envelope or those provided at the doors.

With affection,
Msgr. Gervasio

Stewardship Report

Weekly Collection: Oct 4	\$19,048
Diocesan Assessment Collection	\$2,573

Bishop's Annual Appeal (as of 10/6)

Pledged: \$79,566	Paid \$69,661	Donors: 456
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If You Haven't Already . . .

Please consider responding to the Bishop's Annual Appeal. Thanks to many wonderful donors, our parish now is at 88.4 percent of its goal. If we don't make our goal, we get nothing back. But if we make goal, we will receive \$13,500 plus half of any donations that take us beyond our goal. So please help us receive by giving!

Please Pray for Our Beloved

Deceased

Louise Dern

Patricia Oswald

Renovation Update

Our Lady of Sorrows Church

Our architect and contractor are working diligently with our Christmas deadline in mind. The new granite tiles of the sanctuary are being installed to be followed by those of the transepts. We are heeding the strong recommendation of the Diocesan Office for Buildings and Property to include with the installation of this tile, a special underlying "membrane" that will help avoid tile cracking. While adding to the cost of the installation, the Office felt that this initial expense was justified to help preserve the significant investment we have made in the floor. The ceilings in the transepts are nearly completed, needing only the addition of some decorative moldings and paint.

St. Anthony

The contractors are working to make the openings necessary for the elevator installation. They discovered how well built the church structure is...the stone masonry is formidable! The painters in the church hall are working in the late afternoons and evenings at a good pace. The work to repair damaged walls was quite extensive. This will be followed by the replacement of new lighting fixtures restroom repairs.

October

Month of the Holy Rosary

Prayer is never an attempt to manipulate God, to call down upon ourselves or upon the Church favors that are not in keeping with the reign of God. Whenever Mary prayed—in her chamber at Nazareth, in the home of Elizabeth, in the Temple, near the Cross, and near the Lamb—her prayer is always the same: *Fiat voluntas tua!* Mary teaches us that the object of our prayer is to allow the Kingdom of the Beatitudes to break in our lives, so that it will be rightfully said of us that "We have the mind of Christ." (1 Cor 2:16)

James Cardinal Hickey

Weekly Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

The lamp that burns before the Blessed Sacrament in Our Lady of Sorrows Church this week is offered in loving memory of Mary Gais at the request of her daughter, Rosemarie.

One of the lamps that burn before the Blessed Sacrament in St. Anthony Church this week is offered in loving memory of Elizabeth A. Mack at the request of William and Virginia Kelly.

Annulments

If you have any questions about annulments, please call annulment advocate Joan Bartolomei at 587-4372, ext. 110.

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 Charles L. Griffiths

Reverend Edward J. Griswold

Reverend Robert S. Grodnicki

Reverend Alejandro A. Gronifillo

Reverend Daniel C. Hesko

From the Curé d'Ars:

Our prayer is an incense which God receives with extreme pleasure. *Catechism on Prayer*

Handbell Choir

Do you love hearing the melodic sounds of the handbells during Mass and wish that you could be a part of it? Well, now is the time. We are currently seeking someone who would be interested in joining our choir as a "ringer". Music experience is helpful but *not* necessary. Rehearsals are Tuesday evenings from 7:15 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. We rehearse from Sept thru the end of May. If interested, please call Pat Potavin, handbell choir director, at 890-2038.

Young Adult Ministry

Who are we?

We are young adults between the ages of 21-35, single and married, coming together to share in faith and fellowship. Join us for prayer, discussions, fun, and service. Future service opportunities will be listed in the parish bulletin.

Fall Schedule

Sat., Oct. 17, 9:00 a.m. - Hike and picnic - Join us for a leisurely walk in the woods and picnic. We will gather in the Our Lady of Sorrows parking lot and car pool to the trail. Bring your own lunch.

Tue., Oct. 19, 7:00 p.m. - Meeting*

Tue., Nov. 10, 7:00 p.m. - Meeting*

Sat., Nov. 21, 7:00 p.m. - Meeting*

Tue., Nov. 24, 7:00 p.m. - Meeting*

Tue., Dec. 8, 7:00 p.m. - Meeting*

Sat., Dec. 19, 9:00 a.m. - Recreational event to be announced

* All meetings will take place on the second floor in Mary's Haven.

For more information about these events, please contact Karen Craven (586-7360; youth@ols-sa.org)

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 (kecarella@optonline.net; 888-4388) well in advance so that other arrangements can be made. Workers are asked to arrive by 6:15 p.m.

Oct 17 (Gr 6) Ayala, Cherney, Connolly, Crosley, Domanski

Oct 24 (Gr 6) Carella, Clayton, DelCristo, Dusenshine, Hampton, Langone

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, Evelyn Bella, Thomas Bennett, Peggy Seiler Brand, Ted Dolci, Paula Donahue, William Doolan, Edith LaBella, Leon LaBella, John A. Lenhardt, Jr., Barbara McClanahan, Charles Scarna, Joseph Spalding, 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.

Come, Join Us!

October 18 is St. Martha Sunday at St. Anthony Church. Please join us in the church hall for coffee and conversation after the 10:00 a.m. Mass. Marianne Funk, Volunteer Coordinator for Anchor House & Angel's Wings, will be there to recruit volunteers and answer any questions regarding volunteering.

Mark Your Calendars!

**Mass for the Deceased of the Past Year
Saturday, November 14
10:00 a.m.
St. Anthony Church**

Let us pray for all those whose funeral rites were celebrated in our parish community. As we commend them to the loving mercy of our Father, let us also pray that their families and friends be strengthened and consoled by the Lord.

Coffee and Conversations

Our guest lecture series continues this week. Join us on Wednesday, October 14, as Dr. Gregory Yuri Glazov presents "Call of the Prophets," in which he explains the structure and themes of the calls of Old Testament prophets such as Moses, Isaiah, Jeremiah, and Ezekiel, and the light they throw on the calls of Mary, the disciples, and St. Paul in the New Testament. His presentation will focus on the role of human objections to divine calls, and the principles by which these objections are resolved, including the principle that "God's strength is made perfect in weakness."

Coffee and Conversations will take place at 7:30 p.m. in the OLS Church Meeting Room. It will consist of an hour lecture, followed by refreshments and an informal meeting with our guest teacher.

For more information, contact Deacon Kevin at deaconkevin@ols-sa.org, or call 586-8700.

Sugar and Spice and Everything Nice.

That's what DOLS are made of. The Daughters of Our Lady of Sorrows' annual bake sale will be held on October 17 and 18 in the OLS Church Meeting Room after all masses.

Please treat yourself to some delicious home baked goods and support the DOLS.

God Bless Our Newly Baptized

Katie Lorraine Cuoghi
David Henry French
Colin Joseph O'Ree

Caring Hearts Report

During September, more than 148 hours of service (e.g., visiting, transportation, shopping, reassurance calls, housekeeping and other chores) were provided by 37 volunteers to 30 persons.

Caring Hearts volunteers provide non-medical services to our homebound elderly and disabled neighbors. If you would like more information on joining this satisfying ministry, either as a caregiver or a care receiver, please call Anne at 586-6596.

Flea Market Slated

Clean out your closets and earn a few extra bucks! Come sell toys, books, games, stuffed animals, clothes, etc.

* Where: Our Lady of Sorrows School parking lot

* When: Saturday, October 17

* Time: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

* Need more info? Email: llangon@njin.org

* \$15 donation to rent a space to set up your wares (Bring your own table, set up on the ground or rent a table for \$5.)

* Sponsored by **OLS Sports Fundraising Committee.**

All donations will go toward the purchase of OLS sports championship banners and jackets.

Complete the form below return it to the parish office or school with your check in an envelope marked Sports Committee Flea Market, c/o Lynn Langone.

This sounds like a ton of fun! Sign us up for ___ table/s. Attached is my check made payable to the OLS-SA Sports Committee.

Family name renting space: _____

News from the Preschool

October has arrived and the children have settled in. Everyone is looking forward to the pumpkin craft they will do on our Pumpkin Picking Day on October 14. It's not too late if you are interested in enrolling your child in our 20th year of Nurturing Care. Please call us at 586-1422 to arrange a tour or come join us on November 16 from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. for our next Open House.

Youth Group Family Hike

Sunday, October 18

Depart from OLS parking lot at noon; return at approximately 5:00 p.m.

Pack a lunch and put your sneakers on! We are headed for the Wissahickon Park in Philadelphia, PA. The walk is about 5 miles long with a picnic area at the half way point. If you want to hike less, you can just turn around earlier. Walk at your own pace and enjoy the beautiful autumn colors!

Students - Don't Forget Your Permission Slip! You can print them from www.ols-sa.org/youth.

Parents - If you are able to drive, please contact Karen Craven.

For more information contact Karen at 586-7360 or email youthgroup@ols-sa.org

Seniors' Activities

Senior Club #1

Meeting: Wednesday, October 14, 1:00 p.m.

St. Anthony Church Hall

Trip to Taj Mahal (AC) on Tuesday, October 20

The bus leaves the church parking lot at 9:00 a.m.

Call Gloria (587-1944) for a reservation.

Senior Club #2

Meetings: Tuesday, October 20, 1:00 p.m.

Church Meeting Room

Trip to Showboat Casino (AC) on October 21

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

Call Bea (298-5559) for a reservation.

Senior Club #3

Meeting: Tuesdays, October 13 & 27, 1:00 p.m.

Church Meeting Room; Table 4 will host

Bingo and cards will follow meeting.

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

Delicious Christmas Candy

Our Lady of Sorrows-St. Anthony parish is pleased to offer you the wonderful Gertrude Hawk candy as part of our fall fundraiser program. The candy sale starts on October 13 and ends on November 10. Pick up weekend will be December 12 & 13, just in time for Christmas. Order forms and brochures are available at the doors of the church. Ordering is also available online. See the brochure for details.

Please support our parish and give yourselves and those you love a treat as well. All orders need to be returned to the rectory, school, preschool, or religious education office.

Rosary Altar Society

Day of Recollection

All ladies of the parish are cordially invited to the Rosary Altar Society's Annual Day of Recollection on Saturday, October 31. The day will start with a continental breakfast in the Church Meeting Room at 8:30 a.m. Two talks, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, common and quiet prayers, and Benediction will follow in the Lower Church. A noon luncheon will conclude the day.

The featured speaker is Sr. Ascenza Tizzano, MPF, (Religious Teachers Filippini). Sr. Ascenza resides at Villa Walsh in Morristown, where she serves as part-time Development Director for the Province of Saint Lucy. She also ministers part-time in the Diocese of Metuchen as Delegate for Religious. Sister brings with her a wide range of experiences in the fields of education and administration. The topics for her two talks are *Beauty Tips for Women* and *What Is Jesus Asking of Me?*

The cost of \$10 per person includes a continental breakfast and luncheon. Advance registration is required. Please complete the following form and place it, with your check made payable to the OLS-SA Rosary Altar Society, in an envelope marked "Day of Recollection." Place the envelope in the collection plate, or return it to the parish office no later than Monday, October 12. If you have any questions, please call Toni Levandowski at 588-4768.

OLS-SA Rosary Altar Society Day of Recollection

Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Amount Enclosed: _____

Holy Name Society News

Special Note: Our meetings will now be held in the Church Library! The first meeting will be on Wednesday, October 14, at 7:30 p.m.

This new location should avoid conflict with Religious Education classes. Hope to see you there!

Make Friday, "The 13th"
Your Lucky Night

Vera Bradley
Bingo

WHEN: November 13, 2009
WHERE: Our Lady of Sorrows Parish Center
TIME: Doors Open at 6:00pm games begin at 7:00pm
COST: \$25.00 which includes game boards and 5 raffle tickets

Desserts and coffee will be provided

Must be 18 years old to play bingo in NJ
 Over \$2,000.00 in Prizes

TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR



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

The Challenge of Change

Weds, Oct 14; 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.; \$10
This is what causes my grief: that the way of the Most High has changed. Psalm 77
 During this evening retreat we will pray over the experience of change and explore its potential to deepen our understanding of ourselves and our relationships with God and others.

Benedictine Spirituality

Fri, Oct 16, 9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.; \$20 (lunch included)
 Is your life out of balance? Too much to do in 24 hours? St. Benedict of Nursia knew how much one tries to accomplish in a day. He chose as the motto for his monks *Ora et Labora* (Pray and Work). This was Benedict's rhythm for life, a means of balancing one's life.

"40 Somethings" – Let Your Life Speak

Fri, Oct 16, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.; \$25 (book included)
 God has given you one life to live. What difference are you called to make in the world? What's your "true self" and your personal vocation? Please come.

Centering Prayer Day

Sun, Oct 18, 9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.; \$20 (bring a bag lunch)
 Come to the quiet. Experience peace. Grow silent. Become aware. This is a day well spent, which will affect your week and month. Remember, God told us to take Sabbath time.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

**Planning the Last Day of this Life . . .
 A Gift to Our Families**

Join us on October 14 for a gathering for maturing adults and their families. This presentation will focus on answering the often unasked questions regarding our thoughts and wishes on leaving this earthly life. Fr. Sam Sirianni, director of the diocesan Office of Worship, will address this important topic in a comfortable and caring way. A lawyer from Eldercare also will be present to answer questions. The presentation will be held at OLS-SA in Our Lady of Sorrows lower church from 1:00 to 3:30 p.m. To register, call the Family Life Office at 406-7400, ext. 5573, or email mrosid@dioceseoftrenton.org. There is no fee; however, free will offerings will be accepted.

Widows & Widowers Dance Social

The Mercer County chapter of the Widows and Widowers will hold its monthly dance social on October 23, 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).

Open House at Notre Dame

Notre Dame High School in Lawrenceville is hosting its annual Open House on Thursday evening, October 22, at 7:00 p.m. No RSVP required. All prospective parents and students are invited to attend. For further information, please call Peggy Miller, admissions coordinator, at 882-7900, ext. 139 or visit www.ndnj.org.

Save the Date!

Saturday, October 24
 Come celebrate United Nations Day with us!
 Multi-cultural Mass at 5:00 p.m.
 Followed by an
 International Food and Music Festival
 Church of St. Ann
 1253 Lawrence Road, Lawrenceville
 882-6491
 Website: www.churchofsaintann.net
 Volunteers needed. If interested, call 882-6491, ext. 118

One Sunday for the Whole World

Next Sunday, Pope Benedict XVI calls every Catholic in the world to celebrate our vocation to be missionary. It's World Mission Sunday!

As Catholics around the world—here at home and in the Missions—gather at the Eucharist around the table of the Lord, we are to pray for the Church's worldwide missionary work. We pray for those awaiting the "Good News" of our Lord's great love for us and for the missionaries who offer the poor and suffering the light of Christ. And we are to offer financial help through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith for more than 1,150 dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands.

We're All Missionaries – Do you know the date of your Baptism? Well, on that day, you became a missionary, called by our Lord to share your faith with those around you—and to be part of the Church's mission to the world. Jesus Himself directed His followers to go into the whole world and proclaim His Gospel—the "Good News" of His love for us—to all peoples (see Mark 16:15). That mission is now directed to each one of us.

On World Mission Sunday, we have the opportunity to be part of the Church's missionary work in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands through our prayers and support offered to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

Making a World of Difference – Just as our young Church here in the United States received support in the 19th century from the Catholics of Europe through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, so too the growing churches in the Developing World today also require financial help. Your generosity will help make a faith-filled difference around the world!

- Ø A gift of \$25 would be a month's support for a young woman preparing to serve as a Religious Sister in Indonesia.
- Ø A gift of \$60 is a month's education for a seminarian in Nigeria.
- Ø About \$50 a month helps a local Religious Community of Sister in Tanzania care for the poor.
- Ø Just \$20 helps toward the purchase of a bicycle for a catechist in Kenya.

St. Paul's Parish Mission

St. Paul's Church

214 Nassau Street, Princeton

Monday - Thursday, October 19 - 22

"Get Real" – Parish Renewal

Father Hugh Dominic Burns, O.P.

Monday – Thursday

12:10 p.m. Daily Mass and Homily

7:30 p.m. Evening Talk and Prayer

Monday, 12:10 and 7:30 p.m.

Don't Worry Be Happy: Christian Joy

Tuesday, 12:10 p.m.

What Are You Afraid of? Dealing with Life's Fears

Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

See It Big – Keep It Simple: Poor in Spirit with Peace of Mind

Wednesday, 12:10 p.m.

Cool Off! Coping with Anger

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Brought Near: A Sense of Belonging in the Church

Thursday, 12:10 p.m.

Lighten Up: A Christian Sense of Humor

Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Blessed Among Women: Mary Tender and Tough

Everyone is welcome!

Attention: Cathedral High School Alumni

Mount St. Mary's, in Watchung, has invited alumni to participate in a special Mass of Remembrance on Sunday, November 8.

Transportation will be provided. Contact Marge Adams Trevors at cathedralalumni@verizon.net

The Annual Mass and Luncheon for all alumni will be held on Saturday, November 7. Mass will be celebrated at St. David the King Church, 1 Village Road West, Princeton Junction. Luncheon will follow at Mercer Oaks Country Club at a cost of \$25. Call Patricia Carr Walter at 448-1045.

A Christmas Carol

Coming from London to perform his great-great grandfather's classic tale, **A Christmas Carol**, Gerald Charles Dickens is making a special trip to Villa Victoria Academy Theater. Dickens adopts different voices, expressions and mannerisms to portray each of the story's twenty-six characters in this acclaimed one-man show.

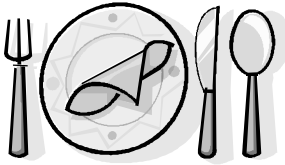
Date – December 12

Time – 7:00 p.m.

Place – Villa Victoria Academy, 376 W. Upper Ferry Rd. West Trenton, NJ 08628

The show is reserve seating and benefits Foundation for Student Achievement, whose mission is to provide an exceptional Catholic education for the students of the Diocese of Trenton. Not recommended for children under the age of 8 years old.

Tickets are limited in quantity. For tickets and details go to <http://www.foundationforstudentachievement.org/events.php> if you do not have internet access you can call the Office of Catholic Schools - 406-7400, ext. 5548 or 5549.



Martin House Housewares Drive

Weekend of October 24 & 25



The Social Justice/ Social Concerns Committee will be conducting a housewares drive for Martin House after all Masses on the weekend of **Oct. 24 & 25**. Trucks will be parked in the parking lots at both Our Lady of Sorrows Church and St. Anthony Church to accept your donations of new or gently used housewares. Some especially needed items include:

Dishes

Pots & pans

Silverware

Drinking glasses

Kitchen gadgets & utensils

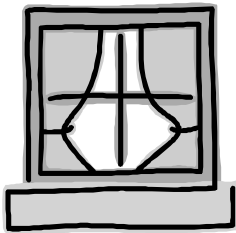
Sheets

Blankets

Bedspreads

Curtains

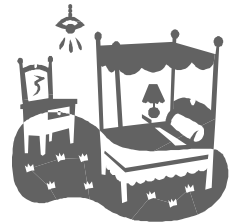
Small appliances (in excellent working condition)



We would also greatly appreciate donations of children's clothing in small sizes, and new packages of socks and underwear (men, women and children). Because Martin House currently has an overabundance of men's, women's and teen clothing, we ask that you do not bring clothing donations in these sizes.

If you have a clean mattress (any size) in very good condition, please call about having it picked up for a donation.

If you have a question about an item you wish to donate, please call Mary Vanderhoof at 609-587-9035.



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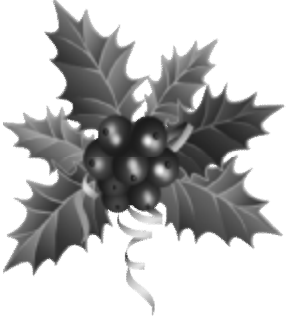
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Orchestra Seating**



\$80.00 per person

**Buses will depart from Our Lady of Sorrows at 9:00 am.
Time for shopping and lunch on your own.**

**Please complete the form below and return to the Rectory no later than
November 20, 2009.**

Name _____

Address _____

Daytime Telephone Number _____

Number of Tickets Requested @ \$80.00 per person _____

Amount Enclosed _____ **Cash** _____ **Check** _____

Tickets will be returned to you by mail.