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OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH
LINWOOD, NEW JERSEY
December 25, 2022



Saturday, Christmas Eve, December 24, 2022

4:00 p.m. † Calogero & Giovanni DiPasquale
R/B Angelo, Maria, Frank & Debbie
DiPasquale & Maria Spena
† Salvatore Spena
R/B His Loving Wife & Children
6:30 p.m. † Lowry, Carlson & Extended
Families
R/B Ray & Cathy Lowry
† Greene, Eger & Treanor Families
R/B Buddy & Maryann Eger
11:00 p.m. † Mary O'Neill Collins
Fortunato-Blake Families
† John Laird, III
Therese & Robert Walters

Sunday, Christmas Day, December 25, 2022

8:00 a.m. † Russell Karaffa
R/B Wife, Janet & Family
† Bruno, Lardizzone, Iapaluccio
Families
R/B Tom & Joann Bruno
10:00 a.m. † Angelo & Dito Perricci
R/B Giulia & Mario Perricci
† Segunda Ruiz
R/B Barbara Behm & Family

Monday, December 26, 2022

7:45 a.m. † Valerie Wall
R/B Mark & Peggy Pushman

Tuesday, December 27, 2022

7:45 a.m. † In Thanksgiving
R/B Bernardo & Dinah
† Harold (Hap) Appleget
In Memory of 85th Birthday
R/B His Loving Family
6:30 p.m. † Claire Lawler, 1st Anniversary
R/B Fr. Harte, Deacon Joe &
OLOS Staff

Wednesday, December 28, 2022

7:45 a.m. † Marlana Rutherford
R/B Mary Rutherford

Thursday, December 29, 2022

11:00 a.m. † Health & Well Being of Harte
Children & Families, Living
R/B Linda & Ed Cline

Friday, December 30, 2022

7:45 a.m. † Sally Rajczyk
R/B Betty Ann Klinglesmith

Saturday, December 31, 2022

8:00 a.m. † Virginia Quickmire
R/B Tricia & David Hughes

Vigil Mass—Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

5:00 p.m. † Elderly & Ill Clergy
R/B A Friend

Sunday, January 1, 2023

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

8:00 a.m. † Robert Steiger
R/B Dave & Marilyn Bowen

† Caitlin Yakscoe
R/B McCarthy Family

10:00 a.m. † Agusta Emma D'Orazio
R/B Frank & Virginia D'Orazio

† Patrick Pruitt
R/B Jim & Jackie Carney



**Bread & Wine
In Memory of
Greene, Eger & Treanor Families
r/b The Eger Family**

**WEEKEND
MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

LECTOR SCHEDULE - December, 2022

Saturday	5:00 P.M.	K. Semet
Sunday	8:00 A.M.	P. Diamond
Sunday	10:00 A.M.	R. Cerullo
Sunday	6:30 P.M.	D. Price

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF
HOLY COMMUNION - December, 2022**

Saturday	5:00 P.M.	C. Edwards/C. Lowry/Volunteer
Sunday	8:00 A.M.	M. Pushman/John Lapointe/ D. McCusker
Sunday	10:00 A.M.	M. Curran/R., Cerullo/ T. Hughes
Sunday	6:30 P.M.	M. Spilker/W. Spilker/Volunteer

2023 Ministry Schedule

LECTOR SCHEDULE - January, 2023

Saturday	5:00 P.M.	K. McCusker
Sunday	8:00 A.M.	B. DiLorenzo
Sunday	10:00 A.M.	L. Gephard
Sunday	6:30 P.M.	M. Stuchel

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF
HOLY COMMUNION - January, 2023
January, 2023 Schedule is forthcoming.**

Our Parish...

EVENTS

WHAT'S ON THE CHURCH CALENDAR

Mondays:	Cleaning of the Church 10:00 am - 12 Noon pm
Tuesdays:	Legion of Mary 9:30 am - 10:30 am Holy Spirit Prayer Group 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm - Hall
Wednesdays:	Precious Blood Devotions 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm in Church Choir Rehearsal - Church 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Thursdays:	Cleaning of the Hall & Church 10:00 am - 12 Noon pm
Fridays:	Bingo - 6:30-9:30pm - Hall Bingo-starting Jan. 6, 2023 6:00-9:00pm - Hall



Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God Vigil Mass

Sunday, December 31st
5:00 p.m. Mass

Holy Day Masses

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God,
Sunday, January 1, 2022
Masses: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.



PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
Monday, December 26th
Monday, January 2nd

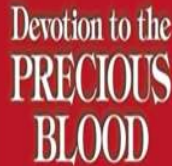


Holy Spirit: Our Greatest Friend

Our Lady of Sorrows Church

Tuesdays, 1:00 to 2:30 pm - Annex

Grow deeper in your relationship with the Holy Spirit through praise, worship and thanksgiving. Learn about the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.



A prayer group praying **The Precious Blood Devotions** gathers together before the Blessed Sacrament in church every Wednesday from 7:00p.m. - 8:00 p.m.. All are welcome!!



NEW 7 P.M. STARTING TIME IN JANUARY!

Can you give 3 hours on a Friday night?? *We always need more volunteers!* The more volunteers the less *Fridays you will have to work!* Your service helps our biggest fundraiser be successful. Come share your time and talent! Just show up at 6 p.m. and you will be shown where your help is needed. **Thank you.**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS!

LAST CLASS FOR 8TH GRADE REL. ED. WAS DECEMBER 11TH. CLASS RESUMES SUN., JAN. 8TH AT A NEW TIME 7 P.M. TO 8 P.M.

LAST CLASS FOR GRADES 1-7 WAS MON., DEC. 12TH. CLASSES RESUME ON MONDAY, JAN. 9TH AT THE SAME TIMES.

MASS TIMES

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8 a.m. Mass 10 a.m. Mass <i>(Livestreamed)</i> 6:30 p.m. Mass	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass 6:30 p.m. Mass St. Anthony Novena follows	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena follows	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass Our Lady of Sorrows & All Consolation Novenas follow	8 a.m. Daily Mass 3:45 Confessions 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

HOLYDAYS OF OBLIGATION - 6:30 P.M. VIGIL MASS EVENING PRIOR TO HOLYDAY.
HOLYDAY SCHEDULE: 7:45 A.M. AND 6:30 P.M. MASSES
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—609 927-0121 E-MAIL: SRE@ourladyofsorrows.comcastbiz.net

PARISH OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY - THURSDAY
9 A.M. TO 5 P.M.
FRIDAY
9 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.
TELEPHONE 609-927-1154

LEGION OF MARY-LINDA TUCCINARDI
HOLY SPIRIT OUR GREATEST FRIEND-SUSAN SCOTT
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - MARK GURNETT
If you are interested in joining these groups, leave your name and phone number with the Parish Office, and someone will contact you with information.

The Parish Events & Around the Diocese



Please pray for our sick and homebound:

A.W., Judy Alonzo, Irene Amodeo, Anthony & Joanne Baccari, Dennis B., Vera Baker, Josephine Barone, Patty Bauer, Bella, Dolores & Beau Campbell, Anthony Cicalese, Madeline DaPrato, Pauline V. Donais, Michelle Doyle, Carmela Gough, MC Gallagher, Katie Garwood,

Paula Gushe, Michael Harte, Mary Kate Harte, Patty & John Holston, Denise Howe, Liz I., Edward & Patricia Iwonski, Phyllis Johnson, Daniel Kopycienski, Peter Kotsakis, Rick Kroger, Emily Lewis, Irene Locantore, Catherine Lupe, Anna & Michael McCauley, Julie Anna Maigiotti & Paul, Michael Maiore, Michelle Miller, Richard Miller, Angie Minnicucci, Jennie Minnicucci, Mary Minnicucci, Mel E. Minnicucci, Patricia Minnicucci, Patsy Minnicucci, Rose Minnicucci, Mary Mursheno & Family, Linda Peterson, Richard & Peter Pavese, Sinead Pitman, Jane Ragan, Donna Robillard, Anna R. Robinson, Arilda Robinson, Lester Robinson, 1, Lester Robinson, 11, Ronan Seybold, Irma Shaw, Catlin Simpson, Joseph & Shirely N. Stebbins, Simone St. Dennis, Nico Tomassetti, Jeanette Trumbauer, Joyce D. Van Scoy, Steve, Terry Lee Williams, Mary Anna Worwell and three special intentions. **To add your loved-ones to the prayer list, please call the Parish Office at 609 927-1154.**



Perpetual Adoration

**24 Hours a Day—7 Days a Week
ADORERS NEEDED**

*Tuesday 11:00 p.m. - Midnight
Sunday 10:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.*

**Substitutes are always needed.
Please call Melanie at 609-665-9161**

COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY
NEEDS



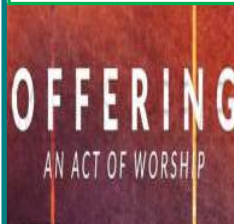
Please drop off your food donations on Sundays in the vestibule of the church. Thank you for your generosity in helping those in need.

****Shoprite, acme & grocery store gift cards accepted****

- * Condiments: ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise etc.
- * Canned/powdered gravy mix
- * Instant mashed potatoes
- * Easy sides- i.e., Knorr sides, rice/pasta mixes
- * Spaghetti sauce
- * BBQ Sauce
- * Sugar, flour, various simple mixes: cakes, brownies, cookies, corn bread (Jiffy brand), frostings (various)
- * Baked beans, canned meats
- * Salad dressings (various)
- * Canned/powdered various soups (clam chowder), Stews
- * Peanut butter (Crunchy), jelly & jam (various)
- * Bread, rolls, & crackers
- * Coffee
- * Canned fruit (peaches), applesauce
- * Snacks, granola bars
- * Instant oatmeal, cereal (various)
- * Shampoo & Conditioner, body wash, soaps, toothpaste



The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolic association of Catholic men and women who have formed themselves into a body to be of service to the Church. Founded in Ireland in 1921, it now serves in more than 170 countries throughout the world. Mary the Immaculate is the model and through her its members seek to present Christ to everyone. The objective is the spiritual formation of all confirmed members of the church through Prayer and Lay Apostolic Work to realize their vocation to holiness. Our lady of Sorrows Praesidium (this is what a parish Legion of Mary group is known as) meets each Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. in the Church Annex. You are most welcome to join us. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend our next meeting. For further information contact Linda Tuccinardi at 609 653-8152.



December 11, 2022	
1st Collection	\$5,177.00
2nd Collection	2,162.00
TOTAL	\$7,339.00
Retirement Fund	1,563.00
Christmas Flowers	945.00



Come and help us clean our Church by becoming a "Cleaning Angel"! Just show up on Mondays and Thursdays at 10 a.m. to help us make our Church sparkle! We have the supplies and directions to clean.

We cannot do it without your help!
The more help - the less of a burden for all! Thank you.



Merry Christmas

ADVENT & CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS PERPETUAL ADORATION SCHEDULE

Suspended as of 12:00 Noon on Christmas Eve, December 24th
Resumes the day after Christmas, December 26th at 12:00 Noon
Call Melanie with any questions at 609 665-9161

CHRISTMAS EVE

Saturday, December 24th -
Christmas Pageant - 3:30 p.m.
Youth & Family Mass - 4:00 p.m.

Blessing of the Christmas Tree - 6:15 p.m.
Christmas Vigil Mass – 6:30 p.m.

Christmas Solemn Mass with Procession
and Blessing of the Christmas Crib - 11:00 p.m.

CHRISTMAS DAY

Sunday, December 25th
Masses: 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Saturday, December 31st - Mass: 8:00 a.m.
Vigil - Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God - Mass: 5:00 p.m.

NEW YEAR'S DAY - Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
Sunday, January 1st, 2023 - Masses: 8 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

OFFICE CLOSED

Monday, December 26th
Monday, January 2nd

A Soldier's Silent Night

Poem was written by a former Marine Corporal James M. Schmidt.
Schmidt was stationed in Washington, D.C. in 1987

**T'was the night before Christmas
He lived all alone,
in a one bedroom house
made of plaster and stone.**

**I had come down the chimney
with presents to give
To see just who,
in this dwelling did live.**

**I looked all around
A strange sight to see
No tinsel, no presents,
Not even a tree.**

**On the wall hung pictures
of far distant lands.
Medals 'n badges, awards of
every kind; A sobering thought came
alive in my mind.**

**This house was different...
it was dark, it was dreary.
I had found the home of a soldier,
I could see that most clearly.**

**The soldier lay sleeping,
Silent, Alone;
Curled up on the floor
In this one bedroom home.**

**His face was so gentle,
The room in such disorder;
Not at all how I pictured
a United States' soldier.**

**Was this the hero
of whom I'd just read;
Curled up on a poncho,
the floor for a bed?**

**Then I realized the other families
I saw this night,
Owed their lives to soldiers
Who were willing to fight.**

**In the morning, round the world,
Children would play;
Grown-ups would celebrate
A bright Christmas Day.**

**But they all enjoy freedom
Each month of the year,
Because of soldiers
Like the one lying here.**

**I couldn't help but wonder
How many lay alone,
On a cold Christmas Eve
In lands far from home.**

**The very thought
Brought a tear to my eyes;
I dropped to my knees,
I started to cry.**

**The soldier awakened
I heard his rough voice,
"Santa don't cry,
This life is MY choice.**

**I fight for freedom,
I don't ask for more;
My life is my God,
My country, My corps."**

**The soldier rolled over,
and drifted to sleep.
But, I couldn't control it,
I continued to weep.**

**I kept watch for hours,
So silent and still;
As both of us shivered
From the cold night's chill.**

**I didn't want to leave him
On that cold, dark night;
This guardian of honor,
So willing to fight.**

**Then, the soldier rolled over,
In a voice soft and pure,
He whispered, "Carry on Santa,
It's Christmas Day, all is secure."**

**One look at my watch,
I knew he was right.
Merry Christmas my friend,
May God bless you this night.**

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