

Our Lady of Sorrows Church

"A Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Parish, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week"

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PASTOR - REV. PAUL D. HARTE

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SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2023 - FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Our Mission Statement

We are the family of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, a community of individuals united by the love of Christ. We reach out to all through prayer, spiritual formation, liturgical offerings, education, a welcoming spirit, and service. We are a Perpetual Adoration parish, sharing this opportunity with the surrounding communities.

MASS SCHEDULE

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

HOLIDAYS OF OBLIGATION - 6:30 P.M. VIGIL MASS EVENING PRIOR TO HOLYDAY.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE: 7:45 A.M. AND 6:30 P.M. MASSES

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 609 927-0121

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - WEDNESDAY

8:30 A.M. - 3:30 P.M.

TUESDAY - THURSDAY

9 A.M. TO 5 P.M.

FRIDAY

8:30 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.

TELEPHONE - 609-927-1154

LEGION OF MARY- LINDA TUCCINARDI

HOLY SPIRIT OUR GREATEST FRIEND - SUSAN SCOTT

PERPETUAL ADORATION - MELANIE STUBEE

609 665-9161

SOCIAL SODALITY - LINDA DUNN 609 927-7547

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 be in touch with you.



Mass Intentions

Sunday, May 14, 2023

- 8:00 a.m. † Charles Fiorentino
R/B Fr. Harte, Deacon Joe & Staff
- 10:00 a.m. † Pro-Populo *(for the people of the parish)*
- 6:30 p.m. † Meredith Godfrey
R/B Susan & Kevin Ailes



Please pray for our sick & homebound:

A.W., Judy Alonzo, Irene Amodeo, Anthony & Joanne Baccari, Dennis B., Vera Baker, Josephine Barone, Patty Bauer, Bella, Dolores, Thomas Biglan, Beau Campbell, Theresa Cappuccio, Dolores & Anthony Cicalese, Kay Cristeno, Pauline V. Donais, Michelle Doyle, Mary Eileen Durante, Kollin Eisenbeis, Carmela Gough, McGallagher, Delores (Dee) Gannon-Katie Garwood, Paula Gushe, Michael Hanson, Michael Harte, Mary Kate Harte, Joan Hinman, Patty & John Holston, Denise Howe, Frannie Hughes, Liz I., Edward & Patricia Iwonski, Jonathan & Naomi, Phyllis Johnson, Erin Jo Killion, Daniel Kopycienski, Peter Kotsakis, Rick Kroger, Daniel Lawler, Robert Leeds, Ann Lemons, Emily Lewis, Irene Locantore, Catherine Lupe, Anna & Michael McCauley, Sylvia McGinty, Julie Anna Maigiotti & Paul, Michael Maiore, Edward Miller, 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, Emma Pierce, Sinead Pitman, John & Jane Ragan, Donna Robillard, Anna R. Robinson, Arilda Robinson, Lester Robinson, I, Lester Robinson, II, Ronan Seybold, Irma Shaw, Catlin Simpson, John R. Smith, III, Joseph & Shirely N. Stebbins, Simone St. Dennis, Nico Tomassetti, Jeanette Trumbauer, Joyce D. Van Scoy, Steve, Terry Lee Williams, Michael Wisnowski, Mary Anna Worwell and three special intentions.

To add your loved-ones to the prayer list, please call the Parish Office at 927-1154.

Saturday, May 6, 2023

- 5:00 p.m. † Charles Fiorentino
R/B A Friend
- † Beatrice Finnegan
R/B Kathy, Alan, Barry & Dan Chenman
- † Charles Fiorentino
R/B Deborah Grottola

Sunday, May 7, 2023

- 8:00 a.m. † Pro-Populo *(for the people of the parish)*
- 10:00 a.m. † Antonio & Frances Scioscioli
R/B Frank & Virginia Dorazio
- 6:30 p.m. † Pat Montgomery-Healing
R/B Patty & John Holston

Monday, May 8, 2023

- 7:45 a.m. † Catherine Powers
R/B Cass Powers

Tuesday, May 9, 2023

- 7:45 a.m. † Nilda Ruiz
R/B Barbara Behm
- 6:30 p.m. † Charles Fiorentino
R/B Angela Culmone

Wednesday, May 10, 2023

- 7:45 a.m. † Paquito Degala
R/B Family

Thursday, May 11, 2023

- 7:45 a.m. † Susan McBride
R/B Michael & Kelly Costello

Friday, May 12, 2023

- 7:45 a.m. † Natalie Sedgwick
R/B Eleanor Webb

Saturday, May 13, 2023

- 8:00 a.m. † Charles & Grace Fiorentino
R/B Fiorentino Family
- 5:00 p.m. † Mary Anne Locatell
R/B Barbara & Bob Hood
- † Natalie Sedgwick
R/B Ray & Cathy Lowry & Family
- † Frank McCracken
R/B Deborah Grattola

AROUND THE PARISH

Parish Mass Schedule Change

From the Pastor,

I have submitted our plan to the Diocese for the implementation of the Decree Regarding Parish Mass Schedules for Churches with only one priest, as directed by the Bishop. The process began in October 2022 distributing surveys to all adults present at each of the weekend Masses for two weeks. We have also been recording attendance as well as collection totals per Mass. To our pleasant surprise, many survey participants acknowledged the need to adjust the number of Masses due to reduction of clergy availability, limited attendance and excess unused capacity of the Church facility. Our intent was to gather data specifically linked to the status of the respondent (Registered/Not Registered, reasons for your choosing this particular Mass to attend, and to get a feel for their willingness to attend a different Mass here at Our Lady of Sorrow should their preferred Mass no longer be offered). A Parish Trustee and Finance Council Member along with Deacon Joe and myself personally reviewed over 400 completed surveys, made our notes and explored the final data to come up with the decision to **discontinue the Sunday, 6:30 p.m. Mass as of May 21, 2023.** I announced this decision to those attending the 6:30 p.m. Mass, April 30th, since it directly impacts them, while encouraging them to continue worshipping and participating with us. I thank everyone who participated in the surveys and ask everyone for your understanding, prayer and continued financial support of Our Lady of Sorrows Church.

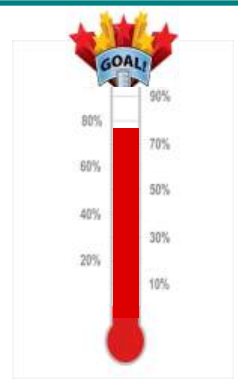
CHURCH CALENDAR

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
Thursdays:	Cleaning of the Hall & Church 10:00 am - 12 Noon
Fridays:	Bingo - Doors open 6:00pm Games start: 7:00 pm

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Weekly Collection

April 23th	
1st Collection	\$5068
2nd Collection	\$2449
TOTAL	\$7517



“The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.” 1 PETER 2:7
Every person has been given Stewardship gifts from the Holy Spirit. These are called “charisms” and they are used to build God’s kingdom of earth. While many people are able to recognize their natural talents and abilities, they may be unsure of their charisms. If you know someone who is struggling for a direction in life, give them a little encouragement. Help them discern their charisms and how God is calling them to use them. Remember - no gift is too small or insignificant in God’s salvation plan.

AROUND THE PARISH

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



First Communion Dates

Sunday, May 7th, 10:00 am Mass
followed with our
Parish May Crowning (May 7th)

All First Communicants are invited to wear their First Communion attire to be part of the May Crowning.



NEED A GIFT FOR A CHILD RECEIVING FIRST COMMUNION OR CONFIRMATION?

A varied selection of gifts are available for purchase at the Missionaries of the Sacred Hearts, 2249 Shore Road, Linwood. Religious articles are located in the office building on the corner of Shore & Royal Avenues, on the same grounds as Villa Pieta. Please call the Villa for their hours of operation at (609 927-5600).

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May 13, 2023 (Saturday)

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

724 Maple Ave, Linwood, NJ 08221

Time: 12:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Lunch served at noon before
Presentation

Register using the QR Code or
Email: UnitedForLife@comcast.net
call: Maureen Masters
at (978) 239-2285

Outdoor Rosary at the Park

In honor of
Our Lady of Fatima
106th Anniversary of her
apparition in Portugal

This local Rosary Rally is one of hundreds planned across the USA. It is sponsored by *America Needs Fatima*. All are invited to accept Our Lady's request to pray the Rosary for peace in our hearts, our homes, and in the world.

Saturday, May 13, 2023
12 noon to 1:00pm

DATE CORRECTION!

MINISTRY OF MOTHERHOOD

Pennies will be collected after all Masses
May 20/21 at Our Lady of Sorrows Church
June 3/4 at St. Josephs Church

Our goal is, as always, to gather 3000 people to save 1 penny a day for 100 days to help us make a meaningful impact in children and families lives. When put together, Pennies make a huge difference! Also, checks made payable to "Ministry of Motherhood" are accepted and are tax-deductible. Info: Alice 609-408-2194

Missionaries of the Sacred Hearts **of Jesus and Mary**

2249 Shore Road, Linwood, NJ

FLEA MARKET

Friday, May 19th 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Saturday, May 20th 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

For information, please contact:

Nollie (609) 665-2707 or Kim 609 226-4823

Rain dates: Friday, May 26th 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

AROUND THE PARISH & DIOCESE



Perpetual Adoration
24 Hours/Day - 7 Days a Week
Adorers Needed
Saturday 9 am—10 am
Substitutes are always needed
Please call Melanie at 609-665-9161

A Shout Out to our Volunteer Team!



They have done it again! Filling 3000 eggs with candy to make our Annual Easter Egg Hunt a success! We thank them all and their Coordinator Mary Doherty! Under the leadership of Linda Dunn, the team will be volunteering for the upcoming 2023 events:

- * Ice Cream Sunday
- * Flea Market
- * 750 Raffle & Dinner
- * Senior Luncheon

We couldn't have these events without their help!
Keep reading future bulletins for upcoming dates!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration for the 2023-24 year has been emailed and snail mailed out. Please complete and return as soon as possible so we may order materials and recruit Catechist's to teach. If you need a form, please call the Parish Office 609-927-1154 and we will email or snail mail one! Thank you!



SAINT JOSEPH REGIONAL SCHOOL

Saint Joseph Regional School in Somers Point, NJ is hiring the following positions:

- * Full Time Middle School Religion Teacher (Grades 6, 7 & 8)
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Please send a letter of interest and resume to applicants@sjrs.org

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS CLASSES

If you are interested in serving the Parish as a Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion the following classes are being offered in person or a Zoom meeting to receive your certification.

May 17, 2023 - Zoom Meeting, 7-9pm
&

May 24, 2023 - In-Person Session, 7-9pm
Saint Charles Borromeo Parish
176 Stagecoach Road Sicklerville, NJ 08081

Please contact the Parish Office for a form to fill out and then submit it to Fr. Harte for his approval.



To honor all police officers, those presently serving our communities, all canine officers and their partners, retired officers, family and friends of officers who have served and have answered the final call. **Monday, May 15th**

7:00 pm

Our Lady of Pompeii Church
4680 Dante Avenue, Vineland, NJ

Following Mass, refreshments will be served in Rosary Hall. Please join us in honoring the men and women who work diligently everyday to keep our communities safe. Please call the Parish Office at (856) 691-7526) to register or email: padrepio@comcast.net

Pro-Life Walking with Moms in-Need Ministry and Jersey Shore Women's Center

Thank you for your donations of diapers, wipes, and more each week. Because of your generosity, the Women's Center is able to serve a growing number of women in need and to use its limited resources to provide assistance far beyond diapers. Diapers and pull-ups of all sizes and wipes can be left in the box in the back of the church and gift-cards for WaWa (gas money), Uber, Shoprite, Walmart and Target can be dropped at the office labeled "Walking with Moms." If you would like to join OLS's Walking with Moms in-Need Ministry and/or volunteer at Jersey Shore Women's Center please call Alice at 609-408-2194.

AROUND THE *DIOCESE*



An Evening of Remembrance and Healing

Mass celebrated by
Msgr. Michael Mannion

For those who have suffered the loss of a child of any age through miscarriage, still-birth, abortion, SIDS illness, overdose, suicide, disease or any untimely death. We encourage and welcome all members of the family and friends affected by the loss of this child to join this Mass of celebration for the life that touched ours briefly, yet stays in our hearts forever.

**Monday, May 15, 2023
6:30 p.m.**

**Church of the Resurrection
St. Maximillian Kolbe Parish
200 Tuckahoe Rd. Marmora, NJ**

Please bring a picture or special remembrance of your Child (*roses will be available to those who lost their child before birth*)

**For more information:
Call Betty (609)425-3553**



Concert for Peace
Sunday, May 28, 2023
3:00 p.m.

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