



OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH

LINWOOD, NEW JERSEY

March 3, 2024



**Saturday, March 2, 2024**

5:00 p.m. † Frank Caputo  
 R/B Kelly & Michael Costello  
 Lorraine Duffield  
 † R/B The Dalzell Family

**Sunday, March 3, 2024**

8:00 a.m. † Pro-Populo  
 10:00 a.m. † Jim Carney  
 R/B Maryann & Buddy Eger  
 † Daniel McCabe  
 R/B Joan & Joe Gerace  
 † Pat Broome  
 R/B Tony & Helen DeSalle  
 † Patricia Broome  
 R/B Marilyn Miller & Janet Gee  
 † Lydia Torres  
 R/B Fr. Harte, Deacon Joe & Staff

**Monday, March 4, 2024**

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

**Tuesday, March 5, 2024**

7:45 a.m. † Steven Rotella  
 R/B Tom DiPatri  
 6:30 p.m. † Pat Broome  
 R/B Bill & Linda Gussie

**Wednesday, March 6, 2024**

7:45 a.m. † Barbara Elizabeth Curtis  
 R/B Friends

**Thursday, March 7, 2024**

7:45 a.m. † Lorraine Duffield  
 R/B Eddie & Lisa Sooy

**Friday, March 8, 2024**

7:45 a.m. † Aisling Cooke  
 R/B The Schoen Family

**Saturday, March 9, 2024**

8:00 a.m. † Harry Diver  
 R/B The Diver Family  
 5:00 p.m. † Angelo Cappuccio, Jr.  
 R/B Sally Pietrofitta  
 † Jane Lavan  
 R/B Angel Dromgoole  
 † Jane Lavan  
 R/B KC Gallagher

**Sunday, March 10, 2024**

8:00 a.m. † Thomas Keenan  
 R/B Mark & Peggy Pushman  
 † Barbara Curtis  
 R/B Greg & Theresa DeSantis  
 † James Carney  
 R/B Merle & Debbie Graham  
 10:00 a.m. † Pro-Populo



**“You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything...” - EXODUS 20:4**

How many “gods” do you put before God? “Idols” do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times, they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot like pride, power, ego, time, comfort or health. Pray for God’s help to prune our vices and to grow in virtue in Stewardship.



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**Please pray for our deceased:**  
 †Edward P. Kozmor†  
 †Anthony DeBellis†



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

Friday Evenings at 7 p.m.  
 March 8th, 15th, 22nd  
 & Good Friday, March 29th

**COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE**

*Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> 7:30 p.m.  
 Additional Priests in Confessionals*

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

Passion Sunday, March 24th  
 Vigil Mass Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
 Sunday Masses:  
 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.  
 Palm will be distributed at all Masses

**HOLY THURSDAY, March 28th**

No morning Mass  
 Confessions 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.  
 6:30 p.m. -Mass of the Lord's Supper  
*(Adoration suspended till after the  
 Easter Vigil Mass)*

**GOOD FRIDAY, March 29th**

Day of Fast and Abstinence-No morning Mass  
 3:00 p.m. Solemn Service  
 Passion, Veneration of the Cross, Communion  
 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

**HOLY SATURDAY, March 30th**

No morning Mass  
 12:00 p.m. - Blessing of the Easter Foods  
 Confessions - 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass  
 (Adoration resumes after Mass)

**EASTER SUNDAY, March 31st**

Masses: 8:00 and 10:00 a.m., ONLY  
 Easter Egg Hunt for children Ages 10 and  
 under after the 10 a.m. Mass.  
 Refreshments follow.  
*Volunteers needed.*



**Large plastic Easter Eggs and candy are needed for our Easter Egg Hunt. Items can be dropped off at the Parish Office during the week. Thank you.**



**Weekdays of Lent**

There is no obligation to fast. However, voluntary acts of self-denial are recommended.

**Ash Wednesday & Good Friday**

These are days of *Fast and Abstinence from meat*. There is a limit of **one** full meal on these days for all between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive.

**Days of Abstinence: (All Fridays in Lent)**

All who have reached their 14<sup>th</sup> year are bound to abstain totally from meat.

**Easter Duty Obligation**

After they have received their First Holy Communion, Catholics are bound by the obligation of receiving Holy Communion at least once a year. This precept should be fulfilled during the Easter Season. Catholics are also bound to confess serious (mortal) sins at least once a year, but this is not limited to the Lenten/Easter Season.



**February 25th**

1st Collection	\$5,192.00
2nd Collection	<u>2,569.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,761.00</b>

**FaithFULL Food Drive**  
 SUNDAY | MARCH 17, 2024

**WHAT WE'RE COLLECTING:**  
 It's requested that parishioners donate non expired food only. Please aim for healthy 'no salt added,' 'low-sodium,' and whole grain options. Below please find the most needed items for those experiencing food insecurity.

- > CANNED BEANS
- > DRIED PASTA AND RICE
- > CANNED SPAGHETTI SAUCE
- > COOKING OILS AND VINEGARS
- > CANNED FRUIT | FRUIT CUPS
- > PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY
- > CANNED AND HEARTY SOUPS
- > DRIED MASHED POTATO

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# NEWS & EVENTS IN & AROUND

## The Parish & Diocese

Shroud Encounter  
with Russ Breault



Free Admission



Seen on History, Discovery, CBS, Good Morning America and more

**Saturday, March 23rd @ 7:00 p.m.**

Our Lady of Sorrows will be hosting an in-depth presentation on the Shroud of Turin with one of the world's leading experts, Russ Breault who has been seen on many television shows.

## MONTHLY MINISTRY SCHEDULES

### LECTOR SCHEDULE - March

Saturday	5:00 P.M.	S. Pietrofitta
Sunday	8:00 AM.	D. Price
Sunday	10:00 AM.	J. Salerno

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS - March

Saturday	5:00 P.M.	K. McCusker/L. Gussie/Vol.
Sunday	8:00 AM.	J. Lapointe/M. Pushman/ T. McClaren
Sunday	10:00 AM.	I. Gallagher/B. Weaver/M. Eger

If there is a need for a Lector/Extraordinary Minister at any of the Masses, please volunteer.

## Art, Antique, & Craft Show

Please join us at the Fine Art, Antique & Craft Show here at the Hall on

**Saturday, March 23rd**  
**(Palm Sunday Weekend)**

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

For more information please call  
Joan Corson at 609 513-7465.



Bible Study will resume on Monday, March 11th at 10:00 am and continue through Monday, April 22nd. We will meet in the St. Mark room in the Annex. We will be examining the letter to the Hebrews, a book which seeks to teach the connection between Judaism and Christianity. There will be a fee of \$20 for the materials. Please bring or mail the fee to the parish office by Wednesday, March 6th. The books are available in the office.



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## BINGO

**Fridays: Bingo - Doors open at 6:00pm**  
**Games start: 7:00 pm**

## CHOIR Rehearsal

Choir rehearsals for Easter are on Wednesdays, 7:30-9:00pm, through March 27th.

Our Goal	\$89,200.00
Pledges & Outright Gifts To Go	(17,220.00)
No. of Gifts	30

# AROUND THE PARISH

## Prayers for the Sick and Healing

Joan Barnes, Brayden Campi, Bill & Shirley Dillon, Mary C. Gallagher, Katie Garwood, Patrick & Lori Greene, Frannie Hughes, Carmela Jacobs, Kim Lapointe, Nikole Lapointe, Emily Lewis, Cathy Lowry, Desi K., Patricia McClaren, Ronan Seybold, Carmela Jacobs and one special intention.

*The Prayer list has been refreshed. Please call the office at 927-1154 if you would like you oved-one's name on our list. Thank you.*

## Religious Education

March 2024

M	T	W	Th	F
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4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

March

Week 19: 3/4  
 Week 20: 3/11 **Class Lenten Confessions, Monday, March 11th Gr, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 during class times**  
 Week 21: 3/18  
 Week 22: 3/25 **Final class of the season.**

**Holy Thursday 3/28**  
**Good Friday 3/29**



OUR LADY OF SORROWS  
 ST. PATRICK'S DAY  
 PARTY & AUCTION

SATURDAY

MARCH 16, 2024

DOORS OPEN AT 5:30PM

**\$5.00 ENTRANCE FEE**

(includes slice of pizza, chips & beverage)

Doors Open: 5:30 p.m.

Pizza Served 6:30 p.m.

Drawing 7:15 p.m.

FAMILIES INVITED

(HALL SEATING CAPACITY 250)

We are in need of raffle prizes to make our St. Patrick's Auction a great success. If you can donate any NEW unused items that are just sitting around your house taking up space it would be a great help to us. Don't forget those unopened Christmas gifts that you just don't know what to do with! You can also purchase a gift basket that we can auction off. Please bring your donations to the Parish Office. **If you own a business, please consider donating a gift basket or a gift for the Auction. Thank you.**

**TICKETS FOR THE SILENT AUCTION ARE:**

*1 sheet = 26 tickets*

1 sheet \$ 5.00	3 sheets \$10.00
7 sheets \$20.00	11 sheets \$30.00
15 sheets \$40.00	19 sheets \$50.00

**Dessert platters of finger desserts, cookies or cupcakes are needed. Please bring dessert the night of the auction. Thank you.**



FIRST PENANCE

Saturday, March 9th

9:00 am - Church

Back-up event same day at 3:30 pm - Church

First Communion Parent-Child Retreat

Sunday, Sunday, April 7th, 10:00 am - 1:30 pm

Attend Mass together at 10:00 am Mass, then come to the Hall Workshop Sessions (Rotate from one to another!) Making and Baking your OWN LOAF OF BREAD

Assembling, decorating and gluing your First Communion Pew Banner, created from a pre-ordered kit! We will have yours there...with some supplies. Bring your favorite scissors.

Hands ON display and explanation of everything used at Mass: Vestments, Reading Books, Chalice, Wine and Water goblets, etc. PLUS you will be given a HOST (Not a blessed one!) to eat as a sample!

View a Religious Video with your parent(s) to help your understanding of this sacred Day of First Communion. (It will be the third Sacrament you have received...Baptism, First Reconciliation and First Eucharist/Communion).

FIRST COMMUNION DATES:

Sunday	April 28th	10:00 am Mass
Saturday	May 4th	5:00 pm Mass
Sunday	May 5th	10:00 am Mass
Sunday	May 5th	10:00 am Family Mass

Parish May Crowning today

# AROUND THE PARISH

## Men's Prayer Group

Gather with men from various parishes to share the "Upcoming Sunday" scriptures and discuss what it means to them. You do not need to be a scholar but bring an openness to learn and participate in the fellowship. The prayer group will meet at **7:00 pm** at these locations:

**1st Tuesday of the month (March 5th):**

**Our Lady of Sorrows Church**

(in the Annex next to the church) Wabash Avenue, between Poplar & Wilson Avenues, Linwood, NJ

**2nd & 5th Tuesday of the month: Assumption**

**Church** (in the chapel), 146 Pitney Rd., Galloway, NJ

**3rd Tuesday of the month: Leeds Hall behind Blessed Sacrament Church** (entry off of Jerome Ave.) Margate, NJ

**4th Tuesday of the month:**

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church (Classroom)**

591 New Jersey Avenue, Absecon, NJ

For information, call Tom at 609 289-7610.

# EVENTS

## WHAT'S ON THE CHURCH CALENDAR

<b>Mondays:</b>	<b>Cleaning of the Church</b> 10:00 am - 12 Noon pm <b>Rosary</b> - 6:00 p.m.
<b>Tuesdays:</b>	<b>Legion of Mary</b> 9:30 am - 10:30 am <b>Holy Spirit Prayer Group</b> 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm - Hall
<b>Wednesdays:</b>	<b>Precious Blood Devotions</b> 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm Church
<b>Thursdays:</b>	<b>Cleaning of the Hall &amp; Church</b> 10:00 am -12Noon
<b>Fridays:</b>	<b>Bingo</b> - Doors open at 6:00pm <b>Games start:</b> 7:00 pm

## Our Lady of Sorrows Church

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8 a.m. Mass 10 a.m. Mass (Livestreamed)	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 Novena follows	8 a.m. Daily Mass ----- 3:45 Confessions ----- 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

**HOLIDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 7:45 A.M. AND 6:30 P.M. MASSES**  
PASTOR - REV. PAUL D. HARTE & DEACON JOSEPH W. LONERGAN

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - THURSDAY

8 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

FRIDAY - 9 A.M. TO 12:00 Noon

TELEPHONE 609-927-1154

**LEGION OF MARY - LINDA TUCCINARDI**  
**HOLY SPIRIT OUR GREATEST FRIEND—SUSAN SCOTT**  
**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - MARK GURNETT**  
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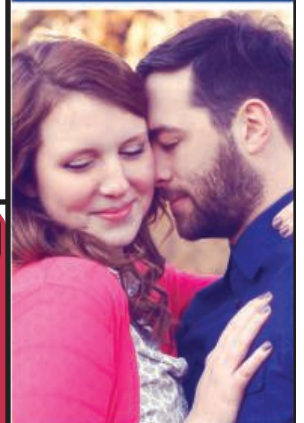
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