

Mass Times

Sunday 5:30 PM Anticipated

7:30 AM 9:30 AM 11:30 AM

Weekday

Mon - Sat 9:00 AM

Weekly Penance

Saturday 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM

4:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Pastor V. Reverend Larry Evans, II, V.F.

St. Rose of Lima Parish

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Parish Office 973.379.3912

office hours: M-Th 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

(Closed between 12:30-1:30 PM)

Fri 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Website www.stroseshorthills.org

St. Rose of Lima Academy 973-379-3973

ST. ROSE OF LIMA CATHOLIC CHURCH PENTECOST

May 19, 2024



"Apart from the cross, there is no other ladder by which we may go to heaven." - St. Rose of Lima

St. Rose Calendar

Sun, May 19 Pentecost Sunday

Parishioners are encouraged to wear the color red to Mass. Commissioning of Liturgical Ministers within Mass 7:30 am | 9:30 am | 11:30 am

Mon, May 20 The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church (Memorial)

Tue, May 21 Don't Eat Alone, 4:30 pm, Ryan Hall. Dinner & Movie (Please note time and location change)

Thu, May 23 8:00 pm Baptism Sign Up Meeting with Sr. Sandy DeMasi See bulletin and website for detail and login instructions.

Fri, May 24 SRLA Closed

Sun, May 26 The Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity)

Masses 5:30 pm (Anticipated) | 7:30 am | 9:30 am | 11:30 am

Mon, May 27 Memorial Day | 9:00 AM Mass with Memorial Day Procession SRLA and Parish Offices Closed in obervance of holiday

Thu, May 30 Troop 19 Court of Honor

Fri, May 31 9:00 AM Mass | Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sun, Jun 2 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ / Corpus Christi Masses 5:30 pm (Anticipated) | 7:30 am | 9:30 am | 11:30 am

Fri, Jun 7 9:00 AM Mass | Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Solemnity)

SRLA Graduation and Commencement Ceremony

Sat, Jun 8 Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Memorial)

Fri, Jun 14 SRLA Last Day of School

The life of our parish is guided by the parish mission which is to educate, form and transform persons into disciples of Christ and to foster their active participation in the life, work and mission of the Church. All parishes are called to be "schools of discipleship" assisting the People of God with the ongoing life long conversion required to be followers of Jesus Christ. It is in our parishes, families and in the world that we are living witnesses to Christ's love and the faith we profess. Discipleship is our invitation to continue Christ's saving mission here and now and through generous stewardship change the world!

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	Sr. Sandy DeMasi	
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	Mr. Steve Togher	
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RCIA OCIA	Sr. Sandy DeMasi	

Matrimony Arrangements must be made with one of the parish priests at least one year in advance. Please call the Parish Office

Reconciliation, Individual confessions Saturdays following 9:00am Mass and 4:30pm - 5:00pm

Sacrament of the Sick or Eucharist for Homebound Please call the Parish Office for assitance

Parish Office Hours M-Th 9:00am to 3:00 pm (closed from 12:30-1:30pm)

Friday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Visit the St. Rose of Lima Parish website at www.stroseshorthills.org for the latest news & events.

Mass Intentions

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST Sunday, May 19

7:30 am Joseph Allen

9:30 am Warren G. Weidner

11:30 am Special Intention

Monday, May 20

9:00 am Barbara & Joe LaBelle

Tuesday, May 21

9:00 am Filomena Iasello

Wednesday, May 22

9:00 am Barbara & Joe LaBelle

Thursday, May 23

9:00 am Special Inention

Friday, May 24

9:00 am Al & Mary Williams

Saturday, May 25

9:00 am Special Intention

5:30 pm James Cantisano, Jr.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY Sunday, May 26

7:30 am Carlos Albert Suarez & Barbara Reddington

9:30 am Nancy Ward

11:30 am Carol O'Dell Howard

If you would like to offer a Mass for a loved one that has passed away, please call the parish office at 973-379-3912.

Pray The Sick

Let us pray for those who most need our prayers:

Patricia Evanik John Mudd Denes Ackroyd Scott Eveland Logan Alseika Dennis Nitka Tricia Finley Erin Wade Pado Elizabeth Arjune Ted Fujita Alfredo Parrelli Carl Barry Rosemarie Giuliano Giovannina Palumbo Jonathan Benjamin Doreen Hastings Christian Joseph Isola Jacob Rivera Ariel Biviano Ioseph Jaxson Rivera Amanda M. Brando Donovan Iimenez Mary Ross Sophie Chhowalla Iane Kearev Daniel Sanchez Iulia Cino John Kennedy Jr. Anastasia Stott Patt Kent Gretta Eliza Clausen Soondol Francisca Kim Josephine Valente John Connolly Kathleen Kunish Dina Vila Alex Cullen Debbie Kovach John Ward Francesca D'Andrea Charles F. Labus Kathleen Wheaton Mary Iane DeBenedictis Christina LaRosa Dana Willoughby Roseanne Logan Michael DeVincenzo G. Louis Madge Wilson Gloria DiBella Mary McDonnell Lerov Wilson Athena DiLeva Patricia N. Miller Walter Zelinski Sally Drennen Paul Morton, II

"Peace I leave you; my peace I give you I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."

- John 14:27 -



Carol-Ann Black

Mary Jane DeBenedictus

Janet Ginty

James W. Milton

Robert E. Quane II

'I assure you that today you will be with me in paradise.'
Luke 23:43

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Pentecost marks the occasion of God sending the Holy Spirit upon Jesus' disciples after his Resurrection. The book of Acts describes how the disciples were gathered together in one place on the day of Pentecost. 'The Jewish feast of Pentecost (Shavuot or



the Feast of Weeks) was a day that commemorated the giving of the law to Moses, a day soon to be marked as well by the giving of the Holy Spirit.

On Pentecost, the Holy Spirit gave the disciples the strength to fulfill their commission to spread the Good News of Jesus. The Solemnity of Pentecost, which crowns and fulfills the Easter season, is a good time to pray for a deeper indwelling of the Holy Spirit.

Prayer for Pentecost

Come, Holy Spirit, fill our hearts with your love. Set our lives aflame with your gifts.
Grant us wisdom to choose what is good and true;
Understanding to embrace your plan of salvation;
Right judgment to act according to your will;
Courage to share our faith with others;
Knowledge to live as disciples of Jesus Christ;
Reverence to respond faithfully
to your grace each day;

And wonder and awe in your presence. Inspire us with enthusiasm for our Catholic faith.

Grant us boldness to proclaim the good news of salvation in Jesus Christ, and help us to bring the transforming power of the gospel to our world.

We make this prayer through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Pentecost Table Prayer

Come Holy Spirit, fill our heart.
Enkindle in us your fire of love
as we sit down together at table.
United and through Christ
may our lives give glory, honor and praise
to God for ever and ever. Amen.

"Let us invoke the Spirit daily upon our whole world".

-Pope Francis

Today, on his feast, let us ask ourselves: Am I docile to the harmony of the Spirit? Or do I pursue my projects, my own ideas, without letting myself be shaped and changed by him? Is my way of living the faith docile to the Spirit or is it obstinate? Am I stubbornly attached to texts or so-called doctrines that are only cold expressions of life? Am I quick to judge? Do I point fingers and slam doors in the face of others, considering myself a victim of everyone and everything? Or do I welcome the Spirit's harmonious and creative power, the "grace of wholeness" that he inspires, his forgiveness that brings us peace? And in turn, do I forgive? Forgiveness is making room for the Spirit to come. Do I foster reconciliation and build communion, or am I always on the lookout, poking my nose into problems and causing hurt, spite, division and breakdown? Do I forgive,



promote reconciliation and build communion? If the world is divided, if the Church is polarized, if hearts are broken, let us not waste time in criticizing others and growing angry with one another; instead, let us invoke the Spirit. He is able to resolve all of this.

Holy Spirit, Spirit of Jesus and of the Father, inexhaustible wellspring of harmony, to you we entrust the world; to you we consecrate the Church and our hearts. Come, Creator Spirit, harmony of humanity, renew the face of the earth. Come, Gift of gifts, harmony of the Church, make us one in you. Come, Spirit of forgiveness and harmony of the heart, transform us as only you can, through the intercession of Mary.

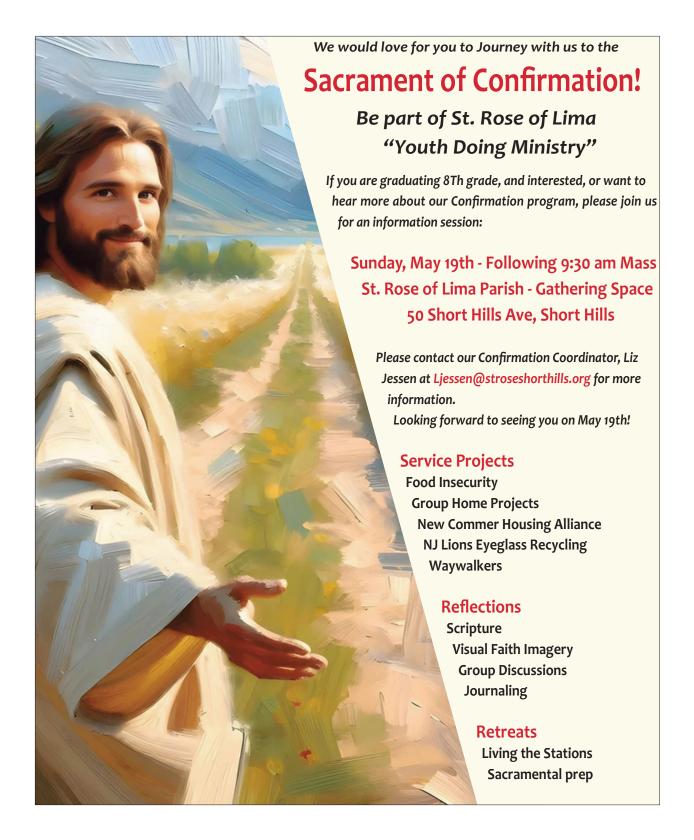
St. Rose of Lima Parish Celebrates the Sacrament of Holy Confirmation

Congratulations to each of our young parishioners who received the Sacrament of Holy Confirmation on Sunday, May 12, 2024. A beautiful, prayerful and important milestone for each Confirmed. Confirmation is God's gift of the Holy Spirit, a commitment to grow in the knowledge, service, practice of our faith and the identity of a full members of the Church.

Our warmest thanks to Bishop Michael Saporito, Celebrant and to the families and friends present. We also wish to thank our Confirmation Program Coordinators; Liz Jessen and Stephan Togher for their dedication and faithful guidance.







St. Rose of Lima Invites You To Join Us for

"Don't Eat Alone Nights"

Don't Eat Alone Nights are small gatherings of parishioners who would enjoy dining in the company of fellow parishioners.

Tuesday, May 21 – 4:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Join us in Ryan Hall for dinner & movie "Cabrini"

Dinner limited to 10 guests.

Please call Mary Jean at 973-379-3912 to reserve your seat. We look forward to seeing you!





Memorial Day Procession

On Monday, May 27, 2024 we will follow our Mass schedule for civil holidays. There is one Mass at 9:00 AM, which will conclude with a procession to our cemetery.

Secular Tradition - Commemorating the War Dead and Decorating Cemeteries
In 1971, Memorial Day was declared a national holiday by an act of Congress, though it is
still often called Decoration Day. It was then placed on the last Monday in May, as a day to
commemorate the War dead and decorate cemetaries.







Feast of the Visitation Friday, May 31st

This feast commemorates the visitation of Mary to her cousin Elizabeth after receiving the message of the angel, Gabriel. Of this event, St. Ambrose of Milan writes the following:

When the angel revealed his message to the Virgin Mary he gave her a sign to win her trust. He told her of the motherhood of an old and barren woman to show that God is able to do all that he wills.

When she hears this Mary sets out for the hill country. She does not disbelieve God's word; she feels no uncertainty over the message or doubt about the sign. She goes eager in purpose, dutiful in conscience, hastening for joy. Filled with God, where would she hasten but to the heights? The Holy Spirit does not proceed by slow, laborious efforts. Quickly, too, the blessings of her coming and the Lord's presence are made clear: as soon as Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting the child leapt in her womb, and she was filled with the Holy Spirit.

The Visitation is the second Joyful Mystery of the Rosary.

Holy Mary Mother of God, Pray For Us

Milestone Anniversary Masses

Celebrating 50 years of Catholic Marriage

Sun June 2 12:00pm 50th Wedding Anniversaries

Anniversary Masses are celebrated by Cardinal Joseph Tobin in the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark For more information or to register, please call the St. Rose Parish Office at (973) 379-3912





St. Rose of Lima Parish

Food Insecurity Sunday

Next Collection - May 25 & 26!

nonperishable items accepted

The St. Rose Food Insecurity Ministry will hold a food drive May 25 - 26th.

Please purchsed items from the list below and drop off donations to the SRL blue food van parked in the circular driveway in front of the church.

Donations of the following nonperishable food items are needed:

Peanut Butter Beans

Jelly Rice

Pasta Family Cereal (Cheerios, Corn Flakes etc.)

Red Sauce Mac & Cheese

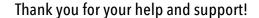
Monetary donations are welcomed!

Scan the QR code below to give \$45 or any amount and we'll do the shopping for you! Or just tap this link to be transferred to St. Rose Food Insecurity on Realm to give:

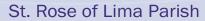
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All donations delivered to
The Pierre Toussaint Food Pantry
(St. Mary's Parish) in Newark.

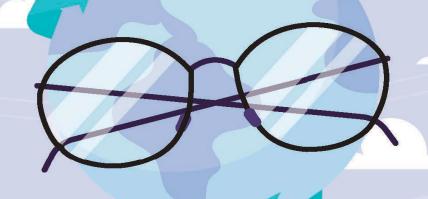






Confirmation Candidates 2024





SRL Confirmation Candidates are collecting used eyeglasses for the N.J. Lions Eyeglasses Recycling Center

All types of used glasses and sunglasses are needed: prescription & non-prescription, for children & adults are accepted

Reading glasses are useful for those who preform close up tasks while at work. Sunglasses are needed for people who live near the equator.

The purpose of the NJERC as an organization is to collect, clean, neutralize and designate the prescription of used eyeglasses and to restore and package them for distribution to needy groups and individuals thought the world especially Haiti and Africa.

PLEASE DROP OFF EYEGLASSES DONATIONS TO MARKED BOXES LOCATED IN THE CHURCH VESTIBULE!

For additional details contact Liz Jessen at ljessen@stroseshorthills.org

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2025 Holy Year **Pilgrimage to Italy**

Dear Brothers and Sisters.

Peace!

It is with great excitement and anticipation as Catholics around the world come togehter to cross the threshold of hope, redemption and forgiveness renewing our commitment to our faith on this Holy Year 2025 Pilgrimage to Italy.

This Jubilee year of the church which occurs every 25 years, celebrates not only the opening of the Holy Doors of St. Peter's Basilica, Archbasilica of St. John Lateran, Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Wall and Basilica of St. Mary Major in Rome but also the holy door of hearts.

Join us for this memorable journey of a lifetime, strengthening our relationship with God and receiving a new life of grace. Experience sacred holy sites, dazzling islands, sparkling seascapes and spectacular mountain ranges as we travel to Vatican City, Rome, Assisi, Orvieto, Sorrento, Isle of Capri, Amalfi Drive, and Herculaneum.

For additional information, please contact Sally Zeuner, St. Rose of Lima by email at szeuner@stroseshorthills.org or by phone at 973.379.3912.

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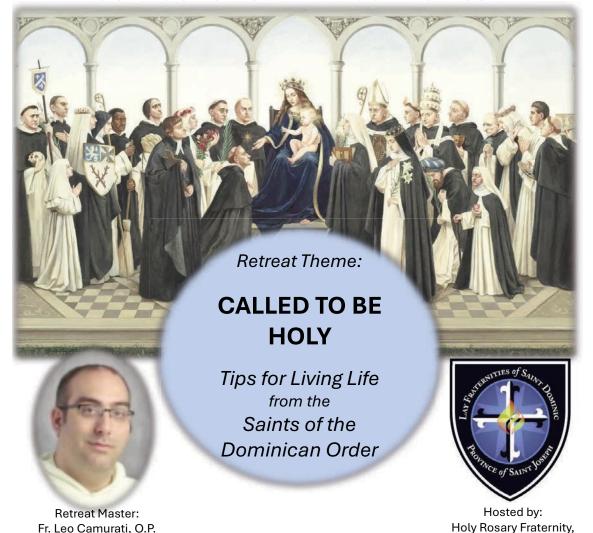
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- Hotels
- Breakfast and 7 dinners
- Tours and tips

Join us for our Annual Retreat



Saturday, June 8, 2024

9am – 4PM
St. Joseph's Shrine - Stirling, NJ
\$40/person (incl. lunch)
To Register, Please Contact:
(908) 219-4727
sheilakaripel@gmail.com

Third Order Dominicans Summit, NJ Do you know anyone who is homebound and unable to get to Mass?

Recovering from a hospitalization or illness?



Our Justin Ministers are specifically trained to visit those who cannot be with us to share the Sunday Gospel, hear about the homily, pray with someone on behalf of our community an receive Communion.

If you, or a family member or neighbor, would like a visit, either temporarily or indefinitely, please contact the parish office at 973-379-3912.

Call the parish office if you would like to volunteer for this ministry.

Reporting Abuse

The Archdiocese of Newark takes very seriously any and all complaints of sexual misconduct by members of the clergy, Religious and lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct to inform the Archdiocese immediately so that we may take appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse. Individuals who report an allegation of sexual misconduct may do so by calling the Victim's Assistance Coordinator of the Archdiocesan Office of Child and Youth Protection at (201) 407-3256.

Are You In The Loop?

Each Week we send an email which contains important announcements, links to Mass, worship aids, bulletin and the latest news from our the parish. If you would like to be added to



this list, please email rsabatella@stroseshorthills.org

St. Rose Food Collection Sunday

The last Sunday of each month is now the St. Rose Food Collection Sunday. All nonperishable food donations may be dropped off anytime to the St. Rose Blue Van in the parking lot. (Please see the flyer in this bulletin for a list of food items needed). Monetary donations are always welcomed and greatly appreciated. Donations are delivered the to the Pierre Toussaint Food Bank in Newark.

If you would like to give a donation please visit the St. Rose website at stroseshorthills.org, Food Insecurity. Thank you for your generous support!

SRL Parking Area Construction Notice

The St. Rose of Lima parking area is currently undergoing improvements. One section of the parking area is being prepared to receive solar panels. This area of the parking area will be closed until May 31, 2024. We apologize for the inconvenience and appreciate your patience and cooperation.

Catholic Charities



Please help Catholic Charities in Mount Curried Guide Behaviour its mission to help individuals and families who are hurting. This is a most opportune time to clean out the summer clothes for the Catholic Charities Donation Bin(s). We also welcome small appliances, shoes, linens, sheets, towels, tools, stuffed animals, novels, knickknacks, toys, and children's books. Thank you.

NEW PARISHIONER

St. Rose of Lima Parish Welcomes You

To become a Parishioner of St. Rose please complete our new member registration form. Visit our website at stroseshorthills.org.

Select this link from the SRL e-bulletin to be transferred.





eGiving is a simple, straightforward way to donate to our parish. Contribute by credit/debit card or electronic debit to a checking or savings account.

Simply enter your gift amount, gift date and payment method. Our thanks to all of the parishioners who contribute. Donations help St. Rose in many ways and make a difference. More information and sign up can be found at www.stroseshorthills.org. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to have a deceased loved one remembered at Mass, please contact Mary Jean at 973-379-3912 or email: mialfano@stroseshorthills.org



Parish Calendar May 19, - May 26, 2024		
SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST Parishioners are encourages to wear the color red to Mass. 7:30 AM Mass Commissioning of Liturgical Ministers 9:30 AM Mass Commissioning of Liturgical Ministers 10:30 AM 8th Grade preview of Confirmation - please meet in the Gathering Space. 11:30 AM Mass Commissioning of Liturgical Ministers		
Mon May 20	The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church (Memorial) 9:00 AM Mass	
Tues May 21	Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs 9:00 AM Mass 4:30 PM Don't Eat Alone Night, Ryan Hall - Dinner & Movie "Cabrini" (Note: change of time & location) 8:00 PM Family Music Group Rehearsals	
Wed May 22	Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious 9:00 AM Mass	
Thurs May 23	9:00 AM Mass 12:10PM SRLA Dismissal - Field Day 5:30 PM BSA Toop 17 & 19 pizza dinner, Ryan Hall 7:15 PM BSA Toop 17 Meeting, Gym 7:30 PM BSA Toop 19 Eagle Court of Honor Rehearsal	
Fri May 24	SRLA Closed 9:00 AM Mass	
Sat May 25	9:00 AM Mass 5:30 PM Mass	
Sun May 26	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY 7:30 AM Mass 9:30 AM Mass 11:30AM Mass	

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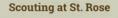
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Boys and Girls Lacrosse Camp, grades 1 - 8

To register go to baldeaglelax.com

Coaches: Michael Gilligan and Brian Roth 973-289-6168/Baldeaglelax@gmail.com



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