

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

50 Short Hills Avenue Short Hills, NJ 07078

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 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 2, 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, Jun 2 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

(Corpus Christi) Mass 5:30 pm (Anticipated)

7:30 am | 9:30 am | 11:30 am

Tue, Jun 4 SRLA 8th Grade Breakfast 9:30 AM

Family Music Group rehearsals 8:00 PM

Wed, Jun 5 SRLA Baccalaureate Mass 9:00 AM

Thu, Jun 6 SRLA 8th Grade Graduation Dinner (off site)

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

SRLA Dismissal 12:10 - Last day of PreK 3&4

SRLA Graduation and Commencement Ceremony 5:00 PM

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

Mass 9:00 AM

Sun, Jun 9 Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:30 AM Mass with First Communion

Tue, Jun 11 Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:30 PM

Family Music Group rehearsals 8:00 PM

Fri, Jun 14 SRLA Last Day of School - Have a safe and happy summer!

Mon, Jun 17 SRLA Summer Camp begins

Life Lighters Installation Mass 11:00 am followed by luncheon

Mon, Jun 24 Nativity of Saint John the Baptist (Solemnity), 9:00 AM Mass

Sun, Jul 7 First Sunday Series, following 11:30 AM Mass

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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	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

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST Sunday, June 2

7:30 am Marco, Santina & Mark DeMasi

9:30 am David C. Aul

11:30 am Francone Family

Monday, June 3

9:00 am John Dashuta

Tuesday, June 4

9:00 am Rita Hill

Wednesday, June 5

9:00 am Deceased Members of the

Marcasciano Family

Thursday, June 6

9:00 am Ellen Donohoe

Friday, June 7

9:00 am Paul E. LaBelle

Saturday, June 8

9:00 am Audrey Bernice Muenzen

5:30 pm Petta Family

THE TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday, June 9

7:30 am Terry Massaro

9:30 am William J. O'Sullivan

11:30 am Michael Circelli

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 Jimenez 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

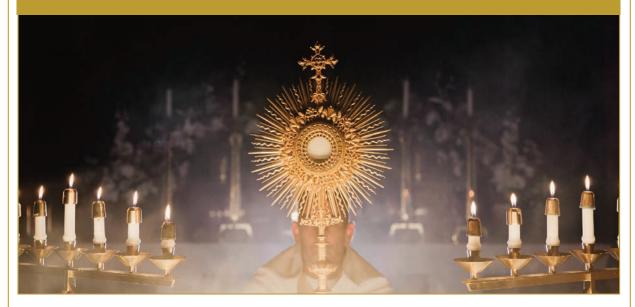
James W. Milton

Charles Pisciotta, Sr.

Robert E. Quane II

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

Most Holy Body and Blood of Chirst



While they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many.

Mark 14:22-24

REFLECTION

Challenge of Corpus Christi: From an Idea Feast to a Living Feast!

We find a special group of feasts being celebrated since the Middle Ages: the 'feasts of ideas.' These do not focus on particular events of salvation but have as their object truths of faith, special aspects of Christian teaching and piety, or various titles of the Lord. Idea-feasts are also called 'devotion feasts' or dogmatic and thematic (in contrast to the feasts which have the redemptive actions of Christ for their object). The challenge of this feast is to make the transition from celebrating an idea to a way of life.

A liturgy is successful not because of its fidelity to some past ideal, but because it built up the Body of Christ into a spiritual temple and priesthood by forwarding the aim of Christian life: the love and service of God and neighbor; death to self in order to live for others as did Christ. The intention of the feast is named in the collect of the Mass:

Let us pray for the willingness to make present in our world the love of Christ shown to us in the Eucharist!

Table Prayer

You have blessed all generations, O God most high, in Jesus, our compassionate Savior, for through him you invite us to your kingdom, welcome us to your table, and provide us with nourishment in abundance. Teach us to imitate your unfailing kindness and to build up Christ's body, the Church. by generously handing on to others the gifts we have received from your bounty through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

SECOND FRIDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 7, 2024 | Mass 9:00 AM



To appreciate this solemnity properly we must not focus on the "heart" in itself, but on the heart as a symbol or image of Jesus' love and self-sacrifice. erefore this festival is really another festival of redemption. e preface captures this well: "Lifted high on the cross, Christ gave his life for us, so much did he love us. … To his open heart the Savior invites all … to draw water in joy from the springs of salvation." We are invited into Jesus' heart; therefore, we are invited to do as Jesus did—pour out our own hearts in love and self-giving for others. Yes, this is a festival of redemption!

In one sense this solemnity parallels and repeats what we celebrate on Good Friday, when Jesus' side was opened with a lance and his heart was pierced. STriduum context shaped our interpretation of Good Friday and had us focus on other aspects of the paschal mystery. Now, during Ordinary Time, we are privileged to have this solemnity to honor Jesus' unbounded love for us when we can celebrate with more joy and exuberance. On this festival we are encouraged to unleash our own love, model it after that of Jesus, and spend ourselves for the sake of others. If we are faithful disciples no doubt our own hearts will also be pierced. But then, like Jesus, we must let flow from our own hearts the same love and mercy as flowed from Jesus' Sacred Heart. Yes, this is a festival of redemption! © 2004 Joyce Ann Zimmerman

Congratulations Thunder Chambers!

On Sunday, May 19th the parish of St. Rose of Lima welcomed our newest young parishioner, Thunder Chambers. On behalf of our parish family, we congratulate Thunder on this momentous event, receiving full initiation into the Catholic Church.









ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH | CELEBRATING LIFE

Baptism Sign Up Meeting on Zoom

If you are new parents, pregnant or hope to be pregnant soon and plan to have your baby baptized at St. Rose of Lima, we invite you to join us for one of our sign-up meetings with Sr. Sandy DeMasi.



Meetings are held once a month at **8:00pm on Zoom**. Sr. Sandy will meet with groups of parents and will provide information on the Sacrament of Baptism and answer questions.

June 20 | July 18 | August 22



Once on Zoom, select Join Meeting and enter

Meeting ID: 851 866 0427 Passcode: strose

Or, enter the following URL into your browser to be directed:

https://tinyurl.com/SRLBaptismSignup.

Use the Meeting ID and Passcode indicated above to join the Baptism Meeting.





Memorial Day Mass and Procession

May 27, 2024

On Memorial Day, the parish of St. Rose of Lima honored the brave men and women who sacrificed their lives in service to our Nation and recognized both active-duty military and veterans. Led by Celebrant Fr. Bill Mahon, the inspirational ceremony was a powerful experience of community and remembrance. Our parish extends our heartfelt gratitude to the active-duty military, veterans, Millburn police and the St. Rose BSA Troops who participated in this prayerful remembrance.





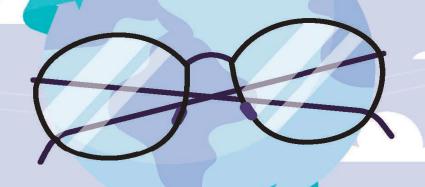




St. Rose of Lima Parish

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



Our Sunday Obligation

"Much obliged" is an old fashioned phrase first noted in the Old Oxford English Dictionary in the sixteenth century. Over the centuries, the phrase has lost some of its richness. Originally, it meant to be bound to a person by ties of gratitude. Today, the phrase is more often used as an automatic response to someone who has performed a perfunctory service. Unfortunately, this practice does not convey the sense of truly being bound to each other by gratitude. What a loss! Because of that loss, many people understand the word obligation as a burden rather than a commitment and duty that flows from a relationship. Obligation is a form of indebtedness that comes from within the heart of a relationship. Think of the obligations that make for a rich family life. A parent does not say, "I wonder if I have to feed my children this week?" Husbands and wives carry out a myriad of obligatory tasks in service to each other during the course of a week and never ask, "Do I have to?" In loving relationships, we are grateful for the

gift of each other and we express that gratitude by doing right actions because we want to do so. Obligatory behaviors grow out of communication, intimacy, and personal and communal relationships. These examples can help us reflect on our "obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and on holy days of obligation and rest from servile labor" (Catechism of the Catholic Church, #2041).

The heart of Sunday obligation is gratitude. The word Eucharist means "to give thanks." We gather each week because we are "much obliged" to God — for everything. This obligation is not an automatic response to someone who has performed a perfunctory service. We come together to "give thanks" to God, our Father who is the source of all life and creation, and to Jesus, God's Son who gave us eternal life through his death on the Cross that is made present in every Mass as we participate again in Christ's death and Resurrection through the Eucharist.

Each time we "attend Mass," we bring our lives, our very selves, to the Eucharist. We gather together as a community, grateful to have each other as fellow pilgrims in faith and grateful to be nourished by the body and blood of Christ. Just as the relationships and obligations in families are nurtured and strengthened by intimacy and communion, so too does our participation in the Eucharist nurture and strengthen our relationship with the Trinity. Food nourishes our body in the same way that our participation in Holy Communion nourishes our spirit and unites us together as individuals and as a community in Christ. Acting on our Sunday obligation of being "much obliged" gives us reason to be "more obliged" in the most authentic sense of obligation. - Maureen A. Kelly

Question for Reflection

- In what ways do I live out my Sunday obligation?
 What impact does my participation in the Eucharist have on my daily life?
- Where will I fulfill my Sunday obligation to attend Mass this summer?



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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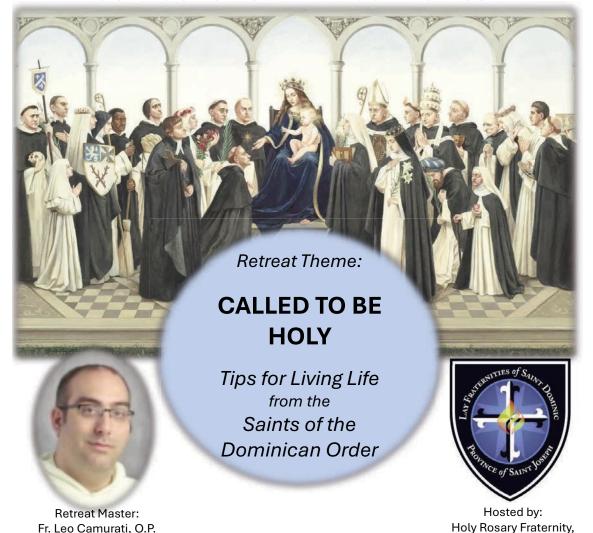
October 14 - 23, 2025

Based on double occupancy from Newark

Price includes: • Airfare

- 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.

SRL Parking Area Construction Update

The St. Rose of Lima parking area is currently undergoing improvements. The parking area nearest the Rectory is being prepared to receive solar panels. This section of the parking lot is currently closed. The tentative reopening date is June 15, 2024. We apologize for the inconvenience and appreciate your patience and cooperation.

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!

Catholic Charities

Please help Catholic Charities in 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 of Lima, complete the new member registration form on our website at stroseshorthills.org.

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



Vacation-what alovely word.

Before you leave, please take a moment to sign up for the St. Rose of Lima Online Giving Program at www.stroseshorthills.org

Prefer to text? Text Giving is easy!

Just text Strose to 73256

Click on the link and login to Realm.

Not signed up in Realm? Just enter your information in the "Gift form".

Thank you!
Your consistant stewardship is appreciated.
Have a great vacation!

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: mjalfano@stroseshorthills.org



Parish Calendar June 2, - June 9, 2024		
Sun Jun 2	THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi) 7:30 AM Mass 9:30 AM Mass 11:30AM Mass	
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Tues Jun 4	9:00 AM Mass 9:30 AM SRLA 8th Grade Breakfast 8:00 PM Family Music Group Rehearsals	
Wed Jun 5	Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr 9:00 AM Mass SRLA Baccalaureate Mass	
Thurs Jun 6	9:00 AM Mass 6:00 PM SRLA 8th Grade Graduation Dinner - offsite 6:00 PM BSA Troop 17 PLC meeting, Gym 7:15 PM BSA Troop 17 meeting, Gym 7:30 PM BSA Troop 19 meeting, Ryan Hall	
Fri Jun 7	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Solemnity) 9:00 AM Mass 12:10 PM Dismissal - Last Day of Pre-K 3-4 5:00 PM SRLA Graduation/Commencement Service	
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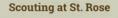
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LACROSSE CAMP



July 29 – August 1 – Meisel Ave Park, Springfield August 19 – 22 – Millburn Library Field, Millburn 8:00 – 12:00

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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