

# OUR LADY OF SORROWS PARISH

59 Cottage Street

Sharon, MA 02067



## Welcome!

**O**ur Lady of Sorrows Parish welcomes you. Thank you for worshipping in our parish. If you are new here, please introduce yourself to any of the staff. We encourage you to register with us in the parish by calling the rectory. Our registry is a vital source of information we use to communicate and build community. We welcome and greatly appreciate your presence at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish.

## Liturgy Schedule

Saturday • 4:30 pm    Sunday • 7:30, 9:30, & 11:30  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday • 9:00 am  
Thursday Liturgy of the Word and  
Distribution of the Eucharist • 9:00 am  
Holy Days as announced.

## Sacraments

We welcome those seeking the sacraments of the Church. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered Saturday from 3:45 pm to 4:15 pm, Wednesdays during Lent at 6:30 pm or by calling the rectory for an appointment. For information on celebrating the other sacraments, please contact the rectory.

## Eucharistic Adoration

Monday • 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm. • The first Monday of the month ends with Evening Prayer and Benediction. All other Mondays end with a simple Reposition.

## The Rosary

Friday • 10:00 am

## Connecting

If you are housebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, if you are in need of prayer or if you need assistance from our community, please call the rectory or send us an email. We want to hear from you.

### Contact Us:

We welcome your ideas and involvement. Please contact us. We also invite you to visit and contribute to our prayer book in the rear of the church.

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## Our Vision

*We welcome all to our community as we celebrate and explore our Catholic faith.*

*We embrace the unique religious composition of Sharon.*

*We proclaim the Risen Lord who gathers us as a community.*

*We pursue open dialogue as we follow the teachings of Jesus Christ through lifelong learning and faith formation.*

*We practice and promote social justice that affirms the dignity of every human being.*

*We call upon the grace and talents of all parishioners to strengthen our living church.*

Please visit our full Vision Statement at our website.

## Pastoral Staff

Rev. Scott A. Euvrard, Pastor  
Rev. Mr. Michael Iwanowicz, Deacon  
Fabiola Aguilera, Volunteer Coordinator  
Jacqueline Baldino, Director of Faith Formation  
Bill Dittrich, Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation  
Susanne Osberg, Director of Music and Organist  
Kerry Payson, Youth Ministry Director  
Claire Ramsbottom, Staff Associate

## Weekend Associates

Rev. Francis X. Clooney, S.J.  
Rev. Kevin Spicer, C.S.C.

## Support Staff

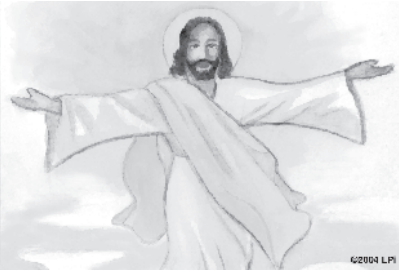
Deborah Lafleur, Religious Ed. Administrative Assistant  
Christine Muldoon, Administrator  
Larry Seggelin, Maintenance Coordinator

## Parish Councils Chairpeople

Parish Pastoral Council: Rev. Scott A. Euvrard  
and Ann Marie Rosa  
Parish Finance Council: Jim Spoto

## OUR LADY OF SORROWS, SHARON, MA

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Then he led them out as far as Bethany, raised his hands, and blessed them. As he blessed them he parted from them and was taken up to heaven. They did him homage and then returned to Jerusalem with great joy, and they were continually in the temple praising God. - Lk 24:50-53

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### Readings for the Week of May 12, 2013

Today's Readings are on Page 1057.

For Masses during which First Communion is celebrated, we will be reading Acts of the Apostles 2:42-27 rather than the appointed reading from Acts of the Apostles.

Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53  
Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Jn 16:29-33  
Tuesday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17  
Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Jn 17:11b-19  
Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Jn 17:20-26  
Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Jn 21:15-19  
Saturday: Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Jn 21:20-25  
Next Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

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### Intentions

Saturday 9:00 Theresa & Ernest Venti

### Prayers for the Deceased

Albert Allaire, James McIsaac, Joanne Collins

### Prayers for the Sick

Elsie Barnor, Jody Thomas, Maura O'Toole, Anthony Venti, Ed Walsh, Bill Kannegiser, Melina Diaz, Lorraine Thomas, Joe Mason, Maureen Irvine, Bryna Stock, Mark Kincaid, Phyllis Smalley, Ricardo Balarezo, Bob Naughton, Sue Hayna, Gonzalo Perez, Stacey Siegal, Ann Marie McGrath, Dale Van Meter, Lucille Blain Salhany, Raquel Balarezo, Jimmy Testa, Valarie Chiodo, Thelma Sirkin, Sandra Bolton-Mason, Don Friend, Bruce Smith, Mary Fitzgerald, Neil Cronin, Anne Friend, Ken Klotzbier, William Trainor, Lynne Alio, Carol Nagobads, George Brown, Atticus Venti, Noah Bartell, Pam Bailey, George Stevenson, Cecilia Boisvert, Lisa Young, Diane Walsh, Concetta Daurio, Sherril White, Dana D. Zadrozny, Donna Prado, Tom Cleveland

### Today's Music

Gathering Song: RS #922 At That First Eucharist  
Responsorial Psalm: RS #133 Psalm 97 The Lord is King, the Lord most high over all the earth.  
Communion Song: Jesus Be Our Bread, Walker  
Sending Forth Song: Walk in the Light

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### Deacon Mike's Retirement

Deacon Mike Iwanowicz, ordained in 1976 with the history-making, first group of Permanent Deacons for the Archdiocese of Boston, began his affiliation with Our Lady of Sorrows Parish in 1982 when he and his wife Pat started participating in the life of the parish. This affiliation was strengthened in 1984 when Mike, while assigned to the Archdiocese of Boston's Family Life Apostolate, began serving at various parish liturgical and sacramental celebrations. This led to the Archbishop of Boston assigning Mike as the Permanent Deacon for Our Lady of Sorrows Parish in 1988. This assignment has continued to the present moment.

After being associated with the parish for over 30 years and serving as our assigned Permanent Deacon for 25 years, Mike has decided to retire on June 30, 2013. Though Mike will have the title "Senior Deacon" and maintain a relationship with the parish in his retirement, the Parish Staff has scheduled two opportunities for parishioners to acknowledge and thank Deacon Mike for his dedicated and faithful ministry to Our Lady of Sorrows Parish and the Archdiocese of Boston and to assure him of our prayers and best wishes for this next phase of his life.

1. On Sunday, June 23, during our annual "Coffee in the Garden", please stop by after Mass to greet Deacon Mike in a more informal, open house setting.
2. On Sunday, June 30, 3:00-6:00 p.m., we will be hosting a parish dinner and program for Deacon Mike at Raffael's, 1601 Main Street in Walpole. The cost is \$35 per person. Please R.S.V.P. to Christine Muldoon ([cmuldoon@comcast.net](mailto:cmuldoon@comcast.net) or 781-784-2265) by Monday, June 17.

Please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Fabiola Aguilera ([faguilera@comcast.net](mailto:faguilera@comcast.net) or 781-806-5542), if you would like to assist in planning one or both of these celebrations.

## Religious Education and Youth Ministry



### Car Wash

On Sunday, May 19 there will be a Car Wash that begins at the start of the 7:30 Mass and ends after the 11:30 Mass; **Weather Permitting**. The car wash will benefit those attending our two service missions; Just5Days and

the Hurricane Katrina relief effort in Gulfport, MS. Please leave your car keys with us while you attend Mass knowing it will be ready for you to drive home. Your donations are needed and appreciated by all those attending the summer service missions.

In addition we will be selling baked goods during the car wash!



### Save The Date: 9th Annual Fr. Bullock Run Walk Shuffle

The 9th Annual Fr. Bullock Run Walk Shuffle will be held on Sunday June 9, 2013. The Kids race will be run at 5:30 PM and the main event will start at 5:45 p.m. In 2012 we had more than 300 participants and we raised \$8,500.00 which was distributed to Facing History and Ourselves, Youth Lead and the Jimmy Fund. For information on participating, volunteering or sponsoring please contact warrensvw@comcast.net or call 781 784 7805. We look forward to seeing you on June 9, 2013.

# Just 5 Days



### Summer Mission Trips

In an effort to help forty-five of our parishioners raise money for their participation in 2 mission trips this summer, the young people and adults participating in the mission trips are offering their time (mowing lawns, babysitting, having a story book character visit a child's birthday party, etc.) in exchange for your bids. Please visit their site at <http://www.charityauctionorganizer.com/auction/olos> and support their efforts by May 17. (Please copy and paste the link to your browser if you are not able to open it.)

Direct donations can be made at <http://2711.2.ecatholicwebsites.com/index.cfm?load=page&page=254> or by mailing a check made payable to OLOS Summer Mission trips, 59 Cottage Street, Sharon, MA 02067. (Please copy and paste the link to your browser if you are not able to open it.)

### Project Bread



Congratulations to Team OLOS for being one of the 30,000 walkers who helped raise \$3.1 million dollars during Project Bread's 45th Annual 20 mile Walk for Hunger on Sunday, May 5. Pictured is Team OLOS.



### Year of Faith

Year of Faith  
—2012-2013—  
Archdiocese of Boston

The Year of Faith, which began on October 11, is a moment for all Catholics to reflect on their relationship with Jesus Christ. It is an opportunity to encounter and experience His mercy and healing, especially in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Try making the celebration of this sacrament a regular part of your life – try attending monthly if possible. If it has been a while since you have been to the Sacrament of Reconciliation have no fear – visit [www.thelightisonforyou.org](http://www.thelightisonforyou.org) for videos and other resources to prepare you to receive this sacrament. For more information on the Year of Faith visit [www.yearoffaithboston.org](http://www.yearoffaithboston.org).



## June Collection for St. Francis House

During the month of June, we will be conducting our annual clothing drive for St. Francis House in Boston. Please leave your clothing donations in the Bullock Center. St. Francis House will pick up the clothing on July 1.



### Current Clothing Wish List - Summer

#### Men's items

- Baseball hats
- Belts-All sizes
- Casual short sleeves Shirts: Medium, Large, XL, 2X, 3X.
- Jeans or chinos-sizes 28-44 waist size, 32 lengths for all of them.
- Sweatpants: Medium, Large, XL, 2X, and 3X.
- New and gently used sneakers, sizes 9-13

#### Women's Items

- Jeans-sizes 8-16
- Tops-sizes M-3X
- Socks
- New and gently used sneakers, sizes 7-11

#### Other

- Shopping plastic bags (can be used from the supermarket).

Court of Honor celebration on May 4 and the other boys will have their Court of Honor on May 18. The boys are all members of Boy Scouts Troop 95 and Our Lady of Sorrows is the proud sponsor of the Charter Organization.

Congratulations again to these fine young men and their families. We are very proud of you.



### Rental of Parish Property

Our Lady of Sorrows Parish is fortunate to have facilities and grounds that provide the location for us to carry out our mission and ministry. We are called to be good stewards of our facilities and grounds. The primary use for our facilities and grounds is for parish activities and meetings for Councils, Commissions, Committees, Ministries and groups. A secondary use for our facilities and grounds is for parish affiliated groups.

Members of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish may rent them (The Bullock Center/Rectory Yard and O'Connell Hall) for gatherings. Rentals can only be made by members of the parish for gatherings at which they will be present. We have established policies to make our rental procedures clear and to protect Our Lady of Sorrows Parish and the Archdiocese of Boston (RCAB) from legal liability when we rent our facilities for private gatherings. Please contact the rectory if you are interested in renting our facilities.

### Knollwood Memorial Park – Memorial Day Weekend, 2013

Saturday, May 25 Display of Flags

Sunday, May 26 11:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. – Memorial Day Services: Bagpipers, Campbell Highlanders, Vietnam Era Veterans, Honor Guard & Firing Squad and Presentation of Flag

11:00 a.m. Honoree: Joseph Colantoni

12:00 p.m. Honoree: John "Jack" Missler

Taps

Monday, May 27

10:30 a.m. Catholic Mass

12:00 p.m. Presentation of Flag

Honoree: Roy Swenson, Jr.

Massachusetts National Guard, Honor Guard, Bagpiper Taps



### Are you celebrating your 25<sup>th</sup> or 50 wedding Anniversary this year?

Congratulations! The collaborative would like to recognize your togetherness and host a celebration evening for you. So please join us for wine and cheese in the Parish House at Blessed Sacrament (10 Diamond St) on Thursday, May 23<sup>th</sup>. We need to hear from you so we can include you in our invitation and have an idea of how many to plan for. Please contact Marie at 668-4700 x11 [mmartin@blessedsacrament.org](mailto:mmartin@blessedsacrament.org). We look forward to celebrating with you.



### Eagle Scouts Court of Honor

Our Lady of Sorrows congratulates Sully Gassman, Eli Blumen, Alex Hatcher, Greg Molica, Rahul Polu, and Richard Rosa on having completed their journey to Eagle Scout. Sully Gassman was honored at his

**From Deacon Mike:**

The Bible group has finished working on the Book of the Prophet Daniel and has begun a thematic study of the Psalms. The intent is to look at groups of Psalms that share a common theme and to compare the language and references to other parts of scripture that resonate with the specific theme.

The group meets in O'Connell Hall on Wednesday mornings from 10:00 – 11:00 am. All are welcome.

**Annual Mission Appeal**

Our Annual Mission Appeal has been scheduled for the weekend of May 25 & 26. Fr. Kopp, from the Propagation of the Faith will be preaching here that weekend. Your generosity to the Propagation of the Faith will be appreciated.



**Knights of Columbus Roses for Life**

On Mother's Day weekend, May 11 & 12, members of the Foxboro-Sharon Knights of Columbus will conduct the annual Roses for Life campaign,

offering roses after each Mass and accepting donations for emergency pregnancy shelters.



**Summer Mass Schedule Sustains the Full Community Experience**

Understanding that many people in the parish take advantage of the summer months to vacation and travel, we will consolidate our Mass schedule for the months of July and August. Instead of our usual four Masses, the parish will offer three during these months. In this way everyone who participates in one of the three Masses on the temporary schedule will be able to enjoy the full community celebration of Eucharist.

Masses for the months of July and August will be at 4:30pm on Saturday and at 7:30am and 10:30am on Sundays.

As everyone returns from their vacation, so too will our regular Mass schedule on August 31 & September 1.



Welcome to Our Lady of Sorrows Parish. We encourage all our parishioners who worship with us to register. Our registry is a vital source of connection that we use to communicate and build community. Please call the rectory, 781-784-2265, or return this form to the rectory by the collection basket, mail, or in person. Thank you.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Spirituality of Stewardship**

*Receiving God's Gifts gratefully;  
Nurturing God's Gifts responsibly; Sharing God's  
Gifts in love and justice; Returning God's Gifts generously.*

**Collection –May 5**

The average cost to run the parish is \$10,000 per week and our expectation is that 73% (\$7,350) will come from the weekly offertory. On May 5, the parishioners contributed \$7692.55.



**2013 Catholic Appeal Update**

Thanks to all our generous parishioners who had contributed to this year Catholic Appeal. As of April 26, 108 donors had contributed \$16,416.

Your donations allow our Archdiocese to provide many services for our parish, and further its mission of evangelization, education, and charity. If you have yet to respond, please make a pledge today and help us reach our goal by June 30. Your pledge can be paid in monthly installments through January 31, 2014. For more information, please visit [www.BostonCatholicAppeal.org](http://www.BostonCatholicAppeal.org)

*"The Good Samaritan is YOU"*

**Supporting Our Lady of Sorrows Parish through Your Will**

To leave a specific dollar amount in your will for Our Lady of Sorrows Parish general (unrestricted) use, please insert the following language:

"I give the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, a Corporation Sole, to be used for the benefit of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, 59 Cottage Street, Sharon, MA 02067."

**Consider Online Giving**

Please consider online giving to make consistent gifts to the parish offertory. There are two simple ways to do this:

1. Go to [www.parishpay.com](http://www.parishpay.com), type in Sharon's zip code (02067), select Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, and complete 4 simple steps.
2. If you do your own banking online, set Our Lady of Sorrows up as a regular "payee". While this is not an electronic funds transfer (we still get a paper check directly from your bank), it does allow you to make regular gifts to the offertory on a weekly or monthly basis.

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