



Our Lady of Sorrows Church

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JUNE 5, 2022 PENTECOST SUNDAY



*Jesus breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit.
Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them and whose sins you retain are retained."*

St. Josemaria Escriva tell us, "To live according to the Holy Spirit means to live by faith and hope and charity. To allow God to take possession of our lives and to change our hearts, to make us resemble him more and more." Today we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit given freely by God to us. The Holy Spirit is the very breath of God and the true source of our power and strength. When we accept that God is the beginning and the end of all things, we open ourselves to receiving this powerful presence. The Holy Spirit alone is the one who teaches us how to pray, who stirs us to lift our eyes to heaven in search of our Creator and opens them to recognize the wonderful gifts of faith, hope, and love God gives us. The Holy Spirit is the one who teaches us how to understand ourselves, God, others, and the world. When we allow God's Own breath to truly take possession of us, we realize that we are meant to become like God and know Him as He really is. This ultimate helper lifts our eyes from what is below to what is above and empowers us to live life with joy and keener vision!

Pastor Rev. John P. Donovan	Mass Times Saturday: 5:15pm Sunday: 8:30am & 11:00am	Daily Mass (Chapel) Monday - Wednesday 7:30am Saturday 9:00am	Rosary Monday - Wednesday: 7:00am Saturday: 8:30am	Office Hours Monday - Thursday: 8am-3pm
	Reconciliation 4:00pm-4:45pm		Adoration Wednesdays: 8:00am-9:00am	

Pastor's Desk

Faith Formation

Faith Formation is intended to begin by 1st grade and continue through Confirmation. Those that completed 1st grade will receive their First Sacraments of Confession and Holy Communion in the 2nd Grade. If you missed 1st grade, contact Kelly Soprano, ksoprano@olsvestal.org and we will help make arrangements.

For those in entering eighth and ninth grade who have not begun our Confirmation Program, they may make up the first year of Confirmation through the summer and begin Confirmation 2024 in the Fall. Contact Kelly Soprano, ASAP.

ksoprano@olsvestal.org

Registration for Faith Formation classes will begin in August.

Called by Name

All of the parishes of the Diocese of Syracuse are participating in CALLED BY NAME, a program of vocations awareness that

begins this weekend. This program offers an opportunity for us to pray for vocations; to recognize gifts and potential for leadership and service in members of our parish; and finally, to call forth and encourage these members to share their gifts in priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life. Perhaps you know a man or woman (high school age or older) who would, in your opinion, have the qualities to become a priest, sister, or brother. Please recommend this person by filling out the response card found in church. Next weekend, place the completed card in the collection basket.



Week of June 13

The parking lots on the north side of the campus (Coleman & Daniels) side of the building will be closed due to the removal of diseased trees.

Father Donovan

Parish News

Liturgical Ministers

Altar servers, Lectors, Eucharistic ministers and Hospitality ministers – Thank you for all you do in support of our parish liturgies! Please provide dates for which you are unavailable to serve from July – Labor Day. If the app or web terminal don't work out for you, email kathy@olsvestal.org or call the office.

When a Mass you requested is being celebrate...

If you, family, and friends are coming to the weekend Mass with an intention you requested and you would like to bring up the offertory gifts, please speak with a Hospitality Minister in the Gathering Space before Mass begins or call the parish office.



Our Food Pantry is in need of the following items:

cereal, Hamburger Helper, sloppy joe mix, stuffing, mustard, paper towels, tissues

Thank you to all who help those in need in our Vestal community.



Parish Prayer List

Pray for those who are ill and those who care for them. Call the parish office to have a name added or deleted.

Kenneth Allen, Mary Policare Berube, Cindy Bowen, Marie Cadden, Pat Callahan, Luis Armando Carrillo, Lorraine Chavez, Lee & Ugo Cianciosi, Aileen Clemente & Family, Bill Cotter, Mary Desko, Doris Drozdek, Jessica Duffey, Rebecca Eagan, Belle Fosbury, Maria Garvey, Mark Gayzik, Amy Godleski, Joan Hays, Cassandra Hinman, Patrick Hinman, Cindy Hoag, Sylvia Hodges, Marty Honeychuck, Nadine Fabrizio Hunt, Warren Kelly, Macey King, Josie Kovacic, Dick Limoli, Janet LaHair, Hilario Nacasabod Llams Jr, Tim Leonard, Loy-Dean, Jennifer Martin, Esther Mazzini, Neal McNulty, Mary Meno, Carol Miller, Brian Moore, Nathan Moore, Debra Mulligan, Patrick Mulligan, Richard Novak, Christopher Parcecepe, Jason Roberts, Jim Ruoff, Kelly Saroka, Jacquie Liotta Scoff, Michael Christopher Searing, Martha Sola, Linh Tran, Sally Tully, Jeff Valent, Barbara Vosefski, John Whalen, Dough Welch, Rick York, Joan Zanotti

Military Prayer List

Pray for those who are in the military & their families.

Kevin Barnard, Brian Carrington, Zachary Cianciosi, Jeremy Cianciosi, Mark Cianciosi, Jesse Frisbie, Mike Frisbie, Christian Gates, Jonathan Green, Matthew Kristek, Steve Kristek, Casey Macdonell, Thomas Mansfield III, Angela Smith, Patrick Temperato, Brian Walter, Alex Wells

Pastoral Care Corner

Pentecost is the Birthday of the Church. Some say the day we are baptized is like a birthday in the church. When was the last time you shared those stories? Grandchildren love to hear stories of things from their childhood. As you gather this summer for picnics or reunions share those fond memories.





Bulletin Book Club

Living Joy by Chris Stefanick

The past few weeks in the bulletin we have been doing a mini-book club for our Easter gift, *Living Joy*. This is an excellent opportunity for contemplation, journaling and prayer... *all to help you rediscover and live joy every day.*



Rule 5: Engage Your Body in the Battle for Joy

"Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit with you ...?" - Saint Paul (1 Corinthians 6:19)

Journal Questions

- Consider your sleep, diet, exercise and general health routines. What is good and what needs improvement?
- Are your dignity and identity reflected in how you carry yourself? Why or why not?
- How do you feel after you exercise? How do you incorporate exercise in your daily routine? If not, when and where will you start to?
- Smiling doesn't come easily for everyone. Does it come naturally for you? Why?

Challenge

- Keep it simple. Set one, easy to achieve goal for the week to improve the care of your body.
- Practice sitting and standing LIKE A BOSS.
- Go ahead. Smile more.
- Set when and where you plan to work out and just show up!
- Do an examination of your kitchen. Come up with 3 foods you need to get rid of.
- Try to sleep more and reflect on how that impacts your overall mood.

Prayer

- Prayerfully reflect on the following: St. Ignatius of Loyola said "Remember that bodily exercise, when it is well ordered ... is also prayer..."

✝ *Take it to Prayer: Spend some time thanking God for the gift of your body. Ask him if there are ways you can better care for it.*



Most Holy Rosary Church is having a Rummage Sale on Sat, June 11 from 9am to 2pm in the hall along with a hot dog sale in the parking lot to benefit our food pantry.



Church of the Holy Family Ladies Guild is sponsoring a trip to Sight & Sound in Lancaster on May 10, 2023 to see the new show, *Moses*. The cost of the show is \$165 which includes the bus, tickets to the show, dinner and the gratuity for the bus driver. Call Ann @ 754-8727 to reserve a seat or if you have a question.

Catholic Religious Order of the Week

AUGUSTINIANS

Order of St. Augustine

FOUNDER

Pope Innocent IV, in an effort to unite several communities of hermits in Italy. The Pope gave them the Rule of St. Augustine.

MOTTO

"Anima una et cor unum in Deum" (One heart and one soul in God)

TYPE

Mendicant Religious Order



ST. AUGUSTINE

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE SPIRITUALITY

- Living the Gospel and the liturgy
- Communion of life
- The search for God and interiority
- Apostolic activities according to the needs of the Church
- Study and the cultivation of knowledge

HABIT

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COAT OF ARMS



NOTABLE SAINTS

St. Rita of Cascia

Faith Formation & Youth Ministry

Interested in helping with the Parish Garden?



Sign up in the Gathering Space - planting day coming soon!



Peace Camp

July 18 - 21, 5:30 to 8pm

Online registration form at [olsvestal.org](https://www.olsvestal.org).

Questions? Call Dempseys 607-748-3221

Totus Tuus ~ Totally Yours

Grades 1-6
July 11-15,
9am-3pm

Grades 7-12
July 10-14,
7-9pm

Register online:
[olsvestal.org](https://www.olsvestal.org)



“Totus Tuus was an engaging, faith-filled week for our children. We witnessed their faith and knowledge of Christ grow over the course of the week. Families are still talking about how wonderful of an experience it was a month later!”

-Fr. Christopher Celentano, Pastor
St. Rose of Lima, North Syracuse



Born to nobility, St. Norbert of Xanten was ordained as a subdeacon and served in the court of Henry V, Emperor of Germany, however, at court it was easy to be distracted by wealth, power and luxury and he lived a worldly and corrupt life there. By the grace of God while traveling in a storm he was nearly struck by lightning and almost killed. This experience changed St. Norbert and he became penitent, left his court post, and after a period of discernment in a monastery, felt called to be a priest.

Norbert became an itinerant preacher, preaching against worldly attitudes but at the Pope's request finally settled in northern France and founded the Norbertine order established according to the rule of St. Augustine. The order grew rapidly and soon founded women's branch. Norbert traveled and preached across Germany where he also founded a lay branch of the Norbertines. In Belgium he preached against heresies which denied the Blessed Sacrament.

Eventually he was made Archbishop of Magdeburg, Germany, and later he traveled to Rome in support of Pope Innocent II, against the antipope. Afterward he returned to Germany to the court of Emperor Lothar as advisor, at end of life, in failing health, St. Norbert was carried back to Magdeburg where he died.

Weekly Prayer

Readings for the Week of June 5, 2022

Sun 6/05	First Reading Second Reading Gospel	Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 John 20:19-23
Mon 6/06	First Reading Gospel	Genesis 3:9-15, 20 John 19:25-34
Tues 6/07	First Reading Gospel	1 Kings 17:7-16 Matthew 5:13-16
Wed 6/08	First Reading Gospel	1 Kings 18:20-39 Matthew 5:17-19
Thurs 6/09	First Reading Gospel	1 Kings 18:41-46 Matthew 5:20-26
Fri 6/10	First Reading Gospel	1 Kings 19:9a, 11-16 Matthew 5:27-32
Sat 6/11	First Readings Gospel	Acts of the Apostles 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 Matthew 5:33-37
Sun 6/12	First Reading Second Reading Gospel	Proverbs 8:22-31 Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15

Observances for the Week

- Sunday:** Pentecost Sunday; St. Boniface
Monday: Blessed Virgin Mary; St. Norbert
Thursday: St. Ephrem
Saturday: St. Barnabas
Next Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 6

7:30am Phil Davis – Vestal Knights of Columbus #4746

Tuesday, June 7

7:30am For the People of Our Lady of Sorrows

Wednesday, June 8

7:30am Mary Anne Michalek – Irene & John Norton, sons

Saturday, June 11

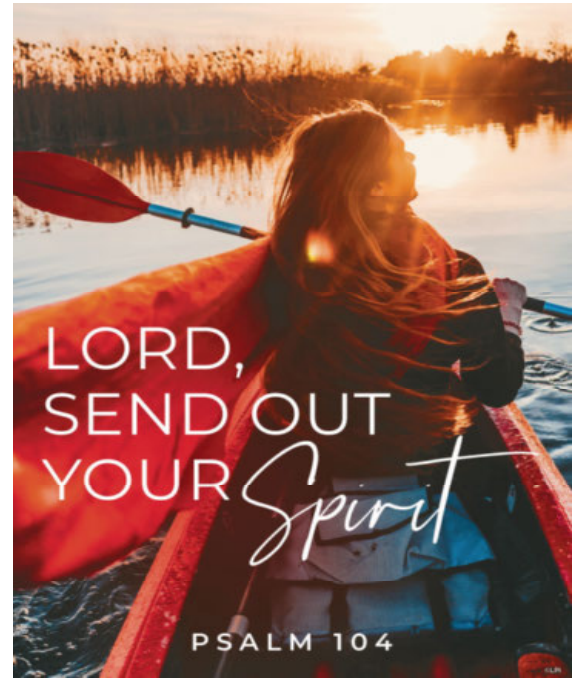
9:00am Marty Domiano – Tina & Carl Wisnesky

5:15pm James Flynn, Sr – wife Ann & family

Sunday, June 12

8:30am Joe Dahm – Bob Rostiser

11:00am Living Intentions of Cathy Diss – husband, Bill



Please Remember in Prayer

... All those who have recently died & their families.

Sanctuary Lamps

...are burning in the Church and the Chapel for the intentions for the Holy Father, requested by Anna Kudyk.

Pope Francis' Twitter (@Pontifex)



The elderly, in their weakness, can teach those in other ages of life that we all need to surrender ourselves to the Lord, to invoke his help. For God is always our hope and our support.

Ministry Schedule

The Most Holy Trinity

Ministry Schedule	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server	Hospitality Ministers	
Saturday, June 11, 5:15pm	N. Hargrave F. Frear R. Porter	J. Daws P. Pietrosanti	S. Annunziata E. Fine OPEN	L. Baker T. Baker	M. Czuhanych J. Frear
Sunday, June 12, 8:30am	B. Brown P. Cartie K. Ellis	R. Eddy E. Messina D. Waters	A. Kneller L. Kneller V. Kneller	C. Austenfeld R. Brown	F. Czochara G. Wagner
Sunday, June 12, 11:00am	G. Catarella G. Saitta	C. Catarella L. Fiacco	T. Albert L. Catarella	B. Albert A. Miller	J. Schlitz T. Schlitz

Our Lady of Sorrows Parish Information

June 5, 2022 Parish Calendar

Daily Mass (Chapel) Monday-Wednesday 7:30am
Saturday 9:00am (Church)

Pentecost Sunday, June 5

8:30am Mass
 9:30am Adult Choir Rehearsal
 9:30am Youth Ministry Pentecost Celebration (Café)
 11:00am Mass
 Henry Kacyvenski & Vincent Gennett Confirmation during Mass.



Monday, June 6

7:00am Rosary

Tuesday, June 7

7:00am Rosary
 12pm-2pm Food Pantry Open

Wednesday, June 8

7:00am Rosary
 8:00am Adoration & Divine Mercy

Thursday, June 9

4pm-7pm Food Pantry Open

Friday, June 10

7:00am Men of St. Joseph

Saturday, June 11

8:30am Rosary
 4pm-4:45pm Confession
 5:15pm Mass
 6:30pm Retrouvaille (rm 11)

Sunday, June 12

8:30am Mass
 11:00am Mass

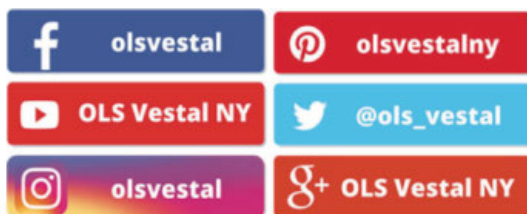
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TOTAL		\$8,034.25



Your generosity, charity & sacrifice are deeply appreciated. Thank you very much!

Parish Contact List

Parish Office	(607)748-8287
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Faith Formation	(607)748-8287
Food Pantry (Julie Slattery)	(607)785-3214 pantry@olsvestal.org
Dennis Slattery	Parish Council
Tom Boslet (Grand Knight)	tboslet02@gmail.com

Sacraments

Baptism

Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements. If this is your first child, a baptism prep online class is required. Any questions please call Diane Rigotti at 607-748-8287.

Marriage

Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance to make arrangements.

First Sacraments & Confirmation

Please contact our Director of Faith Formation,
ksoprano@olsvestal.org.

Ministry to the Sick

If a family member is hospitalized or homebound, please call the Parish Office as soon as possible. Privacy laws may prevent a hospital from telling us your loved one is there.

If you are moving ...

Please call or email the Parish Office with your new address and phone number so we can update contact information.

Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. John P. Donovan	jpdonovan@syrdio.org
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