

28 Livingston Avenue, Roseland, New Jersey 07068

# OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

## HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

**DAILY MASS: 8:45 AM**

**SATURDAY: 8:45 AM**

**5:00 PM (VIGIL)**

**SUNDAY: 8:00 AM**

**10:00 AM**

**12:00 NOON**

8:00 AM Mass is also available livestreamed

**CONFESSIONS:** Following the

**SATURDAY 8:45 AM MASS**

Other times by appointment

**For BAPTISM and WEDDING**

Please contact the Parish Office.

### OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Thursday 9:00AM-1:00PM;

*appointments requested*

**CLOSED ON FRIDAY**

### CHURCH HOURS:

Monday-Friday 7:00AM-3:00PM

Saturday 8:00AM-6:00PM

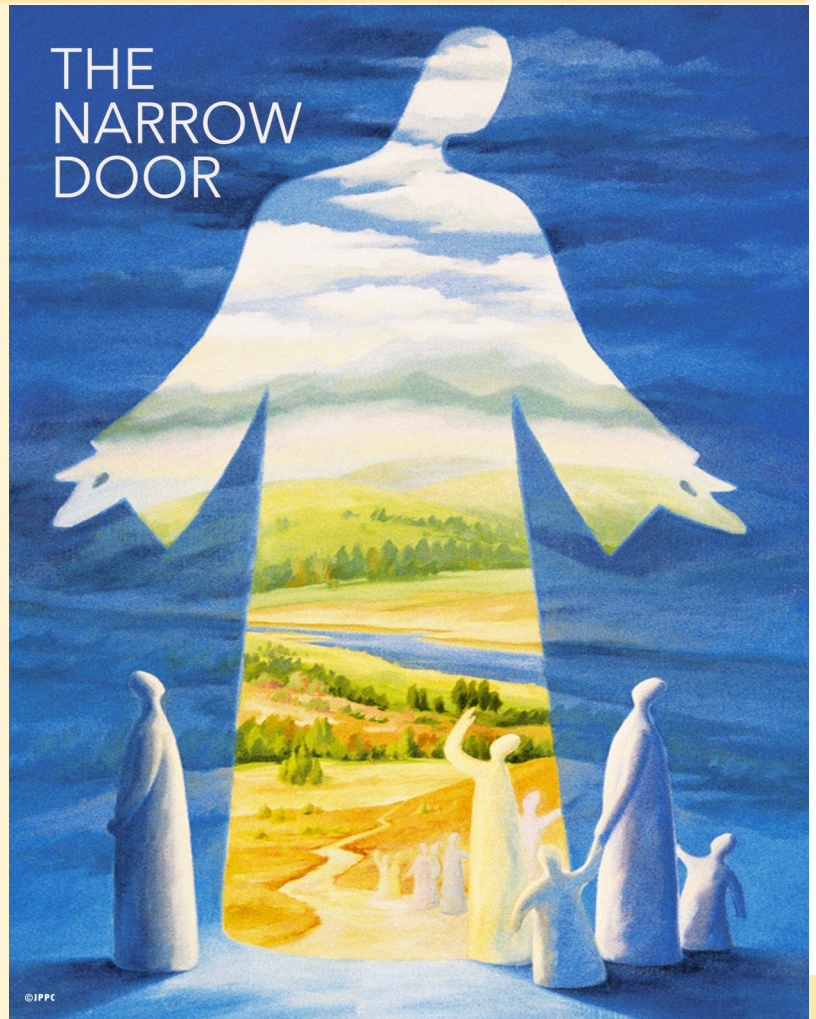
Sunday 7:00AM-1:00PM

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# Weekly **MASS** Intentions

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**Saturday, August 20**

**Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church**

**8:45 am People of the Parish**

**5:00 pm Peter Sova and the Sova Family**

**Sunday, August 21**

**21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:00 am Robert D. Sobieski**

**10:00 am Joseph & Janet Benucci**

**12:00 pm Maria Cacio**

**Monday, August 22**

**The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**8:45 am Frank & Ofelia Falgons**

**Tuesday, August 23**

**Weekday**

**8:45 am Volodymyr Fitak**

**Wednesday, August 24**

**Saint Bartholomew, Apostle**

**8:45 am Christine K. O'Connor**

**Thursday, August 25**

**Weekday**

**8:45 am Paul R. & John J. Nolan**

**Friday, August 26**

**Weekday**

**8:45 am Robert Meade**

**Saturday, August 27**

**Saint Monica**

**8:45 am Robert Meade**

**5:00 pm Louise Pacio**

**Sunday, August 28**

**22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:00 am Anna Martire**

**10:00 am Stephen & Sophie Napolitano**

**12:00 pm James & Marie Vreeland**

**Sunday August 21, 2022**



Alberta P. , Linda F., Lucas V. , Susie, Alain, Elie, June, Roger, Patrick, Andrew B. , David, Anne M. , Annemarie M. , Special Intention, Jeff, Terance Glynn, Peter C., Clara H, Barbara L, Ceclia, Robert, Sammy, Barbara R., Eileen, Dorothy, J.V., Ernesto D. , Kosta T. , Sr. Therese Ganly, Edmund G. , Bernice B. , Joanne J., Joanne M, Jacob B. , Marie, Tommy R., Bobbi D. , Michael, Dana, Cathy B., Lynn M. , Bill M., Aiden, Ceil, Richard, John, Richard T. , Denis, Fred, Antoinette R. , Dale, Joyce, Claire, Carol, Lucas, Kevin, Judith, Special Intention, Angelo, Angela, Jerry, Russ, Rich G., Christine, John N., Sandra, John H. , Sylvia, Jaclyn, Raymond B., Anthony G.



**WE ASK YOUR PRAYERS FOR THE FOLLOWING MEN AND WOMEN WHO ARE SERVING OUR COUNTRY IN THE ARMED FORCES:** Capt. Joseph Thomer, USAF; CPL Joseph M. Venutolo (LaRiccia), US Marine Corps; Matt Tolliver, US Coast Guard; Capt. Bill Morgan, LCPL; CPL.

Michael Festa, US Marine Corps; SGT. Daniel Veltre, US Marine Corps; PO2. Marco Veltre, US Navy; LT Dylan Pennell, US Navy; Stephen, US Navy; Capt. Aaron Farley, USAF; Lt. Calan Farley, USAF; PVT Brandon Blanco, US Army, NJN Guard and for all those involved in conflicts throughout the world and their families.



**This week the Bread & Wine is for Stephen & Sophie Napolitano. The Sanctuary Candle is for In Thanksgiving.**

**Rest in Peace**

**William Mehl.**



## **Sunday August 21 Readings**

**Reading I: Isaiah 66: 18-21**

**All nations are to be at home in God's house, so that no one group has exclusive rights to the kingdom.**

**Reading II: Hebrews 12: 5-7, 11-13**

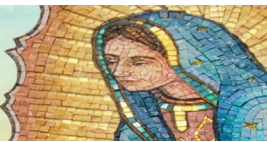
**The reader is urged to persevere in view of what he/she will win at the end of life's race. Suffering, however, is a part of the human condition.**

**The Gospel: Luke 13: 22-30**

**Luke stresses that the Christian way of life demands one's total allegiance to Jesus. No one is to be excluded as travel companions along the way, especially from among the poor and lowly.**

EVERY LIFE  
cherished • chosen • sent

*"You who are my messenger,  
in you I place my absolute trust."*



## Respect Life Crisis Contact Information 24/7

All calls and emails are Confidential.

Are you facing an unexpected pregnancy?  
Are you in need of healing for the pain from abortion?  
Are you searching for support regarding end of life issues?  
You are not alone.

The Supreme Court decision can come as a trigger for someone who has gone through an abortion experience and has not found healing. Now more than ever, we as a church need to be there for them.

Our next Rachel's Vineyard retreat dates are:

September 9-11, 2022 (English) &

October 21-23, 2022 (Spanish)

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## Spiritual Concerns Ministry:

### First Saturday Devotion

following the 8:45 AM Mass on  
September 3, 2022.  
Confession is offered after Mass.

We will say the Fatima prayer,  
rosary and have Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament.

Also, if you haven't already,

Please join us after Daily Mass,  
Monday-Friday, as we pray  
the Rosary and the  
Divine Mercy Chaplet.  
All are welcome to join.

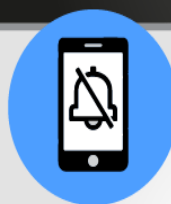
God of all goodness, You have entrusted us with the gift of life. Help us to appreciate the gift that life is. Send your strength to all those who defend life. May Your Holy Spirit touch the hearts of those who are tempted to choose the way of death rather than life. Grant that Your people may always be a sign of love in the world. Amen.



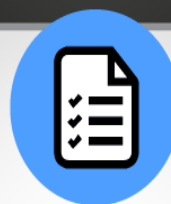
## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

**GOD OUR FATHER WHO WILLS THAT ALL MEN BE SAVED AND COME TO THE KNOWLEDGE OF YOUR TRUTH, WE BEG YOU TO SEND LABORERS INTO YOUR HARVEST AND GRANT THEM GRACE TO SPEAK YOUR WORD WITH ALL BOLDNESS SO THAT YOUR WORD MAY SPREAD AND BE GLORIFIED AND ALL NATIONS MAY KNOW YOU THE ONLY GOD AND HIM WHOM YOU HAVE SENT, JESUS CHRIST YOUR SON OUR LORD. AMEN.**

## WHAT TO DO WHILE YOU WAIT IN LINE FOR CONFESSION



Turn off your  
cell phone



Go through  
your sins



Talk to  
the Lord



Say the  
Rosary



Read a  
spiritual book



Meditate on the  
Gospel of the day



# FAITH FORMATION NEWS:



**August days are passing by quickly, but Elaine and I have been planning for the new Faith Formation year all summer long. We are excited to share with you some of our big news!**

**Family Mass is coming back! Beginning on September 18<sup>th</sup> at the 10 AM Mass (also the first day of our new Faith Formation School Year), and then approximately every other week, this Mass will be adapted for our children and their families. Liturgy of the Word for Children will be a part of these Family Masses, with the children gathering near the altar, instead of leaving for a classroom. Our Children's Choir and lots of new music will be a regular part of these Masses, and we will be having our young people help as lectors and cantors as well.**

**For those families choosing Home Instruction for their children's Faith Formation classes this year, attendance at two Whole Family Catechesis Workshops, full of guest speakers and fun social activities, will be an addition to that program. Our in-seat classes will continue to have regular visits from our priests, in the church and in their classrooms.**

**Starting this Fall, we are organizing some Adult Faith Formation opportunities, geared towards parents of our program's children, and led by catechists/parents. Look for more information on this initiative in a few weeks! We will continue our very successful OLBS Community Service projects for all our students and families, grades K-8, beginning in September and going until May. Check the bulletin and Faith Formation emails for our opening projects soon!**

**Suzanne Pennell**

thank you, thank you, thank you!  
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A big “Thank You” to all of you who have responded to our request for sponsors of Faith Formation children for the 2022-2023 year! We are so grateful for your support and generosity. Some of you may have noticed there are different amounts asked for some of our grades. The reason for this is simple: more materials are required for the upper grade classes, hence the higher cost of the program for grades 7 and 8. If you are interested in becoming a sponsor for one or more of our Faith Formation children, you can help by making a one-time donation of \$120, the fee for the grades 1-6 year, \$130 for the grade 7 year or \$145 for the grade 8 year. Please make sure checks are made out to OLBS and “Faith Formation Sponsor” is written on the Memo line of the check. Thank you again!

*Volunteers*  
MAKE GREAT THINGS HAPPEN!  
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**WE STILL NEED CATECHISTS** for Monday 3:45 PM classes grades K, 1 and 2 and for Tuesday 3:45 PM classes grades 2, 4 and 5. Would you like to share the joy of our faith? Would you like to make your faith and the growing faith of your students come alive? Would you like to share your time and talent and be an essential role model for our parish's children? Then please volunteer to be a catechist in our program and join us in this wonderful ministry. Please email us at [suzanne@olbs.org](mailto:suzanne@olbs.org) or [elaine@olbs.org](mailto:elaine@olbs.org) or call us at 973-226-5251 for any answers to your questions. We would love to have you become part of our team! Remember, if not you, then who and if not now, then when?



WEEKLY COLLECTION August 6th & 7th	
COLLECTION	\$6,235.00
CANDLE REVENUE	\$123.00



Our parish Annual Appeal goal is within reach. Will you help us reach it? We need your help! We are only \$13,245 away!  
**If you haven't already done so please make a pledge.**



It is like the seed put in the soil -  
 the more one sows, the greater the harvest.

*Orison Swett Marden*



Visit the parish website today to find out how the consistency of signing up for Parish Giving™ helps our parish community prosper.



**FOOD DRIVE** – Despite the challenges we all face with the Covid virus, the OLBS food drive continues in order to support the food pantry at Blessed Sacrament Church, Newark.  
 Thank you to everyone who donated this week to the food drive.

Please mark your calendars for the upcoming dates:

**September 10th & 11th**

**Items always needed include:** cereal, peanut butter, jelly, tomato sauce, mac & cheese, canned meats, canned tuna, pasta, canned fruits, juice, Parmalat milk, powdered milk. Cash donations are also accepted, by indicating FOOD DRIVE on the envelope.

**FOOD DRIVE UPDATE:**

Over the past 2 years, due to COVID, the food pantry at Blessed Sacrament Church has had to make changes on how food is packed and distributed to pantry clients. Therefore we are now asking for donations of **reusable** grocery bags. As always food/cash donations are ALWAYS needed, especially cereals, juices, canned fruits, tuna, tomato sauce, peanut butter and jelly.

**THANK YOU!**

			
PREPARE YOUR MIND AND HEART. ASK FOR THE PRESENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.	DON'T USE "FANCY" WORDS. BE SINCERE AND SPONTANEOUS.	LOOK FOR A SUITABLE PLACE TO PRAY. E.G. ADORATION.	CONCENTRATION REQUIRES DISCIPLINE. TRAIN YOURSELF TO CONCENTRATE.

# 8 KEYS TO PRAYER

			
THE QUALITY OF YOUR PRAYER IS IMPORTANT, EVEN IF IT'S SHORT.	PRAY FREQUENTLY SO YOU GAIN THE HABIT OF RECOLLECTION.	SEEK FOR SILENCE, BOTH INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR.	DISTRACTIONS ARE INEVITABLE. IGNORE THEM.