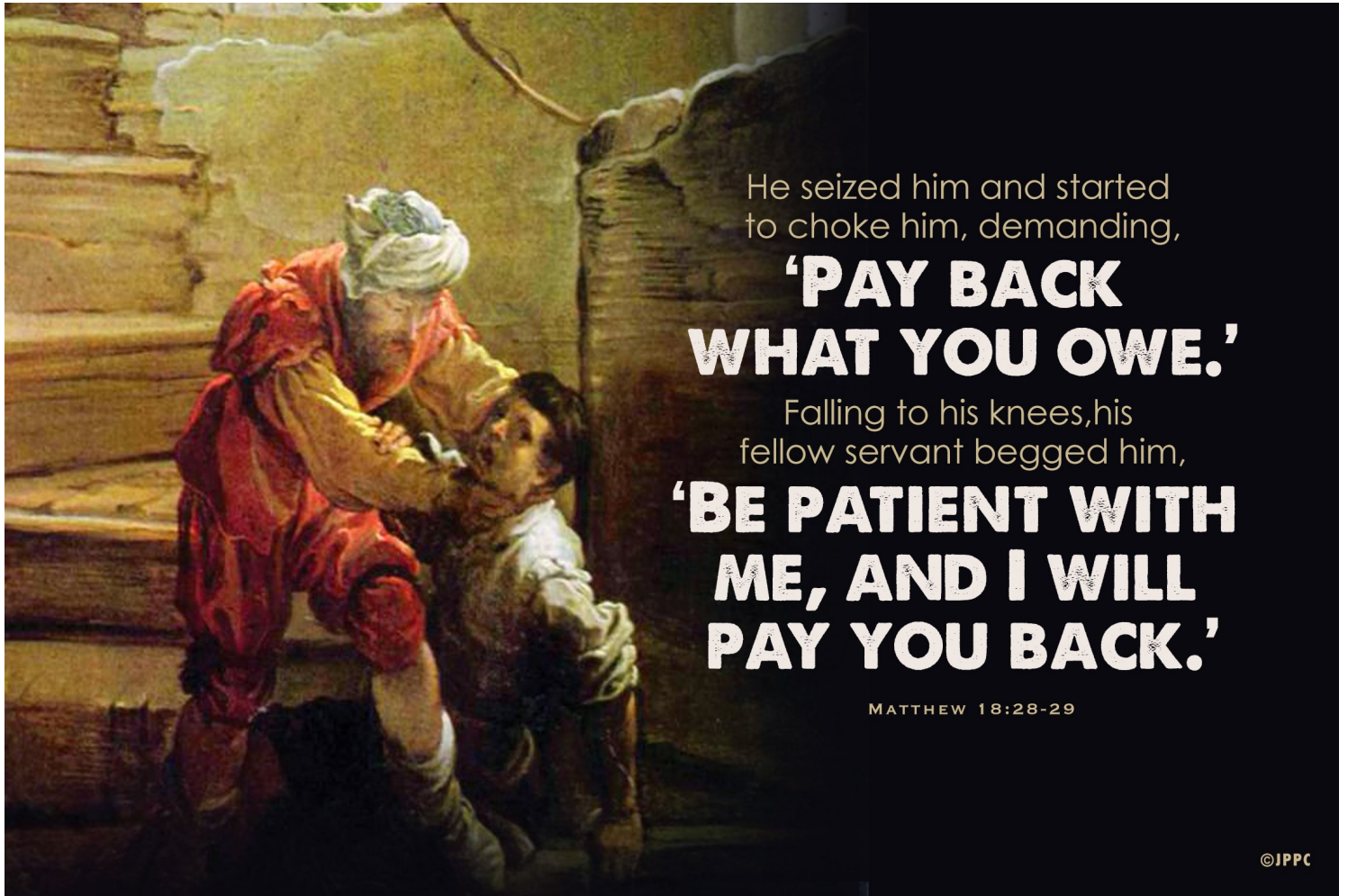


OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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He seized him and started to choke him, demanding,

**‘PAY BACK
WHAT YOU OWE.’**

Falling to his knees, his fellow servant begged him,

**‘BE PATIENT WITH
ME, AND I WILL
PAY YOU BACK.’**

MATTHEW 18:28-29

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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY: 8:45 AM, 5:00 PM (VIGIL)

SUNDAY : 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON

DAILY MASS: 8:45 AM

**CONFESSIONS: Following the SATURDAY 8:45 AM Mass
Other times by appointment**

For BAPTISM and WEDDING: Please contact the Office @ 973-226-7288.

Catechetical Sunday, celebrated around the country next weekend, is the time to recognize, honor, and bless those involved in any form of catechetical ministry.

What Does the Word “Catechetical” Mean?

The word might be more familiar than you think. Many Catholics have used the word "catechism" for years, and they know it has something to do with Church's teachings. The root word, "catechesis," is taken from a Greek word meaning "to echo," or "resound." Catechesis is the act of resounding or bringing the Church's teachings to the world. A catechist is one who teaches in the name of the Church.

Why do we have a special day set aside to commission catechists?

Catechesis is a distinct and special ministry in the Church. As the Catechism of the Catholic Church makes clear, “Catechesis is intimately bound up with the whole of the Church’s life . . . her inner growth and correspondence with God’s plan depend essentially on catechesis” (no. 7). This ministry of teaching in the name of the Church has a profound dignity, which is why catechists are formally commissioned by the Church. It is only fitting that we set aside a day to highlight this ministry and invite the entire church community to think about our responsibility to share our faith with others.

How are parents, the primary catechists of their children, recognized on Catechetical Sunday?

Parents are truly the primary catechists of their children. They prepare the soil and plant the first seeds of faith. On Catechetical Sunday, we not only highlight the work of catechists in parishes and schools, but we also commend parents and guardians as well as encourage them to take seriously their role of making their Catholic households a place where faith is passed on to the next generation.

Therefore, on Sunday, September 20 at the 10:00 mass, parents as well as catechists will be blessed for the work God has called them to do for their children.

At this time, the Religious Education Program will be offering a hybrid of remote and digital instruction at least through the end of December. This directive came from the Archdiocesan Office under the guidance of Cardinal Tobin.

Do you have a child entering grade 1? Is your child attending a public or private school? Did you register for Religious Education? Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament will be offering a hybrid of remote and digital instruction at least through the end of December. For further information, please call the Religious Education Office at 973-226-5251.

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Congratulations
Brianne Gallagher
&
Nicholas Longest
September 5, 2020
God Bless



Saturday, September 12

Weekday

8:45 am

**Carmen & Anne Petrarca
& members of the Petrarca Family**

5:00 pm

Bettyanne Plummer

Sunday, September 13

24rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:00 am

Karen A. Flynn

10:00 am

Catherine Gerard

12:00 pm

Delores & Herb Peterson

Monday, September 14

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8:45 am

Barbara Ann Soni

Tuesday, September 15

Our Lady of Sorrows

8:45 am

Poor Souls

Wednesday, September 16

**Saint Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian,
Bishop, Martyrs**

8:45 am

People of the Parish

Thursday, September 17

Weekday

8:45 am

Clara & John Sexton

Friday, September 18

Weekday

8:45 am

Anthony Tarabocchia

Saturday, September 19

Weekday

8:45 am

Liliane Antaki, 1st Anniversary

5:00 pm

Bridget Milewski

Sunday, September 20

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am

Dennis Wilson

10:00 am

Bridget Milewski

12:00 pm

Frank Nicotero

PLEASE PRAY For. Julia Soroko, Msgr. Peter J. McHugh, Erin Kate Reagan, Alberta Parisi, Skip Hess, Miguel DeCastro, Linda Fullerton, Lucas Villarosa, Susie, Alain, Elie, June, Roger, Patrick, Louis Saporito, Jr, Andrew Boyle, David, Anne Murray, Annemarie Magnoppi, Special Intention, Jeff, Christine Patton, James Caldwell, Terance Glynn, Peter C., Clara H., Lessie G., Barbara L., Cindy Michalowski, Ceclia, Robert, Sammy, Barbara R., Eileen, Dorothy, J.V., Fr. Jerry Orbos, Ernesto DeGuzman, Kosta Tsanakos, Catherine Bertero, Sr. Therese Ganly, Rosalee Tortoriello, Edmund Gerard Sherry, Bernice Baker, Theresa R, Rebecca Cox, Joanne J., Joanne M, Harold Engelke, Jacob Berard, Marie, Michael McHenry, Guy, Betty E, Bobbi Dugas, Michael, Dana, Melanio Villarosa Jr., Mel Gulfin, Tina Caluag, Cathy Bianco, Lynn Murray, Bill Murray, Aiden, Ceil, Richard, John, Richard Terranova, Denis, Fred, Antoinette Rogers, Zenaida Bautista, Dale, Joyce, Claire, Carol, Lucas, Kevin.

WE ASK YOUR PRAYERS FOR THE



**FOLLOWING MEN AND WOMEN
WHO ARE SERVING OUR
COUNTRY IN THE ARMED**

FORCES: Capt. Joseph Thomer,
USAF; Airman Michael Traynor; USAF,

CPL Joseph M. Venutolo (LaRiccia), US Marine Corps; Matt Tolliver, US Coast Guard; Lt. John Werner, US Army; Capt. Bill Morgan, LCPL; CPL. Michael Festa, US Marine Corps; LCPL Daniel Veltre, US Marine Corps; LTJG Dylan Pennell, US Navy; Stephen, US Navy; Capt. Aaron Farley, USAF; Lt. Calan Farley, USAF; and for all those involved in conflicts throughout the world and their families.

Do You Need Prayers?

We have a ***Prayer Chain*** at OLBS. What is a ***Prayer Chain?*** It's a group of parishioners who have committed themselves to pray for people in our parish or their families who have a special need for prayer, e.g., out of work and need a job, a serious illness, surgery, etc. ***What do you need to do?*** It's very simple. Call the main office and tell us the first name **ONLY** of the person who needs prayer and, if you wish, what the reason is for the prayer. (***That last part is not required.***) We are waiting to pray for all those who need our prayers; call the main office at 973-226-7288 or email patty@olbs.org with your prayer request.

**This week the Sanctuary Candle for
Sister Mary Hanley, SSJ.**

THE LSEC CORNER

Stressors All Around Us- Keep our Children Safe

With the COVID-19 crisis, everyone must take an active role in monitoring child safety in their families, neighborhoods and their communities. Inevitably, there will be children and young people, in the months to come, making disclosures of abuse, to trusted adults, once they feel safe, and when schools are back in session and churches are open. It's possible that the child may make the disclosure to you over your online communication, or that you may pick up on disturbing behavior or warning signs through that online communication. What you see, hear or observe may cause you to suspect one of the types of child abuse—physical abuse, neglect, emotional/psychological abuse or sexual abuse.

To get help:

- **Parents or caretakers who are in need of support can:**

- ⇒ Call the National Parent Helpline at 1-855-427-2736, or,
- ⇒ Call the National Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-4-A-CHILD or 800-422-4453
- ⇒ Obtain help via online therapy to reduce stressors or find venting and/or coping opportunities
- **To report suspected child abuse or neglect,** contact law enforcement or child protective services (CPS) in your state or county
- **For suspicion, fear or concern of immediate abuse,** please call 911
- **To report suspected online sexual exploitation,** contact the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children (NCMEC) at 1-800-843-5678 or online at www.cybertipline.org

Your role as a safe adult is extremely important to the children in your life, whether they are in your own home or see you intermittently, or hardly at all.

Resource: *Virtus.org* article: *Children are at Increased Risk for Abuse when Stressors Abound.*



Food Certificates

Food certificates to local supermarkets are on sale in the parish office. The proceeds from this sale - \$5.00 for every \$100.00 worth of certificates purchased – goes to help us feed the hungry. We remember that the Lord said, “*When I was hungry, you gave me to eat; when I was thirsty, you gave me to drink.*” Through the purchase of food certificates, you can help the parish serve the needs of the hungry.

thank you, thank you, thank you! ©JPPC



Weekly Collection:

August 30: \$4980.00

Proverbs 11:25 “Whoever confers benefits will be amply enriched, and whoever refreshes others will be refreshed.”

If you are using envelopes, please make sure to mark your contribution on the outside of the envelope to ensure proper credit to your account. Thank you

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Please consider signing up for our electronic giving program. It is safe, easy and you never have to worry about forgetting your envelope. You can sign up directly from our parish website. If you have any questions, you can email Patty Braga at patty@olbs.org. This is an easy and convenient way for parish families to make their weekly offering.



Attention grades 8-12!!!

CORRECTION

Our first meeting will be:

Monday September 21

From: 7:00pm to 8:30pm

Location: GOOGLE MEET

Go on to the Parish Calendar at OLBS.org and follow the link. Enjoy the rest of the summer! Can't wait to see you!

Peace, Patty :)

Social Concerns Ministry would like to thank all our parishioners who contributed food or cash to this week's Food Drive. Our next collection date is the weekend of October 10th @ 11th.

REMEMBER food can be dropped off any time and left in the vestibule closet, located in the back of the church.

MONETARY DONATIONS ARE ALWAYS ACCEPTED.