

# *OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT*

*28 LIVINGSTON AVENUE, ROSELAND, NEW JERSEY 07068*



## **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.**

# PARISH News



You may have noticed our new sign! We are happy to announce that all Parish Offices are now located in the school building: the secretary, the Religious Education Director, the Pastoral Associate for Administration and the Music Director are all together. The offices moved back in July, the sign was installed Friday September 4, this should make it much easier to find us.



The Sacrament of *Baptism*

*Welcome our newest members:*  
*Emily Jean*  
*Baptized on September 12, 2020*  
*Congratulations*  
*Michael & Jenna*

*Oliver Hudson*  
*Baptized on September 13, 2020*  
*Congratulations*  
*Clyde & Yvonne*

*Madison Isabella*  
*Baptized on September 13, 2020*  
*Congratulations*  
*Donte & Lucyanna*

*God Bless*

### 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.

### **From Needlework's Ministry:**

We would like you to know that we are still busy knitting. We would like to remind everyone that if they know of anyone in need of a prayer shawl or lap blanket to please contact us. We do not need a name. We just want to provide some comfort for those in need. Please call the Parish Office @ 973-226-7288 to make a request.  
\*\*\*\*We make Baptism Blankets for all of the babies Baptized here at OLBS, and we are in need of WHITE yarn. Donations of white yarn or monetary donation would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

### TO CONTACT US BY PHONE:

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**Saturday, September 19**  
 Weekday  
 8:45 am Liliane Antaki, 1st Anniversary  
 5:00 pm Bridget Milewski

**Sunday, September 20**  
 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time  
 8:00 am Dennis Wilson  
 10:00 am Bridget Milewski  
 12:00 pm Frank T. Nicotero

**Monday, September 21**  
 Saint Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist  
 8:45 am Inez Leone

**Tuesday, September 22**  
 Weekday  
 8:45 am Charles Williamson

**Wednesday, September 23**  
 Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest  
 8:45 am People of the Parish

**Thursday, September 24**  
 Weekday  
 8:45 am Marilyn D'Addario

**Friday, September 25**  
 Weekday  
 8:45 am Thomas Bergen

**Saturday, September 26**  
 Weekday  
 8:45 am Thomas O'Rourke  
 5:00 pm Bridget Milewski

**Sunday, September 27**  
 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 8:00 am Liliane Antaki  
 10:00 am Msgr. Ron Amandolare  
 12:00 pm Louis Acocella

**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](mailto:patty@olbs.org) with your prayer request.

**This week the Sanctuary Candle for Joseph Bartolotta and the Bread and Wine is for Frank Williams.**

*Rest In Peace*

**Mariano Mannino & Lucien Vessichelli**

# THE LSEC CORNER



Our senior citizens are considered one of our best resources and can be vulnerable to predators. The Archdiocese has included elder abuse and protecting our seniors, as part of the Safe Environment Program. Predators try to groom and prey on our loved ones. Elder fraud has become a serious problem and we need to be informed.

Here are a few common scams to watch out for and how to stay safe.

**Grandparent Scam-** the caller will tell you your grandchild is urgently in need. Typically, the grandchild is out of town and is in trouble, needs money fast, and doesn't want the rest of the family to know.

**Sweepstakes Scam-** you may receive a check, text, phone call or something in the mail that states you have won a sweepstakes. To claim your prize, you need to provide you banking information for direct deposit. **NEVER GIVE OUT YOUR BANKING INFO.**

**Telemarketer Scam-** they call every day, maybe a few times a day and pressure you into buying their product. They will not take NO for an answer.

**Internet Scams-** Google or Microsoft will NEVER call you at home trying to get your personal information. Do not shop online via public WIFI or a website that doesn't have a secure connection.

Seniors who believe they have been cheated or scammed by a business, or suspect any other form of marketplace abuse, can file a complaint with the New Jersey Division of Consumer Affairs by visiting its [website](#) or by calling **1-800-242-5846** (toll free within New Jersey) or **973-504-6200**.

## An Urgent Request

In a recent broadcast on Relevant Radio (the Catholic Station), Mercy House in Newark made a passionate plea to listeners in our area for emergency food donations. With many shelters and soup kitchens closed during the pandemic, Mercy House was one of the few that remained open to offer a lifeline of food to struggling families. Now, their food supply is at a critically low point. Our help is desperately needed. Therefore, on the weekend of September 26/27, our parish will have an emergency food collection for Mercy House. The items in great need are: peanut butter, whole wheat crackers, cereal, power bars and granola bars, canned fruit and vegetables, as well as canned tuna, chicken and turkey. Please label the bags of food "Mercy House."



Attention grades 8-12!!!

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. Can't wait to see you!

Peace, Patty :)



## Weekly Collection:

September 6: \$8366.00

September 13: \$5,133.00

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

Parish Giving



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## Parish Giving

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](mailto:patty@olbs.org). This is an easy and convenient way for parish families to make their weekly offering.

On August 11, the newly installed Bishop of Paterson, Kevin J. Seeoney gave a presentation to Directors of Religious Education. It was a joy to hear his enthusiastic message. Bishop Sweeney's called catechists, "essential workers" as he highlighted their work for the life of the Catholic Church. Bishop continued to say, "Even before the children come to us for Religious Education, it is the primary work of parents who begin the faith life of the child. This could be a silver lining in these challenging times. New approaches could lead parents to nurturing the Domestic Church."

On that note, this year, the Church will celebrate Catechetical Sunday on September 20, 2020, under the theme "I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you." On this day, catechists are formally commissioned for ministry to the community. Additionally, parents will be blessed for their role in passing on the Catholic faith to their children. Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each baptized person plays in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. Catechetical Sunday is an opportunity for all to rededicate themselves to this mission as a community of faith.

