# 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.





# The Sacrament of Buplism

Welcome our newest member:
Brielle Elizabeth
Baptized October 30, 2020
Congratulations
Anthony & Megan
God Bless

Welcome our newest member:
Emma Ryan
Baptized November 28, 2020
Congratulations
Matthew & Katie
God Bless





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Saturday, December 5 Advent Weekday

8:45 am Special Remembrance Mass 5:00 pm Marlene Paglianite

Sunday, December 6 Second Sunday of Advent

8:00 am Philip Reaper
10:00 am Ann & Frank Salinard
12:00 pm Thomas Viviano

Monday, December 7

Saint Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 8:45 am Karen Flynn

**Tuesday, December 8 Immaculate Conception of the** 

**Blessed Virgin Mary** 

6:45 am Mary McFarland 8:45 am Michael Iatesta 12:05 pm Martin & Mary McCormack

Wednesday, December 9 Advent Weekday

8:45 am Katie & Sebastian DiMartino

Thursday, December 10 Advent Weekday

8:45 am Richard Flinn, Sr.

Friday, December 11 Advent Weekday

8:45 am Edith Bravaco

Saturday, December 12 Our Lady of Guadalupe

8:45 am Mary Mc Farland Genevieve Blum

Sunday, December 13 Second Sunday of Advent

8:00 am
Richard Flinn, Sr.
10:00 am
Clara & John Sexton
12:00 pm
Federick L. Dente

This week the Sanctuary Candle is for Jose Braga and the Bread and Wine is for Nicholas S. Ventola, 2nd Anniversary.





Mary Sagosz, Francis Mahn, Sadie Underwood & Felicia Polito



#### **PLEASE PRAY:**

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, Barbara L, Ceclia, Robert, Sammy, Barbara R., Eileen, Dorothy, J.V., Ernesto DeGuzman, Kosta Tsanakos, Sr. Therese Ganly, Rosalee Tortoriello, Edmund Gerard Sherry, Bernice Baker, Theresa R, Rebecca Cox, Joanne J., Joanne M, Jacob Berard, Marie, Michael McHenry, Guy, Betty E, Bobbi Dugas, Michael, Dana, Mel Gulfin, Cathy Bianco, Lynn Murray, Bill Murray, Aiden, Ceil, Richard, John, Richard Terranova, Denis, Fred, Antoinette Rogers, Dale, Joyce, Claire, Carol, Lucas, Kevin, Judith, Tony, Jan Merino, Terry Trambulo, Peter, Special Intention.



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.

#### SPECIAL REMEMBRANCE MASS December 5, 2020

Kathleen Kaczynski

Liliane Antaki

Prayers and Protection for unborn babies and their mothers

Robert Rose

Theresa Burke

Timothy Caldwell

Joan Tolan

Deceased Members of the Dorchak and Meehan Families

Deceased Members of the Canzanella and Goeller Families

Delfina & Cipriano Baldo

Salud & Pacifico Natividad

Mary McFarland

Jack Wickens

Margaret McGinley

Mary Dillon

Special Intention

Randy Pesci

Frank Cappella

Kathy Cappella

Katie & Sebastian Di Martino

Patrick Tobia

Anne Marie Marino

Barbara Entwistle

Marcela Patino

Maragaret Sica

Gavle Susan Decker

Diana Finnochiaro

Marie Yorlano

Gloria Doyle

# THE LSEC CORNER



#### **Creating a Safe Christmas Celebration**

It is important to promote a festive atmosphere to celebrate certain times of the year in accordance with established societal norms. In doing so, it is essential to ensure that the end result is not a hazardous condition or environment that jeopardizes the safety of the building's occupants, conflicts with applicable safety codes and best practices, or impedes emergency responders from gaining access to a property during an emergency situation or potential crisis.

There are five important areas of concern that can compromise safety during the Christmas and seasonal celebrations. These areas include: electricity, exits, live decorations, open flame, and fire protection systems. The following tips—address these areas and are designed to help ensure that you have created a safe Christmas celebration.

Use common sense when setting up electric decorations. If it looks unsafe, it probably is. Do not get carried away with extension cords and only use approved outlet strips or surge protectors.

Thoroughly inspect Christmas light strands and electronic decorations before use to ensure that they are properly functioning and undamaged.

Do not compromise the means of egress in hallways, lobbies and near exit doors with Christmas trees, religious scenes, and other decorations.

Candles must be used in accordance with all applicable codes, regulations, and best practices. A good tip to remember is to NEVER leave a candle unattended.

Keep combustible materials like gift wrapping and decorations away from the fireplace as radiant and convection heat can raise the temperature of the material near the fire box to its ignition point and start a fire.

If you have a battery-operated, single station smoke detectors, it is important to maintain the devices in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. A safe practice, is to change the battery before you display your holiday decoration.

Fresh Christmas trees need water. Make sure your tree is always in water and the average Christmas tree can use as much as 1 gallon (3.79 liters) of water per day. General rule is one quart (0.95 liters) of water is required for each inch of the trunk's diameter.

The holidays certainly are a wonderful time of year – they are typically greatly anticipated periods during the year full of traditions and revelry. Be safe and enjoy.

(source: Virtus.org)



Thank you for your contribution - big and small!



Weekly Collection:

November 22: \$5,949.00 November 29: \$7,374.00

Winter Energy Collection: \$1,766.00 Winter heating cost 2019 was \$17,943.62 (Nov-Mar)

**Assessment collection: \$648.00** 

Monthly Assessment: \$9,339.00

Exodus 35:5 "Receive from among you contributions for the Lord. Everyone, as his heart prompts him, shall bring, as a contribution to the Lord, gold, silver and bronze;"



## **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.

# Food Certificates

Food certificates to local supermarkets are on sale in the parish office. All proceeds from this sale - \$5.00 for every \$100.00 worth of certificates purchased — is used each month to help our parishioners in need. 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 are directly putting food on the table of OLBS families. Thank you, and God Bless.

## **Social Concerns Ministry:**

Our next food drive collection date is the weekend of December 12th & 13th.

**REMEMBER** food can be dropped off any time and left in the vestibule closet, located in the back of the church. There will be a box for monetary donations as well.  $x^{\text{int}(\theta_1, \theta_2)}$ 

# **The Giving Tree:**

As a reminder all gifts are due back weekend of December 12 & 13, please bring gifts to room 1. Make sure tag is attached! Thank you everyone who took a tag this year! God Bless!



# **Youth Ministry News**



Beautifully designed cards with living messages of support are on their way to service men and women and midshipmen and cadets throughout the country and around the world!

The amazing Youth Group of Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Church donated their time and talent to West Orange Supports Our Troops, a local collection which sends care packages to our military as a way of showing gratitude and appreciation for their service to our country.



# **Sanctuary Candles**

Parishioners can offer a donation of \$15 for the Sanctuary Candle – the candle near the tabernacle - to burn in memory of a loved one, in honor of a special event, such as a 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary or simply in the name of a family in the parish. Please contact the parish office or more information. These remembrances will be listed in the bulletin, directly below the list of those remembered at parish Masses.

#### 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 a monetary donation would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

# Blessing of the bread for Thanksgiving





# 500 Club raffle winner

The winner of our November 500 Club Raffle was James Egan, he won \$2,000.00. Our last drawing is Saturday, December 24, 2020.

#### **How To Report Abuse**

The Archdiocese of Newark takes very seriously any and all credible complaints of sexual misconduct by members of the clergy, religious and lay staff of the archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct to inform the archdiocese immediately so that we may take appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse.

Individuals who wish to report an allegation of sexual misconduct may do so by calling the *Archdiocesan Office of the Protection of the Faithful at 201-407-3256*.

#### Do You Need Prayers?

The *Prayer Chain* is 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. *Call the office a @ 973-226-7288* or email patty@olbs.org with your prayer request and to be added to the prayer chain.