

*Transfiguration  
of the Lord*



*"This is my beloved Son,  
with whom  
I am well pleased;  
listen to him. "*

*Matthew 17:5*

# Our Lady of Sorrows Parish

Sharon, MA

**August 6, 2017**

## Mass Schedule:

**Weekends:**

**Saturdays @ 4:30 PM**

**Sundays @ 7:30 & 10:30 AM**

**Week Days:**

**Wednesdays, Thursdays,  
Fridays @ 9:00 AM**

## Parish Office Hours:

**Sundays:**

**Noon to 3:30 PM**

**Mondays - Thursdays:**

**9 AM to Noon & 1 PM to 4 PM**

## To Contact Us:

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### **Summer Mission Trips– Outreach In Our Name**

Our young people were amazing these past two weeks as they served others in Jesus' name at "Just5Days", a mission trip for middle school students and "Young Neighbors in Action," a mission trip for high school students.

From July 16-22, a small contingent of youth and adults from OLOS joined approximately eighty other high school students and adults in Worcester, Massachusetts to take part in the Young Neighbors in Action. Youth members Jon Dion, Conlen O'Driscoll, Josiah Stessman, and Vy Uong were joined by adult leaders Sean O'Driscoll and AnneMarie Dion to serve at the South Worcester Neighborhood Association-- an inner-city day camp for underprivileged children ages 6-12 years. Over the course of our service week, they immersed themselves in the day-to-day routine of the camp-- joining the children as they ate breakfast, played endless games of kickball and soccer, ate lunch, read books and completed book reports, played on the playground and most importantly, made friends and listened to the life stories of the children they served. The youth also served as role models and were greeted each day with hugs, excitement and anticipation.

From July 24-28th, eight OLOS students (Alejandra Aguilar, Michael Campisano, Ava Detrask, Charlotte Foulger, Conor Grew, Barry Spoto, Noah Tolentino, and Josh Tolentino) and their adult leaders (Teresa Coda and Dominic Grew) joined approximately thirty other middle school students and adults to volunteer, build community, pray and learn in the community of Springfield, MA. The OLOS team served at Kate's Kitchen and Margaret's Pantry -- a soup kitchen, food pantry, and thrift shop -- for the week, where they served meals, sorted items donated to the organization, cleaned thrift-store closets and checked expiration dates on food donations.

A huge and hearty thank you to the adult participants on the Just5Days and YNIA trips (and the parents who helped drive students to and from Springfield: Lisa Foulger and Kimberly Detrask) and to all of the OLOS parishioners who made our trips possible through their prayers, support of our Car Wash fundraiser, and other donations. May our students' love and compassion for others continue all the days of their lives and may they continue to be role models and an inspiration for us all.





**Today's Readings are on : 1204**

Ordinary of the Mass begins on Page 166

**Scripture for the week of August 6, 2017****Sunday, August 6th**

Dn 7:9-10,13-14/ 2 Pt 1:16-19/ Mt 17:1-9

**Monday, August 7th**

Nm 11:4b-15/ Mt 14:13-21

**Tuesday, August 8th**

Nm 12:1-13/ Mt 14:22-36

**Wednesday, August 9th**

Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a,34-35/Mt 15:21-28

**Thursday, August 10th**

2 Cor 9:6-10/ Jn 12:24-26

**Friday, August 11th**

Dt 4:32-40/ Mt 16:24-28

**Saturday, August 12th**

Dt 6:4-13/ Mt 17:14-20

**Sunday, August 13th**

1 Kgs 19:9a,11-13a/ Rom 9:1-5/ Mt 14:22-33

**Mass Intentions:**

August 6th at 7:30 AM ~ Vince Green

August 9th at 9 AM~ Jean Mackie

**Pray Intentions****Prayers for the Deceased**

Paul Baro, Yvonne Bollenbach, Mary Ellen Bonfiglio, Alfred Cabral, Florence Cittadino, Betty Clarkin, John Collins, Neil Cronin, Mary Czitron, Nina D'Arco, Maureen Erickson, Jim Fitzgerald, Joanne Ioanilli, Kathleen Kanneigizer, Alice Lewis, Vincent McCann, Ann Marie McGrath, Mary Meers, Michael Minerva, Dorothy & Dan Morganelli, Lilly Moronha, Margaret Nelson, Robert Parilla, Sr. , Robert Parilla, Jr. , Dorothy & Judson Parker, Anka Elizabeth Soulavy Raffensperger, Anne Richardson, Kay Rochefort, Grace Rooney, Elliot Rowlands, Lawrence Russell, Lucille Blain Salhany, Carlos Sandoval, Lawrence Sullivan, Paul Sullivan, Lorraine Thomas, Steve Van Pelt

**Prayers for the Sick**

Anaele Amaechi, Sarah Andrews, Ricardo & Raquel Balarezo, Mary Ann Boulet, Gail Callis, Matt Canuel, Paul Canuel, Vincent & Jo Chiodo, Stephen DeCesare, Anita DelGallo, Bob DelGallo, Dick Diforio, Francis & Gert DiLoreto, James Dowdell, Helen Drake, Pudge Eaton, Marc Filipkowski, Mary Fitzgerald, Anthony Venti, Claire Gervais, Judy Grenier, Michele Hadayia, Raylene Hadayia, Mary Hollenbeck, Anna Hughes, Peg Hulit, Kevin Jones, Ellen & Bob Laurie, Trudy Leonard, Judy Manuel, Patricia Martell, Alessia Marsiglia, Pete & Grace McFarland, Maria Leticia Nova, Thomas Parker II, Molly Osberg, Mandy Pitney, Tony, Ann & Theresa Pizzoferrato, Donna Prado, Julie Robbins, Joseph Santos, Wayne & Judy Satterley, Lily Sauer, Alan Sendker, William Trainer, Karen Trudeau, Chris VanHoof

**Music****Mass Parts**

Glendalough Mass #262,263,266,267

**Gathering~ #878**

Transform Us

**Responsorial Psalm ~ Psalm 97**

The Lord Is King, The Most High Over  
All The Earth

**Communion ~ #784**

We Have Been Told

**Sending Forth ~ #568**

Rejoice, The Lord is King

**Weekly Collection – July 30, 2017**

The average cost to run the parish is \$9,800 per week. Our expectation is that 70% or \$7,100 will come from the weekly offertory. Parishioners contributed \$6,420 for the week ending July 30th

**Second Collection for Catholic Relief Services**

**This week's** second collection for Catholic Relief Services supports emergency relief, human development, and peace initiatives in countries around the world. The funds from this collection provide food for the hungry, services for victims of human trafficking, support for displaced refugees, and show Christ's love and respect to all people. T collection funds the ministries of 6 Catholic Church organizations: Catholic Relief Services (CRS), Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. (CLINIC), Migration and Refugee Services (MRS), the Development of Justice, Peace, and Human Development, the Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church, and the Holy Father's Relief Fund. For more information, please visit [www.usccb.org/crscollection](http://www.usccb.org/crscollection).

**Society of St James– Visiting August 12/13th**

Cardinal O'Malley has implemented the Missionary Cooperative Plan established by the US Conference of Catholic Bishops. As a result The Society of St. James the Apostle is sending one of their Latin America missionaries, Fr. Desmond Tynan here to Our Lady of Sorrows next week as part of a special appeal for the missions in Latin America. Founded by Cardinal Cushing in 1958, members of the Society are diocesan priests, from English speaking countries, who work with the exceptionally poor in Peru and Ecuador. Please be as generous as your means allow to help those less fortunate. For more information on the Society of St. James visit their website: [www.socstjames.com](http://www.socstjames.com)

## What's Happening at OLOS

### Continue the Conversation

Do you ever find yourself wishing that you could hear what other parishioners seated in the pews think about the Gospel message of the day? Talk to the presider about the day's homily? Share your thoughts about the daily readings? Now is your chance to engage more deeply with the Liturgy of the Word through dialogue in community. All parishioners are invited to stay in the church after the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, August 6th and Sunday, August 20th to Continue the Conversation about the readings for the day and the homily with discussions led by Fr. Daly (**August 6th**) and Fr. Clooney (**August 20th**). The readings for Sunday, August 6th are Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14, 2 Peter 1:16-19, and Matthew 17: 1-9.

### Mass At The Lake

This year's Mass at the Lake will be **September 17th at 10:30 AM**. If you have not attended this event in the past, please consider joining us this year. It is a beautiful opportunity to worship in the nature that God created. Watch for more information in upcoming bulletins. **This will be the only Mass that Sunday.** There will be the 4:30 PM Mass on Saturday, September 16th

### Palliative Care Presentation

Are you over 18? Have you or someone you love faced medical challenges? Have you wondered what the difference between palliative care and hospice care is? Have you ever wondered what the Catholic Church teaches regarding health care proxy, advance directives, or end-of-life care?

Come hear a presentation and join in a discussion at Our Lady of Sorrows on Sunday **September 24th at 9:30 am** during coffee hour. Presented by the Archdiocese of Boston's ***Initiative for Palliative Care and Advance Care Planning***.

Please RSVP Monica O'Brien by email at [mobrien@oloss Sharon.org](mailto:mobrien@oloss Sharon.org) for refreshment planning purposes.

**Please check [www.oloss Sharon.org](http://www.oloss Sharon.org) for a complete calendar of events at OLOS**

### Faith Formation 2017-2018

Faith Formation Registration for the 2017-2018 program year will begin very soon! The link for electronic registration will be posted on the website and sent out via email shortly, and you will also have the option to complete a form at Coffee Hour or by stopping by the Parish Office. **In the meantime, we are searching for the volunteers who will make the program possible.** We are in need of Catechists to help teach pre-K through Grade 5 classes on Sunday mornings, 9:45 a.m.-10:45 a.m., and Small Group Facilitators to help guide monthly discussions with our Confirmation One students (one Wednesday per month, 7:00-8:30 p.m.) and Middle School youth (one Sunday or Wednesday night per month, 7:00-8:30 p.m.). Training is provided as well as ongoing support. Sharing our faith and helping younger people grow in awareness of God is a simple, profound act, and much easier than you may imagine. Are you feeling curious about how to help foster our youth's relationship with Jesus? Is the Spirit urging you to explore this possibility? Contact Teresa Coda if you are interested in learning more ([tcoda@oloss Sharon.org](mailto:tcoda@oloss Sharon.org) or [781-784-2265](tel:781-784-2265)).



### From Senior Deacon Mike

August 6th is the Feast of the Transfiguration. The gospel narratives describe Jesus as guiding Peter and John up a mountain to revel in the glory of God.

Recall a similar event when Jesus was baptized at the Jordan River. In both cases, the story yields to an interruption....

"...then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him."

### **"Separation, Divorce and Beyond"**

**September 10th through November 12th**

Separation and divorce is painful, often shattering. Blessed Sacrament Parish in Walpole is offering a 10 week program, facilitated by a group of Catholics who have themselves endured separation and divorce. This program is designed to offer support and healing for those who have experienced a failed marriage and offer hope for the prospect of better tomorrows by discussing subjects such as anger, self-image, loneliness, blame and guilt. The program consists of 10 meetings on Sunday evenings from 7 to 8:30 PM, held in the parish Community Room. If interested in learning more or to sign up for this program, please contact either Jeanie Mattila at 508-384-8779 or [jean.matte6@gmail.com](mailto:jean.matte6@gmail.com) or John Meuleman at 781-982-6097 or [jamnd65@gmail.com](mailto:jamnd65@gmail.com). **Sign up by September 5th.**

### **Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." Improve your listening skills by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next WWME Weekends are Sep 16-17, 2017 in Medway, MA and Oct 21-22, 2017 in Contoocook, NH. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at [800-710-9963](tel:800-710-9963) or visit us at <https://wwwmema.org/>.

Welcome to Our Lady of Sorrows Parish. We encourage all our parishioners who worship with us to register. Our registry is a vital source of connection we use to communicate and build community. Please call the Parish office at 781-784-2265, or return this form to the Parish Office via the collection basket, mail, or in person. Thank you.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth : \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Names & ages of any children \_\_\_\_\_

# OUR LADY OF SORROWS PARISH

59 Cottage St, Sharon MA 02067

Heavenly Father, you gather us together in our faith journey. Trusting in you, we join one another as a community. A community of faith on a journey, a journey to grow ever deeper in our faith. In our love, in our Desire to long for you. Along the way, remind us of your Love, of your sacrifice for us, of your ever mindful presence. Let us never lose hope along the way. Help us to be strong. Strong in Faith, strong in Love, strong in our Desire to be ever mindful of your presence. For it is in your strength and Love and the Graces you bestow upon us, that we can go out and share in your Love and Faith with all those in our community. It is in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit one God ever and ever.

## Liturgy Schedule

Saturday ~ 4:30 PM , Sunday ~ 7:30 & 10:30 AM  
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 AM  
Holy Days as announced.

## Sacraments

We welcome those seeking the sacraments of the Church. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered Saturday from 3:45 PM to 4:15 PM or by calling the Parish Office for an appointment. For information on celebrating the other sacraments, please contact the Parish Office.

## Eucharistic Adoration

Monday ~ 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM

## The Rosary

Fridays after the 9AM Mass

## Bible Study:

Wednesday at 10am in O'Connell Hall .  
All are Welcome!

## Connecting

If you are housebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, if you are in need of prayer or if you need assistance from our community, please call the Parish Office or send us an email. We want to hear from you.

## Contact Us:

We welcome your ideas and involvement. Please contact us. We also invite you to visit and contribute to our prayer book in the back of the church.

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## Our Vision

*We welcome all to our community as we celebrate and explore our Catholic faith.*

*We embrace the unique religious composition of Sharon. We proclaim the Risen Lord who gathers us as a community. We pursue open dialogue as we follow the teachings of Jesus Christ through lifelong learning and faith formation.*

*We practice and promote social justice that affirms the Dignity of every human being.*

*We call upon the grace and talents of all parishioners to strengthen our living church.*

Please visit our full Vision Statement at our website.

## Staff:

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## Parish Pastoral Council:

John Glancy

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