

**June 1, 2025**

**Our Lady of  
Sorrows Parish**

59 Cottage St., Sharon, MA

**Mass Schedule**

**Weekend Masses:**

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday 7:30, 8:45 (Family Mass) and 11 AM

**Weekday Masses:**

Wednesday 7 AM

Wednesday, Thursday  
& Friday 9 AM

**Adoration**

Friday after the 9 AM Mass

Benediction at Noon

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**To Contact Us:**

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Website: [www.olossharon.org](http://www.olossharon.org)

Parish Email:

[parish@olossharon.org](mailto:parish@olossharon.org)

Pastor: Rev. John Chen

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday

8 am to Noon

Tuesday & Friday

12:30 pm to 3:30 pm



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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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LORD IS  
KING**

THE MOST HIGH  
OVER ALL  
THE EARTH

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## **Sacraments**

We welcome those seeking the sacraments of the Church. For information on celebrating the sacraments, please contact the Parish Office.

### **Baptism**

4th Sunday of Each Month

### **Reconciliation**

Saturday at 3:45 PM or by appointment

### **Adoration**

Friday at 9:30 AM to Noon

## **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.

## **Bible Study:**

Wednesday at 10 AM in the Bullock Center  
All are welcome!

## **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:**

**Rev. John Chen, Pastor**  
[frjohnchensj@olossharon.org](mailto:frjohnchensj@olossharon.org)

### **Associates**

**Rev. Francis X. Clooney, S.J.**  
**Rev. Kevin Spicer, C.S.C.**

**Monica LaFond**  
**Pastoral Associate and**  
**Director of Faith Formation**  
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**Tzipora Stessman**  
**Coordinator of PreK-5 Faith Formation**  
**and Service**  
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**Lynn Jacobs, Office Manager**  
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**Parish Pastoral Council:**  
Pastor

**Parish Finance Council:**  
Jim Spoto ~ Chair

## WEEKEND READINGS # 1080

### 1st Reading

Acts 1:12-14

### 2nd Reading

1 Peter 4:13-16

### Gospel

John 17:1-11a

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## MUSIC

### Gathering

#606 ~ Glory and Praise to our God

### Responsorial Psalm 97

"The Lord is King"

### Offertory

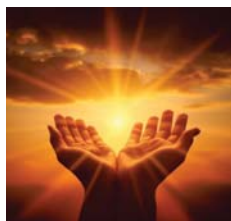
#584 ~ Come to the Water

### Communion

#932 ~ One Bread, One Body

### Sending Forth

#734 ~ Bring Forth the Kingdom



*Please pray for those in need of our prayers, that God's healing and comforting presence will be with them.*

Sick:

Lauren Nagobabs, Michael Connelly, Silvia Dudziak, Michael Donatelle, Rosemary Madnick, Eden Glover, Renato Carlos, Jacinto Chong, Lily Lim, Aaron Michael, Fr. Frank Daly, Dan Arguimbau, Susanne Osberg, Pamela d'Arcy, Eileen Hamilton, Rick Woodward, Perry Stevens, Danny Catindig, Effie Mehdizadeh, Ruby Romero, Rick Curtis, Joe Xavier, Brian Conroy, Mike Devoe

Deceased:

Dan Lunney, Owen Devlin, Julie Bemis, Jordan Carchi, Ashlin Costa, George-Levi Njuguna, Lilian Lim, Shirley Donovan, Jerry & Mary Ann Boulet, Mary G. (Lynch) Ramsbottom, Michael Molyneux, Mike Methot, Jeanne Roulleau, Józef Gilek, Kathleen C. Payson, Alma Roche, Joseph L. Kurtzer, Sheila Connors-Grove, Margaret "Peggy" Fuchs, Braun Levi, Lynne Marie Euvrard, Nicholas Geragotelis, Ruth Adjorlolo

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## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, May 31st at 4:30 PM**

Cliff Theodat (for Healing)

**Sunday, June 1st at 11 AM**

Deacon Mike Iwanowicz (deceased)

**Saturday, June 7th at 4:30 PM**

Agnes Sullivan (deceased)



### Long-time Parishioner Passes

Ruth Adjorlolo died at her daughter's home in London at the age of 101. Ruth left Sharon during COVID to live with her daughter. Please pray for her and her family during this time of mourning.

## Upcoming Second Collections

**June 8th ~ Seminarians**

Supports the formation and training of seminarians in the Archdiocese of Boston for service, we pray, as future priests.

**June 15th ~ Promoting the Gospel**

Supports the Catholic Campaign for Human Development and the Catholic Communication Campaign.

## The Summer Mass Schedule Begins June 8th

Saturday Vigil Mass at 4:30 PM

Sunday Masses at 7:30 AM and 10:30 AM

Daily Masses at 9 am on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday



*Please Join Us for a*  
**Memorial Mass and Luncheon**  
**for**  
**Deacon Mike Iwanowicz**

**Sunday, June 1, 2025**

*Memorial Mass at 11 am  
with a luncheon in O'Connell Hall  
immediately following the Mass*



This June marks the fifth anniversary of Deacon Mike's passing, after serving the OLOS community for nearly forty years. We could not gather when Deacon Mike passed due to the Covid-related public health precautions in place at that time, but now we can come together with Deacon Mike's family and friends to celebrate the Eucharist and remember this faithful disciple of Jesus and his beloved wife Pat.

We hope you will join us.

**If you have a photo or a memory of Deacon Mike you can share,  
please contact Monica at 781-784-2265 or [mlafond@oloss Sharon.org](mailto:mlafond@oloss Sharon.org)**

# Welcome To Our New Music Director



## Krishan Oberoi

*Please join us in welcoming Krishan to Our Lady of Sorrows as our new Music Director and Organist. An award-winning composer and conductor, Krishan lives in Medway with his wife Kirsten and teaches music at Providence College. He will officially start at OLOS the weekend of July 20-21 (although you may spot him at some Masses between now and then). When you see him, be sure to say hi!*

Krishan can be reached at [music@olossharon.org](mailto:music@olossharon.org) or 781-784-2265.

## Pentecost Readers Needed

Do you speak a language other than English? As part of our celebration of the feast of Pentecost, readers are needed to read a short Scripture passage aloud at the Masses at 4:30 pm on Saturday, June 7 and 10:30 am on Sunday, June 8th. To participate, contact Monica at [mlafond@olossharon.org](mailto:mlafond@olossharon.org) or 781-784-2265.



## 14th Annual Family Walk



**Saturday, June 8th  
10:00 am – 2:00 pm**

A short walk around the Stonehill College campus will be followed by family fun activities including inflatable bounce houses and slides, obstacle course, climbing wall, live entertainment, and food vendors.

**NO registration fee. FREE t-shirts for all who register online by May 27th.**

Registration and event details:

**[www.MyBrothersKeeper.org/FamilyWalk](http://www.MyBrothersKeeper.org/FamilyWalk)**

## Upcoming Christian Service

### Opportunities

#### **Ongoing Community Service**

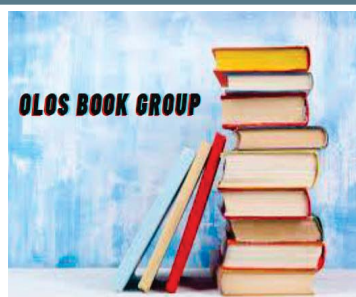
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#### **Ilse Marks Food Pantry**

#### **Diaper Drive for My Brother's Keeper**

*See the announcements in this bulletin for more details about these service opportunities.*



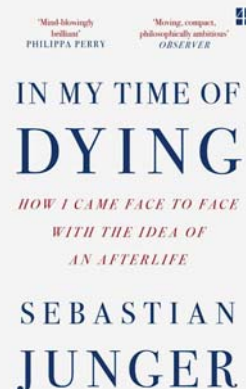


The next meeting of the OLOS Book Group is scheduled for Sunday, June 29th from 2:30-3:30 p.m.

We will meet via Zoom to discuss *In My Time Of Dying* by Sebastian Junger.

The Book Group meets one Sunday afternoon a month to discuss books that broadly deal with spiritual or religious themes.

For the Zoom link for the meeting, please contact Monica LaFond at [mlafond@olossaron.org](mailto:mlafond@olossaron.org).



## CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR GRADUATES!

*"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."*

Jeremiah 29:11

Carlos Aguilar (Sharon High School)  
Cass Barbera (Lake Forest College)  
Catherine Caplice (Sharon High School)  
Marissa A. Cohen (Sharon High School)  
Henry Sumner Cohen (Sharon High School)  
Monique Grew (Elon University)  
Emily Griffin (University of CA at Los Angeles)  
Sara Lessard (Sharon High School)  
Aidan McAuliffe (Sharon High School)  
Jackson Mandel (American University)  
Lila Mandel (Ursuline Academy)  
Nora Morrison (Emmanuel College)  
Cas Morrison (Sharon High School)  
Chloe Muzio (Sharon High School)  
Ella Nguyen (Sharon High School)  
Matilda Seibert (Sharon High School)

### *Please pray for our graduates*

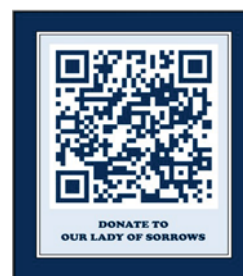
Heavenly Father, May Your hand of protection be about them,  
and may Your Word continue to be a light unto their path.  
Help them to make wise decisions and to always keep  
You first in everything that they do. Amen

## PARISH FINANCIAL NEWS

On average, it costs **\$9,600** per week to run the parish. There are two sources for this amount: the Grand Annual Campaign and the weekly offertory. Last week's offertory amount was **\$2,760** and the **six month average for electronic giving is \$3,000 per week**. Thank you to all who contributed.

For those of you who are not contributing at this time but would like to begin and for those of you who are able to increase your amount, there are two easy ways to donate:

1. *If you have online banking, you can set up Our Lady of Sorrows as a regular "payee." While this is not an electronic funds transfer (we still get a paper check directly from your bank), it does allow you to make Regular gifts to the offertory on a weekly or a monthly basis.*
2. *You can also support OLOS on a regular basis by going to [www.weshare.com](http://www.weshare.com) and setting up an account for a regular automatic gift.*



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