

OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH

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Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 13, 2022

Fr. Chris Cauchi, *Pastor* Agustin Meneses, *Deacon* Gordon D. Mansell, M. Mus *Music Director*

Ministries and Groups

Alpha, Altar Server, Altar Society; Bible Study, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion; Garden Buddies, Knitters Circle, Lector Ministry; Liturgy of the Word with Children; Ministers of Hospitality; Music Ministry; Religious Education for Children; Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA); Sacramental Preparation; Social Committee; Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Call the office for info on:

Sacrament of Baptism

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Sacrament of Marriage

*Parishioners must be registered and regularly attending Mass. Please contact us 1 year prior to your requested wedding date.

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TURNING TO GOD

The readings this Sunday make us think about the end of the world and our relationship with God. In the first reading, we are told that the day of the Lord is coming. In the 2nd reading, Paul asks us to diligently work for the good of all. In the Gospel, Jesus speaks about the end of time and calls us to give testimony and be a source of healing in the world.

Reflection Questions:

- How do I testify to the Good News of Jesus Christ?
- What can I do to be a source of healing in the world today?
- How has God rescued me in my distress?

Jesus talks about the signs of persecution to come and tells us that nothing in this world will last. He calls us not to be fixated on our worldly needs, but to consider how we can reorder our lives and turn towards God. While this is not easy, and can cause internal turmoil, it is a part of living our faith.

LIVING YOUR FAITH

Mass Schedule Mon-Sat: 9am Sat (Vigil Mass): 5:15pm (livestream) Sun: 8am,9:30am, 11am, 12:30pm

Rosary Mon-Sat – 8:25am

Private Prayer & Exposition Mon: 7:00pm-8:30pm

Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help Tuesdays before 9am daily Mass

Confession Mondays: 7pm-8:30pm Saturdays: 4pm-5pm



PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

THE SHEPHERDS' TRUST

Special Collection This Weekend The Trust Fund supports the needs of retired clergy in the Archdiocese of Toronto, ensuring they receive the dignity of an adequate health pension, care and assistance. Thank you for your heartfelt support.

SL ShareLife

MATCHING DONATION

Vulnerable members of our community are relying on us to ensure ongoing access to the care they need. Our OLS parish ShareLife campaign donations are at 75% of our annual goal of \$480,000. At masses next weekend, we welcome a speaker from Catholic Family Services who will share information about their ministry and the very real impact you are making.

Gifts to our parish campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor, up to \$1 million. ShareLife envelopes are available at the back of the church or vou can donate online through our parish website at www.sorrows.ca.

2022/2023 SUNDAY MISSALS

Missals are available for purchase, \$5 each at the back of the church.

ACCESSIBLE SEATING AREAS

an ongoing effort to increase accessibility in our Parish, we have designated an accessible/flexible seating area on the east side of the church. All parishioners are welcome to use this area but are asked to give priority to those with mobility or accessibility needs. The front pews are also available for anyone requiring accessible seating with space for their walker.

CHRISTMAS CARDS SALE - ON NOW!

Before and after all Masses this weekend (and next if supplies last), Monsignor Joe will be home-crafted his Christmas cards in the front



vestibule of the Church. All cards have a greeting. Despite Christian inflation, prices remain the same as last year: only \$10 for six and \$20 for 12 card packs!

BAPTISMS NEXT WEEKEND

Next Sunday at the 9:30 am & 12:30 pm Masses we welcome:

Charlotte, Edward, Isabella, Luka, Nikolas, and Sienne into the Catholic faith. Please pray for these newest members of our parish community and for their families.

Mass Intentions: November 14 - 20

Mon. †Maureen O'Hanlon by Hanlon Family

Tues. †Peter Black by Betty Horsey

Wed. †Edward Ducharme by Michael Foran

Thurs. †Felix Cabusora by Violeta Mendoza

†Nicholas Ward by Family Fri.

Sat. 9am Intentions of Mary Shaungnessy by Anique Asher, †Deceased Members of the Keane Family by Family, †Amelia Udasco by Family, †Deceased Members of the Fahev Family by Robert Morris, †Maria de Lourdes Nunes Rego by Olivia, †Ciljeta Shani by Ledi Mari & Niko Shani, †Charlie Cassar by **Anique Asher**

5:15pm †Barbara Carlton by Carol Lundy

Sun. 8am Parish Intentions

9:30am †Dolores & Numeriano Chua by Eileen Dalusong

11:00am †Oreste Tagliolini by Family

12:30pm Intentions of Aiden & Julia McLean

from OLS Staff

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Adopt a Family This Christmas!

With the rising costs of just about everything, many of our neighbours who use the services of St. Vincent de Paul can only dream of opening presents on Christmas Day. You can change this! Adopt a family this Christmas. Donations are also welcome and will be used towards food vouchers and/or gift cards. Consider contributing as a family, an office or on your own. Please call 647-770-4805 or email: olschristmas@gmail.com.

Bundle Up Next Weekend!

The St. Vincent de Paul truck will be in the OLS parking on Saturday Nov. 19th (from 8am-6pm) and Sunday Nov. 20th (from 8am-5pm) to accept donations of clothing, footwear, linens, towels, draperies, toys (new or nearly new) and small household goods. Please, no books, audio/video cassettes, furniture or dishes.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

You are invited to add the names of family and friends into the Book of Remembrance. Prayers will be offered for all names included in the book, at all masses during the month of November.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Advent Family Event

Bring your children/grandchildren and join your parish family in learning more about this beautiful first season of the church year through craft activities. Drop in on Saturday, Nov. 26th from 3pm-5pm in the Parish Hall. Free-will offerings welcome - proceeds to ShareLife. Presented by our Family Life Ministry and Children's Liturgy of the Word.

OLS KNITTERS CIRCLE



Join us on Tuesday, Nov. 22nd, 1:30pm—3:00pm in the parish hall. Whether you are a

beginner knitter or an expert, we invite you to come. Materials & patterns will be provided if you need them. We make "pneumonia vests", booties, hats and baby blankets for children in 3rd world countries. The items we knit are given to Canadian Food for Children. We meet every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. Interested? Contact Helen Brukner at 416-239-2274.

OLS ADULT CHOIR

All who would like to share their love of singing are welcome to join the adult choir. Rehearsals are held in the church on Thursday nights at 7:30pm. Contact Gordon Mansell at 416-571-3680 or gdmansell@sympatico.ca.

ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

#RedWednesday 2022

Prayer Vigil for Persecuted Christians November 16 at 7pm St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica

All are invited to this annual event that intends to raise awareness about the situation of persecuted Christians worldwide. For more information, visit acn-canada.org/red-wednesday.



COME & SEE WEEKEND RETREAT

November 18 -20th

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a *Come & See Weekend Retreat* for men 18 years and older at St Augustine's Seminary. For more information please visit the website: www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee.



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