



OUR LADY OF SORROWS CHURCH

Office Hours: Monday—Friday from 9:30am - 4:00pm

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Ministries and Groups

Altar Server, Altar Society; Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion; 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

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

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MERCY and FORGIVENESS

The readings for the 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C focus on God's mercy and love for us. In the first reading God is faithful to his unfaithful people.

The psalm is a plea for mercy.

In the second reading Paul speaks of God's mercy for him, for he once persecuted Christians.

In the gospel Jesus tells the parables of the Lost Sheep, the Lost Coin, and the Lost Son (or the Prodigal Son or the Forgiving Father). Recovering a lost soul is what God rejoices in doing.

Reflection Questions:

- *Do I really believe in God's mercy? How does that change my life?*
- *Do I realize I am treasured?*
- *What am I searching for in my life?*

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

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PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION



Saturdays: 4-5pm

in the confessionals

Mondays: 7-8:30pm

in the ministry room



LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

Resumes Sept. 25th

- Parishioners aged 4-10 are welcome
- Weekly - 9:30am Sunday Mass
- Registration is not required
- Children will be called forth after the opening hymn to process to the parish hall
- Catechists will lead the *Liturgy of the Word* at an age appropriate level
- Children will return to their families at offertory time.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Thursday, Sept. 15

Join us to celebrate our parish feast day and to pray for our parish.

- 9am Mass
- Adoration 9:30am -7:15pm
- 7:30pm Mass
- Join us for refreshments after each Mass



Join the Choir...
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Rehearsals:

Thursdays—7:30pm
in the church
starting Sept 22

Young and not-so-young adults who enjoy singing are invited to join this enthusiastic group of singers to support congregational singing.

Please connect with Gordon, our music director, in the organ loft after Mass, or one of our cantors.



ALTAR SERVER MINISTRY An Invitation to Serve!

- Children who have received their First Holy Communion (and older) are welcome to join this ministry.
- Learn more about your faith by playing an important role in assisting our priests during liturgies.
- Training is provided.
- Serve on a rotating schedule at whichever Mass your family normally attends.
- Interested or have questions? Email Lucy at altarservers@sorrows.ca



- or call the parish office.
- Do you know someone in our parish community who is unable to attend Mass (re health; weather; mobility)?
- If they wish to receive the Eucharist at home, let us know.
- We can arrange for an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to visit and administer Holy Communion.

STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY

Next Weekend

Stewardship Sunday will be celebrated across the Archdiocese next weekend, with a special homily given by the Cardinal, followed by a parish Stewardship Social.

What is Stewardship? Put most simply, we are all “stewards”, managers of the gifts God has given each one of us. We are called to share our unique gifts in service of each other, and God.

Stewardship Theme: This year’s theme is ‘gratitude’, and it is in that spirit that we ask you to discover what gifts of time, talent and treasure you can share at Our Lady of Sorrows.

Stewardship Social: You are invited to attend our social following each Mass next weekend. We will gather in the Cliveden Patio area, on the east side of the church. This Social is intended to celebrate our OLS community and allow parishioners to reconnect — both after the summer and the absence created by Covid. As well, our Ministry Leads will be on hand to answer your volunteer questions regarding all our different Ministries, to help you discern your opportunities.

Baked Goods Donations Welcome!

Parishioners and friends are invited to sign up to bring a shareable dessert (cookies, squares or cakes).

Volunteers Needed for Sept. 17/18

We also need volunteers to help with the Social! Please complete the signup form at the back of the church after Mass today or call the office.

We hope to see you all at this special Parish occasion!



RUNNING ROOM ROOF REPLACEMENT

Begins Sept. 21st

The commercial building on our parish property (currently leased to the Running Room and Desjardin Insurance) has had a number of roof leaks during the past few years which have been difficult to repair as there are two layers of roofing on the building. Starting this week, the old roofing will be removed and a new roof will be installed. Revenue from the leases will cover this cost, however this means those funds will not be available to fund parish operations.

Parking: The roofing company’s equipment will take up approximately 8 parking spots for the duration of the work. If there are rain delays this week, this will affect parking for Stewardship Sunday next weekend. Those who can walk to Mass next weekend or are able to park elsewhere, are encouraged to leave the parking lot spaces for those with less mobility.

ORGANIX CONCERT

Wednesday, Sept. 14th—12:30pm at OLS

Toronto based harpsichordist and organist, Adrian Ross will perform this concert. Free-will offerings are welcome. For more information visit www.organixconcerts.ca

MASS INTENTIONS – Sept 12-18

- Mon.** †Graziella Montemurro by family
- Tues.** Int. of the Passionist Nuns by Olivia Torres
- Wed.** †Rita Antonacci by family
- Thurs.** †Rosemary Donnelly by Inis & Gordon Mansell
- Fri.** †Alfredo Ventura by Gloria Ventura
- Sat. 9am** †Keane Family by family; †Bibiana Dalusong & †Amando Dalusong Jr by Eileen
- 5:15pm** †Numeriano Chua by family
- Sun. 8am** Parish Intentions
- 9:30am** †Michael Murgante by Carmela Murgante
- 11:00am** †Barbara Attley by Tim, Angela & Lily Attley
- 12:30pm** †Aby Mejia by Irene Neri



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