



Our Lady of Sorrows Parish

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EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 2, 2026

MASSES

Saturday (Vigil) 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 12 noon

Weekday 8:00 a.m. (*Saturday 8:00 a.m.*)

Holydays 8:00 a.m. & 12:15 p.m.

CONFESSION

Saturday, 4:00-4:45 p.m. or anytime by call to rectory

STAFF

Pastor..... Rev. Thomas Collins

Retired Priest in Residence Rev. Peter Bannan

Clerical Staff Deacon Paul Brisson

Religious Education..... Elizabeth O'Keeffe Cleary

Parish Office Manager Jeanie McHale

Director of Music..... Phyl Ann Santo

Cantor Larry E. Harris

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD)

914-949-3896 Sundays September-May

Email: olsreligiouseducation920@gmail.com

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our parish family! Please register at the rectory and feel free to contact any member of the Pastoral staff regarding the many programs in the parish.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Instruction is required for all who wish to receive the Holy Sacraments of the Church. You must be a registered parishioner for at least 3 months prior to the reception of the following:

Baptism: Call the rectory for full details on our baptismal program prior to the birth of your child.

Matrimony: Engaged couples are requested to contact the rectory one year in advance of the proposed date. Please call the rectory for further information.

DEVOTIONS

Miraculous Medal Novena: Mondays after 8:00 a.m. Mass.

Rosary: Recited in Church Monday—Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

Divine Mercy Chaplet: recited after the Rosary.

HOME VISITS

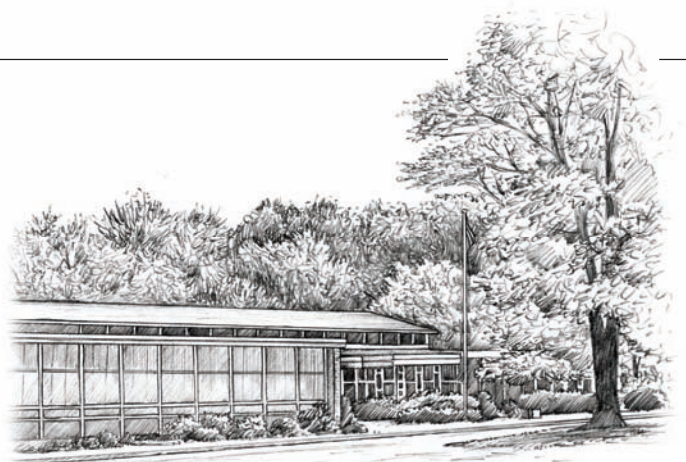
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18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
August 2, 2026



Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 1, 2026

8:00am Mathew Kane

5:00pm Juan Antonio Rossy

Sunday, August 2, 2026

7:30am Robert Ulrich

10:00am Connors & Flannery Families

12:00pm Cecelia Salvati

Monday, August 3, 2026

8:00am Romelia Londono

Tuesday August 4, 2026

8:00am Deceased Members of the
Murphy & Grant Families

Wednesday, August 5, 2026

8:00am John Sites, Sr.

Thursday, August 6, 2026

8:00am Mary V. Quirk

Friday, August 7, 2026

8:00am Barbara June Orenstein

Saturday, August 8, 2026

8:00am Louis & Ann Misarti

5:00pm Mary Mollozzi

Sunday, August 9, 2026

7:30am Margaret I. Quin

10:00am Robert Famularo

12:00pm Catherine Lillis

**This week the Sanctuary Lamp
Is Lit in Loving Memory of
Mary A. Gil**



Religious Education

**ENROLLMENT FOR RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION CLASSES FOR THE 2026-2027
SCHOOL YEAR IS NOW AVAILABLE.**

The mission of the Religious Education Program at O.L.S. is to build a program which is Christ-centered and practices Jesus' teachings. We are very grateful to the many dedicated volunteer catechists (teachers) and assistants who carry out this mission. The program is designed to assist parents in their sacred responsibility to educate their children in the faith. Parents must be acknowledged as the first and foremost educators of their children. It is of paramount importance that they are involved in the religious upbringing of their child/children. We are blessed to have so many dedicated families participate in our program each year.

**ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR CURRENT
FAMILIES AND NEW FAMILIES IS OPEN**

Please visit our parish website at olscc.com and choose the Religious Education tab on the homepage. Follow the detailed instructions that appear.

NEW FAMILIES ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

Registration for NEW families is also online. Follow the instructions above and be sure to read the section for New Families. You must register for the parish by emailing olscc@optonline.net, provide a Baptismal Certificate, and if applicable, a First Communion Certificate depending on the grade level(s) your child(ren) will be enrolling in.

**Classes are offered on Sunday mornings only,
with two session times:**

Session 1: 8:30am-9:45am

Session 2: 10:15am- 11:30am

If you have any questions, please email:

olsreligiouseducation920@gmail.com



This Friday is First Friday. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will follow the 8:00am Mass and conclude with Benediction at 11:00am.

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**The O.L.S. Altar Server Program** for children in grades 5-8 is under way. Email Deacon Paul Brisson at [olswpaltarservers@gmail.com](mailto:olswpaltarservers@gmail.com) if your child is interested in becoming an altar server.



### **Sunday Today**

#### **First Reading: Isaiah 55:1-3**

With great enthusiasm and fervor, God urges his people to come to him and to accept the gifts he extends to them.

#### **Second Reading: Romans 8:35, 37-39**

In words that are both stirring and courageous, Paul exclaims that nothing will separate him and his followers from the love of Christ--neither trial--nor persecution--nor death.

#### **Gospel: Matthew 14:13-21**

Matthew gives us a straightforward and convincing account of the miracle of the loaves and fishes. Because the crowds following Jesus were hungry, he took five loaves and two fish, blessed them, and gave them to the crowds. Although the people numbered about five thousand, there was still food remaining.

**Sunday Collection, July 26<sup>th</sup>: \$7,400.50**

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**To Everything There Is A Season  
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**A Time to Be Born:** Sienna Alexis Diaz-Japitana,  
Adam Sigmund Nowicki-Reyes

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#### **A Time For War, A Time For Peace:**

1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Clara Friend, US Army, Spec. Shayne Cipolla, Lt. Nicholas Selk, USN, SSG Anthony DiStefano, Lt. Col. Isaac Rademacher, Lt. Scott Childers, Col. Joseph A. Tirone, Cpt. Matt Woods, Pvt. Barry Marquez, Sgt. Travis Cipolla, Lt. Patrick Casey, Brian D. Martinez, USMC, Cpt. Daniel Wallet, Petty Officer 2<sup>nd</sup> Class David Aponte, Lt. Col. C. Brian Valentino, Major David J. Zallo, Capt. Frank A. Rhodes, USN, AR Robert M. Martinez, SSG Mark R. Martino, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Michael Racicot, USMC, SSG Derrick Castleberry, Major Kevin J. Barry, Jr., Major Austin M. Rivera ANG, PFC Andrew Budensiek, US Army, Senior Airman Mason Amadio, Capt. Daniel Burke, USMC, Lt. Woody Stogel, Senior Airman Christian Collins, Airman First Class John Caldarola.

*Please notify the rectory when any of the above names should be removed.*

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Pray for Us***



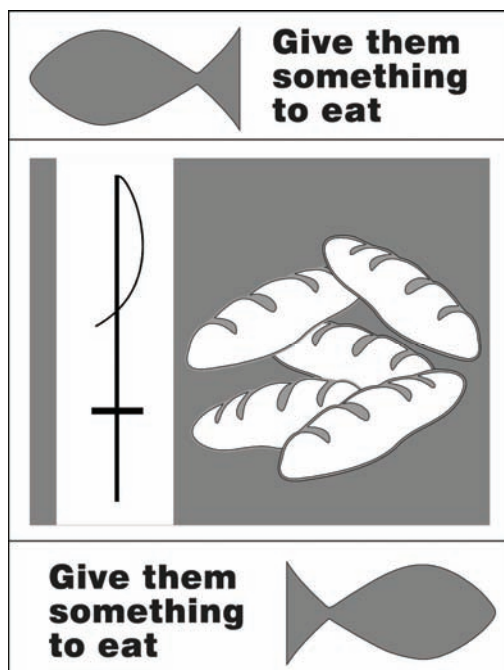
## A PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS

HIS WORD TODAY *by Rev. William J. Reilly*  
*Most Holy Name Catholic Church, Garfield, NJ*

“When he had disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them and he cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples approached him and said, ‘This is a deserted place and it is already late; dismiss the crowds so that they can go into the villages and buy food for themselves.’ Jesus said, ‘There is no need of them to go away, give them food yourselves...’ But they said to him, ‘five loaves and two fish are all we have here.’”

Jesus, the miracle worker, cured individuals, sometimes by His presence, sometimes at a distance, sometimes by His touch, at times one on one, or today with vast crowds. His motive, care for all and the need of the crowds were paramount.

The disciples spoke out of concern, but Jesus said, ‘there is no need for them to go away.’ They thought it might be better to send them off, but He said otherwise. Today people are hungering for the Lord, even if they don’t know Who or What. There is no need for them to go away, for we have Jesus here to feed us and them. The miracle of the Eucharist makes Christ present among us. Our living the Eucharist can fill the emptiness others experience, either at a food pantry or the table of the Lord, in the sacraments.



## The Flight to Egypt

A Sunday school teacher asked her class to draw a picture of a Bible story. One little boy drew an airplane with four people inside.

The teacher asked, “Who are they?”

The boy replied, “That’s Mary, Joseph and Baby Jesus flying to Egypt.”

The teacher asked, “And who is the fourth person?”

The boy said, “Oh that’s Pontius the pilot!”

St. Bernard’s Parish, Belmont

## August is the month of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

**This Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>, is First Saturday.**

The Five First Saturdays Devotion is a request made by Our Lady of Fatima. *The Blessed other* promised to assist at the hour of death with the graces necessary for salvation all who, as an act of reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, on the first five Saturdays of consecutive months:

1. Go to confession
2. Receive Holy Communion
3. Say 5 decades of the Rosary
4. Keep Mary company for 15 minutes meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary

The sacramental confession can be received within twenty days either before or after the reception of Communion, as the Holy See’s Apostolic Penitentiary has decreed, provided the communicant is in a state of grace for Communion. Reception of Holy Communion must take place within twenty-four hours of the first Saturday. The reception of Communion need not be part of participating in a Mass. The fifteen minutes of meditation are in addition to the recitation of the Rosary.

## Readings for the Week

**Sunday:** Is 55:1-3; Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21

**Monday:** Jer 28:1-17; Mt 14:22-36

**Tuesday:** Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Mt 14:22-36  
or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

**Wednesday:** Jer 31:1-7; Mt 15:21-28

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

**First Friday:** Na 2:1, 3, 3:1-3, 6-7; Mt 16:24-28

**First Saturday:** Hb 1:12-2:4; Mt 17:14-2

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