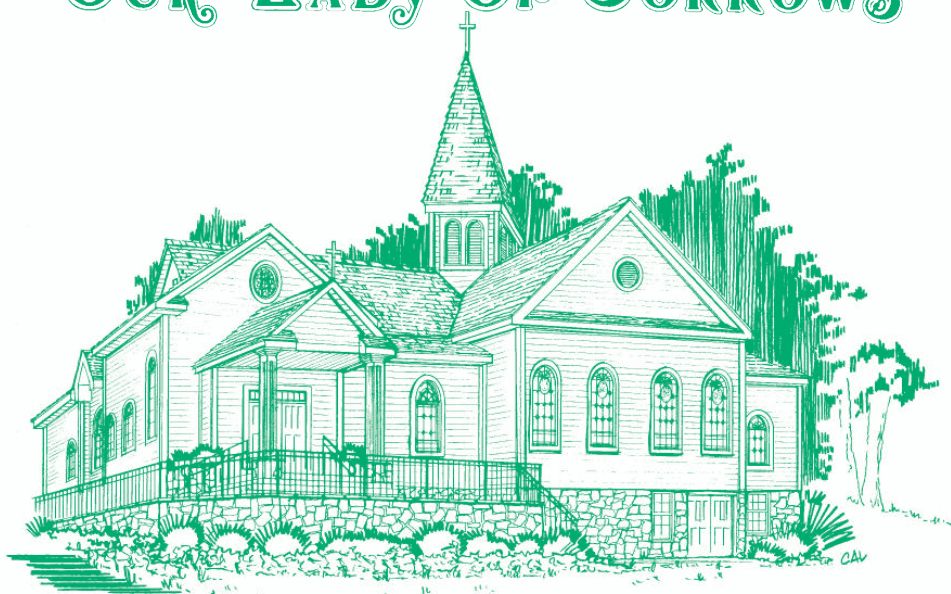


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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening Vigil: 5:30 P.M.
Sunday: 8:30 A.M. and 12:00 P.M.
Weekdays: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30 A.M.
Holy Day Vigil: 7:00 P.M.
Holy Days: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30 A.M.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Sunday: 11:15 A.M.-11:45 A.M.
W&F 8:00 A.M. – 8:25 A.M. Also by appointment contact the office

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Sunday: 1:00 P.M. Please contact the parish office to make an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Visit our website for information and contact the parish office to make arrangements.

SICK CALLS: Please notify the Pastor when a parishioner is in the hospital or confined at home and wishes to receive the sacraments.

ALTAR SERVERS: Jane Bodnar 860-767-2060 and Cathy Jenkins 860-767-8497.

ADORATION / HOLY HOUR: Saturday: 4:00-5:15 P.M. and Wednesday: 9:00 A.M.- 4:00 P.M.

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PRAYER CENACLE: Friday: 9:00 A.M.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Michael Berdensey, Grand Knight
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BULLETIN: copy deadline is noon on Monday bulletin@olos-sx.org

ALTAR SOCIETY: Irene Heller 860-767-8662

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The Guild meets the third Tuesday of the month.

PRAYER BLANKET MINISTRY: Irene Heller 860-767-8662

LITURGY COMMITTEE: Irene Listorti 860-388-9884
Meets the first Tuesday of each month.

Welcome new parishioners. We want to know and serve you.
Please introduce yourselves after Mass. We hope you become
an active part of our Parish family.

MISSION STATEMENT

“As parishioners of Our Lady of Sorrows Church, we commit to provide a community for all, based on the faith of our Catholic values, traditions, and beliefs, that fosters a spirit of love, education, and a sense of family.”

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

Saturday January 31st

8:30 St. Joseph's

4:00 St. Joseph's

5:30

Sunday February 1st

8:30 Marsha and Harry Rollinson 50th wedding anniversary

10:00 St. Joseph's

12:00 +Elizabeth Moughan and Joseph Carter by Mary Briganti and Ann Jameson

Monday February 2nd

8:30 +Timmy Baker by the Carlucci and Baker families

Tuesday February 3rd

8:30 St. Joseph's

Wednesday February 4th

8:30 +Mabel Radomski by Mary Catharine Colburn

Thursday February 5th

8:30 St. Joseph's

Friday February 6th

8:30 +Robert Belvoir by Uncle Tom and Eleanor Garro

Saturday February 7th

8:30 St. Joseph's

4:00 St. Joseph's

5:30

Sunday February 8th

8:30 +Brian Bauer by Ned and Sue Baker

10:00 St. Joseph's

12:00 Parish Family



Candles

*The Tabernacle candle will burn in memory of **Todd Walier** by Joe and Judith Walier and the Sanctuary candle will burn in memory of **Louis Carnabuci** by his wife Sarah Carnabuci*

From Fr. Peter

***People marveled at Jesus' authority,
power, miracles and grace.***

***They saw his power over nature,
evil, humans and even death.
They felt God's touch, His presence,
His healing and forgiveness.***

***The same Jesus is with us today.
Do we feel God's presence
in the Blessed Sacrament?***

Circle of Prayer

*That the members of the Catholic press will be
faithful stewards who courageously
advance the Gospel.*

Weekly Offertory

Jan. 24-25	\$2,727.00
Online giving	\$179.00

Thank you for your generous support.

Flu and Exchange of Peace

Due to flu outbreak this week onwards I ask people to refrain from shaking hands and /or embracing in favor of a nod or bow to those around them. We will resume exchange of peace in the normal manner and distribution of precious blood on Palm Sunday.

Thank you.

Congratulations

***To Marsha and Harry Rollinson on their
50th wedding anniversary***

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Upcoming Events

- February 1-22 Knights Food Drive
- February 2nd, Third Order of Mary Meetings
- February 14th, St. Joseph's Valentine's Dance
- February 17th, Women's Guild Meeting and Birthright Shower 7:00 p.m. in Murtha Hall
- February 18th, Ash Wednesday
- February 22- 24 Parish Mission at St. Joseph's
- February 28th, Life in the Spirit Parish Mission follow-up program 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. St. Joseph's Parish Center

Women's Guild Birthright Shower

The Women's Guild will be hosting a Birthright Shower at their meeting on **Tuesday February 17th** at 7:00 p.m.. If you would like to donate formula, or infant clothing you can leave the items in the back of the church. Thank you for your support.

Third Order of Mary

Our first meeting in 2015 will be **Monday, Feb. 2** following the 8:30 a.m. Mass and again from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. in the Church Library for those who are unable to attend in the morning. Discussion will start with Chapter 1 in the 15 Days of Prayers Book. Free copies of Chapter 1 will be available and Charles Valentino will be our facilitator. This is a wonderful opportunity for anyone who has been contemplating joining a Third Order. Please come to either meeting For further info, contact Lorraine 860-434-2629.

"COME AND BE REFRESHED!"

Parish Mission of Renewal Held at St. Joseph Church, Chester

Sponsored by St. Joseph's and
Our Lady of Sorrows, Essex

February 22, 23, 24 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

**Both Parishes are encouraged to come
and be "Blessed!"**

Sunday—Wonder of God's Love

Monday—Freedom from Burdens—

Sacrament of Reconciliation available

Tuesday— Miracles Do Happen

**Fr. Ray Introvigne and Mrs. Judith Hughes
Co-Directors, Spiritual Renewal Services,
Diocese of Norwich**

Those attending will receive a Papal Blessing

***Life in The Spirit Seminar
follow up program***

***Saturday February 28th
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
St. Joseph's Parish Center***

St. Joseph's Knights of Columbus February 14 Valentines Day/ Italian Dinner Dance

The event many of you have been waiting for is here! Please mark your calendars for Feb 14th, 2015, 5 p.m. to 11 p.m. for the annual Valentines Day/Italian Dinner Dance at St. Joseph's parish center. We will sell tickets after each weekend Mass to give us an approximate sense of the amount of food we will need. Tickets will also be available at the door. Cost per person will be \$15. Cost per couple is \$25. Children under 12 eat free. All proceeds after costs go to St. Joseph's parish. Count on seeing antipasto, penne, meatballs, chicken parmesan, sausage and peppers, deserts, and coffee/tea/sodas. We also plan to have a DJ. We'll need a lot of help so, if interested, call Bill Burdick a call at 860-322-4151 to volunteer.



Tweets from Pope Francis

Every Life is a Gift. #marchforlife

FEBRUARY 1ST, 2015

Knights of Columbus Food Drive

The Knights will be holding their annual food drive for the Shoreline Soup Kitchen and Pantry. This is the Knights 3rd year running the food drive. The drive will run from Sunday February 1st through Sunday February 22nd, 2015. The Shoreline Soup Kitchen is in desperate need of the following items.

- Assorted cereals
- Assorted canned soups
- Jell-O and puddings
- Peanut butter
- Jellies
- Pasta and pasta sauces
- Prepared meals in a can
- Juices

Your support is greatly appreciated. The Soup Kitchen faces the highest demand with the lowest food supply in the months of January and February. Thank you for your continued support.

**Knights of Columbus
Fat Tuesday Breakfast on Sunday**

The Knights will hold a pancake breakfast on **Sunday February 15th** after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. Breakfast will be served from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. in Murtha Hall. The menu will include pancakes, sausage, assorted cereals, fruit, pastries, milk, coffee, juice and tea. Tickets are \$6.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children. Tickets will be on sale before and after the Masses. Join us for good food and fellowship as we prepare for the season of lent.

**Knights of Columbus
Membership Drive**

The Knights will hold a membership drive the weekend of the Fat Tuesday breakfast. Our council is looking for men of our parish to join our fraternal order. The Knights do many projects to support our parish and local community. We need a few members to help us continue this great work. A membership table will be in Murtha Hall on Sunday February 15th. Please call Grand Knight, Mike Berdensen for more information 860-304-6839.

FEBRUARY 1ST, 2015

Our Lady of Sorrows and St. Joseph's

Lent 2015 Schedule


Ash Wednesday	February 18 th	8:30 A.M. OLOS
		10:00 Ash Service St. Joseph
		5:00 P.M. Ash Service OLOS
		7:00 Mass St. Joseph
Stations of the Cross	Every Friday	7 P.M. St. Joseph
		7 P.M. OLOS
Spiritual Renewal	February 22, 23, 24	7 P.M. St. Joseph
	February 28 One Day Life in the Spirit Seminar	9:00 – 4:00 p.m. St. Joseph
Palm Sunday	March 28 th Vigil Mass	4 P.M. St. Joseph
	March 28 th Vigil Mass	5:30 P.M. OLOS
	March 29 th Mass	8:30 A.M. OLOS
	March 29 th Mass	10 A.M. St. Joseph
	March 29 th Mass	12:00 P.M. OLOS
Holy Thursday	April 2 nd Mass	7 P.M. OLOS
	Confession	After Mass
Good Friday	April 3 rd Morning Prayer	8:30 A.M. St. Joseph
	Service	3 P.M. OLOS
	Confession	After service
	Stations of the Cross	7 P.M. OLOS and St. Joseph
Holy Saturday	April 4 th Morning Prayer	8:30 A.M. St. Joseph
	Easter Vigil	8 P.M. OLOS
Easter Sunday	April 5 th Mass	8:30 A.M. OLOS
	Mass	10 A.M. St. Joseph
	Mass	12 P.M. OLOS

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