

ST. ROSE OF LIMA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Short Hills, NJ

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT *Laetare Sunday*

March 15, 2026

Mass Times

Sunday 5:30 PM Anticipated
7:30 AM 9:30 AM 11:30 AM
Weekday Mon - Sat 9:00 AM

Weekly Penance

Saturday 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM
4:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Pastor

V. Reverend Larry Evans, II, V.F.

St. Rose of Lima Parish

50 Short Hills Avenue
Short Hills, NJ 07078

Parish Office 973.379.3912

Office hours: Mon-Fri 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
(Closed 12:30-1:30 PM)

Website www.stroseshorthills.org

St. Rose of Lima Academy 973-379-3973



Upcoming Events

Sat, Mar 14 **Knights of Columbus St. Patrick's & St. Joseph's Party**
6:30 PM, Ryan Hall, please see flyer for details

Sun, Mar 15 **Fourth Sunday of Lent | Laetare Sunday**

Mass 5:30 PM (Anticipated)

7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM

Bible Study, with Michael Pilarski, 1 PM, Ryan Hall

Mon, Mar 16 First Reconciliation Service, 6:30 PM, Church

Tue, Mar 17 Adult Pashal Choir rehearsal, 6:30 PM, Church
Family Music Group rehearsal, 8:00 PM, Church

Wed, Mar 18 Men's Group Meeting, 7:00 AM, Ryan Hall

Fri, Mar 20 **Way Walkers Soup Supper with Stations of the Cross**
6:30 PM followed by Exposition of the Blessed
Sacrament, Solemn Blessing with Blessed Sacrament

Sun, Mar 22 **Fifth Sunday of Lent**

Mass 5:30 PM (Sat) 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM

Bible Study, with Michael Pilarski, 1 PM, Ryan Hall

**7:00 PM Youth Living the Stations with Candidates
for Confirmation**

BSA Troop 17 Spring Tulip Sale following all Masses

Tue, Mar 24 **AARP Drivers Safety Training (Session 1)**
hosted by K of C, 10 AM - 1 PM, Ryan Hall
Both days are required, see flyer for details

Wed, Mar 25 **AARP Drivers Safety Training (Session 2)**
hosted by K of C, 10 AM - 1 PM, Ryan Hall

The life of our parish is guided by the parish mission which is to educate, form and transform persons into disciples of Christ and to foster their active participation in the life, work and mission of the Church. All parishes are called to be “schools of discipleship” assisting the People of God with the ongoing life long conversion required to be followers of Jesus Christ. It is in our parishes, families and in the world that we are living witnesses to Christ’s love and the faith we profess. Discipleship is our invitation to continue Christ’s saving mission here and now and through generous stewardship change the world!

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Mrs. Margaret Cantwell & Mr. Robert Laurino

Baptism

Mrs. Claire Fitzsimmons & Sr. Sandy DeMasi

Confirmation & Faith Formation of Junior High Schoolers

Ms. Elizabeth Jessen & Mr. Steve Togher

First Reconciliation & First Communion, Family Faith Formation

Ms. Jennifer Allen

RCIA | OCIA

Sr. Sandy DeMasi

Matrimony Arrangements must be made with one of the parish priests at least one year in advance. Please call the Parish Office

Reconciliation, Individual confessions

Saturdays following 9:00am Mass and 4:30pm - 5:00pm

Sacrament of the Sick or Eucharist for Homebound

Please call the Parish Office for assistance

Parish Office Hours

Mon–Fri 9:00am to 3:00 pm (closed 12:30–1:30pm)

Bulletin Advertising: purchase advertisement for a business in this bulletin, email Mike Roberts roberts@stroseshorthills.org

Bulletin flyers/inserts: email requests to Sandra O’Boyle; soboyle@stroseshorthills.org. Deadline: Monday at 12 PM, items received after the deadline may be delayed.

Visit the St. Rose of Lima Parish website at www.stroseshorthills.org for the latest news & events

ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH SHORT HILLS

Lent & Easter Schedule



Reconciliation Schedule (*No confession scheduled on Holy Saturday*) Saturday 9:30 AM-10 AM and 4:30 PM-5 PM

Scripture Series

Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible Mar 1, 8, 15, 22 - 1:00 PM, Ryan Hall

The Bible is at the heart of our Catholic Faith and our relationship with God. The Scripture series, Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible makes understanding the bible easier and brings us closer to God.

First Sunday Series April 12, May 3, June 7 - following 9:30 AM Mass in the Devine Center.

Way Walkers Simple Soup Supper

6:30 PM (Ryan Hall), Stations of the Cross 7:30 PM (Church) followed by Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, Solemn Blessing with the Blessed Sacrament

Date	Presenter	Organization Providing Soup Supper
March 13	Rev. Bowie Snodgrass	OCIA / Faith Formation
March 20	Neil & Lucy Chambers	Pastoral Council
March 27	Michael Pilarski	Knights of Columbus

Youth Living the Stations with Candidates for Confirmation 2026

March 22 7:00 PM

Liz Jessen and Stephan Togher, Coordinators of Faith Formation Grades 7 - 8 & Confirmation

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

March 29 5:30 PM Saturday Evening | 7:30 AM | 9:30 AM | 11:30 AM

Individual Rite of Penance

March 30, 31 and April 1 7:00 PM

Sacred Triduum April 2 - April 5

Holy Thursday

April 2 9:00 AM Morning Prayer 7:30 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper

Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)

April 3 9:00 AM Morning Prayer 3:00 PM | 7:30 PM Good Friday Service

Holy Saturday

April 4 9:00 AM Morning Prayer 8:00 PM Easter Vigil

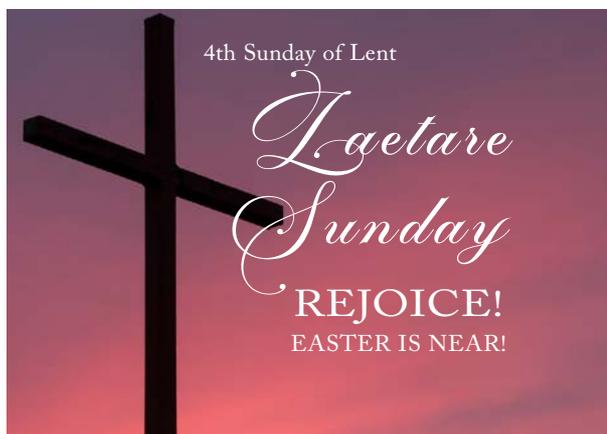
Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

April 5 7:30 AM | 9:30 AM | 11:30 AM

Easter egg hunt will begin following the 9:30 AM Mass

Pentecost Sunday

May 24 5:30 PM Saturday Evening 7:30 AM | 9:30 AM | 11:30 AM



The traditional name for the Fourth Sunday of Lent is Laetare Sunday. This title comes from Laetare Jerusalem, "Rejoice, Jerusalem," the first words of today's entrance antiphon. The words are taken from Isaiah 66:10 and have a special meaning as we reach the midpoint of Lent. This Sunday, with its unique rose colored vestiments the Latin laetare tells us to "Rejoice!" as we anticipate the joy of Easter.

Lent 4 - Table Prayer

God our Father, your Word, Jesus Christ,
spoke peace to a sinful world.
Teach us, the people who bear the name of Christ,
to follow the example He gave us;
may our acts of faith, hope and charity
help turn hatred to love and conflict to peace.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Reflection - Lent 4, Rejoice?

Lent takes a decisive turn toward Easter this Sunday: rose vestments may replace violet. The entrance antiphon and opening prayer sound the keynote: "Rejoice, Jerusalem! Be glad for her!" (antiphon); "Let us hasten toward Easter with eagerness" (opening prayer).

The readings also sound a joyful theme. In the first reading, the Israelites at last celebrate the Passover in the Promised Land, now able to rely on the land to feed them. In the gospel, joy at the return of a lost son gives flesh to the message of the second reading, which announces the ministry of reconciliation Christ brings. No sin can overcome God's great mercy, except, perhaps, the heart that is unwilling to rejoice with those who have been reconciled, as the older son in the parable seems unable to do.

Overall, then, the liturgy is full of good news. Lent will soon be over; Easter is on the way. God's promises will be fulfilled, and God's mercy knows no end. We cannot but rejoice in such a God; we cannot but give thanks, for the one who "was dead has come back to life" (communion antiphon). Such a message is certain to put wind in our Lenten sails, encouraging us to redouble our efforts at renewal.

Why do without such a great gift? Let Us Be Reconciled with God!

The sacrament of Reconciliation is source of new life, renewed communion with God and with the Church. Why do without such a great gift? Draw near to Confession with a humble and contrite heart and live it with faith: It will change your life and give peace to your heart. Then your eyes will open to recognize the signs of the beauty of God present in creation and in history and from your soul will rise a song of praise.

Archbishop Bruno Forte
International Theological Commission

Prayer - Lent 4

O God, who through your Word reconcile the human race to yourself in a wonderful way, grant, we pray, that with prompt devotion and eager faith the Christian people may hasten toward the solemn celebrations to come. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

Weekly Penance

Saturday 9:30 AM - 10 AM & 4:30 PM - 5 PM

Lenten Individual Rite of Penance
March 30, 31 and April 1 - 7 PM

Going to Confession cards

Available on our website or scan here





Mass Intentions

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT | LAETARE SUNDAY

Sunday, Mar 15

7:30 am LaMalva Family

9:30 am Kathleen Mason

11:30 am Maria Petrilli

Monday, Mar 16

9:00 am Millie Natale

Tuesday, Mar 17

9:00 am David Marsh

Wednesday, Mar 18

9:00 am Ricardo Davila

Thursday, Mar 19

9:00 am Deceased Members of
Sisters of St. Joseph

Friday, Mar 20

9:00 am John J Davis

Saturday, Mar 21

9:00 am Millie Natale

5:30 pm Angelina & Peter Costanzo

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Sunday, Mar 22

7:30 am Kathleen, Patrick & Ann Mulrooney

9:30 am Antonio & Maria Braca

11:30 am Phillip Clervi

If you would like to offer a Mass for a loved one who has passed away, please call our parish office at 973-379-3912.



Pray for our Recently Deceased

Terry Dwyer

Robert W. Gonnello

Joanne McKinney

Thomas F. Murphy

Millie Natale

Denis Naughton, Sr.

Carol Parillo

Maria Petrilli

'I assure you that today you will be with me in paradise.'

- Luke 23:43



Pray for our Sick

Let us pray for those who most need our prayers:

Julia Cino

Anna Lucia

Arthur Daly

Alfredo Parrelli

Athena DiLeva

Daniel Sanchez

Logan Fischer

Jennifer Scancarella

Ted Fujita

Stan Schuck

Dan Gibbons

Anastasia Stott

Hila Guterrez

Dana Willoughby

Christian J. Isola

Madge Wilson

Jane Kearny

Leroy Wilson

Athena DiLeva

Mary Yauch

fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God;

I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my

righteous right hand. - Isaiah 41:10

The Pray for our Sick list was recently updated.

To add a name of someone who needs prayers, please email Sue at snevins@stroseshorthills.org.

WAY WALKERS LENT 2026



(6:30 PM) Simple Soup Supper (7:30 PM) Stations of the Cross with Reflection
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Solemn Blessing with the Blessed Sacrament

Fridays of Lent

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March 13	Reverend Bowie Snodgrass	OCIA/ Faith Formation
March 20	Neil & Lucy Chambers	Pastoral Council
March 27	Michael Pilarski	Knights of Columbus

Lent Together 2026

Reflections on the Gospels

written by members of our parish family

Lent Together 2026 has been mailed to all registered parishioners. We encourage parishioners to read the gospels and reflections as we continue our Lenten journey.

Week Four Reflections

March 15: Fourth Sunday of Lent: John 9:1-41

"He put clay on my eyes, and I washed, and now I can see."

March 18: Wednesday of the Fourth Week: John 5:17-30

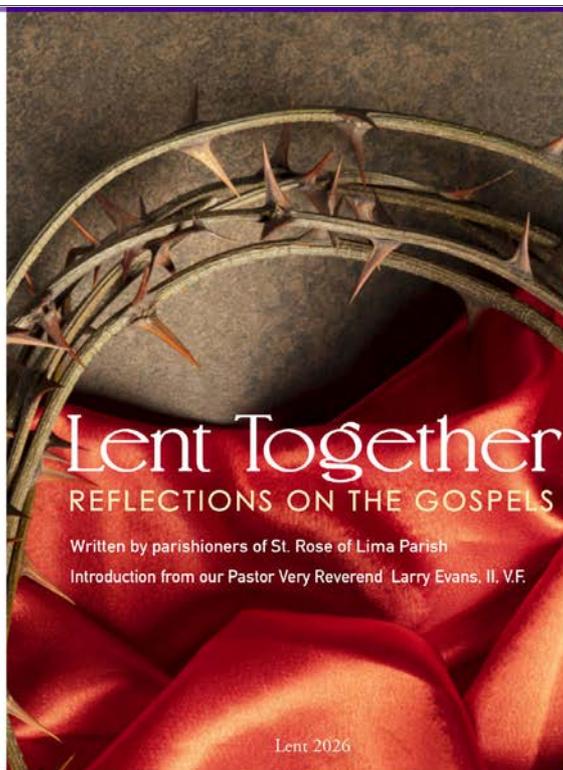
"Whoever does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent him."

March 19: Solemnity of St. Joseph: Luke 2:41-51a

"Why were you looking for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?"

March 20: Friday of the Fourth Week: John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

"The one who sent me, whom you do not know, is true. I know him, because I am from him, and he sent me."



St. Rose of Lima Parish

Easter Food Drive To Help Food Insecurities

"For I was hungry and you gave me food" -Matthew 25:35

St. Rose of Lima has reached out to the Pierre Toussaint Food Pantry and the St. Rose of Lima, Newark food pantry. These food pantries have informed us of their food supply shortage and the food insecurity families are currently experiencing.

Where there is need, *We* can help!

The Food Insecurities Ministry established the Easter Food Drive to provide a full meal for a family of five. Our Easter Food Drive begins this weekend. Liturgical ministers will hand out flyers at each Mass with food items needed. We ask you to please buy each of the items listed and bring them to our drop off.

Drop off: Saturday, March 28, 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Can't shop, but want to help? Consider giving a monetary gift of \$60.00. Scan the QR code or donate online at www.stroseshorthills.org, just look for the Easter basket symbol shown below.

Can't make it to our drop off date? Feel free to drop off non-perishable items anytime directly to our blue food van (located in the St. Rose parking lot) or call our parish office at 973-379-3912 to schedule a convenient time to drop off your donation during business hours.

Shopping List: Please buy each quantities of food items listed below. Bring all donations in a reusable grocery bag to our drop off in the St. Rose parking lot on Saturday, March 28 between 9 - 10 AM.

List of food items requested:

- 1 – Frozen 6-7 lbs Whole Chicken (must be frozen)
- 2 – White Rice, Box (28 oz Minute Rice or other brand)
- 3 – Vegetables, Canned (any variety, 28-32 oz each)
- 1 – Bisquick, Box (20-40 oz)
- 2 – Macaroni & Cheese, Box (any brand)
- 1 – Cake or Brownie Mix, Box (any brand 13.25-16.3 oz)



Thank you & happy Easter!



Baptism Sign Up Meeting on Zoom



If you are new parents, pregnant or hope to be pregnant soon and plan to have your baby baptized at St. Rose of Lima, we invite you to join us for one of our sign-up meetings with Sr. Sandy DeMasi.



Meetings are held once a month at **8:00pm on Zoom**. Sr. Sandy will meet with groups of parents and will provide information on the Sacrament of Baptism and answer questions.

March	12	June	18
April	16	July	16
May	21	Aug	20



Select the date best for you from the list above. On the date selected, scan QR code to connect to Zoom shortly before the 8PM start time.

On Zoom, select **Join Meeting**, enter **Meeting ID: 851 866 0427** and **Pass code: strose**

Or, enter the following URL into your browser: <https://tinyurl.com/SRLBaptismSignup>
Enter the **Meeting ID** and **Pass code** as above to join.

Fund a Need:

To Replace the St. Rose Parish Van

As mentioned at Masses this past weekend, we are asking parishioners to kindly make a donation toward the purchase of a used van to replace our current 1997 light blue van which is out of service.

We have set a budget request of \$30,000.00 to purchase a used van in good condition.

When making a donation, please write "Van" on the memo line. This will restrict your donation to be toward this purchase.

Thank you in advance for your help!



The Solemnity of St. Joseph,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Thursday, March 19th
Mass 9:00 AM

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.
Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,
and defend us from every evil. Amen.

(Pope Francis, Patris Corde)



Mark Your Calendar

St. Rose of Lima Parish Celebrates

Mar 22 Youth Living the Stations of the Cross with
Candidates for Confirmation 2026 | 7:00 PM

Mar 29 Palm Sunday
5:30 PM Anticipated
7:30 AM | 9:30 AM | 11:30 AM

Mar 30, 31 & April 1
Individual Rite of Penance | 7:00 PM

OCIA

*Helping
People
Grow
in
Faith*

THIS WEEK IN THE OCIA

CATECHUMENS & CANDIDATES

What is the difference?

A catechumen is one who is not baptized and is preparing for full initiation through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.

A candidate is one who is already baptized in another Christian faith and who is now preparing to be received into full communion of the Catholic Church. At the time of full reception, he or she will make a profession of faith, be confirmed, and receive Eucharist.

A candidate may be a baptized adult Catholic who is being prepared to receive the sacrament(s) of Confirmation (and Eucharist). Here at St. Rose we have 3 catechumens, who will be fully initiated at this Easter Vigil. We also have 4 candidates to be received into Full Communion in the Catholic Church and 5 candidates will complete initiation with the sacrament of Confirmation.



Our Candidates and their sponsors at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart on February 21, 2025



Zach, Naomi and Morgan being called to Election by Father Larry. The Rite of Election at the Cathedral was cancelled because of the blizzard.

To learn more about the OCIA, contact Sr. Sandy

srsandy@stroseshorthills.org or 973 379 3912

BSA Troop 17

Spring Tulip Fundraiser



\$15 for 6 inch tall tulip bulbs in a pot

Available for purchase and/or donation in
red, purple, pink or yellow colors.

Pre-orders accepted through March 15th

Delivery on March 21st Weekend

*In person purchase available at SRL after Mass
on March 21st and March 22nd*



Don't Miss Out! Join us for a great night celebrating St. Patrick's Day & St. Joseph's Day!



JOIN US FOR A

St. Patrick's & St. Joseph's Day Party

SPONSORED BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

SATURDAY, MARCH 14TH AT 6:30 PM

PLEASE RESERVE BY MARCH 11TH

INCLUDES BUFFET DINNER CATERED BY KINGS FEATURING
CORNED BEEF, CABBAGE, IRISH SODA BREAD, PASTA DISHES, SALAD,
DESSERT, IRISH COFFEE, COFFEE, IRISH BEER, WINE, AND SODA

ADVANCE RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED WITH PAYMENT

RYAN HALL, ST. ROSE OF LIMA

\$45 PER PERSON



RESERVATION FORM

NAME _____ PHONE _____

OF ATTENDEES _____ AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #6386

DROP COMPLETED FORM AND PAYMENT AT THE DEVINE CENTER

(ATTN: KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST. PAT'S/ST. JOE'S DAY PARTY)

QUESTIONS, CALL:

CHARLIE CAMERON AT 973-467-0978 OR

AUGIE FRANZONI AT 973-376-2321.



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DATES & TIMES

2-DAY COURSE (Both days are required)

Tues March 24 10 AM - 1 PM

Wed March 25 10 AM - 1 PM

LOCATION

St. Rose of Lima Church
Ryan Hall
50 Short Hills Avenue
Short Hills, NJ

REGISTER NOW

Call Vince Nascone to register:
(973) 544-5270



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COST

\$20 for AARP members

\$25 for non-members

TO FIND ADDITIONAL COURSES

Visit **aarp.org/driving36**

or call **1-888-773-7160**



**EASTER FLOWERS DONATIONS
EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 5, 2026**

Your donation for flowers will be used to decorate the Church during the Easter Season, please complete and send in your Easter Flowers envelope (received with weekly offertory envelopes) OR fill in the form below. Please return the form by mail to the church, or in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers" and place in the offertory collection at Mass. Thank you!

MY NAME _____

ADDRESS _____
_____ Zip Code _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

I WISH TO DONATE \$ _____ TOWARD FLOWERS TO BE
USED TO DECORATE THE CHURCH DURING THE EASTER SEASON.

DONATED IN MEMORY OF _____

OR _____

DONATED IN HONOR OF (LIVING MEMBERS) _____

My check, drawn to the order of **ST. ROSE OF LIMA CHURCH**, accompanies this form.
On the return envelope please write "EASTER FLOWERS."

Mail to: **St. Rose of Lima Parish, 50 Short Hills Ave., Short Hills, NJ 07078**

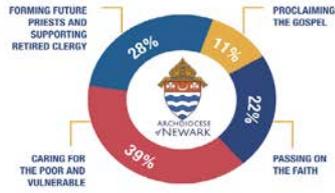
Online Donations: please visit our website at www.stroseshorthills.org or use the QR code to make a donation online. Thank you!



2026 ANNUAL APPEAL



CASE FOR SUPPORT



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- PROGRAMS AND MINISTRIES FUNDED INCLUDE:**
- Ministry to Multi-Ethnic Communities
 - Office of Evangelization
 - Office of Family Life
 - International Missions
 - Pastoral Ministry with the Deaf
 - Ministry with Persons with Disabilities

PASSING ON THE FAITH
\$2,000,000

- PROGRAMS AND MINISTRIES FUNDED INCLUDE:**
- Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry
 - Office for Lifelong Faith Formation
 - Campus Ministry at affiliated Colleges & Universities
 - Catholic Schools

CARING FOR THE POOR AND VULNERABLE
\$3,500,000

- PROGRAMS AND MINISTRIES FUNDED INCLUDE:**
- Catholic Charities
 - Hospital and Prison Chaplaincy
 - Respect Life Office (includes Mercy House and Pro-Life Efforts)
 - Protecting God's Children

FORMING FUTURE PRIESTS AND SUPPORTING RETIRED CLERGY
\$2,500,000

- PROGRAMS AND MINISTRIES FUNDED INCLUDE:**
- Continuing Formation for Priests
 - Seminary Education
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WHEN YOU GIVE, PLEASE
SELECT OUR PARISH NAME:

**St. Rose of Lima Parish
in Short Hills 2026**

Thank you!



Everyday God: Praying with Music

Saturday, March 21, 2026

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Ignatian Schola



Join the New York-based choral ensemble, **The Ignatian Schola**, for a day of prayer in which we will explore what it means to grow in relationship with God through music. Rooted in Ignatian spirituality, the Schola is dedicated to the exploration of musical prayer in the service of faith and the promotion of justice. The retreat will include opportunities to sing, to be silent and reflect, and to pray together. All are welcome!

About the Schola

The Ignatian Schola has performed in various concert and liturgical settings throughout the Northeast, and has conducted workshops, performed concerts and provided liturgical music for Ignatian spirituality conferences sponsored by the Office of Ignatian Spirituality.



To register, [please visit our website.](#)

Day Program - includes lunch and morning and afternoon program: \$45

Overnight Stay (Friday) with Day Program: \$95

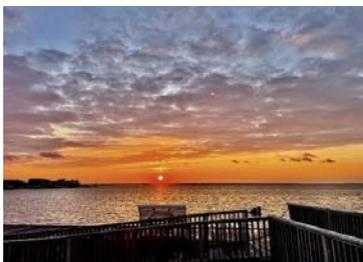


Maris Stella Retreat & Conference Center

Three opportunities for prayer, rest and renewal in June 2026

<p>Silent Directed/Private Retreat</p> <p>Sister Anita Constance, SC Spiritual Director</p> <p>June 8 – 14, 2026</p>	<p>Preached Retreat <i>“When People Get in the Way of Loving God”</i> <i>Learning to love in a hostile world</i></p> <p>Presenter Fr. James Worth</p> <p>June 15 – 21, 2026</p>	<p>Preached Retreat “Encountering Jesus: Remembrance and Renewal”</p> <p>Presenter Fr. Charles Pinyan</p> <p>June 22 – 28, 2026</p>
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Maris Stella Retreat & Conference Center
7201 Long Beach Blvd., PO Box 3135
Harvey Cedars, NJ 08008
609.494.1152



For details and registration visit
www.marisstella.org
or scan QR Code for details



Space is limited



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To become a parishioner of St. Rose, please select new member registration on our website stroseshorthills.org or use QR code to be transferred.



Do you know anyone who is homebound and unable to get to Mass? Recovering from a hospitalization or illness?

The St. Rose Justin Ministers are specifically trained to visit those who cannot be with us to share the Sunday Gospel, hear about the homily, pray with someone on behalf of our community and receive Communion. If you, or a family member or neighbor, would like a visit, either temporarily or indefinitely, please contact the parish office at 973-379-3912. If you would like to volunteer for this Ministry please contact Stephan Togher by email at stogher@stroseshorthills.org

Easter Donations to our parish

Select this link to give today or visit us at www.stroseshorthills.org Thank you!

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If you suspect financial misconduct, use EthicsPoint, an independent and confidential reporting tool that helps the Archdiocesan community address issues while promoting positive parish, school and workplace environments.

Visit www.rcan.org for hotline and reporting link.

Weekly Parish Calendar

Visit our parish calendar at stroseshorthills.org for up to date Mass times and events

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT LAETARE SUNDAY	
Sun Mar 15	7:30 AM Mass 9:30 AM Mass 11:30 AM Mass 1:00 PM Bible Study with Michael Pilarski, Ryan Hall
Mon Mar 16	9:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM First Reconciliation Service, Church
Tues Mar 17	St. Patrick's Day, Bishop 9:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM Adult Paschal Choir Rehearsal 8:00 PM Family Music Group Rehearsal
Wed Mar 18	7:00 AM Mens Group Meeting, Ryan Hall 9:00 AM Mass
Thu Mar 19	Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity) 9:00 AM Mass
Fri Mar 20	9:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM Way Walkers Simple Supper, Stations, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Sat Mar 21	9:00 AM Mass 5:30 PM Mass BSA Troop 17 Spring Tulip Sale following all Masses
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT	
Sun Mar 22	7:30 AM Mass 9:30 AM Mass 11:30 AM Mass 1:00 PM Bible Study with Michael Pilarski, Ryan Hall 7:00 PM Youth Living the Stations of the Cross with Candidates for Confirmation, Church BSA Troop 17 Spring Tulip Sale following all Masses



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