



Mass Times

Sunday 5:30 PM Anticipated
7:30 AM 9:30 AM 11:30 AM

Weekday

M - F 6:45 AM 9:00 AM
Saturday 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: M-Th 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
(Closed between 12:30-1:30 PM)
Fri 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Website www.stroseshorthills.org

St. Rose of Lima Academy 973-379-3973

ST. ROSE OF LIMA CATHOLIC CHURCH

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 20, 2023



“Apart from the cross, there is no other ladder by which we may go to heaven.” - St. Rose of Lima

St. Rose Calendar

- Sun, Aug 20** Celebrating Our Parish Titular Feast of St. Rose of Lima
Food collection Sunday to honor our Patron, Saint Rose of Lima.
Please see the flyer in this bulletin for details. All food donations may be brought to Mass and placed in boxes in the vestibule. Donations benefit the Pierre Toussaint Food pantry in Newark. We thank you for your generous support.
- Tues, Aug 22** Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Mon, Sept 4** Labor Day. One Mass celebrated at 9:00 AM.
- Tues, Sept 5** Millburn First Day of School
- Wed, Sept 6** St. Rose of Lima Academy, First Day of School
8:30 AM Kindergarten Orientation
9:30 AM Pre K Orientation
12:10 dismissal / No Aftercare
- Fri, Sept 8** Feast of Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Sun, Sept 10** National Grandparents Day
- Mon, Sept 11** Twenty-Second Anniversary of the Events of September 11, 2001.
Patriot Day
11:00AM, Life Lighters Meeting, Ryan Hall. Meet & Greet.
- Sun, Sept 24** SRL Faith Formation Begins, 9:30 am Mass

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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Reconciliation: Individual confessions Saturdays following 9:00 am Mass and 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm.

Baptism: Sr. Sandy DeMasi at 973-379-3912.

Confirmation: Call the office at 973-379-3912.

RCIA: Sr. Sandy DeMasi at 973-379-3912.

Matrimony: Arrangements must be made with one of the parish priests at least one year in advance.

Call the Parish Office at 973-379-3912.

Sacrament of the Sick or Eucharist for Homebound: Call the Parish Office at 973-379-3912.

Parish Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm (office closed from 12:30PM - 1:30PM)

Friday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

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

St. Rose of Lima Monthly Collection Summary for July 2023

Donations	2022 Amount	2023 Amount	Increase (or Decrease)	% Increase (or Decrease)
Online	\$ 25,834.00	\$ 22,520.00	\$ (3,314.00)	-12.8%
By Mail	\$ 6,903.00	\$ 5,615.00	(\$1,288.00)	-18.7%
Sunday Collection	\$ 15,412.00	\$ 15,821.00	\$409.00	2.7%
TOTAL:	\$ 48,149.00	\$ 43,956.00	\$ (4,193.00)	-8.7%



TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, August 20

7:30 am For Our Parishioners
 9:30 am Paul Tighe
 11:30 am Philomine Caivano

Monday, August 21

6:45 am For Our Parishioners
 9:00 am Daniel McIntyre

Tuesday, August 22

6:45 am For Our Parishioners
 9:00 am Ellen Grawehr

Wednesday, August 23

6:45 am Special Intention
 9:00 am Daniel McIntyre

Thursday, August 24

6:45 am For Our Parishioners
 9:00 am Kim Agee

Friday, August 25

6:45 am For Our Parishioners
 9:00 am Mary Lou Pairo

Saturday, August 26

9:00 am Armando & Teresa Manfredi
 5:30 pm Ted & Margaret Werner

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, August 27

7:30 am Matteo, Antoino and Carmella Pacifico
 9:30 am Michael Patuto
 11:30 am Daryl Binder

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



Let us pray for those who most need our prayers:

Denes Ackroyd	Ted Fujita	Dennis Nitka
Steve Allen	Roseamarie Giuliano	Joan O'Brien
Logan Alseika	Doreen Hastings	Erin Wade Pado
Elizabeth Arjune	Jonathan Hetherington	Alfredo Parrelli
Sue Bailey	Christian Joseph Isola	Patricia Pryor
Carl Barry	Donovan Jimenez	Jacob Rivera
Jonathan Benjamin	John Kennedy Jr.	Jaxson Rivera
Ariel Biviano	Patt Kent	Mary Ross
Amanda M. Brando	Soondol Francisca Kim	Anastasia Stott
Sophie Chhowalla	Kathleen Kunish	Josephine Valente
Gretta Eliza Clausen	Debbie Kovach	Dina Vila
John Connolly	Charles F. Labus	John Ward
Alex Cullen	Christina LaRosa	Kathleen Wheaton
Francesca D'Andrea	Roseanne Logan	Jane White
Michael DeVincenzo	G. Louis	Dana Willoughby
Gloria DiBella	Ann McDermott	Madge Wilson
Ronald DeBlis	Mary McDonnell	Leroy Wilson
Athena DiLeva	Patricia N. Miller	Nancy Zabita
Sally Drennen	John Mudd	Walter Zelinski
Scott Eveland	Kathleen Mulrooney	

"Peace I leave you; my peace I give you I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."

- John 14:27 -



David Baum

Stacey De Franco

John J. Laverty, Sr.

Louis F. Iovine

Marilyn Kraus

*May the Lord welcome them
 to the heavenly banquet table.
 We pray to the Lord.*



Join our parish celebration of...

The Titular Feast of St. Rose of Lima

Sunday, August 20, 2023

Mass 5:30pm (anticipated)

7:30am | 9:30am | 11:30am

Food Collection Sunday to Celebrate St. Rose

The SRL Food Insecurity Ministry will be collecting donations at all Masses on Aug, 20th. ***Please bring items to Mass from list below.***

Items needed: Peanut Butter, Jelly, Pasta, Mac & Cheese, Red Sauce, Beans, Rice, Family Cereal (Cheerios, Corn Flakes etc.)

NO TIME TO SHOP? Donate with this QR code or visit stroseshorthills.org





Titular Feast of St. Rose of Lima

Parish Titular Feast of Saint Rose

The Church marks the titular (title) feast of a parish as a first class feast day. A plenary indulgence is granted to those who visit the parish church on its titular feast. In visiting the church one must pray an Our Father and the Creed. Celebrating a titular feast of a saint is honoring the life of one who professed faith by their lives. The cult of the saints in the Church is not in the first place an attempt to support individual piety, but rather a manifestation of ecclesial spirit. Certain individuals by their death and life help to form the identity of a community by being models of Christ himself.

Feast of Saint Rose

Born at Lima (Peru) in 1586, Saint Rose died there on 24 August 1617. Having chosen not to marry, she joined the Dominican Third Order and modeled herself on Saint Catherine of Siena (29 April). A recluse and mystic, Rose is remembered for her radiant love of God and for the severe penance and hardships she endured during serious illness. She was the first saint of the Americas to be canonized (1671).

Feast of St. Rose - Table Prayer

O God,
you so inflamed Saint Rose with your love
that she left the things of this world
to serve you alone.
Grant through her prayers
that we may follow on earth the path of true life
and be filled with gratitude for the gifts that we have received
from your bounty through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer for Feast of Saint Rose

God our Father,
for love of you
St. Rose gave up everything
to devote herself to a life of penance.
By the help of her prayers
may we imitate her selfless way of life on earth
and enjoy the fullness of your blessing in heaven.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Church Teaching

The doctrine of the Church and her Liturgy, holds up the Saints to the faithful because they are:

- historical witnesses to the universal vocation to holiness;
- illustrious disciples of Christ and therefore models of evangelical life(277);
- the church recognize the heroicness of their virtues in the canonization process and recommends them as models for the faithful;
- citizens of the heavenly Jerusalem who ceaselessly sing the glory and mercy of God;
- intercessors and friends of the faithful who are still on the earthly pilgrimage, they know the needs of their brothers and sisters and accompany them on their pilgrim journey with their prayers and protection.

Saint Rose of Lima, pray for us!



Litany of St. Rose of Lima

Lord, have mercy on us. *Christ, have mercy on us.*

Lord, have mercy on us. *Christ bear us. Christ, graciously bear us.*

God the Father of heaven, *Have mercy on us.*

God the Son, Redeemer of the world, *Have mercy on us.*

God the Holy Spirit, *Have mercy on us.*

Holy Trinity, one God, *Have mercy on us.*

Holy Mary, Queen of Virgins, *Pray for us.* (repeat after each line)

St. Dominic, glorious Patriarch,

St. Rose, prepared by the dew of heavenly grace,

One in whom the grace of God was not fruitless,

From infancy illustrious for holiness,

Foolish to the world but chosen by God to confound the wise,

Dear to the Virgin Mary while yet a child,

Consecrated to Christ by a vow of virginity,

Disdaining all things to gain Christ,

Shining example of an angelic life,

Lily among the thorns,

Nailed to the Cross of Christ,

Model of patience and mortification,

Refreshed by heavenly consolations,

Favored by appearances of the Mother of God,

Devoted to heavenly contemplation,

Inflamed with seraphic love of God,

Ardently zealous for the salvation of souls,

One whose charity was not extinguished by persecutions,

Dying in the love of Jesus and Mary,

Brought to Him whom she did love,

First flower of sanctity in America,

Ornament of Christian virgins,

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, *Spare us, O Lord.*

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, *Graciously bear us, O Lord.*

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, *Have mercy on us.*

Pray for us, St. Rose, *That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.*

Let us pray, Almighty God, the author and giver of all good things, who willed that St. Rose be prepared by the dew of grace from Heaven and bloom in America as a beautiful flower of virginity and patience. Grant to us your servants, to be drawn by the perfume of her virtue, that we may deserve to become a sweet fragrance of Christ, who lives and reigns, world without end. Amen.

Source: Kyrie Eleison — Two Hundred Litanies by Benjamin Francis Musser O.F.M., The Magnificat Press, 1944

It's time to register for

Faith Formation



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Register Early!

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Registration open for

- Grades 1-8
- Confirmation
- First Communion

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scan QR code below.



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SRL Kids Going to College

Parenthood has two big transitions, when your children arrive and when they leave. The Church marks their arrival with Baptism that sets them on the journey of life - a fascinating adventure in the Holy Spirit - as family members and parish communities celebrate with tears of joy. Each August, these same tears well up in our eyes as we face our kids going off to college.

Here is wisdom offered to parents by Marshall P. Duke, Professor at Emory University.

"It is a moment that comes along once in a lifetime. Each child only starts college once. ...Such moments are rare. They have power. They give us as parents one-time opportunities to say things to our children that will stick with them not only because of what is said, but because of when it is said."

Here is what I tell the parents: think of what you want to tell your children when you finally take leave of them and they go off to their dorm and the beginning of their new chapter in life and you set out for the slightly emptier house that you will now live in. What thoughts, feelings and advice do you want to stick? "Always make your bed!"? "Don't wear your hair that way!"? Surely not. This is a moment to tell them the big things. Things you feel about them as children, as people. Wise things. Things that have guided you in your life. Ways that you hope they will live. Ways that you hope they will be. Big things. Life-level things."

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Professor Duke suggests writing our college bound teenagers a letter to impart to your now independent child all the important things you want them to know and remember.

Sounds like a good idea! Parental wisdom put to paper that they can reread when they are lonely or struggling or at times they want to be reminded that "you have their back".

Let me share the wisdom of a now deceased parishioner, Rita Maher, who reminded hundreds of our children in religious education over her 30 years as a parish catechist.

Jesus is your best friend! Don't forget it!



St. Rose of Lima Celebrates

The Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday, August 22

Mass

6:45 AM and 9:00 AM



ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH

BAPTISM SIGN UP ON ZOOM

If you are interested in having your child baptized, there will be a sign up meeting on zoom with Sr. Sandy on

August 24, 2023 at 8:00PM

On the date above, click this hyperlink to be directed:

Baptism Sign Up Meeting

Or, you may enter the following URL into your browser to be directed:

<https://tinyurl.com/SRLBaptismSignup>

Once directed, please enter the following:

Meeting ID: 851 866 0427

Passcode: strose

www.stroseshorthills.org

9.30.2023

**Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception
Washington, DC**



YOU are invited to a day-long pilgrimage event at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC, on September 30, 2023. Hear life-changing talks from Dominican Friars, participate in Mass, and, of course, pray the Rosary — all in our country's capital together with thousands of other Catholics.



Scan me to learn
more and register.

DOMINICAN ROSARY PILGRIMAGE

Visit rosarypilgrimage.org and follow us @dominicanrosary.



Transportation Information

On Saturday, September 30, 2023, a charter bus will leave Our Lady of Peace Church, 111 South Street, New Providence, NJ at 8:30AM sharp and will return at 9:30PM after the Vigil Mass for Rosary Sunday. Seats are limited.

BOARDING TIME STARTS AT 8:15 AM.

The cost per person is \$57.27 and includes the driver's tip.

Please make your check payable to: *Third Order of St. Dominic*, and mail it to: Ms Annette Davila, OP, 127 Parsonage Hill Rd., Short Hills, NJ 07078. The name(s) and contact number(s) of the person(s) who will be making the pilgrimage must accompany the check.

We are honored to be accompanied by a Dominican Friar, Fr. Leo Camurati, OP.

For More information, visit
<http://summitdominicans.org/holyrosarychapter>

St. Rose of Lima Parish Life Lighters

The Life Lighters are a parish group dedicated to the senior men and women of our church. We meet on the second Monday of each month. Meetings consist of entertaining and informative presentations, including; safety in our homes, phone scams, health emergency awareness, arm chair yoga, art & history.

JOIN US FOR ONE MEETING OR BECOME A REGULAR MEMBER!

The following is our 2023-2023 Meeting Schedule

Meetings are held at 11:00am in Ryan Hall
the second Monday of each month.
(with the exception of national holidays).

- Mon, September 11 Meet and Greet
- Mon, October 16 (Third Monday of the month) Guest speaker, Joel Farkas will present paintings in American History. Back by popular demand.
- Mon, November 13 Our annual Trick Tray event will be held. Put aside your nice things for donation. They can be dropped off at the Devine Center or brought with you on the day of the event.
- Wed, December 6 Our Annual Christmas luncheon will again be held at the Baltusrol Golf Club in Springfield. Again, the Cranford High School Madrigal Choir will entertain. Back by popular demand. Please save the date.
- January 2024 NO MEETING
- Mon, February, 12 Program to be announced.
- Mon, March, 11 Program to be announced.
- Mon, April, 8 Program to be announced.
- Mon, May, 13 Program to be announced.
- Mon, June, 10 Program to be announced.

Dues are payable at our September meeting (\$20).
Please make checks payable to *Life Lighters of St. Rose of Lima*.

*We look forward to seeing you!
Spread the word and bring a friend!*



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- **\$30,000 Raised for the purchase of 3 ultrasonic machines for pregnancy care centers.**
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- **\$32,000 raised for 1,400 Coats for Kids.**
- **Support for the Parish both financially and with donated labor and materials.**

The Order of the Knights of Columbus is the world's largest Catholic fraternal service organization. It was founded in the United States in 1882 by Fr. Michael J. McGivney at St. Mary's Parish in New Haven Connecticut to pool funds to care for the local families of mostly Catholic, immigrant coal miners who had died or become disabled in their occupation.

It is named in honor of Christopher Columbus and dedicated to the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. The Knights' motto is "In Service to One, In Service to All".

Our local St. Rose of Lima Council 6386 is celebrating their 50th anniversary with some of our charter members still active. They have raised over \$350,000.00 for charities in the past 15 years. The Council raised more than \$30,000.00 for seed money the purchase of 3 ultrasound machines for pregnancy care centers. Their annual projects include "Coats for Kids" raising more than \$32,000.00 in the past 5 years to provide over 1,400 winter coats for local needy children. And, a gala event raised \$10,000 for Magnificat House in Jersey City which provides room and shelter to single people, mostly women, in repurposed convents.

In the 10 years before covid, the St Rose Council also raised over \$100,000 for Alzheimer's research, \$60,000 for scholarships for local students, \$125,000 for Intellectual Disability home support. This was carried out by St Rose parishioners providing modest amounts of volunteer time together to achieve these goals.

The K of C has always supported the Parish both financially and with donated labor and materials when needed around the Parish campus.



St. Rose of Lima

*Welcomes you
to our Parish*

To become a member
select this link and complete
the registration form.

Or visit
New Member Registration
on our website at
www.stroseshorthills.org

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Without the burden of
afflictions it is impossible to
reach the height of grace. The
gift of grace increases as the
struggle increases.

- St. Rose of Lima -

Parish Calendar August 20 - August 27, 2023

Sunday, Aug 20	TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME TITULAR FEAST OF ST. ROSE OF LIMA 7:00 AM Sunday Prayer Service/ HTTPV Comcast 36 & Verizon 33 7:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Sunday Prayer Service/ HTTPV Comcast 36 & Verizon 33 9:30 AM Mass 11:30AM Mass
Monday, Aug 21	Saint Pius X, Pope (Memorial) 6:45 AM Mass 9:00 AM Mass
Tuesday, Aug 22	Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Memorial 6:45 AM Mass 9:00 AM Mass
Wednesday, Aug 23	Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin 6:45 AM Mass 9:00 AM Mass
Thursday, Aug 24	Saint Bartholomew, Apostle (Feast) 6:45 AM Mass 9:00 AM Mass
Friday, Aug 25	Saint Louis; Saint Joseph Calasanz, Priest 6:45 AM Mass 9:00 AM Mass
Saturday, Aug 26	9:00 AM Mass 5:30 PM Mass
Sunday, Aug 27	TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 7:00 AM Sunday Prayer Service/ HTTPV Comcast 36 & Verizon 33 7:30 AM Mass 9:00 AM Sunday Prayer Service/ HTTPV Comcast 36 & Verizon 33 9:30 AM Mass 11:30AM Mass

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