



# St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church

50 Short Hills Avenue, Short Hills, NJ 07078

THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE - NOVEMBER 20, 2022



## MASS SCHEDULE

**SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE:** Worship Aid (with readings/music) available weekly on our website. Mass readings and Gospel available in this bulletin. Masses celebrated in the church unless otherwise noted. Masks are recommended.

	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5:30 pm Anticipated</b>
	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>7:30 am</b>
		<b>9:30 am</b>
		<b>11:30 am</b>
<b>DAILY MASS:</b>	<b>Mon - Friday</b>	<b>6:45 am</b>
		<b>9:00 am</b>
	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>

**TELEVISED MASS:** Sunday 7:00 am and 9:00 am. HTTPV Comcast 36, Verizon 33 or [youtube.com/user/stroseshorthills](https://www.youtube.com/user/stroseshorthills).

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## ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH

50 Short Hills Avenue

Short Hills, NJ 07078

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!

### Pastoral Staff

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**Sunday** 7:30 am  
9:30 am  
11:30 am

### Daily Mass Schedule:

**Mon - Fri** 6:45 am  
9:00 am  
**Saturday** 9:00 am

**Televised Mass Schedule:** Sunday Mass airs at 7:00 am and 9:00 am on on HTTV channels Comcast 36, Verizon 33 or on-demand at <http://online.org/live/> (only at times listed above). Watch anytime on YouTube at [youtube.com/user/stroseshorthills](http://youtube.com/user/stroseshorthills).

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

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

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

**RCIA:** Call 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:** *Parish offices closed Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 24th and Friday, November 25th.*

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](http://www.stroseshorthills.org) for the latest news, events and bulletins.

# THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

November 13, 2022

2 Samuel 5:1-3 / Colossians 1:12-20 / Luke 23:35-43

Mass airs each Sunday at 7:00AM and 9:00AM on Comcast 36, Verizon 33. Available on-demand at <https://httvonline.org/live/>.

Mass will also be available each Sunday on our website or anytime at [www.youtube.com/user/stroseshorthills](http://www.youtube.com/user/stroseshorthills). The Sunday Mass Worship aid with readings, gospel and music is available on our website at [stroseshorthills.org](http://stroseshorthills.org).

## READING I

2 Samuel 5:1-3

In those days, all the tribes of Israel came to David in Hebron and said:

"Here we are, your bone and your flesh.

In days past, when Saul was our king,

it was you who led the Israelites out and brought them back.

And the LORD said to you,

'You shall shepherd my people Israel

and shall be commander of Israel.'"

When all the elders of Israel came to David in Hebron,

King David made an agreement with them there before the LORD,

and they anointed him king of Israel.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5

R. **Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.**

I rejoiced because they said to me,

"We will go up to the house of the LORD."

And now we have set foot

within your gates, O Jerusalem.

R. **Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.**

Jerusalem, built as a city

with compact unity.

To it the tribes go up,

the tribes of the LORD.

R. **Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.**

According to the decree for Israel,

to give thanks to the name of the LORD.

In it are set up judgment seats,

seats for the house of David.

R. **Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.**

## READING II

1 Colossians 1:12-20

Brothers and sisters:

Let us give thanks to the Father,

who has made you fit to share

in the inheritance of the holy ones in light.

He delivered us from the power of darkness

and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son,

in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God,

the firstborn of all creation.

For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth,

the visible and the invisible,

whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers;  
all things were created through him and for him.

He is before all things,

and in him all things hold together.

He is the head of the body, the church.

He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead,

that in all things he himself might be preeminent.

For in him all the fullness was pleased to dwell,

and through him to reconcile all things for him,

making peace by the blood of his cross

through him, whether those on earth or those in heaven.

## ALLELUIA

Mk 11:9, 10

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to come!

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

## GOSPEL

Luke 23:35-43

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said,

"He saved others, let him save himself

if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God."

Even the soldiers jeered at him.

As they approached to offer him wine they called out,

"If you are King of the Jews, save yourself."

Above him there was an inscription that read,

"This is the King of the Jews."

Now one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus, saying,

"Are you not the Christ?

Save yourself and us."

The other, however, rebuking him, said in reply,

"Have you no fear of God,

for you are subject to the same condemnation?

And indeed, we have been condemned justly,

for the sentence we received corresponds to our crimes,

but this man has done nothing criminal."

Then he said,

"Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom."

He replied to him,

"Amen, I say to you,

today you will be with me in Paradise."

## PROFESSION OF FAITH

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.



I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
He came down from heaven,

(All bow) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate  
of the Virgin Mary and became man. (End bow)

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory

to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.  
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins  
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus,  
I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament.  
I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually in my heart.  
I embrace You as if You have already come, and unite  
myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



*Please Pray For  
our Recently Deceased*

**Gertrude Blazier**

**Helen Devine Coen**

**Victor Dziegielewski**

**Edith Falcone**

**Michael Sheridan**

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



# CHRIST THE KING

*The Liturgical Year's End*



Now celebrated on the last Sunday of the liturgical year, the solemnity of Christ the King was originally observed on the last Sunday of October.

This feast with its emphasis on Christ's second coming and final sovereignty over all creation is the perfect note on which to end one year and look forward to the next.



## THE LITURGICAL YEAR

The liturgical year begins on the First Sunday of Advent and ends on the Saturday following the Solemnity of Christ the King.

It is divided into six seasons—Advent, Christmas season, Lent, Triduum, Easter season, and Ordinary Time.

The major seasons of Advent and Christmas focus on the mystery of the incarnation; that is, the entering into our world of the second person of the blessed trinity as the man, Jesus of Nazareth.

The major seasons of Lent, Triduum, and Easter focus on the paschal mystery; that is, the dying and rising of that same Jesus.

The entire rest of the year, the period of Ordinary Time, gives all of us an opportunity to focus on what those mysteries mean to us as individuals and as community.

### *REFLECTION— WE HAVE A SHARE IN THE LORD'S KINGSHIP!*

The very title "Christ the King" would seem to indicate that we end the Liturgical year with more than a note of triumph power and glory. It is only fitting that we who proclaim Christ's rule and kingdom week after week should pause this week to acclaim him as King of Kings and Lord of Lords. And yet this is not the essence of this feast.

The solemnity we celebrate this day is of Christ's kingship and our share in his lordship, but this share comes from forsaking glory and being servants of one another; not respecting honor and riches, but in respecting truth to which our King gave his life as a witness. We share in the glory of Christ's kingdom:

a kingdom of truth and life,  
a kingdom of holiness and grace,  
a kingdom of justice, love and peace.





## THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

**Sunday, November 20, 2022**

7:30 am Jack Shepherd  
9:30 am Matteo Pacifico  
11:30 am Marcasciano Family

**Monday, November 21**

6:45 am The Petta Family  
9:00 am Meghan Smit

**Tuesday, November 22**

6:45 am Cecile & Philip Slater  
9:00 am Reverend Msgr. George R. Trabold

**Wednesday, November 23**

6:45 am Janet Madigan and Elizabeth Collins  
9:00 am Mary Smith

**Thursday, November 24**

**Thanksgiving Day (one Mass only)**

9:00 am Margaret Waldron

**Friday, November 25**

**(one Mass only)**

9:00 am Madge Anderson

**Saturday, November 26**

9:00 am Maria Braca  
5:30 pm Dolores Saggio

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**Sunday, November 27, 2022**

7:30 am Theresa Lawrence  
9:30 am Michael Circelli  
11:30 am Catherine Nicastro

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

*"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 -*

## ST. ROSE OF LIMA NOVEMBER CALENDAR

Nov 19/20 All Masses, Giving Tree Drive, select gift tag (rtn all gifts by 12/4), Knights of Columbus Coats for Kids monetary collection, Bring Thanksgiving Food Basket items and turkey donations to the Church parking lot between 9 am - 10 am. See flyer for details.

Nov 20 1:45 pm Special Holiday Bereavement Group Meeting, Dougherty Center.

Nov 23 12:10 pm, SRLA Dismissal.

Nov 24 Thanksgiving Day, one Mass at 9:00 am

Nov 25 One Mass at 9:00 am

Nov 27 First Sunday of Advent  
11:30 am, Installation Mass for our new Pastor, Fr. Larry Evans II by Cardinal Tobin. Join us for a light reception immediately following, Ryan Hall.

Nov 28 Last day to RSVP for the St. Rose Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Luncheon, please see flyer and response card in bulletin and at stroseshorthills.org.

Dec 1/2 SRLA 12:10 Dismissal, Parent/Teacher Conferences.

Dec 2 9:30 am Advent Morning Reflection, with Coffee & bagels, Ryan Hall



# *Remembering all the Faithful Departed*

Lord, for your faithful people, life is changed not ended!

When we lose a dear friend, someone we have loved deeply, we are left with a grief that can paralyze us emotionally for a long time. People we love become part of us. Our thinking, feeling and acting are codetermined by them: our fathers, our mothers, our husbands, our wives, our lovers, our children, our friends...they are all living in our hearts.

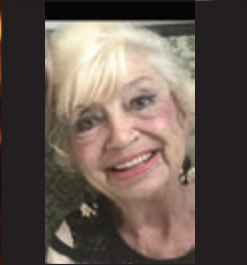
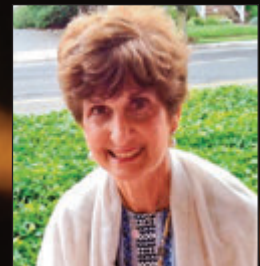
When they die a part of us has to die too. That is what grief is about: it is that slow and painful departure of someone who has become

an intimate part of us. When Christmas, the New Year, a birthday or anniversary comes, we feel deeply the absence of our beloved companion. We sometimes have to live at least a whole year before our hearts have fully said good-bye and the pain of our grief recedes. But as we let go of them they become part of our "members" and as we "re-member" them, they become our guides on our spiritual journey.

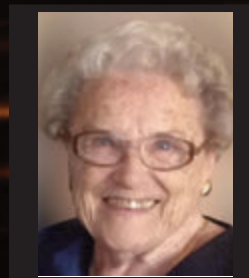
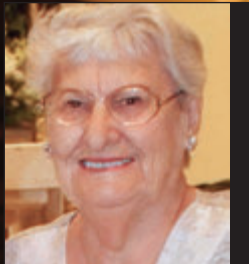
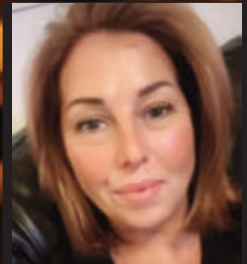
– Henri Nouwen



Theresa Russel



Elizabeth "Betty" Scott



## ST. ROSE OF LIMA CHURCH 2022 THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS

Please help a family in need this Thanksgiving by providing their Thanksgiving Dinner. Shop for the items below (approximately \$55.00 total) and bring to the **St. Rose of Lima Parking lot on Saturday November 19th between 9:00am-10:00am**. It would be helpful for distribution purposes if all dry goods are placed in a reusable shopping bag (provided) and the turkey is brought in a handled plastic store bag. Since many recipients will be walking or relying on public transportation, the donation of reusable shopping bags will be appreciated.

### Shopping List

QUANTITY	ITEM
1	10-12 lb. Frozen Whole Turkey
1	Brownie Mix
2	Boxes of Corn Muffin Mix
1	26 oz. Box of Instant Mashed Potatoes
1	29 oz. Can of Fruit (Your Choice)
3	15 oz. Canned Vegetables (Your Choice)
3	10 oz. Cans of Turkey Gravy (No Glass Please)
2	14 oz. Canned Cranberry Sauce
1	40 oz. Canned Yams
1	12 oz. Box of Stove Top Stuffing

### Please Consider Donating One Extra Food Basket This Year...

More and more people are relying on food pantries for food assistance. To help a family in need, please consider donating **one extra complete Thanksgiving Food Basket** this year. We will also be collecting **Shop Rite gift cards** in any denomination to be distributed to the families in need. Thank you for your generosity.

**You can also donate a food basket online through the St. Rose of Lima Website:**

[www.stroseshorthills.org](http://www.stroseshorthills.org)

### ADDITIONAL TURKEYS ARE NEEDED!!!!

If you have a turkey that you would like to donate – please bring it to the church parking lot on Saturday, November 19th between 9:00-10:00am

**The food collected will be distributed to families in Elizabeth, East Orange & Newark.**

**TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP WITH COLLECTIONS OR DELIVERY OR ANY QUESTIONS,**

**contact Mike Roberts at [jmroberts501@gmail.com](mailto:jmroberts501@gmail.com)**

**THANKS FOR GIVING!!**







# SRL BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

## Bereavement Group Meetings

Special Holiday Gathering  
Sunday, November 20th  
*Handling the Holidays*

1:45 PM - 3:15 PM

Group meets in the Dougherty Center  
61 Short Hills Avenue, Short Hills, NJ

Please call Mary Jean Alfano 973.379.3912 to register



### *A Prayer for Thanksgiving*

Dear Lord,  
Today we give thanks,  
for our many blessings,  
as we pray for those in need.  
We give thanks for our family and friends  
as we pray for those who are lonely.  
We give thanks for our freedoms  
as we pray for those who are oppressed.  
We give thanks for our good health  
as we pray for those who are ill.  
We give thanks for our comfort and prosperity  
as we share our blessings with others.  
On this day of Thanksgiving,  
may the love of God enfold us,  
the peace of God dwell within us  
and the joy of God uplift us.  
Praise and glory to You, Merciful Lord,  
now and forever. Amen.



Saint Rose of Lima Parish

## Thanksgiving Day Mass

Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM

with the traditional Blessing and Distribution of the Bread.

(St. Rose celebrates one Mass at 9:00 AM on November 24th and November 25th)

## Thanksgiving Day Table Prayer

**Leader:** Almighty and ever living God, as we gather around this table to share the joy of this Thanksgiving meal, we acknowledge that you are the God and Father of us all.

**All:** With gratitude in our hearts, we offer you praise and thanks for the health of our body and mind, for the warmth and shelter of our home, for the food that nourishes and sustains us, for the love of our families and friends, and for the joy and company we share at this Thanksgiving table.

We especially offer you praise and thanks for the gifts of your love and life which you so generously give to us, your children. We remember all who celebrate in heaven, our parents and friends.

**Leader:** As we break and share this Thanksgiving meal we ask you to bless this food, let it recall your never ending care and providence, and remind us of the love and unity that should be ours as your people.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord and Bread of Life, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.



*Thank you!*

Special thanks to Mrs. M. Patricia McGinley and Enzo's Trattoria for their kind support of the Don't Eat Alone Nights gatherings.

St. Rose of Lima Invites You To Join Us for

## "Don't Eat Alone Nights"

Our Parish is excited to bring back Don't Eat Alone Nights! A gathering for those who would enjoy dining in the company of fellow parishioners. We hope you'll join us.

Dinner gatherings are held in the convent from 5:30pm to 8:00pm.

Limit of 10 guests per date. Reservations open for the following dates:

2022

◆ Dec 15

2023

◆ Jan 12

◆ Feb 16

◆ Mar 16

◆ Apr 13

◆ May 11

Please call Mary Jean at 973-379-3912 to reserve your seat.

We look forward to seeing you!



BAPTISM SIGN UP

**Thursday**

**Dec 15**

**8:00PM**

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

**December 15, 2022 at 8:00PM**

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

[Baptism Sign Up Meeting](#)

Or 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**

Sister Sandy: [liturgyw\\_kids@mac.com](mailto:liturgyw_kids@mac.com) Phone: 973.379.3912

[www.stroseshorthills.org](http://www.stroseshorthills.org)



The Parish Family of Saint Rose of Lima  
cordially invites you to celebrate the  
**Installation of our Pastor**  
**Reverend Larry Evans, II**  
by  
**Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, CSsR**  
**Sunday, November 27, 2022**  
**11:30 am Mass**

St. Rose of Lima Church  
50 Short Hills Avenue  
Short Hills, New Jersey

Light reception immediately following.



# Advent Morning of Reflection

## BE ALERT

It may be hard to believe that Advent promises deep peace, as you contemplate the pre-Christmas hustle and bustle. When we know how to **BE ALERT**, we notice God's peace and it stays with us. Give your spirit an early Christmas present with a few hours contemplating the joy of God's presence. Spiritual Director, Regina Furlan\* will guide us with some practical approaches to such attentiveness.

*Join us at*  
**St. Rose of Lima, Ryan Hall**  
**for Coffee, bagels**  
**& good company**

Regina Furlan is a parishioner and certified spiritual director. She offers spiritual direction to St. Rose parish since 2019, and is an adjunct staff member of Loyola Jesuit Center in Morristown, NJ.

St. Rose of Lima Parish 50 Short Hills Avenue, Short Hills NJ  
[www.stroseshorthills.org](http://www.stroseshorthills.org)

## December 2

(Following 9:00 am Mass. 9:45 am - noon)

**Please RSVP to Mary Jean Alfano**

**by November 29 at 973-379-3912**

**email: [mjalfano@stroseshorthills.org](mailto:mjalfano@stroseshorthills.org)**



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# COATS FOR KIDS

GIVE A NEEDY CHILD A  
WARM WINTER COAT



The Knights of Columbus Coats for Kids program enables you to **give a quality winter coat for only \$25**. Coats will be distributed in November before winter arrives.

**The Knights will be collecting for coats following Mass on Nov. 12/13 and Nov. 19/20**

**You can also donate a coat online at [www.stroseshorthills.org](http://www.stroseshorthills.org)**

or by mailing payment to St. Rose, 50 Short Hills Ave., Attn. Coats for Kids.  
Checks should be made payable to K of C Council 6386.



**GIVE ONE OR MORE  
COATS TODAY!**





St. Rose of Lima's Annual



# Giving Tree Drive

*"Whoever is generous to the poor lends to the Lord,  
and He will repay him for his deed."*

- Proverbs 19:17

## Annual Giving Tree Drive

Our annual Giving Tree Drive begins this weekend! This year, there are 2 easy ways to support the drive and become a child's Secret Santa.

1. You can pick a printed gift tag from the Giving Trees located in the front interior vestibule of the Church; or
2. You can make a monetary contribution directly through St. Rose's website [www.stroseshorthills.org](http://www.stroseshorthills.org). Just click on the button marked "Giving Tree" and follow the directions. All funds will be used to purchase needed gifts for the children.

All presents must be wrapped (no bows please) and have the tag securely taped to the gift.

**Remember that each gift is the only one that the child will receive. It is essential to return the gift you have chosen to the Devine Center by Sunday, December 4th, in order to give sufficient time for sorting and delivery.**

Each year, our Giving Tree Drive is one of our most successful stewardship activities. We are certain that this year will be incredibly successful, too.

Thank you in advance for your continued generosity.



## Christmas Wreath Sale



### Troop 17 St. Rose of Lima, Short Hills

Proceeds support  
St. Rose of Lima Troop 17  
activities.  
Thank you!



Pre-order at [www.troop17shorthills.com](http://www.troop17shorthills.com). Wreaths will also be available at masses the weekend of Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> until supplies run out.

#### Evergreen Wreaths

\$48 Large (26 inches)

\$32 Small (20 inches, fits standard size door)

\$15 Mini (perfect for windows, add a bow for an additional \$5)

#### ❖ Holiday Centerpieces

\$35 Sleigh Centerpiece

\$20 Elf Boot Centerpiece (5"x9")

\$40 Grave Blanket/Giant Centerpiece (12"X20")

#### ❖ Porch Pot

\$55 (15" wide x 24" high)



\*Delivery available to Maplewood, Millburn, Short Hills, South Orange, and Springfield. Deliveries will be made Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> -4<sup>th</sup>



# Life-Lighters' Christmas Luncheon

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2022

BALTUSROL GOLF CLUB

LUNCHEON 12:00pm ~ SOCIAL HOUR 11:15am

There will be a cash bar - soft drinks will be free.

The cost will be \$50.00 per person.

Please make checks payable to Life-Lighters & send checks by Nov. 25th to:

*Ms. Nancy Beirne, 83 Denham Rd, Springfield, NJ 07081-1139*

*Besides the Life-Lighters, we welcome all men and women who are interested in attending.*

The Entertainment will be the  
**Cranford High School Madrigal Choir**  
*Director - Anthony Rafaniello*

*Lunch choices include: Atlantic Salmon, Chicken Scaloppini Francaise or Petite Filet Mignon and you may have 8 or 10 at a table.*

There will also be valet or lot parking at Baltusrol.

*If you should have any questions regarding the luncheon please contact  
Francesca Fabrizio (908) 400-0781*

*Please visit [www.stroseshorthills.org](http://www.stroseshorthills.org) for response forms.*

## SRL Faith Formation



## Calendar

## Sunday Nov 20, 2022

### Grade Location / Time / Lesson

**K-Grade 3** 9:30 AM, Ryan Hall. Attend CLOW first half of Mass. Children will be brought up to church to reunite with parents for remainder of Mass.

**Grade 3** 9:30 AM, Ryan Hall attend CLOW. After CLOW students walk to Sacristy (in Church) for lesson until 11:00 AM. Parents

**Grade 4/5** 9:30 AM, Mass. After Mass students and at least one parent walk to Ryan Hall for lesson until 11 AM. Family Catechesis, students & parents attend.

**Grade 7 & 8**  
After Mass students meet in gathering space. In the event of inclement weather students will remain in church until 11:00 AM. Small Group discussions.

### Grade 9 / Confirmation candidates

Volunteer/Assist any grade sessions above or choose a ministry or service project. Service/volunteer projects are emailed each month. Please use the Sign-Up Genius link in the email to register.



*The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Rose of Lima Church  
cordially invites you to the*

# *Comfort & Joy*

## Christmas Luncheon

*Friday*

*December 9, 2022*

*11:00 AM ~ 2:00 PM*

*Canoe Brook Country Club  
1108 Morris Turnpike  
Summit, NJ.*

*In the spirit of giving, please bring an unwrapped toy to brighten  
a child's Christmas for the Jay Hartmann Toy Collection*





# Comfort & Joy

*\$70 per person, Tables of 10*

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*Please respond by November 28th*

*Make checks payable to*

*Ladies' Auxiliary of Saint Rose of Lima Church*

*Kindly list the names of your party on the reverse side of this card,  
or a table will be arranged for you.*

*Please mail this form with your check to: Christine Athaide St. Rose of Lima Church 50 Short Hills Ave, Short Hills, NJ 07078*





## Are you looking for a long-term Car parking space in Short Hills?

St. Rose of Lima Church has a number of spaces to rent in our private parking lot. Contracts will be per school semester or semiannually for commuters.

- ▶ Commuter spaces are \$600 per 6 months.
- ▶ Student spaces are \$450 per semester (Sept- Jan, Feb-Jun).

A designated numbered space will be allocated.

Please call or email Christine Athaide  
for more information.

973-379-3912 ext:3966  
[parishgiving@stroseshorthills.org](mailto:parishgiving@stroseshorthills.org)

### Interfaith Bible Hour

with Rev. Bowie Snodgrass and Rev. Paula Toland

Interfaith Bible Hour meets on the 1st Friday of the month from 9-10am (starting Nov 4 this year). Led by Rev. Bowie Snodgrass from Christ Church, Rev. Toland from St. Stephen's, and Cantor Lucy Fishbein from Temple B'nai Jeshurun, the group meets in person at Temple B'nai Jeshurun (1025 W S Orange Ave, Short Hills) with a Zoom option. We'll be reading I Samuel this fall and have been using the new Hebrew Bible translation by Robert Alter.

If you are interested in attending, please email the Rev. Paula Toland at [rector@ststephensmillburn.org](mailto:rector@ststephensmillburn.org). She sends out a monthly reminder with the text and Zoom link.

Rev. Bowie Snodgrass  
Rector, Christ Church  
66 Highland Ave | Short Hills, NJ 07078  
[christchurchshorthills.org](http://christchurchshorthills.org) | 973.379.2898

### THE UNION CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP EXAM FOR 8TH GRADE STUDENTS

Union Catholic offers 8th grade students the opportunity to compete in the annual Scholarship Testing Program. The Scholarship Exam for the Class of 2027 will be held on Saturday, December 3rd at 9 am, Sunday, December 4th at 12 pm.

Any eighth grade student wishing to take the Scholarship Exam who may have a conflict with December 3rd or December 4th is invited to take the Exam on Monday December 5th, 2022 at 3:30 pm.

Students entitled to Extended Time Testing must submit a copy of their IEP/ISP/504 Plan prior to the testing day.

To register for the Scholarship Exam, go to:

<https://www.unioncatholic.org/apps/pages/scholarship/>

Union Catholic HS 1600 Martine Avenue, Scotch Plains, NJ



## Stewardship Reflection for the Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 20, 2022

In today's Gospel we hear of the rulers who sneered at Jesus, the soldiers who jeered at him, the criminal who reviled him, and the people who just stood by. At our own parish church the cross stands high. Yet, every Sunday there are those who sit in front of it and are not moved by it. There are people who walk right by the cross, unmoved by it. Perhaps they've walked by it so many times they no longer give it a second thought. Could it be they are unmoved because the heart of this unbelieving thief is in them? Good stewards walk by the cross, notice it and ask themselves: "All this you did for me, what have I done for you?"

### Parish Office Hours

In observance of the  
Thanksgiving Holiday,  
the Parish Office  
will be closed  
Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup>  
&  
Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup>



### Catholic Charities

Please help Catholic Charities in its mission to help individuals and families who are hurting. This is a most opportune time to clean out the summer clothes for the Catholic Charities Donation Bin(s). We also welcome small appliances, shoes, linens, sheets, towels, tools, stuffed animals, novels, knickknacks, toys, and children's books. Thank you.



If you're pregnant and don't feel like you have much of a choice, call these people.

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Care Net: 800-395-HELP [care-net.org](http://care-net.org)

Catholic Charities: 800-CARE-002

[catholiccharitiesusa.org](http://catholiccharitiesusa.org)

Thank you to our parishioners who've made a gift to our Annual Appeal. If you haven't already donated, please consider making a gift to help our parish. Thank you for your help.

## Annual Appeal<sup>the 2022</sup>

### Catholic Stewardship in Action

**Donate Now!**

Select this link to be transferred  
to <https://support.rcan.org/a/donate>

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



Our 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.

Call the parish office if you would like to volunteer for this ministry.

### St. Rose Food Collection

Food donations are in great need at all food pantries in our area. Your donations help many who find themselves struggling to provide this basic need for them and their families.

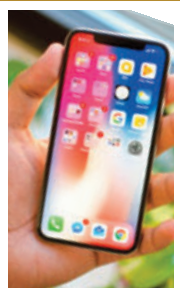
Canned and dry food items may be dropped off anytime to our parish Blue Van located in the parking area. Thank you for your help!



### Are You In The Loop?

Each Week we send an email which contains important announcements, links to Mass, worship aids, bulletin and the latest news from our the parish.

If you would like to be added to this list, please email [rsabatella@stroseshorthills.org](mailto:rsabatella@stroseshorthills.org)



# Welcome to St. Rose of Lima

New Parishioner Registration  
[www.stroseshorthills.org](http://www.stroseshorthills.org)



## Parish Calendar November 20 - Nov 27, 2022

All Masses are held inside the church. Masks are recommended.

Sunday, Nov 20	THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE
	7:00 AM Mass Televised HTTV Comcast 36 & Verizon 33
	7:30 AM Mass
	9:00 AM Mass Televised HTTV Comcast 36 & Verizon 33
	9:30 AM Mass
	11:30AM Mass
Monday, Nov 21	1:45 PM Fall Bereavement Group Meeting, Dghrty Ctr
Tuesday, Nov 22	6:45 AM Mass
	9:00 AM Mass
Wednesday, Nov 23	12:10 SRLA Dismissal
	6:45 AM Mass
	9:00 AM Mass
	11:15 SRLA Mass
Thursday, Nov 24	Thanksgiving Day
	Parish offices closed SRLA Closed 9:00 AM Mass (one Mass will be celebrated)
Friday, Nov 25	Parish offices closed SRLA Closed 9:00AM Mass (one Mass will be celebrated)
Saturday, Nov 26	9:00 AM Mass
	5:30 PM Mass (Anticipated)
Sunday, Nov 27	FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
	7:00 AM Mass Televised HTTV Comcast 36 & Verizon 33
	7:30 AM Mass
	9:00 AM Mass Televised HTTV Comcast 36 & Verizon 33
	9:30 AM Mass
	11:30AM Mass Installation of our new Pastor, Rev. Larry Evans, II by Cardinal Joseph Tobin light reception immediately following.

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### Prayer for Peace - St. John Paul II

Lord Jesus Christ, who are called the Prince of Peace, who are Yourself our peace and reconciliation, who so often said, "Peace to you" – please grant us peace.

Make all men and women witnesses of truth, justice and brotherly love. Banish from their hearts whatever might endanger peace. Enlighten our rulers that they may guarantee and defend the great gift of peace.

May all peoples on the earth become  
as brothers and sisters.

May longed-for peace blossom forth  
and reign always over us all. Amen.





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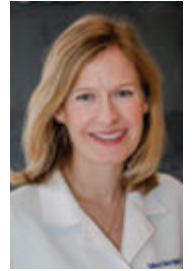
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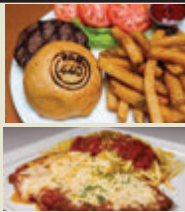
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