

# St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church

50 Short Hills Avenue, Short Hills, NJ 07078

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT - NOVEMBER 27, 2022



The Parish of St. Rose of Lima  
Celebrates the Installation of our new Pastor  
Fr. Larry Evans, II  
by Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin  
11:30 am Mass

*following please join us for light refreshments in Ryan Hall*

## 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.

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

**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

Reverend Larry Evans, II, Pastor	fllarry@stroseshorthills.org	973-379-3912
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**Saturday** 5:30 pm (Anticipated)

**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:

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 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

November 27, 2022

Isaiah 2:1-5 / Romans 13:11-14 / Matthew 24:37-44

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

Isaiah 2:1-5

This is what Isaiah, son of Amoz,  
saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.  
In days to come,  
the mountain of the LORD's house  
shall be established as the highest mountain  
and raised above the hills.  
All nations shall stream toward it;  
many peoples shall come and say:  
"Come, let us climb the LORD's mountain,  
to the house of the God of Jacob,  
that he may instruct us in his ways,  
and we may walk in his paths."  
For from Zion shall go forth instruction,  
and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.  
He shall judge between the nations,  
and impose terms on many peoples.  
They shall beat their swords into plowshares  
and their spears into pruning hooks;  
one nation shall not raise the sword against another,  
nor shall they train for war again.  
O house of Jacob, come,  
let us walk in the light of the Lord!  
Responsorial Psalm

Ps 122: 1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

**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.**

Pray for the peace of Jerusalem!  
May those who love you prosper!

May peace be within your walls,  
prosperity in your buildings.

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

Because of my brothers and friends

I will say, "Peace be within you!"

Because of the house of the LORD, our God,

I will pray for your good.

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

## READING II

Romans 13:11-14

Brothers and sisters:

You know the time;

it is the hour now for you to awake from sleep.

For our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed;

the night is advanced, the day is at hand.

Let us then throw off the works of darkness

and put on the armor of light;

let us conduct ourselves properly as in the day,

not in orgies and drunkenness,

not in promiscuity and lust,

not in rivalry and jealousy.

But put on the Lord Jesus Christ,

and make no provision for the desires of the flesh.

## ALLELUIA

Cf. Ps 85:8

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

Show us Lord, your love;

and grant us your salvation.

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

## GOSPEL

Matthew 24:37-44

Jesus said to his disciples:

"As it was in the days of Noah,

so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man.

In those days before the flood,

they were eating and drinking,

marrying and giving in marriage,

up to the day that Noah entered the ark.

They did not know until the flood came and carried them all away.

So will it be also at the coming of the Son of Man.

Two men will be out in the field;

one will be taken, and one will be left.

Two women will be grinding at the mill;  
one will be taken, and one will be left.  
Therefore, stay awake!  
For you do not know on which day your Lord will come.  
Be sure of this: if the master of the house  
had known the hour of night when the thief was coming,  
he would have stayed awake  
and not let his house be broken into.  
So too, you also must be prepared,  
for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come."

## 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.

## Prayer for Priests

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests.  
Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments.

Help our priests to be strong in their vocation.  
Set their souls on fire with love for your people.

Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need  
to follow in the footsteps of Jesus.  
Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom.

Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel.  
Allow them to experience joy in their ministry.

Help them to become instruments of your divine grace.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our  
Eternal Priest.

Amen.





## FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT / INSTALLATION

MASS OF OUR NEW PASTOR, FR. LARRY EVANS, II

### Sunday, November 27, 2022

7:30 am Theresa Lawrence

9:30 am Michael Circelli

11:30 am Catherine Nicastro

### Monday, November 28

6:45 am Marjory Anderson

9:00 am Danny Tarullo

### Tuesday, November 29

6:45 am John Monaco

9:00 am Eugene Kirk

### Wednesday, November 30

6:45 am For our Parishioners

9:00 am Charles Tighe

### Thursday, December 1

6:45 am Edward Almazan

9:00 am Carol Piemonte

### Friday, December 2

6:45 am Memel Torres Tejada

9:00 am Marilyn A. Connors

### Saturday, December 3

9:00 am Edwin & Lisa Davila

5:30 pm Bridget O'Sullivan

## SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

### Sunday, December 4, 2022

7:30 am Vera Chernecki

9:30 am Michele Vespa

11:30 am Michele Circelli

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	Rosemarie 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 NOV-DEC CALENDAR

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
Dec 3/4	Troop 17 SRL Christmas Wreath Sale, all Masses. Delivery available to towns listed on flyer, see bulletin or web website for details.
Dec 4	Last day to drop off Giving Tree Drive gifts, please bring your gifts to the Devine Center. See flyer in bulletin or website for details.
Dec 7	Life Lightters Christmas Luncheon, 12:00 pm, Social hour 11:15am, Baltusrol Golf Club. See flyer in bulletin or website for details.
Dec 8	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Dec 9	Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Luncheon, 11:00 am, Canoe Brook. See flyer in bulletin or website for details.
Dec 15	Don't Eat Alone Nights, 5:30pm, please RSVP with Mary Jean. See flyer in bulletin or website for details.



*Please Pray For  
our Recently Deceased*

**Gertrude Blazier**

**Helen Devine Coen**

**Simon Chu**

**Victor Dziegielewski**

**Edith Falcone**

**Mary Pennachio**

**Michael Sheridan**

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



**Solemnity of the  
Immaculate Conception  
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup>**

**5:30 pm Mass (Anticipated)**

**6:45 am Mass**

**9:00 am Mass**

**12:00 pm Mass**

# 1st Sunday of Advent



Today is the First Sunday of Advent, the first day of the new liturgical year. Advent, which always begins on the Sunday closest to November 30, dates back to the fourth century. It is a four-week period of devout and joyful preparation for the celebration of Christmas and for Christ's second coming at the end of time.

Early in Advent, the liturgy focuses our attention on the second coming. After December 16, it shifts our attention to the events surrounding the nativity.

## Blessing of Lights

*Prayer as we prepare our homes  
for the Christmas feasts*

O God, by whose word all things are made holy,  
you have called us to be a holy people  
and to live as children of light.  
Pour forth your blessing upon us  
as we place lights on our home.  
Grant that we who kindle these lights  
may prepare our hearts to receive your Son,  
who is the radiance of eternal light.  
He comes to dispel the darkness of our minds  
to melt the hardness of our hearts and to ignite  
the weakness of our wills.  
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

## REFLECTION *Do We Wait in Joyful Hope?*

We are challenged by the liturgy today to evaluate the extent to which we live out the values of God's Kingdom here and now and how we set our hearts on what really matters—God's word, ways, and Kingdom. Are we willing to live here and now the life that God gave us at baptism?

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

# ADVENT

### Advent Morning of Reflection

Friday, December 2, following 9:00 am Mass

### Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Thursday, December 8

(Holyday of Obligation)

5:30 PM Mass (Anticipated)

6:45 AM Mass, 9:00 AM Mass, 12:00 PM Mass

### Lighting of the Parish Christmas Tree

Saturday, December 10,

5:30 PM Mass

Light refreshments immediately following,  
hosted by the St. Rose of Lima Academy HSA

### Blessing of the Crèche/Bambinelli Sunday

Saturday, December 18

5:30 PM Mass (Anticipated)

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

Bring a figurine from your Nativity for blessing.

## Advent 1 TABLE PRAYER

*Light the one candle of the Advent wreath*

Blessed are you, Lord, God of all creation:  
in the darkness and in the light.

Bless these your gifts  
with which we are about to nourish our bodies,  
so that, receiving new strength,  
we may wait in watchfulness  
for the glorious coming of Christ.

We ask this through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.



St. Rose of Lima Parish • Short Hills, NJ



# Advent

## 2022 - 2023

### FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Sunday, November 27

**5:30 PM Mass (Anticipated) Vigil,**

Blessing of the Parish Advent wreath

**7:30 AM Mass**

**9:30 AM Mass**

**11:30 AM INSTALLATION MASS**

**FOR OUR NEW PASTOR, REV. LARRY EVANS, II**

**BY CARDINAL JOSEPH TOBIN**

Mass followed by a light reception in Ryan Hall

### ADVENT MORNING OF REFLECTION

Friday, December 2, following **9:00 AM Mass**

### LIFE LIGHTERS CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

Wednesday, December 7, 11:15 AM

Baltusrol Country Club

### SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

(Holyday of Obligation)

Thursday, December 8

**5:30 PM Mass (Anticipated)**

**6:45 AM Mass**

**9:00 AM Mass**

**12:00 PM Mass**

### LADIES AUXILIARY OF ST. ROSE OF LIMA CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

Please bring an unwrapped toy for the Jay Hartmann Toy Collection

Friday, December 9, Canoe Brook Country Club, 11:00 AM

### LIGHTING OF THE PARISH

#### CHRISTMAS TREE

Saturday, December 10, **5:30 PM Mass**

Light refreshments immediately following,  
hosted by the St. Rose of Lima Academy HSA

### FAMILY PROMISE OF ESSEX COUNTY

#### CHRISTMAS PARTY

Tuesday, December 13, 2:00 PM

Presbyterian Church of Upper Montclair

Hosted by St. Rose of Lima Parish  
for homeless and "at risk" families in need.

### BLESSING OF THE CRECHE/BAMBINELLI SUNDAY

#### FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Sunday, December 18

Bring a figurine from your Nativity for blessing

**5:30 PM Mass (Anticipated)**

**7:30 AM Mass**

**9:30 AM Mass**

**11:30 AM Mass**

### TAIZÉ PRAYER & PENANCE SERVICE

Monday, December 19, 7:00 PM

### ST. ROSE OF LIMA ACADEMY CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Tuesday, December 20, 7:00 PM



# Congratulations Father Larry!



The Parish and Staff of St. Rose of Lima Congratulate

Father Larry Evans, II

on his Installation as Pastor of

St. Rose of Lima Church, Short Hills,

Sunday, November 27, 2022.

Special thanks to Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin.

# 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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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:

*Mrs. 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.**

*Thank you!*

**Speical thanks to Mrs. M. Patricia McGinely and Enzzo'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!



*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*

Response forms are available at [www.stroseshorthills.org](http://www.stroseshorthills.org), or click the invitation above to be transferred.





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)**

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)

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

## Stewardship Reflection for the First Sunday of Advent November 27, 2022

On this first Sunday of Advent Jesus urges his disciples to stay awake and prepare themselves for the Lord's coming. Good stewards prepare themselves and await Christ's judgment in joyous expectation. This attitude requires genuine spiritual maturity, of course; the kind that is cultivated by prayer, participation in the sacraments, loving attention to family and one's communion of faith, and love for one's neighbor. Are we prepared for the Lord's second coming? Are we ready to receive Christ? Are we ready to look joyously for Christ's judgment?



St. Rose parish offices  
will be closed

**Thursday, December 8**

in observance of

The Solemnity of the  
Immaculate Conception  
of the Virgin Mary

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!**

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**Do you know anyone  
who is homebound and  
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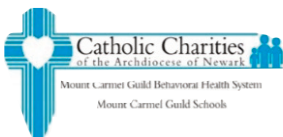
Our Justin Ministers are specifically trained to visit those who cannot be with us to share the Sunday Gospel, hear about the homily, pray with someone on behalf of our community and receive Communion.

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.

## 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.



## 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!



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

*They don't want your money, they just want to help.*

Birthright: 800-550-4900

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## 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.

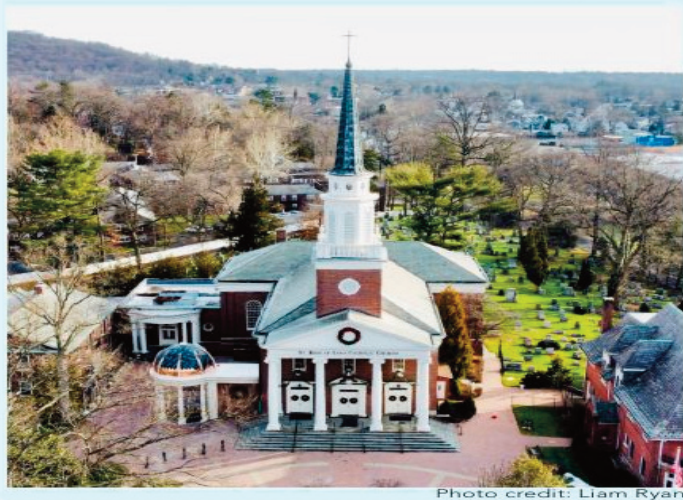
If you would like to be added to this list, please email [rsabatella@stroseshorthills.org](mailto:rsabatella@stroseshorthills.org)





# Welcome to St. Rose of Lima

New Parishioner Registration  
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## Parish Calendar November 27 - Dec 4, 2022

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

Sunday, Nov 27	<b>FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>
	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
Monday, Nov 28	11:30AM Mass Installation of our new Pastor, Rev. Larry Evans, II by Cardinal Joseph Tobin light reception immediately following.
	6:45 AM Mass
Tuesday, Nov 29	9:00 AM Mass
	6:45 AM Mass
Wednesday, Nov 30	9:00 AM Mass
	6:45 AM Mass
Thursday, Dec 1	9:00 AM Mass
	6:45 AM Mass
Friday, Dec 2	9:00 AM Mass
	6:45 AM Mass
Saturday, Dec 3	Advent Morning of Reflection, following 9 am Mass, Ryan Hall
	6:45 AM Mass
Sunday, Dec 4	9:00 AM Mass
	6:45 AM Mass

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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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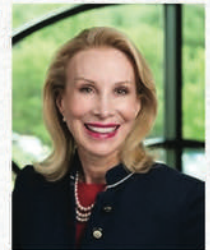
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