

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 20, 2019

MASSES FOR the WEEK

SUNDAY, JANUARY 20TH

8:30 A.M. Rose Rogan
10:30A.M. Bradley Gamble
12:00P.M. Cindy Telmosse

MONDAY, JANUARY 21ST –Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

8:00 A.M. George Esso

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22ND

8:00 A.M. Janis Tobin

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23RD

8:00 A.M. Fr. Desmond O'Connor

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24TH

8:00 A.M. Communion Service

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25TH

8:00A.M. Mark Antoniek

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26TH

9:00 A.M. James Coughlin, Jr.

5:00 P.M. Ellwood Everding

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27TH

8:30 A.M. Maria Bilotta
10:30A.M. People of the Parish
12:00P.M. Vincent Hicks

SCRIPTURES:

January 27, 2019– Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: EZRA GATHERED THE PEOPLE AND READ TO THEM FROM THE BOOK OF THE LAW OF GOD. HE INTERPRETED THE LAW CLEARLY, SO THAT EVERYONE UNDERSTOOD WHAT HE HAD READ. HE THEN TOLD THEM TO GO AND REJOICE IN THE LORD. (NEHEMIAH 8: 2-4A, 5-6, 8-10)

SECOND READING: PAUL EXPLAINS THAT A BODY IS COMPOSED OF MANY DIFFERENT PARTS, AND THAT EACH PART HAS ITS' OWN PURPOSE AND IS IMPORTANT. HE COMPARES THIS TO THE CHURCH, DESCRIBING HOW WE ARE ONE BODY COMPOSED OF MANY MEMBERS. ALL MEMBERS SHOULD SHOW CONCERN FOR EACH OTHER AND UNDERSTAND THAT WE ARE ALL VITAL TO THE BODY AS A WHOLE. (1 CORINTHIANS 12: 12-30)

GOSPEL: LUKE DISCUSSES HIS DECISION TO WRITE ABOUT THE EVENTS HE AND THE OTHER DISCIPLES HAD WITNESSED. HE BEGINS BY TELLING OF JESUS READING A PASSAGE FROM THE BOOK OF ISAIAH, WHERE THE ANOINTED ONE IS PORTRAYED. JESUS FINISHED BY TELLING THE PEOPLE THAT THEY HAD SEEN THAT PASSAGE FULFILLED IN THEIR HEARING. . (LUKE 1: 1-4; 4: 14-21)

STEWARDSHIP by the BOOK-January 20, 2019

In today's second reading, St. Paul tells the Corinthians (and us) that all of our gifts are from God and that they are given, not for ourselves alone, but for the common good. The generosity of God knows no limits—the miracle at Cana reminds us that whenever we faithfully do as God asks, He can change our gifts of water into wine!

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MASS CARDS We are asked to pray for the dead. The best way to do this is to have a mass celebrated in memory of a loved one. Call the rectory 973-663-0211. **Please note-** offering is \$15.

RCIA next meeting Tuesday, Jan. 22nd, 7:30pm in the Rectory.

BAPTISMS

are usually performed on the First Sunday of each month at 1pm. To arrange for a Baptism please call the rectory M-F - 973-663-0211. **Upcoming** baptisms- Sun. February 17th.



NEW TO THE PARISH Welcome! Please call (973) 663-0211 & register to become a member of our active parish.

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CCD Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/olsoslh>

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL -PRE-K-Grade 5

Sunday, January 20,2019– 8:45 AM classes (K-5)
10:30AM – Class Mass Grade 3 All 3rd Grade students **must** attend. Grades K, 1,2,4 & 5 should attend.

ACRE Assessment- 5th Grade

MIDDLE SCHOOL -GRADES 6-8

Sunday, January 20th-6:30 – 8:00 PM – classes

ACRE Assessment- 8th Grade

HIGH SCHOOL – GRADES 9-10

Sunday, January 20th – 6:30-8pm classes

ACRE Assessment- Sophomores

Please remember in prayer those who are sick:

Tina Mele, Pacita Cabaluna, Quinn Gorman, Linda Ross, Sr. Gerardine Agnew, Thomas Butler, Julian Bonafacio, Kathleen Mercado, Artie Lindberg, Jack Gebhardt, Jr., Christine Profaca, & all who are ill at this time.

We also pray for the recently deceased: Theresa Kiley, Tara Tigheburnham, George Esso, Fr. Ciaran Nolan.



FOOD PANTRY

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 11-11:45AM 1:15-3:15PM call 973-663-0211 for appointment.



Coordinator is Toni Tarighi- Items needed: **shampoo**, Dish detergent, tissues, deodorant, **tooth paste**, paper towels.

Refrigerator: milk, yogurt; frozen foods- all types.

NOTE: Shoprite gift card donations also accepted.

Thank you to the Helenek's, Bolcar's, and everyone supporting our food pantry.

SICK OR SHUT IN-or know someone who is- unable to get to church to receive Communion? Please call the rectory 663-0211tod set up a time for a Communion call.



MINISTRY FAIR MARCH 16-17: Please come share your gifts at OLSOS Ministry Fair. Planning committee meeting in February- Date TBD, & will be at 7 pm in Rm 111. Please RSVP to Kristine Wilsusen at 973-445-5476 or kristinewilsusen@gmail.com.

Antioch Kitchen Volunteers Needed: Preparing for their Confirmation, our sophomores will be attending the **Antioch Retreat held in our Parish Center from Fri. evening, February 15th through Sunday, February 17th.**

Volunteers are needed to provide food, & also for food & meal prep, & kitchen clean-up after meals. Call Stephanie Kaulfers 973-713-7548. We are also accepting ShopRite gift cards. Sign-up sheets will also be at both Church entrances.

We also need adult overnight chaperones, especially men, to sleep overnight at the retreat from 11pm-8am. You may chaperone for either one or two nights.

Please contact Sasha Roszkowski at 973-919-8136 if you can help with these needs.

Please keep the sophomores and the Antioch Team in your prayers during this very special weekend.

Monday, January 21st our nation honors **Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.** May his dream become a reality in the near future. **In observance of this National Holiday the OLSOS offices will be closed.** In an emergency please call the rectory 973-663-0211, & leave a message/ contact number. Thank you.



ORDINARY TIME

Wasted time is not a prized commodity in twenty-first century society. We are a people ruled by the clock. Time is money because time is to be filled with purposeful, controlled activity which is productive of things which can be sold. We are convinced that we must be in control of time. The last thing the productive American would want to do is waste time playing around with realities that do not produce a saleable commodity.

But, the Creator of heaven and earth is described by the scriptures as the original and best of players. Creative activity is playful and creative people do not feel that what they do is a job. Creative people also have a sense that their creativity and all that they fashion in the creative spirit are gifts they have received. The Christian can speak of this and the contemplative vision which sees all reality as a gift of grace. Our thankful response we call worship or eucharist.

We cannot speak of Ordinary Time without speaking of Sunday. The every seven-day celebration of the Lord's Day is the basic structure upon which the Church Year is built. The great liturgical seasons of Advent-Christmas and Lent-Easter are more expansive celebrations of particular aspects of the one paschal mystery which we celebrate every Lord's Day. These special seasons focus our attention upon critical dimensions of one mystery, a mystery so overwhelming that we are compelled to separate out its various elements for particular attention. These two seasons in no way minimize the critical importance of the Sunday celebration throughout the rest of the year. Ordinary Time is not very ordinary at all. Ordinary Time, the celebration of Sunday, is the identifying mark of the Christian community which comes together remembering that on this first day of the week the Lord of Life was raised up and creation came at last to completion. Sunday as a day of play and worship is a sacrament of redeemed time. How we live Sunday proclaims to the world what we believe about redeemed time now and forever.

What happens in our Churches every Sunday is the fruit of our week. What happens as the fruit of the week past is the beginning of the week to come. Sunday, like all sacraments is simultaneously a point of arrival and departure for Christians on their way to the fullness of the kingdom. This is not ordinary time at all. This is the fabric of Christian living. (Taken from the Saint Andrew Bible Missal)

The season of Advent-Christmas concluded on January 13th, the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Ordinary Time began on January 14th and continues until Tuesday, March 5th. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 6th, and continues until April 17th. The Easter Triduum begins Thursday, April 18th. Easter Sunday is April 21st. Ordinary Time will resume again at the end of the Easter Season on the day after Pentecost, Monday, June 10th.

Ordinary Time is the time to help us celebrate and appreciate the mystery of Jesus Christ and our Redemption.

*Sincerely in Christ,
Father Chris*



SATURDAY, MARCH 30th Annual OLSOS INDOOR FLEA MARKET & CRAFT FAIR – 9AM-

3PM Vendors wanted! Come sell your new/gently used goods, wares and services. Reserve a table by March 1st Call Sue Sacino at 973-601-3028. **\$35 Gym table, \$30 Church Hall table.** Vendor set up 7AM

CYO BASKETBALL Sun. January 20, 2019

TEAM	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Varsity Boys B	St. Mary, Denville B	OLSOS	12:30 PM
Girls JV A	St. Mary, Denville A	OLSOS	2:00 PM
Girls Varsity A	St. Luke A	OLSOS	3:15 PM

For more info contact CYO Director Steve Nizio 973-663-6126, or e-mail staroftheseaad@gmail.com.



SOUP KITCHEN: Our parish is responsible for the noon meal on the fourth Friday of each month at Trinity Lutheran Church, East Blackwell Street, Dover (973-366-2821). **We serve again on Friday, January 25th** and we will be serving between 150 to

190 meals that day. If you can help serve, cook a meal or donate some food please contact Ed Young at 973-270-3512. Thank you. **NOTE:** Ed is looking for more volunteers.

SPAGHETTI DINNER- Sunday Jan. 20, 2019,
– 2-4:30pm -held by Knights of Columbus at OL Lake Parish Ctr. 9 Rooney Rd., Mt. Arlington. Tickets \$10 each.



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK – Begins Sunday January 27th
St. Therese School in Succasunna will observe Catholic Schools Week with **Open Houses on Jan. 27th from 12:30-2pm, and Wed. Jan. 30th 9AM – 11AM.** For more info call Principal Timothy Dunnigan at 973-584-0812 or go to website www.stthereserobury.org/school.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (Let Justice Roll Down Like Waters)

God of the widow, the orphan and the stranger,
you have shown us the path of justice.

Help us to follow your way by doing justice
as our worship of you.

As Christians together, may we worship you
Not only with our hearts and minds,
but also by our deeds.

May the Holy Spirit help and guide us
to work for justice wherever we are,
so that many people may be strengthened
through our works.

In the name of Jesus. AMEN.

-World Council of Churches

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

NO CCD classes January 27th

Saturday, Feb. 2nd-9:30am First Penance for our 2nd Graders

Sat. & Sun., February 2 & 3 – Blessing of Throats all masses
Sunday February 3rd – 1. Gertrude Hawk Fundraiser begins;

2. Middle & HS classes -1-2:30pm (Super Bowl Sunday)

Fri., February 15th thru Sun. Feb 17th – Antioch Retreat

NO CCD classes February 17th



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