**SAINT ROSE OF LIMA**

**ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**SEPTEMBER 3RD, 2017**

**22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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“**For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it**”

*Matthew 16:25*

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### MASS SCHEDULE

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**Weekdays (in chapel)**

- Mon-Fri...6:30 am & 8:30 am
- Saturday 8:30 am

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### CONFESSION SCHEDULE

**Saturday (in Church)**

- 4:30 pm to 5:15 pm

**Friday (Chapel Area)**

- 4:30 pm to 5:15 pm

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300 KINGS HIGHWAY, HADDON HEIGHTS, NEW JERSEY 08035-1397  (856) 547-0564

(additional contact information and Mass times on page 10)
As we gear up for another academic year, before anything else, I want to wish the best to all students and educators of St. Rose of Lima Parish and School. You are all in my prayers for a successful school year. From a Catholic perspective, the goal of education is to enable children to learn and develop - intellectually, physically, emotionally, and spiritually - so that they can reach their full God-given human potential to contribute to the common good of society and to deepen their relationship with the Lord, leading to eternal salvation.

I was in Catholic education as a high school teacher at Paul VI High School for seven years and I have learned that education plays a critical role in the development of young people. I urge parents to show constant vigilance upon what is going on at the school(s) where their children are present, whether a Catholic school or not. Please talk to your children every day and find out what their teachers are saying in class. Be prepared to offer a response to them when you find that they are “learning” things that go against our faith, as well as affirming the good and true things that they are taught. Being intimately involved in the education of your children is not just the duty of parents, but also a great opportunity to bring the light of Christ and his love to them. Don’t forget - the earlier the involvement starts and more constant it is, the less likely that it will seem intrusive to the children. Also don’t forget to attend every possible event in which your children participate. They may not mention it, but you can be sure that your presence means very much to them.

Now, to the students. To be honest, I never liked school. Although I have given this example many times, it still is true: I looked forward to the end of college like you can’t believe, thinking that I would never have to go to school again. Well, after six years of seminary and two of further studies (that’s eight years of school after college!); I didn’t seem to get my wish. But along the way, I did learn a lot. One thing I also disliked was doing homework. But I know, from my own experience and from working with high school students, it’s actually easier to work reasonably hard all the time and not get behind, than to let things go and then have periods of crazy activity just to throw a bunch of stuff together just to get something in on time. You end up with better grades with less stress. It’s a tough lesson to learn but it works. Try it. Have a great year!

God Bless you,
Father Joseph Byerley
SRL Youth Ministry
Office of Youth Ministry
650-265 1193
youthministry@strosenj.com

Ice Cream Game Night!
Board & Card Games
Mario Kart Smash Bros

Come Join Sanctus Middle School Youth Ministry 6th-8th for a Fantastic Night of Ice Cream, Games and Faith;
Saturday, September 9th from 6:30pm-8:30pm in the Cafeteria :)

Come Join Rooted Generation (R-Generation) High School Youth Ministry 9th-12th for a Relaxed Night of Ice Cream, Games and Faith;
Sunday, September 10th from 4pm-6pm in the Cafeteria

Join Our Text List
9th-12th Grade Text
@senoirym to the number 81010

6th-8th Grade Text
@juniorym to the number 81010
Make sure to include the @ Symbol

Celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the 5th Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima on Wed., September 13, 2017!
Church will be open from 6pm to 8pm for private veneration of Our Lady of Fatima Pilgrim Statue in the Viewing Room.
Public Recitation of Rosary: 7pm
Info: Carol Samsanavicius (609) 500-213

Sunday Night Mass
Our 6:30pm Sunday Mass will resume next weekend:
We can really use some ushers for the 6:30 Mass. If you regularly go to this Mass and can help us out, please call the rectory. (Men & Women are both invited!)
**Saint Rose Religious Education**

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!**

We are seeking Teachers and Teacher Aides  
Grades 1 – 5  
Mondays Sept - May  
Day Session: 3:45 – 5:00 pm  
RETIREES MOST WELCOME!

**In addition:**  
SPECIAL NEEDS TEACHERS AND AIDES WANTED!

We are looking to develop more faith formation support for our families with children who have special needs; volunteers would assist generally with ongoing faith formation and with their preparation for Sacraments.

We invite you to prayerfully consider if Jesus is asking you to ‘come and follow Me’ in this beautiful mission serving his children...  
If so, please contact us: Religious Ed Office  
546-9326 / cre@strosenj.com

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**Prayer Line Volunteers Needed!**

St. Rose Prayer Line is a Ministry of Compassion, praying for the intentions of those in need of prayer. Today, we have 62 prayer warriors and hope to continue this ministry for many years. We are a group within St. Rose Parish that pray individually, at our convenience. There are no meetings, just a phone call received and a wonderful way to serve our parish and help pray for the sick, the souls of those that passed away, our community, all clergy, life’s celebrations, and so on...

How it works is simple. A prayer request is called into the rectory. The rectory then calls the ministry’s prayer leader and the message gets out to the prayer line. There are two types of prayer warriors. An individual that prays and helps to call their group of prayer warriors with the intention; or a prayer warrior that just receives a phone call and prays for the intention.

Our ministry would like to grow with more prayer leaders and prayer warriors. If you have any questions or would like more info, please contact Marla Jeanette-Barrett at (856) 520-4123 or by email mj19@comcast.net.

Please consider joining our prayer line ministry by filling out the form below and dropping it off at the rectory or return in the collection basket.

| Name ________________________________ |
| Address ______________________________ |
| Phone # ______________________________ |
| Email Address _________________________ |
| Would you prefer to be contacted by: (check one) |
| _____ Phone |
| _____ Email |

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**Saint Rose Religious Education Enrollment**

still being accepted for Grades 1-8

**Please note:** 2 year preparation required for First Holy Communion (1st and 2nd grade) and Confirmation (7th and 8th grade)

Forms are available in Church, at the rectory and online at strosenj.com - click on “Religious Education” to access form

For more information, contact Geri (#856-546-9326 or cresecretary@strosenj.com).
Around the Parish

A Closer Walk with God

Asking for the Gifts of the Holy Spirit in the presence of Jesus Christ

Sunday Sept 17, 2017 @ 2:00pm
St. Rose of Lima Church

- First Meditation: How the Saints can become our friends
- Second Meditation: The Power of the Holy Spirit

Presenter: Fr. Joseph Byerley

Silent Spiritual Meditation, Reflection *Using the works of our great saints

We will be asking to receive the infusion of the gifts of wisdom, counsel, understanding, fear of the Lord, piety, fortitude, knowledge
Come Holy Spirit and fill the hearts of Your Faithful

Text “CWG” to 1-609-922-2128 if you would like a Reminder. Free Event

Parish Week Ahead

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St. Rose of Lima School
Pre-K through 8th grade

Join us for our Fall Open House
Wednesday, October 11, 2017
9:30 am—11:00 am

Why is attending St. Rose of Lima School a great choice for your child? Our students learn lifelong lessons, make lasting friendships and experience Catholic identity on a daily basis, all while getting a great education!

We offer personal tours of the school on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please call the Advancement Office at 856-546-6166, ext 309 or email: advancement@strosenj.com

For information about our preschool program, Rosebud Academy, please contact preschool@strosenj.com

300 Kings Highway, Haddon Heights, NJ

From the Spiritual Center Library

Labor Day is a cherished holiday, a "day off with pay," for workers. It was started in 1894 by Peter McGuire, a Camden resident. Our Catholic Church has always had a serious interest in laborers and championed their rights; even named St. Joseph the "Patron Saint of the Working Man." In 1891, Pope Leo XIII issued a highly esteemed encyclical, "Rerum Novarum," about the rights and entitlements of employees and employers. Even today, this outstanding encyclical is studied by sociology students in most universities. Another priest, the oldest of 11 children, Fr. Michael McGivney, started the Knights of Columbus in the 1880s in order to promote an insurance program to assist families of deceased workers. Mother Katharine Drexel was concerned about workers, too, and gave a portion of her large inheritance to the training and education of Africans and Indians in the South and Southwest. Arch Bishop Oscar Romero was behind the poor in El Salvador, and it cost him his life. He, too, is now being considered for canonization. Msgr. Robert McDermott, of St. Joseph’s Church in East Camden, established a "Romero Center" and contributed to the book, "Romero's Legacy, the Call to Peace and Justice."

"All You Who Labor: Work and the Sanctification of Daily Life" by Stefan Cardinal Wyszynski, is another inspiring book about our work and our spirituality. "Blue Collar Jesus, How Christianity Supports Workers Rights," by Darren Wood, presents views about labor from other religions and from the Bible. All of the above mentioned books and encyclical are available for you in our Spiritual Center Library.
Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Look at the Calendar....it's time for that 5 year tune-up! We would never expect a car to run smoothly forever without a tune-up, so why do we expect our marriage relationship to keep running smoothly without a little maintenance? The Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend gives married couples the tools to keep their relationship in top running condition. To schedule that tune-up, go on line to wwwme-southjersey.org. The next weekends are Oct 20-22 and Dec 8-10, 2017. Questions? Need more information? Call our application couple at 609-741-8012 or email applications@wwme-southjersey.org

Gloucester Catholic Reunion

Gloucester Catholic High School Class of 1982 will have a 35th year reunion on Saturday, September 30 at 7PM at Riverwinds Bar and Restaurant in West Deptford. No tickets necessary. Just show up. For more details, go to the Facebook Event Page GCHS Class of 1982 Reunion or contact Dan Tricocci dtricocci@gmail.com.

REitre Day for Women

at Saint Mary by-the-Sea Retreat House, a sponsored ministry of the Sisters of Saint Joseph of Philadelphia. Facilitator: Barbara Springer SSJ

Saint Mary by-the-Sea Retreat House, Cape May Point, NJ Thurs., Sept.7, Tues., Sept.19, Wed., Sept. 20 2017 (same program each day) 9:30 AM – 2:30-3:00 PM 8:45 AM Arrival and Refreshments Donation: $35.00 (lunch included) For Registration Information: Please call 609-884-8708 Theme: “Who do you say that I am?” This retreat day will invite and challenge us to respond to Jesus’ question, “Who do you say that I am?”

Knights of Columbus

Clothing Drive

The Knights’ fifth annual clothing drive will take place on September 22, 23 and 24 (Friday through Sunday) at the Santa Maria K of C, 350 Crystal Lake Ave., Haddon Twp. The hours are: Friday 10AM-8PM, Saturday 8AM-6PM and Sunday 11AM-4PM. Please bring used clothing, shoes, belts, coats, etc. to the Big Blue ROBINSON Bin in the parking lot. Donated items are sold to thrift-shops and similar businesses. They are NOT ground up or used as rags. Receipts will be available.

Over the last four years, the Knights have collected over 13,000 pounds of clothing and raised over $2,000 for the Pro-Life Fund. The clothing bins at the back of the Council home remain available for small donations until then. Please call Mark Kiernan at 856-261-3074 (mvkiernan@verizon.net) with questions.

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Experience the JOY of our Catholic Faith-Experience RCIA

WHAT IS RCIA?

RCIA is a faith formation process that leads to becoming members of the Catholic Church. Students learn and experience the essential elements of Catholicism, Scripture and Faith.

Who are the PARTICIPANTS of the RCIA Program?

The program here at St. Rose Church is designed for:

1. Adults who have not yet been baptized.
2. Adults who have been Baptized in another Christian Faith.
3. Adults that were Baptized Catholics but have not completed their Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.
4. Non-Catholic Spouses who are interested in learning more about the beliefs of the Catholic Church.
5. Adult Catholics, who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith.
6. Adult Catholics, active in their faith community who would be interested in becoming a sponsor to adults that have signed up for the classes.

The start of the 2017 – 2018 RCIA Class is fast approaching

We will have our first gathering of students, sponsors, catechist and any other interested people on Sunday September 10, at 10:30 in the parish lounge. This is an informal Meet and Greet, it gives us an opportunity to introduce ourselves and also find out a little about each other.

Looking Ahead:

Sunday Sept. 24, 2017
Class Topic THE MASS – Catechist Dan Walker, Lectio: Dan Walker

Sunday Oct. 1, 2017
Class Topics TRADITION OF PRAYER / LITURGICAL PRAYER – Catechist and Lectio Dan Walker

Sunday Oct. 8, 2017
Class Topic Grace – Catechist Father Byerley, Lectio Mike O’Mara

Sunday Oct. 15, 2017
Class Topic Son of God – Catechist Mike O’Mara, Lectio Mike O’Mara

For any additional information Contact our RCIA Coordinator Deacon Doug Crawford at the rectory office (856) 547-0564 Ext. 21

It’s More Than Just a Ride

For 26 years Interfaith Caregivers has helped our senior and disabled neighbors live healthier, happier lives. Join us. Give someone a ride or go grocery shopping. Get involved. Find out how easy it is on:

Wednesday, September 6
7-9pm
Mabel Kay House, 24 Walnut St, Haddonfield
Please register in advance suszand@ifchaddons.org or call 856-354-0298
Check our website or a complete list of future orientations:www.ifchaddons.org
Spirituality of Knitting Retreat
September 12 - 15
(3-nights - mid-week)
Marianist Family Retreat Center
Cape May Point, NJ 08212
Come explore how the work of your hands is also the work of our Creator’s hands! Through shared prayer services, presentations, daily Mass and plenty of time to craft in community, we will explore the Spirituality of Knitting. All who knit, crochet or needle-craft with some experience are welcome!
Cost: $150 per person (includes program, lodging & meals)
Sign up online at www.capemaymarians.org or call 609-884-3829 for more information.

Contemplative Prayer Retreat
September 25-28
Marianist Family Retreat Center – Cape May Point, NJ 08212 /609-884-3829—www.capemaymarians.org
This retreat is intended for those interested in a contemplative prayer experience. First-timers as well as those who are familiar with this type of retreat are all welcomed. Our time will be filled with prayer experiences, quiet personal time, special liturgies and daily Eucharist. Cost: $150/pp

The Samuel Group
Who? What? Where? Discern your role in the church and the world. The Samuel Group discovers how to make decisions for life’s journey. The experience is for those ages 18 – 39 and will be forming this September. Participants are encouraged to bring their unique questions, desires, strengths and weaknesses to God and learn to respond to His loving voice. Sessions launch on September 17 at St. Thomas More Church, 1439 Springdale Road, Cherry Hill, NJ 08003 from 1 – 5 pm. To register or for more information: http://www.camdendiocese.org/samuelgroup/ or email Sr. Dianna Higgins sisterdiannafmj@yahoo.com

St. Simon Stock Parish’s Harvest Fest
Come One, Come All, to St. Simon Stock Parish’s annual Harvest Fest, which will be held on Saturday, September 23rd from 5 pm until 10 pm at St. Simon Stock Parish, 178 W. White Horse Pike, Berlin, NJ.

Ignatian Spirituality
A four-part series on aspects of Ignatian Spirituality will be given by Father Dan Joyce, SJ
Where: St. Thomas More Parish, Springdale Road, Cherry Hill
When: Thursdays September 14, 21, 28 & October 5
Time: 7:00—8:15PM
Call the Parish Office (856-424-3212) to Register.

The Wild Goose
Discovering a deeper relationship with the Holy Spirit. An awesome video series of 14 segments by Fr. Dave Pivonka, TOR
Why the wild goose? How can you use it? Check it out: thewildgoosesisloose.com ALL ARE WELCOME!
St. Rose of Lima Lounge
Sundays 7:30pm-9:30pm - Sept. 10, 2017 – Oct. 29, 2017
Come and watch the videos, have a snack, and join in small group discussions. Can’t attend all the sessions- just come when you can! You’ll be glad you did!
For more information, contact Sue: 856-745-1550 or cswheeler45@gmail.com

DIOCESE OF CAMDEN
Office of Child and Youth Protection
The Office of Child and Youth Protection is announcing CAP (Child Assault Prevention) sessions. CAP is the safe environment training program for adults who have regular contact with minors. Attendance is required in order to comply with the USCCB’s Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. The policy of the Diocese of Camden is that adults will attend CAP once every five years.
CAP 1 teaches attendees to recognize child abuse and neglect and how to report to the proper authorities. Adults are taught that children have the right to be safe, strong and free. CAP 1 is for new volunteers and employees.
CAP 2 is called CAP's Bullying Prevention Program and is a workshop addressing bullying awareness and bullying prevention. Cyber-bullying is also presented.
CAP 3 is called Cyber-Empowerment and is a workshop which promotes adults understanding of cyber activity of youth while teaching them realistic ways to help children keep their own rights and guard the rights of others in the cyber-sphere.
The following sessions will be offered in September 2017:

**Cap Phase 1**
Wed, Sept 20th-7:00 PM Our Lady of Peace, Marian Hall 32 Carroll Ave. Williamstown
Thurs, Sept 21st 7:00 PM St. Damien (Culliney Hall) 2nd & Atlantic Avenue, Ocean City
Mon, Sept 25th 6:00 PM Incarnation 240 Main Street, Mantua
Thurs, Sept 28th 7:00 PM St. Katharine Drexel 6075 West Jersey Avenue, Egg Harbor Twp
Thurs, Sept 28th 7:00 PM Christ the Redeemer, 318 Carl Hasselhan Drive, Atco

**Cap Phase 2**
Mon, Sept 18th 7:00 PM Christ Our Light 402 Kings Hwy North, Cherry Hill

**Cap Phase 3**
Tues, Sept 12th 7:00 PM Christ the King School 164 Hopkins Avenue, Haddonfield

To attend one of these classes, please call the CAP REGISTRATION LINE at the Office of Child and Youth Protection: (856)583-6165, or contact Maryellen Schell at maryellen.schell@camdendiocese.org. Please leave your name and the session date you plan to attend. You will not receive a call back. We ask that you register at least five days before the session you would like to attend. The CAP schedule, location, phone numbers and directions may be found on the Diocesan website www.camdendiocese.org/cyp.
Pray for the Sick

Please keep these parishioners, relatives, and friends that are in need of healing in your prayers...

Chris Bakey
Jannet Batta
Stan Bednarczyk
Catherine Biroc
Terri Brunick
Peg Bergbauer
**Joseph Connelly**
Lou Cram
Grace Dahmer
Gene Dannenfelser
Bernie Delaney
Annette Delozier
Andy Dentino
Frances Derengowski
Donna Desiderio
Tony Desiderio
Joan Devenney
Joanne Doto
James Eckert
Annie Engel
Bernice Evans

John Filipkowski
Msgr. John Frey
Christopher Gaj
Cassandra Gallo
William Geseric
Baby Luca Paul Giamporcaro
Elaine & Bill Graham
Joseph Guerra
Ann Hargrave
Nicholas Hasher
Stacy Johnson
Barbara Jordan
Robert & Margaret Juliani
Tom Karpiai
Ann Marie Kelly
Dolores Kelly
Jackie Kini
Julia & Timothy Koverchick
Elin Elizabeth Lafferty

Florence LaPlaca
Elizabeth Lee
Rich and Lucie Lipko
Francis Maida
Anna Marley
Anne Merritt
Peggy Maxwell
Anna Mayer
Phyllis McConnell
Catherine McGinley
Doug Michell
Nancy Miller
Dale Morrison
Gail Murtaugh
Kiera Oliver
Susan Paul
Anna Marie Pelle
Dolores Pelle
Tom Peluso

Yvette Theresa Priditkin
Kevin Regan
Morgan Replogle
Grace Rysinger
Lena Sannutti
Larry Schneider
Barbara & Alden Shultz
Brian Shuster
George Shuster
Joan Simpson
Jim Single
Sharon Smith
Joe Snyder
Ralph Sturgis
Linda Szafranski
Maryann Terragrossa
Frank Trybulska
Michael Villari
Fred Watson
Dave Wetherspoon

A Time to Rest in Peace...

We pray for our friends & parishioners who have died and their families...

Mary Cleary, Anne Merritt
Edith S. Mills

**MILITARY SERVICE**

Please pray for those defending our country

**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE**
James Bearden, Lee-Volker Cox, Christopher MacLuckie, Fr. Lasarian Nwoga, Anthony Cletti

**U.S. MARINE CORPS**
Sean Brunett, Emily Ann Krowicki, Timothy Anstotz, Shane Camardo Harris ’04, Louis Camardo, Logan DePue ’84

**Daniel DiEva**, **Dominick Dobson**, **Christopher Maloney**

**UNITED STATES ARMY**

**UNITED STATES NAVY**
Andrew Hicks, Dillon McLaughlin, Randy Wickersham, Eric Domenico, Raymond Henry Jr, Liam Hulin, Joseph Kogut ’96, Brigid McPeak ’00, Brian Murphy, John Raimondi, Brian Randolph, Glenn Stafford, Joseph Veled, Michael & Harry Hartenstein

**NATIONAL GUARD**
Jennifer Winton (NJ), James T Meyer (NJ), Sean Donohue (NJ), John Loberto (NJ), Cherokee Hunt (PA), Justin Oliver ’90 (NJ), Joseph Iulucci, Jr ’81 (NJ), John Drew, Anna Drew

**U. S. COAST GUARD**
Alyse B Corle, Alex Rulon ’03

**U.S. MERCHANT MARINE**
James Hicks, Michael Rugbar ’00, The highlighted young people are stationed in Afghanistan.

Graduation year from St. Rose School is indicated.

**Social Action Committee**
Hunger doesn’t take a vacation. Please remember we feed our local families all year long. Personal care items like toothpaste and shampoo are also welcome.
Thank you for considering! God Bless

**Rosary in the Rose Garden**

Please join us in praying the Rosary, every Wednesday at 6:30pm in the Rose Garden!
This Week's Scripture Readings

**Monday, 8/28/17**
1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13; Lk 4:16-30

**Tuesday, 8/29/17**
1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37

**Wednesday, 8/30/17**
Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10-11; Lk 4:38-44

**Thursday, 8/31/17**
Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-6; Lk 5:1-11

**Friday, 9/1/17**
Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6a,b,c; Mt 1:16,18-23 (18-23)

**Saturday, 9/2/17**
Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3; Lk 6:1-5

**Sunday, 9/3/17**
Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

Weekly Offering

Week of 8/27/17 — $10,704
Same week last year — $12,594

We are so very grateful to you for your continued support of St. Rose Parish. Your generosity helps us to meet our obligation to provide care of our parishioners through our many ministries here. God bless you.

Kentucky Train Thank You!
The Social Action Committee shipped 15 extra large boxes plus $845 in WalMart gift cards to Sr. Mary Jane at Our Lady of the Mountains. In speaking with Sister, she informed us that they recently had 2 families who each suffered house fires. Thanks to your generosity Sister will be able to help these families. Also, approx. 30% of the shipping costs were covered. Thank you so very much—it is greatly appreciated!

Social Action Committee

Why We Do What We Do
Standing at Mass

Some Catholics today complain that there is too much standing instead of kneeling during Mass. Standing, however, is the most ancient of liturgical positions. In fact, kneeling on Sunday and during the fifty days of Easter season was forbidden by the first ecumenical council of Nicaea (325). It was the ordinary position at worship for almost the first thousand years of Christianity. Standing was a natural expression of respect, reverence, and readiness.
Parish Directory

Parish Offices .......... (856) 547-0564    School Office .......... (856) 546-6166
Office Fax .......... (856) 547-7311    School Fax .......... (856) 546-6601
Rosebud Academy Preschool (856) 617-0750

Website ................. www.strosenj.com

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Clergy

Pastor ................. Rev. E. Joseph Byerley (Ext. 210) e-mail........pastor@strosenj.com
Parochial Vicar ........ Rev. Alfred Mungujakisa (Ext. 209) e-mail........parochialvicar1@strosenj.com
Retired in Residence ... Rev. Alfred J. Hewett e-mail........deacon1@strosenj.com
In Residence .......... Rev. John Stabenoy e-mail........deacon2@strosenj.com
Permanent Deacon ...... Doug Crawford
Permanent Deacon ...... Jim Rocks

School & Parish Offices & Ministries

Religious Ed .............. Deb Smaldore (Ext. 203) e-mail......cre@strosenj.com
Parish Secretary .......... Kathy Miller (Ext. 201) e-mail......parishsecretary@strosenj.com
School Principal .......... Mr. William Stonis (Ext. 301) e-mail......principal@strosenj.com
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Parish Sacraments and Policies

Parish Membership

We are always happy to welcome new parishioners and we invite them to register at the rectory and to make arrangements to have their home blessed. When moving or changing an address, please notify us.

Eucharistic Adoration

The Chapel is open for Prayer & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on weekdays from 9:00 am – 8:00 pm.

Sacrament of Baptism

We rejoice with parents over the birth of their child and look forward to their child’s Baptism. Baptisms take place each Sunday at 12:30 pm. A Baptism preparation session is required for parents to prepare for their child’s Baptism. This preparation is held on the 2nd Sunday of the month at 12:30 pm in the Parish Lounge. (3rd Sunday in May due to Mother’s Day) Please call the rectory office to pre-register for this class.

***If you have been asked to be a Godparent or Confirmation sponsor, please call the rectory to set up a short meeting with one of our priests/deacon to obtain your letter of eligibility/sponsorship letter.

Sacrament of Marriage

For parishioners who have become engaged to be married, please contact one of our priests or deacons to set a date and to obtain a copy of our Wedding Guidelines. Arrangements must be made at least one year in advance of the wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick

Any parishioners who are experiencing serious illness, who have been hospitalized due to an accident, or who are preparing for surgery please call one of the priests to arrange for Anointing of the Sick. When a loved one’s condition has become terminal, please call for one of the priests anytime to arrange to bring the Holy Eucharist as Viaticum.

Fall Rectory Office Hours:

(effective September 5th)

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