



Matthew 13

Catholic Collaborative Parishes of Sharon and Walpole

Blessed Sacrament Parish

Our Lady of Sorrows Parish

St. Mary Parish



The Fourth Sunday of Easter • April 26, 2015

“I am the good shepherd,
and I know my sheep
and my sheep know me.”

JOHN 10:3

FIRST READING: Acts 4:8–12

RESPONSORIAL: Psalm 118:1, 8–9,
21–23, 26, 28–29

SECOND READING: 1 John 3:1–2

GOSPEL: John 10:11

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Shepherds and Leadership



Rev. Chip Hines
Pastor

Today, Sunday, April 19, was a banner day. I had the privilege of not only celebrating the Holy Eucharist that day but also baptizing 10 babies that afternoon. You probably won't be surprised when I tell you that this is what I always thought the vocation to the priesthood would be. It was a real pick-me-up to see the smiling faces of the moms and dads and extended families. You see, I didn't go to the seminary to be an administrator or a manager. I went to learn to be a pastor, a shepherd.

On the Sunday you read this we hear the Gospel of the Good Shepherd. Of course that describes Jesus Himself, and we who stand *in persona Christi* can only hope to be an imitation of Christ in the world. A shepherd or pastor cares for his flock and provides them leadership. A shepherd doesn't abandon his sheep or let them run amok, and likewise a pastor tries to lead his people to the best of his ability. He leads with love, for sure, but he leads nonetheless.

I'm sure that back in the day the shepherds would gather to discuss the fine points of being a shepherd and likewise today I certainly think gathering with the various groups like the finance councils and the new collaborative parish council will help me immeasurably as we go forward. Meeting with the staffs will be invaluable as well, and I look forward to continuing this practice. I know that I do not have all the answers to the important questions facing us, but I do know that our highest priorities will continue to be keeping our Catholic identity and reenergizing our efforts to evangelize our community.

There will be bumps in the road, there will be disagreements on direction and emphasis, and we will make mistakes, re-group, and move on. But we can all be assured that everyone, whether priests, staff, lay leadership or parishioners, have the best interests of all of us at heart. Everything we do or propose will be done after careful consideration and prayer and I promise that we will always aim for excellence.

When given the opportunity, I hope you too will answer the call to be a leader or helper in the field as well. A well-formed laity will be very important to the success of both the collaborative in our communities and the future of the Catholic Church in the United States as a whole. The emphasis in that sentence is on "well-formed" as we must think with the mind of Christ and of His Church. If we are truly to be the Body of Christ, we must follow the Head and we must be intentional disciples. Thanks for taking the time to read this but also the time to pray about how we can all help make our parishes centers of discipleship and mission. The future is in our hands. This is our time! Let us seize it!

Peace.

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Mass & Healing Service

A Mass and Healing Service will be held at Blessed Sacrament Church this Sunday, April 26 at 2pm with Fr. Joseph P. McDermott.

All those have physical illnesses, as well as those burdened or suffering emotionally, mentally, spiritually, psychologically, or financially are cordially invited to come and pray with us. You may pray for your own needs or the needs of others.

If you would like a list of all the healing services, usually being held on the last Sunday of the Month, please call the Blessed Sacrament parish office at 508-668-4700 and the Healing Service Calendar will be mailed to you.

Second Collection

This week's second collection supports three important national Catholic missions. The Military Archdiocese collection provides for Catholic chaplains throughout the world for American servicemen and servicewomen. The Home Missions collection subsidizes the evangelization and formation activities of mission dioceses. The Black and Native American collection strengthens evangelization and outreach programs which would otherwise be in danger of disappearing among the Black, American Indian, Eskimo, and Aleut communities of the United States. For more information, please visit www.usccb.org/hm or www.milarch.org.



	Gifts	Gifts Goal	#Donors	Donors Goal
Blessed Sacrament	\$31,595	\$55,150	133	180
St. Mary	\$66,210	\$64,713	125	133
Our Lady of Sorrows	\$10,625	\$35,522	56	144

Parish Goals are based on past Appeal performance.

Thank you to all who have participated in our 2015 Catholic Appeal campaign. Your support is the most effective way our collaborative community can join together in the Church's universal work to care for our neighbors. If you have yet to participate in the 2015 Catholic Appeal, please visit www.bostoncatholicappeal.org or pick up a pledge form available in the back of your church. Thank you for your prayers and support.

Fr. Bullock Run, Walk, Shuffle

Father Robert Bullock was the Pastor at Our Lady of Sorrows for 26 years, until he passed away in 2004. He was an avid runner, and since 2005 the Fr. Bullock Run, Walk, Shuffle has been held annually in his memory. Father Bullock connected the community, and the proceeds of the event are donated to Facing History and Ourselves and to Youth Lead, two organizations dear to his heart, as well as to the Jimmy Fund in recognition of the fact the he died of cancer. Last year a total of \$4,300 was raised.

This year's event, the 11th, will take place on Sunday, June 14. With a kids race, a 2 mile walk and a 5 km run, there is something for every fitness level. The kids' race kicks things off at 5:30pm, with the other distances following at 5:45pm. The first 175 to register will receive a commemorative T-shirt.

In addition to participants, we are looking for volunteers and sponsors. Participants can register on-line at www.signmeup.com/105265. Sponsors and volunteers can connect at www.fatherbullockcharityrace.com

Ultreya

Please come for Ultreya, a night of praise, prayer and faith sharing at St. Mary's Parish in Dedham, Tuesday, April 28. We meet at 7pm in St. Joseph's Chapel in the Parish Center on Avery Street. Fr. John Sassani will be our celebrant.

Scheduling Events

If you or your group wish to schedule an event in your parish, especially if you will need to reserve space, please contact the Parish Office as far in advance as practical to ensure the event is on the calendar and there are no conflicts. Thank you.

Register as a parishioner

To register as a parishioner in one of our parishes, please either visit the parish web site and click on the *Welcome* button, contact a parish office by phone, or drop by during business hours.

And Welcome!

Blessed Sacrament Parish

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Pancake Breakfast

A pancake breakfast will be held this Sunday, April 26 in the cafeteria of Blessed Sacrament School. Please consider joining us after the 8am Mass or after the 9:30am Mass. Feast on pancakes, bacon, sausage, cereal, orange juice or coffee. The cost is just \$5 per person with a family cap of \$20. This event will take the place of coffee hour, so please consider joining us to support our 7th Grade Middle Students as they help to defray the cost of their school sponsored trip to New York City in May. Thank you in advance for your support. It is greatly appreciated.



Father/Daughter Dance

Each year, Blessed Sacrament Parish and School host a dance for girls and their “special someone”. Bring your dad, stepdad, grandfather, uncle, or other special guy for an evening of dancing, photos, raffles, and more! The dance is Friday May 8, 6:30-9:00pm in the BSS gym. Proceeds support the parish youth summer trips and the school. Contact Margaret (youthminister@blessedsacrament.org) for the registration form or print it from the parish website. Forms are due by May 1.



Solidarity & Service Overnight Event

On May 15 and 16, 6–9pm, the Youth Ministry and Religious Education Programs will be holding an overnight event for Middle School students. This event will take place in the Blessed Sacrament school gymnasium. Students will participate in fun and engaging activities exploring the themes of famine and faith, solidarity and service. We will watch videos, play games, work in small groups and learn about the effects of famine throughout the world, and our call to discipleship. Each participant must supply their own sleeping bags and pillows. Light snacks and drinks will be provided.



Sister St. Vincent Award Nominations

Sister St. Vincent served at Blessed Sacrament and was known for her zeal and service towards others. In memory of her, Blessed Sacrament honors a graduating high school senior in the parish who has demonstrated a similar passion for service in his/her school, parish, and greater community. If you know of a high school senior who lives out Sister St. Vincent’s spirit of service, please submit a letter of nomination to Margaret Manning at the parish house or via e-mail, youthminister@blessedsacrament.org. The letter should include the nominee’s name and state specific examples of how that person serves above and beyond

in the community. Please have letters in by Friday May 29. A committee of parishioners will select a recipient who will receive the award at the Baccalaureate Mass on June 14.

Second Collection Next Week

Next week's second collection will be the monthly Balance the Budget collection, typically held on the first Sunday of each month, and is used to do just that: balance our operating budget. Many thanks for your generosity!

Sung Acclamations During Mass

For the Easter Season, please turn to #880-884 (Mass of Creation) in the pew hymnal to join in singing our sung acclamations during Mass. Please lift your voices in song!

Separated or Divorced

A group of fellow Catholics, who have gone through the separation and divorce process, offers support for those encountering this difficult situation. A Mass for this group will be celebrated on Wednesday, May 13, at 7 PM in the Community Room of Blessed Sacrament Parish. If you are separated or divorced, you are certainly welcome to join them at the Mass. Following the Mass, there will be a meeting during which you can meet members of the group, and you can become acquainted with the group's ministry. For more information about the group, please contact John Meuleman at jmeulema@russelectric.com or 781-982-6097. Also, please call or email if you are planning on attending the Mass on May 13, so that we can know to look for you.

Catholic Spiritual Writers: Thomas à Kempis

"Therefore, take up your cross and follow Jesus, and you will attain eternal life" (Book 2, Chapter 12). This is the essential message of *The Imitation of Christ*, for centuries attributed to Thomas à Kempis. The book (actually composed of four books) is meant to inspire and prod us in our search for meaning in life, especially in life's mundane and difficult aspects. *The Imitation* is the product of a school of spirituality that was prevalent throughout the Rhine Valley and the Netherlands in the 1400s. Generally referred to as *Devotio Moderna*, the New Devotion, it was a reform movement in its day, an attempt to revitalize the Church by showing how to live a life of simple devotion. Through *The Imitation*, Thomas became the spokesman for his times.

Born Thomas Haemerken at Kempen, a town of artisans near Cologne, Thomas left home at thirteen to join an older brother in Holland. Soon, however, Thomas entered the Brothers of the Common Life, a secular confraternity which tried to duplicate the life and spirit of the early Jerusalem Church, with each member supporting himself, sharing all in common, and living the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity, and obedience. Thomas was an accomplished scribe (a four-volume copy of the Bible he copied is still extant). In time, Thomas transferred to the Canons Regular of Saint Augustine. He was ordained a priest, then appointed subprior. Given the duty of instructing new members, he wrote a number of works, none as popular as *The Imitation of Christ*.

Why are we still so devotedly reading a book written in the fifteenth century? Literally tons of spiritual books have been written since then, so how did this one happen to become the most requested Christian book, second only to the Bible itself? Its devotees want to know how to live their lives in union with Christ, how to make sense of the many sufferings they face. This is the book, we are told, that the beloved Pope John Paul I was reading the evening he died less than one month into his reign. Saint Pope John XXIII revealed in his *Journal of a Soul* that *The Imitation* was his preferred reading after the breviary, the missal, and the Bible. Saint Ignatius of Loyola recommends it in his *Spiritual Exercises*.

But what does "imitation" of Christ mean? Aren't we expected to know who we are and be ourselves? We may need to remind ourselves that we are Christ through our baptism. So the process of *imitating* Christ is really the process of *t* ourselves with him. This transformation is a lifelong work.

In the ancient world, masters gathered disciples around them, disciples who stayed with that master all the time, for the purpose of imitation. Jesus clearly stated, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me" (Mt 16:24). If we have drawn near to Christ, we cannot help but take on his attitudes and his interests.

Amazingly, *The Imitation of Christ* has spoken to the contemporary situation of people for more than 600 years. This ability to relate to the human heart, wherever and whenever, has made this small volume a classic. Perhaps the tone and the sentiments of *The Imitation of Christ* will not be to your liking; perhaps they will not seem to speak to you—but pick it up out of curiosity or simply out of courtesy to the centuries of its devotees. It will say something also to your soul.

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Our Lady of Sorrows Parish

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Unity & Diversity Celebration

Our Lady of Sorrows Parish invites you to the Unity and Cultural Diversity Celebration Potluck on Saturday, May 30. We will begin with a multilingual Mass of Pentecost at 4:30pm followed by a potluck dinner in O'Connell Hall at 5:30pm. We ask you to bring a dish to serve 10 to 12 people and an object that represents your heritage. To register or for more information, please contact Fabiola Aguilera at faguilera@oloss-haron.org or 781-784-2265 ext. 1036.



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Make Way for Ducklings

Ann Marie Rosa, a longtime parishioner at Our Lady of Sorrows, will be the celebrity guest reader of "Make Way for Ducklings" at a Sharon community festival on Saturday, May 16, 10 am to 1 pm. Called the Bob-O-Thon, the event is a celebration of Bob Sondheim, the late athletic director of Sharon High School. Proceeds of the event will fund a scholarship for a scholar-athlete in the senior class. The event will start with a short walk from the high school to Memorial Park Beach, followed by live music, food, an origami demonstration and a fund-raising rubber duck race. For more information, contact Mike Molyneux at mmolyneux76@gmail.com.

Donate Travel-Size Toiletries

Do you travel a lot and collect many travel-size toiletries? The Christian Services Commission is once again collecting toiletries to make Personal Care Supply Kits for the women and men living in homes for displaced families. Please consider donating your travel-size toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, tissues, shampoos, conditioners and hand/body lotion to us. Donation boxes have been placed in the alcove of Our Lady of Sorrows Church this weekend.

Travel size only, please! Please contact Kate Mason at 781-784-6163 if you have any questions. Thank you for your help.



Children's Rosary

The next children's rosary will take place Saturday, May 2 at 9:30am. Everyone is welcome: children, adults, tweens, teens and beyond. Come to learn to pray the rosary and meditate on the beautiful mysteries of our faith. We will pray the Glorious Mysteries in celebration of Easter.

Extra rosaries are available, no experience necessary.



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Today's Music

Gathering Song: G3 #712 The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Response to Psalm: The stone rejected by the builder has become the cornerstone

Communion Song: G3 #931 Come to the Banquet

Sending Forth Song: G3 #527 I Know That My Redeemer Lives

Today's Readings: Page 1071

Prayers for the Deceased

Robert Rose

Prayers for the Sick

Bob Naughton; Matt Canuel; Anthony Venti; Thelma Sirkin; Gert & Francis DiLoreto; Diane DeGeralamo; Sherri White; Wayne & Judy Satterley, Donna Prado, Carrie-Ann Cabral, Kathleen Kanneigizer, Rob Christiansen

Collection

The average cost to run the parish is \$11,371 per week and our expectation is that 69% (\$7,845) will come from the weekly offertory. Last week, the parishioners contributed \$5,624. This number includes the average of our electronic giving.

Labels Are For Jars

Thank you to everyone who took Labels are for Jars materials at the beginning of Lent. A check in the amount of \$1,529.23 was sent to Cor Unum Meal Center in Lawrence, Massachusetts. Your continuing gifts are a real help in making possible the success of their mission to eliminate hunger in Lawrence.

Coffee Hour

Coffee Hour this week is hosted by the Parish Finance Council. Please join us in O'Connell Hall after the 8:30am Sunday Mass or before the 10:45am Mass for refreshments in a relaxed, social atmosphere with family, friends and other parishioners. All are welcome.

Parish Pictorial Directory

Due to the Collaborative changes undergoing in our parish, we had to put a hold on the Parish Pictorial Directory. We are happy to announce that the directory will be ready by the end of the summer. If you have any question, please contact Fabiola Aguilera at faguilera@olossharon or 781-784-2265 ext. 1036.

First Communion

This year we will continue our local custom of celebrating First Communion at various regularly scheduled parish Masses during the Easter Season. We will celebrate First Communion at the 4:30 pm Masses on Saturday, May 9 and 16, and at the 10:45 am Masses on Sunday, May 10 and 17.

Why celebrate First Communion during the Easter Season? Since First Communion is a Sacrament of Initiation, the Easter Season is an appropriate time to celebrate it as well as the other Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism and Confirmation. We celebrated Baptisms on April 26 and again on May 3 and Confirmation on May 15—all in the Easter Season.

Why celebrate First Communion at regularly scheduled parish Masses? Why not have “separate” and “special” Masses for First Communion? The key to the answer lies in our belief the Eucharist (First Communion) is a Sacrament of Initiation—initiation into the worshipping community of faith. Separate First Communion Masses and some of the customs surrounding them may give the impression that celebrating the Eucharist and receiving Communion is a once-in-a-lifetime event like a baptism or a wedding. The children are being initiated into the ongoing sacramental life of the parish. It is important for the parish community to be part of the Eucharistic celebration during which the children will share at the Eucharistic table for the first time.

First Communion is a significant moment both for the children and their families and the whole parish community. It's a time for the whole gathered assembly to welcome these children to the table of the Lord. We do so with great joy! It is also a time for us to become newly inspired and open to the Spirit as we witness our second graders move more deeply into their relationship with our God. May the community's active presence and participation at the Eucharistic celebrations during which the children will share for the first time at the Eucharistic table cause all of us to reflect on the gift of the Eucharist in our own lives and in the life of our parish community.

St. Mary Parish

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First Friday

On the first Friday of each month, the Blessed Sacrament is solemnly exposed on our altar following the 8am Mass until 12 noon, at which time Benediction is given. This is an excellent time to meditate and pray quietly in the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. Please sign the roster at the doors of the church to indicate the time during which you will be present. The Blessed Sacrament should not be exposed if no one is present in the church.



Prayer Requests

We are asked to pray for all our sick, our grieving, and our suffering. If you wish to add a name to the prayer requests, please contact Louise Fahey at Lffahey@gmail.com.



Religious Education News

Congratulations to the children of our parish on their First Communion. May the continual reception of this sacrament strengthen their faith and keep them close to Jesus throughout their lives. May the special blessings from this celebration draw us closer to God and inspire us to carry Jesus' message of love and peace to our family and friends.

Our last religious education classes will be held today, April 26 and tomorrow, April 27. Registration for next year is ongoing and we would love to have everyone registered as soon as possible. It helps us tremendously to be able to plan accordingly. First Communion is a 2-year program beginning in Grade 1. Confirmation is also a 2-year program beginning in Grade 9. Students who are enrolled in Catholic high school do not need to attend weekly scheduled classes, however they must attend our retreat, introductory meetings and participate in our service to The Pine Street Inn. Please check your email and our St. Mary web site to register for 2015-2016. You may also contact Karen Brady at 508-668-4974 ext. 1003 or kbrady@stmarywalpole.com.

Risen Lord, you are the Good Shepherd who watches over us and protects us from all harm. Give me the courage to be a loving shepherd and advocate for the poor and vulnerable.

Summer Program at Northeast Catholic College

Room is still available for the Summer Program at Northeast Catholic College in Warner, NH! The Collegiate Summer Program offers participants the opportunity to study theology, philosophy, literature and political science. During the summer program, students also attend daily Mass and enjoy sports, socials and day trips including hiking and canoeing. The program is for students who will be entering their sophomore, junior or senior year of high school in the fall of 2015. It is also open to students who have just graduated high school. The Collegiate Summer Program is a two-week session that runs from Sunday, July 26—Saturday, August 8. Register today at www.NortheastCatholic.edu. For more information, contact the admissions office at admissions@northeastcatholic.edu or 603.456.2656.

For Your Marriage

Jesus is the good shepherd who laid down his life for us that we may have new life. Give your marriage new life by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are May 1–3, May 29–31 and July 10–12. For more information call Jim and Elaine Richard at 1-800-710-WWME or visit their webpage at www.wwme.org.

Virtual Women's Conference

In Honor of Mother's Day weekend, 1060AM Catholic Radio will broadcast a full day of inspiring talks for women. These vibrant discussions are collected from past Boston Catholic Women's Conferences and will air on Saturday, May 9 from 8am to 8pm. A full schedule of talks is available at 1060Catholic.org. You can listen four ways: by Radio at 1060AM; Online at 1060Catholic.org; through the Mobile app iCatholicRadio; and through the phone at 712.832.8010.

Weekly Mass Intentions

*BSP-Blessed Sacrament; OLOS-Our Lady of Sorrows;
STM-St. Mary*

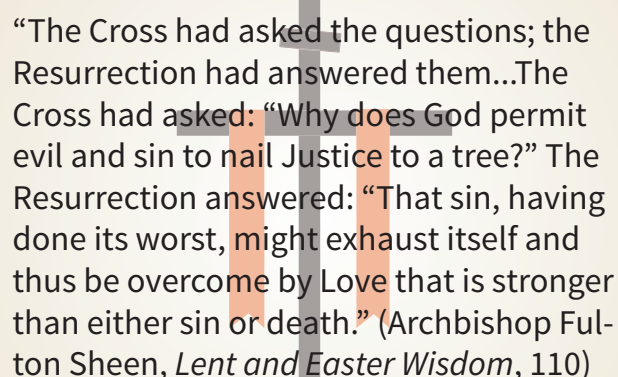
- Sat, Apr 25** 4pm BSP: Daniel McLaughlin Sr., Daniel McLaughlin Jr. & Louise McLaughlin
4pm STM: Charles Capece
4:30pm OLOS: Robert Rose
- Sun, Apr 26** 11am BSP: Siroon & Hagop Harootunian
- Mon, Apr 27** 8am STM James & Nora Connors & Catherine Kennedy
- Sat, May 2** 4pm STM: Nora Powers

May Educational Series at Bridges by EPOCH at Westwood

Bridges by EPOCH at Westwood will host the presentation, "**Understanding the Different Forms of Dementia**," on Thursday, May 7 at noon at the Bridges by EPOCH at Westwood Welcome Center, 252 Providence Highway in Lambert's Rainbow Square. Attendees will discuss spirituality and its importance in the lives of those with dementia. This presentation will be led by Bridges by EPOCH Memory Care Director Alicia Seaver, a memory impairment specialist certified by the National Institute on Aging and Teepa Snow. A light lunch will be served.

Bridges by EPOCH at Westwood will also host the presentation, "**Spirituality and Dementia**," on Thursday, May 21 at noon at the Bridges by EPOCH at Westwood Welcome Center. Attendees will learn the differences between the various forms of dementia—from Alzheimer's disease to Lewy body dementia and vascular dementia. The presentation will also be led by Alicia Seaver.

These events are part of Bridges by EPOCH at Westwood's ongoing educational series on memory care. Presentations are free and open to the public but space is limited. For more information or to RSVP, please call 781-251-6630.



"The Cross had asked the questions; the Resurrection had answered them...The Cross had asked: "Why does God permit evil and sin to nail Justice to a tree?" The Resurrection answered: "That sin, having done its worst, might exhaust itself and thus be overcome by Love that is stronger than either sin or death." (Archbishop Fulton Sheen, *Lent and Easter Wisdom*, 110)

Daily Mass Readings

- Mon, Apr 27:** Acts 11:1–18; John 10:1–10
Tues, Apr 28: Acts 11:19–26; John 10:22–30
Wed, Apr 29: Acts 12:24–13:5a; John 12:44–50
Thu, Apr 30: Acts 13:13–25; John 13:16–20
Fri, May 1: Acts 13:26–33; John 14:1–6
Sat, Mar 7: Acts 13:44–52; John 14:7–14

Weekly Events Calendar

Sunday, Apr 26

8:30am STM Religious Ed, Parish Center
9:30am OLOS Coffee Hour, O'Connell Hall
10:30am BSP Religious Ed Gr 1-5
12:30pm OLOS Baptisms
2pm BSP Mass and Healing Service
5pm BSP Religious Ed Middle School
7pm OLOS Boy Scouts, O'Connell Hall

Monday, Apr 27

10:30am BSP Bible Study: Ignatius Bible, Community Room
3pm STM Religious Ed, Parish Center
5pm OLOS Eucharistic Adoration, Church
7:30pm STM Adult Choir Practice
8pm BSP Holy Yoga, Community Room

Tuesday, Apr 28

9:30am BSP Bible Study: Revelation, Community Room
5pm BSP Religious Ed Gr 1-5
6:30pm OLOS Children's Choir Rehearsal
7pm BSP Religious Ed Middle School
7pm OLOS Boy Scouts, O'Connell Hall

Wednesday, Apr 29

9:30am BSP Morning Prayer Group, Community Room
10am OLOS Bible Study, O'Connell Hall
4pm BSP Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Chapel
6:30pm STM Adult Bible Study, Parish Center

Thursday, Apr 30

9:45am BSP Praying the Scriptures, Community Room
4pm OLOS High School Service Trip, Nazareth House
5pm BSP Youth Choir Rehearsal, Church
6pm BSP Handbell Choir Rehearsal, Church
7pm BSP Adult Choir Rehearsal, Church

Friday, May 1

9am STM First Friday, Church
10am OLOS Rosary, Church
4pm, 5pm, 5:30pm BSP 1st Communion Rehearsals

Saturday, May 2

10am OLOS Cantor Rehearsal, Church
1pm BSP 1st Communion Mass
4pm BSP 1st Communion Mass
6pm STM Volunteer Appreciation Dinner, Parish Hall



BSP Blessed Sacrament Parish
BSS Blessed Sacrament School
OLOS Our Lady of Sorrows Parish
STM St. Mary Parish

Sunday Mass Times

Saturday Vigil:

4:00pm Blessed Sacrament & St. Mary
4:30pm Our Lady of Sorrows

Sunday:

7:30am St. Mary
8:00am Blessed Sacrament
8:30am Our Lady of Sorrows
9:00am St. Mary
9:30am Blessed Sacrament
10:45am Our Lady of Sorrows
11:00am Blessed Sacrament
11:30am St. Mary

Confession Times

Saturdays:

3:00pm St. Mary & Blessed Sacrament
3:45pm Our Lady of Sorrows
or by appointment

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