

Our Lady Comforter of the Afflicted
Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - June 18, 2023





OUR LADY COMFORTER OF THE AFFLICTED

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MASSES

Daily: Monday, Tuesday, Friday 8:30AM

First Friday Mass—8:30am until further notice

Weekend: Saturday 4:00pm and

Sunday 9:00am and 11:00am

Holy Day: As Announced

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Celebrated on Saturdays or Sundays. To schedule a Baptism, call 781-894-3481 x7

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements six months-one year in advance by appointment. Please contact the parish office.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA): Anyone interested in journeying in faith to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation or Eucharist, please contact the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION:
Confessions - Saturday's from 2:45-3:15pm

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:
Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY: Extraordinary Ministers bring Holy Communion to those unable to attend Sunday Mass. Contact the parish office to make arrangements.

For more information on the Catholic Faith visit
www.usccb.org

CATHOLIC RADIO 1060AM

CATHOLIC TV: Verizon Ch. 296; Comcast Ch. 268

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Syro Malandara Catholic Mass for the Boston Mission of the Syro Malandara Catholic Dioceses of USA and Canada held third Sunday of each month here at Our Lady's.

HOMILIES ONLINE

The homilies are posted on our parish website at www.olca.org. Go to the home page and on the right side you will see Homilies, just click on that and choose the homily you would like to hear again.

MASS INTENTIONS**Mass Intentions for Saturday, June 17**

Louis and Susan Caporiccio, Louis
Caporiccio, Jr., Patrick Flinn, Lucy, Carmen
and Anthony Quintiliani

Sunday June 18 - Father's Day

Prayers for all Fathers, Living and Deceased

Monday June 19 at 8:30am

Joan Busa Memorial

Tuesday June 20 at 8:30am

Poor Souls in Purgatory

Friday June 23 at 8:30am

Rita and Lee Capuzzo Memorial

Mass Intentions for Saturday and Sunday, June 24/25

Jeannette, Renauld and Mary Breton

Mario Pandolfi Memorial

Richard Shaughnessy Memorial

Jean Winchester Memorial

COLLECTION INFORMATION

June 10/11: \$5,003

May Online Donations: \$11,696

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays from 2:45-3:15pm

**SATURDAY ROSARY**

Rosary prayed the first Saturday of each month at 3:00pm in the church led by parishioners.

MEMORIALS

The **Bread and Wine** was offered last week in loving memory of William Rooney at the request of his family.

The **Bred and Wine** will be offered this week in loving memory of Bob and Jeff Stocki and Bill Vrettas.

ONLINE GIVING - STEADY/STABLE INCOME

As we head into the Summer months, we ask you to please consider signing up for **Online Giving**. This ensures steady, stable income for the Parish in case you are away for the weekend or you go on vacation. Our monthly expenses, unfortunately, continue through the summer and our weekly offertory is very important. You can sign up online by visiting olca.org and click on the "**Donate**" button. If you have any questions, call Sharon in the parish office.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS**Two \$1,000 College Scholarships to be awarded**

Our Lady's Knights of Columbus Council is pleased to announce its **2023 College Scholarship Program**. In its third year, the program is open to students of Our Lady's Parish entering their freshman year in college or a registered Technical School.

Program information and applications are available and can be picked up in the Parish office. The **deadline for submission of complete application is June 23rd**. We suggest you pick up your application as early as possible as you will need to gather academic and performance information and a recommendation from your high school personnel.

Congratulations and Good Luck!

REMEMBER OUR HOMEBOUND

If or someone you know cannot make it to Mass due to recovery from surgery, an illness or can simply no longer attend Mass **PLEASE, LET US KNOW**. Call Sharon in the parish office, 781-894-3481 x2 or parish@olca.org and we will make arrangements to have communion brought to you. Please make the call, we are here for you.

**MEMORIAL CANDLESTAND**

Remember those you have lost or remember special intentions through a memorial donation. The candles are \$250 per year. If you would like to reserve a candle or would like more information, contact the Parish Office at 781-894-3481 ext. 2 or email parish@olca.org

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL BOXES

THANK YOU to all our St. Vincent de Paul donors. From the bags of non-perishable foods, the checks we receive and the anonymous gifts in our donation boxes, we are eternally grateful. It is through your generosity we are able to assist those who ask for our help. God bless you all!

**LOST AND FOUND**

We have a lost and found plastic bin in the front foyer of the church just inside the main entrance doors. If you have lost something, please check there as that is where items found are placed.

"The right to life is the first among human rights" ~ Pope Francis



More photos from the Memorial Day Veterans Civic Service on Waltham Common on May 29, 2023.



First Friday Mass for Our Lady's Academy June 2



More photos of Ff. Campo's Naval Chaplaincy Service at US Naval Base in San Diego





Our Lady's Academy 8th Grade Graduation - Tuesday, June 6



Happy Father's Day

On behalf of Fr. DiPerri, Fr. Campo, Deacon Jim, Deacon David and the Parish and School Staff ~ We wish all father's a *Happy Father's Day* and we remember all father's who are no longer with us in prayer.

Photos from June 10/11
Weekend Masses



FAITH

HOPE

LOVE

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION FOR 2023-2024 IS NOW OPEN!

Before school finishes for the Summer and everyone begins vacations and gets very busy, we ask that you consider registering early for the 2023-2024 Religious Education year. Timely/Early registration is greatly appreciated to plan for teachers, books, and supplies. You can easily **register and pay online at olca.org under the "Forms" tab**. Again, we thank Felicia Forger for her dedication and commitment to Our Lady's for the past seven years. Felicia is retiring to spend time with her family and new granddaughter. We welcome Elizabeth Pettine as our new Religious Education Coordinator. Many of our wonderful volunteers return year after year, for which we are most grateful, however, more volunteers are always needed. Teachers are most needed, but you may help in other ways as well - as a classroom aide, hall monitor, substitute teacher, First Communion help, Confirmation help. It is a low-key, welcoming and friendly environment, and we are blessed with a beautiful and spacious school building. Support, materials and resources are provided. Are you interested in this essential service to our parish community? Would you like to be a part of the Religious Education Program? Classes are Sunday mornings in between the parish Masses. For general information about the program or to join this ministry, please contact Elizabeth Pettine in the Religious Ed Office at 781-894-3481 x3 or email religiouseducation@olca.org.

OUR LADY'S MEMORIALS

Our memorials are meant to remember a deceased loved one or a special intention. These memorials include the illumination of the Stained Glass Window, Bread and Wine, Sanctuary Candle, illumination of outdoor Blessed Mother Statue and illumination of the indoor Blessed Mother Statue and Sacred Heart Statue in Sanctuary. The donation for each memorial is \$50 for a week. Contact Sharon in the parish office to make arrangements.

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RCIA

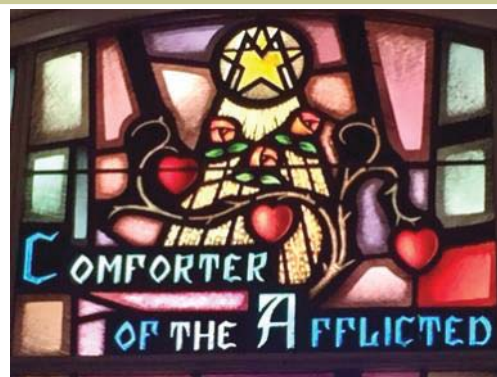
Are you thinking of becoming Catholic?



The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is the Church's ritual process for calling adults to a conversion of mind and heart and preparing them for a full and active life in the Church. RCIA is primarily intended for those who are unbaptized and preparing to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. Call 781-894-3481 x2 or email parish@olca.org and leave your contact information.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

For men thinking of joining the Knights of Columbus, there is an Online method you can use to join. Simply go to olca.org and click on the "Ministries" tab, then click on "Knights of Columbus". You will then be at the form to fill out. If you have any questions, call the parish office at 781-894-3481 x2.



AUGUST CASH GIVEAWAY FUNDRAISER

A mailing has gone out this week to all registered parishioners for our August Cash Giveaway Fundraiser which will be drawn on August 27 after the 11:00am Mass. Tickets are \$50. The amount of winners drawn will depend on how many tickets we sell. We will sell a minimum of 500 and maximum of 600 tickets so if we reach the 600 mark we will be giving away (20) \$500 prizes. All names drawn will win \$500 and you will have more chances to win as your name will be put back into the drawing. If you are reading this and would like to purchase a ticket but are not on our mailing list, please reach out to Sharon in the parish office and she will get your ticket to you. Thank you in advance for your continued support of Our Lady's Parish Fundraisers.

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