# Our Lady Comforter of the Afflicted

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 9, 2022





#### OUR LADY COMFORTER OF THE AFFLICTED

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PARISH OFFICE: 920-R TRAPELO ROAD, WALTHAM



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 920-R TRAPELO ROAD, WALTHAM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY—FRIDAY 8:00AM—4:00PM

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SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY—FRIDAY 7:45AM-2:45PM

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#### Mass

Daily: Monday, Tuesday, Friday 8:30AM
First Friday Mass—8:30am until further notice
Weekend: Saturday 4:00pm Indoors & Sunday
9:00am Indoors and 11:30am Outdoors

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 monthsone 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 EWTN: Verizon Ch. 285; Comcast Ch. 238

#### **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**

#### Saturday and Sunday Mass Intentions - Oct. 8/9

Shirley Newfell Memorial Lorraine Allain Memorial Adam Sedzikowski Memorial

Monday October 10 at 8:30am

Poor Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday October 11 at 8:30am
Pete Connolly Memorial

Friday October 14 at 8:30am

Catherine and Francis Kennedy and

Jim Kennedy

Saturday and Sunday Mass Intentions - Oct. 15/16

Juan Palmerola and Laura Echeveste

Edward Rielly Memorial John and Mary Donahue Memorial

#### **COLLECTION INFORMATION**

October 1/2: \$6,734.84 August Online Donations: \$11,766

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday's from 2:45-3:15pm Extra Confessions, **Monday, October 3** from 4-4:45pm

#### **MEMORIAL**

The <u>Stained Glass Window</u> will be illuminated this week in loving memory of Carmella and Joseph Galeno at the request of their daughter, Marie.

#### SATURDAY ROSARY

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

## OCTOBER SCHOOL CONFERENCE/ADORATION WITH FR. DIPERRI AND FR. CAMPO

10/11 - Grades 5-8

10/17 - PreK-K at 9:15am and Grades 1-4 at1:00pm



Congratulations to the Caissie Family on the Baptism of Shay Reilly on Sunday, October 2.



### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Thank you to the volunteer teachers, aides and parents for such a successful start of our CCD year. We are grateful to our volunteer parking and building monitors who help maintain order and safety from arrival to dismissal. Registrations are ongoing and easily submitted through the parish website: *olca.org* under the Religious Education tab. It is never too late to join this ministry. Teaching our children about our Catholic Faith Life is essential in carrying-out the mission of Jesus Christ. Please contact Felicia Forger at <a href="religiouseducation@olca.org">religiouseducation@olca.org</a> or call 781-894-3481 x3 on how you may help as a teacher, aide, or safety monitor. We encourage teaching teams with friendly flexibility to accommodate busy schedules. Thank you!

## CCD CONFERENCE/ADORATION WITH FR. DIPERRI AND FR. CAMPO

November 6, January 22, March 26

#### <u>TURKEY-RAMA – NOVEMBER 19</u>

Drawings begin at 5:30pm – Doors open at 4:00pm You should have received the Turkey-Rama mailing by now, please send in your ticket stubs with payment in the envelopes enclosed with your letter. You do not need to be present to win.

The success of our Turkey-Rama is based on donations received. We are in need of raffle prize items for our raffle tables. Gift Certificates of \$25 or more are also needed for our spinning wheel game. Thank you in advance for your help.

Great news to report - the maximum occupancy for this years Turkey-Rama has been reached. If you wish to be added to our waiting list, please let me know as soon as possible as this will be on a first come, first serve basis.

To accommodate those on our waiting list OR for those who would prefer to participate in another way, we will open the doors for you from 1:00-3:00pm on November 19 for you to come and see all of the raffles and see if there is anything you would like to win! Then, also new this year, the event will be livestreamed on our parish website olca.org and parish Facebook page for you to watch to see if you win.

We are grateful for the enthusiastic response to the return of Turkey Rama which truly benefits our parish.

We look forward to seeing you on November 19 and enjoying a fun-filled evening together.

#### **WILL OR BEQUEST GIFTS**

When considering gifts to a charity in your Will or Trust, please remember Our Lady's.



Confirmation conference, Eucharistic Adoration and procession to new Statue of Blessed Mother and Jesus on Sunday, October 2.















Our Lady's Academy - Blessing of the Animals - Monday, October 3, 2022 with Fr. DiPerri and Fr. Campo.

















Photos from last weekend Masses - October 1/2

















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#### YOUNG LECTOR WORKSHOP ~ OCTOBER 15

We are eager to resume having student lectors at Mass! Is your child interested in reading at Mass on Sunday mornings? There will be a Young Lector Workshop on Saturday, October 15 from 9 to 10 am in the Church for grades 3 and up. Come and attend to see what it is like to stand at the microphone and read the Word of the Lord. Experienced lectors Joyce Gianfelice and Lorraine Evans, both former teachers, will be present to help the children build their skills and confidence. This is a positive & beneficial experience for the children and so good to see our youth at the lectern again. Please contact Felicia Forger at 781-894-3481 x3 or religiouseducation@olca.org for more information. Thank You!

#### CONFIRMATION NORTH END OF BOSTON FIELD TRIP ~ NOVEMBER 5

Led by Father DiPerri and Father Campo, Confirmation students in grades 9&10, will visit the beautiful Seaport Shrine of Our Lady of Good Voyage along with a couple of historic North End Catholic churches. Of course, we will enjoy an authentic Italian lunch and stop for cappuccino too. We will travel by bus and time is @9am to@1:30pm. Parent chaperones will be needed. We have enjoyed this fabulous field trip many times over the past years, and it is a great day of magnificent churches and pasta perfection! Please contact Felicia Forger at religiouseducation@olca.org or call 781-894-3481 x3 for more information or to reserve a spot.



#### CATHOLIC BOOK SHARE

Our spiritual reading is like a road map: it gives us the knowledge and insight we need to safely traverse the hazards of the spiritual journey and to stay on the path that leads to God and eternal life. And as this knowledge enters our minds and hearts it is to be expected that our spiritual reading will become as much prayer and petition as it is a private tutorial for growth in holiness. Without this spiritual road map – that is to say, without a commitment to spiritual reading – we are bound to get lost and confused in the noise of the world which drowns out spiritual life. It is thus important to keep a good Catholic book nearby for daily spiritual reading and nourishment. We have many more books to add to our Library to share with you. Please take the ones there now home with you and keep an eye out for new ones.





Next weekend, October 15/16 after all Masses, the Knights will be at all doors to the church conducting its annual Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities.

#### **WEEKLY/MONTHLY DONATIONS**

If you are not enrolled in Online Giving or using the Church Envelopes, please remember to drop your donations into the ceramic bins located at all entrances of the church or in one of the brown locked boxes. You can also mail your donations to the parish office - Our Lady's Parish, 920-R Trapelo Road, Waltham, MA 02452

Thank you for your continued support.

#### MESSAGE FROM ST. VINCENT DEPAUL

Our St. Vincent de Paul conference has enrolled with AmazonSmile to supplement its treasury. This program is set up for people to shop on Amazon just like normal, but the only difference is they use smile.amazon.com instead of www.amazon.com. It's that simple. There is no additional cost to the buyer. If a user of AmazonSmile has us designated as their charity, we will receive 0.5 percent of each purchase, which doesn't include shipping and taxes. That amount might not seem like much, but it can add up if you have enough people participating. Use our unique charity link: https://smile.amazon.com/ch/27-3630089. Please share this with your friends and family and encourage them to use the unique charity link above. If you have any questions, email stvincentdepaulolca@gmail.com. We also have a link on the parish website.

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Fr. Tom Nestor has served as pastor at the Collaborative Parishes of Resurrection and Saint Paul in Hingham for the past ten years, and previously served at St. Eulalia's in Winchester for 17 years. A Harvard graduate and native of West Roxbury, Fr. Nestor is known for fostering a sense of community wherever he goes.

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