

Our Lady of Consolation Church

1799 Hamburg Turnpike, Wayne, NJ 07470

A Roman Catholic Community Devoted to Stewardship Founded 1963



Weekly Bulletin

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time~ September 24, 2023

Our Mission - WE, the people of Our Lady of Consolation Parish guided by the Holy Spirit and nourished by the Eucharist, pledge to continue the mission of Jesus Christ who announced the reign of God. We accept His challenge to proclaim the Good News of salvation that Jesus, the Christ, died for us, and in Him we have life to the fullest measure. We seek to live as He lived, in service to others, building a community of faith and hope, with God's grace as our strength and the peace of Christ our heart's desire.

A Parishioner is - one who is registered and participates in the liturgical life of the parish and demonstrates their support, as reflected in the Parish Mission Statement, by completing and fulfilling an annual Stewardship Commitment of Time, Talent and Treasure.

A Message of Hope

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

In this gospel, the wealthy land owner seems to be a very generous man and he is determined to teach his laborers the value of charity and, I believe, a much deeper lesson that God does not play favorites in life.

There are many people who come to an appreciation of God and faith late in life. I am sure God would not hesitate to admit them to the Kingdom of Heaven much as He might admit a lifelong church goer.

As Jesus reflects in one of His gospels, like the good shepherd who leaves the ninety-nine sheep and goes after the one that was lost; God beckons the lost sheep to return at any time and place and they would be fully accepted and embraced by the infinite love that God has for us all.

In Christ,

New Parishioners for August 2023

The Amato Family- Damaza, John and Lorenzo

Anna and Matthew Butler

Caroline and Christopher Caltavuturo

The Carbonelli Family - Terri, Michael and Michael

The Cavagnaro Family – Gabriella, Nick, Nicholas, Michael and Kathleen Stabile

Bridgit and Jon Davis
Barbara and Tim DeCamp

Sara and Mark Duca

The Francisco/Rosado Family – Kristin, Julio, Penelope and Santiago

Lorraine Gunby

The Petriccone Family – Kenneth, Alayna, Lillian and Alycia Adams

Joanne Van Sickle

Flora and Todd Vogt



Get more OLC news fast!

No need to search or type-just use your phone's camera to scan this QR code and go directly to our website for additional parish news.



Parish Center Office: Main#: 973-839-3444 FAX#: 973-839-9695 Ministry Center Office: Main#: 973-839-2323 FAX#: 973-616-5379

| Mass Intentions for Sept. 23-Oct. 1, 2023 | | \$15.00 MASS DONATION |
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| Date and Time: | Intention for: | Requested by: |
| Sat. Sept. 23, 2023 5:00 pm | Patricia Moore Ginger Masitas-Rinaldi Terry Okridge Elizabeth Carbone Edwin Minchin Ernie Templeton (11th Anniversary) Carmine Liguori | Her Family & Friends Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Marchese Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Marchese The Suzano Family Candace Brogan His Wife, Alma Robert Moore |
| Sun. Sept. 24, 2023 9:00 am | Anatolijs (Tony) Borovskis Liam Pakonis Ferdinand Dimitui Mary Lou Carlon Dorothy Lombardo Baby Evelina Dragone Emil Turcik (50 th Anniversary) | Susan Borovskis The Vallarta Family The Vallarta Family Dennis and Sara & Family Cosmo Fantozzi Frank & Gail Dragone The McGourty Family |
| Sun. Sept. 24, 2023 11:00 am | Patricia Gerne Thomas Roger Joseph Donnelly Keith Cavill | A Friend Diane & John Snowden Diane & John Snowden Terry Gabriele |
| Sat. Sept. 30, 2023 5:00 pm | Patricia Moore Thomas Roger Edwin Minchin Florence Spring Ann Micone | Her Family & Friends Veronica Maweu Mark & Tina Edie Krista & Michael Schiavone John & Susan McGorty |
| Sun. Oct. 1, 2023 9:00 am | Liam Pakonis Ferdinand Dimitui William Coyne Patricia Gerne Angela Palatucci | The Vallarta Family The Vallarta Family Frank & Gail Dragone Gene Kelley Matthew and Maryann Mahon & Family |
| Sun. Oct. 1, 2023 11:00 am | Helen Imperato Ann Biancheri Elisa & James Rizio Emma & Frank Campana Patricia Gerne | Denise & Joe Petriello Roberta Maquire Vincent & Angie Lombardo Vincent & Angie Lombardo Mario Rosellini |

a time to be healed.....

Abby, Audra Acquaviva, Ella Alberta, Peter Alvarez, Baby Daniel Aranzazu, David Bizgia, William Borsella, Barbara Boyle, Edvie Canavan, Clara Carvalheiro, Jean Caughey, Toni Cipolla, Donald Coomber, Melissa Copeland, Don Crowley, Mary DiGaetano, Luisa Estevez, Grace Ferreira, Tino Ferreira, Alexandra Garcia, Joan Golba, Cameron Hart, John Healey, Pam Hope, Eudra Howell, Lauren Hreban, Eugene Hudak, Patricia Jimenez, Louise Kelley, Ann Kelly, Kevin Khul, Marilyn Lane, Roseanne and Carmine Liquori, Anne Looney, Barbara Lopez, Donald Lugues, Gary Marchese Jr, Diane McCrostie, Terri McDevitt, Mary McDonald, George Micak, Marion Monzo, Bob Moore, John Nardi Jr., John Nardi, Sr. Joseph Nevatinski, Frank Nicolaro, Michele Norek, Michael Norman, Keith Orotosky, Bill Parisen, Cindy Paulis, Nolan Pena, Daniela Perrotta, Joseph Pezzano, Laura Puorro, Anne Ramundo, Laura Redl, Mary Laing Robinson. Teresa Salierno, Debra Santos, Carole and Jim Scazzaro, Joyce Seifried, Arnold Sisco, Brian Skillen, Mary Skillen, Anthony Trentacost, Connie & Joey Trentacost, James Waller, Douglas Weeks, Robert Wilbur, Kellee Williams, Kellie Wright, Jerry Ziccardi.

a time to be born.....

Catherine Emma Butler, daughter of Matthew & Anna Butler.

a time to die.....

Keith Cavill, brother of Terry Gabriele of our parish.

Stewardship-"A Way of Life"

Contributions Received - Sept.13 - 19, 2023

| Weekly Offertory | \$ 9,809.00 |
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| On-Line Giving | 460.00 |
| Electronic Giving* | 7,697.00 |
| Total | \$17,966.00 |

^{*}Generally, the 1st and 15th of the Month.

Fiscal Year 7/1/23 - 6/30/24

Collections — Fiscal Year to Date... \$162,213.00

Memorials

MEMORIAL CANDLE & PLAQUE FOR ST. JUDE OR THE BLESSED MOTHER: In memory of a loved one or as a special devotion, you may dedicate a candle and plaque.

The donation is \$100.00 for one year.

MEMORIAL GARDEN PLAQUE & PERPETUAL

REMEMBRANCE: In memory of a loved one, place a plaque on our garden memorial wall.

A one-time donation is \$250.00.

SANCTUARY LAMP DEDICATION: The Sanctuary Lamp, located near the tabernacle, is a symbol of the "light of Christ". Your contribution for this "light" can be dedicated in honor of a loved one.

The donation is \$10.00 a week or \$40.00 a month.

EUCHARISTIC BREAD & WINE: Each week we come together as a parish family to share the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. This donation is a special way to remember a birthday, anniversary or other special event.

The donation is \$25.00 a week or \$100.00 a month.

If you are not receiving your offertory envelopes, please call Susan McGorty at 973-839-3444, Ext 120 or by email at s.mcgorty@olcchurch.com

If you are currently participating in our Electronic Giving program, please remember to update your credit card information if your card has been changed or has expired.



Church Announcements



Your good news could be just the thing to boost someone else's spirits during these challenging times.

Do you have a special occasion that you would like to snare with your OLC family? Since not everyone is gathering for Mass each week, we have lost that outlet for sharing information with our fellow parishioners.

Since we do not want those in our OLC family who are not currently attending church to lose touch with other parishioners, Father Michael has been making announcements regarding our parishioners during his Sunday Mass livestreams.

If you have something you would like to share (such as an anniversary, birthday, graduation or any other milestone or event in your life) please contact Victoria Trentacost at 973-839-3444 Ext. 118. *Information must be received by Tuesday morning of that week.* We hope to be able to accommodate everyone's requests.

Religious Education



Sunday's 4th grade CCD class enjoyed making a Jesus mobile.

Youth Ministry

Mark Your Calendars Please:

11/5: Diocesan Youth Conference for Grades 7-10th

All middle school and confirmation candidates should mark Nov. 5th on their calendars for the Diocesan Youth Conference. Looking forward to it all. Thank you. Contact Jean for additional information and to sign up.

201-207-4762 or caugheyjc@gmail.com

Good Job!

Our parishioners contributed 80 bags and 7 cases of food for the September food collection.

Thanks so much for all your donations. **God Bless!**



Trivia Night ? Entertainment

Sports & Leisure ? Geography

? Science & Nature ? Art & Literature

Friday October 6th at 7:30pm **OLC Ministry Center. (lower parking lot)** 1799 Hamburg Tpke Wayne

All young adults in their late teens, 20's and 30's are invited and encouraged to bring friends, co-workers and acquaintances.

Contact info:

Jeff & MaryAnn Miller jefmil@msn.com 973-865-7380 Mike DeBenedetto mdeben3@gmail.com

Congratulations to Jim and Carole Scazzaro On 65 years of wedded bliss!





May God bless their union for many years to come!

20 Years!

Congratulations to the Thursday night Bible Study Ministry. They celebrated this milestone with fellowship, refreshments and gifts.

To join or for more information contact Rich Seraphine at 973-633-5404



Last Sunday Father Michael said a blessing for our catechists. May their faith journeys remain strong throughout their lives!







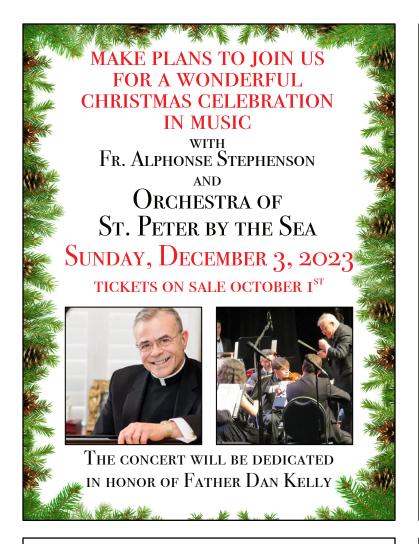
Join Us for the Public Square Rosary Crusade

Join Us:

What: THE HOLY ROSARY Where: OLC - 1799 Hamburg Tpke. Wayne When: October 14, 2023 12 Noon

> For more information, contact: Suny at 973-835-8256







Our Lady of Consolation Social Justice Ministry Senior Living Enrichment Project

October 14-15, 2023

The OLC Social Justice Ministry will be collecting a variety of small activity projects for some of the 12 Senior Living Facilities in Wayne.

We are asking parishioners to help October 14-15 at all Masses by donating any of the items listed below:







Colored Pencils/Crayons
Piece Puzzles (less than 500 pieces)
Playing Cards

Should you have any questions, please contact Claudia Irmiere 973-271-1756 or Terry Gabriele 973-650-1161

Thank you for your generosity!

The Blessing of the Backpacks



Father Michael's Prayer

God of wisdom and knowledge, bless these backpacks and the students that carry them as they begin the new school year. Help them to discover the gifts You have given them. Give them good friends, and help them be good friends to others. Help them know your peace when nervous, open their minds to lessons of the heart, and lead them in your way, your truth, and your life.

We pray also for the adults in their lives, that whatever role they play, they teach and guide these students with trust and faithfulness in You. All this we ask in the name of your Son Jesus Christ.

Amen

