

# *Our Lady of the Valley Church*

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**“The Church is Holy, not just because all are welcome.  
The Church is Holy, because all belong.”**

*Timothy M. Matovina  
University of Notre Dame*

*(paraphrased by Pope Francis at General Audience)*



## **Schedule of Masses**

### **Weekdays**

Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m.

### **Weekends**

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,  
and 12:00 Noon

All Masses are now Livestreamed

## **Parish Office Hours**

Monday through Friday

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

1:00 pm. - 5:00 p.m.

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday - 12:00 Noon in Church  
or by appointment

**Sacraments of Baptism, Marriage &  
Personal Appointments**

Please call the Parish Office

***Remember Our Lady of the Valley Church in Your Will***

## Our Parish is Served By

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pastoralcouncil@olvwayne.org

## Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday, March 6  
9:00 a.m.

For the People

Tuesday, March 7  
9:00 a.m.

For the People

Wednesday, March 8  
9:00 a.m.

Giulio Rossi  
Stella Segovia

Thursday, March 9  
9:00 a.m.

Casimiro G. Llanes

Friday, March 10  
9:00 a.m.

For the People

Saturday, March 11  
5:00 p.m.

Theresa Tarda

Sunday, March 12  
8:00 a.m.

Gaetano & Angelina Ferraro

10:00 a.m.

Irene Goodrich  
Giacomo Federico  
Michael Renaldo  
Philip Salerno, Sr.  
Theresa Toscani

12:00 p.m.

Barbara Akel  
Ciro & Carmella Festa  
Sharyn Mosca  
Peter Scibetta

## Presider Schedule

Weekend of March 11 - 12:

### Our Lady of the Valley

5:00 p.m.	Father Chris
8:00 a.m.	Father Wells
10:00 a.m.	Father Chris
12:00 Noon	Father Chris

### Holy Cross

5:00 p.m.	Father Wells
10:00 a.m.	Father Wells

## Act of Stewardship

Weekend: February 25 - 26

Attendance:	
In Person:	533
Livestream:	313

Collection:	\$6,633
WeShare:	\$1,747

<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$8,380</b>
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Turkey/Syria Relief:	\$1,477
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As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace.  
(1 Peter 4:8-10)



## Faith Formation News

### Grades 1-8

### TODAY: March 5

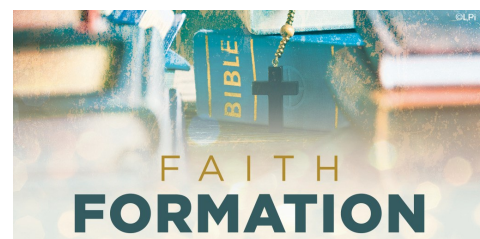
Sunday, March 19, 26; April 16, 23  
8:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Monday, March 6, 20, 27;  
April 17, 24  
7:00 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

### Confirmation I and II

Sunday, March 12  
9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

**Please have students arrive on time!**



## THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT - MARCH 5, 2023

## Parish Sacramental & Prayer Life

*Jesus said: "from the beginning of creation,  
God made them male and female.  
For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother  
And be joined to his wife.  
And the two shall become one flesh.  
So they are no longer two but one flesh.  
Therefore what God has joined together,  
no human being must separate."  
(Mark 10:6-9)*

**We congratulate those who recently  
celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage:**

***Connor Kennedy & Melissa Ziegler***

*"Is anyone among you suffering? They should pray...Is anyone among you sick?  
They should summon the presbyters of the church,  
and they should pray over them and anoint them with oil  
in the name of the Lord."  
(James 5:13,14)*

### **Pray for the Sick:**

***Barry Koerber***

***Neil Baker***

***Debbie Sleeman***

***Daniel Sinclair***

***Debbie Gronkowski***

***Barbara Boyle***

***Abigail Berretta***

***Lois Naiman***

***Frank Scillieri***

***Frank Bsales***

***Catherine Lacatena***

***Robert Verga***

***William Capello***

***Alan Mendillo***

***Hermione Gross***

***Louis Pacelli***

## Prayers for the Sick

If you would like to add someone for prayers and are a family member, please contact the parish office. As a reminder, due to HIPAA laws, only family members can request a person's name to be added to the prayers of the sick. Names for the sick will appear in the bulletin for four weeks only unless someone from the family calls to extend.

## Youth Group

The next Youth Group meetings will be held on Wednesday, March 15 and 29, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center Youth Room.

Responses are not required; however, in the event of winter weather conditions, please reach out to the Parish Center prior to 5:00 p.m. for any update on the meeting.

## Parish Registration



Parish Registration is necessary for all individual persons and families who worship with us on Sundays **and who intend to participate in the life of our parish with their time, talent and treasures.**

For more information, please contact the Parish Office or log onto our website. **Registration is necessary to celebrate Marriage and Baptism here, as well as for receiving Sponsor Certificates.**

## Funeral Ministry

We are in need of members for our Funeral Ministry. This dedicated group of people assist at all funerals acting as ushers, lectors, and altar servers, assisting in whatever way they can.

Please take some time to think and pray if this would be the right ministry for you to give back to your community. If you would like to volunteer for this ministry, please contact parish office. Training will be provided.

Funeral arrangements should be made through the funeral home directly with the Parish Office.



## Eucharistic Ministers

We are in need of Eucharistic Ministers for our weekend Masses; especially on Sundays at the 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 Noon Masses. Please take some time to think and pray if this would be the right ministry for you to give back to your community.

Eucharistic Ministers must be 18 or older and received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Training is provided.

If you would like more information or are interested in signing up, please contact the Parish Office.

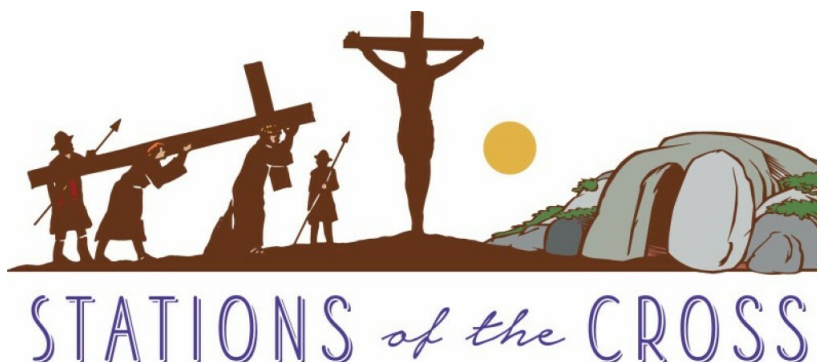


## Stations of the Cross

The 'Stations of the Cross' will be prayed each Friday evening during Lent at 7:00pm at Our Lady of the Valley Church.

For many, the Stations of the Cross are synonymous with Lent. This devotion is also known as the "Way of the Cross," the "Via Crucis," and the "Via Dolorosa." It commemorates fourteen key events on the day of Jesus' crucifixion, the majority concerning his final walk through the streets of Jerusalem, carrying his cross.

The Stations originated in medieval Europe when wars prevented Christian pilgrims from visiting the Holy Land and walking along the actual route.



## Welcome Home to Healing

Once again this year, the parishes of our Diocese of Paterson will celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation on the Mondays of Lent, taking part in the 'Welcome Home to Healing' initiative. The scriptures proclaimed during Lent echo the call to conversion, especially through the Lenten practices of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Special emphasis is given to Reconciliation and Penance so that all may celebrate the Paschal Triduum and Easter renewed in soul and spirit.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated from 7:00pm to 8:30pm at Our Lady of the Valley on the following Mondays: 6, 13, 20, 27.



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## Adult Confirmation Classes

If you, or anyone you know, is 19 years or older and would like information regarding the reception of the **Sacrament of Confirmation**, please contact **Sister Dorothy** at 973-694-4585 ext. 104 or email [Srdorothy@olvwayne.org](mailto:Srdorothy@olvwayne.org). Classes begin on April 19.



## Knights of Columbus St. Patrick's Day Celebration

For information regarding this or any other Knights of Columbus event, please email the Knights at [www.kofc6354.org](http://www.kofc6354.org).



**Knights of Columbus Council #6354**

Our Lady of the Valley and Holy Cross

RC Churches, Wayne, NJ

## St. Patrick's Day Celebration

**Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**6 PM to 10 PM**

Father Rugel Hall – 630 Valley Road - Wayne, NJ



**Tickets \$40**

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Ticket price includes: entry, meal (corned beef), and entertainment.  
Tricky Tray & 50/50 tickets sold at event.



**Irish Dancers, Pipers, DJ, Tricky Tray, and 50/50**

Tickets available online and after all weekend masses  
February 11<sup>th</sup> through 26<sup>th</sup>

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