Our Lady of Victories Church

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SPECIAL MASSES OR DEVOTIONS:

First Friday: 7:30pm, Mass of Sacred Heart & Devotions First Saturday: 8:00am, Mass of Immaculate Heart of Mary First Saturday: 12:00pm Mass for Souls in Purgatory

Novenas prayed after 8:00 a.m. Mass:

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal: Monday

St. Jude and St. Anthony: Wednesday **Infant of Prague:** 25th of the month

Rosary: Recited M - Sat after 8:00am & 12Noon Mass. Tuesday-Novena Prayer and Adoration: 2:00-3:00pm

Thursday-Holy Hour with Adoration & Benediction: 7:00pm

Friday-Exposition & Adoration: 12:30PM-3:00pm

THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE/CONFESSION:

Monday - Friday 7:30am -7:50am. First Friday at 7:00pm

Saturday at 11:00a.m.-Noon; 3:00pm -3:25pm

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

To register for Baptismal preparation and Baptism, call the rectory.

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION:

Call the Religious Ed Office for requirements/class schedule.

THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:

Please call the rectory for an appointment.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK/LAST RITES:

Sick calls at any time in emergency.

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS AND VOCATIONS:

Anyone contemplating a vocation to the Priesthood or Religious Life should contact the Vocations Office at 973.497.4365.

SUNDAY, May 28, 2017 A.D.



WELCOME

To the Parish Family of **OUR LADY OF VICTORIES** (THE LITTLE CHURCH WITH THE BIG HEART)

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00pm, 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 8:15am (Latin)

9:30am, 10:45am, 12:00pm,

1:00pm (Spanish)

6:00pm & 7:00pm



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Our Lady of Victories, Harrington Park/River Vale N.J.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Please *PRAY* in the name of *JESUS*, the Healer, that the *SICK* of *OLV PARISH* may be restored to health and all those who *ASSIST* and *CARE* for the sick will be given the *STRENGTH* to continue *GOD'S GOOD WILL*: Fr. Apostoli, William Biasi, James Brady, Joey Bulger, Kathy Freeburn, Marylou Goreb, Thomas Haring, Peter Kellar, Arnold Kemner, Joseph LoVecchio, Anne Matthaei, Teresa Meierdierks, Kyle Murphy, Canice Prince, Dan Ragusa, Odalis Recchia, Mary Rinner, Danny Rizzi, Suzanne Rothschild, Wendy Ruggiero, George Rush, Kathryn Turrell, Therese Vaglio, Jim Walsh, Catherine Wanner.

SPIRITUAL EXCERPT

God in the Ordinary

On the contrary, you must realize now, more clearly than ever, that God is calling you to serve him *in and from* the ordinary, secular, and civil activities of human life. He waits for us every day, in the laboratory, in the operating theatre, in the army barracks, in the university chair, in the factory, in the workshop, in the fields, in the home, and in all the immense panorama of work. Understand this well: there is *something* holy, something divine hidden in the most ordinary situations, and it is up to each one of you to discover it.

I often said to the university students and workers who were with me in the thirties that they had to know how to *materialize* their spiritual lives. I wanted to warn them of the temptation, so common then and now, to lead a kind of double life: on the one hand, an inner life, a life related to God; and on the other, as something separate and distinct, their professional, social, and family lives, made up of small earthly realities.

No, my children! We cannot lead a double life. We cannot have a split personality if we want to be Christians. There is only one life, made of flesh and spirit. And it is that life which has to become, in both body and soul, holy and filled with God: we discover the invisible God in the most visible and material things.

There is no other way, my daughters and sons: either we learn to find our Lord in ordinary, everyday life, or we shall never find him. That is why I tell you that our age needs to give back to matter and to the apparently trivial events of life their noble, original meaning. It needs to place them at the service of the kingdom of God; it needs to spiritualize them, turning them into a means and an occasion for a continuous meeting with Jesus Christ.

St. JoseMaria Escriva

Passionately Loving the World pg 5.

OLV K of C Baby Bottle Collection

Just a reminder—if you took a baby bottle, please bring the bottle with your monetary donations to the church or drop it off at the rectory. You may deposit loose change, checks or cash. Your contributions will benefit mothers in need and their new-born babies.

Do You Have a First Grader?

Time to register for CCD! Please call 201-768-1400 or email olvhpccd@gmail.com for a registration form and info. Classes begin in September.

What is Opus Dei?

St. Josemaría Escriváde Balaguer (the founder of Opus Dei) once defined Opus Dei as "a divine journey made by Christians who want to live like Christians." We do not intend to do anything sensational; we are common people seeking sanctification in our daily life.

"Socialism only works in two places: Heaven where they don't need it and hell where they already have it." Ronald Reagan

The Difference

Fifty, seventy-five, a hundred years from now, it will make no difference what kind of house I lived in, which stocks I owned, how large a bank account I accumulated, the model car I drove, the education I received, or the titles I held. What may make a difference is how I influenced children to be concerned, respectful, loving citizens of the nation, world, and Church.

Time for EASTER DUTY is Ending

The time for fulfilling the Paschal Precept (Easter Duty), that is the obligation of receiving the Eucharist for Easter extends to the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity, June 11, 2017. No one conscious of committing a serious or mortal sin should receive Holy Communion until they have first gone to the Sacrament of Reconciliation a.k.a. Confession. Confessions are heard EVERY Saturday from 11:00AM to Noon and 4:00-4:30PM, every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday morning at 7:30AM, as well as every First Friday at 7:00PM, and a Priest is also available to hear Confessions daily by appointment.

LIFE'S LITTLE INSTRUCTIONS

Sing in the shower * Treat everyone you meet as you wish to be treated * Watch a sunrise at least once a year * Leave the toilet seat in the down position * Never refuse homemade brownies * Strive for excellence, not perfection * Plant a tree on your birthday * Learn three clean jokes * Return borrowed vehicles with the gas tank filled * Compliment three people everyday * Never waste an opportunity to tell someone you love them * Leave everything a little better than you found it * Keep it simple * Think big but relish small pleasures * Floss your teeth * Ask for a raise when you feel you earned it * Be forgiving of yourself and others * Over tip breakfast waitresses * Say "Thank you" a lot * Say "Please" a lot * Avoid negative people * Buy whatever kids are selling from card tables in their front yards * Wear polished shoes * Remember other people's birthdays * Avail yourself to constant improvement * Carry jumper cables in your car's trunk * Have a firm hand shake * Send lots of Valentine's cards. Sign them "Someone who thinks you're terrific." * Look people in the eye * Be the first to say "Hello" * Use the good silver * Return everything that you borrow * Make new friends, but cherish old ones * Keep secrets * Sing in a choir * Plant flowers every spring * Have a dog * Always accept a helping hand * Stop blaming others * Take responsibility for everything in your life * Wave at kids on school buses * Be there when people need you * Feed a stranger's expired parking meter * Don't expect life to be fair * Never underestimate the power of love * Drink champagne for no reason at all * Live your life as an exclamation, not an explanation * Don't be afraid to say, "I made a mistake." * Don't be afraid to say, "I don't know." * Compliment even small improvements * Keep your promises * Marry for love * Rekindle old friendships * Count your blessings * Call your mother *

Dominican College Information Session

For Undergraduate and Graduate Degrees Wednesday, June 7, 5:30-7:30PM—Prusmack Center

"Truly great must be the value of human life if the Son of God has taken it up and made it the instrument of the salvation of all humanity." **Pope John Paul II**

To have more, desire less.

-3 - Home improvement: take your family to Church.

Upcoming OLV Parish Events

May 27/28 - Sat/Sun - Mother & Child Items Collection

May 30 - Tue - Marian Novena Prayer 2:00-3:00PM

May 31- Wed - Bible Study Group -10:00AM

May 31 - Wed - OLV Needlers 6:30PM

Jun 2 - Fri - Adoration from 12:30PM-3:00PM

Jun 2 - Fri - Mass followed by Sacred Heart Devotions 7:30PM

Jun 3 - Sat - AA meeting lower church 7:00PM

Moms Pops & Tots will resume in the Fall!

Mother / Child Collection

Social Concerns Ministry is having its annual Mother/Child collection to benefit New Hope Pregnancy Center. The center helps first time single mothers financially, physically, emotionally, and educationally. Items they are in most need of are: Diapers: size 4 diapers, Size 3T-4T pull-ups, Size 4T-5T pull-ups, Q-tips, wipes, Avent baby bottles, crib sheets, Boys 0-3 mo. long sleeve, Boys 3T short sleeves, shorts, and pants, Girls 3T long sleeves, Girls 3T short sleeve shirts, shorts, outfits, and pants. New items only.

FRIDAY ADORATION

Just a reminder we have Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Fridays from 12:00Noon – 3:00PM.

So stop by and adore Our Eucharistic Lord.

CONFESSION/RECONCILATION

Our Lord told St. Margaret Mary Alacoque that individuals should go to confession <u>at a minimum once a month</u>. This sacrament is offered EVERY Saturday from 11AM to Noon and 4-4:30PM; every weekday morning at 7:30AM, as well as every First Friday at 7PM. A Priest is also available to hear Confessions daily by appointment.

ACT OF CONTRITION

My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against you whom I should love above all things. I firmly intend, with your help, to do penance, to sin no more, and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Amen.

DID YOU KNOW?

In 1960 there were 439,000 unmarried couple households in the US; in 2000 there were 4.7 million. In 1960 husbands and wives living with their children made up 45 percent of the total US households; by 2000 the percentage had dropped to 23.5 percent. At the same time, the average size of American families fell from 3.58 persons in 1970 to 3.17 in 2000.

God knew our Greatest Need

If our greatest need had been information, God would have sent us an educator. If our greatest need had been technology, God would have sent us a scientist. If our greatest need had been money, God would have sent us an economist. If our greatest need had been pleasure, God would have sent us an entertainer. But our greatest need was forgiveness, so God sent us a Savior.

ARE YOU NEW TO THE AREA?

If you are, why not join our ever-growing Parish family. Stop by the Rectory any weekday and meet Maria and register to become a member of the OLV Family. Census forms are also located in the Church vestibule.

SIN = Soul in Need.

DEFEND YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH

Over the course of the last generation, Christianity and in particular our Catholic Faith has been under attack. Anti-Catholicism is the last acceptable prejudice. What can we do about it; besides prayer, all Catholics should join The Catholic League at 450 7th Ave, NY, NY 10123 or www.catholicleague.org and receive the journal The Catalyst, which has articles detailing where Catholicism is under attack and by whom.

BOX TOPS COLLECTION

The Archdiocese of Newark is helping the children of St. Joseph's Catholic school in Jersey City to collect Box Tops for Education. This is a program that was launched by General Mills to help support students and schools across the country. OLV is helping them in this endeavor. If you would like to donate any box tops to this cause, please drop off at the rectory.

SAVE USED EYEGLASSES

The Knights of Columbus collects used and old eyeglasses for the less fortunate. Any old or "retired" glasses may be left in the basket in the back of Church.

Peaceful Presence at Abortion Mills

Englewood, NJ - Metropolitan Medical Associates

40 Engle Street • Prayer and counseling Tuesdays: 8:30-10:30AM; Saturdays: 10-11AM.

Hackensack, NJ - Women's Choice

Corner of Zabriskie and Main - Mondays, Fridays, Saturdays: 8:30-10:30AM.

For more info - Annette: (201) 569-3246 Please consider bringing your teens. Let's be role models for them so they will view social activism as a natural human activity.

PURITY

- 1. Purity is promised the highest reward: "Blessed are the pure of heart for they shall see God." (Matt. 5:8)
- Purity must spring from the heart, and must pervade every thought, act, or movement.
- 3. Modesty is the external manifestation of the purity of heart and mind.
- The beauty of modesty is unforgettable: the greatest spiritual force on earth.
- 5. The attributes of purity: it is loving, tender, loyal, humble, ardent and, above all, ferocious terrible as an army set in array.
- Purity converted kingdoms and empires, exalted warfare to the sublime status of chivalry, transformed a family, elevated womanhood, and sanctified the earth by the religious vow of virginity.
- 7. The issues of purity are the personal concern of our Lady: for it is she who made virginity the heart of religion. It is primarily under that aspect that her arch-enemy, Lucifer, studies how to spread in the world the cult of impurity.
- 8. The triumph of purity is really the victory of the flesh showing the heights to which it can be raised through virtue and grace; it is the greatest achievement of our human nature.

Catholic Daughters Gladys Heyliger/Mary Carley Scholarship CDA Court 1639 is offering a \$1000 scholarship to an 8th grade student

entering a Catholic High School in September 2017. For an application, please send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Dr. Marie Woke, 20 Kensington Ct, Norwood, NJ 07648. Deadline for application is July 31.

-4 - Seventh Sunday of Easter Sunday after the Ascension

SPIRITUAL WARFARE

We are constantly under attack and tempted by the forces of EVIL. Every Tuesday afternoon from 2:00-3:00PM members of OLV parish meet and pray the Mary Mother of All Nations Novena which focuses on this daily battle.

CLOTHING BINS

Mary has a special love and sensitivity for all God's children. This was manifested on many occasions, but was most pronounced at the wedding feast of Cana in which she interceded for the bride and groom when the supply of wine was depleted at their celebration. We can imitate sensitivity to the needs of others by donating any unwanted clothing and shoes to Catholic Charities. The bin is located on the Church grounds. Thank you.

Giving back to your parents with a Charitable Gift Annuity

Are you looking for the perfect gift for your aging parents that would guarantee income for life? Consider opening up a charitable gift annuity with the Archdiocese of Newark. A charitable gift annuity can provide payments with direct deposit to your aging parents now and a gift to their parish later, all while providing you with both peace of mind and an income tax deduction. If you would like information on this unique gift, please contact Theresa Lynch, Planned Giving Manager, Archdiocese of Newark 973-497-4042 or email lynchthe@rcan.org.

OLV Knights of Columbus

All men over 18 are invited to join the OLV parish Knights of Columbus, the world's largest men's fraternal organization. Upcoming events include a fishing trip, paintball expedition, skeet-shooting and golf outing. For more info or to join, call Greg Evanella at 201-768-5752.

JUST A REMINDER

The Fridays of the year, outside of Lent, are designated as days of penance, but each individual may substitute for the traditional abstinence from meat some other practice of voluntary self-denial as penance.

SUNDAY MASS

The first precept of the Catholic Church is, "You shall attend Mass on all Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation." This precept is in accord with the Third Commandment, to keep holy the Sabbath, and it is supported by the Church's canon law. The Catechism states that Sunday Mass "is the foundation and confirmation of all Christian practice. For this reason the faithful are obliged to participate in the Eucharist on days of obligation, unless excused for a serious reason (for example, illness, the care of infants or the sick) or dispensed by their own pastor. Those who deliberately fail in this obligation commit a grave sin" [art. 2181]. Many Catholics have been told that they can fulfill the Sunday obligation by means other than attendance at Mass. THIS IS NOT TRUE. As the Church has always taught and as the Catechism makes clear, there is no substitute for Mass attendance on Sundays and other days of obligation. The Mass is the Catholic's greatest prayer and highest form of worship of God. To fail in this obligation is to fall into MORTAL SIN.

Congratulations

To OLV parishioner Gianna Niece, who has been awarded the Stephanie Cywinski O'Brien Scholarship.

Mass Intentions

Monday, May 29 - St. William Arnaud of Toulouse, France-Martyr

8:00 Thomas F. Lagatol II & Intentions of Bruce Michael Ricciardi r/b the Lagatol Family r/b Peggy O'Brien

Tuesday, May 30 - St. Joan of Arc - Virgin Martyr

8:00 Fr. Thomas McEnroe R/b the Barrett Family

12:00 Maddalena ComPosta R/b Dominick and Marcella Cafarella

Wednesday, May 31 - Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 Tim Curtin R/b the Barrett Family
12:00 Lauren Gould R/b Mark and Theresa McCormick

Thursday, June 1 – St. Justin - Martyr

8:00 Evelyn Pedersen R/b the Pedersen Family

12:00 Richard O'Neill-3rd Anniversary R/b Peggy O'Brien

First Friday, June 2 - Ss. Marcellinus and Peter - Martyrs

8:00 Angelo DaRosso R/b Walter and Joy Flaherty

12:00 Intentions of Julianna & Candelaria Herrara R/b the Giron Family

7:30 Ann Latronica

First Saturday, June 3 - St. Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs

8:00 Anne Bellini R/b Carole Bellini

12:00 Souls in Purgatory

4:00 Intentions of Al Villavecchia R/b Lorraine Gobbetti 5:00 Michael Weber R/b the Coulter Family

PENTECOST SUNDAY, June 4 - St. Francis Caracciolo, Religious

7:30 Silvio and Mary Burderi R/b Tom and Phyllis Burderi

8:15 Catherine Fallon R/b John McDonough

9:30 Living and Deceased members of the Holy Name Society

10:45 Martino Scrivanich R/b the Busanic Family

12:00 James and Claire Neilan R/b Michael and Maureen Glennon

1:00 People of the Parish

6:00 Maria Garritano R/b the Dooley Family

7:00 Elizabeth Barrett R/b the Salamone Family

SANCTUARY MEMORIALS

<u>The Church Sanctuary Lamp</u> burns this week for the members of the Holy Name Society, living and deceased.

<u>The BI. Virgin Mary Votive Lamp</u> burns this week for the intentions of Bruce Michael Ricciardi.

<u>The St. Joseph Votive Lamp</u> burns this week for the souls in Purgatory. <u>The Infant of Prague Votive Lamp</u> burns this week for the unemployed.

The Pope John Paul II Votive Lamp burns this week for those who

have given their lives in defense of our country.

<u>The Hosts and Wine</u> used at the sacrifice of the Mass this week have been donated in **memory of Donald Younghans**, r/b Mary Younghans.

Sanctuary Offerings

The Altar Flowers, Bread and Wine, the BVM Votive Lamp, and St. Joseph Votive Lamp, the Sanctuary Lamp in the Church and in the Convent can be dedicated on a weekly basis.

Marriage Enrichment

"...I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly." Lead your married lives "more abundantly" by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. For more info contact Mike and Janet Turco at 973 427-7016 or email njwwme@peoplepc.com.

STEWARDSHIP

MY FAMILY - MY PARISH - MY RESPONSIBILITY

As your expenses increase, so do the Church's, but we rely on your generosity to meet our expenses. Please be generous

KIDZ KORNER ANSWERS

1. The love of money. 2. St. John the Baptist. 3. Jesus.

4. Jesus. 5. Mary.

The Evangelists and Their Symbols

Christian tradition has long associated the authors of the four gospels with the four "living creatures" that are described as standing around the throne of God in *Revelation 4:6-7:*

".. around the throne ... are four living creatures: the first living creature like a lion, the second living creature like an ox, the third living creature with a face like a human face, and the fourth living creature like a flying eagle."

This, in turn, echoes the vision of Ezekiel in both 1:1-14 and in chapter 10:1-22.

ST. IRENAEUS OF LYON (about AD 120-202), in *Adversus haereses* 3.11.8, applies this imagery to the evangelists, as follows: John is the lion because his Gospel relates "Christ's original, effectual and glorious generation from the Father ..." and also because it is a Gospel "full of all confidence."

Luke is the ox, because his Gospel begins with Zacharias offering sacrifice; Irenaeus also links this with the "fatted calf, about to be immolated for the finding again of the younger son" (a parable found only in Luke).

Matthew is the human face, because his Gospel begins with "the generation of Christ as a man." It is "the Gospel of Christ's humanity".

Mark is the soaring eagle, because his Gospel begins with "a reference to the prophetical spirit" (i.e., by quoting the prophet Isaiah). Irenaeus talks of "the winged nature of his Gospel," and says that it is a "compendious and cursory narrative, for such is the prophetical character."

SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO (in North Africa), AD 354-430 was not totally convinced by such an interpretation because it took account of "only the beginnings of the books, and not the complete overall plan of the evangelists." As an alternative, he proposes that:

The lion is Matthew, in whose Gospel the kingdom a constant theme: he underlines "the kingly character of Christ." So, Augustine says, it is Matthew who tells us of the Magi who come seeking the king; Herod is afraid of this king.

The ox is Luke, not just because of the way this Gospel begins, but because throughout, "Luke's object was to deal with what is priestly."

The human face represents Mark, because "he handles the things which the man Christ did."

All three, Augustine argues (in *De consensus evangelistarum* 1.6.9), concern themselves with "things which Christ did in the flesh," which is why they are represented by creatures of the earth. **John**, on the other hand, "**soars like an eagle**...and gazes upon the light of the unchangeable truth."

SAINT JEROME (about AD 347-430). who was given the task of producing a complete translation of the Bible in Latin, proved to be the decisive influence for all later Christian tradition. In his *Preface to the Commentary on Matthew* he says:

Matthew is the human face, because he launches his Gospel with the human family of Jesus.

Mark is the lion, because his Gospel begins with the voice that roars in the desert like a lion "Prepare the way of the Lord."

Luke is the ox, because it begins with Zacharias the priest.

John is the eagle, who "soars to the heights to present the Word of God."

Check out OLV's website olvhp.org and find us on Facebook: Our Lady of Victories Parish

WE TEACH BY EXAMPLE

As a father lay on the couch watching TV, his son, all dressed for church, entered the room. "Dad?" he said, "I have a question." Without even looking up, the father replied, "What's that son?" The boy said, "When am I going to be old enough not to go to church either?"

WORKERS NEEDED

The Harvest is great, but the laborers are few. Pray to the Lord to send more laborers into the harvest. Become a Priest or Religious Brother or Sister or Permanent Deacon. For information, see Fr. Bryan or call the Vocations Office at 973-497-4365.

CHECK OUT THE BOOK RACKS

We have plenty of interesting books, booklets, and pamphlets as well as children's books and other items. The summer is a perfect time to learn more about your faith.

HOW TO BE HAPPY

Keep your heart free from hate, your mind free from worry. Live simply, expect little, give much, sing often, and pray always. Fill your life with love, scatter sunshine, forget self, and think of others. Do, as you would want done to you. These are the tried links in contentment's golden chain.

Godparent [Sponsor] Requirements

Canon [Church] law states a godparent [sponsor] must:
Be a Baptized and confirmed Roman Catholic who attends

Be a Baptized and confirmed Roman Catholic who attends weekly Mass and receives Eucharist.

Be at least 16 years of age [exceptions are possible].

Not be one of the parents.

Lead a moral life in keeping with Church teaching, and be a good Catholic role model.

If married, be married according to Church law.

Be a registered member of <u>their own current parish</u> from which they must obtain an eligibility certificate; we can only give eligibility certificates to those registered in our parish!

Since only one Roman Catholic godparent is required, a baptized member of another Christian church [but not a Roman Catholic] may serve as a Christian Witness. Since godparents renew their baptismal promises during the Rite of Baptism, a non-baptized person cannot serve in this role.

How to Report Abuse

The Archdiocese takes very seriously any and all allegations of sexual misconduct by members of the clergy, Religious and lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct to inform us immediately so that we may take appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse. To report an allegation of sexual misconduct may do so by calling the Office of Child/Youth Protection at 201-407-3256.

KIDZ KORNER

- 1. According to the New Testament, what is the root of all evil?
- 2. Who identifies Jesus as the Lamb of God?
- 3. Who is the "Good Shepherd"?
- 4. Who has the Sacred Heart?
- 5. Who has the Immaculate Heart?

Answers on page four.