

Our Lady of Victories Church

(serving Harrington Park, River Vale and the Pascack/Northern Valley)
150 Harriot Avenue, Harrington Park, New Jersey

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WELCOME

SUNDAY, January 19, 2020 A.D.

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

COME WORSHIP WITH US

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SPECIAL MASSES OR DEVOTIONS:

First Friday: 6:00pm Confessions followed by Devotions & Mass

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

St. Peregrine: First Friday of the Month

Rosary: Recited M - Sat after 8:00am & after 12:00 Noon Mass

OLV Adoration Schedule

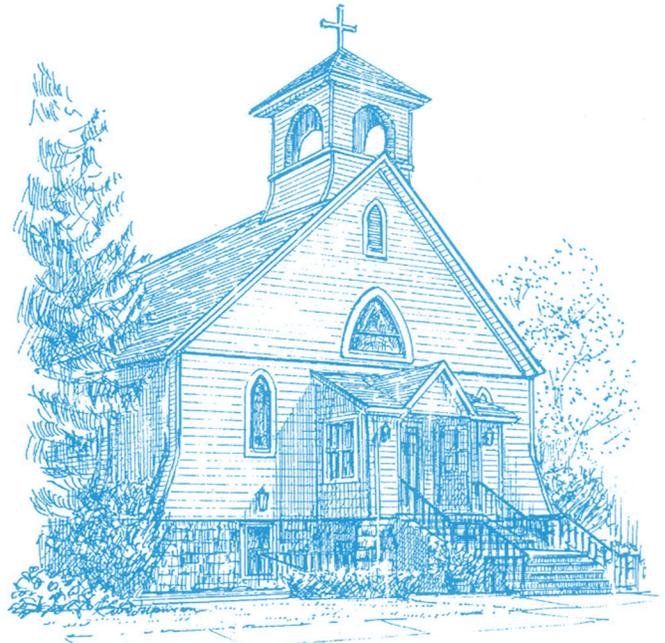
* **2nd and 4th Tuesdays** from after the 12 noon Mass until 3PM

* **Every Thursday** Holy hour 7-8PM

* **Every Friday** Adoration 12:30PM until 3PM

* **First Friday** Adoration 12:30PM (after 12 Noon Mass),
6PM confessions, 6:30PM devotions, concludes with 7PM Mass

* **First Saturday** Adoration 12:30PM until 1PM



THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE/CONFESSION:

Monday - Friday 7:30am - 7:50am.

First Friday at 6:00pm - 6:50pm

Saturday at 11:00a.m.-Noon; 3:00pm -3:40pm

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.

Latin Mass every Sunday 8:15AM

Spanish Mass every Sunday 1PM



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Fr. Wojciech's Corner

This week marks the **Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children - January 22 and January 24th, March for Life.** I strongly encourage all those who are able, to join us for the public prayer of the **HOLY ROSARY on January 22 at 3PM** in front of Our Lady of Victories statue outside the Church. It will be our small parish march to show that we treasure ALL LIFE and ALL LIVES. A child is not an entitled right (either to have or not to have). We treasure all stages: "before" the womb and we say NO to contraception, tubal ligation, vasectomy; "during" the womb, and we say NO to abortion; "after" the womb, and we say NO to infanticide, NO to murder, NO to "dumping" children or the elderly, and we say NO to Euthanasia.

To understand better the seriousness of that day and to see that God is able to even convert the biggest sinner, we will show the movie **"UNPLANNED" at 7PM** in the Lower Church. We should all see what SIN is able to do and what GRACE is able to change.

On **September 30** (on the feast of St. Jerome - 160 years after his death), Pope Francis issued an Apostolic Letter, *Motu proprio "Aperuit illis"*, establishing thus, that **"the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time is to be devoted to the celebration, study and dissemination of the Word of God"**. Saint Jerome devoted his entire life to study the Scripture that he even learned its original language, Hebrew. He translated most of the Bible into Latin, coming from a strong belief that: "Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ". The title of the document, "*Aperuit illis*", is equally important. They are its opening words, taken from St Luke's Gospel, where the Evangelist describes how the Risen Jesus appeared to His disciples, and how "He opened their minds to understand the Scriptures".

To show our love for scripture I invite those who wish to bring their family or personal Bibles to the Church next Sunday; we will have a special blessing at each Mass for the Holy Spirit to open Scriptures to us and to our families. It is a great opportunity to start reading the dusted bible again and also so many beautiful commentaries of so many saints.

Last week Jesus was immersed (that's what the word Baptism means) in the waters of Jordan. Yesterday our **2nd graders** prepared themselves to be "baptized" = immersed in the forgiveness of God. Yes, next Saturday they will receive forgiveness of their sins for the first time in a special celebration of their reconciliation with God and others. Every time we sin, we leave the Father's house. Several priests/fathers will welcome them back. Looking forward to the gospel passage being fulfilled: "There will be more rejoicing in **heaven over one sinner** who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent." Luke 15:7

Did you know ...

...that the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals predates any organized effort to protect children from abuse?

-Caitlin Bootsma in Animals Traditionally More Important than Children

SPIRITUAL EXCERPT

People are often unreasonable, illogical and self-centered; forgive them anyway. If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish ulterior motives; be kind anyway. If you are successful, you will win some false friends and some true enemies; succeed anyway. If you are honest and frank, people will cheat you; be honest and frank anyway. What you spend years building someone can destroy over night; build anyway. If you find serenity and happiness, they may be jealous; be happy anyway. The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow; do good anyway. Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough; give the world the best you've got anyway. You see, in the final analysis, it is between you and God; it was never between you and them anyway. **MOTHER TERESA**

OLV Holy Name Society - Sunday, January 19

This month's topic is: **"Young people take 'Deep Dive' in becoming vibrant witnesses to the Gospel."** Holy Name Society is a small Catholic community of men who attend the 9:30AM Mass together, recite the Divine Mercy Chaplet and then gather downstairs for about an hour for refreshments and discussion. New members are welcome. Come and see!

Matter of Life and Death Events

Public ROSARY to defend life January 22 – 3:00PM

Public Rosary outside OLV Church in front of Blessed Mother statue. Let us be witnesses in the public square to how much life matters! ... a great opportunity for those who cannot travel to Washington to show support. **You have a say!**

"UNPLANNED" (movie) at OLV

Wednesday, January 22 - 7:00PM
in the OLV lower church - ALL ARE WELCOME

BUSES TO THE RIGHT TO LIFE MARCH IN D.C.

The national **Right to Life March in Washington, DC is set for Friday January 24, 2020.** Buses leave that morning at 6:15AM from the parking lot of St. John the Evangelist Parish in Bergenfield. The drop off and pick up place in Washington, DC will be St. Peter's Church which is close to the Mall where the rally and March begin. The bus is expected to arrive in time for the opening rally. Bring a box lunch for the trip down and, on the return, the bus will stop at the Chesapeake House for dinner on your own. In the past, St. Peter's Church has provided coffee, donuts, and restrooms for everyone after the March. The cost is \$15 per person, payable on the bus. **Call Jerry Flood of the St. John's Parish Respect Life Ministry at 914-343-5508 for reservations.**

ADORATION

Just a reminder we have Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of every month from 12:30PM - 3:00PM, Thursday night from 7:00PM-8:00PM, and Fridays from 12:30PM-3:00PM. **So stop by and adore Our Eucharistic Lord.**

CCD Corner

Our second graders participated in their First Reconciliation retreat this Saturday and will receive the sacrament of Reconciliation for their first time next Saturday January 25th. Please pray for them as they prepare to receive the grace of the sacrament.

We would like to thank all the students who participated in the nativity pageant on Christmas Eve and all of those who attended Mass. It was wonderful to see so many families together! We especially thank Mrs. Susan Leyden for directing the pageant so beautifully, and to the children's choir for their joyful singing. We are grateful for all their talents!

"God has to work in the soul in secret and in darkness because if we fully knew what was happening, and what Mystery, transformation, God and Grace will eventually ask of us, we would either try to take charge or stop the whole process." **St. John of the Cross**

Pray for Those in the Military

US Army

Captain Ben Clemente
RRT Specialist James Crumb
Specialist Peter Dippolito
Major Michael Franson
Sergeant First Class Charles Greene
Captain Shawn Linn
Lieutenant Gigi McElroy
Colonel John McLaughlin
Captain John G. Miele

US Air Force

Chief Master Sergeant Shawn Llewellyn

US Marine Corps.

Lance Corporal Shanna Bennett
Corporal Matthew Brady
1st Lieutenant Ryan Colomeo
Lance Corporal Thomas lafrate
Corporal Joseph Levine

US Navy

Lt. Commander Julia Cheringal
Ensign Jon Clemente
Lieutenant Joseph Jaeger
Lieutenant Andrew Jaeger
OS2 Daniel T. LoVecchio

Prayer for the Safety of Soldiers

Almighty and eternal God, those who take refuge in You will be glad and forever will shout for joy. Protect these soldiers as they discharge their duties. Protect them with the shield of Your strength and keep them safe from all evil and harm. May the power of Your love enable them to return home in safety, that with all who love them, they may ever praise You for Your loving care. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Pray for Our Sick

PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Please *Pray* in the name of **JESUS**, the Healer, that the *sick of the 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 Will*: baby Cordelia, baby Emmet Fischer, baby Sylvie, Richard Bolton, Dominic Carini, Carolanne Carini, Sal Cenicola, Helen Choma, Kevin Columbo, Marie D'Ascenzo, Maryann Dean, Lorraine Degerdon, Isabelle DeLeonibus, Vincent DePaola, Marge Devitt, Carl Falasca, Jay Filippone, Marie Filippone, Mary Foley, Rich Goldfarb, Leslie Handler, Peter Kellar, Milan Krupa, Mary Lowe, James McGarry, Robert Milli, Gianna Moscatello, John Pal, Joyanna Peros, John Peterson Jr, Marie Piazza, Terry Pommert, Canice Prince, Louise Ricciardi, Vincent Ricciardi, Veronica Romanchuk, Phylis Rooney, Beth Sacco, Mike Tobia, Eric Unger, Brian, Carla, Chris, Christina, Dierdre, Edward, Elba, Fiona, Jennifer, Joann, Lisa, Liz, Lucas, Lynn, Michael, Patrick, Paul, Peter, Robert, Sean, Sharon.

SPIRITUAL WARFARE

We are constantly under attack and tempted by the forces of EVIL. Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month in the afternoon from 2:00-3:00PM members of OLV parish meet and pray the Marian Novena which focuses on this daily battle. All are welcome. Join us.

LIFE QUOTES:

**ALL LIFE!
ALL LIVES!**

**ABORTION:
One heart STOPS
at least two hearts BREAK**

ABORTION: One dead; more than two wounded

PRO CHOICE: a choice to have children

No girl, no mother; ultimately no life

**ABORTION: takes 10 minutes to do and
a lifetime to forget**

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 20– St. Fabian-Pope & St. Sebastian-Martyr

8:00 Marie Landers R/b David Musante
12:00 Benjamin Mattessich R/b the izzo Family

Tuesday, January 21–St. Agnes of Rome-Virgin & Martyr

8:00 Frank Muggeo R/b Susan Polles Muggeo
12:00 Dan Panarello R/b Gary and Cathy Abbate

Wednesday, Jan. 22–Day of Prayer for Legal Protection of Unborn Children

8:00 Intentions of Florence Brady R/b Dan and Karen Brady
12:00 Intentions of Deacon Al McLaughlin R/b Joan Crowley

Thursday, January 23–Saint Vincent, deacon and martyr

8:00 Frances and Nick Sita R/b Barbara Sita
12:00 Rocco Donatiello R/b Lisa Unanue

Friday, January 24– St. Francis de Sales, bishop and doctor

8:00 Intentions of Devir children R/b Lisa Unanue
12:00 Michael Nicoletti R/b Rose Nicoletti

Saturday, January 25–Conversion of St. Paul, apostle

8:00 Anna Lucia Arias R/b Maria Arias
12:00 Ginny McCarthy R/b the Zwerle Family
4:00 Burke, Walsh and Melbourne Families R/b Bill and Peg Walsh
5:00 Colleen, Meghan, Patrick and Kadie R/b Glynis Burke

Sunday, January 26–Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops

7:30 Rizalina R. Marinas R/b Ofelia Roque
8:15 John Kelly R/b the Evanelia Family
9:30 Mike Bellizzi R/b Bob and Dolores Cavagnet
10:45 intentions of Friesekes Family R/b the Musial Family
12:00 Anna and Joe Bonomolo R/b the Burderi Family
1:00 People of the Parish
6:00 Richard Luther R/b Peter and Linda Wayne
7:00 Paul Magnotta R/b Glynis Dolan and Family

Sanctuary Memorials

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for the intentions of Fr. Wojciech - Birthday blessings.

The Blessed Virgin Mary Votive Lamp burns this week for the intentions of Christopher Conway, r/b Cathy Ryan.

The St. Joseph Votive Lamp burn this week for the repose of the soul of Dorothy Millett - 1st Anniversary, r/b Peter and Linda Wayne.

Sanctuary Offerings

The Bread and Wine, Bl. Virgin Mary Votive Lamp, St. Joseph Votive Lamp, and Sanctuary Lamp in the Church can be dedicated on a weekly basis. **AND the Altar Flowers** are also available to be memorialized. Please call the rectory for information 201-768-1706.

SUPPORT THOSE WHO SUPPORT US!!!

It is through the generosity of our advertisers that we are able to place this bulletin into your hands without cost to the Parish. Why not get into the habit of looking through the ads and give these neighbors/merchants a chance to serve your needs. Tell them you read about them in the OLV Parish Bulletin.

I left the world I knew in order to reenter it on a more profound level. Many people don't understand the difference between a vocation and your own idea about something. A vocation is a call - one you don't necessarily want. The only thing I ever wanted to be was an actress. But I was called by God. — **Mother Dolores Heart** from *The Ear of the Heart*

ARE YOU AWARE?

Nancy Pelosi, and the Democrats in the House, have blocked the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act from a vote 80 times. (You read that number right.) This legislation would stop infanticide and require medical care and treatment to be provided to babies who survive abortions and are born alive.

However, Republicans, and three Democrats in the House, have not given up. Congressman Steve Scalise and Congresswoman Ann Wagner put forward a discharge petition. If 218 members of Congress sign it, Speaker Pelosi would be forced to move the bill out of committee and schedule the bill for a vote on the House floor.

In the first few days of 2020, tremendous new progress towards this goal is being made. Congressman Van Drew, a NJ Democrat turned Republican just last month, signed the petition on January 7 bringing the total number of signatures to 204 only.

NOW IS THE TIME - we can send a powerful message urging the other 231 members to sign the discharge petition.

Every member of the House of Representatives is facing re-election in November. Catholics, Christians and all our faith brothers and sisters together hold immense voting power. Together, in one united voice, we will let these representatives know that we are not afraid to bring our voting power to the booth.

The Speaker and reigning members of the House are playing a dangerous partisan game when they hold bills hostage and refuse to let Congress vote. This effort to silence 204 members of Congress is an effort to silence Americans.

Americans deserve to know which members of Congress vote to endorse infanticide, and who is willing to stand up against evil. Please contact your representatives and let them know - NOW IS THE TIME to stand up for LIFE!

WOULD YOU

CONSIDER ABORTION IN THESE SITUATIONS?

1. A man and his wife have lost five children; they had three more children, and she now finds she is pregnant with number 9. After all they had been through, would you recommend an abortion? If you answered "yes," you would have recommended the death of Saint Therese of Lisieux, Doctor of the Church.
2. The father is ill with syphilis; the mother has tuberculosis. They have four children. One has already died, one is blind, one is deaf, and one has tuberculosis. The mother is pregnant again. Would you recommend an abortion? If you answered "yes," you would have recommended the death of Ludwig Von Beethoven.
3. A baby is born crippled and a dwarf. If the outcome had been predicted in advance would you have recommended an abortion? If you answered "yes," you would have recommended the death of the poet Alexander Pope.
4. A white man raped a 13-year-old black girl and impregnated her. Would you recommend an abortion? If you answered "yes," you would have recommended the death of gospel singer Ethel Waters.
5. A poor teen-age girl is pregnant and unmarried. Her father disowns her and her child. She would name the child after its father and raise the child herself, while bearing the disgrace of illegitimacy. Would you recommend an abortion? If you answered "yes", you would have recommended the death of Fr. Joseph Mohr, the lyricist and composer of "Silent Night".
6. A teenage girl is pregnant. She is not married, and her fiancé is not the father of the baby. Would you recommend an abortion? If you answered "yes," you would have recommended the death of Jesus Christ.

Did you know?

The name Agnes (also word Agnus in Liturgy) comes from the words for "pure" in Greek and "lamb" in Latin. St. Agnes lived around the year 300. The lovely 13-year-old daughter of Roman nobles had several suitors but, having consecrated herself to Christ, she refused to marry any of them. For this, the suitors attempted to force her into a life of impurity. Agnes resisted, strong in her Christian faith, and was eventually martyred for her beliefs. She is beloved as a saint of innocence and virtue.

EVERY year on the Feast of St. Agnes the Holy Father blesses the lambs, from whose wool the Pallium will be made. The Pallium are white woolen stoles, decorated with six black crosses presented to metropolitan archbishops by the Holy Father on June 29, the feast of Ss. Peter and Paul.

The lambs whose wool is destined for the making of the pallia are solemnly presented at the altar by the nuns of the convent of Saint Agnes. The Benedictine nuns of Santa Cecilia in Trastevere later weave the lambs' wool into pallia.

The Pallium was to remind bishops that they are shepherds after the Lord Jesus and carry their sheep on their shoulders.

"Take courage, it is !!" (in storms)

All ships have a compass which, when touched by the magnet, always turns towards the polar star. And even when the boat is making its way in a southward direction yet the compass does not cease turning towards its north at all times.

In the same way, let the fine point of your spirit always turn towards God, its north. You are about to take to the high seas of the world; don't on this account alter dial or mast, sail or anchor or wind. Keep Jesus Christ as your dial at all times, His cross for mast on which to hoist your resolutions as a sail. Let your anchor be profound trust in Him and set out early. May the propitious wind of heavenly inspirations ever fill the sails of your vessel more and more and cause you to speed forward to the harbor of a holy eternity.

Should everything turn upside down, I don't say around us but within us, that is to say, should our soul be sad, happy, in sweetness, in bitterness, peaceful, troubled, in light, in darkness, in temptation, in rest, in enjoyment, in disgust, in dryness, in gentleness, should the sun burn it or the dew refresh it, ah!, this point of our heart, our spirit, our higher will, which is our compass, should nevertheless always and at all times turn unceasingly, tend perpetually towards the love of God.

Saint Francis de Sales (1567-1622) Bishop of Geneva and Doctor of the Church / Letters

Two kingdoms

Satan has a kingdom here on earth. It's called the culture of death, but his kingdom has an expiration date. That's good news. Jesus has a kingdom as well. There is no expiration date. It will last forever. Remember, Church, we have been won by One. The next time the devil reminds you of your past, remind him of his future.

Jesse Romero, from *The Devil in the City of Angels*

If we knew the depth of our poverty, we would not be at all surprised by our falls, but rather astonished, and we would thank God, after sinning, for not allowing us to fall even deeper and still more frequently.

-ANDRÉ FROSSARD quoting **Saint Maximilian Kolbe** from *Forget Not Love: The Passion of Maximilian Kolbe*

KIDZ KORNER ANSWERS

1. St. Frances Xavier Cabrini (Mother Cabrini).
2. St. Rose of Lima.
3. Elizabeth Ann Seton
4. Katherine Drexel
5. Mother Cabrini
6. Canonization

BEEFSTEAK DINNER - January 25

Our Lady of Victories Knights of Columbus Council 14483
Twelfth ANNUAL "Hap Nightingale" BEEFSTEAK
Call Mike 201-784-2201 for tickets - Adults \$35 - Children \$15.
Proceeds support feeding the hungry, Pro-Life charities & vocations.

Make a DIFFERENCE

What happens when 1.6 million men believe they can make a difference - they actually do. Join the Knights of Columbus. Last year they volunteered over 58 million hours to help the needy and better their communities. They raised over \$125 million for charities and local churches. For more information call Mike at 201-784-2201.

Feeding the Homeless

As part of our parish commitment to the community and to serving those less fortunate, we will be preparing and serving a lunch meal on Saturday, February 1, at St. John's Church Soup Kitchen in Newark. This service is sponsored by our Knights of Columbus council. We will leave the church parking lot at 8:15AM. All parishioners are welcome to join us. For more info, call Bob Tringali 201-768-0648.

**SOUPER BOWL
Canned Food Collection**

For the weekends of January 25/26 and February 1/2 OLV will be collectiing assorted non-perishable canned foods for St. Cecilia's Food Bank. Please bring your donations to the Church or leave at the rectory garages. Thank you.

2020 Wedding Anniversary Masses

The Archdiocese of Newark is preparing the annual tradition of honoring those couples who will be celebrating five, twenty-five and fifty years of Christian marriage in 2020. Couples deserving of such recognition are urged to participate. These liturgies will be celebrated at 3:00p.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark as follows:

Sunday, April 19, 2020 - 5 & 25 years

Sunday, May 3, 2020 - 50 years

Please call the OLV Rectory to register at 201-768-1706.

CLOTHING BINS

"Out with the old and in with the new." Get your old out - and make it new for others. One way to do this is by donating to the Catholic Charities bins located on the Church grounds. May your continued generosity brighten every day of the New Year.

A Little Humor ...

A woman invited some people to dinner.
At the table, she turned to her six-year-old daughter and said, "Would you like to say the blessing?"
"I wouldn't know what to say," the little girl replied.
"Just say what you hear Mommy say," the mother said.
The little girl bowed her head and said:
"Dear Lord, why on earth did I invite all these people to dinner?"

BOAZ & RUTH

What kind of man was Boaz before he married Ruth?
Answer: He was Ruthless.

FAILURE LIST

- Albert Einstein was 4 years old before he could speak.
 - Isaac Newton did poorly in grade school and was considered unpromising.
 - Beethoven's music teacher once said of him, "As a composer, he is hopeless."
 - When Thomas Edison was a youngster, his teacher told him he was too stupid to learn anything. He was counseled to go into a field where he might succeed by virtue of his pleasant personality.
 - F. W. Woolworth got a job in a dry goods store when he was 21, but his employer would not permit him to wait on customers because he "didn't have enough sense to close a sale."
 - Michael Jordan was cut from his high school basketball team. Boston Celtics Hall of Famer Bob Cousy suffered the same fate.
 - Walt Disney was fired from a newspaper because he "lacked imagination and had no good ideas."
 - Winston Churchill failed the sixth grade.
 - Babe Ruth struck out 1,300 times - a major league record.
- A person may make mistakes, but he isn't a failure until he starts to blame someone else. We must believe in ourselves, and somewhere along the road of life, we must meet someone who sees greatness in us, expects it from us, and lets us know it.

One WISH left

A man found a magic lantern and every time he rubbed it a "Genie" would appear to grant his wish. The man was full of anxiety, and because of his constant worries, he kept the "Genie" busy all the time. This went on for years -- one wish after another -- until, one day, when the man rubbed his magic lantern for the fifth time that week, the Genie appeared and said: "I am sick and tired of your anxious worry and your constant wishing. I have decided to settle this arrangement once and for all. I will grant your next three wishes only. Nothing more. After that, you're on your own."

The man made his first wish immediately. He asked that his boss would disappear so that he would be happier at work. His wish came true at once. But when his co-workers discovered he was replaced by a real tyrant, they began to recall all the old boss's good qualities. This saddened the man and he realized he had been hasty. So he asked the Genie to bring back the old boss, and immediately his wish was granted. Now he had but one wish left. He fretted and agonized and anxiously worried about that third wish. He was determined not to make another mistake, since he would be unable to correct it. He went everywhere for advice. Some people told him to wish for immortality.

But if he got too sick to enjoy life, he reasoned, what good would immortality be? "Maybe," he told himself, "I should wish for good health." But then he asked himself: "What good is health if I don't have much money? And what good is money if I have no friends?" Many years passed and still he worried -- he couldn't decide on health or wealth or power or money or the dozens of other ideas that kept cropping up. Finally, in desperation, he cried out, "Someone tell me what to ask for!" And he heard a gentle voice from within answer: "Ask to be content, no matter what you get."

KIDZ KORNER

1. Who was the first canonized United States Saint?
2. Who was the first Saint from the Americas to be canonized?
3. Who was the first Saint born in the United States?
4. What American millionairess became a saint?
5. What Saint actually lived in NJ - Newark and Kearny?
6. What is the name of the ceremony which declares a person a saint?

Answers on page 4.