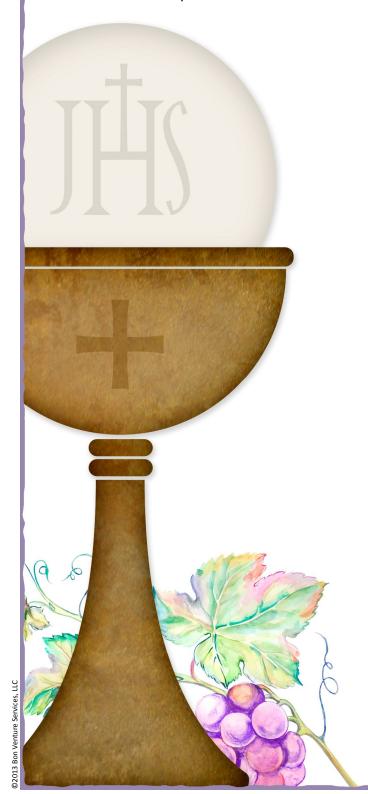
# First Eucharist

I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE. WHOEVER COMES TO ME WILL NEVER GO HUNGRY, AND WHOEVER BELIEVES IN ME WILL NEVER BE THIRSTY.

-JOHN 6:35



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### From the heart of Nancy Hefele, Director of Faith Formation

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As the 2020-2021 Faith Formation Program draws to a close, I'd like to thank all the families who participated. Thank you, parents and parish volunteers, for guiding and teaching our youth from home this past year. It truly was a team/family effort, and could not have succeeded without each of you and the amazing grace of God.

**Grades 1 – 10:** Registration Packets for the 2021-2022 program will be mailed at the end of June to all families who participated this year. Families who did not participate this year but would like to receive a Registration Packet for the 2021-2022 program year can do so, by submitting the 2021-2022 Faith Formation Registration Packet Request Form (found under "Faith Formation" on our parish website) by June 15. You must be a registered parishioner to submit this form.

**Adults:** Yes, we are still looking to expand our team of Faith Formation Volunteers for next year. If you are interested in helping us in person or from home, frequently or just occasionally, please check out some of the opportunities listed on our website, submit the form or contact me at the number or email listed above. The work is free, but the rewards just might be eternal.

Our Lady of the Lake, pray for us

## **GREAT NEWS! GREAT FUTURE VISION!**

As the Pandemic winds down, we are looking to improve and modernize our physical surroundings to support our growing community.

I am excited to implement fresh ideas that have been presented to me. I believe these ideas will have a tremendous positive impact in our faith community.

If you have experience in the following skills, are passionate about Our Lady of the Lake, and would be willing to help make this vision a reality, please contact me at Our Lady of the Lake, 973-398-0240, or email: <a href="mailto:ollmtarlington@aol.com">ollmtarlington@aol.com</a>

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Fr. Paul

## WELCOME BACK, OUR CHURCH IS OPEN! NEW GUIDELINES WILL BE REPORTED!

The Coronavirus has challenged our lives in the last year in ways that none of us would have imagined. All of the sacrifices that we have had to make have been difficult. Yet we are doing our part to protect the common good and to ensure the safety of all our parishioners and staff. As we have opened our parish each week for public Masses and other gatherings, I ask you to keep a few things in mind.

A general dispensation from the Sunday obligation: If you are in an at-risk health group or just don't feel ready for public Masses, you should continue to stay home. If you are sick or have been recently exposed to the Coronavirus, please be considerate of others and do not come to the parish.

Masks will be required of all who come. Everyone over the age of 2. Yet, parishioners should understand that there is an assumed risk any time they enter a public space. If you do choose to attend Mass know that attendance at Mass will be limited to 50% at this time.

Please be aware that we clean after each service and can always use help. Please let us know if you are interested in helping. We look forward to being with you at Mass. Remember, your safety is a priority for us!

## **ATTENTION PARISHIONERS!**

Please update your parish registration information. Before we can fully resume "normal" parish life effectively—and even more importantly grow in spirit and secure our future—we need to strengthen our bonds to our parishioners—both existing and new ones. Updating parish records is a critical task. Completing the census form will strengthen our communication opportunities with our parish family. We need current and complete data to develop a meaningful participation in the Real Life of the Parish. Registration is required for Faith Formation Programs and the reception of the Sacraments. Only active, registered members can receive sponsor forms for baptism or confirmation. Contact us: at

ollmtarlington@aol.com -973-398-0240. Forms are available on the website: ollmtarlington@aol.org, at the Rectory and in Church.

### "TREE OF LIFE"

Engrave a Leaf to Honor a Loved One!
Engrave a Leaf to Memorialize a Special Occasion!
The forms are located in the church and at the Rectory.
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## THIS SPRING SEASON GIVE YOUR GIFTS ONLINE- IT'S SAFE - IT'S SIMPLE - IT'S CONVENIENT

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### STEWARDSHIP

Please remember Our Lady of the Lake Church in your will, and have the following statement included: "I leave to Our Lady of the Lake Church/Parish, Mount Arlington, New Jersey the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_ percent of the Residue of my estate, whichever is greater, for its religious, educational, and charitable works." Stocks may also be donated to the Church/Parish. Our Lady of the Lake Parish will gratefully accept donations of real estate, stocks, bonds or other valuables. All such donations qualify for a charitable tax benefit.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

### The Most Holy Trinity May 30, 2021

"All power in heaven and earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age."

Imagine being in Galilee, on that mountain, and hear these words of Jesus being directed to you. Jesus wanted to transmit His power to the eleven disciples, but indicated it was for them that moment and for the disciples who would follow to 'the end of the age.'

Many of us were baptized and became part of His people, the church. But how few find in this passage our personal commission to go, teach and share what is important for us with others? No, that is not just for the priest, deacon or religious, it is the mandate given to all of us.

Imagine too, the day we are called to the Lord, when we are asked 'who did you bring along with you?' or 'who came to know me because of your word or witness?' Today I am being sent on mission.

Please Fray for the

Wayne Dreitlein, Audrey Riccioli, Sofia Orr, Jake Grimes, John Flinn, Robert Quinn, Larry Middleton, Joseph O'Neill, Michael O'Neill, E. Nicholas Lepore, Bill Bohan, Carolyn Pepe, Dan Cross, Rob Gaspercic, Barbara Tuhy, Pamela & Douglas Franciose, Paul & Elaine Henke, James Di Stasio, Norma Kays, Brian Collins, George Schaefer, Jan Del Vecchio, Barbara O'Donnell, Ken Chatlos, Dave Jones, James Martin, Michalina Tutalo, Biruta Piszel, Dorothy Stefanak, Brenda Gaskins, Virginia Comito, Jessica Crawford, Grace Dreitlein, Ashley and Adam Brandhorst.

<u>Please Note:</u> We retain names on the Prayer List for six weeks. If you wish to have them continued after that period, please call the office and let us know.

## MASS INTENTIONS MASS BOOK FOR 2021 IS OPEN-\$15 per Mass.

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**SATURDAY, MAY 29, 2021** 

5:00 PM DOREEN B. KANE

(LOUISE & FRANK MAHER)

SUNDAY, MAY 30, 2021 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

8:00 AM CAROL MORHART
(JUSTINA SPECHT)
10:00 AM PETER O'REILLY

(LAURA LEE MADONIA)
12:00 PM PAT SANTARPIA

2:00 PM PAT SANTARPIA (FRANK SANTARPIA)

MONDAY, MAY 31, 2021

9:00 AM NICHOLAS MARCUCCI (LOUIS MARCUCCI)

TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 2021

9:00 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 2021

9:00 AM THERESA MARCUCCI

(LOUIS MARCUCCI)

THURSDAY, JUNE 3, 2021

9:00 AM STEPHAN WALSH

(MARIE WALSH)

**FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 2021** 

9:00 AM JACK PAPI

(MARIE WALSH)

SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 2021

5:00 PM FRANCES FERRARA

(CAROL & FRED SHAY)

SUNDAY, JUNE 6, 2021

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST/

CORPUS CHRISTIE

8:00 AM SPECIAL INTENTIONS

KRYSCIO FAMILY

(DERBY FRIENDS)

10:00 AM VOLUNTEERS OF THE PARISH 12:00 PM SPECIAL INTENTIONS FOR

MRS. SUSAN ST. PETER

(JUDITH & JERRY VERNICE)

## THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)

First Reading: Exodus 24:3-8

Moses explained to the people the commandments he had received from God. Upon hearing them, the entire community immediately agreed they would do as God had told them. Moses then sacrificed young bulls and sprinkled the people with their blood, calling it the blood of the covenant they had made.

## Second Reading: Hebrews 9:11-15

Jesus did not offer God the blood of sacrifices, but instead he offered up his own blood to cleanse all people of the transgressions they had committed under the first covenant with God. Christ instead brought a new covenant, which, if kept, would lead to eternal life.

Gospel: Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Jesus sent two of his disciples to prepare the Passover supper. During the meal he blessed bread and offered it to them saying, "This is my body." He then offered them wine and called it his blood, "the blood of the covenant, to be poured out on behalf of many."

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### MASS CARDS

We are asked to pray for the dead. The best way to do this is to have a mass celebrated in memory of a loved one. Call the rectory 973-398-0240. Please note-offering is \$15. We also have Intentions for the Living & Healing Mass Cards available for celebration of Mass during the week.



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