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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 8, 2016

Mass Intentions for the week from May 11 thru May 15, 2016

		<u>Intention for</u>	<u>Requested by</u>
Wednesday (5/11)	8:00 a.m.	People of the Parish	
Thursday (5/12)	8:00 a.m.	Scott Cooper	His Wife, Tracy
Friday (5/13)	8:00 a.m.	Memorial Mass	
Saturday (5/14)	5:00 p.m.	Buddy Seifried Don Pavlak Michael Padula	Dorry Pavlak Family Pat Rizzo
Sunday (5/15)	8:00 a.m.	Austin Martini Jamandre	Eden Jamandre
	10:00 a.m.	Ann Del Favers Gerard Benedict Sheila & Dennis O'Connor	Tom & Barbara Roger John & Diane Snowden Nora O'Connor
	12:00 p.m.	Helen Kollar	Family

The donation for Mass Intentions is \$15.00

Friday Memorial Mass at 8:00 AM for May: Edward & Margaret Earles, Andrew & Anna Hudak, Nicholas & Leonarda Irmiere, Eugene Kelly, Dorothy Belenski, Dolores Currenti, Joe & Angie Gauger, Dominick Titmas, Father Cassian Miles O.F.M., Msgr. Thomas Coletta, Dee Kievet, Gene Seifried, Mary Ellen Seifried, Sandy Mattera, Joseph Grillo, Assunta Ceravale, Sally Amedore, Edward Belenski, Helen & John Kelly, Mildred Whitney, David Birkner, Teresa Anne Kelly, Daniel Flatt, Loraine Sinnickson, Theresia Kluesanovitz, Minnie Hepp, Sophie Santangelo, Katherine Redl

a time to be healed: Tonia Kelley, Donnie Stokem, Robert Shields, Carol Padden, Kevin Lancaster, Victor Irmiere, David Meyer, Anthony Gillio, Catherine Gillio, Margaret M. Carroll, Helen Corbo, Elizabeth Mattaliano, Phyllis Greco, Matthew Reino, Lauren Irmiere, A.T. Frerichs, Nancye Inman, Caroline Spinner, Mark Roberts, Pam Hope, Raymond Grocela, Carol Ann Spina, Sean Mitchell, Michael Ayres, Robert Lombardo, Slater Schuler, John Healey, Sheila Ziccardi, Bob Macaluso, Joan Hughes, Grace Wagner, Julia Bland, Frank Delmo, Vince Ramundo, Dale Lawrence, Ron Panicucci, Teresa Apolei, Joanne Becker, Marion Cannella, Anna Sasso, Jacquelyn Connors, Peter Boniface, Nater Azar, Cal Fischetti, Joseph Gillio

a time to die: Mary Rose Schlereth; Mary Ellen Mealey, daughter of Ron & Joan Mealey

New Parishioners

Our Lady of Consolation Parish welcomes the following families to our parish community...

- Hecht Family, William & Catherine
- Duffner Family, Michael, Gena, Michael Jr., & Madeline



A Message from our Director of Youth Ministry...

Dear Parishioners,

Today, we celebrate Jesus' ascension into heaven, for His mission on earth is fulfilled. Jesus' death and resurrection was not enough. He needed to speak and appear to various people in the weeks that followed before He returned to His Father in Heaven. He reminded His followers that once He ascends, the Holy Spirit will fill their hearts with empowerment to witness and spread His love on Pentecost.

In a few weeks, 35 more teens will be Confirmed on their "Pentecost Day." For the last 2 years, I've been blessed to witness their faith come to life! Just as the Disciples were taught and prepared to serve others during the 3 years that they followed Jesus, our Confirmation candidates have practiced what it takes to be a good Catholic. They've signed in at mass, participated in community service, attended Youth Group activities, learned about our faith at our Confirmation sessions, and took part in retreats. All of this created the framework of what is expected of them after they are anointed with the Gifts of the Holy Spirit!

None of us really know when God will call us home to Him. Until then, we are called to live without fear as we imitate Jesus by willingly serving others during their times of need. As I get older, I often think "Have I done enough to serve the Lord here on earth?" "If today were my last day of life, would I have any regrets?" "Would everyone know how much I love them?" "Would I be at peace with those around me?"

The Holy Spirit strengthens and empowers us with special gifts to carry on His work. There's so much work to be done in Jesus' name! We all have 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. How much are you willing to spend in His name?

Being a Mom is an example of the ongoing ways that I am called upon to give of myself. My theme song with my family is "The Things You Do for Love!" I wouldn't trade it for the world! Happy Mother's Day!

In Christ,

Jaura 

All Are Welcome!

No Matter what your present status in the Catholic Church;

No Matter what your current family or marital situation;

No Matter what your past or present religious affiliation;

No Matter what your personal history, age, background, race or color;

No Matter what your self-image or self-esteem;

You are invited, accepted, loved and respected at Our Lady of Consolation Parish Community.

DIRECT DEPOSIT is an electronic program, administered by the parish that allows you to make contributions directly to the Parish contributions. Contact our Business Manager, Elena Walsh, at 973-839-3444 ext. 115.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

If you do not receive your printed offertory envelopes, please contact Joe Donnelly, Director of Stewardship, at 973-839-3444 X 117.


PARISH REGISTRATION

Young adults of working age, living at home, should register independently of their parents. This will enable us to assist at times of requests for sponsorship of Baptism, Confirmation or Matrimony.

Please be advised that there will be **NO Adoration** held during the months of July and August.

**Collection figures for
May 1, 2016 were not available**

Weekly Calendar

Sunday May 8	HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY 
Monday May 9	Rosary in Parish Chapel– 7:40 am <hr/> Senior Activities – Ministry Center 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Zumba starts at 3:15 pm Call Lucille DiNome 973-389-1581 <hr/> Amity Board Meeting in Seminar Room – 6:30 pm
Tuesday May 10	Rosary in Parish Chapel– 7:40 am <hr/> Ecuador Quilt Meeting Seminar Room 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm <hr/> Bereavement Session Seminar Room 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
Wednesday May 11	Rosary in Parish Chapel – 7:40 am <hr/> Mass in Parish Chapel – 8:00 am <hr/> Social Justice in Boardroom 7:00 pm <hr/> Antioch Retreat Team Meeting 7:00 – 9:00 in Ministry Center
Thursday May 12	Rosary - Parish Chapel – 7:40 am <hr/> Mass in Parish Chapel – 8:00 am <hr/> Bible Study – 7:00 pm Seminar Room
Friday May 13	Novena - Parish Chapel – 7:30 am Rosary - Parish Chapel – 7:40 am Mass – Parish Chapel – 8:00 am Adoration - Parish Chapel -8:30 am

Religious Education

Rehearsal for May 15th Communion

Thursday, May 12th - 6:30 pm in church
Parents are asked to attend.

Now accepting CCD Registration forms! 3 easy ways to register...Mail in, drop off to Ministry Center or leave in Parish Center mailbox! Thank you!

REGISTER TODAY FOR VBS!

Now taking registrations for Vacation Bible School!

Deadline will be May 20th

Forms available at olcparish.org or
 Ministry Center

Also looking for adult volunteers!

Memorials

The Sanctuary Lamp Dedication... The requested donation is \$10.00 a week or \$40.00 a month.

Eucharistic Bread & Wine... The requested donation is \$25.00 a week or \$100.00 a month.

Memorial Candle & Plaque for St. Jude or the Blessed Mother...The donation is \$100.00 for one year.

Memorial Garden & Perpetual Remembrance... A one-time donation is \$180.00.



Youth Ministry

ANTIOCH RETREAT:

Friday, May 20, 2016 from 7:00 p.m. until Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 8:30 p.m. at Camp Warwick

ANTIOCH TEAM:

Our Antioch Retreat Team Meetings will be held on **Wednesday:** May 11th 7-9 p.m.

YOUTH GROUP - HIKE:

On Wednesday, May 11th our Youth Group hike up along a babbling brook at Ramapo Mountain State Forest. We will meet at the bottom parking lot on left side of Skyline Drive in **Oakland** at 5:00 p.m. SHARP! (Bring dinner if you want!) You can get picked up there at 6:30 p.m. **Must RSVP TEXT Laura** 201-264-6408. 6th-12th Graders welcomed! Indoor Games in Ministry Center, if raining! Counts as a Youth Group Activity!

LAST 1st Year Confirmation Session:

Sunday, May 15th from 7:00-9:00 p.m. If able, please donate: Case of water, Iced Tea Jugs, Individually Wrapped Chips, Red Plates, Red Napkins, Red Plastic Utensils, Red Tablecloth.

CAR WASH:

Our Youth Group is hosting a Car Wash Sunday, May 15th from 8:15-11:15 a.m. in the church parking lot near the Rectory. Benefits those attending the WYD pilgrimage with Pope Francis in Poland! RAIN: 5/22/16

YOUTH GROUP - "Movie Night":

Our Youth Group is holding a "Movie Night" Wednesday, May 25th from 6:45-9:00 p.m. "Letters to God" rated PG in Ministry Center. Please bring movie snacks, ½ gal. ice cream, or drink to share. 6th-12th Graders. Counts as Youth Group Activity! TEXT Laura 201-264-6408!

SERVICE PROJECT – VBS HELP:

Grades 8th-12th help needed at OLC's Vacation Bible School on the mornings of June 27-July 1st. Please fill out volunteer form found www.olcparish.org Return it to Mrs. Dericks. d.dericks@olcchurch.com

PLEASE PRAY!

The cancer cells in Donny's Bone Marrow were reduced to 4%, a wonderful step towards remission!! For now, Donny's platelet levels and blood work is being monitored. On May 9th, he will begin treatments to on the molecular cancer cells.

OLC continues to provide dinner for the Stokem family each night as will help out financially as needs arise. Thanks for your continued prayers, donations, and support!

POLAND PILGRIMAGE:

We still need to raise \$3,000 more for our World Youth Day Pilgrimage to Poland this summer. We continue to work hard fundraising but your donations are very much appreciated!! Please make checks to: Our Lady of Consolation, "WYD Donation" in memo. Thank you!

ADULT HELP NEEDED:

Adults are needed to help with our Confirmation Family BBQ Picnic on Sunday, June 5th from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Please contact Laura. Thanks!

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION:

Parishioners are invited to our Sacrament of Confirmation Mass on Monday, June 6th at 7:30 p.m. with celebrant Bishop Serratelli.

SERVICE PROJECT – CONFIRMATION DINNER:

On Monday, June 6th Teens are needed to help serve dinner to Sponsors and Candidates in Gym from 5:00-7:00 p.m.! Please RSVP LAURA 201-264-6408.

Outreach Ministries



Garden Ministry Needs Your Help...

We need volunteers to help plant our summer flowers! Bring your garden gloves & trowels and please join us!! We will meet in the front of church. Planting will be held on...

Saturday, May 21 at 9:30 AM.

Sign-ups will take place at both entrances to the church on the weekend of May 14/15!

If you have any questions, please contact **Elise Kowalczyk** at 973-692-1266.

St. Mary's Singles' Dance

**Saturday, May 21
8:00 PM to 12:00 AM**

Downey Hall, at The Carnevale Center. \$15 admission (ticket sold at the door only), includes beer/wine (limit to two per person), nonalcoholic beverages, munchies, door prizes, and DJ Joey providing the entertainment. SEE YOU ON May 21!

Seventh Sunday of Easter May 8, 2016

"As they were stoning Stephen he called out 'Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.' Then he fell to his knees and cried out in a loud voice, 'Lord do not hold this sin against them', and when he had said this, he fell asleep."... "Lifting his eyes to heaven, Jesus prayed saying: 'Holy Father, I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word.'"

HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL CARNIVAL

June 7th through June 11th
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Monthly Food Collection

Our "monthly food collection" for Our Lady of Victories, Paterson takes place on the **THIRD** weekend. We appreciate your donation of non-perishable food items and/or food certificates as well. Some food items to consider, in addition to the items you normally donate, are rice, beans, cereal, instant mashed potatoes, canned fruit and Jell-O for the children. If you wish to make a donation of food certificates, you may do so in denominations of \$10, \$15 & \$25 from local supermarkets e.g. Stop & Shop, A & P and Shop Rite in lieu of or in addition to the food items. **Please remember...**Food gift cards are also used for parish families or anyone in the area who comes to us for assistance. They may be dropped off at the Parish Center anytime during the month.

Immaculate Heart of Mary School will hold an Open House for grades Pre-Kindergarten through 8 on **Tuesday May 24th** from 5 to 7 PM. Immaculate Heart of Mary School is a National Blue Ribbon School and Star School of the Diocese of Paterson. We are proud of our staff of New Jersey certified educators. Each classroom is equipped with a SMART board. Differentiated instruction to meets the needs of all students and surpass their potential is the basis of our learning process.

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Story of Ten Apples

In the beginning, God really gave “ten apples” to the first couple. God said, “These first three apples I’m giving to you are for your housing needs so you can be sheltered from the weather and that you can be protected from negative elements. And they said, “Thank you.” And God said again, “I have three more apples which I gladly give you for your clothing, for your food and for your nourishment and I think for once in a while to find meals.” And the couple said, “Thank you God.” And God continued, “And I add three more apples for your education, for your transportation and for your recreation. These I give you because I love you.” Once again they said, “Thank you very much.” Then for the last time God said, “I have one more apple. This is the juiciest of them all and therefore a very precious one. This is very succulent. I am giving you this tenth apple so that you will have something to give me in return for these gifts.” And the man and woman looked at it and because it was the apple to their eyes they ate it and just gave God the core, the left-over.”

Author: Unkown



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