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Our Lady of Consolation

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OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

NOVEMBER 20, 2016

Mass Intentions for the week from November 23 thru November 27, 2016

		<u>Intention for</u>	<u>Requested by</u>
Wednesday (11/23)	8:00 a.m.	Scott Gelok	His Mother, Cindy
Thursday (11/24)	9:00 a.m.	Richard Warner	Doris Lepari
Friday (11/25)	8:00 a.m.	Memorial Mass	
Saturday (11/26)	5:00 p.m.	Thomas Zalusky Ann Nicola Rose Antonucci Dr. Victor Irmiere Anne Schmidt	Pam Zalusky John Nicola The Mugno Family Dorry Pavlak Mr. & Mrs. Kneis
Sunday (11/27)	8:00 a.m.	Dr. Victor Irmiere Al Puntasecca	Joan Konecny The Reddy Family
	10:00 a.m.	Anton Kerstner Edward Thompson Edward Thompson Phyllis Greco	Family Bill & Joyce Golden Pat Moran Dorothy Birkner
	12:00 p.m.	Marie Celeste Vincent Speciale	Nick Celeste Fr. Michael & OLC parish

Friday Memorial Mass at 8:00 AM for November: Father Cassian Miles O.F.M., Msgr. Thomas Coletta, Father Vincent Grogan O.F.M., Edward & Margaret Earles, Andrew & Anna Hudak, Nicholas & Leonarda Irmiere, Eugene Kelly, Dorothy Belenski, Dolores Currenti, , John Kluesanovitz, Tony Hepp, Judy Kovalcik, Michael Mastropietro, Al Puntasecca, Assunta Ceravole, Anisia Riffel, Helen P. Kelley, Elaine Mitchell, Connie D'Amato, Ronald Whitney, Pat Amerdore, Teresa Grillo, Florence Suppa

a time to be healed: Tonia Kelley, Donnie Stokem, Carol Padden, David Meyer, Anthony Gillio, Catherine Gillio, Margaret M. Carroll, Elizabeth Mattaliano, Matthew Reino, A.T. Frerichs, Nancye Inman, Robert Lombardo, Slater Schuler, , Vince Ramundo, Jacquelyn Connors, Paul Boniface, Nayer Azar, Cal Fischetti, Joseph Gillio, Mary Anne Nardi, Joan Fitzpatrick, Kyle Ruffing, J.R. Connell, George Kelly, Bob Trowse, Rae Delmo, Linda Kneis, Carol Ann Spina, Joan Hughes, Barbara DeSantis, Marie Pasquale, Angie Zisa, Alice Van Duynes, Barbara Lopez, Sr. Ann Mazza, John Healey, Sheila Ziccardi, Doris Lepari, Robert Moran, Joyce Golden

a time to die: Patricia Ferry, sister-in-law of Tom & Mary Anne Deregibus of our parish; Rocco Luigi Mazzoccoli, father of Theresa Petrozza & grandfather of Carmella; Dolores Macchiarelli, wife of Joseph

a time to be born....Melania Rose, daughter of Marco & Toni Ann Rutigliano was baptized this weekend at Our Lady of Consolation Church.

THE PARISH CENTER IS CLOSED ON FRIDAYS.



A Message from our Pastor...

Dear Parishioners,

The promise that Jesus made to the repentant thief, “Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise” is the same promise Jesus made to each one of us, but unlike the thief we do not know the hour or the day so we had better be prepared by leading righteous lives and obviously the way to do that is by living the gospel each and every day. It sounds simple, but we all know how difficult it can be.

The gospel does offer us insight—even here Jesus was having the worst day imaginable, in deed the last day of his life. The rulers and soldiers sneered and jeered at Jesus, but in the midst of all that abuse Jesus found time to embrace the repentant thief.

Sometimes we get carried away in bad language and rotten attitude because somehow life has been unfair to us. When that happens, I would remind anyone to read the story of the Passion of Jesus Christ. It is instructional and enlightening about the importance of grace, dignity and patience during life’s difficult moments...**a message we all need to learn over and over.**

In Christ,

Who is a Parishioner?

A Parishioner is one who is registered and regularly participates in the liturgical life of the parish and demonstrates their support, as reflected in the Parish Mission Statement, by completing and fulfilling an annual Stewardship Commitment of Time, Talent and Treasure.

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.

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.

COLLECTION NOVEMBER 13, 2016


Envelopes.....	\$ 10,695.00
Loose Cash.....	1,223.00
Direct Deposit*.....	<u>245.00</u>
Total.....	<u>\$ 12,163.00</u>

*1st and 15th of Month Only

FISCAL YEAR 7/1/16 - 6/30/17

Collections – Fiscal Year to Date..	\$ 290,045.50
Budget - Fiscal Year to Date.....	<u>320,618.00</u>
Surplus (Deficit).....	<u>\$ (30,572.50)</u>

Weekly Calendar

Sunday Nov. 20	1 st Year Confirmation Faith Sharing Session in Church 7:00 – 9:00 pm
Monday Nov. 21	Rosary - Parish Chapel – 7:40 am <hr style="width: 30%; margin: 5px auto;"/> Senior Activities – Ministry Center 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Zumba starts at 3:15 pm Call Lucille DiNome 973-389-1581
Tuesday Nov. 22	Rosary - Parish Chapel – 7:40 am <hr style="width: 30%; margin: 5px auto;"/> RCIA Meetings in Ministry Center 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
Wednesday Nov. 23	Rosary - Parish Chapel – 7:40 am <hr style="width: 30%; margin: 5px auto;"/> Mass in Parish Chapel – 8:00 am
Thursday Nov. 24	HAPPY THANKSGIVING DAY  Mass in Church – 9:00 AM
Friday Nov. 25	Novena - Parish Chapel – 7:30 am Rosary - Parish Chapel – 7:40 am Mass – Parish Chapel – 8:00 am

Parish Center Thanksgiving Holiday Schedule!!

Our parish center offices will be closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday from **Wednesday, November 23 through Friday, November 25**. Our normal office hours will resume on Monday, **November 28**.



We wish everyone a Blessed Thanksgiving!

Religious Education

2nd GRADERS ON ALTAR

Sunday, December 4th
10:00 Mass
Sign-in required.

CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE (Ministry Center)

Boutique hours for this weekend are...

Saturday 11/19: 4:00-6:30pm

Sunday 11/20: 8:00am-1:30pm

Stop by and check it out, there's something for everyone!

NEW WEBSITE!

As you are aware, olcparish.org has been updated. Please visit Religious Formation's new page. When you click CCD Announcements, you will find all information regarding CCD. From our monthly outreach programs to important reminders!

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE

Tuesday, December 6th
4:00 & 7:00

All students in grades 3-8 must attend one.
Sign-in required.

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 Plaque & Perpetual Remembrance... A one-time donation is \$250.00.

Youth Ministry

1st YEAR CONFIRMATION PROGRAM:

Sunday, November 20th 7:00-9:00 p.m. 1st Year Confirmation Faith Sharing Session in church! We will watch Spirit Day Slideshow in Church and then, weather permitting, have a Thanksgiving Campfire Prayer Service. Please leave outside side door of church on grass: a lawn chair, 1 log, 3' stick for roasting, water bottle, either chocolate bars, marshmallows, or graham crackers for S'mores. Dress appropriately for weather! . If able, please donate: winter **hats, socks, or mittens for the Heart 'n Hands Mission in Wayne and/or Chocolate Santa's for Eva's Kitchen and/or \$1 for "Katie's Care".** (SNOWDATE, 12/18/16)

THANKS FOR SUPPORTING OUR YOUTH GROUP'S THANKSGIVING PIE SALE THIS WEEKEND!!

SERVICE PROJECT- VIDEO GAME SET-UP:

Teens are needed to help set up video games on Sunday, November 27th in Ministry Center from 6:00-7:00 p.m. **MUST BE WILLING TO LEND US A VIDEO GAME SYSTEM TO RECEIVE SERVICE HOUR!** RSVP Laura 201-264-6408

YOUTH GROUP

"VIDEO GAMES, OPEN GYM, & THANKSGIVING FEAST":

Sunday, November 27th 7:00-9:00 p.m. in Ministry Center! 6th-12th Graders and Friends Invited! Everyone is asked to bring a **ready-to-serve** homemade food dish to share for our Thanksgiving Feast. **Carved Roasted Turkey (need volunteer to cook and we'll reimburse!)**, (examples: stuffing, gravy, mashed potatoes, sweet potatoes, corn, cranberry sauce, or cornbread.) **NO LEFT-OVERS FROM THANKSGIVING PLEASE!** Please RSVP what you'll bring 201-264-6408!



AN INVITATION:

If there is anyone who will be alone on Thanksgiving Day, Laura Haftek, invites you to join her and her family for a Polish Breakfast as they count their blessings! Arrangements can be made for someone to pick you up and bring you back home. Call Laura at: 201-264-6408.

SERVICE PROJECT-COOKIE DOUGH SALE:

Teens are need to help sell boxes of cookie dough on December 3 & 4 after communion after whatever mass you attend. Benefits the National Catholic Youth Conference. Flavors: Reese's Peanut Butter, Rainbow Candy, Chocolate Chunk, and Oatmeal Raisin. \$17 per box. Makes approximately 4 dozen delicious freezer to oven cookies! RSVP TEXT Laura 201-264-6408. 6th-12th Graders invited to help!

ATTENTION ALL CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES!:

All Confirmation Candidates are expected to go to Reconciliation during Advent. You may attend the Advent Penance Service on Tuesday, December 6th from 4:00-5:00 p.m. OR 7:00-8:00 p.m. in the church (**parent must accompany you**) or any Saturday in Advent between 4:00-4:30 p.m. in church or at your Catholic High School.

EXCERPTS FROM THE FAMILY DINNER

by Laurie David:

Ways to make dinner fun.....

- 1 Set a regular time.
- 2 Friends and Family welcomed to dinner which helps improve manners, interesting conversation, and most people tend to linger longer when guests are over.
- 3 Always say grace together!!
- 4 No TV/phones during dinner – no ringing, no vibrating, no answering, no texting!
- 5 Eat whatever is being served and be grateful to have it!
- 6 Everyone helps clean up!

Outreach Ministries



Our Lady of Consolation
HOLIDAY 50/50 RAFFLES
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If you placed an order for the
Sunday Missal, it can be picked up
at the front entrance of the Church
this weekend November 19/20!***

The Missals are in alphabetical order, labeled with your name and original order slip. ***Please sign your initials by your name on the "alpha listing" when picking up your missal.*** The readings will begin with the First Sunday of Advent, the new church year...weekend of November 26/27.

THE ORCHESTRA OF ST. PETER BY THE SEA,
conducted by Father Alphonse Stephenson, will
perform at Our Lady of the Valley Church, 620
Valley Road, Wayne on **Sunday December 11th**
at 7:30 PM.

Adults: \$30; Seniors (65+ and children 12 and
younger): \$20. Tickets sales and information: 973-
694-4585 x745

THE GIVING TREE



The Giving Tree for the Christmas gifts for the children of Our Lady of Victories will be available the weekend of November 26th – November 27th. Please take an "ornament" and purchase an age appropriate gift for the child listed **AND use the ornament as your label for the gift** (these are needed to aid in sorting the gifts for delivery). All gifts need to be returned to OLC the weekend of **December 10th – 11th**. The gifts will be picked up the morning of December 12th, so PLEASE be prompt with bringing your gift that weekend (we don't want any child to be disappointed!).

If you miss getting an ornament, please contribute a gift anyway! We have other children to help too.... Just mark the package to indicate the appropriate gender/age the gift is geared toward.

The gifts will be sorted and prepared for delivery following the 12 noon mass on Sunday, December 11th, so if you have a little time to offer to help in this process, we welcome that extra contribution.

CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR SALE. Featuring scenes of OLC Church. Photographed by Michele De Santis. \$15 per box of 16. Cards available at the Parish Center.

BILLBOARD

Our Lady of Consolation Holiday 50/50 Raffle

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\$100.00 Donation
500 Tickets – 25 Winners
1 out of every 20 tickets wins a prize!

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Act now, get your tickets today!

\$15,000.00 – 1 Grand Prize (or 30.00% of total receipts)

\$5,000.00 – 1 Prize (or 10.00% of total receipts)
\$1,250.00 – 1 Prize (or 2.50% of total receipts)
\$625.00 – 2 Prizes (or 1.25% of total receipts)
\$125.00 – 20 Prizes (or 0.25% of total receipts)

The drawing will be held on Sunday, December 11, 2016 at 1:15 pm in the OLC Parish Center, located at 1799 Hamburg Turnpike, Wayne New Jersey 07470. Only the first 500 tickets will be accepted. If the offering is oversubscribed, your contribution will be returned to you. OLC reserves the right in its sole discretion to cancel the raffle if tickets are not sold. In such an event, all contributions will be returned. Winner need not be present at the drawing to win. Winner will be notified. Checks must be received no later than Monday, December 5, 2016.

License #: RL-5733

Mail this bottom portion with your check in the enclosed envelope to:

Our Lady of Consolation
1799 Hamburg Turnpike
Wayne, New Jersey 07470

Hurry!
of tickets is
limited!



Total donation is \$100.00 per ticket. Tickets will be mailed to you upon return of this form and payment by check. Checks should be made payable to: Our Lady of Consolation and must be received no later than Monday, December 5, 2016. Photo copies of this form are acceptable.

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