



OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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Sunday, June 4, 2023 - The Most Holy Trinity



Mass Schedule @ Main Church

Saturday Evening, 5:30 pm

Sunday Morning, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am

*Confessions, Saturday 4:15 - 5:00 pm or
anytime by appointment*

Weekday Morning Mass

Monday - Friday

8:30 am @ MAIN CHURCH

*Monday 8:30 am Mass
with Miraculous Medal Novena*

Served By:

Rev. James Ferry, Pastor

Rev. James N. Chern, Weekend Assistant

Rev. Robert K. Suszko, Weekend Assistant

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Mrs. Eileen Reilly, Trustee

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RECTORY/Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Religious Education

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Sacrament of Confirmation (Grades 7-12)

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Administrative Assistant

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Sacrament of Baptism

Celebrated *usually* the first Saturday of the month. Parents are required to meet with Father Jim Ferry. Please call RECTORY.

Sacrament of the Sick

Administered in an emergency at any time. Please call RECTORY when someone is ill or admitted to the hospital.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples are asked to make their arrangements one year in advance of their wedding. Please call RECTORY for an appointment with a priest.

First Friday

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm. There is 1st Friday Adoration during the "Fall" months of September, October, November and December and the "Spring" months of March, April, May and June.

Peace and Good Corner Gift Shop

Religious articles, books and cards are available for purchase inside the church before and after all Masses or by appointment. Contact RECTORY.

New Parishioners

Welcome to Our Lady of Lourdes. Please register at RECTORY or call for registration forms.

MISSION STATEMENT *The people of God in West Orange were called by the Holy Spirit in 1914 to form Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, a community centered on Jesus Christ. The Holy Spirit remains with us today as we continue our journey to God. We are inspired by the Gospel of Jesus Christ, nourished by the Eucharist, called to respect life and proclaim our Catholic faith. We serve God by providing spiritual, educational, and social activities for our parish family as well as extending God's love and compassion to serve the greater community.*



Dear Brothers and Sisters of Our Lady of Lourdes,
In last Sunday's Feast of Pentecost and this Sunday's Feast of the Holy Trinity, we recall the endurance of God's presence among us.

Cardinal Joseph Bernardin, in a series of reflections on the Stations of the Cross, wrote that the Resurrection is Christ's gift of presence. We are called to testify to this presence, through reflection our own experience: "Although we are not witnesses to the risen Lord in precisely the same way as Peter and the other disciples, we have experienced foretastes of resurrection, we have experienced the presence of Jesus in our lives in so many ways."

Of course, the original disciples of Galilee had the benefit of our Savior's personal appearance. Yet, even they also were called to make the connection between his appearance and their lives. Peter, having denied three times, had to be asked three times, "Do you love me?" (John 21:15)

The American philosopher and educational reformer John Dewey wrote, "We do not learn from experience... we learn from reflecting on experience." The disciples - and you and I - are called to consider and reflect on our experience in prayer.

Cardinal Bernardin offered these examples of our own persistence, faith and reflection. In this way, we also become witnesses to the resurrection and to the Holy Spirit, in these struggles and journeys:

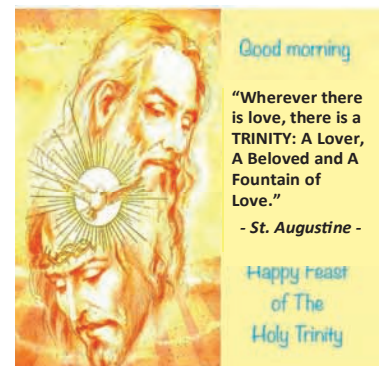
"Our ability to survive and keep trusting after the death of a loved one or after we have experienced some other psychological trauma; our passage from ignorance, bias, and intellectual narrowness to greater insight, broader acceptance, and more openness; our human capacity to hope and to protest human misery and suffering." (Joseph Bernardin, *The Journey to Peace*, New York: Doubleday, 2001, pp. 147-148)

Through reflection on our own experiences and struggles, we also grow in friendship and intimacy with our Savior. Pope Benedict XVI reminds us of the gladness of the disciples at the resurrection. This was not only because of the reunion but because of the conquest over death. The Passion and Resurrection of Jesus is meant to give us hope in our own experience:

"For the lost Friend [Jesus] did not come from just anywhere but from the night of death; and he passed through it! ... The disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. Today, at Pentecost, these words are also addressed to us, because in faith we can see him. In faith he comes among us and to us too he shows his hands and his side and we are glad. Therefore let us pray: Lord, show yourself! Make us the gift of your presence and we shall have the most beautiful gift: your joy." (Benedict XVI, *Pentecost Homily* 2011).

In Christ's Peace,

Father Jim Ferry



OUR LADY OF LOURDES - JUNE 4, 2023



CHURCH
CALENDAR



SATURDAY 3 JUNE

5:30 pm Margaret Brennan (5th Ann.)

SUNDAY 4 JUNE

7:30 am People of the Parish
9:30 am People of the Parish
11:30 am People of the Parish

MONDAY 5 JUNE

8:30 am Grace Brennan

TUESDAY 6 JUNE

8:30 am Daniel Paul Zimmermann

WEDNESDAY 7 JUNE

8:30 am Arthur Rupel

THURSDAY 8 JUNE

8:30 am Elsie Ford (27th Ann.)

FRIDAY 9 JUNE

8:30 am Karen Cham

SATURDAY 10 JUNE

5:30 pm Michael O'Boyle

SUNDAY 11 JUNE

7:30 am People of the Parish
9:30 am Luisa Justiniano
11:30 am Jaroslav & Rose Konvalinka



SUNDAY 4 JUNE **HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY**

7:30 am Mass in Church
9:00 am Recitation of Rosary
9:30 am Mass in Church
11:30 am Mass in Church

MONDAY 5 JUNE

8:30 am Mass in Church
1:00 pm RAS Annual Meeting (Hall)

6—6:30 pm Listening Sessions in Church:
6:45—7:15 pm See Page 4 for details
7:30—8 pm

TUESDAY 6 JUNE

8:30 am Mass in

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THURSDAY 8 JUNE

10:00 am Deadline for News & Announcements for the JUNE 18th Bulletin. Call the Rector at 973-325-0110.

SATURDAY 10 JUNE

4:15—5:00 pm Confessions in Church
5:30 pm Mass in Church

SUNDAY 11 JUNE **CORPUS CHRISTI**

7:30 am Mass in Church
9:30 am Mass in Church
11:30 am Mass in Church



This week's Bread & Wine, a gift from Jim & Eileen Reilly is in memory of **CATHERINE GASCOYNE**



This week's Sanctuary Candle, a gift from Marco Nievecela is for Prayer & Healing of **JORGE NIEVECELA**.

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE		JUNE 10 - 11, 2023	
Mass	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	
5:30 pm	Pat Sigalas	Judy Albore (Choir)	
7:30 am	Mary Cassels	MaryEllen Chandler	
9:30 am	JoAnn Melhorn	Espie Cain	
11:30 am Choir	Lynda Clement	Wendy Sheyka (Choir)	



Michael Ang
Msgr. Edward Bradley
Marti Carlos
Joan Clare
Lorelei Gotinga
Fiona Graham

Mikaela Moncupa
Allison Sardinha
Pat Schoeler
Sgt. Michael Williams

If you wish to have a friend or loved one prayed for, please call the Rectory at 973-325-0110.

Our Lady of Lourdes



ONE BODY, ONE MISSION



Monday June 5 (place: main church)	
6:00 – 6:30 pm	▶ St Vincent de Paul Society ▶ Food Drives ▶ Soup Kitchen, ▶ Peace & Good Corner
6:45 – 7:15 pm	▶ Rosary Altar Society ▶ Legion Of Mary
7:30 – 8 pm	▶ Youth Altar Servers ▶ Funeral Altar Servers ▶ Video Camera / Sound Recording Team (Parish YouTube)

Tuesday June 6 (place: main church)	
6:00 – 6:30 pm	▶ Ushers ▶ Lectors ▶ Eucharistic Ministers.
6:45 – 7:15 pm	▶ Art & Environment (i.e., Christmas, Easter, seasonal decorating and maintenance)
7:30 – 8 pm	▶ Tricky Tray and Events in Connor Hall ▶ Fundraisers ▶ Raffles

You do NOT need to be a member of one of these groups in order to attend a LISTENING SESSION. If you are simply interested in hearing more, you are welcome. If you are interested in joining one or more of our groups, you are most welcome to attend.

Parish
PICNIC
Saturday June 17th - 6:30 pm

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PRAYER FOR TRINITY SUNDAY



Father, Son and Holy Spirit, animate our living. Help us to forget ourselves, to get caught up in the mystery of your love and life. Let us never forget the need to care for the good of others. Never let us take for granted the mystery of life.

The **Rosary Altar Society's Annual Meeting** will be held on **Monday, June 5th, at 1:00 pm in Connor Hall.**



Looking forward to seeing everyone there.
Carol Ford, President



**Lifenet -
Baby Feet
Magnet Giveaway**



Hi Fr. Ferry,

Thank you for your terrific support and donations to LIFENET. We gave out just over 100 magnets and collected \$705 on that weekend for LIFENET, exclusive of your generous donations. We are very grateful to you and our fellow parishioners for the wonderful support and encouragement that we received from everyone. Kindly express our gratitude on behalf of LIFENET to the parish. All donations are used to continue our Mission to educate and advocate for "Equal Rights for Babies in the Womb" and their mothers, as well as our authentic love/sexual purity programs that we conduct throughout the year.

Peace and blessings,
Ray Torres

PARISH GIVING

FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 2022	
WEEKLY GOAL	\$ 6800
Collection*: May 20-21*	\$ 3932
Deficit:	\$ 2868
* Includes Online Giving Weekly Average Deposit	



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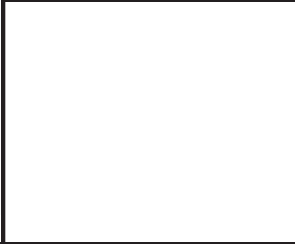
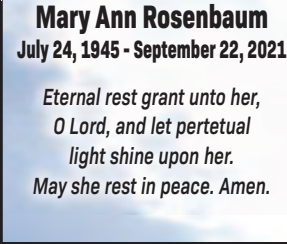
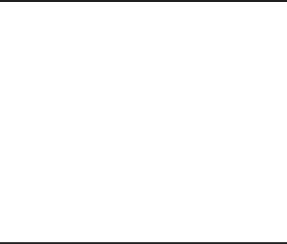
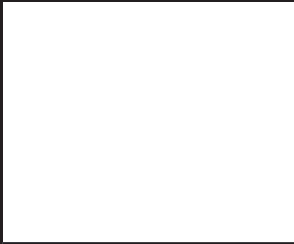
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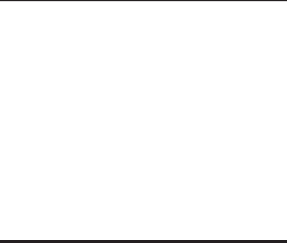
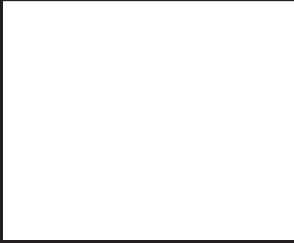
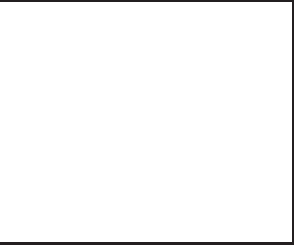
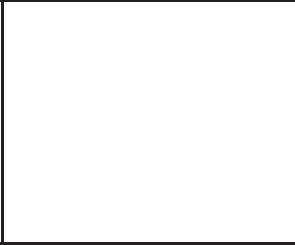
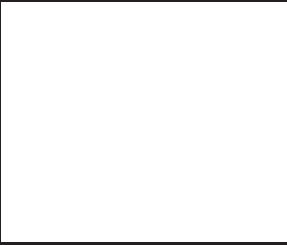
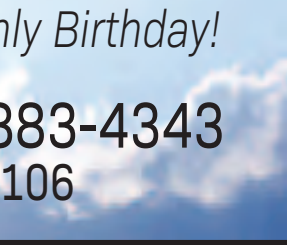
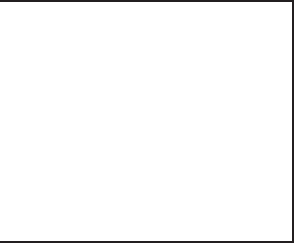
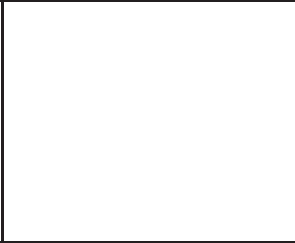
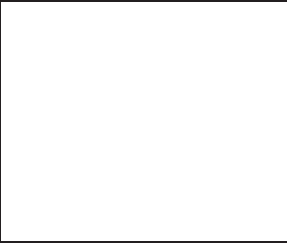
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