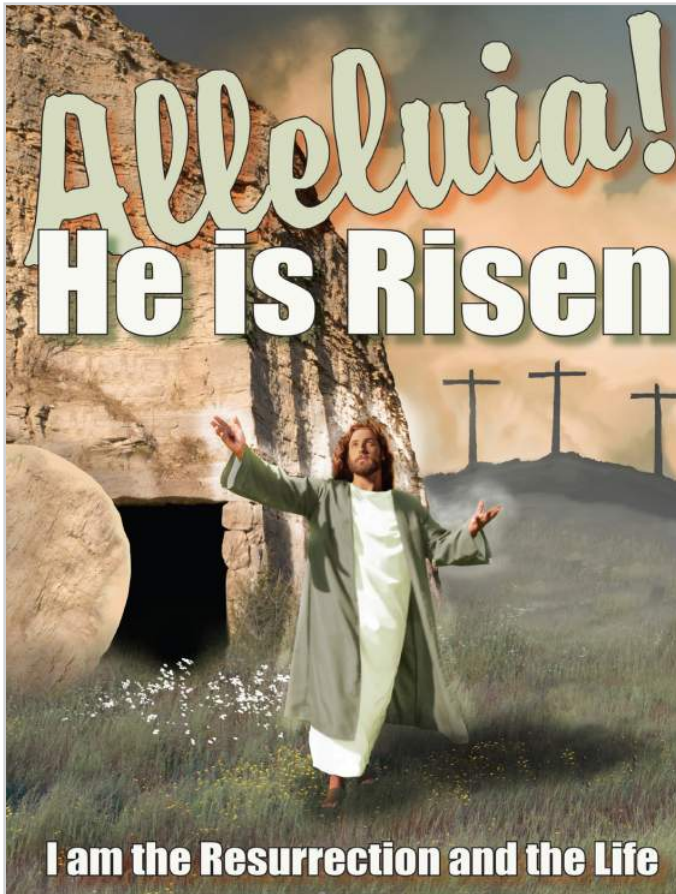


Our Lady of Peace Parish

April 5, 2026



Easter Sunday, The Resurrection of the Lord



*A Journey of Faith,
A Future of Hope*

The Mission of Our Lady of Peace is to:

- Lead by our Christian example.
- Love God, family and each other.
- Share our gifts in the community.
- Spread the good news of the Gospel through unity in diversity.

Pastor: Rev. Sanjai Devis, V.C.

Parochial Vicar: Rev. Naveen Borlakunta, V.C.

In Residence: Rev. George Melukkunnel Varkey, V.C.

Deacons: Deacon Luis A. Mounier

Deacon John (Jack) J. Mroz

Deacon James Hallman, Retired

Deacon Al LaMonaca, Retired

Deacon Michael L. McDonough, Retired

Deacon George VanLeer, Retired

Regional Hispanic Ministry: Rev. Renè Canales

School Principal: Patricia Mancuso

Director of Faith Formation: Lisa Caso

Coordinator of Youth & Young Adult Ministries:

Catalina Morales

Business Administrator: Mary Baron

Executive Secretary: Loren Laughlin

Pastoral Associate for Music & Outreach:

Joachim Cendana

MASSES

Saturday: 8:00am & 4:00pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday: 7:45am, 9:30am, 11:30am & 6:00pm

Monday-Friday: 6:45 & 8:00am, Thursday 6:30pm

Holy Days: 4:00pm (Vigil), 6:45, 8:00am & 7:00pm

Live-stream: Saturday Vigil 4:00pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 8:30-9:00am & 3:00-3:45pm

Thursday: 6:00-6:20pm

ST. JOHN NEUMANN ADORATION CHAPEL

Open Daily: 5:30am-9:00pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS & INFORMATION

Hours: Monday-Friday: 9am-4pm

Parish Address: 32 Carroll Ave. Williamstown, NJ 08094

Parish Office: (856) 629-6142

Fax: (856) 875-2097

St. Mary's School: (856) 629-6190

Religious Education: (856) 629-0614

Regional Hispanic Ministry: (856) 228-1517 ext.101

Parish email: olopp@olopp.org

Website: www.olopp.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/OLOPPWilliamstown

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 4/4, Easter Vigil

7:30pm **People of the Parish** Req: Fr. Sanjai

Sunday 4/5, Easter Sunday

6:15am **People of the Parish** Req: Fr. Sanjai

7:30am **People of the Parish** Req: Fr. Sanjai

9:00am **People of the Parish** Req: Fr. Sanjai

10:30am **People of the Parish** Req: Fr. Sanjai

12:00pm **(Livestream) People of the Parish**
Req: Fr. Sanjai

Monday 4/6

6:45am **Rose Graham** Req: Kevin & Luanne Corcoran

8:00am **Robert J. Fuss, Sr.** Req: Sweeney Family

Tuesday 4/7

6:45am **Chester Mullen** Req: Mary & Rich Baron

8:00am **Johnson & Manfra Family**
Req: Craig & Roseann Johnson & Family

Wednesday 4/8

6:45am **Emily Brummitt** Req: Sandy & Jack Ellis

8:00am **Sp. Int. Steve & Patty Martin**
Req: Hank & Jackie Lewandowski

Thursday 4/9

6:45am **Barry Mullen** Req: Sharon & Maureen

8:00am **Hare & Johnson Family**
Req: Craig & Roseann Johnson & Family

6:30pm **Sp. Int. Fran & Pat Bottino** Req: Friends

Friday 4/10

6:45am **Sp. Int. Fr. Naveen Borlakunta**
Req: Hank & Jackie Lewandowski

8:00am **Alexander Boyko**
Req: Dcn. Mike & Eileen McDonough

Saturday 4/11

8:00am **Carol Pohl** Req: JoAnn & John Watson

4:00pm **Sp. Int. Kimberly Pacis**
Req: OLOPP Clergy & Staff
Rose Graham Req: Lou Lalli
Dolores Pedrick Req: Roseann Johnson
Jennifer Schaffer
Req: Mr. C, Mrs. Kaston, & the SMS Choir
Shirley Wittje
Req: Bob & Betty Chickelero & Family
Kelle Franzen Req: Norm & Kathy Simon
Barry Mullen Req: Dot Clarke & Family

Sunday 4/12

7:45am **Joan M. Storey** Req: June & Bill Miller

9:30am **Anthony Mancuso** Req: SMS Faculty & Staff

11:30am **Rose Genova** Req: Friends
Sp. Int. Fr. Sanjai
Req: Craig & Roseann Johnson & Family
Conrad Lambert Req: Rev. Sanjai Devis
Sp. Int. Bogdan Req: Mom & Family
Chester "Barry" Mullen Req: Joachim Cendana
6:00pm **Constance Lynn** Req: Lynn Family

Sanctuary Light week of 4/4

In Memory of: Joseph D'Adamo

Req: JoAnn & John Watson



STEWARDSHIP

Please make your checks payable to:
"Our Lady of Peace Parish"

*The Palm Sunday 3/29/26 collection
will be in next week's bulletin.*

ARE YOU TIRED OF WORRYING
ABOUT IF YOU HAVE CASH FOR
THE WEEKLY COLLECTIONS?

Visit the parish website to find
out how you can worry about
one less thing each week.

Parish Giving
simple. secure. convenient.



SCAN ME

*Dear parishioners and our guests,
Thank you very much for your generosity
to our parish, especially during these times,
through electronic giving, mail and at Mass.
With grateful hearts,
Fr. Sanjai Devis, our Priests and Parish staff*

Stewards Grateful

*"Set your minds on things that are above, not on
things that are on earth."- Colossians 3:2*

Do you put God first in all things? Possessions, money, power, ego can easily become gods to many of us. Do a quick check of what is important to you because of your **stewardship**. Is God at the very top of the list? If not, your priorities need to be re-adjusted. Don't let earthly things become a god before God. This is also the first commandment – I am the Lord your God, you shall not have any strange gods before me.

happy
EASTER
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CLERGY CORNER & PARISH NEWS



Happy Easter! Today is one of the most beautiful and happiest days in the eyes of the Church. And for the next seven days we will read the many appearances of the risen Jesus to his close friends and his disciples. And today, we have Mary Magdalene, once possessed with demons, in the garden, just outside of Jesus' tomb. She is on a mission, now possessed completely with the love for Jesus. When she reaches the tomb, she is amazed, the huge stone is gone, the tomb is open and she weeps and cries. He is gone!

What will she do near that empty tomb? She's not sure, but her love for Jesus impels her search and that love keeps her around the tomb, the place where the body of the Master had been. Suddenly there appears a person, one she believes is the gardener.

Maybe this was her hope, the gardener must know. Yes, the gardener did know, and when He calls her by name, "Mary", she knows she found Jesus. She knows her Lord is alive again, and the tears of joy replace the weeping of sadness. Mary Magdalene felt her entire life change when the weight of seven demons was cast out from her soul by Jesus. She felt a presence and wanted more of these living waters of Christ; to find out who this person really was. She became a listener, a learner and then a follower.

She was healed by Jesus, and on the Cross on the very first Good Friday, we too were healed and like Mary Magdalene, we know He is the "Way, the truth and the Life". There was sadness at the tomb that day, but it was short lived. And joy filled her heart. It was personal because Jesus called her by name. Our own moments in deep prayer can be just as personal. Jesus can touch the center of our hearts and call us by our name. It is that touching that provides us with our own living waters to want even more. It is that intimate conversation and love that frees us of all anxieties of this life.

Like Mary, we need to be on a mission to do all things to strengthen our relationship with the risen Jesus. If everything we do is directed to God alone, then the soul desires nothing but to seek our God. Some of us may be searching for Jesus for some time, but just maybe there are obstacles in the way, maybe our preoccupations, our doubts and even fears. There may come a time when you least expect it, in the midst of your meditation, praying in your heart near that very tomb, when the gardener of the soul will approach and call you by name.

-Deacon Jim Hallman



SOUTH JERSEY
CATHOLIC
MINISTRIES
APPEAL

GOAL!
\$177,800

100%
90%
80%
70%
60%
50%
40%
30%
20%
10%


Our parish has raised \$106,490.00 from 215 Donors. This is 59.9% of our goal.

Our parish goal is \$177,800.00

COFFEE & DONUTS

Join us for coffee & donuts NEXT Sunday, April 12th as we resume coffee & donuts after all morning Masses.

Coffee & Donuts is hosted on the 2nd Sunday of the month through June.
Ministry leaders: please sign up with Joachim (jcendana@olopp.org) for which month you would like your ministry to be spotlighted.



PARISH NEWS



Newly added this week: Lenny Armentani, Michele Armentani, Shari S., Anne Ambrose, Rita Arnold, Donald Battaglini, Karyn Blaker, Bob, Theresa Boggs, Christina Bontya, Corwin Candelario, Mark Candidi, Joan Chesmore, Mary Chiodo, Sam Cooper Sr & Sam Cooper Jr, Megan Dahmen, Dalton, Ron DeCecco, Angelo DeClerico, Baby Sammy Deckert, Steve Demitri, Re DiMatteo, Anne Ehrke, Eric Emmel, Danny Feltwell, Louis Ferroni, Joe Fiorentino, Evelyn Flipping, Florence, Allan Fuller, Joe Fynes, Beth G., Chris G., Geraldine Gartner, Tommy Gibson, Madeline Girardo, Pat Glevy, Dorothy Greene, Jackie Greer, Michael Hallman, Benny Hart, Gayle Heiting, Elizabeth Helen, Diane Hennessy, John Hogan, Barbara Hoover, Kathleen & Jim Howery, Lorraine Hudson, Ava J., Scott J., Baby R.L. Johnson, Edward Keenan, Gail Keenan, Rita Kelley, Baby Jura Kerrliddle, James Kier & Jill Kier, Baby Nolan Langschultz, Anthony & Briana Lepore, Debra Lichman, Lisette & Walt Litwinczuk, Tony Lynn, Josephine Maciejewski, Diane Maciejewski, Marlene, Nicole Mason, Shannon McDonough, Carmen Mendoza, Diane Molino, Norma Monteiro, Bill Morrison, Britney Mullen, Sr. Janice Novak, Louie Ortiz, Nina Parris, Baby Aria Park, Mark Pesotski, Jim R., Rosemarie Raia, Marie Rein, Tommy Rein, Kathie Restuccio, Luna Rose, Pat Rumpf, Patrick Ryan, Gerald Sabawa, Baby Paige Elizabeth Sablich, Grace Sadler, Fr. Pete Saporito, Kathryn & Robert Schlachta, John Senese, Shannon Staino, Dolores Stanton, Wayne Todd, Maryann Trombetta, Baby Tyler, Len Venturo, Marian Vile, Jean Wise, and Lynda Wolfe

Due to limited spacing in the bulletin, the sick list names will be removed after a two month time frame.

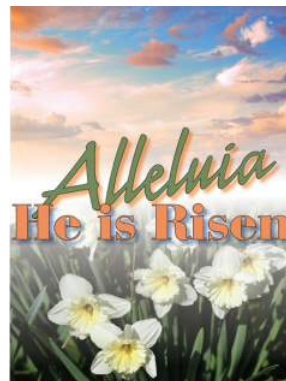
To add or re-add a name please call the Parish Office 856-629-6142 or email Kari Janisse at YouthMinisterKari@gmail.com.

St. Michael Prayer List is for those on the front lines protecting our country and serving our local communities. Please keep them in your prayers.



Amanda Adams, Charles Adams, John Amendolia, Joseph Armata, Robert Bond, Dylan & Ian Bright, Sgt. Edward Brown, Zac Bourgeois, Mark Burton, Eugene Cadwallader, Dr. Daniel Costa, Jared Cruz, Sgt. Joseph Davis, Alli DiCioccio, LJ DeHart, Chief John McBride, Sr. Airman Michael Fraser, Brandon Garris, Luecas Gordon, Sebastian Gordon, Michael Hernandez, Matthew Jakim, Jeff Krieger, Logan Laughlin, Christopher LeBano, Michael Matkowsky, Julia McDevitt, Ian Medina, Monroe Twp Fire Department, EMT's and Police Department, William Murphy, Joe Petsch, Ronny Pilla, Ashlea Potopchuk-Tucker, Kim Rickerd, Christopher Remakis, Jim Rickerd, Jackie Roberts, Taylor Schneider, Taylor Thompson, Ed Slimm, Brett Virnelson, Alyssia Walton, Marc Wolfe, Joshua Wolf and Bill Yorio

Our Mass Book for July through December is now OPEN



The Parish Office will be closed on Easter Monday, April 6th. Happy & Blessed Easter!

PARISH NEWS

An Easter Thank You

As we celebrate Easter, we are very happy you chose to share this day with us to remember the joyful promise of our new life together in Christ Jesus. "This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad!" (Psalm 118). We are truly glad that you are here. May the joy of the Risen Christ fill all of our parishioners and guests with many blessings.

On behalf of the clergy, the staff and all the parishioners and friends of our parish, I thank our Bishop Joseph Williams for celebrating the Easter Sunday 12:00 noon Mass for us. I extend a very special thank you to all those who helped to make our Holy Week and Easter liturgies so very beautiful. We thank all who worked behind the scenes to clean, to physically prepare spaces for our celebrations and our Art and Environment ministry, under the leadership of Janet Costa, for decorating them. I am grateful to my brother priests, Fr. Naveen and Fr. George, my brother deacons – Jim, Al, Mike, Luis, Jack, George and all of our parish staff for all of their help. We thank all those who volunteered to serve as ministers – sacristans, greeters, lectors, ushers, Extraordinary Ministers, altar servers, musicians, technology team, and all those who have helped us in any way.

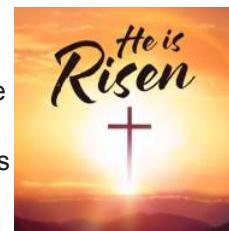
A special thank you to Deacon Mike for being the M.C. for all of the Triduum celebrations.

St. Paul reminds us in his first letter to the Corinthians chapter 12 that "there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone." Throughout the year and especially this past week, you have been a living example of St. Paul's "image of one body" working together to make the Holy Week and Easter celebrations so beautiful and prayerful for us here at OLOPP.

Once again thank you for your time, talents, and treasure, and your willingness to share them with your parish family. Our Lady of Peace has been richly blessed by your care, your attention, and your gifts, and I am blessed to be your pastor and shepherd. May God bless you abundantly with his grace in this Easter Season.

I wish you all a Blessed and Happy Easter. May the peace, the joy, and the hope that the Risen Lord brings to each of us fill your hearts and your families on this Easter Sunday and during this Easter season.

Happy Easter! Jesus is Risen, Alleluia! -Fr. Sanjai



Friday, May 1st in Assumption Hall
Bingo 6-10pm (Doors open 5pm)

Designer Bag bingo tickets on sale now!
YOU MUST BE 21 to attend.



Come join us for a night of Bingo for **Designer Bags and 50/50**. Get all your friends together for a **FUN NIGHT OUT!!** Bring your favorite drinks & appetizers for you and your friends to share. Come to Assumption Hall (St. Mary School Gym) at Our Lady of Peace Parish for a fabulous evening of Designer Bag FUN!! **We will be playing 10 games of Bingo plus Specials—winner of each game will receive a Beautiful Designer Bag. Also try your luck at our 50/50 and raffle baskets.**

Tickets are \$35 per person which includes 10 games of bingo plus 1 special. Additional games can be purchased along with dabbers. \$40 per person at the door. **MUST BE 21 to attend.** Make your check payable to: "Our Lady of Peace Parish" (OLOPP). Tables are forming fast! Tickets will be sold until it sells out!! If you want to sit with a group/table – when ordering please put name of table. Stop by the Parish Center to get tickets or send your money into St. Mary's School with DESIGNER BAG BINGO tickets on envelope.

Any questions, please contact Loren Laughlin at the Parish Center 856-629-6142.
Looking forward to seeing you there!!

Name: _____

Phone: _____

of Tickets: _____

EASTER FLOWERS



EASTER MEMORIAL FLOWERS



In Memory of:

William Keating
Marian & Bill Keating
Sophia & John Labate
Joseph Alberici
Josephine Whalen
Pat Luko
John & Margaret Luko
Alton Wilson
Catherine Wilson
Henry Karbach
Theresa Karbach
William Curley
C. Robert Greene
John DeCosta
Dec'd DeCosta Family & Friends
MaryEllen DeCosta's Family & Friends
All Victims of War
Ronald Battistelli
Francis Knowles Jr
Arthur & Irene Emerson
James & Jenny Coppolino
Raymond & Virginia DiFillippe
Bert Lamber
Dec'd Loved Ones
Dec'd Maietti Family mems
Dec'd Caristo Family mems
Linda Bodoni
Anna & Carmen Costantino
Angela Suriel
Robert V Rehill Sr
Marie Rehill
Dale Rehill
Francis X Connor Sr
Pat Burgin
Doarthy Burgin
Francis X Connor Jr
Kathleen Connor
Alfred Oriente

Requested by:

Kathleen Keating

Deacon John Luko

M/M Kevin Karbach

Rita Greene
Mary Ellen DeCosta

Rosemary Battistelli
M/M Francis Knowles
Emerson Thomas & Janet

M/M Anthony Fratterelli
M/M James Caristo

Arline, Christina & Nicholas
M/M Thomas Rehill

Joanne Oriente

In Memory of:

Michael Petriello
Sean Currie
Alfred Gambone
Dec'd Loved Ones
Ed & Joan Capella
Charles & Gerry Ogilvie
Dec'd Appenzeller Family mems
Theresa M Vanleer Family mems
Theresa M Vanleer
Michelle VanLeer
Amy VanLeer
Dec'd Rein Family mems
Dec'd Emerle Family mems
Dec'd Skala Family mems
Dec'd Rowan Family mems
Antony, Elfriede, Joseph, Margaret, Joseph III, Johanna, George & TJ
Dec'd Forte Family mems
Stanley & Katharine Mroz
Roy & Jane Muth
Roy A Muth, Jr
Maryann Trinkner
James & Helen Trinkner
Joan Trinkner
Dec'd Bottino Family mems
Wayne Perry
Rita & Francis Leverick
Francis Leverick Jr
James, Ethel & Jim Penney
Diana Botty
Dec'd Blaszyk Family mems
Dec'd Chmiel Family mems
Dec'd Novis Family mems
Stanley Leverick
Marcellino Troiano
Charles, Rose & Carmen Bevilacqua

Requested by:

M/M Christopher Meehan

Laverne Lis
M/M Thomas Ogilvie

M/M Stephen & Denice DeMitre

Deacon George VanLeer

M/M Karl Rein
Bernadette Skala & Family

M/M Peter Forte
Deacon Jack & Rita Mroz

Geoffrey Trinkner Sr

M/M Patrick Bottino
M/M Lawrence Penney

Inez Troiano

EASTER FLOWERS & PARISH NEWS



EASTER MEMORIAL FLOWERS



In Memory of:
Thomas E Bent
Baby Vincent Agostino
Vincent Agostino
Jennie & Sam Caringi
Dec'd Loved Ones
Dec'd Rowan Family mems
Dec'd McMaster Family mems
Dec'd McGroth Family mems
Janet & Samer Alarmani
Stella & Dickran Abrahamian
Dec'd Goldschmidt Family mems
Walter Grosset
Joseph Dinnini
Pietro & Angelina D'Adamo
Frederick & Madelina Dinnini
Piotr & Olga Brik
Lubow & Jozef Felcyn
Isabella Derlukiewicz
Ryszard & Regina Wertman
Edmund Lehman
Judeh Siwady
Adel Siwady
Robert Maciejewski III
Perry Capiak
Peg & Pete Capiak
Al & Theresa Horsey
Jim & Jim Tell
Canal Romaine
Peter Bazikos
Frances Bazikos
Kathe Romaine
Charles Romaine
Edmond Toto, Jr
Barbara Thompson
Al & Dorothy Thompson
Marion & Joseph Spix

Requested by:
Mary Bent
Deborah Agostino
M/M Luther Eleda
Helen Rowan
Barbara McMaster
M/M Leo Abrahamian
Brian Grosset & Aaron Goldschmidt
Marita Dinnini
M/M Zdzislaw Felcyn
M/M George Facuse
Mom & Dad
Deborah Capiak
Peter Bazikos
Catherine Toto
M/M Edward Thompson
Thomas E Bent

In Memory of:
Anna & Joseph DiGiovanni
May & Cecil Palermo
Jeffrey Piccone
Russell Minott Jr
James Phelan
Marjorie Phelan
Miro Litwinczuk
John & Dolores O'Connor
Marcus Faigal
Fe Cendana
Jeremy Abad
Rosario Faigal
Lu Cendana
Jose Abad, Jr
Maxima Sulse
Carol Cendana
Emiliano Cendana
Constancia Cendana
Augusto Ancheta
Norma Faigal

Requested by:
Baby Vincent Agostino
Martha Piccone
M/M Walter Litwinczuk
M/M Dan Cendana



SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR MAY CROWNING: SUNDAY, MAY 10TH AT 9:30AM

All First Communicants and Confirmandi are invited in their outfits and robes.

SAVE THE DATES FOR OUR PARISH CARNIVAL!

Monday, June 22nd to Saturday, June 27th



PARISH MINISTRIES

FAITH FORMATION



Registration
for our 2026-2027 Summer Intensive and Fall to Spring Programs are now open!



Family Catechesis

Reminder that in order to be eligible for the Summer Intensive Program for 2026-2027 you must have completed at least six (6) Catechetical Events. We have added more Family Catechesis events, for these events no sign up is necessary for Church events, but you must sign in at the event.

Saturday, April 11th - Family Rosary in Church 1:30pm
Thursday, April 16th - The Blessed Mother in Assumption Hall 6:30pm

First Holy Communion Events

Holy Communion Retreat: Saturday, April 18, 2026

All First Communion Students must attend one Retreat session. One parent or guardian must also attend.

10:00 am to 12:00 pm
or
1:00 pm to 3:00 pm
in Assumption Hall



Scan to sign up

Mandatory Rehearsal

Friday, April 24, 2026, 6:00 pm in the Church

First Holy Communion Mass

Saturday, April 25, 2026, 10:00 am in the Church

Mandatory Rehearsal

Friday, May 1, 2026, 6:00 pm in the Church

First Holy Communion Mass

Saturday, May 2, 2026, 10:00 am in the Church



May you have a Happy and Blessed Easter.

No class on Thursday, April 2nd or Thursday, April 9th.



Classes resume Thursday, April 16th

Our Lady of Peace Parish Senior Social Club



The Senior Social Club meets next Monday, April 13th in Marian Hall.

Special time change to 1pm (this month only).

Come join us for an afternoon of socializing, coffee & cake, BINGO and MUCH MORE!

4 BINGO Cards for \$1 and 50/50 \$1.

Please use elevator entrance.

Catechist Corner

Meet Mary Gordon
Sacramental Prep



My name is Mary Gordon and I am one of the volunteer catechists at OLOPP. My journey as a substitute catechist for grades K-8 began when my oldest child was in first grade (he's turning 26 in a few months, so you do the math! Haha!)

Although I really enjoyed teaching all grade levels, after 3 years as a substitute, I was asked to teach first grade as a full-time catechist, which I did for many years. During the pandemic, I began teaching 3rd grade via zoom! Teaching via zoom posed some challenges, however I can proudly say I managed to make it fun for the kids as demonstrated by their active participation in our sessions each week. My last 5 years were spent preparing the religious ed 2nd graders for First Penance and First Communion. At the end of last school year, I decided it was time to close the door on my volunteer catechist journey. However, I soon found that ministry never really "ends", and I accepted an invitation to continue helping with sacramental prep classes.

I am so grateful for the opportunity to continue with this ministry. Being a part of the faith formation of our youth, and working with such wonderful volunteer catechists through the years, has been (and continues to be) very fulfilling.

ST. JOSEPH MEN'S MINISTRY
9TH ANNUAL "TAKE DAD TO BREAKFAST" FUNDRAISER
PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT OUR YOUTH GROUP

JUNE 13 2026

8:00-11:00AM

NEW LOCATION: ASSUMPTION HALL

TICKETS
\$10 FOR ADULTS
\$7 FOR CHILDREN AGES 6-12
FREE FOR CHILDREN 5 AND UNDER

PARISH MINISTRIES

Sign up NOW for VBS (Vacation Bible School)



Our Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be

July 6-10, 2026 from 9am-12pm

“Rainforest Falls” is the 2026 theme!

Registration is now open for 2026 VBS.

Thank you to the families who have registered already! We are halfway full – space is limited!

Please visit the registration link below or scan the QR code on the right.

https://forms.gle/MTcybqT7asmsUUhn7



There are no paper forms for VBS 2026. Once you register please submit your payment to the Parish Office or send to St. Mary School attn: Mrs. LaRosa in 1A.

Cash or check to OLOPP only. You will be notified once payment has been received.

There is a fee of \$65 per camper that covers all expenses for this program including your camp t-shirt, daily snacks, crafts, science experiments and the many fun experiences the week provides.

All PK3-5th graders for the 2026-2027 are invited to attend.

Questions? Please reach out to VBS Coordinator, Julie LaRosa at VBS@olopp.org

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT GROUPS



Spiritual Guidance meets on

Thursdays in the Youth Office

Jr. Guidance for 6-8th graders is 2:45-4:15pm

Sr. Guidance for 9-12th graders is 5-7pm

ACTS Young Adults 18-26 years old

Mon., March 30th from 7-9pm in St. Joseph Room

We'll talk about saints with messy pasts, real struggles, and how God still used them.

Come find yourself in their stories.

Guppies, Jesus Fish & JP2 Youth Groups

Sunday, April 19th in Marian Hall

Join us for a tie-dye & ice cream social!

Create your own colorful tie-dye masterpiece, then cool off with delicious ice cream and toppings.

Guppies 3rd-5th grade: 5-6:30pm

Jesus Fish 6-8th & JP2 high school: 7-9pm



SCAN FOR OUR YOUTH GROUP'S WEBSITE

OLOPPYOUTHMINISTRY.COM



GREAT ADVENTURE

JACKSON, NJ

NJ CATHOLIC YOUTH RALLY

MAY 17 2026

Opening Ceremony (945am)

Meal ticket includes: a drink, meal and a snack Sunday Liturgy (6pm)

Parents, siblings, families welcome!

We will take a bus and meet at OLOPP 715AM

RSVP TO CAT BY April 26



Tickets \$85

Includes park ticket, lunch, parking pass, bus

Season Pass \$35

Includes lunch, parking pass, bus



PARISH MINISTRIES



St. Mary School is holding an Open House for all those looking to enroll their child in grades Kindergarten through 7th grade

and 3 year old preschool for the 2026-2027 school year.

The Open House will be held on Wednesday, April 15th from 6:00 pm-6:45 pm for 3 year old preschool and 6:45pm-7:30 pm for Kindergarten through 7th grade.

Please visit our school website, www.smarys.org or scan the QR code below to register for our upcoming Open House and to learn more about St. Mary School.

2026-2027 KINDERGARTEN FAMILIES:

If your child will be entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2026, St. Mary School is offering a Kindergarten Grant. For those currently enrolled in our St. Mary School 4-year old preschool program, this grant offers \$500 dollars off of next year's tuition. We are also offering \$400 off of next year's tuition for all other students not currently enrolled in our preschool program.

Scan to Visit the SMS Website:



Why Choose St. Mary School?

At St. Mary School, we provide more than just an excellent education—we nurture the whole child in a safe, faith-filled, supportive environment.

- Checkmarks listing benefits: Tuition Assistance & Transfer Grants, Full-Day Kindergarten, Cutting-Edge Learning, Faith in Action, Challenging Academics, Beyond the Classroom, Whole-Child Support.

St. Mary School's mission is to prepare today's students for tomorrow's world in a faith-filled, welcoming Catholic community committed to academic excellence and service to others.

For more information, please contact Jackie Kern in the Advancement Office advancementoffice@smarys.org or at 856-629-6190.

Scan to Visit the SMS Facebook page:



SCAN TO REGISTER



Date: Friday, May 29, 2026

Time: 12:00pm. Registration | 1:00pm Shotgun Start

Location: White Oak Country Club, Newfield, NJ

CALLING ALL GOLF ENTHUSIASTS AND SUPPORTERS OF CATHOLIC EDUCATION! ST. MARY SCHOOL ANNUAL GOLF OUTING IS BACK FOR ANOTHER EXCITING YEAR!

Event Highlights:

Lunch and Post-Golf Dinner Banquet

SWAG bag

On-course contests

50/50 and Prize Baskets

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