THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time + August 7, 2016

OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church was founded in 1958 and is an integral part of the Mountainside community.

As a parish, we strive to:

form one family in Christ embracing our various backgrounds and age differences;.

unify and strengthen our parish bonds through living our Catholic faith supported by Eucharistic Adoration, Educational, Service, and Social Ministries;

To evangelize and minister to the needs of God's people under the patronage of Our Lady of Lourdes, reflecting the greater Church's efforts to promote love of God and love of neighbor - through our Catholic faith and works.

Throughout this journey, we strive to become stronger families, neighbors and Catholics living our lives according to the teaching of Jesus Christ, under the protection and intercession of Our Blessed Mother.

Come and Worship with Us

Masses
Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 am
Weekdays 7:30 am
Saturday 8:00 am
Holy Days As Announced

Penance Saturdays 1:00 pm

Novena to the Miraculous Medal
Saturdays following 8:00 am Mass

Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus
Fridays following the 7:30 am Mass

Baptisms scheduled monthly excluding Lent

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Prayer Requests

Please pray for the sick. . . Patricia Kane, Helen Ahlquist, Marta Pares, Antonie Bachmeier, Kathleen Ruggeri, Pedro Antonio Turcios Moreno, Valerie Santiago, Rose Vera Kaeppel, Joeline Stearns, Linda Kehoe-Goldberg, James Roughneen, Javier Perez-Santalla and Barbara Dubno.

The Eucharistic Chapel Candles will burn this week in loving memory for Marie Mirabelli requested by Post and Freer Families, for the loving memory for Luis Sanchez requested by Laura Kuntz.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for the loving memory of the deceased parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes.

Please Pray for our service member, Sgt. Nicholas Perez-Santalla, and for all Service Men and Women who are presently serving our country.

Follow Pope Francis on Twitter @Pontifex

A few of this week's tweets from Pope Francis….

Vacations offer a time to rest and to restore the spirit, especially through a more quiet reading of the Gospels.

In the world of work today it is essential to educate and follow the luminous and demanding path of honesty.

Archdiocesan Pilgrimage

Join the Newark Archdiocesan
Jubilee of Mercy Pilgrimage
Basilica of the National Shrine
of the Immaculate Conception
Washington, DC
Saturday, October 22, 2016

Our Parish will "team up" with
St. Theresa's Parish in Summit.

Details to follow.

LAST MINUTE APPEAL
from Circle Of Compassion

The Eddie Gray Camp Fund
c/o St Joseph's Social Service Center
118 Division Street
Elizabeth New Jersey 07201

Please include your name and address to allow Sister Jacinta to acknowledge the donation.
You may also place your donation in the Sunday collection clearly marked Circle of Compassion-Summer Camp.
You may also support this effort by providing the following items to be placed in the bins at the entrances of OLL clearly marked "CAMP".
Bathing suits (once piece only and no Speedos), soap and soap dishes, travel sizes of tooth paste, body lotions and shampoo, toothbrushes, towels & wash cloths, shorts and tee shirts and small flashlights (Triple AAA and Double AA).

Ministry Schedule for the Weekend of August 13 - 14, 2016

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Servers
5:00PM	Already Assigned	Already Assigned	John Bittner Michael Bittner Domenico Deluca
7:30AM	Already Assigned	Already Assigned	Danny Whelan Jimmy Whelan
9:30AM	Already Assigned	Already Assigned	Jack Wargaski Ryan Wargaski William Zipeto
11:30AM	Already Assigned	Already Assigned	Ryan Kennedy Laura Parrell James Snyder

ATTENTION ALTAR SERVERS: **Even if you are not scheduled to serve Mass, please check the Sunday Sacristy 10 minutes before Mass to see if you are needed.**

Everyone is welcome! Please contact our Parish Office to register with us.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

I the Lord, have called You in righteousness, and will hold your hand.
Isaiah 42:6

Are you filled with anxiety and worry about some problem, wondering what will happen? Listen: As a child of God through faith in Christ, you can turn these over to Christ, knowing that he loves you and is able to help you. At times He may take the problem away; other times He may give you strength to bear it. But you can rest in Him.

One Hour… Our Lord Needs Us!

Sunday:	4 am, 9 am, 11 am, 6 pm, 7 pm, 8 pm
Monday:	4 am
Tuesday:	7 am, 10 am, 6 pm, 8 pm, 9 pm
Wednesday:	6 am, 3 pm, 4 pm, 6 pm
Thursday:	7 pm
Friday:	12 noon, 2 pm, 3 pm, 4 pm, 6 pm, 8 pm, 9 pm, 10 pm
Saturday:	11 am, 1 pm, 2 pm, 3 pm, 4 pm, 7 pm, 8 pm, 9 pm, 10 pm

...the more difficult the sacrificial hour, the greater the blessing...an early AM adorer or a 2-3 AM adorer.

Contact Irene Ciccarino at 732-574-0064.

Adoration chapel candles may burn in Memory of, or in Honor of a Loved one, Special Birthday or Anniversary, or for a Special Intention.
When you don't know what to purchase as a gift, consider a gift of Prayer.

Contact the Parish Office… Donation $25.00.

ATTENTION GIFT BEARERS

If you are having a weekend Mass offered for yourself or a relative living or deceased and would like to bring up the gifts of bread & wine at the Offertory of the Mass, please advise the ushers beforehand so that you may present the Offertory Gifts at that particular Mass.

Mass Intentions for the week

Saturday Evening August 6th, Vigil, Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 PM E. J. Mattioli
Req. by Ed & Marie Smith

Sunday, August 7th, Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 AM For the People of the Parish
9:30 AM Florence Cardoni
Req. by the Cardoni Family
11:30 AM Edith Fazzini (5th Anniversary)
Req. by Bill & Marianne Taylor

Monday, August 8th, St. Dominic
7:30 AM Pat Slowey
Req. by Maureen & Jim Murphy

Tuesday, August 9th, St. Theresa Benedicta of the Cross
7:30 AM Lorene Stephenson
Req. by Karen Shaneen

Wednesday, August 10th, St. Lawrence
7:30 AM Susan Goodyear
Req. by Fran & Cindy

Thursday, August 11th, St. Clare
7:30 AM Joseph Houghtalin
Req. by Mercuri & Coffey Families

Friday, August 12th, St. Jane Frances de Chantal
7:30 AM Jack Graziano
Req. by Eve Vitale

Saturday, August 13th, St. Pontian
8:00 AM John Bieszczak
Req. by Joan Bieszczak

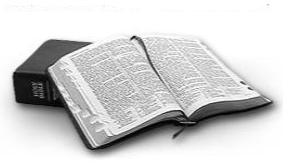
Saturday Evening, August 13th, Vigil, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 PM Jean Albanese
Req. by M/M Maurice Gallipoli

Sunday, August 14th, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 AM For the People of the Parish
9:30 AM Anthony McGovern
Req. by the Nagy Family
11:30 AM Vincent Spagnola
Req. by Theresa Manziano

NO SUNDAY 5 PM MASS. THE 5 PM MASS WILL RESUME ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th.
NO 8:30 AM MASSES, JULY AND AUGUST, RESUME ON SEPTEMBER 6th.

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE SCRIPTURES



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday: Ez 2:8 -- 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26
Thursday: Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62: Mt 18:21 -- 19:1
Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2-4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

Taken from the "Weekly Guide for Daily Prayer" on Creighton University's *Online Ministries* web site: www.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/online.html Used with permission.

Weekly collection for August 7th will appear in the August 14th bulletin.

Sunday is the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. In Luke's Gospel ,Jesus cautions us to be ready for the coming of the Lord. "Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into." Monday is the Memorial of Saint Dominic, Priest. Wednesday is the Feast of Saint Lawrence, deacon and martyr. Thursday is the Memorial of Saint Clare.

This week we begin reading from the Book of the Prophet Ezekiel. Ezekiel was a prophet to the people in exile in Babylon. He uses dreams and powerful symbolic visions - at first denouncing their infidelity and then offering hope for restoration and new life.

In this week we reflect upon God's mercy and our call to imitate God's love. Jesus predicts his passion and miraculously resolves a conflict over temple tax. It is not the temple tax for which he will be executed, but for what he reveals about God's love and mercy to sinners. Jesus tells us we should "become like children": innocent, loving, trusting, humble. Jesus tells us the hard work we should go through to reconcile with a sinner. He says that whenever we are gathered together, in his name, he is with us. He tells us to forgive - over and over again - and tells the parable of the servant who is forgiven but won't forgive a fellow servant. Jesus speaks about the permanence of the marriage commitment. Children were not regarded very highly and the disciples tried to bar them from bothering Jesus. Jesus welcomes them - and all the powerless they represent: "for the Kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."

Family Promise
Interfaith Hospitality Network

Union County, NJ

Tend My Sheep Ministry

We completed our third year of the Tend My Sheep Ministry and will soon begin our fourth year. We will be hosting on Thursday, September 1, 2016, at Church of the Little Flower in Berkeley Heights. A reminder will be sent to all Team 1 members as we get closer, and we will post an online sign-up sheet for volunteers.

If you cannot volunteer or sign up for a food donation, we are also seeking monetary donations as well as other, nonperishable items. Your generous donations during previous years allowed Little Flower to significantly reduce their out-of-pocket expenses. Donations can be given to Deacon Mike, dropped off or mailed to the rectory, or put in the collection basket in an envelope marked TEND MY SHEEP DONATION.

Please watch the bulletin for future announcements and we look forward to "tending HIS sheep" and making our future experiences even better.

If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Michael DeRoberts, mderoberts@aol.com, or (908) 868-0727 or Karen Hahner, hahnerk@comcast.net or (908) 789-4639.

Thanks again for all you do to make Our Lady of Lourdes a great parish!

ANNUAL MISSION APPEAL 2016

On the weekend of August 13th and 14th our parish will host Fr. Hector DiNardo Rey a priest of the Adorno Fathers Religious Order. Each year the Archdiocesan Office for the Propagation of the Faith assigns a priest, or brother/sister religious to speak on the temporal needs of their respective Diocese or Religious Congregation. Fr. Hector will speak at all weekend Masses on this date. He will ask for your prayers and financial support for the Apostolic works of his Religious Community. Please be generous in your support.

Here are some facts:

The Order of the Clerics Regular Minor (Adorno Fathers) came into existence in the 16th century and was one of several orders approved by the Church, before and after the Council of Trent, under the general name of Clerics Regular.
This religious Order of priests and brothers founded by Saint Francis Caracciolo, Venerable Augustine Adorno and Father Fabrizio Caracciolo in 1588. By solemnly professing the four vows of Poverty, Chastity, Obedience and Not Seeking Ecclesiastical Dignities, they follow the example of Jesus Christ who Himself was poor, chaste, obedient and humble.
Missions in: Africa, Germany, India, Italy, Philippines and the USA. The Order has Houses of Formation both in the U.S. and the Philippines.

STARTING THIS FALL FOR THE WOMEN OF OUR COMMUNITY!!!!

A 22-Session Scripture-Based Study Program

Do you feel pulled in many directions? Do you find it hard to balance the demands placed on your time? God wants to support and help us so that we can be our best in every season of our lives. "*Keeping in Balance*" will take us on a journey throughout Scripture to explore biblical ways that we can use to manage life's pace and pressure while living with calm and steadiness. A lifestyle of health and wholeness/holiness awaits!

Dates: Every Wednesday & Thursday as follows:
Sessions 1 thru 10 - Sept. 14-15 thru Nov. 16-17, 2016
Sessions 11 thru 22 - Jan. 11-12 thru April 5-6, 2017

Times: 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm on Wednesdays; 9:00 am to 10:30 am on Thursdays

Location: OLL's Pollard Hall

Cost: (includes all program materials; you also will need access to a Bible): $65

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL FOR REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED BY AUGUST 31st: $55

For additional details, contact Sue Zavodny (908-789-8543; zavodnys@comcast.net);
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Kathy Snyder (908-232-4817; auntkik@comcast.net);
or Maria DeAnna (908-232-3437; deannafamily@comcast.net)

OLL "KEEPING IN BALANCE" 2016-2017 REGISTRATION FORM

Please return completed form with $65 ($55 if returned by August 31st) registration fee, making checks payable to "Our Lady of Lourdes-WWP." If mailing your registration, send to: Our Lady of Lourdes, 300 Central Ave., Mountainside, NJ 07092.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Mailing Address: Street_____

Town & Zip Code _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Session Choice:

Wednesday Evenings from 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm starting on 9/14/16 _____

Thursday Mornings from 9:00 am to 10:30 am starting on 9/15/16 _____

Please remember the Parish of Our Lady of Lourdes in your estate planning.