

# THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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## Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time + August 21, 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.

### Parish Staff

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### 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

## 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 Kaepfel, Joeline Stearns, Linda Kehoe-Goldberg, James Roughneen, Javier Perez-Santalla and Barbara Dubno.

*The Eucharistic Chapel Candles* will burn this week in gratitude for Mary Faella requested by Barbara Oberding.

*The Sanctuary Lamp* will burn this week for the loving memory of Walter Olsofsky requested by Plucienik Family

*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....

May people see the Gospel in our lives: in our generous and faithful love for Christ and our brothers and sisters.

In Confession we encounter the merciful embrace of the Father.  
His love always forgives.

### RCIA - RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Do you know someone who has expressed an interest in our Catholic Faith? Have you thought about becoming a Catholic? Are you baptized and want to receive the other sacraments of initiation?

(FIRST HOLY COMMUNION  
& CONFIRMATION)

The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) is a process of prayer, reflection and learning that allows for the continual discernment of God’s will in our lives.

Candidates for RCIA include:

- Non-baptized adults who wish to enter the Catholic Church,
- Baptized adult Christians of another faith denomination (Lutheran Anglican, Presbyterian, etc) who wish to continue their Christian faith in the Catholic Church,
- Adult baptized Catholics who have not yet completed the Sacraments of Initiation (Holy Communion, Confirmation) and wish to do so.

Classes will begin in the Fall. For more information or to register, please contact  
Fr. Bill Benedetto at the Rectory,  
908-232-1162 or email  
frbill@ollmountainside.org.

### Ministry Schedule for the Weekend of August 27 - 28, 2016

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Servers
<b>5:00PM</b>	ALREADY ASSIGNED	ALREADY ASSIGNED	DOMENICO DELUCA JACK WARGASKI RYAN WARGASKI
<b>7:30AM</b>	ALREADY ASSIGNED	ALREADY ASSIGNED	DANNY WHELAN JIMMY WHELAN
<b>9:30AM</b>	ALREADY ASSIGNED	ALREADY ASSIGNED	MARCELLO CAMINITI SALVATORE CAMINITI WILLIAM ZIPETO
<b>11:30AM</b>	ALREADY ASSIGNED	ALREADY ASSIGNED	CONLETH GORHAM JAMES SNYDER RYAN KENNEDY ZACH PATER

**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.**



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

If by one man's offense many died, much more the grace of God and the gift by the grace of the one Man, Jesus Christ abounded to many.

Romans 5:15

We do not come to know God through works--- we come to know Him by faith through grace. We cannot work our way toward happiness and heaven; we cannot moralize our way, we cannot reform our way, we cannot buy our way. Salvation comes as a gift of God through Christ.

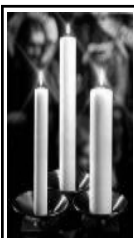
**Mother of the Holy Eucharist Pray for Us!**

**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.



**Saturday Evening August 20<sup>th</sup>, Vigil, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 PM Jack Graziano  
Req. by Ed & Marie Smith

**Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 AM For the People of the Parish  
9:30 AM Amalia (Lee) Naples  
Req. by Irene Ciccarino  
11:30 AM DiGeronimo & Geron Families  
Req. by Karen Shaneen

**Monday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>, The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

7:30 AM Jack Graziano  
Req. by Ken & Jean Dalrymple

**Tuesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, St. Rose of Lima**

7:30 AM Marie Mirabelli  
Req. by Eve Vitale

**Wednesday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, St. Bartholomew**

7:30 AM James J. Clinch  
Req. by James & Elizabeth DeRose

**Thursday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, St. Louis**

7:30 AM Hunter Taylor  
Req. by Bill & Marianne Taylor

**Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>**

7:30 AM Mary A. Leonhard  
Req. by the Family

**Saturday, August 27<sup>th</sup>, St. Monica**

8:00 AM Theresa Nugent  
Req. by Karen Shaneen

**Saturday Evening, August 27<sup>th</sup>, Vigil, Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 PM Donna Golden  
Req. by Kimberly Laurenza

**Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup>, Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 AM For the People of the Parish  
9:30 AM Jack & Doris Barrington  
Req. by Michele & Bill Hopkins  
11:30 AM Edward Noha  
Req. by Theresa Manziano

**NO SUNDAY 5 PM MASS. THE 5 PM MASS WILL RESUME ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup>.**

**NO 8:30 AM MASSES, JULY AND AUGUST, RESUME ON SEPTEMBER 6<sup>th</sup>.**

## Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

### THE SCRIPTURES



#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12; Ps 96:1-5;  
Mt 23:13-22
- Tuesday: 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Ps 96:10-13;  
Mt 23:23-26
- Wednesday: Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18;  
Jn 1:45-51
- Thursday: 1 Cor 1:1-9; Ps 145:2-7; Mt 24:42-51
- Friday: 1 Cor 1:17-25; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11;  
Mt 25:1-13
- Saturday: 1 Cor 1:26-31; Ps 33:12-13, 18-21;  
Mt 25:14-30
- Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-7, 10-11;  
Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

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

#### COLLECTION

8/14/16

\$ 12,115\*

#### Year to Date

\$ 55,221

#### Special Collection for Missions

\$1,563

\* includes July on-line giving.



With the current vacation months, the food pantries that we send our food collections to are experiencing a precipitous decline in the amount of food that is on their shelves. Please remember that unfortunately there is no vacation from hunger. Donated food items (non-perishable) can be left in the vestibules any weekend in the summer. As always, your generosity makes a difference in the lives of so many people. You are great!

On the Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time Jesus cautions us about the difficulty of the Christian life, saying many will be unable to "enter through the narrow gate." Jesus indicates it is those we do not expect who will be the first in the Kingdom: "Some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last."

Monday is the Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Wednesday is the Feast of Saint Bartholomew, Apostle, with its own special readings, and Saturday the Memorial of Saint Monica.

For the first reading we begin with a few selections from the Second Letter of Paul to the Thessalonians and then we move to readings from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians for the next several weeks.

Matthew's Gospel this week includes stories of Jesus strongly challenging the Pharisees. He saw how they made people's lives so difficult by their insistence on the rules and appearances while neglecting mercy and good faith. He chides them for paying attention to the extraneous and not the message: "Blind guides, who strain out the gnat and swallow the camel!" His criticism grows stronger: "On the outside you appear righteous, but inside you are filled with hypocrisy and evildoing." Jesus teaches about preparation: Stay awake! For you do not know on which day your Lord will come." In the parable of the ten maidens who go out to meet the bridegroom, many of the women did not prepare for the meeting and do not have enough oil for their lamps and Jesus says again, "Stay awake." Saturday's gospel is the dramatic story of the three servants who are given resources by their master and rewarded or punished for what they did with the resources they had.

### RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

**The world's largest ministry of healing after abortion, Healing the Pain of Abortion, One weekend at a time.**

Sponsored by: the Newark Archdiocese Respect Life Office

When: September 9-11, 2016

Where: Archdiocesan Youth Retreat Center  
499 Belgrove Drive  
Kearny, NJ 07032

Cost: \$150 (includes all retreat materials and meals).

For more information contact the Respect Life Office  
Cheryl A. Riley, 973-497-4350 or email  
[rileyche@rcan.org](mailto:rileyche@rcan.org)

All calls and emails are confidential.

### Focus on Faith Formation



All class assignment letters have been sent home for those who have registered. A test email was also sent out last week to make sure all registered families are on our list. If you did not receive your letter or the email, please contact Fran at [fmichetti@ollmountainside.org](mailto:fmichetti@ollmountainside.org).

We are still in need of a co-catechist for 6<sup>th</sup> grade on Tuesday afternoon and a co-catechist for 7<sup>th</sup> grade on Sunday mornings.

We are also in need of someone who can drive a volunteer catechist from Brighton Gardens, to and from faith formation class each Wednesday classes meet.

#### Save These Dates:

Catechist meeting and training: Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm (please note date change).

1<sup>st</sup> Grade parent/child orientation: Monday, September 12<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm

Catechetical Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. All catechists should attend 9:30 am Mass.

7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade mini retreat: Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup> meet at 5 pm Mass

TCM begins: Tuesday & Wednesday, September 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> at 4 pm.

7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade classes begin: Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am and Tuesday, September 27<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm.

Family Faith Session: Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup> meet at 5 pm Mass.

First Reconciliation/First Eucharist Parent Meeting: Monday, September 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm.

Confirmation Session: Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> meet at 11:30 am Mass for Rite of Enrollment.

### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Your kids will thank you for going on a Marriage Encounter Weekend! On a Marriage Encounter weekend married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones for 44 hours - and focus only on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth, and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like the difference a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can make! For more information, contact Janet and Mike Turco 973-427-7016 or 609-335-6880 [jwwme@peoplepc.com](mailto:jwwme@peoplepc.com) or go to [nnjwwme.org](http://nnjwwme.org).

School Supplies are needed to help relieve the financial strain for the families dependent on the generosity of parishes such as Our Lady of Lourdes who support the work of Sister Jacinta Fernandes at St. Joseph's Center.



The Circle of Compassion is seeking assistance in our annual drive to benefit the young students who need the most basic of supplies for the coming academic year.

Please consider responding by donating the following essential items:

- Backpacks
- New Notebooks
- Accent Markers
- Loose Leaf Paper
- Construction Paper
- New Pens & Pencils
- Large Pink Erasers
- New Crayons & New Colored Pencils
- Pencil Sharpeners (with two openings for pencils & Crayons)

**Donations can be brought to OLL the weekends of August 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> and September 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup>.**

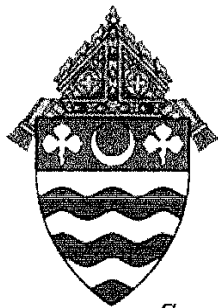
**The Circle of Compassion will sort and distribute items beginning on September 5, 2016.**

If you wish to support this effort with a donation, please deposit an envelope at the Church clearly marked School Supplies - St. Joseph's and the Circle of Compassion volunteers will do the shopping.

Thank you, once again, for your anticipated support! Please call Gerry Gallagher at 908-232-4687 if you have any questions.



"Please join us for the Men's Retreat at San Alfonso Retreat House from September 23<sup>rd</sup> to September 25, 2016. Registration starts at 4 pm on September 23<sup>rd</sup>. The Retreat House is run by the Redemptorists and is located at 755 Ocean Ave, Long Branch, New Jersey. The site is located on 8 beautiful acres overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. We have had a group from our Parish that make the trip every year. "It is a place to experience the presence of God and to reflect on the action of God in one's life." The cost is \$210 and a \$50 non refundable deposit is due by September 10<sup>th</sup>. Brochures are available in the rear of the Church. For further information or to sign up contact Michael Billy, by phone at 233-4841 or email him at [Bmichael103@aol.com](mailto:Bmichael103@aol.com). Also, there are several dates available for a women's retreat in October and November."



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# College Campus Ministry

*Serving the secular and private colleges and universities in the Archdiocese of Newark*

## Intercollegiate Events

Contact Campus Ministry staff at your college for more information or visit [www.ccm-nj.com](http://www.ccm-nj.com) for details and retreat registration!

**Catholic Intercollegiate Adoration** - Monthly nights of Eucharistic Adoration and social time for college students!

**Intercollegiate Retreat:** Fri. 10/28-30; "God, the Father," Archdiocesan Youth Retreat Center in Kearny

### Farleigh Dickinson University (Teaneck)

Facebook: FDU Catholic Campus Ministry (Metro Campus)  
Office: Interfaith Chapel, 2nd floor (next to Campus Public Safety)  
Breanna Silva, Campus Minister, (908) 763-6496,  
[campusmin.fdumetro@gmail.com](mailto:campusmin.fdumetro@gmail.com)

**Sunday Mass:** Beginning 9/4 at 7 p.m. at St. Anastasia's;  
carpool meets at the FDU Chapel at 6:30 p.m.

**Welcome Social:** 9/8 at 6 p.m. in the Chapel

### Kean University

Find us in Downs 130 and online at [www.KeanCatholics.org](http://www.KeanCatholics.org);  
@KeanCatholics on Facebook, Twitter, and Cougar Link  
Fr. Bill Sheridan, Chaplain - [wsheridan@kean.edu](mailto:wsheridan@kean.edu)  
Jackie Oesmann, Campus Minister - [joesmann@kean.edu](mailto:joesmann@kean.edu);  
908-737-4835 (office) or (973) 900-3812 (cell)

**Weekday Mass & Welcome Social:** Tuesdays beginning 9/6  
3:30-4:30 p.m.; CAS 308

**Sunday Mass & Fellowship:** Begins 9/11, 6 p.m.; MSC 226

**Newman Meetings (free food!):** Thursdays beginning 9/1  
3:30-4:30 p.m.; CAS 205

### Montclair State University

For more info, visit [www.MSUNEWMAN.com](http://www.MSUNEWMAN.com); [facebook.com/NewmanCatholicMSU](http://facebook.com/NewmanCatholicMSU); find us on Twitter @MSU\_Newman  
Newman Catholic Center - 894 Valley Road—973-746-2323  
Fr. Jim Chern, Chaplain - [chernjam@comcast.net](mailto:chernjam@comcast.net)  
Quinn Hussey, Campus Minister - [qnhussey@me.com](mailto:qnhussey@me.com)  
Mrs. Mary Kominsky, Office Manager: [mareko423@aol.com](mailto:mareko423@aol.com)

**Sunday Mass:** Begins 9/11, 8:30 p.m., Student Center Caf B&C

**Welcome BBQ:** Weds. 9/7 @ 4:30 p.m.—?, Newman Catholic Center

### New Jersey City University

Lawrence Laurente, Campus Minister - [laurenla@rcan.org](mailto:laurenla@rcan.org),  
973-652-8696

**First meeting:** Thurs. 9/1 @ 3 p.m. in GSUB 316

### Newark Newman Center

#### New Jersey Institute of Technology,

#### Rutgers Univ. - Newark & Essex County College

91 Washington Street, Newark, NJ 07102; 973-624-1301

Find our events and more at [www.newmanclubnewark.org](http://www.newmanclubnewark.org)

Fr. Bismarck Chau, Chaplain -

[frbismarck@saintpatricksprocathedral.org](mailto:frbismarck@saintpatricksprocathedral.org)

Joselina Castillo, Campus Minister -

[joselina.newmanclubnewark@gmail.com](mailto:joselina.newmanclubnewark@gmail.com)

**Welcome Mass:** Sun. 9/11 @ 5 p.m. NJIT Student Center B35

### Ramapo College

Find us online at: [www.ramapo.edu/ministries/catholic-campus-ministry/](http://www.ramapo.edu/ministries/catholic-campus-ministry/)

Fr. Kevin Gugliotta, Chaplain, [frkevin@iccmahwah.org](mailto:frkevin@iccmahwah.org)

Deacon Pat Quagliana, [deaconpatq@gmail.com](mailto:deaconpatq@gmail.com)

**Opening Mass:** Sun. 9/11 @ 8 p.m., Student Center Alumni Lounge

### Stevens Institute of Technology

Check out Newman Catholic on Ducksync and Facebook for more events and info!

Lawrence Laurente, Campus Minister - [laurenla@rcan.org](mailto:laurenla@rcan.org),  
973-652-8696

**Welcome Mass:** Sun. 9/4 @ 5 p.m., Hayden Lounge

Free diner & social after!

First Newman Meeting: Mon. 9/12 @ 9 p.m. Babbio 204

### Union County College

Fr. Bill Sheridan, Chaplain - [wsheridan@kean.edu](mailto:wsheridan@kean.edu)

Jackie Oesmann, Campus Minister - [joesmann@kean.edu](mailto:joesmann@kean.edu);

(973) 900-3812 (cell)

Find us online at <http://www.UCCcatholics.org/> or on Facebook at [facebook.com/UCCcatholics/](http://facebook.com/UCCcatholics/)

*For upcoming events, contact Jackie.*

**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 31<sup>st</sup>: \$55**

For additional details, contact Sue Zavodny (908-789-8543; [zavodnys@comcast.net](mailto:zavodnys@comcast.net));  
Beth Haydanek (908-789-1496; [haydanek@verizon.net](mailto:haydanek@verizon.net));  
Kathy Snyder (908-232-4817; [auntkik@comcast.net](mailto:auntkik@comcast.net));  
or Maria DeAnna (908-232-3437; [deannafamily@comcast.net](mailto:deannafamily@comcast.net))

**OLL “KEEPING IN BALANCE” 2016-2017 REGISTRATION FORM**

Please return completed form with \$65 (\$55 if returned by August 31<sup>st</sup>) 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 \_\_\_\_\_