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Our Lady of Good Counsel

EASTER SUNDAY • MARCH 31, 2024

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Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, 7:30 PM	MARCH 30, 2024 Holy Saturday No Morning Mass permitted Vigil Mass of Easter with our Bishop For the People of the Parish
SUNDAY, 8:30 AM	MARCH 31, 2024 Easter Sunday Intentions of Kyle Lang r/o Elaine Palatine Marjorie Lynam r/o Nancy Finn
10:30 AM	Helen Marie Dolton r/o Judy Fielding Nicholas Muscente, Sr. and for the Intentions of Marie Muscente r/o Daughter, Carol
MONDAY, 7:30 AM	APRIL 1, 2024 C. Walter Carroll, Jr. r/o Susan T. Kane
TUESDAY, 7:30 AM	APRIL 2, 2024 A. Joseph Dempster r/o Family
WEDNESDAY, 7:30 AM	APRIL 3, 2024 Mary Anne Prunetti r/o Dolores DeBlasio
THURSDAY, 7:30 PM	APRIL 4, 2024 Linda Comprich r/o Mary Anne & Claude LeGall
FRIDAY, 7:30 AM	APRIL 5, 2024 First Friday Phil Glaser r/o Mary Anne & Claude LeGall Adoration 8 AM to 7:00 PM
SATURDAY, 8:00 AM	APRIL 6, 2024 Priest's Intention
5:00 PM	Fekete & Walley Deceased r/o Family Special Intention for my walking r/o Marie Grimm
SUNDAY, 8:30 AM	APRIL 7, 2024 Intentions of Fr. Ariel r/o Mary Arcadipane People of the Parish
10:30 AM	Rocco Zangrilli r/o Deacon Steve & Mary Szmuto

Early bulletin deadline for Easter no collection report.
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Readers

SATURDAY, 5:00 PM	APRIL 6 Jackie Crane
SUNDAY, 8:30 AM	APRIL 7 Divine Mercy Sunday Catherine Ard
10:30 AM	Maeve Cannon

Eucharistic Ministers

SATURDAY, 5:00 PM	APRIL 6 Joyce Christensen, Ginny Evans
SUNDAY, 8:30 AM	APRIL 7 Diving Mercy Sunday Laura Shea, Dennis Hice
10:30 AM	Tony Jones, Danny Morales

Altar Servers

SATURDAY, 5:00 PM	APRIL 6 James Gummel
SUNDAY, 8:30 AM	APRIL 7 Divine Mercy Sunday Brayden Spinia, Daniel Wilkes
10:30 AM	Dylan Rutkowski, Ryan Spina

News & Events

Religious Ed is closed for Easter. Classes resume 4-7/8.
Monday, April 1, The Parish Office is **closed**.
Wednesday, April 3, The Seniors Club will meet in the Parish Hall at 11:00 AM. All Seniors are welcome!
Thursday, April 4, Good News Sunday Scripture Study. We meet in the Opdenacker Room at 7:00 PM and on Friday morning at 10:00 AM. All are welcome.
Friday, April 5, is First Friday, Adoration is 8AM-7PM. The Community C.O.F.F.E.E. Club will meet in the Parish Hall at 7:00 PM for all Singles ages 19 and up. Come!!
Saturday, April 6, Novenas in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal and St. Jude follow morning Mass.
Reconciliation 4:00-4:30 p.m.



Pray for our Sick:

Kevin Baker, Mitzi Baker, Erin Barbato, Col. Gabriel Beck, Christina Beck, Rosemarie Buker, Richard Cook, Sarah Dowd, Al Gatto, Leo Genovesi, Brian Gershon, Phil Glaser, Elizabeth Gonzalez, Theresa Gregorio, Sherri Hanlon, Eileen and James A. Keenan, IV, Mary Lou Kramli, Carol Lake, Laura Lynch, Kevin McBride, Keith Mello, Joan Moore, Marie Muscente, Kim Nash, Angelika Niranjana, Carol Perrine, Dominic Petitto, Jennifer, Andres & Gadiel Quiroga, Lucy Saganowski, Vincent Schnell, G. Welly Samuels, Debbie Sattler, Gregory Schafer, Steve Schmierer, Dolores Sebasto, Kristy Shanahan, Linda Solinski, Deacon Steve Szmuto, Brenda Thornley, Erin Cahill Wetzell, Cherylann Wilson, Stanley Wrobel and all parishioners who are sick or homebound. Please call the parish office to add a name to the prayer list and to inform us when all is well so we may take a name off the list.

Alleluia

MARCH 31 ~ EASTER SUNDAY



Easter Sunday,

Resurrection of the Lord

Acts 10:34a,37-43; Ps 118:1-2,16-17,22-23;
Col3:1-4, Jn 20:1-9

Do not be afraid! I know that you are seeking Jesus the crucified. He is not here, for he has been raised just as he said. (Mt 28:5b-6a)

In the early hours of dawn, the two women made their way to the tomb. As they approached, the earth quaked, and the angel of the Lord rolled back the stone and sat upon it; the guards were seemed to be dead. Mary Magdalene and the other woman named Mary approached. The angel spoke, proclaiming the wondrous news of Jesus' resurrection. As they hurried away to tell the disciples, Jesus met and greeted them. They embraced his feet and did him homage. Telling them to not be afraid, he instructed them to tell his brothers to go to Galilee where they would see him.

Dawn always follows the darkness; so too the light of Christ will always conquer the darkness of sin. As were the women that early morn, we are called to see the empty tomb and spread the good news: Christ has died! Christ is risen! Christ will come again.

For two millennia, Christians have celebrated the joy of the resurrection. With the chorus of voices throughout the centuries on earth, and with those voices which resound in the kingdom of heaven, let us add our shouts of exultation:

*This is the day the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad. (Ps 118)*

Deacon Steven K. Szmuto



COINS FOR CHARITY

Containers will be at all entrances to Church next weekend April 6-7. Please continue to place your Marrazzo's receipts in the containers at the entrances to the church.

Thank you for your generosity!



All Religious Education Classes are closed for the Easter Holiday. Classes resume April 7/8.

Parents please note: *Pictures* are needed of all students receiving their First Communion and Confirmation this year. Please email a .jpeg photo to olgccbulletin@proton.me or drop off to the Parish Office. Photo's will be featured in the parish bulletin and on our website. Thanks for your help.



2024 Annual Catholic Appeal Progress:
Goal: \$24,500.00

Pledged: \$7,875.00 (32% of goal)

Paid: \$3,605.00 (15% to goal)

Total Donors: 25 Total Gifts: 26

Average Gift: \$302.88

Please make your pledge today!

You may make your pledge or donation online at:

www.dioceseoftrenton.org/catholicappeal

Or please call the appeal office at: 609-403-7197. Pledge cards are available at all Church doors. Your gift helps you to live and spread the Gospel.

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FAMILY SUNDAY—CHILDREN'S LITURGY APRIL 14TH, 10:30 AM MASS

Our parish children will take an active part at the 10:30 AM Mass in serving as; Greeters, Ushers and Readers. All children of the parish are welcome to participate! For more information please email:

Brenda O'Callahan CRE: olgc.re.wt@gmail.com

Family Sunday ~ Refreshments will follow the 10:30 AM Mass in the Parish Hall. Join us for some hot beverages and sweet breakfast treats!



Hello & Welcome

Would you like to say these words to fellow parishioners coming to weekend Masses?
It sounds pretty easy but it sure makes a big difference!

We need volunteers to be Greeters!

Simply come to Mass 10-15 minutes early.
Pick a door and share a smile and welcome to all.

Depending on the number of volunteers we get this could be a once a month commitment.

The Greeter Ministry is part of our Hospitality Committee.

For more information please Email
Joyce Christensen at
olgeehospitality@gmail.com



EUCCHARIST FOR THE HOMEBOUND

If you or someone you know is unable to come to Mass because of significant illness or long-term disability, Fr. Ariel and our Eucharistic Ministers will visit area homes to bring the Blessed Sacrament.

Please call the parish office at 609-882-3277x3 to inform us you would like to be added to the **Communion Call list**. Homebound members will be scheduled to receive the Eucharist at home.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR WOMEN ~ OASIS ~

sponsored by the Religious Teachers Filippini, will take place on **Saturday, April 20th** between 9:30 AM and 3:00 PM at Villa Walsh. Please send a Registration Fee of \$15 p.p., payable to Villa Walsh. Mail Payment to: Sr. Patricia Martin, MPF, Villa Walsh, 455 Western Ave. Morristown, NJ 07960 include your name, address, phone. For more information, call Sr. Alice at 732-238-9222. Includes: Mass, Reconciliation, Rosary/Stations & Adoration. (Outdoor Stations) bring your own brown bag lunch, drinks provided, Handicapped accessible. Gift Shop onsite. *Come aside and rest with the Lord.*



Parish Feast Day

APRIL 28TH - 10:30 MASS

**Ticket: \$15 p.p. - \$5 children 5-18,
4 and under are free.**

Tickets sold in the Church Vestibule after all Masses or at the Rectory until April 20/21.

There will be a Raffle, Prizes & Tricky Tray

We need your help with donations for our tricky tray (please no clothes). Drop off items in Parish Hall on the designated table.

Catered by Sal DeForte's.

Our menu is: Garden Salad, Rigatoni Vodka, Meatballs, Chicken Marsala, Crab Crusted Tilapia, Roasted Potatoes & Green Beans.

Please bring along a dessert to share.

Chaired by Parish Council Hospitality Committee.

We need volunteers please call Mary Pat Voorhees at 570-290-2373 or Sign-up sheets are available at all church doors.

Hope to see you there!

OLGCC Has A **New Adult Single's** Group - The Community "C.O.F.F.E.E." Club

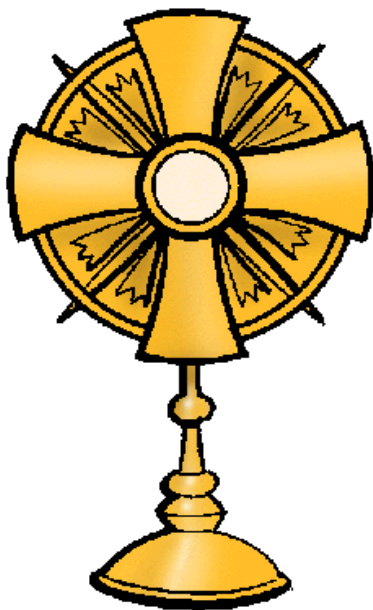
Are you an adult, 19 years or older? Single for any reason? Employed? In college? Looking for friends to do group activities consistent with living your faith in Christ?

Come check out "The Community C.O.F.F.E.E. Club" on Friday, April 5th at 7 PM in the Parish Hall.

We encourage and invite you to attend First Friday Adoration from 3 PM - 7 PM in the Church before the meeting.

Be inspired! Come and See!

More information will be available at the First Meeting!



First Friday Adoration April 5th, Adoration hours have been extended. Our additional hours are from 3PM -7:00 PM. The purpose of this is two fold. First, to offer those who work during the day extra time to come after work, and second to welcome our new singles group to the parish!

We would like to cordially invite all singles to a moment of prayer with our Blessed Lord in Adoration any time from 3-7:00 PM to offer a spiritual opportunity to be with Jesus before attending our First ever "**Community C.O.F.F.E.E. Club**" Meeting. We hope you will join us for our first meeting April 5th in the Parish Hall at 7:00 PM.

Please Sign Up for Adoration using the sheets in the Church Vestibule to designate a time when you can attend.

You may also sign up on line at olgcc.net. Locate Adoration on top menu bar, Click on the flyer and you will be in the sign up area. Simply pick a time and you will be prompted to fill in your information.

Don't like doing things on line then please call our Adoration Chairperson, Denise Hayes at 908-242-2183 she will gladly help you sign up.

*Come aside and rest a while with the Lord.
He is truly present in the Most Blessed Sacrament.*



Please help us stay in touch

We need your Email address



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