



OUR LADY OF VICTORY CATHOLIC CHURCH

820 WESTERLY PARKWAY, STATE COLLEGE, PA 16801

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 5:00pm,
7:30am 9:30am, 11:30am

Weekday: 5/27-6/1

Mon : 8:00am Mass
Tue.: 8:00am Comm. Svc
Wed.: 8:00am Comm. Svc.
Thu.: 8:00am Mass
9:00am NO MASS
6:30pm Mass
Fri.: 8:00am Mass
6:30pm Grad. Mass
Sat. 9:00am Mass

Confessions –see inside

Adoration of Blessed

Sacrament takes place after
8:00am Mass Tuesday until
4:00pm and Thursday until
8:00pm with Reposition.

The Church is open Monday -
Sunday 7:00am to 8:00pm.

OLV Online Giving: go to
www.ourladyofvictory.com
and click on the link
<https://abundant.co/olvsc>
to give online.

- Text Giving: Text OLVSC
to 73256.

- Use the Abundant App,
which you can download on
your smartphone.

- Scan QR code



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School,
Maintenance,
Twin Parish
Mission, Debt
Reduction, Christmas &
Easter online.

May 25 & 26, 2024
The Most Holy Trinity



Our Lady of Victory's Lady Garden—The Roses are in full bloom!

Office Phone

814-237-7832

Church Website:

www.ourladyofvictory.com

Church E-mail:

office@ourladyofvictory.com

School

814-238-1592

Preschool

814-238-6616

School/Preschool Website

www.olvcatholicschool.org

Diocesan Website

www.ajdiocese.org

OLV Prayer Network

prayer@ourladyofvictory.com

Flocknote: Are you signed up for **Flocknote**? If not, you may be missing out on important announcements from Our Lady of Victory. This is the quickest and most effective way to get up-to-date OLV news to you. If you are not getting flocknote emails, we may not have your email address on record at the Church. To sign up, go to <https://ourladyofvictory10.flocknote.com/OLVParishioner>.

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Secretaries' Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-4pm
(Please try to correspond by phone, email or regular mail)

Bulletin Notice

Material to be published in the following week's bulletin should be on Diane's desk no later than Monday, 9:00am.

Baptism

Sundays, 1:00pm, with arrangements having been made previously by contacting Diane.

Marriage

Diocesan Regulations require nine months prior notice. Contact Betty, the Secretary.

Sacrament of Penance: Thursdays at 5:30pm - 6:00pm,
Saturdays, 4:00-4:30pm and 6:00-6:30pm. (Not June 1)

Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesdays following 8:00am Mass,
with Reposition at 4:00pm and Thursdays, following the 9:00am
Mass with Reposition at 8:00pm.



**Are You or Someone You Know
Interested in Becoming a Catholic?**

**Are You an Adult Catholic Seeking
Confirmation?**

If you are interested, please email the Office of
Christian Initiation of Adults:
becomingcatholic@ourladyofvictory.com.

Please contact us at the above email to let us know
if you are interested.

Collections: May 19: Envelopes \$20,480.00; Loose
\$1,802.00; Online \$1,705.00; Maintenance \$51.00;
Twin Parish Mission \$41.00; School \$1,022.00;
Debt Reduction \$160.00; Donuts \$45.00; Candles
\$338.00; Catholic Home Missions \$40.00, Catholic
Communication Campaign \$35.00; SVdP \$1,295.00;
Ascension \$165.00; Rice Bowl \$127.50.
Total \$27,306.50.

MASS MEMORIALS and SCHEDULE

Monday, May 27

**8:00am - † Josefina Luaces by
Antonia & Ramiro Menendez**

Tuesday, May 28

**8:00am - † Communion Service
Adoration ends at 4:00pm.**

Wednesday, May 29

8:00am - Communion Service

Thursday, May 30

**8:00am - † Lorna Jenkins Daniels by
Steve Blake**

9:00am - NO SCHOOL MASS

6:30pm - † Joseph Hajla

**Confessions at 5:30pm. Adoration ends at
8:00pm.**

Friday, May 31

**8:00am - † Antonio Garcia by Sylvia
Garcia**

**6:00pm - Ints. OLVCS 8th Grade
Graduates**

Saturday, June 1

**9:00am - † James Newport by The
MacDonald/Tuthill Family**

**5:00pm - † Samuel Holubec by Phyllis
Holubec**

Sunday, June 2

**7:30am - † Ragelio Casiano by Kathleen
Maloney**

**9:30am - † Living & Deceased Members of
Zankey & Strittmatter Families by
The Family**

**11:30am - Ints. Health of Stephanie Salada
By Mary Margaret, Teresa, Meghan
& Mary Ann**

The Marian Gift Shop is open on Sundays,
10:00am to 11:30am. To make an appointment
for another time, please call Lesa at 814-237-
7832 and leave a message.



Corpus Christi Eucharistic Procession:
Saturday, June 1 after 5:00pm Mass.

As part of OLV's celebration of Eucharistic Revival, we will have a Eucharistic Procession on the Feast of Corpus Christi following the 5:00pm Mass on Saturday, June 1.

All First Communicants are invited to wear their First Communion attire and march with the procession.

Please note that there will NOT be confessions at 6:00pm that day.



**Catholic Daughters of
The Americas**
Indoor Yard Sale
(In the Activities Center)



Friday, June 7 9:00am to 2:00pm
Saturday, June 8 9:00am to 1:00pm.

Includes: Antiques, collectibles, jewelry, puzzles, books, toys, fabrics and many household items.

If interested in renting a table, cost would be \$20 per table. Contact Pat at 814-466-8712.



The Church Office will be closed on Monday, May 27 in observance of Memorial Day.

Baptism: It is with great joy we welcome Delia Mae Smith, daughter of Nathan & Lourdes, to the OLV Parish Family.



Marriage Preparation -
Married Couple Volunteers
Needed - Deacon Dave is lead-

ing the Marriage Preparation Sessions that will be held on Thursdays, June 6, 13, & 20, 6:30pm to 9:00pm at Our Lady of Victory. We thank those of you who have helped us out in the past and would welcome your help again this year. We are also looking for some young married couples joining us in one, two or all three evenings to be part of a discussion panel.

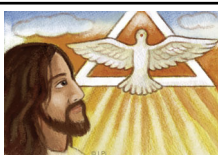
If you can help out or have questions, questions, please contact Diane at dianel@ourladyofvictory.com or Deacon Lapinski dcfl@ourladyofvictory.com.

Sunday Homilies via Cell Phone: Most Sundays, an OLV parishioner is recording the homily at the 11:30am Mass and sharing it with parishioners via text messaging. If you or a shut-in, would like to receive these audio recordings via cell-phone, simply text a NAME and a 10-digit CELL NUMBER to (717) 504-1091 to be added to the list of recipients.

Formed.org: Watch: **The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity (Year B)**, a glimpse of this great mystery of our faith.

To sign up for Formed, go to Formed.org/ signup: enter our zip code (16801) and select Our Lady of Victory. Formed also has an app and is available on Apple TV and Roku.

Catholic CDs are available in the Gathering Space.



Most Holy Trinity: Today, we celebrate an essential doctrine of our Catholic faith – the Most Holy Trinity. It expresses God as three Divine Persons, unified in One Divine nature. The Trinity is one of the most complex aspects of our faith. It is a topic we could never exhaust nor fully understand until we see God face to face.

Although it is incomprehensible, it is still deeply personal. Through God's countless revelations to man, we get a glimpse of our awe-inspiring Creator. It is through His revelations that He has invited us into life with Him. Today, we are called to pour out our hearts in praise and thanksgiving for our Good and Gracious God and to recognize the ways in which we can encounter Him – Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

As we celebrate this glorious Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, may we praise God in word and deed, and may we seek moments to encounter the Father, Son and Holy Spirit each day – through Scripture, prayer, sacraments and blessings throughout our day, as Jesus tells us, "I am with you always, until the end of the age."



Our Lady of Victory Catholic School

Enrollment Now Open

Our Lady of Victory Catholic School is a Middle States accredited school, providing quality education for children in preschool through 8th grade.

Our Lady of Victory Catholic School provides opportunities for students to excel in academics, athletics, fine arts, and other extracurricular activities. The environment, rooted in love, faith, dignity, and integrity, enables students to reach their potential as leaders and learn the skills they need to succeed at OLVCS and beyond.

814-238-1592 | principal@olvcs.org | www.olvcatholicsschool.org/admission



A Special Thanks to
Joe and Sue Rogacs

OLV Preschool: It's not too late to register! We have just a few spots left in our 3 and 4 year old programs. Preschool information for the 2024-25 school year can be found on our page of the OLVCS website: <https://www.olvcatholicsschool.org/Domain/13>. Please contact us for availability and questions.



OLV CRUSADERS SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL	BOYS & GIRLS BASKETBALL
July 1 - 3 & 5 Grade 5 - 7 9 AM - 12 PM	July 22 - 26 Pre K - Gr. 3; Gr. 4 - 6 1 - 2:30 PM; 3 - 5 PM

ONLY \$90

IF REGISTERED BY JUNE 15TH

REGISTER TODAY

www.olvcatholicsschool.org
800 Westerly Parkway, State College



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Religious Education News (CCD)



CCD Needs Teachers for the 2024/2025 School Year for various grade levels from *primary* through *9th grade*. Please think and pray about this. If you are interested in sharing our Catholic faith with the youth of our parish, please contact the Director of Religious Education, Anne Bord: directorccd@ourladyofvictory.com. Thank you for your consideration!

First Communion Ordered photos have arrived! Those of you who submitted order forms and money for professionally printed photos from The State College Framing Co. & Gallery can pick your photos up in the church office. They are open 8:30am-4:00pm, closing for lunch between Noon and 1:00pm.

First Communion Banners for CCD students can be found in the Gathering Space of the Church on top of the cabinets until next Friday.



OLV Youth Groups - May 30 is the last weekly meeting!

Middle School Youth Group (Gr. 6-8) meets weekly on **Thursdays** in the Activities Center Library from 7:00 to 8:00pm. Contact Cecilia at middleschoolyg@gmail.com for info.

High School Youth Group (Gr. 9-12) - The HS Youth Group meets weekly on Thursdays from 7:00pm to 8:00pm, in the basement (Youth Room) of the Activities Center. Young people are encouraged to attend the 6:30pm Mass beforehand if they can. Join us for fun and fellowship! Contact Nick at highschoolyg@ourladyofvictory.com with any questions.



Turn your personal or business PA. Income Taxes into OLV Scholarships: WE NEED YOUR HELP: Many families and their children need tuition assistance to attend Our Lady of Victory Catholic Preschool thru Middle School. *Individuals/households* with an annual income of \$115,000 or PA personal income tax liability of \$3,500+ annually qualify to participate in the **Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) Program**. *Businesses* that qualify to get their taxes back are C-Corporations and owners of Subchapter S-Corporations, LLCs, LPs, LLPs and Partnerships. If you are in the position to help by directing your PA Income tax through the Educational Improvement Tax Credit EITC program to OLV, contact Chris Kirkpatrick at chrisk@ourladyofvictory.com or 814-237-7832 ext. 404.



Catholic Singles United is a new group for single Catholics, from all walks of life in our area ages 35-55, who will gather at least one time each month for social outings. We will dine together, attend theater events, religious events, sports events, outdoor events and more! Register on the homepage of our parish website: <https://www.ourladyofvictory.com/> and you will be contacted about the next group event. We hope to see you soon!



St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store: May Sales & Features:

- Life Magazines now \$1 any issue—limited time only, so get yours now
- It's **PROM time**: check out our selection of formal dresses and prom gowns, and men's suits.
- Don't miss our spring selection of **summer apparel**.
- **Leather and motorcycle jackets** are also available.

New volunteers always welcome. **Donations Greeters urgently needed.** If you can give a couple of hours a week, stop by the Thrift Store at 1300 Benner Pike during our open hours, Monday-Saturday, 10am to 4pm. The Thrift Store will be closed Saturday, May 25 through Monday, May 27 in celebration of the Memorial Day weekend.



Food Bank Sunday is June 2. Items needed: GREATEST NEED: snack items (crackers, cookies, chips/pretzels, granola bars, etc.), tomato product (diced, stewed, paste, sauce, etc.), pasta sauce, canned fruit (peaches, pears, pineapple, applesauce), ground coffee and instant coffee, condiments, gluten free items (pasta, flour, baking items, snacks, etc.), oil (vegetable, canola, olive oil). Non food items: laundry detergent, liquid dish soap, liquid hand soap, toothpaste & toothbrushes, bar soap, body wash. We are not in need of baby food. We cannot accept expired or open food items. Please check the expiration dates on items before donating them. We are now located at 169 Gerald St., State College.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Each hour you spend with Jesus will deepen His Divine Peace in your heart.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on **Tuesdays**, 8:30am (and ends with Reposition at 4pm), and **Thursdays**, 10:00am and ends with Reposition at 8:00pm. Please consider spending time with Him, If you cannot commit to every week at a specified time, please consider volunteering to be a substitute for Adorers who cannot attend during their scheduled time. Please call or email the church office at office@ourladyofvictory.com to be added to our adoration schedule as a committed or substitute adorer.



Children's Holy Hour, Tuesdays 10:30am to 11:30am during Adoration.

This gives the children of the parish the opportunity to come to adore our Lord. If you are looking for a very quiet hour of Adoration, it would be best to look to come another time.



Women of Grace Retreat: "Divine Mercy: Crucible of New Life"

Please join us for the Annual W.O.G. Malvern Retreat on June 28-30 in Malvern, PA.

To sign-up, go to the W.O.G. website: www.womenofgrace.com. Presenters are Johnette Williams, Fr. Ken Geraci, CPM, and Kris McGregor. Music with Living Praise Worship team.



Full of Grace Study: You can still sign up for the next 9 week session of the W.O.G Full of Grace Study by Johnette.

Interested women please contact Karen Kearney at kearneyt1@comcast.net or 814-883-4588 with inquiries. Please check out the W.O.G. website above for lots of FREE information available for you. God loves YOU! God needs YOU!! You are a beloved daughter of God. With your help, God will transform the world one woman at a time. We are looking forward to meeting you. Join us and see why God created you 'For Such a Time as This'.

Zoom Rosary: All parishioners, and especially those who are homebound, are invited to join a Zoom rosary group. We meet remotely via Zoom at 4pm every Sunday to pray the rosary, and we pray the Divine Mercy chaplet also about once per month. Please contact Roseanne McManus at RMcManus1@yahoo.com for the Zoom link or with any questions.



Tune into WJVM 90.3-FM & WEJO 104.7-FM this Spring!

It is the season for the celebration of the sacrament of Holy Orders. WAOB will air Ordination liturgies during the weekend Mass slots through May and June. In addition, the bishops' special homilies will re-air during some of our weekday programming. Please keep all newly ordained priests and deacons in your prayers.

On the production side, we are once again scheduling "pray-ers" for our summer devotions. If you would like to record a prayer for the station, please contact Sheryl Balkey at (814) 238-6288 or voiceofdivinemeracy@gmail.com. Remember, just \$100/day keeps our Catholic voice on the air. Our 501(c)3 organization is volunteer-run and your tax-deductible donation may be mailed to: Voice of Divine Mercy, PO Box 862, State College, PA 16804-0862. We receive no direct funding from the local parishes or diocese, so your faithful support is vital to our evangelization effort.

OLV Prison Ministry: Volunteers Invited! For a very rewarding and fulfilling experience, volunteers are invited to join the OLV Prison Ministry, Our Lady of the Mount Chapel at SCI Rockview. Volunteers can just simply attend the third Thursday Masses and/or become engaged in the various other activities such as Centering Prayer, Right of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA), Stations of the Cross and assist Fr. Michael Wolfe where needed. For more information, please contact Chris Rogan at chrismrogan264@gmail.com.



Gabriel Project: The Gabriel Project is a Pro-Life movement offering parish-based pastoral care to women in a crisis pregnancy.

It is the goal of the Gabriel Project to help such women with all their practical needs, as well as offering them unconditional love in an apostolate of friendship throughout their pregnancy. The Gabriel Project is helping 14 mothers with 12 diaper pick-ups a week.

There is a need of newborn clothes (up to 6 months) and newborn items such as onesies, sleepers, baby wipes, shampoo, etc. Due to liability, we cannot accept used toys, strollers, cribs, or baby formula. Thank you very much for your support for these families. For more info about the Gabriel Project, please call 814-867-5511. For monetary donations, please place them in the Sunday collection, or mail them to Betty Gummo, c/o Our Lady of Victory Church, 820 Westerly Parkway, State College, PA 16801. A check made out to "OLV/The Gabriel Project (a 501c3 non-profit) can be used as a tax deduction.



Father O'Hanlon Council #4678

State College Knights of Columbus

"Knights Notes" :

Calendar of Events: Please check www.kc4678.com

Council Meetings - 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, **7:00pm.**

OLV Activities Center - Fr. O'Hanlon Room (basement)
at 820 Westerly Parkway

Knights Need Volunteers for PA Special Olympics Summer

Games Aquatic Events: June 6-8. If interested, please
contact Mark Thorwart at mthorwart@comcast.net.

Blood Donations: June 4, OLV Activities Center.

Check: redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results? Zip-Sponsor=16801

Knights Bulletin Misprint Jokes: "A cookbook is being
compiled by the ladies of the church. Please submit your
favorite recipe, also a short antidote for it.."

Want to be part of the brotherhood? Please ask a

Knight or send an email to info@kc4678.com.

COME AND SEE!

On the Web:

K of C webpage: www.kc4678.com

K of C Facebook: www.facebook.com/KCCouncil4678



National Eucharistic Pilgrimage:

Eucharistic Procession Days: Eucharistic
pilgrims will stop in the Diocese of Altoona-
Johnstown on their way to the National
Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis in celebration
of the Eucharistic Revival in the Catholic Church in
America.

- **June 9** with confessions from 5:00-7:00pm at the
Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel, Loretto and
an outdoor Mass at 7:00pm with Bishop Mark at the
Our Lady of the Alleghenies Shrine, followed by a
Eucharistic procession around the shrine and a
witness talk by one of the national pilgrims.

- On **June 10**, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
and Confessions will occur from Noon to 3:45pm at
Saint John Gualbert Cathedral in Johnstown,
followed by a Eucharistic procession from the
Cathedral to Central Park at 4:00pm, witness talks,
and Mass with Bishop Mark at 5:30pm inside the
Cathedral.

- A special Mass will be celebrated on **June 11** at
9:00am at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament
in Altoona. Later that morning, Saint Catherine of
Siena Parish in Duncansville will be the site of
Confessions beginning at 10:30am, Exposition and
witness talks beginning at 11:00am, and a
Eucharistic procession around the parish's outdoor
shrine at 12:30pm.

Please join the national pilgrims and local
parishioners for any or all of these opportunities.
More information is available on the Diocese of
Altoona-Johnstown website and on the inside front
cover of the spring edition of Proclaim! Magazine.

Northern Deanery Raffle: You can now get your tickets online!

This raffle was established last year to help
small parishes bring in much needed income.

1st Prize: \$30,000 Voucher from Macintyre
Chevrolet toward the car or truck of your choice
or \$25,000 cash.

2nd prize: Seven points Marina Houseboat
Vacation or \$1,500 cash.

3rd Prize: Seven Springs Excursion or \$750
cash.

4th Prize: Yeti Cooler Package or \$200 cash.

The cost per ticket is \$10. To make your
purchase, go to https://paypal.me/holyspiritlh?country.x=US&locale.x=en_US and be
sure to place the following information in the
message line: Name, Phone Number, Address,
Email Address, and the Parish you wish to
receive credit for the ticket sale. Multiple tickets
may be purchased at the same time by adding
\$10/ticket desired. Half the proceeds from each
ticket will be sent to the parish of your choice.
You will receive an email notification including
each ticket's number. If you wish us to send the
ticket stubs to you, just add \$1 to your total.
These tickets make great gifts. The drawing will
take place Saturday evening, June 8, 2024, at
the Holy Spirit Parish Fair, Lock Haven.

Concert for Ukraine, A concert will be held on
Tuesday, June 4 at 7:30pm at Grace Lutheran
Church, State College. The concert will include
all-Ukrainian classical music performed for the
first time in State College, PA by faculty, alumni
and students of the PSU School of Music
(please see the attached poster). There will also
be Niyara Mamontova, a current refugee from
Ukraine, singing a very famous Ukrainian song.
The concert is organized by the PSU emeritus
professor Daryl Durran (a professional musician
himself). This is an exceptional opportunity to
hear beautiful Ukrainian classical music in an
exceptional setting. Donations will be accepted
at the door. All proceeds will be going to help
our sister city of Nizhyn as well as the
communities in Kharkiv region via our local
humanitarian aid organization Sister's Sister,
Inc. You can track your money's impact in
Ukraine by following our website
(www.SistersSister.org).

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