



OUR LADY OF VICTORY CATHOLIC CHURCH

820 WESTERLY PARKWAY, STATE COLLEGE, PA 16801

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am,
11:30am

Weekday: 10/21-10/26

Mon : 8:00am Mass

Tue.: 8:00am Mass

Wed.: 8:00am Mass

Thu.: 8:00am Mass
6:30pm Mass

Fri.: 8:00am Mass
9:00am 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



You are now
able to give to
School,
Maintenance,
Twin Parish
Mission, Debt
Reduction, Christmas &
Easter online.

October 19 & 20, 2024
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

OLV Bazaar is Saturday, October 26



Office Phone

Office Fax

Church Website:

Church E-mail:

School

Preschool

School/Preschool Website

Diocesan Website

OLV Prayer Network

814-237-7832

814-237-6709

www.ourladyofvictory.com

office@ourladyofvictory.com

814-238-1592

814-238-6616

www.olvcatholicsschool.org

www.ajdiocese.org

prayer@ourladyofvictory.com

Flocknote: Are you 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>.

Parish Staff - (814) 237-7832

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Secretaries' Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-4pm.

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 and Saturdays, 4:00-4:30pm and 6:00-6:30pm.

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

Collections: October 13: Envelopes \$21,139.30; Loose \$1,773.00; Online \$6,084.79; School \$625.00; Maintenance \$273.00; Twin Parish Mission \$364.00; Debt Reduction \$305.00; Candles \$242.00; Gabriel Project \$50.00; Missionary Co-op \$50.00; SVdP \$220.00; Retired Priest Medical \$178.00; Novena \$544.00; Hurricane Relief \$12,439.00. Total \$44,287.09.

The Marian Gift Shop (in the OLV Activities Center) is giving away Our Lady of Victory holy cards during the month of October. The shop is open Sundays from 10:00-11:15am or by appointment.

Contact Rose Marboe at 814-883-4446 or rose@marboe.com to shop other days or to volunteer to help.

Hospital Stay - Call the Church Office at 237-7832 if you are or will be a patient at Mount Nittany Medical Center and wish the Eucharist brought to you. This facility does not notify us, so you or your family must call the church.

The Rosary is prayed Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday at 8:25am, Thursday & Friday at 7:25am and Saturday, at 8:25am.

MASS MEMORIALS and SCHEDULE

Monday, October 21

**8:00am- † Craig H. Avedesian by
The Family**

Tuesday, October 22

**8:00am - † Joseph Pagano by The Marie
Bonner Family
Adoration ends at 4:00pm.**

Wednesday, October 23

**8:00am - Ints. Boland Family by
Mary Regan**

Thursday, October 24

**8:00am - † Randy Weaver by Stan &
Stefany Giner**

**6:30pm - † Ellen Mazzara by The Bosak
Family**

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

Friday, October 25

**8:00am- † Matthew Weakland by The
Family**

9:00am - NO MASS

Saturday, October 26

**9:00am - † Dolores Boehlke by Dave &
Joanne Brady**

5:00pm - † William Reilly by Mike & Judy

Sunday, October 27

**7:30am - † Richard Hauser by The Hauser
Family**

**9:30am - † Joan Foytack by Joanne
Contafio**

**11:30am - † Helena Dakowicz by Barbara
Costa & Eve Stefanko**



Donut Volunteers are needed. We need more volunteers for the donut ministry after 9:30am Mass on Sunday mornings if we want to continue offering donuts every Sunday. People can split the pick up and clean up duties. If you are interested, please contact the church office.



Are You or Someone You Know Interested in Becoming 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.

Weekly sessions are held on **Thursdays**, at 7:00pm in the OLV Activities Center.

Our Lady of Victory Bazaar -

Saturday, October 26, 2024

**8:30am to 4:00pm in the OLV School Gym
(Raffle winners drawn at 3:30pm)**

We will have coffee and donuts from 8:30am to 10:00am. Kitchen opens from 10:00am to 2:00pm for lunch. Crafts, baked goods, Theme Baskets, Raffle Tickets, Silent Auction, Kids games, and gently used stuffed animals, games and toys, and live entertainment. Drawings for money raffle and theme baskets will be held at 3:30pm. Silent auction will end at 2:00pm. Winners do not need to be present to win.

Donations of Soda, Bottled Water: Please consider donating 12 packs of Coke, Pepsi or bottled water products to the Bazaar. Please drop them off at the school main office by Wednesday, October 23 so we have time to purchase any variety which is in short supply.

We need Baked Goods! Please drop off your sweet tooth specialties at the school gym on Friday, October 25 or early the morning of the Bazaar.

Bazaar Kitchen: Kitchen open 10:00am to 2:00pm. Featuring Rosie's Pierogi and Haluski; hot sausage sandwiches with onions and peppers, Sloppy Joe sandwiches, hot dogs, tossed salad, and Gemelli cakes. Volunteers are needed to help with serving and clean up. Contact Deacon Dave at 814-237-7832.

Silent Auction: Please consider donating items to the Bazaar's Silent Auction that are a minimum retail value of \$50 to \$100. Items donated should be new, collectable, antique, jewelry, sports memorabilia or gift certificates. Please drop off items to the rectory office with estimated value.

Contact Chris Kirkpatrick at 814-237-7832, ext 404 or chrisk@ourladyofvictory.com. Silent Auction will end at 3:00pm.

Theme Baskets: We encourage all parishioners and groups to be involved in the yearly OLV Bazaar by making a Theme Basket, which will have a minimum retail value of \$50.00. Baskets can be dropped off at the rectory office or on Friday, Oct. 25 in the school gym. Please put your basket in a clear basket bag with the THEME BASKET TAG on the outside. The Baskets will be on display and tickets will be sold during the OLV Bazaar.

Cash Raffle Tickets: Please remember to turn in your tickets. Extra tickets available in the Gathering Space or Church office.

Volunteers Needed. We need your help to make our Bazaar a huge success! We need help for set up, tear down and help the day of the Bazaar. You can go to the site to volunteer: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4DA8A92CA64-45549478-olvbazaar#/. If you have any questions, please contact Chris Kirkpatrick at chrisk@ourladyofvictory.com or 814-237-7832.

Diocesan Collection for Hurricane Disaster Relief: Envelopes are available at the entrances of the Church. Please make checks payable to Our Lady of Victory. Please continue to remember these storm victims in your prayers.



Sunday Homilies via Cell Phone and Now Online:

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. To listen online, go to www.ourladyofvictory.com and click on Welcome to OLV, then click on Mass and Confession, and click on Sunday Gospel and Homily underneath it.

Formed.org: Watch: Saint John Paul the Great by Jason Evert, renowned Catholic speaker and author who shares remarkable stories about Pope Saint John Paul's life from those who knew him. 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.



2024 Catholic Ministries Drive: We have received \$207,416.00 and have surpassed our goal of \$161,085, with 448 families contributing! All monies received over our goal will be returned to OLV for OLV's needs. If you gave directly to the Diocese, we receive those names once a month. Thank you to our donors: M/M R. Brady, Ms. T. DeMartino, Mr. E. Guenot, Ms. H. Malia, Ms. A. Malinowski.



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: Thank you for your support of our preschool program! You can find current information on our page of the OLVCS website: <https://www.olvcatholicsschool.org/Domain/13>. Please contact us for availability and questions.

OLV Day and the 2024 Walk-A-Thon were a huge success! Fundraising efforts were led by Marlena Vendemia (OLVCS Director of Development and Outreach) and the Walk-A-Thon committee: Ashley Bartley, Whitney Dalton, Paul Fritzche, Suzanne Hahn, Theresa Hunter, Betsy Kraft, Julie Lunn, Monika Manter, Malissa Martin, Mary Beth Seprish, Andrea Sillner, Melanie Smith, Maria Spencer, Kristin Syzmanski, Cassie Vincent, Laura Yartz. As a community, we were able to raise over \$132,549 for Our Lady of Victory Catholic School, preschool through 8th grade. The following local businesses donated financial and in kind support to our Walk-A-Thon. Thank you 2024 Walk-A-Thon Sponsors!

Angelic Benefactors:

Joe and Sue Rogacs, Lee Industries, Vicus Capital, The Matt and Theresa Heinz Family

Seraphim Donors:

Balfurd Cleaners, Custom Stone Interiors, RedLine Speed Shine, Stocker Chevrolet Subaru, Tire Town

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Religious Education News

Classes run each Sunday for students in grades from K-10, 10:30am - 11:20am in the school auditorium (Kindergarten runs in the Activities Center basement). More information can be found on the OLV Religious Education website's home page at <https://re.ourladyofvictory.com/home>.

Discipleship Opportunities for Grades 9-11

- **Adoration with Bishop Mark, Saturday, Nov. 16, from 10:00am to Noon.** Lunch will be served. Please sign up using the Signup Genius link in the CCD weekly Flocknote or online in the Coming Events section so we know how many people to expect.
- **Paul J. Kim Retreat, Sunday, Feb. 2. afternoon/evening times TBD,**

11th Grade Confirmation Class: Next class is this **Sunday, October 20**, 1:15pm-2:30pm in the Church.

First Communion Parent Meetings: ALL students making their First Confession and Communion this year (Public, OLVCS & home-school) need to attend all meetings. They will all be in the school auditorium. Please note date changes:

- **10/20/24 Parent ONLY Meeting during CCD Time: 10:30am –11:20am**

- First Reconciliation Meeting (student & at least one parent), Session One - **11/17/24** during CCD time, 10:30am-11:20am

- First Reconciliation Meeting (student & at least one parent), Session Two - **11/12/25** during CCD time, 10:30am-11:20am

All Saints Mass! Grades K, 1 & 2 will be hosting the 11:30am Mass on Sunday, Nov. 3, in honor of All Saints Day. All attending students are asked to dress up as their favorite saint! Please email Ms. Bord if your child is interested in taking up the gifts, reading a general intercession or reading the first or second reading.



Both Middle School and High School Youth groups will meet Thursday evening from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. Middle School Youth Group will meet in the Activities Center Library and the High School Youth Group will meet in the Youth Room in the Activities Center Basement. We hope to see you there!

For any questions, please contact:

Savannah Anez - Middle School Youth Group leader - middleschoolyg@ourladyofvictory.com

Francis Baggett - High School Youth Group leader - highschoolyg@ourladyofvictory.com



St. Joseph's Catholic Academy High School is accepting applications for the 2024-2025 school year. To schedule a tour and find out more about the affordability of tuition, please email Principal Anna Rupprecht at arupprecht@stacademy.org. More information can be found at www.stjoeacad.org.

Winning Ticket for Saint Joseph's Bronco Raffle Purchased at OLV Mass: On Saturday, October 5th, one lucky winner learned that she had won a 2024 Ford Bronco Everglades. The winner, who was just visiting the area, had bought her ticket from a SJCA student following Mass at OLV Church. She had only one ticket in the drawing – but it was the lucky one! “We were able to sell 1038 tickets,” said Mrs. Anna Rupprecht, Saint Joseph's principal. “600 of which were sold in the last week before the drawing.” Proceeds from the raffle benefit the SJCA Athletic Program and other student activities. Check out www.stjoeacad.org to view a video of the winning ticket drawing. Saint Joseph's extends a special thanks to all the OLV school and parish families who purchased tickets to support the WolfPack!



St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store:

October Specials!

- All Books & Media, BOGO Free!

- Need a Halloween costume? Come, see our large selection of costumes and accessories!

- **Fabric features** in the Crafts area: 1) great **Halloween Prints and Colors**, and 2) good-sized pieces of **Fancy Fabrics** suitable for prom dresses, mother-of-the-bride dresses and upscale Halloween costumes.

- **Fall is here! Check out our large collection of sweaters and coats!**

- Get ready for Penn State Sports! PSU apparel at discount prices!

Do you enjoy decorating your home for the different seasons throughout the year? SVdP is looking for a volunteer (or volunteers) to decorate our Store as seasons change. The Store receives wonderful decorations as well as donations, and we would like to celebrate the seasons with bright and cheerful decoration set-ups each month. If you are interested in managing or helping with Store decorations, leave a message for Janet at 814-867-3131 or email svdpolv@gmail.com.



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. Morning adorers are needed!

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.



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 Johnnette.

They are having three different on-line options via zoom and hopefully one will fit your schedule. There is a lunchtime or evening option that is 9 weeks and a 17 week option for those who want to take a little longer to go through the study. I personally know the women facilitating this and you are in great hands.

Here is the link to all the studies: (<https://womenofgrace.com/study-groups>)

Because we have not been able to find a time to meet the needs of others this is a great opportunity to get started. As soon as I can get some help we will be starting a 9 week session in person option here again. Please check out www.womenofgrace.com for lots of FREE information and opportunities available for you.

Please contact Karen Kearney at kearneyt1@comcast.net or 814-883-4588 with inquiries. We are looking forward to meeting you.



Troops of Saint George: Come join the State College chapter of the Troops of Saint George.

Troops of Saint George is a collection of fathers and sons seeking to build virtue, honor, and fraternity on our way to heaven. The Troops of Saint George apostolate aims to use the outdoors as our canvas and the sacraments as our path to light the way for the formation of Holy Catholic men and boys.

Please see our website for more information and a calendar of events: <https://troopsofsaintgeorge.org/troop/troop-325/> or contact the Troop Captain at Troop325@tsghq.org.



Stay Tuned into WJVM 90.3-FM & WEJO 104.7-FM!

During the month of October, we remember Our Blessed Mother. Our stations broadcast the Rosary daily @ 11am/11pm (Monday - Saturday) and you may join us in prayer by radio or "listen live" @ www.waob.org. If your family or group would like to record a prayer this fall, contact Sheryl Balkey at (814)238-6288 or voiceofdivinemercy@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.



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. There is a need for all baby laundry products (ALL FREE detergent) as well as a need of newborn clothes (up to 6 months) and newborn (especially baby girl 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.

If you are in need of Gabriel Project services, please call 814-867-5511 or 1-800-910-0191.

Women's Bible Study: Do you desire to grow in your faith while in a supportive community of other women? If so, come join the OLV Women's Bible Study Program! These Bible studies combine personal study with small group discussion. Two studies are being offered this year: (1) Opening Your Heart: which applies Biblical teaching to everyday life; (2) The Path of Love: which explores the Stations of the Cross. New participants are always welcome! Meetings will be held on Wednesday evenings (via zoom) and Friday mornings in the Activity Center of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church from mid-September through April. Childcare is provided for Friday morning participants. For more information, please email us at olvwpp1@gmail.com or call Jane Knappenberger at (925) 708-0126.



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

Blood Donations: Check: redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?ZipSponsor=16801

Knights Scholarships: Deadline is December 12.

Knights - Church Sign/Misprint Jokes: "Fall for Jesus - He Never Leaves."

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



Spaghetti Dinner: The Knights of Columbus will hold a Spaghetti Dinner on Wednesday October 30, 2024 from 5:30 to 7:00 pm at Gardiner Social Hall

in the OLV Activities Center. All proceeds will go to Voice of Divine Mercy - Catholic Radio, local station WJVM 90.3 FM. The spaghetti, sauce, and meatballs will be from Delgrosso's and the bread will be provided by Gemelli's. The dinner will also include salad, cake, and drinks. The price is \$12 for Adults and \$5 for Children 10 and under. Presale of tickets will take place after each Mass on the weekends of October 19/20 and October 26/27 in the Gathering Space. Sales at the door may be limited, so purchase early. Donations will be gladly accepted.

TIM FRANCIS
PRESENTS
DO YOU BELIEVE
IN MIRACLES?

This event is for everyone. If you have an "I will believe it when I see it" attitude, don't miss this.

Visit www.ScienceTestsFaith.com/StJohn
Saint John the Evangelist Church, Bellefonte, PA
Sunday, Oct. 20—3:00pm to 5:30pm
Monday, Oct. 21—6:00pm to 8:30pm
Same presentation each night,
choose one!

This is a LIVE presentation
hosted by Tim Francis.



Knights of Columbus Scholarship

Program: The Knights of Columbus award scholarships to High School Senior children of Knights of Columbus members. The state program awards \$4000 to a winner in the Diocese. Our local council also offers one \$1000 scholarship to a child or grandchild of a member of the local council 4678. Forms must be completed and returned to Jason Foytack by December 12, 2024. The Knights are also awarding \$1000 grants to children of Knights members in Catholic school grades 1-12. Info. and applications can be found at www.kc4678.com/scholarships, or if you have questions about the scholarship program, please contact Jason Foytack at 814-360-6799 or jasonfoytack@gmail.com.



2024 Knights of Columbus Baby Bottle Campaign

to benefit the Gabriel Project. The Knights of Columbus will be collecting bottles the weekends of October 19/20, 26/27 and Nov. 2/3. Please return bottles to the table in the back of the church. There is still time to participate. Extra bottles are available in the back of the church.



Wreath Sales - Please support Boy

Scout Troop 245 by purchasing a wreath from our boys for the Holidays. Beautiful wreaths and sprays made in the USA from Mickman Brothers Wreath Company (Ham Lake, MN) will be on sale the Month of October. The circular shape and evergreen material that molds the Wreath has made it a symbol of eternal life. Hanging on the front door of peoples' homes is a reminder of the Spirit of Christmas and the invitation to welcome others into your home to share friendship, food and fellowship. The Scouts will be taking wreath orders at the Bazaar or see the display in the Gathering Space. For your convenience, there is a poster hung in the back of CHURCH with a QR code so that you can place an order of a beautiful wreath at your convenience and have it delivered directly anywhere just in time for the Holidays. Items ordered in person with the Scouts will be delivered to masses the weekend of December 7, 2024 (weekend AFTER Thanksgiving). More information can be found by contacting Jason Foytack at 814-360-6799 or JasonFoytack@gmail.com. Thank you for your generosity in supporting Boy Scout Troop 245.

Sponsor of the Week: Without advertisements in our bulletins from sponsors like **CNB Bank**, this bulletin could not be possible. Be sure to remember them when you need their services.

If you would like to advertise in the weekly bulletin, please contact Mike McAleer, from LPI, our bulletin printer at (412) 855-8013 or mmcaleer@4lpi.com.