



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:

Mon : 8:00am Mass

Tue.: 8:00am Mass

Wed. 8:00am Mass

Thu.: 8:00am Mass

6:30pm Mass

Fri.: 8:00am 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.
(See inside for this week).

Rosary:

Tues., Wed. & Sat.: 8:25am,
Mon., Thur. & Fri: 7:25am



First Saturday

Rosary: Seven

Sorrows Rosary

sponsored by CDA after
9:00am Mass

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 11 & 12th, 2025
28th Sunday of Ordinary Time



Now is the time to make your Theme Basket for the OLV Bazaar!
Information can be found inside!

Office Phone

814-237-7832

Office Fax

814-237-6709

Church Website:

www.ourladyofvictory.com

Church E-mail:

office@ourladyofvictory.com

School

814-238-1592

Preschool

814-238-6616

School/Preschool Website

www.olvcatholicsschool.org

Diocesan Website

www.ajdiocese.org

OLV Prayer Network

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

Pastor, Fr. George Jakopac gjakopac@dioceseaj.org
Deacon David Lapinski dclfl@ourladyofvictory.com
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Principal, Samantha Weakland - (814) 238-1592
Pre-School Director, Anne Bord - (814) 238-6616

Secretaries' Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30 to Noon, 1-4pm.

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.

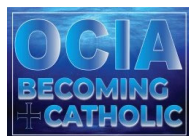
Marriage

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 5: Envelopes \$27,455.54; Loose \$2,241.00; Online Giving \$2,650.00; Maintenance \$825.00; School \$292.00; Twin Parish Mission \$394.00; Debt Reduction \$183.00; Candles \$253.00; Donuts \$39.00; Gabriel Project \$418.00; Retired Priest Medical \$165.00; Novena \$918.00
Total: \$35,833.54.



Are You or Someone You Know Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Are you an Adult who wishes to complete your Sacraments?

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

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

MASS MEMORIALS and SCHEDULE

Monday, October 13

8:00am - † Francis Pagnotto by The Pagnotto Family

Tuesday, October 14

8:00am - † Michael Demaree by The Family

Wednesday, October 15

8:00am - † Dick Murry by Laura Schneider

Thursday, October 16

8:00am - † Pam Johns by Tom & Rosemary Weber

6:30pm - Ints. Bill & Janet Haner 50th Wedding Anniversary by Ken & Millie Demaree

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

Friday, October 17

8:00am - † Joseph Bechtel

10:00am - Funeral Mass for Frank Chan

Saturday, October 18

9:00am - † Kathryn Ozog by Halene Schmadel

5:00pm - † Charles & Elizabeth Schmitt by Teresa Schmitt & Elizabeth Adams

Sunday, October 19

7:30am-† Edward Sliwoski by The Family

9:30am - For All People of Parish

11:30am - † Gwen Nese by Husband, Jon Grandchildren

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

FORMED: Watch St. Teresa of Avila, one of the most amazing women in history (feast October 15), a mystic and doctor of the Catholic Church. To sign up for Formed, go to Formed.org/signup; enter our zip code (16801) and select Our Lady of Victory. The Formed app is available on Apple TV and Roku.



**When: Monday, October 13,
11:00am to 9:00pm**

Where: The Field, Burger & Tap -Toftrees Golf Resort

Dine in or take-out

The Catholic Daughters, Court Blessed Madonna #2521 is fundraising for Holy Name of Mary, Beyin, Ghana.

The Field is donating 10% of all event proceeds to the CDA on behalf of the Holy Name of Mary Academy, Beyin, Ghana.

Queen of Peace Rosary Makers meet the second Tuesday of the month (October 14) after the 8:00am Mass in the Activities Center Library. New members are most welcome! This year the Rosary Makers made over 2,000 mission rosaries and provided free to OLV, India, Central America, Franciscans, Maryland, St Paul's in MI, Cameroon, Blue Army and others. For additional information, please contact Pam Doeblar at 703-896-0071 or Rita Robert at 814-238-2613.



Catholic Daughters of the Americas

will have their October meeting on Wednesday, October 15 at 7:00pm in the Activities Center Gardiner Social Hall. Social begins at 6:30pm. All women are invited to attend.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) Training:

There will be a training session on Wednesday, October 22 at 6:00pm in the Church. If you are interested, just show up. If you are interested and unable to attend, please contact the Church office.

**Our Lady of Victory Bazaar - Saturday, November 1, 2025
8:30am to 4:00pm at the OLV School Gym (Raffle winners drawn at 3:30pm)**

The OLV Annual Parish Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 1, 8:30am to 4:00pm in the OLV School Gym. 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.

Theme Baskets: We invite all parishioners and groups to be involved in the yearly OLV Bazaar by making a Theme Basket. We are asking that the baskets be a minimum retail value of \$50.00. Filled baskets can be dropped off at the rectory office starting the week of October 18. 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. Empty baskets to be filled are under the steps in the Church. If you have any large unused baskets, please leave them under the steps in the Church for others to use. If you have any questions, please call Steve or Deb McGregor at (814) 880-8900. THEME BASKET tags are available in the Gathering Space.

Attention All Crafters: The OLV Bazaar Crafts Committee will be having their Crafts meetings on Saturdays, October 18 & 25 at 10:30am in the OLV Activities Center. We will be working on projects/gift baskets so please join us. Questions? Contact Pat Lutz at 814-404-4155 or patL4books@msn.com or Joy Stauffer at 814-360-1801. We look forward to seeing you!

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 or like new, collectable, antique, jewelry, sports memorabilia or gift certificates. Please drop off items to the rectory office starting October 18 with estimated value. Contact Chris Kirkpatrick at chrisk@ourladyofvictory.com or 814-237-7832, ext. 421.

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

Volunteers Needed! We need your help to make our Bazaar a huge success! We need help for setup, tear down and help the day of the Bazaar. If you have any questions, please contact Chris Kirkpatrick at chrisk@ourladyofvictory.com or call 814-237-7832, ext. 421. You may also sign up on sign up genius <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4DA8A92CA64-58919862-2025#/>



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



Saint Joseph's Catholic Academy High School is accepting applications for the 2025-2026 school year. To schedule a tour and find out more about the affordability of tuition, please visit www.stjoeacad.org.



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: 814-237-7832, ext. 421 or chrisk@ourladyofvictory.com.

Sponsor of the Week: Without advertisements in our bulletins from sponsors like **BEST LINE Equipment** 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.

The Marian Gift Shop in the Activities Center is open Sundays from 10:00am to 11:15am or by appointment. Contact Rose Marboe at 814-883-4446 to shop other days. Proceeds from the Gift Shop benefit Religious Education at OLV.

Bible Study Guides Now Available in the Gift Shop: OLV Parishioner Jane Knappenberger has written two Bible study guides to support everyday Catholics who want to get more familiar with the Bible and more comfortable reading it. *Eternally His* is a 20-lesson study with a focus on helping each person recognize and claim his/her true identity as Beloved Creation of the Father in all seasons and circumstances of life. *The Path of Love* is a 22-lesson study that walks through both the scriptural and traditional Stations of the Cross, showing how every step along the way was a part of God's plan, which Christ carried out with great love for us. Both studies have been granted an imprimatur and are now available in the OLV gift shop for \$35 (plus tax) per book.

The Saint Paul's Men's Group was formed in 2003 to offer the men of OLV (and others) an opportunity to discuss our Catholic faith. It is an informal assembly of men that gather once or twice a month on Saturday mornings, September through May, in the OLV Activities Center. The group discussions include a variety of topics (social issues, current events, matters of faith) and tied to the Catechism and the Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church. We don't have any dues or take roll call; come join us to deepen your understanding of the faith and enjoy the company of our dynamic group. For more information, please contact Pat Beckerle at BeckerleVA@msn.com. He will email you the dates they meet.



Songs of Faith V—The Gospels: Sunday, October 19 at 5:30pm

Mark Lusk, Penn State Professor Emeritus of Trombone, and Kathy Cinatl, pianist, will present a concert of classical, traditional, and contemporary Christian music on Sunday, October 19, at 5:30pm p.m. at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church in State College. They will be joined by special guest vocalist, Kaitlyn Lusk. The program will feature music that relates to the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John.

Religious Education News

- CCD classes are held each Sunday morning from **10:30-11:20am**. Students meet in the school gym for grades 1-9. Kindergarten CGS program meets in the Activities Center. The first class for Grade 9 is this Sunday, September 21. **Please note:** The 9th grade class does not meet Sunday morning on 10/12 due to the fall session of our online Confirmation retreat.
- A CCD and Sacramental Prep calendar has also been posted on the Religious Education website. <https://re.ourladyofvictory.com/20252026-calendar>
- New families can contact the DRE, Susan Ishmael at directorccd@ourladyofvictory.com
- **A Parent Session for 2nd grade parents (CCD and OLVCs)** with children receiving First Reconciliation and First Communion will be held on **Sunday, October 26 at 10:30am if you could not attend on 9/28**. Please meet in the school gym. Please contact Susan Ishmael at directorccd@ourladyofvictory.com with any questions.
- **Confirmation Guideline and Forms can be found at the following link**
<https://re.ourladyofvictory.com/high-school-religious-educationconfirmation>
 - The first session of the online Confirmation retreat will be held 9/28, 10/1, 10/5, 10/8, and 10/12. If you signed up for the series of presentations, you will receive an email with the Zoom link this coming week.
 - Check the **9th grade calendar** on the website for dates classes meet and who will present. **Please note** the 9th grade class does not meet on Sunday morning 10/12 due to the fall session of our online Confirmation retreat. The next 9th grade CCD class meets on 10/19 in the school cafeteria.
 - If you still need to complete a Discipleship Event, please note that Good Shepherd Church in State College will be hosting a Discipleship Event on **Saturday, October 25th from 12-2pm**. The theme of this session is "Awaken, Renew, and Strengthen: Your Path to Confirmation." Other discipleship events are offered in January, February and March. See the Confirmation Guidelines handout on the website.
 - Confirmation students who are completing **service hours** are encouraged to complete 1-2 of their **service hours** by serving at the **Parish Bazaar** on Saturday, November 1st.
- CCD parents and high students already confirmed can continue their faith formation with **Adult Catechesis classes** that will also be offered Sunday mornings from 10:30-11:20am. Please contact Roseanne McManus at rmcmanus1@yahoo.com for more information.



Middle School and High School Youth groups meet Thursdays at 7:00pm in the OLV

Activities Center. For questions, please contact:

High School: Francis Baggett at: highschoolyg@ourladyofvictory.com.

Middle School, please contact Molly Bosak at middleschoolyg@ourladyofvictory.com.



Saint Vincent de Paul Thrift Store: Fall Specials

- Check out our selection of Halloween Costumes and Accessories.
- We have Hunting Apparel and Accessories available.

Are you looking for a way to help the community and have fun! We are looking for you! Sorters, Cashiers and Donation Greeters are needed for most shifts. Training will be provided. To learn more, please call 814-867-3131 or stop by the Thrift Store.

Donations are accepted Monday – Thursday, 10:00am – 3:30pm and Friday and Saturday, 10:00am – 1:00pm ONLY. The Thrift Store is open Monday - Saturday, 10:00am to 4:00pm.

A client of SVDP Society, a single mother with 3 small children living past Boalsburg is in desperate need of a vehicle in good working condition, so she can get to work to support her family. Please call Ken or Millie at 814-466-6421 or 814-933-6928.

Faith Couples Retreat at Saint

Joseph Catholic Academy on Friday, Nov. 14 (6:30pm to 8:30pm) and Saturday, Nov. 15 (8:30am to 3:00pm). The cost is \$80 per couple. The speaker is Mary Stanford, the author of *The Obedience Paradox*:

Finding True Freedom in Marriage, and is a speaker, teacher, and writer on Catholic marriage and family life. She specializes in St. John Paul II's theology of the body and its application to relationships and social communication technologies. She teaches in the Theology department at Christendom College and holds degrees from the University of Dallas and the Pontifical John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family. Along with the workshops and discussions, the retreat also includes Mass with Fr. Joshi.





Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament -

"People who place themselves in front of the sun get a tan, while people who place themselves in front of the Eucharist become saints." - St. Carlo Acutis.

Consider spending some time with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament! Adoration takes place on **Tuesdays** from 8:30am to 4:00pm and **Thursdays** from 8:30am to 8:00pm. You can stop in for a visit or sign up to be a scheduled Adorer (we need coverage for the morning hours, especially from 11:00 AM to Noon). If you cannot commit to being scheduled every week at a specific time, consider volunteering to be a substitute for Adorers who cannot attend their scheduled time. Please contact the Church office at 814-237-7832 or email office@ourladyofvictory.com to be added as a scheduled or substitute adorer.



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 baby hygiene products, baby laundry products (ALL FREE detergent), newborn clothes, 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. Checks 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.



Think you know all there is to know about Mary? Guess again. Full of Grace - The WOG Foundational Study, will start in

the fall for 9 weeks, dates to be announced soon. **If enough interest, we will hold an evening class, but we need to know ASAP.** Go to www.womenofgrace.com where you will find many free ways to grow your faith on-line or in person with Women of Grace. Please contact Karen Kearney at kearneyt1@comcast.net or 814-883-4588. Join us and learn why *"The hour....has come... the hour in which women acquire in the world an influence, an effect and a power never hitherto achieved. That is why...women impregnated with a spirit of the Gospel can do so much to aid humanity in not falling."* The closing Message "To Women" from the Second Vatican Council.



Tune into WJVM 90.3-FM & WEJO 104.7

-FM in October! The Church celebrated the feast of "Our Lady of the Holy Rosary" on October 7, but during the entire month, we commemorate this devotion to Our Blessed Mother. Our stations broadcast the Rosary daily at 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 pray this fall, please contact Sheryl Balkey at (814)238-6288 or voiceofdivinemercy@gmail.com. Please 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.

Audio Recordings of the Sunday Gospel Reading and Homily can be sent to you, by way of TEXT messaging, for shut-ins or general home listening. Simply TEXT a name (first name or alias is sufficient) and a TEN DIGIT cell-phone number to (717) 504 1091 to be added to the list of recipients.

For those suffering hearing loss, there are hearing assist devices available. Check one out of the sacristy (rear of the Church), before Mass.



TROOPS OF
SAINT GEORGE
VIRTUS. HONOR. FRATERNITAS

**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. Saint George, pray for us! +JMJ+
Contact the troop Captain at: Troop325@tsghq.org
Checkout the troop website at: <https://troopsofsaintgeorge.org/troop/troop-325/>

Adult Catechesis Has Resumed! All are welcome to attend, but we especially encourage CCD parents and high school students who have finished CCD to attend. You can attend as many or as few sessions as you like. Our upcoming schedule is the following:

- Oct 12: Theology of the Eucharist
- Oct 19: How to Go to Confession
- Oct 26: Conditions for Receiving the Eucharist

All meetings take place from 10:35-11:15am (between the 9:30 and 11:30 Masses) on Sundays in the Activities Center Assembly Room. Please contact Roseanne at RMcManus1@yahoo.com if you have any questions or to get on our email list.



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

Pilgrim Icon of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is on display this weekend. The Knights have had a Pilgrim Icon program since 1979. This is one of 300 Pilgrim Icons travelling around the world.

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

Knights - Church Sign/Misprint Jokes: "What do you call the lettering on an invitation to a baby's first sacrament? Baptismal Font."

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

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 present after all Masses on the weekend of October 18/19, taking orders for wreaths. Wreath orders will also be taken at the Bazaar. 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 6/7, 2025 (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.

OLV's Cub Scout Pack 383 will have popcorn available for purchase after Masses this weekend. The scouts can accept cash and check. Funds help support scout programming, such as camping, outings, and scholarships. The Pack would like to thank the parish community for their continued support.

Annual Columbus Day Mass - Join the Boal Mansion Museum and the Knights of Columbus for the annual Columbus Day Mass in the Columbus Chapel in Boalsburg. Mass times are 10:00am & 2:00pm on Monday, October 13. Seats are limited. Reservations can be made by emailing Executive Director Anna Rupprecht at arupprecht@maryu.marywood.edu or text/call 724-859-5324.

Knights Scholarship Opportunities: 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. The Knights are also awarding \$1000 grants to children of Knights members in Catholic school grades 1-12.

To receive a grant or scholarship application, or if you have questions about the scholarship program, please go to <https://www.kc4678.com/scholarships> and if you do have questions about the Scholarship Program, please contact Jason Foytack at jasonfoytack@gmail.com or (814) 360-6799.

Come Celebrate the Wonder, Warmth, and Magic of the Season! Father Brian will be hosting a bus trip to Lancaster to see the all-new American Music Theatre live, original musical Christmas Show: DECK THE HALLS. The bus trip is on Thursday, November 20, for the 10:30am showing. Travel will be by Fullington Trailways. We will be stopping after the show at Cracker Barrel in Harrisburg. The bus will be boarding in front of St. John's at 6:15am and returning around 6:00pm. Cost of the trip is \$130.00 per person which includes show ticket and transportation. Meals will be on your own. All reservations and money must be received in St. John's parish office by Tuesday, October 14. Please note – no reservations will be accepted without payment. Space is limited. Mail payment to St. John the Evangelist, 134 East Bishop St., Bellefonte, PA 16823. If you have any questions, please contact St. John's parish office at (814) 355-3134.

Welcome Home! Please email us at WelcomeHome@ourladyofvictory.com to let us know if you are seeking to accompany someone in your life (or yourself) on a journey (back) toward the Catholic faith. We have compiled some suggestions for doing this. The link can be found on our homepage at www.ourladyofvictory.com.

Crochet meets on the first and third Mondays of the month in the Activities Center Library at 6:30pm.