

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

September 6, 2015

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 5, 2015

8:15 AM Terri & Michael Alexander, Patti Osterman,
Dick Osterman (*Sp. Int.*)
5:00 PM Marion Miller (*1st Anniv.*)

Sunday, September 6, 2015

7:30 AM Joe Giresi, Dan O'Dougherty, Sr.
9:00 AM Cait & Bernard Daly
11:00 AM Harold G. Riker

Monday, September 7, 2015

8:15 AM Toni & Bob Brinster

Tuesday, September 8, 2015

8:15 AM Michael Alexander

Wednesday, September 9, 2015

8:15 AM Annabelle McNamara (*39th Anniv.*),
Chester Kosarek, Sr.

Thursday, September 10, 2015

8:15 AM Marie Connelly

Friday, September 11, 2015

8:15 AM Linda & Tom Black (*Sp. Int.*)

Saturday, September 12, 2015

8:15 AM Vera Vogt
5:00 PM Victor Lagomariso, Lena A. Yufer

Sunday, September 13, 2015

7:30 AM Joseph Giresi, Daniel Tana
9:00 AM Margaret Hill, Giuseppina DeMartinis
11:00 AM Ann Sheridan, Anna Ditzig

CELEBRANTS FOR SEPTEMBER 12TH & 13TH, 2015

5:00 PM Rev. Edward G. Lambro
7:30 AM Msgr. John J. Carroll
9:00 AM Rev. Henry Schreitmueller
11:00 AM Msgr. John J. Carroll

PROCLAIMER OF THE WORD

Saturday, September 12, 2015

5:00 PM Frances DellaPenna, Mary Tarsitano

Sunday, September 13, 2015

7:30 AM Peggy Tana
9:00 AM Robert & Anne Marie Kelly
11:00 AM Cyndy Fuhro, Lynn Sullivan

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 12, 2015

5:00 PM Michael Black, Barry Brock, Richard DeMarco, Ann
Garcia, Mary Keane, JoAnn Richardi

Sunday, September 13, 2015

7:30 AM Jeanne Richards
9:00 AM Brian Davin, Fran Maletsky, Charles Groeschke,
Robert & Jennifer Heckler, Jennifer Portman
11:00 AM Yesenia Cohen, Dolores Gesumaria, Mary Ann
Grieco, Katherine Missbrenner, Giulia Smith,
Pamela Smith, Patrice Leavenworth, Stephanie
Schuckalo, Chris McLaughlin, Grace Davin, Linda
McMurray

For those who have been called home to Christ, we pray especially for **Helen Koziol, mother of John** and **Ray Schaeffer, husband of Mary**. Both died recently.

Pray for the Sick

We pray especially for our parishioners, relatives and friends.

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| Charlotte Alvino | Eric Haubrich |
| Rita Carpentiere | Julio Izurieta |
| Manuel Castro | Kenneth Murski |
| Henry Catalano | Nicholas Neill |
| Ben Cauz | Briana O'Connor |
| Karen Davis | Lee Paterno |
| Cindy Elkind | Juanita Russell |
| Beatrice Forgione | Sean Smith |
| Joseph Hammond | |

STEWARDSHIP A WAY OF LIFE TITHING, GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING

Last Week: \$12,909.00

Last Year: \$15,253.00

Attendance: 608

Thank You!

Pastor's Gratitude: "Thank you for supporting the work of the missions on the weekend of August 22-23."

Parishioner's Response: "The cake for Al Alvino's birthday was delicious. Thank you to those who planned and served it."

HOLIDAY WEEKEND

In observance of the Labor Day, the parish office will be closed on Saturday, Sunday and Monday. We wish all parishioners and their families a safe holiday weekend.

REPORT FROM THE SEMINARY

Omar Hernandez has been approved to study for two Masters Degrees: a Masters in Divinity and a Masters in Moral Theology. Msgr. Carroll congratulated him and told him he would ask the parishioners to pray for his success. The more difficult of the two masters is the one in Moral Theology.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Those who are planning to marry next year should reserve their dates for a Church wedding. Either Fr. Lukasz or Msgr. Carroll are available to assist in the preparation. Please call the rectory as ASAP to book a date. Catholics who marry outside a Catholic Church (in a wedding chapel or outside on a beach/garden) will not find a Catholic priest or deacon in good standing to witness their marriage.

ST. PAUL INSIDE THE WALLS

Catholic Families Fully Alive with Bishop Serratelli

In anticipation of the World Meeting of Families, the Office of Evangelization is hosting *Catholic Families Fully Alive with Bishop Serratelli* on Sun., Sept. 20 from 4-6pm at St. Paul Inside the Walls, 205 Madison Avenue, Madison. Bishop Serratelli will offer a brief teaching and allow time for Q & A. Registration is required at www.insidethewalls.org.

RELIGIOUS + EDUCATION

THE TIME IS NOW! If you have not yet registered your children for Religious Education in the fall you need to do so IMMEDIATELY! Go to the website, olmchurch.org to find the forms and send them in with your tuition and late fee as soon as possible. Questions – call or email the Rel. Ed. office 973.838.0567 or reled@olmchurch.org. Thanks, Mary Ramsden, DRE.

HOUSE OF HOPE RE-OPENS

Sr. Christina will begin conducting sales of used, serviceable clothing again. Our donations support these clothing sales which benefit the Learning Center for children at the Catholic Charities Martin de Porres Village. Please place plastic bags of clothes in the House of Hope (the brown garden shed) on the edge of the chapel parking lot. Thank you!

CLEAN WATER DONATION \$2,500

Join us next Sat., Sept. 12th at the 5pm Mass when Msgr. Carroll will present a check for \$2,500 to Judy Slodky, a Heifer International representative. This donation was made possible by our OLM Faith Sharing Groups, Bible Groups, Ladies Guild, Knights of Columbus and the Rosary Group. The money was raised to provide clean water and will go to the Rwanda Project. Watch for an article in the Beacon. May God bless you for your generosity.



SUNDAY, SEPT. 13TH

**FOLLOWING 11AM MASS UNDER THE TENTS
SIGN-UP IS IN NARTHEX - YOUR TICKET IS TO BRING A DESSERT!**

“ENCOUNTER”

Living and sustaining an authentic Christian faith is only possible as the result of an encounter with the living Christ. The Apostles were changed after meeting Christ and in today's gospel so was the deaf man. Jesus heals the man of his deafness and also his speech impediment. This miracle took place in a gentile town as a result of the faith of other gentiles who interceded for this man by bringing him to Christ. Jesus' message is for everyone & His healing is available to all; but first we must have a personal relationship, a true encounter with our Lord and Savior. How does that happen? Have a serious talk with Christ, invite Him into your life, frequent the sacraments often and join a bible group to understand God's plan for you. There you will encounter the man of miracles, Jesus Christ, who wants to heal you and make you whole. Today's readings invite you to experience Christ without fear or worry, for He loves you with all your defects. He wants to open your ears and take away every impediment that keeps you from encountering Him! **Please join us at RCIA at the Parish House at 7pm every Thursday. For more information please call Msgr. Carroll at 973-838-6838 ext. 100 or Carol Mangani at 973-283-2218.**

| Date | Topic | Presenter |
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| Sept. 10 | The Creed & Trinity | Lori Covello |
| Sept. 17 | Overview/7 Sacraments | Jim McKeon |

“REVELATIONS”

The last book of the Bible is “Revelations”. Join us as we unravel the intriguing mysteries of Revelations in The Ryan Room on Friday mornings at 9:30am. For more information please call Carol Mangani at 973-283-2218.

NEW BIBLE GROUPS

Come join us on Wed., Sept. 16 at 7pm in the Parish House as we journey through Matthew's Gospel. For more information please call Carol Mangani at 973-283-2218

✠ YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS ✠

We are looking for youth volunteers to assist with the Parish Picnic on Sept. 13th. If you need service hours, this is a great opportunity! To volunteer, please email youth ministry.

The youth ministry program is looking for additional young adult volunteers (ages 18 to 25) to help support all the programs we do. If you are planning on staying local this year, consider helping out! The commitment can be as little or as much as you would like. If you're interested, or would like further information, please email youth ministry.

Contact Information:

Youth Ministry-youthministry@olmchurch.org
Confirmation-youth@olmchurch.org



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First Reading: Isaiah 35:4-7a

Isaiah tells the people to be strong and unafraid. God will save his people, and the blind will see, the deaf will hear, and the lame will walk. Streams will come forth in the desert, the sandy ground will become springs of water.

Second Reading: James 2:1-5

James encourages the people to never show favoritism. He discusses an usher who escorted a rich man to the best seat, while ignoring a poor man. God chose poor people to be rich in faith, so we should never judge people by their riches.

Gospel: Mark 7:31-37

Some people brought a deaf man who could not speak to Jesus and begged him to lay his hand on the man. Jesus opened the man's ears and cured his speech impediment. He ordered the people not to tell anyone, but they were too amazed to keep this to themselves.



*Have fun & help others...
Join the Ladies Guild!*

Congratulations to our August Raffle Winners!

- 1st Prize – Liz Millis - \$400
- 2nd Prize – Denise Hofbauer - \$300
- 3rd Prize – Jeff Craugh - \$200
- 4th Prize – Jeannette Gaston - \$100

Thank you to all who purchased Raffle Tickets!

Next Drawing Sat., September 26, after the 5pm Mass!

Save The Date: Sept. 14 First Fall Mtg.

To make 'journals of love' for cancer patients - **Join us!**

**For more information contact Julie Puccia
973-492-2774 or jlpuccia@optonline.net*



BACK TO SCHOOL

Sister Christina from the Catholic Charities Martin DePorres Village Learning Center in Paterson has requested the following items for students: five subject notebooks, marble composition notebooks, scientific calculators (\$8 - \$12), pocket folders (all colors), colored markers, colored pencils, erasable pens, mechanical pencils and highlighters. Please place supplies in the bin marked "School Supplies" in the narthex of the church through Sept. 13. Thank you! Questions? Call Christine Carafello 973-768-9779.

MT. ST. DOMINIC ACADEMY OPEN HOUSE

The open houses for 7th & 8th grade girls and families will be held at 3 Ryerson Ave, Caldwell, NJ on Sept. 27th and Oct. 18 at 1:30pm. Call 973-226-0660, ext. 1122 for questions or see www.msdacademy.org

SMOKE RISE RIDING CLUB WINE TASTING

Please join us for a Fall Wine Tasting, Silent Auction & More hosted by *The Smoke Rise Riding Club*, Friday, September 25 at 7:00pm, Tickets: \$75.00pp. - permit #825. Visit www.smokerisefarms.com or call 201.519.5373 for details

GIRL SCOUT SILVER AWARD PROJECT

My name is Hope Wright and I am working towards earning my Girl Scout Silver Award. For my project I am collecting new socks for the homeless. My reason for this project is because many homeless people get foot infections from either having no socks or dirty socks. I will be collecting the socks on Sept. 12-13 and 19-20. There will be a collection box in the narthex of the Church. Thank you for your donations, Hope.



THE KNIGHTS CORNER Knights of Columbus Council 14493 News

News:

All Catholic men in the Parish are welcome to join the Knights. If you have any questions, please contact Dave Puccia or Mike D'Amelio or talk to any current member of the Knights.

Exemplifications and new membership:

Dave Puccia, Grand Knight: 973-492-2774
Mike D'Amelio, Deputy Grand Knight: 973-800-4915

Calendar:

See Parish Website for complete 2015-2016 calendar.
9/09: Officers at 7:15pm, Business Mtg. at 8pm - Ryan Rm
9/12: Setup for Parish Picnic
9/13: Parish Picnic
9/23: Social Mtg. at 8pm - Ryan Rm
9/26: Straight and Narrow Dinner



OUR LADY OF THE MAGNIFICAT CHURCH **FOCUSED ON MINISTRIES** **GET INVOLVED!**

Our Lady of the Magnificat Parish has many ministries that would like to have more parishioners involved. Being a part of a parish ministry helps adults, youth and children continue to grow in knowledge and love of Jesus Christ and gives you a richer sense of community. If you can't find one or you have an idea for a new ministry talk to Msgr. Carroll or Fr. Lukasz.

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- † Religious Ed., Children's Liturgy
 - † Confirmation/Youth Ministry
 - † RCIA, Evangelization
 - † Bible Study, Faith Sharing Groups
 - † SEARCH, Retreat Team members
 - † Baptismal Preparation
 - † GIFT - Adult Education
 - † Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Altar Servers
 - † Knights of Columbus
 - † Senior, Junior, Cherub Choirs
 - † Fr. English, Eva's Kitchen, Martin De Porres
 - † Adoration & First Saturday Rosary
 - † Christmas Concert Committee
 - † Worship Committee
 - † Caring Ministry, Social Concerns
 - † Ladies Guild, Hospitality
 - † Ushers
 - † Pre-Cana

It is only fitting that we recognize and thank all whose dedicated service and selfless contributions of time and talent have helped ensure the success of our parish ministries.

For contact information on our existing ministries see the weekly bulletin or visit our website www.olmchurch.org