

# Our Lady of Victory

Roman Catholic Church  
169 Main St., Ashaway, RI 02804



## 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

There was a wedding at  
Cana in Galilee, and the  
mother of Jesus was there.  
Jesus and his disciples were  
also invited to the wedding.  
When the wine ran short, the  
mother of Jesus said to him,  
"They have no wine."  
- Jn 2:1-3

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**Mass Schedule**  
Monday thru Thursday 8:00 am  
Saturday: 4:00pm  
Sunday: 9:30am

**Reconciliation**  
Upon Request

**Sacraments of Baptism**  
Second Sunday of the Month

**Sacrament of Marriage**  
Please call the Office

**RCIA Program**  
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**Bulletin Announcements**  
Must be submitted in writing by Wednesday morning 10am

**Church Registration**  
If you would like to register with  
Our Lady of Victory, please call the office.



**HELP OR BE HELPED:**

Bishop Tobin has kicked-off the Annual **Keep the Heat On** heating assistance campaign, a program that helps struggling families with heating assistance who have exhausted all other public and private means to keep their families warm during the Rhode Island winter.

Since 2005, your generous support has provided more than \$3.5 million in assistance to more than 15, 467 RI households in need. If you would like to help local families this winter with a tax-deductable donation, or, if you know of someone in need of heating assistance, please visit [www.heatRI.com](http://www.heatRI.com)



Father Chinnaiah would like to start the Pastoral Council the beginning of the brand new year!

Thank you to those that offered to be part of this group.

Fr. would like to have a few more.

Please consider being a part of this very important council.

If you are interested please call Sandy in the office.

**Why the Upper Room Bible Study?**

To begin, some 13+ years have passed since the Upper Room beginning at St. Joseph Church, where three folks of our parish came together in our Fellowship Bible Study. The number of meetings since then is nearly 2,200 times!!! We continue to open the pages of the Sacred Scripture.

Let's ponder some thoughts of participants.

A gentleman said "I love it, I love it!"

A lady said that the weekly sessions are like free therapy (said a number of years ago and she is still with us every week!) Another had these words..."We are learning about the Bible in small dosages." Let's revisit the year 2013, when a participant said the following "These Bible Studies I know are helping us all to become more like Jesus. I see and hear what great excitement the participants have for God's Word and the services they accomplish by living His Words. The light has been lit in our souls and grows brighter as we journey to become followers of Jesus Christ. Our reward is Eternal Life!"

Friends of the St. Joseph Parish family, invite you to join with them as eyes, ears, and hearts are opened!

May the Blessings of Christmas and New Year be upon you.

*With gratitude, friends of the Upper Room Bible Studies*



**Saturday, January 15, 2022 4:00 pm**  
*Deceased Members of this Parish Family*

**Sunday, January 16, 2022 9:30 am**  
*Deceased Members of this Parish Family*

If you have a Mass Intention **scheduled** and would like to bring up the gifts, please let the usher know as soon as you arrive at the church.



A very special **Thank You** to the anonymous donor of the many gift cards during the Christmas Season. Your donation was very generous! All gift cards were brought to the Westerly Warm Shelter as you suggested for them to be distributed to their needy clients. God bless.



**Respect for Life Bus Trip:**

January 2022 The Annual Respect for Life Bus Trip to the March for Life in Washington, DC “Equality Begins in the Womb”

Advance registration is required, space is limited, first come, first served. Basic Itinerary;

Thursday evening, Jan. 20th bus leaves RI to DC

Friday, Jan 21st Mass, Rally and March in DC

Early morning, Saturday, Jan 22nd return to RI

Please contact 278-2518 or LCooley@dioceseofprovidence.org to register and for all details.

Groups are encouraged to register ASAP.

**Readings for the week of January 16, 2022**

- Sunday:* Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11
- Monday:* 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22
- Tuesday:* 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28
- Wednesday:* 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6
- Thursday:* 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12
- Friday:* 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19
- Saturday:* 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21
- Next Sunday:* Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21



**Annual Appeal**

Our Lady of Victory Annual Appeal

**As of January 9th \$14,281**

(52 parishioners)

*Thank you!*

*All donations received will remain in support of Our Lady of Victory Parish.*

**Sunday, Jan. 16th** 10:30 am K-6 **Our Lady of Victory**  
5:30 am Conf. 1 **St. Joseph Church**

**Sunday, Jan. 23rd** 10:30 am K-6 **Our Lady of Victory**  
5:30 am Conf. 1 **St. Joseph Church**

**VERY IMPORTANT:** Confirmation 1 & 2 students **must** sign in **every** weekend at Mass. The sign in sheet is in the Sacristy at both churches. If you attend a different church one weekend, you must have the priest from that church sign a bulletin and submit it to Jessica Gerjes.

**Thank You**

Father Chinniah would like to thank everyone for all your Christmas greetings and generous gifts.

They will go to good use!

May this new year be happy and healthy for all!

The Special Second Collection this weekend is for

**Catholic University of America**

**Church Support**

Week ending January 9, 2022

Weekend Attendance: **100**

**Budget Envelopes sent out monthly 70**

**Budget Envelopes** \$679 in (34) envelopes \$390 loose Building Fund \$0

**WeShare** Budget \$532 (16) users / Building Fund \$0

**Total Budget \$1601**

**Thank you for the continued support of your church!**

**Online Giving**

If you prefer to donate online, you can go directly to the WeShare online giving website,

**<https://olv.weshareonline.org/>**

**Church Update**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Town & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Want to make appointment to register

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\_\_\_\_\_ Want budget envelopes

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