

TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

A KINGDOM DIVIDED CANNOT STAND.

— MARK 3:25 —



OUR LADY OF MERCY PARISH BULLETIN

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SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 2024



Dear Parishioners of Our Lady of Mercy,

Greetings in the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ!

During the past week, we had some successful events. Last Friday evening, we gathered in prayer for a time of Eucharistic adoration that was accompanied by meditative songs led by our music ministry. It was a night to reflect on the Word of God through scripture and song. I thank all the musicians and singers led by Liam and Krystelle for sharing their talents in singing and playing different musical instruments.

Last Sunday, we had a fun gathering of folks 55 and up at our Seniors Café in the Maria Room. I had a chance to be with them because I did not have Mass until noon. I had so much fun at the Café. We played bingo and Jeng Villa prepared some games and trivia questions to jog our memories. There were so many prizes for the winners and an abundance of food and drinks prepared and served by some ladies of our parish. I want to thank them and all those who donated different prizes, food and drink. God bless you for your service and generous hearts.

Saying that, I would like to encourage each and every one of you to join and participate when we have events in our parish. These events give us good opportunities to build community, to know others a little better, and to help each other in our faith journey.

In the gospel this weekend, we hear about the presence of Satan, the one who creates division in our world. We can conquer the devil by staying together as one and building one another up. When we do that, we become Jesus' mother, father, brother, or sister because we gather as one family of faith. Isn't that neat? So, please make an effort to join and participate with the members of your faith family.

I really praise and thank God when I see everybody coming together in our parish community because it shows that we are listening to God's voice and not that of our enemy, the devil. I admonish you to always pray for our community of Our Lady of Mercy that we may continue to minister to all the people of this area. May we bear fruit through our efforts to cooperate with the mission of our parish and to be a welcoming community that provides a home for all and celebrates life, hope, and reconciliation through Word, Worship and Service.

God bless you all!

Love,

+*Father Marty*



A Message from the Office of the Regional Bishop for Hudson County

June 3, 2024

Rev. Marty B. Jacinto
Our Lady of Mercy Parish
40 Sullivan Drive
Jersey City, NJ 07305

Dear Father Marty,

The Archdiocesan Annual Appeal is undoubtedly a challenging effort every year. You and your parishioners need to be thanked and congratulated on your terrific effort in reaching your **"Stretch Goal"** for the 2024 campaign. This is a sign of your willingness to present the case for the Archdiocesan effort to effectively spread the Good News of the Lord and the willingness of your people to respond so generously.

Let me add my voice of thanks to you along with that of Cardinal Tobin. In truth I give voice to the thanks of the Lord for your effort.

Sincerely yours,

+*Greg*

Most Rev. Gregory J. Studerus
Regional Bishop of Newark for Hudson County

2024 ANNUAL APPEAL

The goal for our parish in the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal is **\$42,123**. So far, donors have pledged **\$50,735** and **\$37,946** has been received.

As you can see, we have reached our goal! Sincere thanks to those who have supported the Archdiocese. For those who have not done so, please consider making a pledge and being generous as always!



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

SUNDAY, MAY 26

REGULAR COLLECTION \$6,973

SUNDAY, JUNE 2

REGULAR COLLECTION \$6,265

We thank you for your unending support through your weekly Stewardship of Treasure.

SCRIPTURE PASSAGES

Sunday, June 9

The Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 3:9-15 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 Mark 3:20-35

Sunday, June 16

The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ezekiel 17:22-24 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 Mark 4:26-34

OUR LADY OF MERCY, A HOLY AND A HAPPY PLACE

BAPTISM AT OUR PARISH



Avery Elias Paclarin Cajes was baptized by Father Marty on Sunday, May 26. He is pictured here with his mother, Aleli, and his brothers, Alexander and Adrian.

AN EVENING WITH THE LORD



Father Marty lifts the Monstrance as he blesses those gathered in prayer before the Lord last Friday evening, May 31, before the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ.



THE SENIORS CAFÉ WAS FILLED WITH HAPPY PEOPLE

Our Seniors Café last Sunday, June 2, in the Maria Room, was a great success!





SATURDAY, June 8

5pm Andrea Colette Penaloza (L)

SUNDAY, June 9, Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am George Joseph r/b Sandra Valanzola
10am For the People of the Parish
12pm Vincent Crisantiello (Death Anniversary)
r/b Theresa Crisantiello

MONDAY, June 10

7am Peter Jun (Birthday Blessing)
8:30am Rey & Leonor Ramos
(In Thanksgiving for God's Blessings)

TUESDAY, June 11

7am Joseph Balik r/b Olga Fraraccio
8:30am Sarah Scibetta r/b Joseph Scibetta

WEDNESDAY, June 12

7am Trinidad Reyes (Death Anniversary)
r/b Antoinette Reyes
8:30am Fe Arroyo

THURSDAY, June 13

7am Elmo Macalintal
r/b Guiz & Gigi Macalintal & Family
8:30am Theresa Macco (Birthday in Heaven)
r/b Ann Kowalski

FRIDAY, June 14

7am Peter & Agatha Jun (Wedding Anniversary)
8:30am Lorenzo Isaac (Death Anniversary)
r/b Grace Arceo & Family

SATURDAY, June 15

8:30am Purgatorial Society
5pm Marie Hudik r/b The Eckel Family

SUNDAY, June 16, Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am For the People of the Parish
10am Zygmund Kowalski r/b Kowalski Family
12pm Grant Macalintal (Birthday Blessing)
r/b Guiz & Gigi Macalintal & Family



SANCTUARY LAMP

The Lamp burning over our tabernacle in the church is offered **In Memory of Mercedes Floro Fuentes.**



BREAD & WINE

The offering for the Bread & Wine to be used this week at our Eucharistic Worship is given **In Memory of the Deceased Members of OLM Parish.**

To arrange for the celebration of a Mass for an individual or for a special intention, or to make a donation for the bread and wine to be used at Mass or for the sanctuary candle, please stop by the parish office during business hours.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday – Friday: 7 am & 8:30 am

Saturday: 8:30 am, 5 pm

Sunday: 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon

RECONCILIATION/ CONFESSIONS

Monday through Friday 9 am to 9:30 am

Saturday 4 pm to 4:30 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8 am to 3 pm

Saturday 9 to 1 pm Sunday 9 am to 1 pm

STAFF

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Krystelle Pring

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Guillermo "Guiz" Macalintal & Henry Racelis

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If you or a relative is hospitalized or homebound and wish a visit from a parish priest, contact the Office.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is held every First Friday of the month from 9 am until 12 noon.

REGISTER AS PART OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

To be a registered parishioner means that you really belong to our parish family. You enjoy all the benefits of being a family member. Those who are not registered are invited and encouraged to do so. A Registration Form is available at the Parish Office and also online. Visit our website: olmnj.org and click on **register**.



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Names of the sick are published for four Sundays. Please contact the office to add or to continue a name.\

Week One

Robert Banaag Marcus Lauda

Week Three

Sarah Padilla

Week Four

Ronald Danny Carlos Obedencio



**Please join our
Confirmation
Candidates for their
Service Project:**

**NEIGHBORHOOD CLEAN UP, Saturday,
June 29. Come to the Maria Room at 9 am to
assemble for the project.**

**PLAN AHEAD
FLEA MARKET AT OLM
Sunday, October 13
9 am to 4 pm
Maria Room**

SAFETY AWARENESS PROGRAM

AT OLM ON JUNE 22

In support of the Emergency Operation Plan of the Archdiocese of Newark, there will be a Safety Awareness Training Program at OLM for liturgical ministers (Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, and Hospitality Ministers).



The training program will take place on Saturday, June 22, from 9 am to 11:30 am in the Maria Room. (A light breakfast will be provided from 9 am to 9:15 am.) The training, which will be conducted by Officer Rajon Martinez of the South District of the JCPD, will teach attendees how to react to any threat of harm or violence.

Upcoming Events

June 9, Sunday, Gather to Understand
June 15, Saturday, Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
June 16, Sunday, Father's Day
June 17, Monday, Parish Staff Meeting
June 20, Thursday, The First Day of Summer
June 22, Saturday, Safety Awareness Training
June 23, Sunday, Baptism
June 29, Saturday, Neighborhood Clean Up

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