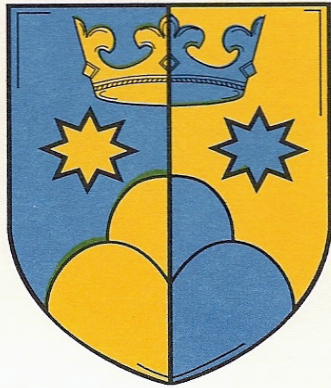


OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH

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HIS MERCY IS FROM AGE TO AGE

MASS SCHEDULES

SUNDAY MASSES

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS 5:00 PM (CHURCH)
SUNDAY 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 11:30 AM (CHURCH)

DAILY MASS

MONDAY-SATURDAY: 9:00 AM (CHAPEL)

HOLY DAY MASSES

7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 7:30 PM (CHURCH)

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated the first and third Sunday of each month at 12:45 p.m. Parents are asked to call the Parish Office to schedule a date.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confessions are heard every Saturday from 4:15 to 4:45 p.m. in the Church.

Sacrament of Marriage

Diocesan policy requires that couples participate in a marriage preparation program prior to their wedding. To ensure that all the necessary arrangements can be made, couples should contact the Parish Office at least one year in advance of their wedding date, and before any other plans have been made.

Sacrament of Holy Orders and Consecrated Life

Anyone interested in learning more about a life of service to the People of God as a priest, deacon, a religious brother or sister is encouraged to speak with Fr. Sean or call the Office of Vocations at (732) 562-1990.

PARISH STAFF

Reverend Sean W. Kenney, Pastor

Thomas Sicola, Deacon

John Scansaroli, Deacon Candidate

Tim Brown, Director of Sacred Music

Brian Flanagan, Director of Youth Ministry

Sylvia Smalley, Sharron Kaiser, Fran Kenney
Parish Secretaries

OFFICE FOR CATECHESIS

Karen Dill, Parish Catechetical Leader

Brenda Hann, Secretary

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

A small group process by which a person inquires into becoming a Catholic, and may receive the Sacraments of Initiation, namely Baptism, First Eucharist, and Confirmation, followed by continuous growth in the faith. Anyone interested may contact the Parish Office.

Ministry to the Sick

Every Sunday morning Ministers of Holy Communion bring the Eucharist to homebound parishioners. To request your name to be placed on the Communion list, please call the Parish Office. The clergy of the parish are available to visit sick family members, whether at home or in the hospital. Please let us know how we can be of assistance to you and your loved ones.



22nd Sunday Ordinary Time
August 29, 2010

Parish Office (908) 647-1075—Fax (908) 647-7885

Office of Sacred Music (908) 647-0451

Director of Youth Ministry (908) 647-0952

Office for Catechesis (908) 647-1402

Website www.olmwarren.org



MASS INTENTIONS



The Sanctuary Lamp in the Church is lit this week in memory of Gerard Smith, at the request of Ann & Mauro Iarussi.

Sunday, August 29

8:00 AM For Our Parishioners
10:00 AM Gerard Smith r/o Ann & Mauro Iarussi
11:30 AM Terrance Jackman r/o Rita & Brian Genz

Monday, August 30

9:00 AM Donald Lloyd r/o June & Bob Gray

Tuesday, August 31

9:00 AM Michael DeAngelis r/o Mary DeAngelis

Wednesday, September 1

9:00 AM Donald Lloyd r/o Mary DeAngelis

Thursday, September 2

9:00 AM Mary Hovanietz r/o Joseph & Irene Payne

Friday, September 3

9:00 AM Ernest Szombath r/o Margaret Szombath

Saturday, September 4

9:00 AM Mass of Remembrance
5:00 PM Anna & Charles Hogan r/o Drew & Hope Meyer

Sunday, September 5

8:00 AM For Our Parishioners
10:00 AM For the Intention of
Dick & Dottie Schmieder r/o The Korn Family
11:30 AM Living Members of the Dolly Family
r/o John & Judy Calabro



Please remember in your prayers the sick and shut-ins of our parish, all those listed in the Parish Book of Intentions, and all the men and women in the Armed Forces.

REST IN PEACE

Lord, grant eternal rest to the souls of our dearly departed, especially

Michael Santoro

Father of Frank, Michael, Dino

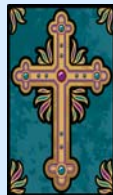
John Tomczak

Husband of Sally, Father of Mark, Michael, Ann Marie

We offer our sympathy and prayers to their family and friends.

***“Weeping may endure for a night,
but joy cometh in the morning.”***

Psalm 30:5



Ministers for the Weekend Of...

SEPTEMBER 4-5, 2010

5:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:00 AM	11:30 AM
Celebrant: Fr. Sean	Celebrant: Fr. Sean	Celebrant: Msgr. Capik	Celebrant: Fr. Sean
Lector: B. Chiselko	Lector: L. Lenart	Lector: G. Montemurno	Lector: C. Dorsi
Ministers of Communion Team 2	Ministers of Communion Team 2	Ministers of Communion Team 2	Ministers of Communion Team 2
Altar Servers C. Przybylski G. Przybylski B. Przybylski	Altar Servers T. Stein C. Cunha	Altar Servers D. Miller A. Miller E. Gliebe	Altar Servers P. Bosco J. Figura K. Figura



STEWARDSHIP A Way of Life

Treasure

August 21-22, 2010

Weekly Collection—\$8,048.00

Diocesan Assessment—\$1,805.00

Thank you for your continued generosity.

A Perspective on Today's Readings



“On a Sabbath Jesus went to dine at the home of one of the leading Pharisees, and the people there were observing Him carefully... Then he said to the host who invited him, ‘When you hold a lunch or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or your wealthy neighbors, in case they may invite you back and you have repayment. Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blest indeed will you be because of the inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.’”

Jesus once again is found at a meal. How often the gospels use such an occasion to provide a profound message. Surely friends and relatives enjoy the opportunity of dining together. The holiday gathering of the former Sunday dinners are special moments. Unfortunately, our life style has changed, with work, games and social commitments making such opportunities more rare.

Some families gather one night each week with grandparents, married children and grandkids to maintain such unity. Others continue a custom of Friday night pizza to insure that they come home weekly.

The gospel message is a reminder of those who are not presently included in the picture of that meal. The image can be a figure of speech, but others need to be at our table with us. Who are the lame and the poor, the crippled and blind who can sit with us? It is when we get together I learn from them and have the chance to respond to their cares, to address their agenda. The works of mercy and the judgment scene portray that meal quite well.



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Tuesday, August 31

Prayer Group, 9:45 a.m., Fr. Russell Room

Wednesday, September 1

Senior Citizens, 10:00 a.m., Shepherds Hall

Weight Watchers, 5:30 p.m., Shepherds Hall

Neighbor to Neighbor, 7:00 p.m., Fr. Peter Room

AA, 8:00 p.m., Shepherds Hall

Friday, September 3

Parish Office Closed

Adoration, Beginning 9:30 a.m., Chapel

Benediction, 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 4

Canned Fruit Collection, After 5:00 Mass

AA, 8:00 p.m., Shepherds Hall

Sunday, September 5

2nd Collection—Diocesan Assessment

Canned Fruit Collection, All Masses

PARISH BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, September 12, 8:00 am.-2:00 p.m.

Who needs blood transfusions? Premature infants, children with blood disorders such as anemia and leukemia, accident victims, bone marrow, organ transplants, burn victims, surgery patients, cancer patients undergoing chemotherapy, and more.



You can help! Please sign up after Mass this weekend or next, or call Pat Fine (908) 754-1376 to register. Those with reservations will be taken first, however, walk-ins are welcome!

MUM SALE

Knights of Columbus Council No. 11409

September 18 (Saturday)

Shepherds Hall

Start 10:00 a.m.

Finish: After 5:00 p.m. Mass

September 19 (Sunday)

Shepherds Hall

Start 8:00 a.m.—

Finish: After 11:30 a.m. Mass

Potted 9" \$ 6.00

Potted 10" \$ 14.00

Potted 14" \$ 20.00

Our Biggest Fund Raiser—Please Support Us!



PARISH HAPPENINGS

Are you waiting to be asked to be a Catechist?



Please consider this your personal invitation to join a ministry devoted to bringing Jesus and His message to young learners. We are looking for individuals who:

- are good listeners
- are people of prayer
- are dedicated to their faith
- enjoy working with young Christians

If you feel you may be right for this ministry, please call Karen or Brenda at 908-647-1402 to learn more about sharing your faith with children. Classes begin the week of September 20. Our needs for this fall are on Wednesdays for grades 1, 3, and 4.

BACK TO SCHOOL FUND DRIVE

The Good Samaritan Ministry is holding their annual **Back to School Fund Drive**. Monies collected will be used to purchase gift cards to be used for new school outfits for those children in need at our sister parish, La Asuncion, in Perth Amboy. Collection containers are in the front and back of the church. Checks should be made payable to "Good Samaritan Ministry". For additional information, please call Karen MacNaul (908) 757-9891.

OLM NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR EMPLOYMENT NETWORK

Wednesday Evenings—7:00 p.m.—Fr. Peter Room

August 25

Change and Response—Christopher D'Marco

September 8

Business Networking Event—Everyone is welcome (unemployed, under-employed, employed-particularly employed-especially those in a hiring position).

Join us if you can—and bring a friend.

OLM ANNUAL WOMENS FALL RETREAT

Loyola House, Morristown

October 8-10

Please call Debbie Catapano (908) 507-4334 for more information, or to register.

A Message from Tim Brown, Director of Sacred Music



It continues to be a great joy and blessing to serve our Lord and this parish community as Music Director. I am looking forward to another great year of music ministry. Many exciting things are planned for the coming months, including an Advent Service of Lessons and Carols on **Sunday, December 5, at 4:00 p.m. MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

As much as I love my work as Music Director, music ministry is not a job that I can do alone. I need your help and support. Do you, or your children, sing or play an instrument? Are you curious about ringing handbells? Have you ever thought of cantoring? Our music program offers many opportunities for music ministry to people at all levels of musical ability in a variety of musical styles.

Adult Choir (Rehearsals begin September 8)

The adult choir meets Wednesdays from 8:00 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. The choir sings most weekends, and also Christmas, Holy Week, Easter, and other special occasions. The style of music is more traditional, accompanied by organ or piano (occasionally a cappella).

Children's Choir (Rehearsals begin September 29)

The children's choir meets Wednesdays from 4:15 p.m. until 5:15 p.m., and sings once each month (usually at the Family Mass). The choir also sings for the 4:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass, First Communion Masses in May, and with other children's choirs at the Plainfield Area Children's Choir Festival in the spring.

Folk Choir (Rehearsals begin September 11)

The folk choir sings music in a more contemporary style, accompanied by a variety of instruments. Rehearsals are one hour prior to the Mass that is being sung. It normally sings two weekends each month, as well as Christmas, Easter, and Confirmation.

Handbell Choir (Rehearsals begin September 15)

The handbell choir meets Wednesdays from 6:30 p.m. until 7:45 p.m., and usually plays for one Mass each month, as well as Christmas and Easter. All are welcome. No previous handbell experience is required. Learn as you go!

I hope than many of you will be able to find a place in the OLM Music Ministry for you and your family. For more information, please contact me in the OLM Sacred Music Office (908) 647-0451, or e-mail me at musicministry@olmwarren.org.

*Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven.
(Matthew 5:16)*

SILVER AND GOLD WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Renew your marriage vows and receive a personalized certificate from Bishop Paul G. Bootkoski at a special Evening Prayer Service* in the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, Metuchen.

Sunday, September 26, 2010, 4:00 P.M.

Application forms may be secured from your parish office or downloaded from the website by logging on to <http://www.diometuchen.org/deptsministries/family-life/>. Click on the box for Silver/Gold Application Form.

Forms must be signed by the pastor and returned to the Family Life Office by the parish office.

Application forms will be accepted by the Family Life Office until Friday, September 3rd. Formal invitations and seating tickets will be mailed approximately two weeks prior to the celebration.

Please fill out an application as soon as possible. Call the Family Life Office/Diocese of Metuchen (732) 562-1990, ext.

USED BICYCLE COLLECTION

The Good Samaritan Ministry, in conjunction with **Pedals for Progress**, will be conducting a used bicycle collection on Saturday, September 25th from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon in the church parking lot. Bicycles should be in reasonably good condition. No tricycles. The bicycles will be sent to third world countries by **Pedals for Progress** where they will be refurbished and sold to the local population for a nominal fee.



To help defray the cost of overseas shipment, a donation of \$10 is requested. A tax deductible statement can be issued for the cash donation, plus the estimated value of the donated bicycle. For further information call Bill Ginda at 908-647-0974, or e-mail at billyg6@juno.com.

Singers needed for the Gold and Silver Wedding Anniversary Liturgy on September 26, 4:00 p.m., St. Francis Cathedral, Metuchen.

Contact Lisa Mary Andrade (732) 562-1990, ext. 1634, or via e-mail at landrade@diometuchen.org for more information.