



Our Lady of Victories Church

2217 J.F. Kennedy Boulevard, Jersey City, New Jersey 07304

Established 1917

March 29, 2026

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

SERVED BY:

Pastor	Rev. Ralph D. Siendo
Administrative Assistant	Ritz G. Densing
Director of CCD	Gilda Salvo
Digital Catechist	Richard Punzalan
Music Director	Shanice Aquino
Parish Trustees	Rosemary Callaghan Feliciano Lim
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY-FRIDAY
9:00 AM—3:00 PM

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WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US IN OUR EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

THE LORD'S DAY:

Saturday (Vigil)	5:00 PM
Sunday	8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon
Weekdays	8:30 AM AND 6:30 PM
Saturday	8:30 AM

WEEKLY DEVOTIONS:

Our Lady of Miraculous Medal Novena

Mondays - after the 8:30 AM and 6:30 PM Mass

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

Wednesdays - 6:00 PM (before the 6:30 PM Mass)

HOLY HOUR WILL RESUME ON APRIL 10TH.

Please join us in the Stations of the Cross
at 5:30PM before the 6:30PM Mass
on Fridays during Lent.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:30 - 5:00 PM or by appointment

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD):

For CCD information, please contact Gilda Salvo at ccd@olvjc.org or visit our parish website <https://www.olvjc.org/evangelization>

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (O.C.I.A.)

For adults who are not baptized and wish to become members of the Catholic church, or Christians baptized into a non-Catholic church who wish to become a Catholic, or adult Catholics baptized as infants but have not received Communion and/or Confirmation. Please call the Parish Office or email Fr. Ralph at pastor@olvjc.org for more information.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Regular Baptisms are held every **first & third Sundays** of the month after the 12 Noon Mass. **There are no Baptisms during Lent.** Please stop by the Parish Office for Baptism Registration or call the Parish Office. Godparents must be Catholic and have received Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. Visit our website <https://www.olvjc.org/baptism>

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Couples must make arrangements with a priest at least one year before the planned wedding date. Please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING FOR THE SICK:

Please call the Parish Office to request for a priest.

COMMUNION FOR THE HOMEBOUND:

Email us at: contactus@olvjc.org or call the Parish Office at 201-433-4152

OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

**Our Lady of Victories Roman Catholic Parish is a community of the faithful,
committed to celebrating and communicating the spirit of Jesus,
not only by our words, but also by our actions.**

**Together, we will strive to continue Christ's mission:
to teach, to bless, to heal, and to reconcile one another to the Father through the power of the Holy Spirit.**

Mass Intentions For The Week

Please pardon us for any omissions or misspelling

SATURDAY - March 28 (Sunday Vigil)

- ◆ 5:00 PM Jeffrey & Cherry Panganiban (25th Wedding Anniversary)

SUNDAY - March 29 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Virginia Cesario (Death Anniversary)
- ◆ 10:00 AM † Bayani Villaver, Sr (2nd Death Anniversary)
Andre Alejandro Viola (For Healing)
- ◆ 12:00 NN Black Nazarene Devotees



MONDAY - March 30

- ◆ 8:30 AM † For the Departed Relatives of Ramos Family
- ◆ 6:30 PM † Gregorio and Leonor Aguirre

TUESDAY - March 31

- ◆ 8:30 AM † Joseph Fajardo
- ◆ 6:30 PM † Peter Burke

WEDNESDAY - April 1

- ◆ 8:30 AM † Joseph Jude Skrocki (1st Anniversary in Heaven)
† Lorna Marasigan (1st Death Anniversary)
- ◆ 6:30 PM Tenebrae

THURSDAY - April 2 Holy Thursday

- ◆ 7:00 PM Mass of The Lord's Supper

FRIDAY - April 3 Good Friday

- ◆ 3:00 PM Liturgy of The Lord's Passion
- ◆ 6:30 PM Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY - April 4 Easter Vigil

- ◆ 8:30 PM For the People of the Parish

SUNDAY - April 5 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of The Lord

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Emilio N. Borillo
- ◆ 10:00 AM † Danilo Cahanap (Birthday in Heaven)
- ◆ 12:00 NN Luke Cantos (Birthday Blessings)

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed from Thursday, April 2nd, until Monday, April 5th. Regular office hours will resume on Tuesday, April 6th.



Mar 29: Palm Sunday, 12NN Mass, OLV Church
Apr 2: Offering of Rice Bowl @7PM Mass, Church
Apr 4: Easter Vigil Mass at 8:30PM, OLV Church

Please visit our website at <https://www.olvjc.org/evangelization> for more information and updates.

FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS:

Anonymous Donation - \$100.00



SANCTUARY CANDLE:



In Memory of our brother
Joseph Jude Skrocki
(1st Anniversary in Heaven)

Love & miss you, Terry & Tony Skrocki

Let us remember all those who have asked for our prayers especially the sick and suffering of our parish.



Karen & James McCaig, Louis Pavlichko, Mateo Vitale, Kim Vitale, Loretta Busniak, Raul Tan, Robert B., May Gonzales, Susan Gonzalo, Tess Perez, Jose Veloso, Grace Collelo, Rowena Linga, Loretta Kallighan, Mary Ann McGrath, Josef Mendiola, L.D., Michael Loretto, Margaret Romano, C.Balbin, Travis Lorenzo, Lord Rheo Matias, Mario Jaranilla, Sr. Carol Marie, Felimon Bagares, Jr., Rubenstein Joseph, Ray Agcaoili, Louis Redondo, Necita Racelis, Joan Scerbo, Fr. Victor Paloma, Jeanette Tait, Dr. Emma Mangosing, Dia Domaoan, Artis Santos, Verna Obanon, Rowena Yaptangco, Diwata Villanueva, Rodrigo Tapales, Diane Fleming, William Perez, Angelica Roa Pascual, Felina Gutierrez Ilaga, Milagros Rustia, Sheila Pormentilla, Helen O'Connor, Chico Ramchal, Imelda Macalindong, Hernani and Araceli Blancaflor, Aurora Garcia, Lourdes David, Alma Gomez, Rose Ann Lampasi, Riza Sotto, Greg De Guzman

Please note that only family members can request the names of their sick loved ones be published in the Bulletin.

Our Weekly Collection

Sunday Collection 3/22/26 \$4,997.00

Black & Indian Missions Collection \$196.00
Our Mother of Perpetual Help 3/18 & 3/25 \$401.00

The survival of a parish relies on the generosity of its parishioners' time, talents and treasures. Without such generosity, we, as a parish church, could not function. The good Lord rewards you for your generosity and sacrifice. Thank you to those who faithfully use their envelopes in church, and those who catch up by sending in their donations each week through the mail or dropping them off in the Rectory. We are also very grateful to our ministries who keep the people of our parish actively involved. And lastly, thank you to our selfless volunteers who always assist us in every way they can. OLV Parish is truly blessed.

"Offer right sacrifices and put your trust in the Lord"—Psalm 45



All are invited and encouraged to attend the
 Chrism Mass on Monday, March 30, at 8PM,
 at the Cathedral Basilica of the
 Sacred Heart in Newark.

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HOLY WEEK

Holy Wednesday – April 1, 2026
6:30 PM – Tenebrae (Prayer Service)
[No Mass; Confessions After Tenebrae]



EASTER TRIDUUM

Holy Thursday – April 2, 2026
7:00 PM – Mass of The Lord’s Supper
[Solemn Adoration before the tabernacle containing
the Blessed Sacrament continues until midnight]
12:00 MN – Church Closes

Good Friday – April 3, 2026
3:00 PM – Liturgy of The Lord’s Passion
6:30 PM – Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday – April 4, 2026
8:30 PM – Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday – April 5, 2026
8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00NN Mass

Participants for the Washing of the Feet

<i>Pedro Razon</i>	<i>Chris Agcaoili</i>
<i>Dennis Cruz</i>	<i>Vangie Ramos</i>
<i>Felix Villanueva</i>	<i>John Hoang Van</i>
<i>Edgardo Ebreo</i>	<i>Robert Rodriguez</i>
<i>Demetria Cornelio</i>	<i>Jolan Navarro</i>
<i>Chico Ramchal</i>	<i>Bill O’Dea</i>
	<i>Phil Kenny</i>

Presentation of Holy Oils

Feliciano Lim *Jennifer Villaver* *Israel Egziabher*

PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

Friday, April 3, 2026

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land, where they are now less than 2% of the population. Your support is essential to help the Church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity including in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, to name only a few.

The pandemic had hit Christians in the Holy Land particularly hard. Most of them depend on pilgrimages for work. The war and now the Iranian conflict have made their situation even more dire. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection is necessary to meet the basic needs of the People of God still living in this Land and to maintain a Christian presence where the Church was born.

When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. PLEASE BE GENEROUS! For more information about Christians in the Holy land, visit www.myfranciscan.org or www.custodia.org

The Sacred Paschal Triduum

Christians observe Easter on the first Sunday after the first full moon that follows the vernal equinox. For Christians, Easter is the anniversary of the creation of the world.

Did you know that the full moon rises just as the sun sets? And that it sets when the sun rises? On the night of a full moon there is no moment of the night when the moon isn’t shining. Christians think that this phenomenon makes a wonderful image of heaven’s perpetual light. Easter is our sacramental entrance into the light of Christ, the light of eternity.

The Sacred Paschal Triduum, the three-day Passover of the Lord, is our Easter festival. It begins on Holy Thursday at sunset. We count the days in the Jewish manner, from sunset to sunset. In this way the Triduum begins on the biblical “sixth day of the week,” the day God created human beings. Its middle day is the “seventh day of the week,” the Sabbath, the day of rest. And its final day is the “first day of the week,” the day God began the work of creation by creating light and separating it from darkness. God the Father chose a “first day” to raise his Son from the dead. God the Spirit gave birth to the Church on a “first day” as well, the day of Pentecost.

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This Week at OLV

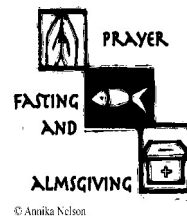
WHEN	WHAT	WHERE
Apr 1	6:30pm Tenebrae	Church
Apr 2	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	
	7:00pm Mass of the Lord’s Supper	Church
Apr 3	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	
	3:00pm Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion	Church
	6:30pm Stations of the Cross	Church
Apr 4	10:00am Altar Servers practice	Church
	8:30pm Easter Vigil Mass	Church

The Three Lenten Disciplines: Almsgiving

In addition to prayer and fasting, Lent gives us the chance to give alms to those who are most needy. By helping others, we practice charity and social justice. We look to carry our own cross and help others carry theirs as well. In other words, we practice the same generosity as God, who makes the rain to fall on the good and on the bad and loves people without distinction. To help others is to confront the poverty of this world with the hope of the kingdom of God.

Charity is a Christian virtue because Jesus is the best example of what charity is. Charity is more than giving alms; it is love and justice. It is complying with the commandment to love one another in a world where most people are poor and abandoned. To be charitable is to give to the needy what they need from our time, talent, and treasure; it is to work for social changes that promote human dignity and the economic wellbeing of all. Charity is love and God is love. May we live in that love.

—Friar Gilberto Cavazos-González, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.



EMs and Lectors for Holy Week and Easter Sunday

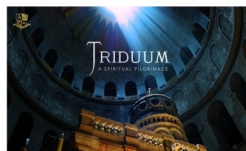
	Tenebrae	Holy Thursday	Good Friday		Easter Vigil
Minister/Date	Wed 6:30 PM 4/1/2026	7:00 PM 4/2/2026	3 PM 4/3/2026	6:30 PM 4/3/2026	Saturday, 8:30 PM 4/4/2026
Lector 1	Ritz Densing	Fel Lim	Purita Legazpi-voice	Edna Falconer Thompson	Alma Redondo
Lector 2	Dorothy Tillano	Mila Umil	Gigi Rapadas-narrator	Rosemary Callaghan	Edna Falconer Thompson
Lector 3	Cora Herrera				Rosemary Callaghan
Lector 4	Dionisia Perez				Raul Navarro
Lector 5	Cathy Mariano				
Lector 6	Aurora Garcia				
Lector 7	Marilyn De Guzman				
EM 1		Armie Samson	Maria Ana Suarez		Tessie Llenera
EM 2		Juliet De los Reyes	Lina Bustamante		Gina Agcailli
EM 3		Raul Navarro	Jimmy Bustamante		Tess Ong
Overseer		Gigi Rapadas	Tess Alvarez		Gigi Rapadas



Easter Sunday			
Minister/Date	Sun, Apr 5, 8:00 AM	Sun, Apr 5, 10:00 AM	Sun, Apr 5, 12:00 PM
Lector1	Betty Buenviaje	Rosemary Callaghan	Aurora Garcia
Lector2	Jimmy Buenviaje	Edna Falconer-Thompson	Tess Serrano
EM	Evelyn Tropel	Emeterio Rodriguez	Jimmy Bustamante
EM	Julieta De Los Reyes	Fel Lim	Lina Bustamante
EM	Tessie Santos	Tess Ong	Armie Samson
Usher1/Overseer	Marilyn De Guzman	Alma Redondo	Tess Alvarez



This Week on Formed Week of March 29, 2026



Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage

Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage cinematically walks through the locations of the Holy Week story, representing the most important days of human history. Immersed in the Holy Land, the pilgrim is brought tangibly nearer to the story, the landscape, and the reality of the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus Christ.



The Last Days: The Passion and Death of Jesus the Christ w/ Jonathan Roumie

This filmed presentation of the theatrical production movingly recreates the final moments of Jesus' earthly ministry as a teacher through His crucifixion and death. The play has been seen by thousands worldwide, not only as a live performance but also in live streams and televised broadcasts.



Understanding Palm Sunday

Focusing on the Biblical account of Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. Ben Akers break open the meaning of why Jesus rode on a donkey, the significance of the palm branches and the singing of Hosanna, and how this event launched Holy Week and the redemption of the world.

Our parish has a Formed subscription.
Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.

An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE

Your parish is your spiritual home. To register as a parishioner of Our Lady of Victories Church, simply fill out the form and drop it in the offertory basket or stop by the Parish Office.

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____

Thank You!!!

For your generous donations to our parish:

The Lord's Flock Charismatic Group \$400.00

OLV Parish is very grateful for your generosity!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11
 Tuesday: Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
 Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25
 Thursday: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15
 Friday: Is 52:13—53:12; Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9; Jn 18:1-19
 Saturday: Easter Vigil: Gn 1:1-2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a; Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ex 14:15-15:1; Is 54:5-14; Is 55:1-11; Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Rom 6:3-11; Mt 28:1-10
 Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10

Report Financial Misconduct Confidentially

If you suspect financial misconduct, use EthicsPoint, an independent and confidential reporting tool that helps the Archdiocesan community address issues and promote positive parish, school, and workplace environments. Visit www.rcan.org for the hotline and reporting link.

Report Sexual Misconduct Confidentially

The Archdiocese of Newark takes all allegations of sexual misconduct by clergy, religious, and lay staff seriously. We encourage anyone with knowledge of such acts to contact us so we can take appropriate steps to protect others and support victims of sexual abuse. Please call the Coordinator for the Office of Accompaniment in the Archdiocesan Department for the Protection of the Faithful at 201-407-3256 or visit www.rcan.org/protection-of-the-faithful for more information.

The Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service receives reports of sexual abuse or misconduct by bishops and forwards them for investigation. To report abuse, visit www.reportbishopabuse.org or call 800-276-1562.