Our Lady of Victories Church

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

Established 1917

October 25, 2026 — *Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

SERVED BY:

Pastor	Rev. Ralph D. Siendo
Administrative Assistant	Ritz G. Densing
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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 EUCHARISTIC 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 EVERY FRIDAY at 5:30PM.
Exposition, Silent Adoration, No Benediction, Reposition, and Mass.

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. Classes on **second & fourth Saturdays** of the month, from 2:30-3:30PM. 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 - October 24 (Sunday Vigil)

- **5:00 PM** ┼ Bernardino Orque (Birthday in Heaven)

SUNDAY - October 25 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- **8:00 AM** For the Intentions of Cora Herrera
  ┼ Armanda Canlubo (Death Anniversary)
- **10:00 AM** Black Nazarene Devotees
  ┼ Reynaldo S. Concepcion (Death Anniversary)
- **12:00 NN** ┼ Erline Llamas
  In Thanksgiving—Maria (Kit) Balbin

MONDAY - October 26

- **8:30 AM** ┼ Mary Elizabeth Gilbert
  ┼ Awilda Diaz
- **6:30 PM** ┼ Damienne Coly (Death Anniversary)
  Teodoro Elorde (Birthday Blessings)

TUESDAY - October 27

- **8:30 AM** Victoria Villa (Birthday Blessings)
- **6:30 PM** ┼ Rev. Campion Langan. OFM Conv.

WEDNESDAY - October 28 Saints Simon and Jude

- **8:30 AM** Christopher C. Delos Reyes (Bday Blessings)
- **6:30 PM** Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotees
  In Thanksgiving—Solano Family

THURSDAY - October 29

- **8:30 AM** ┼ Rita Langan
- **6:30 PM** ┼ Blanche Malong
  ┼ Jovito Pacis, Sr (40th Day)

FRIDAY - October 30

- **8:30 AM** ┼ Margaret Long (Death Anniversary)
  ┼ Leonard Macapagal (Death Anniversary)
- **6:30 PM** ┼ Alfredo Dela Rosa
  Leona Ramos Montero (Birthday Blessings)

SATURDAY - October 31

- **8:30 AM** Cecile Tropel (Birthday Blessings)

SATURDAY - October 31 (Sunday Vigil)

- **5:00 PM** ┼ Ernesto Olayres (Birthday in Heaven)
  In Thanksgiving—Bryan Anthony Sabanpan

SUNDAY - November 1 All Saints Day

- **8:00 AM** ┼ Maximina Brucal (Death Anniversary)
  ┼ Marietta Canlubo (Birthday in Heaven)
- **10:00 AM** ┼ For the Poor Souls in Purgatory
  ┼ Alfredo Sulla, Jr.
- **12:00 NN** ┼ Deceased Members of Rivadelo-Orque Families
  ┼ Anacleto Signo



FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS:

Anonymous Donation - $50.00
Anonymous Donation - $100.00

SANCTUARY CANDLE:

In Memory of Delia Faustino
From Ss Peter & Paul Prayer Group





WINE & HOSTS:

In Memory of Delia Faustino
From Ss Peter & Paul Prayer Group

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



Karen & James McCaig, Mateo Vitale, Kim Vitale, Loretta Busniak, Raul Tan, Robert B., May Gonzales, Susan Gonzalo, Tess Perez, Jose Veloso, Grace Collelo, Rowena Linga, Mary Ann McGrath, C.Balbin, Michael Loretti, Josef Mendiola, L.D., Margaret Romano, Travis Lorenzo, Lord Rheo Matias, Mario Jaranilla, Joan Scerbo, Sr. Carol Marie, Felimon Bagares, Jr., Rubenstein Joseph, Ray Agcaoili, Louis Redondo, Necita Racelis, Fr. Victor Paloma, Dia Domaoan, Jeanette Tait, Artis Santos, Verna Obanon, Rowena Yaptangco, Dr. Emma Mangosing, Diwata Villanueva, Rodrigo Tapales, Diane Fleming, William Perez, 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, Michael Perez, Venice Angela Genova Salvador

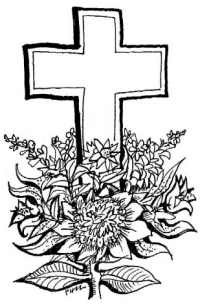
*****Please note that only family members can request the names of their sick loved ones be published in the Bulletin.*****

Our Weekly Collection

Sunday Collection 10/18/26 $4,612.00
World Mission Sunday Collection $499.00
Our Mother of Perpetual Help 10/14 and 10/21 $127.00

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.

Give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you it will be measured back to you. — Luke 6:38



All Souls Day Mass of Remembrance
November 2, 2026
6:30 PM

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord
And may Your perpetual light shine upon them.
May their souls and the souls of all faithfully departed rest in peace, Amen.

Patricia Baber
Patricia Dunphy
Helen L. McKenna
Fiorello C. Salvo
Ravilynne C. Sanga
Dante B. Corpuz
Renato Jimenez
Ralph Naranjo, Jr.
Pedrito Sanchez
Maxine Sullivan

To enroll your deceased loved ones, please use the All Souls envelopes in your packet or at the vestibules and drop them in the Offertory basket. These will be placed on the altar and will be prayed for during the month of November. The offerings received for All Souls Day will be distributed to the priests who will offer prayers for the intentions of the loved ones for whom the offerings have been made.



Daylight Savings Time ends
November 1st!!!
Don't forget to turn back the clock one hour.







Workshop for Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist (EMs) will be on Saturday, November 7th in Newark.

Workshop for Lectors will be on Saturday, November 14th in Newark.

Registration at the Parish Office is required!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Eph 4:32—5:8; Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday:	Eph 5:21-33; Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday:	Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16
Thursday:	Eph 6:10-20; Lk 13:31-35
Friday:	Phil 1:1-11; Lk 14:1-6
Saturday:	Phil 1:18b-26; Lk 14:1, 7-11
Sunday:	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a



Oct. 25: 12:00NN Confirmation Mass, OLV Church

2026 Confirmandi
John Avery N. Abelardo
Marcella Gabrielle L. Ebreo
Jan Kedric B. Florendo
Aadrian Vince Herminigildo
Jacob H. Oliver
Richard Gabriel G. Punzalan



Come, Spirit of Wisdom

Oct. 31: Parade of Saints @ 5PM Mass, OLV Church
Nov. 8: In Person Instruction, OLV Bldg.

Visit our website at **https://www.olvjc.org/evangelization** or call the parish office for more information and updates.

This Week at OLV

WHEN	WHAT	WHERE
Oct 26	*7:00pm Ss Peter & Paul Bible Study*	*Rectory*
Oct 31	*5:00pm Parade of Saints @ 5PM Mass*	*Church*
Nov 1	*DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS*	
	1:00pm El Shaddai Charismatic Group	*Church Bsmt*

Prayer for the Week

Loving God, you have caused us to see human pain and injustice in these people at risk in our society.
While we pass them by each day, today you give us eyes to see their plight and ears to hear their cry.
Strengthen us to act on their behalf,
bringing them a glimpse of your love,
by loving them in some small way.
Spirit of God, fill us with the compassion and tenderness needed to love these, our neighbors and our selves,
in order that love for God might consume us, Amen.

Attention families of 8th grade students planning to attend Catholic High School in Fall 2027!

The High School Placement Test (HSPT) administered as part of the Cooperative Admissions Program for Catholic High Schools in the Archdiocese of Newark will be given on Friday, November 6, 2026. Registration information for the HSPT exam is online at www.njcoopexam.org.

The deadline to register for the Cooperative Admissions HSPT is October 23, 2026. For more information about the Cooperative Admissions Program, go to https://www.catholicschoolsnj.org/hs-admissions.

EMs and Lectors for OCT 31 & NOV 1, 2026

All Saints Day				
Minister/Date	Sat, October 31, 5:00 PM	Sun, November 1, 8:00 AM	Sun, November 1, 10:00 AM	Sun, November 1, 12:00 PM
Lector1	Purita Legazpi	Jennifer Hernandez	Rosemary Callaghan	Aurora Garcia
Lector2	Teresa Alejaga	Betty Buenviaje	Edna Falconer-Thompson	Tess Serrano
EM	Marline Julmice	Evelyn Tropel	Emeterio Rodriguez	Jimmy Bustamante
EM	Purita Legazpi	Julieta De Los Reyes	Fel Lim	Lina Bustamante
EM	Carino Perez	Tessie Santos	Tess Ong	Armie Samson
Usher1/Overseer	Mila Roguel	Marilyn De Guzman	Alma Redondo	Tess Alvarez

The Office of Mayor James Solomon and the Resident Response Center Host:

Senior Freeze, ANCHOR, & Stay NJ Application Session

Join us and get one-on-one assistance!



We will call attendees to verify eligibility

Wed. October 28

5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Our Lady of Victories Church
2217 JFK Blvd.

Please Bring:

- Proof of age or disability
- Recent property tax bills
- Income documentation
- Social Security information
- Prior applications or determination letters.

To register, scan QR code or visit: jcnj.org/SF1028

Questions? Call (201) 547-4900

THE MERCY HOUSE

DONATE TO OUR

WINTER COAT & CANDY GIVEAWAY



Please consider donating **new** and **gently used** coats and other winter items, as well as candy, for children and adults in our community.

Coats | Scarves | Gloves | Hats | Candy

Our giveaways will take place on

Oct. 26	Oct. 27	Oct. 28
Jersey City	Newark	Elizabeth

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Safe Environment Corner

The USCCB is renewing its National Catholic Mental Health Campaign this October, encouraging all to eliminate stigmas around mental illness and help those who struggle with it. Parishes are encouraged to support awareness, prayer and local engagement around mental health.

You can find information and resources at https://usccb.org/mental-health-sunday

Anyone with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct is asked to inform us so that we may take appropriate action to protect others and to provide support to victims of sexual abuse. Call the Coordinator for the Office of Accompaniment in the Archdiocesan Department for the Protection of the Faithful at 201-407-3256.

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This Week on Formed

Week of October 25, 2026



What Catholics Believe About Halloween

Is Halloween really a pagan holiday—or is it deeply Christian? In this episode of What Catholics Believe, Dr. Ben Akers explains the Catholic roots of Halloween, its connection to All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day, and how Catholics can celebrate it faithfully. Discover the history of trick-or-treating, the dangers of the occult, the meaning behind costumes, and even the Catholic perspective on vampires and zombies.



Eternal Rest

We all have very real questions about death. What happens when we die? What does Scripture teach about death? How do we prepare for the life to come? Explore the mystery of death, dying, and everlasting life through Eternal Rest, a new offering of the Augustine Institute.



Who is St. Jude? | Catholic Saints

Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. James Prothro discuss this lesser-known apostle St. Jude.

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An offering from the Augustine Institute



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DECEASED CLERGY MASS

Join us for the Annual Mass for the Deceased Archbishops, Bishops, Priests, and Deacons of the Archdiocese of Newark.

Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R. Archbishop of Newark, will be the principal Celebrant.

Date: Tuesday, October 27, 2026, 3pm.

Location: The Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart, 89 Ridge Street, Newark, NJ.



Catholic Cemeteries
A Ministry of the Archdiocese of Newark