



Our Lady of Victories Church

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

Established 1917

September 13, 2026

Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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
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Finance Chairperson	Edna Falconer Thompson

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 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 - September 12 (Sunday Vigil)

- ♦ 5:00 PM + Gilberto Rodriguez
- + Aida & Eric Reyes

SUNDAY - September 13 Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- ♦ 8:00 AM + Rebecca Baruc
- ♦ 10:00 AM + Mark Robert Johnson (Death Anniversary)
- ♦ 12:00 NN + Elijah Balbin Mallari
- + Julita Dairo

MONDAY - September 14 The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

- ♦ 8:30 AM + Rowena Silaran (Birthday in Heaven)
- + Marilou Offemaria
- ♦ 6:30 PM + Jenny Birardi (Birthday in Heaven)
- + Simeon & Medina Servida

TUESDAY - September 15 Our Lady of Sorrows

- ♦ 8:30 AM + Gloria Timbal (Birthday in Heaven)
- ♦ 6:30 PM + Maria Ligaya Buencamino (Death Anniv.)
- + Dave Herman

WEDNESDAY - September 16 Ss Cornelius & Cyprian

- ♦ 8:30 AM + Adrienne Zacche (7th Death Anniversary)
- ♦ 6:30 PM Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotees
- + Robert Horan (109th Birthday in Heaven)

THURSDAY - September 17 St Robert Bellarmine, St Hildegard of Bingen

- ♦ 8:30 AM + Giselline Parungao
- ♦ 6:30 PM + Daniel Langan

FRIDAY - September 18

- ♦ 8:30 AM + Elvira & Jaime Camaya
- ♦ 6:30 PM Divine Mercy Devotees

SATURDAY - September 19 St Januarius

- ♦ 8:30 AM In Thanksgiving—Penetrante Family

SATURDAY - September 19 (Sunday Vigil)

- ♦ 5:00 PM + Eduardo B. Gonzalez

SUNDAY - September 20 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- ♦ 8:00 AM + Rosalia Fortaleza
- ♦ 10:00 AM + Khory M. Suarez (Death Anniversary)
- ♦ 12:00 NN + Isagani Reyes



Congratulations to the Family of:
Zaveah Wade

"May God pour out His blessings on you every day as you walk in His abundance and live in His love."

SANCTUARY CANDLE:

In Memory of Adrienne Zacche
(7th Death Anniversary)
From Anthony Zacche



WINE & HOSTS:



In Memory of
Pat & Elizabeth DeFalco
(Wedding Anniversary)
From sister Rosemary & Family

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 Loretto, 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 Yaptango, 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, Ria Charlene Punzalan

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 9/6/26 \$3,867.00

Catholic University of America \$594.00

Our Mother of Perpetual Help 9/2 & 9/9 \$153.00

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.

Thank You!!!!

For your generous donations to our parish:

First Friday Eucharistic Adorers \$100.00

St. John's Prayer Group \$75.00

El Shaddai Charismatic Group \$400.00

OLV Parish is very grateful for your generosity!

**An Excerpt from the
MESSAGE FROM HIS HOLINESS LEO XIV
FOR THE SIXTH WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY
I will never forget you (Is 49:15)**

Dear brothers and sisters,

Through the prophet Isaiah, the Lord promises that he will never forget any of us. He assures us that he has engraved our faces on the palms of his hands (cf. *Is 49:16*) and that his love is greater than a mother's love for her child (cf. *Is 49:15*). The prophet gives us a glimpse of an intimate and intense dialogue in which God addresses, in familiar terms, each person individually and the people as a whole. Even today, we can read these words as referring to each of us, and everyone can hear that "I will never forget you" spoken directly to them.

God's love, which forgets no one, offers itself as an act of justice and a response to the anonymity in which human life all too often ends up lost. The lives of many elderly people, in particular, seem to be covered by a veil that blurs the features of their faces and shrouds them in oblivion. This is what happens in homes where loneliness reigns and also in those care facilities where each person's uniqueness risks being reduced to a bed number or an illness.

The celebration of the World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly is an opportunity to rediscover that the Church is called to be a mother to all and that at any age it is always possible to recognize ourselves as sons and daughters of God. May this day, therefore, be an inspiration for everyone, especially the young, to revive the beautiful custom of visiting their grandparents, the elderly members of the family and even those who have no one to visit them. Bring them, through this message and your presence, the closeness and affection of the Pope. Ensure that the words of the prophet, "But I will never forget you," take the form of a tender and affectionate encounter. "In an era that favors speed and fragmentation, the human person still yearns to receive care and recognition from attentive minds, kind words and hands capable of tenderness. The digital culture multiplies connections and offers new opportunities for interaction; yet, the human heart retains an irrevocable need for genuine closeness" (Encyclical Letter, *Magnifica Humanitas*, 239).

Dear elderly brothers and sisters, I thank you for supporting me every day with your prayers, especially when you recite the Holy Rosary. I return this gratitude from the bottom of my heart and leave you with this prayer: may the Lord always renew us in faith, hope and love — He who never forgets us!

From the Vatican, 15 June 2026

LEO PP. XIV



MISSING THE POINT

"You missed the point," we might be tempted to shout at the servant in today's Gospel. His master had just forgiven a huge debt when he cried for mercy, and yet, when given the opportunity to show mercy himself, he instead acted violently and with retribution toward a fellow servant. Certainly, he had missed the point of his master's merciful actions toward him, and suffered the consequences as a result. He missed the point. He is not alone, however. We all "miss the point" sometimes—we miss the point of God's enduring covenant of love, and miss the mark in our call to live as though we are the Lord's, for this is who we are. God's love is always about what is just and right. As God's people, we are to live and die for the Lord, forgive even when it doesn't make sense to do so, and leave the rest in God's hands.

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Registration for the 2026-2027 Religious Education class has started. If you have not registered, enrollment will take place this weekend after all masses. Please provide an email address for the parent AND the child. Visit our website at <https://www.olvjc.org/evangelization> for call the parish office for more information and updates.

This Week at OLV

WHEN	WHAT	WHERE
Sept 14 7:30pm	Ss Peter & Paul Mass	Church
7:15pm	OL Peñafrancia Novena	Church
Sept 15 7:15pm	OL Peñafrancia Novena	Church
Sept 16 7:15pm	OL Peñafrancia Novena	Church
Sept 17 7:15pm	OL Peñafrancia Novena	Church
Sept 18 7:15pm	OL Peñafrancia Novena	Church
Sept 19 12:00nn	OL Peñafrancia Feast	Church

**"I give you a new commandment, says the Lord;
love one another as I have loved you." — John 13:34**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Nm 21:4b-9; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
Tuesday:	1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Wednesday:	1 Cor 12:31—13:13; Lk 7:31-35
Thursday:	1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 7:36-50
Friday:	1 Cor 15:12-20; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday:	1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday:	Is 55:6-9; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

EMs and Lectors for SEP 19-20, 2026

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time				
Minister/Date	Sat, Sep 19, 5:00 PM	Sun, Sep 20, 8:00 AM	Sun, Sep 20, 10:00 PM	Sun, Sep 20, 12:00 PM
Lector1	Purita Legazpi	Nueva Elma	Ritz Densing	Marilyn De Guzman
Lector2	Teresa Alejaga	Dorothy Tillano	Rosemary Callaghan	Cora Herrera
EM	Marline Julmice	Julietta De Los Reyes	Tess Ong	Tess Alvarez
EM	Carino Perez	Tessie Santos	Emeterio Rodriguez	Lea Luis
EM	Mario Medinacelli	Evelyn Tropel	Fel Lim	Maria Ana Suarez
Usher1/Overseer	Mila Roguel	Vicky Bugarin	Alma Redondo	Gina Agcaoili

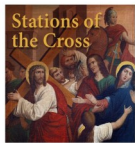
This Week on Formed

Week of September 13, 2026



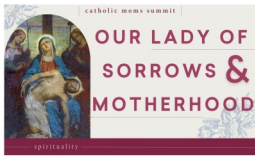
The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Seven Sorrows of Mary is a traditional Catholic devotion featuring meditations on sorrowful episodes in the life of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Join us in prayer as we celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Sorrows.



Stations of the Cross by Saint Alphonsus Liguori

The Augustine Institute presents a beautiful meditation on the Stations of the Cross by Saint Alphonsus Liguori, narrated by Dr. Christopher Blum. This prayerful reflection is accompanied by the Schola Cantorum, chanting the traditional Catholic hymn Stabat Mater to aid your prayer.



Our Lady of Sorrows and the Power of Prayer

Discover the value of redemptive motherhood by tuning in to Anna Mitchell, co-host of EWTN's "The Son Rise Morning Show." Anna shares the story of her five-year-old's serious illness along with the miraculous intercession of a fourth-century martyr.

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Feast of Our Lady of Peñafrancia

Schedule of Novena

Fellowship follows at the Church Basement

September 11, Friday	7:15 PM	Rev. Dennis Surban
September 12, Saturday	7:15 PM	Rev. Edgardo Jocson
September 13, Sunday	5:00 PM	Rev. Chris Panlilio
September 14, Monday	7:15 PM	Rev. Joseph Marabe
September 15, Tuesday	7:15 PM	Rev. Chris Panlilio
September 16, Wednesday	7:15 PM	Rev. Joseph Marabe
September 17, Thursday	7:15 PM	Rev. Philip Alindogan
September 18, Friday	7:15 PM	Rev. Doroteo Layosa
September 19, Saturday	12:00 NN	Rev. Ralph Siendo

Agape meal will follow the Fiesta Celebration
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Archdiocese of Newark

MOST REV. EFREN ESMILLA, D.D.
Auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia
Main Celebrant and Homilist

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.

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