



Our Lady of Victories Church

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

Established 1917

February 1, 2026

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
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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 EVERY FRIDAY at 6:00 PM

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. 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 - January 31 (Sunday Vigil)

- ◆ 5:00 PM † Renato Velasco
† Pedrito Sanchez (40th Day in Heaven)

SUNDAY - February 1 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Magdangal Elma
- ◆ 10:00 AM † Dolores Feliciano
- ◆ 12:00 NN Catherine Manibo (Birthday Blessings)

MONDAY - February 2 The Presentation of The Lord

- ◆ 8:30 AM † Rolando Evangelista
- ◆ 6:30 PM † Monthly Mass Intentions

TUESDAY - February 3 St Blaise; St Angar

- ◆ 8:30 AM † Ravilynne Cantos Saña
- ◆ 6:30 PM † Florentino F. Chanco, Jr. (40th Day)

WEDNESDAY - February 4

- ◆ 8:30 AM † Andrea Medina (Birthday in Heaven)
- ◆ 6:30 PM Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotees

THURSDAY - February 5 St Agatha

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Alvaro Esaliza (Birthday in Heaven)
- ◆ 6:30 PM † Oscar, Raul & Rene Evangelista

FRIDAY - February 6 St Paul Miki and Companions

- ◆ 8:30 AM † Adela Gonzalez
- ◆ 6:30 PM † Margaret Schaeztle (15th Death Anniversary)

SATURDAY - February 7

- ◆ 8:30 AM Our Lady of Peñafrancia Devotees

SATURDAY - February 7 (Sunday Vigil)

- ◆ 5:00 PM † Romualdo Nicdao (Birthday in Heaven)

SUNDAY - February 8 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- ◆ 8:00 AM † Medardo Elma (Birthday in Heaven)
† Digna Carmona
- ◆ 10:00 AM † Ravilynne Cantos Saña
- ◆ 12:00 NN † Ravilynne Cantos Saña

Our Monthly Mass Intentions are for:

*Marina Fernandez, Alfonso Veltri, Felixia Uy,
All Souls in Purgatory, John Scanlon, Eliseo B. Cardenas,
Franck & Anna Coly, Emmanuel H. Reyes, Ramon V. Cantos,
Luz D. Camposacrado & Francisco O. Delos Reyes,
Lolita M., Celestina B. & Balbino B. Cardenas Sr.,
Juanito N. & Maria Borillo, Maria & Avelino Chan,
Gerardo Sr & Gertrudes Delos Reyes, Magdangal Elma,
Romeo B., Milagros L., & Romeo L. Cardenas, Jr.,
Jose & Ma. Natividad Cantos, Narciso Merciadez,
Shirley Luis, Myra Zapata-Nazareno, Errol Young, Sr.,
Ravilynne C. Saña*

FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS:

Anonymous Donation - \$100.00



WINE & HOSTS:

**For Catherine Manibo
(Birthday Blessings)
From Mom and Dad**



*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, Josef Mendiola, L.D., Michael Loretto, Margaret Romano, Mary Ann McGrath, 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, Dr. Emma Mangosing, Dia Domaoan, Jeanette Tait, 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, Catalina Sta. Maria, Rose Ann Lampasi.

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 1/25/26 \$1,741.00

Communicating God's Word Collection \$231.00

Our Mother of Perpetual Help 1/28/26 \$252.00

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.



Feb. 1: In Person Instruction, OLV Bldg.

Feb. 8: Remote Learning: God's Park/Woof

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

Candlemas (February 2)

On February 2 we celebrate the Presentation of the Lord. On this day we also commemorate the Purification of Mary, who complied with the Jewish law (Leviticus 12:1). The law indicated that a mother should be purified forty days after giving birth to a boy child. Since the eleventh century the Purification of Mary and the Presentation of the Lord have been celebrated with the blessing of all the candles and candlesticks that are going to be used during the year. This is done with the hope that there will never be a lack of light, either material or spiritual, in the houses of the faithful. The root of the word candlemas is the Latin verb *candere* ("to shine") and from which also come the words candelabra and candlestick. This feast of candles recalls that Christians can, like Simon and the prophetess Anna in the temple, say that they also have seen salvation: Jesus the true Light who shines in the arms of Mary (Luke 2:25-38).

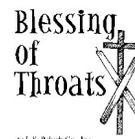
—Friar Gilberto Cavazos-González, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.



The Blessing of Candles will be done at the 8:30AM and 6:30PM masses on Monday, February 2.

People are requested to bring their own candles for blessing.

The Blessing of Throats will be done at the 8:30AM and 6:30PM masses on Tuesday, February 3.



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Archdiocese of Newark Family Life Ministry

We are once again preparing for the annual tradition of honoring couples in our Archdiocese who will be celebrating five, twenty-five, fifty, and sixty+ years of Catholic marriage!

There will be **ONE** anniversary liturgy for all couples from all counties. This liturgy will be celebrated by Cardinal Joseph Tobin on **Sunday, May 3, 2026 at 3 p.m.** at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark.

It is our desire that every couple in the archdiocese celebrating their 5th, 25th, 50th, or 60+ wedding anniversary be present at this special liturgy. The presence of these couples and their families is a beautiful witness to the strength and stability of Christian marriage in today's society. All are welcome!

Please call the Parish Office at 201-4334152 to register before April 1st.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
- Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3; Mk 5:21-43
- Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Mk 6:1-6
- Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; Mk 6:7-13
- Friday: Sir 47:2-11; Mk 6:14-29
- Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Mk 6:30-34
- Sunday: Is 58:7-10; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16

This Week at OLV

WHEN	WHAT	WHERE
Feb 2 7:30pm	Ss Peter & Paul Prayer Grp Mass	Church
Feb 6 7:00pm	First Friday Eucharistic Adorers	Church
7:30pm	St John's Prayer Group	Rectory
6:30pm	Lord's Flock Healing Mass	Church
Feb 7 1:00pm	El Shaddai Charismatic Group	Church Bsmt

Don't miss this Lenten opportunity!!!

Join the Spiritual Renewal Conference sponsored by the Filipino Apostolate of the Archdiocese of Newark (FAAN) with Guest of Honor & Featured Speaker Most Rev. Midyphil Billones, STD, D.D. on Saturday, March 7, 2026, 7:00AM-4:00PM, at St. John the Evangelist Church, Leonia, NJ. \$15 Participation tickets available at OLV Parish Office.

2025 CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS

The record of your financial Church offering for 2025 lists your contributions made through your weekly envelopes. The IRS requires this Record of Contribution to support any deduction you may take for charitable donation/contributions.

If you would like a copy of your 2025 Church Contributions, please complete the form below and drop it in the Offertory Basket or at the Parish Office.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

ENVELOPE NUMBER: _____ TELEPHONE NO. _____

I will pick up my Statement at the Parish Office

Please mail my Statement to my Home Address

Please email my Statement to _____

EMs and Lectors for FEB 7-8, 2026

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time				
Minister/Date	Sat, February 7, 5:00 PM	Sun, February 8, 8:00 AM	Sun, February 8, 10:00 AM	Sun, February 8, 12:00 PM
Lector1	Riza Sotto	Marilyn De Guzman	Fel Lim	Dionisia Perez
Lector2	Raul Navarro	Cora Herrera	Alma Redondo	Gene Marcos
EM	Carino Perez	Evelyn Tropel	Nilda Cua	Gina Agcaoili
EM	Marline Julmice	Vicky Bugarin	Edna Falconer-Thompson	Marjorie Alzate
EM	Mario Medinaceli	Tessie Santos	Emeterio Rodriguez	Kit Balbin
Overseer	Carino Perez	Nueva Elma	Fel Lim	Tess Alvarez



ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK

WORLD YOUTH DAY SOUTH KOREA

"TAKE COURAGE. I HAVE OVERCOME THE WORLD!" (JN 16:33)

JULY 28 - AUGUST 9, 2027

(Tentative travel dates)



Interested?
Scan QR code
to register
for more info.

For more info email
wyd@rcan.org



February 2 is World Day for Consecrated Life.

Respect for Life Prayer

O God, our eyes behold the beauty of your creation,
and our ears catch the sounds of your power.
We hold our lives sacred because they are your gift.
Bring us to greater awareness of the sanctity of human life
and to sorrow for the times we have ignored or offended it.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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This Week on Formed

Week of February 01, 2026



The Presentation

The Presentation is already foreshadowing the Cross. The offering Mary makes at the Presentation in the Temple becomes manifested and reaches its fulfillment at Calvary.



The Martyrs | Littlest Saints

When a young Christian girl is arrested and imprisoned in ancient Rome, she hears stories of martyrs like St. Catherine of Alexandria and St. Lawrence the Deacon—will she find the strength to make the ultimate sacrifice for her faith?



Martyrs and Monastics

Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Dr. Elizabeth Klein, Professor of Theology at the Augustine Institute Graduate School, to discuss her Short Course: Martyrs and Monastics. Who are the early Church martyrs? What fueled their witness to the faith? How did monasticism develop? These questions and more are addressed in this show.

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

An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE

Report Financial Misconduct Confidentially

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

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: _____

ONE BREAD
ONE BODY
ONE PEOPLE



SPIRITUAL RENEWAL CONFERENCE

**SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2026
7:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

**ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK
ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH
470 Broad Ave., Leonia, NJ**



MOST REV. MIDYPHIL BILLONES, STD, D.D.
METROPOLITAN ARCHBISHOP OF JARO
(Iloilo, Philippines)
GUEST OF HONOR & FEATURED SPEAKER

**CHOSEN FOR MORE:
LIVING OUR FAITH WHERE LIFE HAPPENS**

- Talk 1 - Chosen, Called, Sent: Living Our Baptismal Identity and Mission
- Talk 2 - Walking with Christ in the Ordinary: Discipleship as a Way of Everyday Life
- Talk 3 - To Love as He Loves: Christian Life in Family, Work, and Community

LENTEN MEDITATION

THE SEVEN LAST WORDS OF JESUS ON THE CROSS

Featuring Seven (7) Filipino Priests of the Archdiocese of Newark

**Fr. Ralph Siendo * Fr. Juancho de Leon * Fr. Robert Lamirez
Fr. Arlou Buslon * Fr. Alfie Pangilinan * Fr. Dave Sison * Fr. Chris Panlilio**

OPEN TO ALL

The Conference concludes with a EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

\$15.00 participation Fee payable to the Filipino Apostolate of the Archdiocese of Newark
Please bring **PACKED LUNCH**.

Parking is available in the church parking lot and along the street.

For more information: FR. DAVE SISON - 973-489-1047

Priest Coordinator, COMMITTEE ON FAITH & EVANGELIZATION

FR. ALFIE PANGILINAN - 201-201-9937

Priest Coordinator, COMMITTEE ON FILIPINO CATHOLIC ASSOCIATIONS,
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