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Sunday, June 25, 2023 - Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Mass Schedule @ Main Church

Saturday Evening, 5:30 pm

Sunday Morning, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am

*Confessions, Saturday 4:15 - 5:00 pm or
anytime by appointment*

Weekday Morning Mass

Monday - Friday

8:30 am @ MAIN CHURCH

Monday 8:30 am Mass

with Miraculous Medal Novena

Served By:

Rev. James Ferry, Pastor

Rev. James N. Chern, Weekend Assistant

Rev. Robert K. Suszko, Weekend Assistant

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RECTORY/Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Religious Education

Family Catechesis (Grades 1-6)

Mrs. Barbara Camp 973.325.0110

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Religious Education

Sacrament of Confirmation (Grades 7-12)

Mr. Paul Hirsch 973.325.0110

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Religious Education

Administrative Assistant

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Sacrament of Baptism

Celebrated *usually* the first Saturday of the month. Parents are required to meet with Father Jim Ferry. Please call RECTORY.

Sacrament of the Sick

Administered in an emergency at any time. Please call RECTORY when someone is ill or admitted to the hospital.

Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples are asked to make their arrangements one year in advance of their wedding. Please call RECTORY for an appointment with a priest.

First Friday

5:30 pm – 7:30 pm. There is 1st Friday Adoration during the “Fall” months of September, October, November and December and the “Spring” months of March, April, May and June.

Peace and Good Corner Gift Shop

Religious articles, books and cards are available for purchase inside the church before and after all Masses or by appointment. Contact RECTORY.

New Parishioners

Welcome to Our Lady of Lourdes. Please register at RECTORY or call for registration forms.

MISSION STATEMENT *The people of God in West Orange were called by the Holy Spirit in 1914 to form Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, a community centered on Jesus Christ. The Holy Spirit remains with us today as we continue our journey to God. We are inspired by the Gospel of Jesus Christ, nourished by the Eucharist, called to respect life and proclaim our Catholic faith. We serve God by providing spiritual, educational, and social activities for our parish family as well as extending God's love and compassion to serve the greater community.*



Dear Brothers and Sisters of Our Lady of Lourdes,
I hope and pray the summer may be a time of rest and refreshment and peace for you and your family. I share with you this reflection on summertime and our spiritual life.

Tackling the “Summer Problem” by Emma King, 3 June 2015

Source: Ignitum Today Blog Part 2 of 2

When I was in college, I found that those long-awaited, blissful days of summer, however enjoyable, always caused a certain amount of spiritual angst for me. Thrown out of my rhythm established at school, my spiritual life would take a beating during the 3 months I was home and leave me back at square one just in time for my return to school in August. I would then spend 9 months re-instilling those hard fought-for habits and be at my spiritual happy place in time for summer. I’m sure you can guess what happened next. The pattern continued.

The most frustrating part of all of this was that I tried. I went to daily Mass, said rosaries, you name it, but for some reason being away from the infrastructure I had made for myself at school always hurt my spiritual fitness.

With that in mind, here are some thoughts for those college and high-school students struggling without the structure of academia to keep us all honest!

3. Create an Infrastructure

As I said above, the main reason I struggled so during the summer months was that I didn’t have the normal people around to keep me honest and I

didn’t have a routine of spiritual events to go to or keep myself on track with. In short, I lost my infrastructure.

My last summer home, it finally clicked. If structure and accountability buddies are what I need, then make it and find them! Find a friend you can go to Mass with a couple of times a week. Get some of your college buddies to form a Facebook group where you can all post about your spiritual habits, things you’ve tried, new prayers you’ve learned. Make Skype dates with your Catholic besties in college and pray the rosary with them! Set something in stone and you’ll find you’re less likely to fall.

4. Trust God

Finally, relax! Focus your thoughts on God. Periodically throughout the day, just say “Hi, Jesus” or “I love you” to Our Lord. If something happens during your day that makes you smile, laugh, feel good, or makes you happy, say a quick Hail Mary of thanksgiving for that moment. Likewise for those things that may be negative.

In everything, offer Him your concerns and trust that you are His beloved child! He will not abandon, nor forsake you. Make this summer a living loaves and fishes: take to Him what you have and He will bless it abundantly. Let Him know you love Him and you’re trying your best and He will take care of the rest!

(Source: The “Ignitum Today” Blog <https://www.ignitumtoday.com/2015/06/03/tackling-the-summer-problem>)

In Christ’s Peace,
Father Jim Ferry



SATURDAY 24 JUNE

5:30 pm Ann Balzano

SUNDAY 25 JUNE

7:30 am People of the Parish
 9:30 am Deceased Members of the Pflug & Napolitano Families
 11:30 am Robert & Bernice Shiel

MONDAY 26 JUNE

8:30 am Mary Jane Pohero

TUESDAY 27 JUNE

8:30 am Fernandina Lepore
 ★ (101st Birthday) ★

WEDNESDAY 28 JUNE

8:30 am Mell Buoye

THURSDAY 29 JUNE

8:30 am Steve Dolce

FRIDAY 30 JUNE

8:30 am William J. Knight

SATURDAY 1 JULY

5:30 pm Barbara Zinno

SUNDAY 2 JULY

7:30 am People of the Parish
 9:30 am Edward J. Ford, Jr. (16th Ann.)
 11:30 am Mariana Bernadette Mina

<p>SUNDAY 25 JUNE 7:30 am Mass in Church 9:30 am Mass in Church 11:30 am Mass in Church</p>
<p>MONDAY 26 JUNE 8:30 am Daily Mass will be held Monday thru Friday of each week in church. Miraculous Medal Novena following 8:30 am Mass.</p>
<p>THURSDAY 29 JUNE 10:00 am Deadline for News & Announcements for the JULY 9th Bulletin. Call the Rectory at 973-325-0110.</p>
<p>SATURDAY 1 JULY 4:15—5:00 pm Confessions in Church 5:30 pm Mass in Church</p>
<p>SUNDAY 2 JULY 7:30 am Mass in Church 9:00 am Rosary Recitation 9:30 am Mass in Church 11:30 am Mass in Church</p>



This week's Sanctuary Candle, a gift from The Family is in memory of **PHILIP MANZO**.



 JULY 1 - 2, 2023			
Mass	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	
5:30 pm	Joy Hayward	Eileen Reilly (Choir)	
7:30 am	Mary Cassels	Sister James Soon	
9:30 am	Carol Ford	Espie Cain	
11:30 am	Rachelle Brown	Wendy Sheyka	



Michael Ang	Fiona Graham
Katie Becker	Mikaela Moncupa
Msgr. Edward Bradley	Allison Sardinha
Marti Carlos	Pat Schoeler
Joan Clare	Sgt. Michael Williams
Lorelei Gotinga	

If you wish to have a friend or loved one prayed for, please call the Rectory at 973-325-0110.

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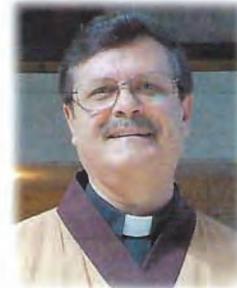
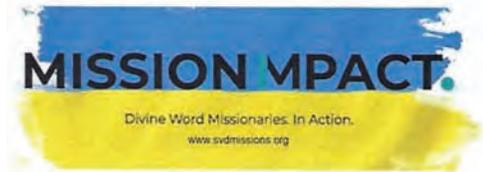
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for additional
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Fr. Dennis C. Callan SVD

Fr. Dennis C. Callan SVD will be at **Our Lady of Lourdes Parish on July 15-16, 2023** to celebrate Masses and to speak about the many ministries of his religious community, Divine Word Missionaries. They are an international religious community of missionary priests and Brothers serving in 79 countries helping to build chapels, celebrate the sacraments and spread the Word of God in remote mission communities.

As a Divine Word Missionary, Fr. Dennis served in Taiwan for 18 years and another 16 years in South Korea before returning home to the United States in 2016. While in Taiwan, Fr. Dennis served as formation director for the congregation's China Province and general affairs director at Fu Jen Catholic University. While in Korea, Fr. Dennis taught in the seminary at Suwon Catholic University, worked among migrant workers, served as a contract priest for the U.S. Army and served as regional superior for his congregation. Currently, he is the superior delegate of the North American provinces responsible for the care of Divine Word Missionaries from other provinces who come to the United States. Fr. Dennis speaks Chinese and Korean.

Nearly 6,000 active Divine Word Missionaries minister in the far corners of the world. They build hospitals to care for the sick and schools to educate the poor. They teach the hungry to farm, and they provide life's necessities—water, food and shelter—in impoverished communities. These priests and Brothers help those neglected and forgotten by society to build a better future. They also foster vibrant Catholic communities of service and faith around the world.

This mission appeal is part of the Missionary Cooperative Program of our Archdiocese of Newark. Please be generous with your prayers and contribute to the second collection to help support the missionary work of Divine Word Missionaries. To meet some of the people Divine Word Missionaries help, please read the stories at <https://missionimpact.svdmissions.org/mission-update>.

PARISH GIVING

FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 2022

WEEKLY GOAL \$ 6800

Collection*: June 10-11* \$ 4659

Deficit: \$ 2,141

*** Includes Online Giving Weekly Average Deposit**



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“And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good,
for those who are called according to his purpose.” (Romans 8:28)

**OUR LADY OF LOURDES
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PIRATE TREASURE

TRICKY TRAY 2023

POST-EVENT SUMMARY

We are happy to report that 175 registered guests visited Connor Hall from 8:00 am—4:00 pm on April 15th to try their luck at winning more than 300 gift baskets, 4 Special Prizes and a Fair Share drawing.

The proceeds of the event totaled \$11,927. These monies will be presented to Our Lady of Lourdes and to our Pastor, Fr. Jim Ferry, with the request that the monies be restricted for church capital expenditures.

A sincere **THANK YOU** to all of our **VOLUNTEERS** for the time and energy that was put into yet another successful Tricky Tray.

We couldn't do this without you!

THANK YOU to all of our **VENDORS & DONORS** for your extreme generosity. The Tricky Tray is our largest fundraiser and helps support the needs of our parish.

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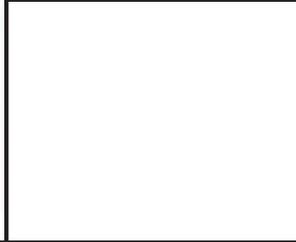
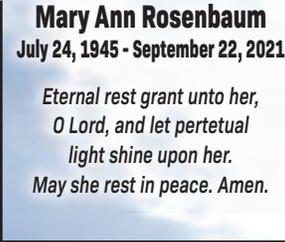
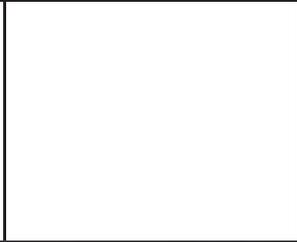
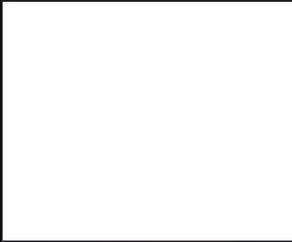
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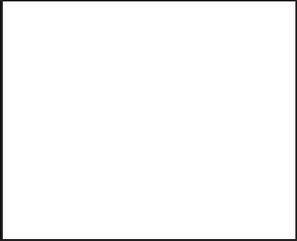
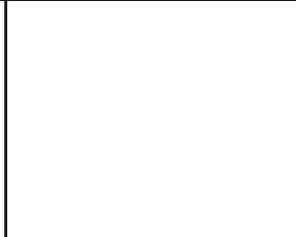
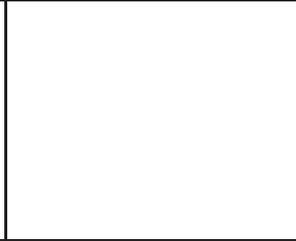
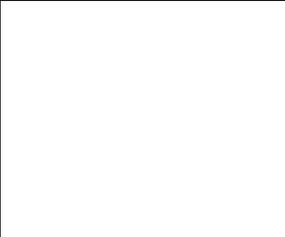
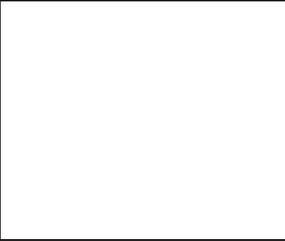
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