



OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Welcome, Worship, Witness

167 MOUNT BETHEL RD | WARREN, NJ | 908.647.1075

April 23, 2017

Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.

Second Sunday of Easter ~
Sunday of Divine Mercy

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday

9:30AM - 4:30PM

Friday

9:30AM - Noon

Closed Daily for Lunch

12:00-1:00PM

Join Us For Mass

SUNDAY MASSES

Sat. Vigil - 5:00PM Church

Sun. - 8:00 | 10:00 | 11:30AM Church

DAILY MASSES

Mon.-Sat. 9:00AM Chapel

HOLY DAY MASSES

9:00AM & 7:30PM Church

Contact Us

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Rev. William C. Warman (Retired), In Residence

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Daily Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 23 *Second Sunday of Easter (Or Sunday of Divine Mercy)*

8:00 AM Mary Dibartolomeo r/o Antonietta Dibartolomeo

10:00 AM Rose & Orlando Cicalese r/o The Family

12:00 PM For the Intentions of Our Parishioners

Monday, April 24 *St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr*

9:00 AM Gertraud Wittreich r/o The Wittreich Family

Tuesday, April 25 *St. Mark, Evangelist*

1st Anniversary

9:00 AM Theresa Kulkaski r/o Stanley Kulkaski

Connie Sasso r/o Stanley Kulkaski

Wednesday, April 26

9:00 AM Halina Bugla r/o The Pommer Family

Thursday, April 27

9:00 AM Connie Sasso r/o The D'Amelio Family

Rosy Rodrigues r/o Paul and Anita Kamath

Friday, April 28 *St. Peter Chanel; St. Louis Grignon de Montfort*

9:00 AM Julia Importico r/o Donna Importico

1st Anniversary

Saturday, April 29 *St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church*

9:00 AM Maria Ianetti r/o James H. Coleman

5:00 PM For the Intentions of Our Parishioners

Sunday, April 30 *Third Sunday of Easter*

8:00 AM Billy Ginda r/o The Family

10:00 AM Chuck Elias r/o The Gilbert Family

12:00 PM Leah Armanini r/o Carol & John Palmieri

Please remember in your prayers the sick, homebound and disabled of our parish family, all those listed in the parish book of intentions, and all the men and women of the Armed Forces.

**Articles for the bulletin must be submitted to the parish office no later than 10 AM on the Friday prior to our Wednesday publication deadline to ksepesi@olmwarren.org. Thanks!*

Bishop's Annual Appeal Ambassadors for Christ

Ministering to those experiencing pain, confusion and fear, and those preparing for death is the role of the clergy assigned as Hospital Chaplains. They respond to calls at every hour of the day and night providing sacramental and pastoral presence when needed most. The Bishop's Annual Appeal helps to support the work of the priests serving as chaplains in more than 15 hospitals and health care facilities located in the Diocese of Metuchen. Last year, our hospital chaplains made over 40,000 pastoral visits. If you have yet to make your gift to the 2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal, please prayerfully consider doing so today. Mail your check made payable to the Bishop's Annual Appeal to Diocese of Metuchen, PO Box 4000, Metuchen, NJ 08840-4000 or visit our secure online site at <http://diometuchen.org/BAA>. Thank you.

To date, the Development Office has received pledges totaling \$411,685.49 and payments totaling \$386,954.51 from 296 parishioners. This represents 96.0% of our \$429,000.00 goal. Thank you for your efforts!

Thank you for joining us as Ambassadors for Christ with your gift to the 2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal.

Parish Offertory

Easter Offertory \$42,409.95

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Readings for the Week

Second Sunday of Easter or
Sunday of Divine Mercy

Sunday
Acts 2:42-47; I Pt 1:3-9; Jn 20:19-31

Monday
Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday
I Pt 5:5b-14; Mk 16:15-20

Wednesday
Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21

Thursday
Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36

Friday
Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15

Saturday
Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

Preparing for Next Sunday

Third Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 2:14, 22-33
After the Holy Spirit descends upon the apostles, Peter preaches with great enthusiasm to both Jews and Christians. He recalls for them in vivid terms the miracles and wonders that Jesus performed.

Second Reading: I Peter 1:17-21
Peter makes reference to the Passover, when the Jews escaped from Egypt because the blood of the paschal lamb was shed. Now they are being saved from sin by the blood of Christ, the Lamb of the New Testament.

Gospel: Luke 24:13-35
Jesus reveals Himself to two disciples on the way to Emmaus. After explaining to them the passages in Scripture which referred to Him, Christ "took bread, broke it, and distributed it to them." Then they recognized Christ and their "hearts burned within them."

Visitation Ministers

Apr. 23

Deotte

Liberti

Vesey

Clancy

Apr. 30

Pasternak

Leidner

O'Dea

Mosquera

*Attention Graduating Seniors:
Knights of Columbus Council 11409 –
Pope Saint John Paul II
Scholarship*

The Knights of Columbus Council Pope Saint John Paul II Scholarship was established in 2005, with the encouragement of Msgr. Benwell, the Council's Charter Chaplain and former Pastor of Our Lady of the Mount.

The \$1,000 stipend, created in honor of Pope John Paul II, is awarded to an outstanding OLM graduating high school senior who maintains exceptional grades, while actively participating in church and community activities. A winner of the award is chosen on that basis by a committee of the Council's Past Grand Knights in late May. The applicant does not need to be a child of a Knight.

Applications will be available in the Knights of Columbus folder at the bottom of the front stairwell. This year the closing date is May 21st. The scholarship will be presented to the winner at a June Council meeting.

Ministers of the Week

April 30, 2017

5:00 PM
Church

Celebrant:
Fr. Sean

Reader:
Roger Allen

Altar Servers:
Davis Perry
Robby Battiste

8:00 AM
Church

Celebrant:
Msgr. Capik

Reader:
Melissa Kardos

Altar Servers:
Peter Ainsworth
Clara Ainsworth

10:00 AM
Church

Celebrant:
Fr. Sean

Reader:
Mary Ann O'Dea

Altar Servers:
Victoria Dziasek
Cordelia Lucid

12:00 PM
Church

Celebrant:
Fr. Sean

Reader:
Karina Lucid

Altar Servers:
Megan Camp
Griffith Humphrey

The parish family of Our Lady of the Mount would like to congratulate the children (and their families) who received First Eucharist on Saturday, April 22, 2017 and Sunday, April 23, 2017.

We welcome them as they join us at the Table of the Lord!

April 22, 2017 Saturday 5:00 PM Mass

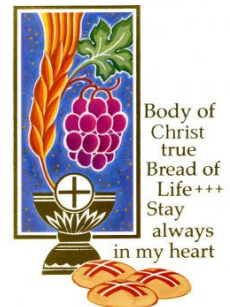
Emily Conway	Hailey Martins
Logan Dickerson	Gavin Montgomery
Cameron Dungo	Tessa Pfeiffer
Sara Doucette	Bernie Ryder
Michelle Loia	Katarina Schroeder
Gianluca Mannino	Tyler Slepokura

April 23, 2017 Sunday 10:00 AM Mass

Jason Amorim	Anabella Oliveria
Alexa Arpino	Catarina Rei
Stefano Di Geronimo	Olivia Risoli
Nicholas Di Geronimo	Giovanni Sicignano

April 23, 2017 Sunday 12:00 PM Mass

Colin Dana	Madeline Morrison
Grace Holiday	Wilson Parry
Gabriella Liberti	Leonardo Rivera
Joseph Miller	Alexa Velazquez



Calendar

Monday, April 24

9:00AM Mass Chapel

Tuesday, April 25

8:45AM Our Lady of the Miraculous Chapel

9:00AM Mass Chapel

9:30AM Our Mother of Perpetual Help Chapel

Wednesday, April 26

8:30AM Holy Rosary Chapel

9:00AM Mass Chapel

7:00PM Choir Rehearsal Church

7:30PM Bible Study Fr. Peter

8:00PM AA Fr. Russell

Thursday, April 27

8:30AM Holy Rosary Chapel

9:00AM Mass Chapel

10:00AM Bible Study Fr. Russell

7:00PM Following Christ Shepherds Hall

Friday, April 28

9:00AM Mass Chapel

9:30AM Adoration Chapel

9:30AM Chaplet of Divine Mercy Chapel

3:00PM Chaplet of Divine Mercy Chapel

5:00PM Evening Prayer Chapel

7:00PM Benediction Chapel

Saturday, April 29

9:00AM Mass Chapel

4:15PM Confessions Church

4:30PM Good Samaritan Clothing Collection

5:00PM Vigil Mass Church

8:15PM AA Fr. Russell

Sunday, April 30

7:30AM Good Samaritan Clothing Collection

8:00AM Mass Church

10:00AM Mass Church

12:00PM Mass Church



If you would like to find out more about the Knights of Columbus or to become a member, please contact Andrew Smart (908)235-1980 | andrewgerardsmart@gmail.com

Upcoming Events



Our Lady of the Mount - SPRING CLOTHING COLLECTION



APRIL 29th & 30th- Before All Masses

GOOD SAMARITAN MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR GENTLY USED SPRING/SUMMER CLOTHING

ITEMS NEEDED:

- ✓ Lightweight Jackets
- ✓ Hoodies
- ✓ T-shirts
- ✓ Jeans or Shorts
- ✓ Work Boots or Sneakers

Spring/Summer CASUAL CLOTHING ONLY!!! Storage in the chapel basement is limited. The majority of our clients in South Bound Brook are laborers and have NO USE for formal wear or children's clothing.

Good Samaritan members will collect in the lower parking lot before all Masses the weekend of APRIL 29 & 30.

Thank you for your continued support of The Good Samaritan Ministry.
"Whatsoever you do to the least of my people that you do unto me."

Contact:

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Friday, May 12-Saturday, May 13

The New Evangelization Summit 2017

Live Stream Conference from Ottawa, Canada

St. Magdalen de Pazzi Church

105 Mine Street, Flemington, NJ 08822

Friday, May 12: 7 - 9:30 pm

Saturday, May 13: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Cost: \$35 per person, includes light breakfast & lunch on Saturday - registration required

732-243-4575 | mgiannone@diometuchen.org

Mass Time Change

On the weekend of April 29/30, we will be celebrating First Holy Communions at most Masses. Please note the final Mass on these Sundays will be celebrated a half hour later, at **12:00 pm.**

First Holy Communions will be celebrated on:

Sat., April 29 5:00 pm Mass

Sun., April 30 10:00 am & 12:00 pm Masses

April 23, 2017 - 2nd Sunday of Easter

"Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.'"

JOHN 20:19

Are you good at making people feel welcome? When you meet someone new, a new neighbor, a new work colleague, a new parishioner, do you make them feel at home? Many of us can probably do a much better job at this. When we make people feel welcome, we make them feel like they are included instead of being excluded. A simple "hello" and a smile goes a long way.



Our Lady of the Mount Church of Warren

SCHOOL OF FAITH FORMATION

REGISTRATION

2017 – 2018

GRADES 1-9

FORMS ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE

www.olmwarren.org

For further information call

Faith Formation Office
908-647-1075 ext 112

It's for the Kids; Help Us Help Those with Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities (IDD)

Become a "Knight for a Day" and help those families most in need of our help.

On the weekend of Friday April 28th through Sunday the 30th all OLM parishioners, young and old, are invited to join with the Knights to collect donations at storefronts across downtown Warren. The IDD is the Knight's largest annual charity fund drive; all collected funds are donated to NJ ARC/Camp Jotoni, Matheny Medical and Educational Center and the National Alliance on Mental Illness.

It's still a tough economy out there for many. If we, who have been given relatively so much, feel overwhelmed – think what those who depend on such charitable efforts feel. What was difficult for them may now become impossible – without our extra help. For many support groups, such charitable donations are their ONLY form of funding. All you have to give is a little bit of your time. You will receive God's Grace in return.

What: Volunteer to assist the Knights with their annual Intellectual Developmental Disabilities (IDD) funds drive

When: Fri April 28th (3-7), through Sat 29th (7-5) and Sun April 30th (7-3) --one-hour volunteer slots collecting at various storefronts

Where: Storefronts throughout downtown Warren // and/or // Collecting post-Mass at assigned exit at your Masses that weekend

Who to contact for assignment: Roger Allen – rogan5147@verizon.net; 732-369- 3702. Let Roger know your preferred time(s) and number of hours and he will provide the specific assignment(s)

God bless you for your support.