

Our Lady of the Valley Church

630 Valley Road - Wayne - New Jersey - 07470 - www.olvwayne.org

973-694-4585

“The Church is Holy, not just because all are welcome.
The Church is Holy, because all belong.”

*Timothy M. Matovina
University of Notre Dame
(paraphrased by Pope Francis at General Audience)*



June 17, 2018

Schedule of Masses

Weekdays

Monday - Saturday 7:30am

Weekends

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am
and 12:00 Noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00-4:30pm

Sacraments of Baptism, Marriage & Personal Appointments

Please call the Parish Office

OUR PARISH IS SERVED BY

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WEEKEND COLLECTION

Weekend Collection: June 10, 2018

Attendance:	723
Weekend Collection:	\$7,467.50
Candles/Poor:	\$295.70
WeShare:	\$2,564.78
Total:	\$10,327.98



Thank you for your continued generosity!

PRESIDER SCHEDULE

Weekend of June 23-24:

Our Lady of the Valley

5:00pm	Father Peter
8:00am	Father Wells
10:00am	Father Peter
12:00 Noon	Father Peter

Holy Cross

5:00pm	Father Wells
10:00am	Father Wells

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 17	8:00am	
	10:00am	<i>For all our Living and Deceased Fathers</i>
	12:00pm	
Monday, June 18	7:30am	Joseph Cavallo
Tuesday, June 19	7:30am	Dominick Gagliostro <i>(Special Intention)</i>
		<i>Miraculous Medal Novena to follow Mass on Tuesday</i>
Wednesday, June 20	7:30am	For the People
Thursday, June 21	7:30pm	Gaita & Pacelli Family
Friday, June 22	7:30am	Michael Pagano
Saturday, June 23	7:30am	For the People
	5:00pm	Mary & Gaetano Cervino Rose & Patsy Cervino Sam Giannini Lenny Knapp Eligio Pelosi Robert Wysocki
Sunday, June 24	8:00am	Mary Felice
	10:00am	Ryan Comeau William Curcio Brian Richard Diaz Alex Scibetta Robert Wysocki
	12:00pm	John & Maria Ferrito

RECEPTIONS TO WISH JOY ON RETIREMENT

As was announced last weekend, Father Peter will be retiring from parish ministry here at Our Lady of the Valley and Holy Cross at the end of June.

The weekend of June 23-24 there will be a reception with light refreshments in Father Rugel Hall after all the Masses.

Come and give good wishes to Father Peter; maybe even give some advice on retirement. Come and celebrate this next stage in Father Peter's ministry.



THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – JUNE 17, 2018

WEEKLY REMEMBRANCE

This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns as a reminder of the Lord's presence in the Blessed Sacrament and the bread and wine offered at the Altar, which become the Body and Blood of Christ, are given in memory of:

Ed Parks

From Lois & Angelo Masino

SPECIAL COLLECTION

South American and Latin America Missions and Catholic Relief Services

This weekend, June 16-17, there will be a second collection at all Masses. This is the annual collection to support the missions in South America and Latin America through the efforts of Catholic Relief Services. In many parts of South and Latin America it is still very difficult to practice the faith due to obstacles beyond their control. Our support for them helps with religious education and evangelization and even establishing places where they can worship. Please use the special envelope that you received in your offering envelopes packet.

CATECHISTS NEEDED

The Faith Formation office is in need of catechists for the upcoming 2018-2019 year, at this time, especially for Grade 1 on Sundays for the 8:30am and 10:30am sessions.

If you are interested, please contact the Faith Formation office at (973) 694-4585 extension 7208, or via email at jcocilovo@olvwayne.org.

FAITH FORMATION - NEW STUDENTS

If your child will be entering first grade in September 2018, we invite you to contact the Faith Formation Office so that you may register for our upcoming classes beginning in September.

All registrations are done in person so please call our office at 973.694.4585 extension 7248 to make an appointment.

PARISH'S SACRAMENTAL & PRAYER LIFE

*After his resurrection he told his disciples:
"Go out and teach all nations, baptizing them
in the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit."*

(Rite of Baptism, Blessing of Water)

We congratulate and welcome those who were baptized on May 20, 2018:

Braeden Matthew Kloof

"Is anyone among you suffering? They should pray...Is anyone among you sick? They should summon the presbyters of the church, and they should pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord."

(James 5:13,14)

Pray for the Sick:

*Joseph Brucato Jr., Chris Camp,
Louis Caprio, Ralph Cicetti, Maggie Corley,
Kathy Corrao, Robert Darpino, Flo Felano,
Ann Giannini, Josephine Ganz,
Fran Ivankovic, Edward LaBarre,
Marie Liffers, Arminda Lume, Mary Maksuta,
Rosa Malfa, Gloria Minnocci,
Frank Moskal, Jenny Moskal, Lois Naiman,
Donna Ottomanelli, Monica Phalon,
Andrew Potter, Michael Renaldo,
Norma Rivera, Kristen Sedlacik,
Patricia Smith, Richard Swetz,
Paul Tafuri, Michael Waldinger,
Selma Will, George Wilson*

*Indeed for your faithful, Lord,
life is changed, not ended,
and when this early dwelling turns to dust,
an eternal dwelling is made ready for them in heaven.*
(Roman Missal, Preface I for the Dead)

Pray for the Dead:

Barbara Caccavella



SOCIAL MINISTRY CORNER

Do you have a family member or friend who is gay or lesbian? Would you like to have a better understanding on the church's teachings on this? Would you like resources to learn more about this topic? If you've answered "yes" to any of these questions, or have additional questions about the LGBT community and the Catholic Church, you are invited to call Deacon Vince at 862-264-2134, or feel free to speak with him directly after Mass. All calls/inquiries will be strictly confidential.

DON BOSCO - SUMMER WORKSHOP

Video Production and Post Production Workshop
at Don Bosco Prep this summer!

Dates: Session 1: July 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18 & 19
Session 2: July 23, 24, 25, 26, 30, 31, Aug 1 & 2

Monday - Thursday; 9:00am - 3:00pm

Cost: \$500 per session

Video summer workshop uniquely designed by Emmy[®] and Promax[®] Award Nominee, Writer/Producer, Jenna Vrablic.

Students Grade 7—12 will learn video production and post production processes from pre production to final output. This hands-on workshop is the ultimate experience for the Film and TV guru. Students will create their own projects, hear from guest speakers, network with experienced media executives, and showcase their work at the end of each session's "Launch Party." Students will also walk away with producer/editor reels of their own work, on Don Bosco Media Club custom travel drives, theirs to keep!

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY SCHOOL

Rooted in Tradition

Catholic schools began in 1808 when St. Elizabeth Ann Seton opened the first school. Immaculate Heart of Mary School has been an educational force in Wayne since 1960 and we have almost 60 years of providing high quality education to the children of the community. This longevity has given Immaculate Heart of Mary School the chance to grow and prosper to the strong force it is today.

*IHM School is a K - 8 Catholic school serving Wayne Township and the surrounding communities, with a separate preschool, **SMALL BLESSINGS**, for three and four year olds offering flexible days and hours. For further information call 973-694-1225.*

GOLF OUTING

OUR FOURTH YEAR!

Come play or sponsor a hole!



Friday, June 22, 2018

Preakness Valley Golf Club, Wayne, NJ

Scramble Format, 12:00 noon Modified Shotgun Start

JUNE 1 REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR HOLE SPONSORS
\$125 for golf, \$100 hole sponsors

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Our Lady of the Valley Council 6354, Wayne NJ

Buy tickets online at:

www.kofc6354.org



Or contact Jim Deluccia @ 201-981-9918

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – HOSPICE

VHS Hospice Services of New Jersey is seeking volunteers to provide companionship and support for patients and families with life-limiting illness. VHS Hospice Services of New Jersey provides training classes, free of charge, to prepare volunteers for meeting patients in the community.

Our Hospice program provides physical, emotional, and spiritual support for terminally ill patients and their families, enabling them to spend their last months with dignity and the greatest quality of life possible. Volunteers are important members of the professional team, offering emotional support and companionship to patients and respite for family members.

Please contact Ryan Mackey at 973-256-4636 or ryan.mackey@hackensackmeridian.org if interested in volunteering.

A PRAYER FOR FATHERS

God our Father, We give you thanks and praise for fathers young and old.

We pray for young fathers, newly embracing their vocation; May they find courage and perseverance to balance work, family and faith in joy and sacrifice.

We pray for our own Fathers around the world whose children are lost or suffering; May they know that the God of compassion walks with them in their sorrow.

We pray for men who are not fathers but still mentor and guide us with fatherly love and advice.

We remember fathers, grandfather, and great grandfathers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen

<http://lordcalls.com/prayers-for-different-people/a-prayer-for-fathers>

SPIRITUAL NOURISHMENT

Do you have an ailing loved one who needs spiritual nourishment?

Please know that if your loved one is ill, whether in the hospital or at home, we want to ensure that their spiritual needs are fulfilled.



- If your loved one is scheduled to be hospitalized, or is currently in the hospital, and would like to see one of our priests, deacon, or Sister before hospital admission, please call us at 973-694-4585, x7245.
- Do you have a homebound family member, or do you know someone who would like to receive Eucharist? Please contact Sr. Dorothy at 973-694-4585, x7245.

AD MULTOS ANNOS PERAGALLO

Normally 'Ad Multos Annos' is the phrase we use on the anniversary of a priest's ordination or religious sisters and brothers on the anniversary of their profession. We wish them many more years of service to the Church.

Last Saturday, hundreds gathered at the Peragallo Organ Company in Paterson to continue celebrating their 100th anniversary.

It was a beautiful sunny afternoon with family, friends, coworkers, musicians and dignitaries enjoying food and refreshment, music and tours of the factory on Buffalo Avenue, all to wish the Peragallo Organ Company 'Ad Multos Annos' on their anniversary and wish them many, many more years in Paterson and to thank them for their dedicated service to the Church here in the United States.

It was noted that of the 109 parishes in our Diocese of Paterson, 42 of them have Peragallo Pipe Organs! Several others have had their organs expanded or rebuilt by the Peragallo Company and even some that have electronic organs have a rank or two of Peragallo pipes.

Their service to the Church also includes several Cathedrals including our own Saint John the Baptist Cathedral in Paterson, Saint Patrick Cathedral in New York City, Saint Joseph Co-Cathedral in Brooklyn and Saints Simon and Jude Cathedral in Phoenix, Arizona.

We thank the generations of the Peragallo family for "making music for the Lord" and enabling us to "sing to the Lord." Ad Multos Annos!

DIOCESEAN PILGRIMAGE

Bishop Serratelli will be the spiritual director for a tour of the Alpine countries of Switzerland, Austria, and Germany from July 8 - 17, 2018.

Reservations are limited. For a brochure and information, contact Great Experiences at 201-825-3725 or by email at Anne@greatexperiencesnj.com.

Grow Unobserved

The farmer sows seeds in the earth and then waits. He will use a scythe (“blade”) to reap the crop when it is ready. Then he and his neighbors with him will gather it into piles, or “pooks” as they were called in England, so that the farmer by counting pooks could know how much grain to expect from his harvest. Next, threshing, separating the husks and straw from the grain, followed in older cultures by winnowing, which detached the heavier grain from the lighter chaff.

This is the process described to me by an Irish friend as we drove around his country. He said this older method promoted community among farmers as they helped one another. The invention in America of the combine in the early 19th century made it possible for each farmer to reap, thresh and winnow all alone, using the combine harvester. Despite all their efficiency, giant machine-driven harvesting makes it possible to forget the mystery of growth and human effort, as well as community.

For his part, Jesus was much more interested in persons and the miracle of the yield. The first parable in the Gospel for Sunday shows us that. A farmer scatters seeds on the land and waits. His ordinary life then continues. He would

sleep and rise
night and day,
and through it all
the seed would sprout and grow,
he knows not how.

Of its own accord the land yields fruit,
first the blade, then the ear,
then the full grain in the ear.

Jesus gives quiet admiration to this act of life. Seeds begin as tiny morsels and become, by the time the farmer can discern, sprouts. Then they burgeon into a whole field of crops, finally ready for harvest. The farmer has waited modestly for the mysterious process to take place.

Jesus compares this everyday miracle to the Kingdom of God. The Catholic Encyclopedia says the Kingdom of God is “a tone of mind (Luke 17:20-21),” that “stands for an influence which must permeate men's minds if they would be one with [Jesus] and attain to his ideals” (Catholic Encyclopedia, p. 646, “The Kingdom of God”). The seeds of love are planted in human souls and grow up unobtrusively, easy to miss, as each person sleeps and wakes.

In the second parable the humility of the seed is apparent. Jesus says that a mustard seed is the smallest of all the seeds on earth. In fact it was not, so I am told. Smaller still are the petunia, the begonia and orchid seeds. But the tiny mustard seed (the size of a pinhead) unassumingly grows to be a great shrub or even a tree, one that is taller than a man's head! The white mustard species grew to ten or twelve feet with a stem the size of a man's arm! It was well known in Israel.

How does this apply to the Kingdom of God? Well, we are small. The movements of the Spirit in us are so modest as to be nearly disregarded. Yet if we are patient, if we watch for growth within us, in winter and in spring rain, the Spirit gradually will surge up and will give us the yield of much fruit.

It is a miracle of growth in plants and trees, but even more in the goodness and grace that is God's kingdom in us.

John Foley, SJ