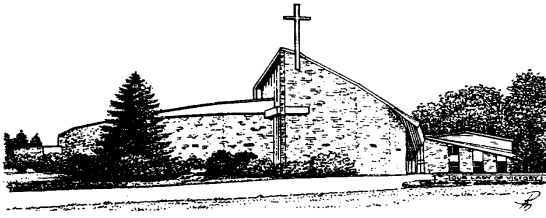


Our Lady of Victory Church

820 Westerly Parkway, State College, PA 16801



Msgr. David A. Lockard - Pastor (ext. 214)
Rev. George I. Jakopac - Parochial Vicar (ext. 215)
Deacon David C. Lapinski
Deacon Garth J. Gillan

Principal of OLV School - Kathy Bechdel
Music Director - Dr. Sara Hopkins (ext. 238)
Director of Preschool - Beth Dougherty
Director of Religious Education - Mary Risley (ext. 233)
RCIA Director - Mary Ann Spychalski (ext. 239)
Pastoral Council Chairman - Chris Kirkpatrick

WEEKDAY MASSES
Mon., Tues., Thur., Fri., - 7:00AM & 9:00AM
Wednesday - 9:00am & 7:00pm
Saturday - 9:00AM

SUNDAY MASSES
Saturday - 5:00PM (Vigil)
Sunday- 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM, & 5:00PM

HOLY DAY MASSES
6:00PM Vigil 7:00AM, 9:00AM, 12:05PM & 6:00PM

PHONE NUMBERS

Church	237-7832
Fax	237-6709
School	238-1592
Preschool	238-6616
Religious Ed. (C.C.D.)	234-3315
Social Service	238-4937
SVP Thrift Store	867-3131

Secretaries' Office Hours
Mon.-Fri., 8:30 AM to Noon, 1:00 to 4:00PM

CONFESSIONS
4:00PM - 4:45PM Saturdays
4:00PM - 4:30PM eve of First Friday
7:00PM - 7:30PM all Thursdays
5:00PM - 5:30PM eve of Holy Days.
Offered anytime upon request.

BAPTISM
Sunday 1:30PM with arrangements having been made previously through the Rectory.

MARRIAGE
Diocesan Regulations require nine months prior notice to ensure availability of dates.

BULLETIN NOTICE
Material to be published in the following week's bulletin should be on the editor's desk no later than Tuesday at noon.

Church website : ourladyofvictory.com
Church e-mail : churchoffice@olv.us
School website : olvcs.org
Diocesan website: ajdiocese.org

October 15 & 16, 2005 - 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time

MASS MEMORIALS

Monday, October 17, 2005

7:00am - † Peggy Barone by Phyllis Holubec
9:00am - † Milove Kenney by The Family

Tuesday, October 18, 2005

7:00am - † Mildred Glasson by The Family
9:00am - Ints. Fr. Joseph Homa by Emma Nearhoof

Wednesday, October 19, 2005

9:00am - † George Bubash by The Family
7:00pm - † John Donatucci by Paul & Mayme Gigl

Thursday, October 20, 2005

7:00am - † Sara Sahlaney by The Stan Miller Family
9:00am - † Robert Paris by The Yeager Family

Friday, October 21, 2005

7:00am - † Ronald R. Hipp by June Hipp
9:00am - † Dale Sherburne by Chuck & Barb Lovinsky

Saturday, October 22, 2005

9:00am - † Emily Falger by Kathleen Troxell
5:00pm- † Catherine Kreidler by Carl & Kay Sichler

Sunday, October 23, 2005

7:30am - Ints. Mass of Thanksgiving by J. Stanley Leon
9:30am - For All People of the Parish
11:30am - † Josephine & Lewis Ondo by Susan, Terry & Alexa DiLembo
5:00pm - † David A. Gardiner by Deacon Dave & Diane

Week of October 16, 2005

Sun: Is 45:1, 4-6/ 1 Thes 1:1-5b/
Mt 22:15-21

Mon.: Rom 4:20-25/ Lk 12:13-21

Tue.: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/ Lk 10:1-9

Wed.: Rom 6:12-18/ Lk 12:39-48

Thur.: Rom 6:19-23/ Lk 12:49-53

Fri.: Rom 7:18-25a/ Lk 12:54-59

Sat.: Rom 8:1-11/ Lk 13:1-9

Next Sun.: Ex 22:20-26/ 1 Thes 1:5c-10/
Mt 22:34-40

Altar Server Schedule

At this time, we are not going to be scheduling servers for weekday Masses. If you would like to serve a weekday Mass, you are invited to show up for the Mass and volunteer to serve.

Saturday - October 22

5:00pm - Jacob Clark, Matt Clymer,
Mark Milutinovic, Thomas Urban

Sunday - October 23

7:30am - Haley & Nicole Lopinsky,
Helen & Dominic Geleskie
9:30am - Scott & Steve Bosak,
Ben Stefanko, Nathaniel Randolph
11:30am - Josh Thorwart,
Nathan Jacobs, Josephine Romero,
Jeff Weatherford
5:00pm - Carly Weber,
Jennifer Thomas, Dylan Poremba,
Aaron Kutchner

Reflection

Even Jesus had to face the question of religion and state. Taxes were a fact of life and at times caused the Jews some moral as well as social concerns. But Jesus was not drawn into it. His answer to give God what is God's and Caesar what is Caesar's sidesteps the dispute and puts things into perspective. The real power of both religion and state is seen when each fulfills its proper role in sustaining and supporting the dignity of every person, a way in which each can be judged as moral and good.

Faith trumps all we are and all we do and all we have. Both church and state can benefit from working together, but we can never compromise our core beliefs and values. Regardless of what the state deems legal and right, the Gospel is the final measure of what is moral and just. We answer to a higher authority than political leaders. Our faith must guide us in our political lives, choices and decisions.

The Sunday 9:30am Mass is broadcast on ESPN Radio, 1450AM.

Weekly Schedule

M-F	6:40am	Morning Prayer, Ch
Mo. 10/17	6:00pm	Youth Group, AC Youth Room
Tu. 10/18	2:15pm	Little Flowers, AC GSH
	3:30pm	Children's Choir, AC MR
	4:15pm	Youth Choir, AC MR
	7:00pm	Parish Council, AC SCR
	7:00pm	St. Dunstan Handbells, AC MR
	8:00pm	Westminster Handbell, AC MR
We. 10/19	9:00am	Middle School Mass, Ch
	5:30pm	Sacrament Meeting (CCD), Ch
	6:30pm	Sight-reading, AC MR
	6:35pm	Rosary, Ch
	7:00pm	Daily Mass, Ch
	7:00pm	CDA, AC GSH
	7:30pm	Young Adult Group, AC MR 3
	7:30pm	Sanctuary Choir, AC
	7:30pm	RCIA, AC SAAR
Th 10/20	7:30am	24 Hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	9:00am	School Mass, Ch
	1:30pm	SOLV Meeting, AC
	2:15pm	Armata Bianca, Ch
	7:00pm	Spirits of Fire, ACMR (Singers 7pm, Inst. 7:30pm)
	7:30pm	Youth Leaders, UR
Sa. 10/22	7:45am	Men's Prayer/Bible Study, AC SAAR
	9:00am	Engaged Encounter, AC
	9:30am	Craft Making Sessions, AC Lib.
	10:00am	Knights & Squires, ACMR
	5:30pm	Youth Group Tailgate, Ch

Confessions are at 4:00pm on Saturdays and 7:00pm on Thursdays.

OLV Catholic School Headlines - Our Lady of Victory Day was a great success, even though all outdoor activities were canceled due to rain. Students participated in service projects ranging from centerpieces for use with the elderly to personal needs bags donated to juvenile facilities and Catholic Social Services.

-Sixth graders selling Beads for Needs have so far raised \$700 which will be sent to aid Katrina victims. Middle school held a "Decorate Your Teacher" contest using beads, and raffled off the costumes to the rest of the school.

-Children helping children: Eighth grade is planning a bake sale October 16 after the 9:30am and 11:30am Masses in front of the Activities Center, with profits going to benefit Catholic schools which were victims of Hurricane Katrina.

Our Lady of Victory Catholic School is seeking substitute teachers for grades K-8. If interested, e-mail the school at: principal@olvcs.org or call the school office at 238-1592.

OLV Prayer Network Ministry - Prayer requests may be offered through the Prayer Network by calling Margaret Morella (234-2218), Janine Surovec (466-7017), Lisa Wagner (234-0574) or Peg Roy (231-0224). Anyone interested in being added to the Prayer Network to receive prayers or pray for others can contact Peg Roy at Margaret_Roy@baxter.com.

Religious Education - Group Leaders are still needed for the 11th Grade Confirmation Class. If you can help out, please contact Deacon Lapinski at deacondcfl@aol.com.

Last Week's Collection: Weekly Collection \$17,772.00 with 667 families using envelopes. THANK YOU FOR BEING GOOD STEWARDS.



Becoming A Catholic - If you know someone who is interested in becoming a Catholic and looking for a church home, please invite him or her to attend RCIA sessions held on Wednesdays, 7:30pm in the Activities Center. For more information, call Mary Ann at 237-7832, ext. 239.



Homebound - If you have relatives or friends from the parish who are homebound, please notify the parish office at 237-7832 if they would like to receive Communion.

Hospital/Rehab Stay - Call the Church Office at 237-7832 if you are or will be a patient at Mount Nittany Medical Center or Health South Rehab Center and wish the Eucharist brought to you. Neither facility notifies us.

The Marian Gift Shop is open from 4:30pm to 5:00pm and 6:00pm to 6:30pm on Saturdays, and 9:00am to 11:30am on Sundays, or by appointment. Please call Rose (238-6182) or Margaret (238-0784) to schedule.

OLV Church Library, in the Activities Center, is open Sundays from 8:30am to 1:30pm and Wed., 6:00pm to 8:00pm. For more information, call Chuck & Maria Melchioris at 238-2164 or Pat Lutz at 466-6328.

In Your Prayers remember Anthony Curley, who died this past week.

It Is With Great Joy we welcome Michal Ann Kessinger, daughter of Erich and Kasandra and Zachary Arnold Russell, son of Brian and Dawn, to the OLV Parish Family.

Adult Education Classes held on Sunday evenings have been cancelled.

Altar Flower Memorials - If you would like to donate live altar flowers to our Church in memory or in honor of a loved one or for a special occasion, call the OLV office during regular office hours (237-7832) to begin the process. An announcement of your donation will appear in the OLV bulletin, unless you direct us not to do so. A minimum donation of \$50.00 is requested.

SOLV (Seniors of Our Lady of Victory) will have its next meeting on Oct. 20, at 1:30pm in the Activities Center Library and Social Hall. Fr. George will be our guest for the afternoon. Members, friends and guests are welcome to join us on this day.

Chrismon Ornaments - Liturgical Arts Committee invites those interested in purchasing Chrismon ornaments like those on the 2004 tree to please call Roberta Kenney at 238-3989 or to come to the Church office to order them. The cost is \$2.00 each and delivery will be after December 15.

Bazaar Crafts Meeting will be held on Sat., Oct. 22, 9:30am to 1:00pm in the Activities Center. We need to work on and finish up our projects before the bazaar is here. Please come and help us. No experience is needed. If you prefer to take home projects, they are also available. Any questions, please contact Pat Lutz at 466-6328 or Joy Stauffer at 234-4804. We can't do it without you, so please come and help out.

OLV Bazaar is Saturday, Nov. 19. In the next few weeks you'll hear requests for Theme Basketeers, Pierogi Chefs, Cabbage Rollers, Confectioners, Crafters, Silent Auction donations and helpers for the Tailgate, kid's games and entertainment. Please consider how you can help us this year..

World Mission Sunday- Next Sunday, World Mission Sunday, our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI, calls every Catholic to celebrate, at the Eucharist, our vocation to be missionary and to help the Missions. As Catholics, here at home and around the world, gather at the Eucharistic table, let us pray for the Church's worldwide missionary work and offer financial help through the Propagation of the Faith for more than 1,150 dioceses in Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands.

Thank You! Thank You!

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on behalf of the entire parish I wish to thank all those who
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those nine days of prayer possible.

God bless you,

Msgr. Lockard



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with all their practical needs as well as offering them unconditional
pregnancy. For information on how you can help with the Gabriel

Lectors Needed - We need more
Catholic in good standing and ha
Patrick Scholl at 867-6545, or no

as Lectors (readers) at Sunday Masses. If you are a fully initiated
consider volunteering for this ministry. If you are interested, call

Vocation Chalice - The Vocation
special way, please contact the

parishioners' homes. If you would like to pray for vocations in this
Mail Mark Reid at mreid@shst.edu.



Carbazaar



Parish Registration and Changes - New parishioners are always welcome. Please pick up a registration form at the Parish Office, Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-4:00pm or on Sundays after the 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30am Masses. Please advise the parish office of any change in address, telephone number or if you are moving from the parish. A reminder: if you plan to be a godparent for Baptism or Confirmation or have your baby baptized, you must be a registered parishioner at Our Lady of Victory.

K C Bingo Monday, Oct. 17 from 7:00pm to 10:00pm at the KC Club, 850 Stratford Drive, in State College. Doors open at 5:30pm. The Jackpot is \$1250 in 53 numbers and our *Magic Numbers* will pay \$100. Only \$3.50 to play the minimum (4 cards, 20 games) or \$8.25 for the minimum plus all special games (total of 37 games).

Knights of Columbus Scholarship Program - Again the Knights will be awarding scholarships to children of Knights of Columbus members. The state program awards \$3000 to one winner in the diocese. Our local council also offers a \$500 scholarship to a child or grandchild of a member of the local council. To receive an application, or if you have questions about the scholarship program, please contact Mark Thorwart at 238-0266 or mthorwart@adelphia.net.

KC Club October Board Meeting will be held on Wed., Oct. 19 at 7:30pm in the KC Club meeting room at 850 Stratford Drive. All board members should attend this meeting. All Knights in Father O'Hanlon Council 4678 are invited to attend and contribute to the meeting

K of C Council #4678 First Degree Ceremony will be held on Sun., Oct. 16, 2:00pm at KC Club.. Current members are invited to observe the degree and to congratulate the new members at the short social that follows. If you would like to join the Knights of Columbus or would like additional information on the Knights, Please contact Chuck Melchioris (238-2164) or Lionel Bassett (238-7003).

KC Texas Hold-em Tournament sponsored by the Knights, will be held on Oct. 18 at the K of C Club to benefit Hurricane victims. The Club will open at 5:30, the tournament starts at 6:00pm. Cost is \$25.00. Advance registration is recommended. Call Tony Santalucia 238-6437 or Keith Schroeder 692-7951 for information.

St. Paul's Men's Group meets Saturdays, 7:30 to 9:00am in the OLV Activities Center. Discussions range from "just war" to "stem cell research" to "sexuality". The topics are all reviewed within the context of our Catholic Catechism, Catholic doctrine and teaching. Coffee and free donuts. Contact Andy Mazzara at 867-4481(H)/865-7098 (W), or afm126@psu.edu or just show up.

Day of Prayer - The State College Secular Order Carmelites will hold a Day of Prayer on Sat., Nov. 5, at St. Matthew's Church in Tyrone. The day will begin at 8:30am with Liturgy of the Hours. Included is morning Mass and talks given by Carmelite Friar Fr. Theodore Centala, O.C.D. The theme of the talks will be "Carmel and the Eucharist." Lunch will be served. The cost for the day is \$15. Registrations are needed by October 18. For more info and to register, please call Judy at 353-3425 or e-mail jam3@psu.edu.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter - Plan now to attend a weekend where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores and phones and focus only on each other. There is no required group sharing. The next weekend is Nov. 4-6 at the Retreat Center in New Baltimore, PA. Registration deadline is Oct. 22. Please register early and call 1-800-882-5024.

Youth Ministry

-Youth Group will meet on Mon., Oct. 17 at 6:00pm in the Youth Room.

- Penn State "Tailgate"- Oct. 22. We will be cooking out and watching the Penn State vs. Illinois football game. Cookout begins at 5:30pm. Please RSVP to Katie Murry at 814-404-8580 if you would like to come.

- Trick-Or-Treating for Canned Goods - We will be passing out fliers to the neighborhood during our meeting on Oct. 24. On October 30, we will be picking up the canned goods at 12:30 pm in Halloween costumes.

Stay tuned for more information on the Hurricane Relief Concert.

Please check out the forum on our website youth.olv.info for the most up to date details on these events or contact Katie Murry at 404-8580 or e-mail katie@olv.info for more information.

Concerned About An Alcoholic/Addict in Your Family? - Come and spend an evening with Sister Fran Stein, RSM, who has extensive experience helping people recover spiritually, emotionally, mentally and physically from abuse of and addiction to chemicals. Sessions will be held at Good Shepherd Catholic Church on Thurs., Oct. 27 and Nov.3, 7:00pm to 9:00pm. Cost is \$10 a session or \$20 for the series. To register, contact the Family Life Office at 814-886-5551. Registration deadline is Thurs., Oct. 20.

State College Meals on Wheels "Sampler of Savories and Sweets" event will be held on Sat., Oct. 22, 5:00pm to 7:00pm at Grace Lutheran Church. This event is a casual tasting buffet featuring house specialties from a variety of local restaurants. A \$15 donation per person (or 2 or \$25) will be used to support the important work of Meals on Wheels. Tickets are available at the door or by calling 237-8135.

OLVCS Booster Club Meeting will be held at 7:30am on Friday, Oct. 28 at the OLV Activities Center. We hope to see you all there. Any questions, email olvbooster@yahoo.com. Don't forget about our First Annual Casino Night on Friday, Nov. 11. Individual tickets go on sale soon.

Football Recap:

- The State College Catholic Crusaders Football Team defeated the State College Lions 20-6. For details, visit <http://scc-crusaders.blogspot.com>

- SCC Knights, with a winning streak of 17 games, beat undefeated Westlake Bulldogs of Baltimore, MD by the score of 24-16. For details, visit <http://scc-knights.blogspot.com>.

Basketball Recap:

-PIAA 7th /8th Grade Girls

Mon., Oct. 3 - OLV 27/Bald Eagle 23

Wed., Oct. 5 - OLV 27/Penn Cambria 23

-APL Girls - The 6th grade girls won over St. Rose of Lima 26 to 8. This places OLV in 1st place with a 3-0 record. The 4th/5th Grade Lady Crusaders (white) defeated ACCS Blue on Oct. 4 by 28-2. The 4th/5th Grade Blue team had a bye this week.

Our Lady of Victory Parish

Financial Report for July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2005

Main Sources of Income

Sunday, Holy Day Collections	\$901,993.05
Christmas and Easter Collections	\$84,129.35
Maintenance Collections	\$24,635.00
Fall Bazaar	\$19,908.33
Religious Education Tuition	\$9,470.55
Parish Share - ACA	\$69,254.64
Mass Stipends	\$9,250.00
Debt Reduction Donations	\$49,608.89
Total Parish Income from <u>all</u> sources	\$1,206,602.09

Breakdown of Expenditures

Church Expenses	\$327,372.99
Rectory Expenses	\$55,609.55
Religious Education	\$61,716.80
Utilities	\$38,509.34
Taxes, insurance, maintenance	\$204,450.00
Extraordinary Repairs	\$109,406.86
Subsidy to School and Preschool	\$318,418.22
Diocesan Assessments	\$100,702.00
Other	\$3,774.00
Total Parish Expenditures	\$1,219,959.76

Transfer from Savings \$86,021.00

Amount Paid on Mortgage (P & I) \$149,608.69

Unpaid Bills as of June 30, 2005:

Diocesan Billings and Assessments	\$54,213.87
Contractors, Vendors	\$9,792.49
Total Unpaid Bills	\$64,006.36

Balances as of 9/30/2005:

Reserve Fund	\$200,000.00
General Checking	\$85,546.88
Building Fund	\$72,619.37
Building Loan Owed to Diocese	\$208,721.64

Breakdown of Offertory Giving for the month of September 2005

Amount Given	Number of Contributors	Percentage of Contributors
\$0 - \$0	1047	50.24%
.01 - 25.00	351	16.84%
25.01 - 50.00	278	13.34%
50.01 - 75.00	139	6.67%
75.01 - 100.00	134	6.43%
100.01 - 200.00	93	4.46%
200.01 - 300.00	22	1.06%
300.01 - 400.00	10	.48%
400.01 and above	10	.48%



Our Lady of Victory Church

Welcomes Fr. Tom Sullivan of the
Fathers of Mercy
on November 4-6, 2005

Fr. Sullivan will be giving a Retreat for our 9th and 10th grade students the weekend of November 4-6, 2005. Details of these times have been sent home to parents.

Fr. Sullivan will also be giving a talk on ***Mother Teresa of Calcutta*** on Saturday evening, November 5, 2005, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Gardiner Social Hall in the Activities Center. Fr. Sullivan knew Mother Teresa for 15 years prior to her death. He continues to help Mother's community. Just recently, he gave her sisters a Retreat in Washington, D.C. This talk is open to the entire parish. We will have coffee and dessert for your enjoyment. Please join us!

Fr. Sullivan's congregation, The Fathers of Mercy, was founded in 1808 to re-evangelize the French after the Catholic Church had been subjected to attacks and persecution during the French Revolution. It is now exclusively an American community.

The primary apostolate of the Fathers of Mercy is to conduct parish missions and retreats throughout the country. Many of you may remember Fr. Shannon Collins of the Fathers of Mercy who conducted our parish Novena several years ago.