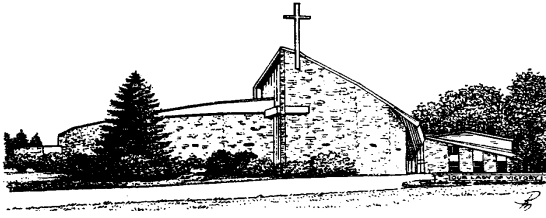


Our Lady of Victory Church

820 Westerly Parkway, State College, PA 16801



Msgr. David A. Lockard - Pastor (ext. 214)
Rev. Joseph C. Nale - Parochial Vicar (ext. 216)
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)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday, 7:00AM & 9:00AM
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
SVdP 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

July 9 & 10, 2005 - 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

MASS MEMORIALS

Monday, July 11, 2005

7:00am - † Rob Marciniak by The Family
9:00am - † Gertrude Schneider Evans by Alice Fenlon
THERE IS NO 12:05PM MASS TODAY

Tuesday, July 12, 2005

7:00am - † Ricardo Canales by Esperanza Canales
9:00am - For All Those Served by SVDP Society by SVDP Society
THERE IS NO 12:05pm MASS TODAY

Wednesday, July 13, 2005

THERE IS NO 7:00AM MASS TODAY
9:00am - † Steve Steffan by Barbara White
THERE IS NO 12:05PM MASS TODAY
7:00pm - † Helen Ulinski by Raymond & Louise Ulinski

Thursday, July 14, 2005

7:00am - † John Dombroski by The Family
9:00am - † Anna Padisak by Dorothy & Albert Koleno
THERE IS NO 12:05PM MASS TODAY

Friday, July 15, 2005

7:00am - † Santo & Jennie Barbara by The Barbara Family
9:00am - † Rose Marie Prestia by Deacon Dave & Diane
THERE IS NO 12:05PM MASS TODAY

Saturday, July 16, 2005

9:00am - † Gino Pellicciotta by Mother & Dad
5:00pm - † Rosalia & Joseph Pistone by Tony Pistone

Sunday, July 17, 2005

7:30am - Ints. Elizabeth Totin by Emma Nearhoof
9:30am - For All People of the Parish
11:30am - † Mary Ellen Adams by Hughes Family & Esperanza
5:00pm - † Helen Kleban by Virginia & Joseph Capitos

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

Week of July 10, 2005

Sun.: Is 55:10-11/ Rom 8:18-23/ Mt 13:1-23
Mon.: Ex 1:8-14, 22/ Mt 10:34-11:1
Tue.: Ex 2:1-15a/ Mt 11:20-24
Wed.: Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/ Mt 11:25-27
Thu.: Ex 3:13-20/ Mt 11:28-30
Fri.: Ex 11:10-12:14/ Mt 12:1-8
Sat.: Ex 12:37-42/ Mt 12:14-21 (394)
Next Sun.: Wis 12:13, 16-19/ Rom 8:26-27/ Mt 13:24-43

Reflection

The years that led up to the Declaration of Independence were not easy. Not everyone was convinced that we should split from England. There were debates about how we would unite, what role the individual states would play, and how taxes would be collected and spent. Those times were filled with fear as well as excitement as the new nation was born.

St. Paul deals with so many mundane issues as he tries to establish the church in different communities. He struggles to preach and teach the Gospel, and at the same time, settle disputes, answer questions and correct errors in teaching. He knows, however, that these struggles are but a small price to pay as he sees the message of faith bear fruit and continue to grow. Our own faith is strengthened in our battle with evil, in our willingness to choose good and endure whatever difficulties come because of our fidelity to the Gospel. God will bring to fulfillment the good work He has begun in us.

Altar Server Schedule

Monday (7/11)

7:00am - Jenna Altomare
9:00am - Matt Mazzara

Tuesday (7/12)

7:00am - Timothy & Eliza Gabel
9:00am - Kyle Surovec

Wednesday (7/13)

THERE IS NO 7:00AM MASS
9:00am - Emily Risley
7:00pm - Volunteer

Thursday (7/14)

7:00am - Jacob Clark
9:00am - Nathan Jacobs

Friday (7/15)

7:00am - Steve Bosak
9:00am - Laura Mentyka

Saturday (7/16)

9:00am - Rosaria Altomare

Sunday - (7/16 & 7/17)

5:00pm - Jacob Clark, Sam Englehart, Evan Daniels, Jennifer Thomas
7:30am - Nicole & Haley Lopinsky, Kyle Surovec, Volunteer
9:30am - Ashely Kight, Katie Mahon, Eric Weidenhof, Ben Stefanko
11:30am - Billy Bucha, Katie McDonald, Dominic Geleskie, Patty Howell
5:00pm - Abbie & Matthew Jansen, Carly Weber, Michael Smerbeck



Summer Hours: The Church Office will be open Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:00pm. **NO ONE**

WILL BE IN THE OFFICE AFTER 4:00PM

Weekly Schedule

M-F	6:40am	Morning Prayer, Ch
M. 7/11	6:00pm	Youth Group, AC YR
	7:00pm	Rosary, Ch
	8:00pm	Charismatic Prayer
T. 7/12	9:30am	Rosary Makers, AC Lib.
	9:45am	Prayer Network Mtg., UR
	7:30pm	SVDP, SAAR
W. 7/13	7:00pm	Daily Mass, Ch (NO 7:00AM MASS TODAY)
	7:30pm	Young Adult Group, AC
	7:30pm	Opus Dei Women's, UR
	7:30pm	RCIA Inquiry, AC SAAR
Th 7/14	7:30am	24 Hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	9:30am	Liturgical Arts, AC

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

School Registration - Our Lady of Victory Catholic School is accepting registrations for Kindergarten through Eighth grades for the 2005-2006 school year. The Kindergarten program offers half-day and full-day sessions. After-school daycare is also available. Call 238-1592 for more info. or to arrange a visit.

Preschool Registration - The Our Lady of Victory Preschool and Extended School Day Program are accepting registrations for the 2005-2006 school year. Programs are offered for children ages 2 ½ years to 5 years (Pre-K). For additional info., and to schedule a visit to our facility, please call 238-6616.

Employment Opportunities at Our Lady of Victory Catholic School - OLVCS is seeking qualified applicants for the following positions:

- Experienced assistant principal with PA administration certification. Experience with marketing, public relations, and strategic planning is preferred.
- Full-time Teaching positions:
 - ⇒ Classroom teachers for grades Kindergarten - 5th Grade
 - ⇒ Middle School - Social Studies Teacher
 - Math Teacher

Interested applicants must possess a valid PA teaching certification and criminal and child abuse clearances. Apply by submitting a cover letter and resume to Principal, OLVCS, 800 Westerly Parkway, State College, PA 16801 or by e-mailing to principal@olvcs.org.

School Calendar Sign-up - Organizations sponsored by the school are asked to send a representative to calendar sign-up for the 2005-2006 school year for the use of any school facility. Sign-up will be held from 6:00pm to 8:00pm in the Teacher's Lounge on Wednesday, July 27.

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. Prayer Network members: If your e-mail has changed, please forward new e-mail address to Peg Roy.

Religious Education - Turn in your registration forms for the fall session as soon as possible. Additional forms can be found on the OLV website www.ourladyofvictory.com or in the Church office.

If you missed your final exam, you may take it in the Rectory office Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 3:00pm and between Masses Sunday morning.

First Communion DVDs are available. You may pick up your DVD of First Holy Communion at the Church office. If you did not order a copy, but would like one, there is still time to put in your order. Please call Jon at 238-7417 or 571-7504.



Last Week's Collection: Weekly Collection \$18,231.50 with 653 families using envelopes. Peter's Pence \$2,356.50. THANK YOU FOR BEING GOOD STEWARDS.



Becoming A Catholic - Are you or someone you know interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith? For more info., call Mary Ann at 237-7832, ext. 239.

The next Inquiry Meeting will be on Wed., July 13, 7:30pm in the Activities Center.

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 Rehabilitation Center and wish the Eucharist brought to you. Neither facility notifies us.

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.

The Marian Gift Shop- Summer Hours: Sundays 9:00am to 11:30am. All other times, please call Rose Puchalla (238-6182) or Margaret McMurtry (238-0784) to schedule an appointment.

The Gift Shop will need two sales associates on the second Sunday of each month beginning in October. One is needed from 8:30am to 10:30am and one for 10:30am to 11:30am. If you can help, please call Margaret McMurtry at 238-0784.

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 info., call Chuck & Maria Melchioris at 238-2164 or Pat Lutz at 466-6328. Please let us know if you would like to use the library at other times (e.g. after morning Masses).

Camp OLV - The first few weeks at Camp OLV were fun! We went to Penn Skates, Stufftown, Schlow Library and Welch Pool. We did crafts, had super science and ate lunch at Holmes-Foster Park. Come join us! For more info., call Nan Casciola at 867-0660 or the school office at 238-1592.

Remember In Your Prayers Louise Coray, mother of Tony Coray, who died last week.

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. 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.

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.

Eucharist as Sacrifice (conclusion)

The Sacrament of the Eucharist makes present the unique, unrepeatable, perfect sacrifice of Christ on the cross.

In the Eucharist the same Body and Blood of Christ which were broken and poured out on the cross are given to us. By sharing in the Eucharist we share in Christ's sacrifice and its fruit - the forgiveness of sins.

Please note that the Eucharist does not repeat Christ's sacrifice; it makes that sacrifice present to us in the particular time and place we inhabit. The Eucharistic sacrifice and the sacrifice of Christ are one single sacrifice having the same Victim and the same Priest.

By participating in the Eucharist we unite our prayers, our sufferings, our work, our very lives to the sacrifice of Christ. Christ's sacrifice becomes our sacrifice, and our lives are "made God's", that is, given to God the Father. But this participation should not be seen as an individual blessing. The whole Church as the Body of Christ participates in every celebration of the Eucharist - the Pope, the local bishop, the priest who presides, the deacons who assist, the community gathered around the altar, and even those already in heaven. In addition, the Eucharistic sacrifice is offered for those faithful departed who are in need of purification from sin before they can enter eternal rest.

Msgr. Lockard

Quote for Thought - "There is a better understanding today that the mere accumulation of goods and services, even for the benefit of the majority, is not enough for the realization of human happiness. Nor, in consequence, does the availability of the many real benefits provided in recent times by science and technology, including the computer sciences, bring freedom from every form of slavery. On the contrary, the experience of recent years shows that unless all the considerable body of resources and potential at man's disposal is guided by a moral understanding and by an orientation towards the true good of the human race, it easily turns against man to oppress him." - Pope John Paul II, Encyclical Letter On Social Concern, #28

Quote for Thought Lite - "If you think nobody cares about you, try missing a couple of payments."

Fr. Joseph Nale - Friday, July 1 we were notified by the Bishop's Office that our parochial vicar, Fr. Joseph Nale, will be reassigned to chaplain duties at Altoona hospitals, beginning July 13. We were told not to publicize this until the weekend, so there is no time to hold a going-away party before Fr. Nale leaves. The plan is to invite Fr. Nale back to OLV later this month for a reception, once he knows what his schedule at the hospitals will be.

If you would like to give a farewell gift to Fr. Nale, envelopes for that purpose will be in the Gathering Space. Effective July 13, 2005, his new address will be:

Our Lady of Lourdes Church
2716 Broad Ave.
Altoona, PA 16601
814-943-6185

New Mass Schedule

Until a priest is assigned to OLV to replace Fr. Nale, we will have the following daily Mass schedule:

Monday:	7:00am	and	9:00am
Tuesday:	7:00am	and	9:00am
Wednesday:	9:00am	and	<u>7:00pm</u>
Thursday:	7:00am	and	9:00am
Friday:	7:00am	and	9:00am
Saturday:	9:00am		

The weekend Mass schedule and confession schedule will remain as is.

Several parishioners have requested that we have a Mass in the evening once a week, hence the 7:00pm Mass on Wednesdays.

Pray for our Teens - In the Gathering areas of the Church there are baskets with cards on which the first name of a parish teen is written. Take it home with you and then mention that person by name to the Lord when you pray each day.

Young Adult Group will meet on Wed., July 13 at 7:30pm in the Activities Center Youth Room.



The Gabriel Project is a Pro-Life movement offering parish-based pastoral care to women in a crisis pregnancy. It is the goal of the Gabriel Project to help such women with all their practical needs as well as offering them unconditional love in an apostolate of friendship throughout their pregnancy. For info. on how you can help with the Gabriel Project or be helped by it, please call 237-8784.

"Vocation Chalice" - At a Sunday Mass, hopefully each weekend, a family will be called forward and given the chalice as a visual reminder to pray for vocations. During the week, the family gathers daily for prayer and then returns the chalice the following weekend. If your family would like to participate, please call the parish office at 237-7832 and indicate which Mass you wish to attend.



Landscape Committee desperately needs help. They meet on Tuesdays at 5:45pm. For questions, contact Ed Guenot at 692-2224.

State College Catholic Football Camp (July 13, 14 & 15) will be held at *Community Field* (off St. Atherton St, behind State College High North Bldg.) This is an instructional non-contact camp with instruction from the Crusaders/Knights coaches. State High Football Coach Al Wolski and coaches and players from Penn State are expected to be at the Camp. Camp shirts, refreshments and instructional packages are included. A \$25 donation is suggested. The first two days will concentrate on catching, receiving, tackling and blocking, with a flag football tournament on the third day. Applications are available at the School or Church office, or contact Coach Sam Malizia at 272-3502 or olvbooster@nittanybank.com.



KC Bingo - July 11 from 7:00pm to 10:00pm at the KC Club, 850 Stratford Dr., State College. Doors open at 5:30pm. The Jackpot is \$1150 in 55 numbers and our Magic Number will pay \$125+. 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).

Bishop Guilfoyle - Physicals for the fall sports programs at Bishop Guilfoyle High School will be given at Blair Orthopedics, 3000 Fairway Dr., Altoona on Thurs., July 14 and Fri., July 15 at a cost of \$5.00. Please pick up the necessary forms from your coach or at the BGHS main office. Please call the Athletic office for a designated appointment.

Annual Catholic Appeal: Week 10:	2004: Pledges 676	Amount Pledged \$177,211
	2005: Pledges 717	Amount Pledged \$192,002

We have made our diocesan goal. All monies pledged will be returned to OLV for the needs of our parish. Please prayerfully consider supporting the Annual Catholic Appeal and turn your pledge in this week. Additional pledge cards can be found in the Gathering Space. Thanks to this week's donors:

Mr. Paul Blaum
Mr. Joseph Boyle, III
Mr. Dennis Craig
M/M Thomas Penkala

M/M Lance Rose
M/M Steve Schroeder
M/M Stephen Shelow
M/M Ronald Wincek

Youth Ministry

Youth Group will meet on Monday, July 11, 6:00 to 7:30pm.

Mark your calendar: Brookline and Bowling, Friday night, July 29. More details to come.

We will also have Service Projects and Open Gym Nights.

- Quote for Thought for Teens - "Programs do not produce leaders. Leaders develop leaders."

- Frank Mercadante

- Check out the website at www.youth.olv.info and the yahoo group for the youth group URL at groups.yahoo.com/group/olv_youth.

For more information, contact Megan Layden at laydenm@olvcs.org

Light the Fire! Alive 2005 - St. Francis University, St. Vincent de Paul Society and the Diocesan Youth Ministry Office are sponsoring a Young Adult Day Conference on the campus of St. Francis on Sat., Aug. 6 for ages 17-30. The day will include compelling speakers, lively music, workshops, Eucharistic Adoration, confessions, liturgy and after conference social. Registration brochures will be available soon. For more info., call 942-5732.

Bedford County Citizens for Human Life is sponsoring a Pro-Life Dinner on Fri., July 15, 7:00pm at St. Thomas School Hall, 329 W. Penn St., Bedford. Nationally known Dr. Paul Schenck will be the guest speaker. Seating is limited. Deadline for reservations is July 10. Send donation of \$10 to Bedford Co. CCHL, 2693 Glade Pike, Manns Choice, PA 15550. Attn: Doug Braendel. For more information, call Doug at 623-6887.

Upcoming Picnics/Festivals

-Blueberry Festival, Bethany Retreat Center, Frenchville, July 15 & 16, 10:00am to 5:00pm.

-St. Joan of Arc, Rt. 53, Frugality, Sunday, July 17, 11:00am to 6:00pm. Dinner served family style 11:00am to 3:00pm. Adults \$7, Children 5-12 \$3, under 5 free. Entertainment, games, bingo, bake sale and more.

-Frenchville Picnic, St. Mary's Church, Frenchville, July 16 & 17. Saturday beginning with Mass at 4:00pm. Sunday, noon to 5:00pm. BBQ, food, games, bingo, etc.