OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 15, 2026



Lord Jesus, whose Heart is inflamed with love, from You flows every gift and grace.
Draw my heart into Yours, that I may receive the gifts of the Spirit, given to me by the Father.
Inspire me to be a faithful steward—sharing my time, my talents and my treasure as gifts to be given.
May the love I receive from Your Sacred Heart flow outward in love of God and neighbor; until, with all the Saints, I rest forever in Your embrace. Amen.

Rev. Sean G. Carpenter, Pastor

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Mission Statement

We are a Christian Community rooted in Word and Sacrament striving to fulfill our Baptismal commitment by following the example and teaching of Christ. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we endeavor to pass on our faith through the Roman Catholic Tradition to the next generation for the greater glory of God.

Welcome

Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm- OLOL
Saturday 5:30 pm- Resurrection
Sunday 8:30 am - Resurrection
Sunday 10:30 am - OLOL

Monday & Wednesday 9:00 am OLOL
Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am Resurrection

Adoration

Monday 6-7 pm—OLOL
Tuesday 9-noon—Resurrection

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 3-3:30 pm—OLOL
Tuesdays—10-11:00 am Resurrection
Anytime by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the parish office for information on scheduling a Baptism.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrange at least six months in advance.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Notify the parish office when someone ill, hospitalized, or homebound wishes to receive the Sacraments.

OCIA (formerly RCIA)

If interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, contact Susie Mann. 570-244-8133

Parish Membership

New parishioners are always welcome.
Please call the parish office to register.

Knights of Columbus

Council 14329

November is the Month of the Holy Souls in Purgatory

The Week at a Glance

Sun.,Nov.15	9 a.m. Grades 1-8 meet 9:15 a.m. Altar Server Training 11:30 a.m. Baptism/Charlotte Lomax
Mon.,Nov.16	6 p.m. Holy Hour 7 p.m. OCIA at St. Ann's Church
Tues.,Nov.17	6 p.m. Ladies Night/Dinner & Floral Project
Wed.,Nov.18	7 p.m. KOC Meeting
Thurs.,Nov.19	10 a.m. Blanket Ministry
Sun.,Nov.22	9 a.m. Advent Wreath Activity



PARISH OFFICE CLOSED



Wednesday, November 25 thru Monday, November 30
Will re-open on Tuesday, December 1.
Happy Thanksgiving!

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is the sacrament which through the Laying on of Hands, the Prayers of Faith, and the anointing with Blessed Oil, provides the sick with Christ's healing grace.

Please notify the parish office when someone is ill, hospitalized, or homebound so we can arrange a visit.

Prayer List for the Month of November

Mary Blee, Dave Bonus, D. Jane Brown, Mark Brumbach, James Casale, Daniel Carney, Cindy Cillo, David Dietz, Dottie Dincher, John Dorin, R. Ebbert, Teresa Edwartoski, Doug Farrington, Carisa Foulds, Margie Foulds, S. Franzone, Siona Grzelaczyk, Michael Hales, Mike & Ali Helminiak, Michael Hook, Mina Hoover, Camille Jean, Janet Jean, Kip Lawson, Kathleen Maiolo, Al, Karen & Jill Marlett, Jessie McDevitt, Jason Mifsud, Joe Mifsud, Jim Pagana, Denny Quinn, Adam Steinbacher, Dave Steinbacher, Emmett Steinbacher, W. Swartz, Bill Weaver, Daniel and Joan Whitmoyer, Jim Wilson, Debbie Winterer, Isaac Wrench

If you or a loved one would like to be added to or taken off of our prayer list please contact the parish office.

Mass Intentions
Our Lady of Lourdes & Church of the Resurrection

Sunday, 11/15
8:30 a.m. COR—Giuseppa Fiora (A) (by Frank & Maria Failla)
10:30 a.m. OLOL—Al Gomb (by Wife, Gloria)
Monday, 11/16
9:00 a.m. OLOL—Susan Rook (by Joyce Major)
Tuesday, 11/17
9:00 a.m. COR—Carmela Carollo, Rosario & Giuseppe Gallina & Rosalia Cracchiolo (by Frank & Maria Failla)
Wednesday, 11/18
9:00 a.m. OLOL—Christine Coleman (by Miller, Moore & Tartera Families)
Thursday, 11/19
9:00 a.m. COR—Thomas Cotton (Anonymous)
Friday, 11/20
NO MASS
Saturday, 11/21
4:00 p.m. OLOL—John Catino (by Family)
5:30 p.m. COR—Johanna Lynn Councilor (by Todd & Janice Councilor)
Sunday, 11/22
8:30 a.m. COR—Aggie Guisewhite (by Maria Gaydon)
10:30 a.m. OLOL—Romeo & Rose Fagnano (by Fagnano Family)

Mass Intention Book

The 2027 Mass Intention Book is now open. With the linkage and reduction of available Mass times and in order that all parishioners have the opportunity to remember or memorialize their loved one on special dates we have a few guidelines.

~Each family may schedule up to two (2) Masses.
~Per Diocesan policy the Stipend donation of $10 is due at the time of request.

Offertory Collection

Nov. 7/8, 2026
Church: $ 7,044.00
Online: $ 1,536.00
Total: $ 8,580.00

Diocese: $ 240.00

Collection Counter Schedule

Monday, November 16
Group 1
D. Simms, B. Fry, W. Marshalek

Monday, November 23
Group 2
G. Farrington, M. McNamara, C. Everett

Our Lady of Lourdes Direct Contribution Program

Giving online is easy.
Scan the QR Code and follow prompts or
*Visit the church website www.ourladyoflourdesmontoursville.org
*Click "online giving" *Click the "Button" box
*At the top of the page click on "Sign-up"
*Create a profile by entering your name, email, and password
*Click "Create account" *A confirm email & code will be sent
*Enter the code *Click on "Offering" or other offertory options
*Enter $ amount, frequency & start date *Click "add to basket *Click on "Continue to Payment" *Click on Bank Account * Enter bank information.
Problems call the parish office for help.

LIVING OUR FAITH THROUGH SERVICE











Our middle and high school youth groups recently participated in their annual leaf-raking service project, helping parishioners prepare for the winter season. We are grateful to the **27 youth and 12 adults** who generously gave their time and energy to make this project a success. Their willingness to serve is a wonderful example of putting our faith into action! The youth are also continuing their commitment to serving others by sponsoring the Blessing Box at the nearby Presbyterian Church. For the month of November, they are responsible for shopping for supplies and keeping the box stocked for individuals and families in need. This is a wonderful opportunity for our young people to put compassion and Christian charity into practice. What a beautiful reminder that our parish family is growing in faith, serving our neighbors, and sharing God's love in so many ways. Thank you to everyone who makes these meaningful acts of service possible!



Sharing our Time & Talents



On the reverse side of this insert you will find a Time & Talent form. This month we reflect on and commit to being more grateful & generous—grateful for all God's gifts to us and generous in sharing those gifts with others. Please prayerfully consider how you can help—complete the form and return by placing in the basket at the church entrance. As a thank you all who complete a form will have a chance to win a $100 gift card!

OLOL Parish Pastoral Council & Coordinating Team

Our Lady of Lourdes Time and Talent Form

Scan the QR code to complete the form online

Name:
Email Address:
Phone Number:
Mailing Address:

	Please select the SKILLS/INTERESTS that you feel you could share with the church:
	Adult Faith Formation
	Baptismal Instruction
	Faith Formation Catechist (Grades 1-8)
	Family Catechesis
	High School Faith Formation/Activities
	OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)
	Becoming a Catholic/Completing Sacraments of Initiation
	Vacation Bible School
	Children's Liturgy of the Word
	Eucharistic Adoration
	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
	Funeral Altar Servers (Adult)
	Greeters
	Lectors
	Liturgy Committee
	Cantor
	Choir Member
	Instrumentalist
	Ushers
	Vocation Ministry
	Youth Mass Volunteers
	Youth Altar Servers (Grades 3 & up)
	Youth Group (Grades 5-12)
	Coordinating Team
	Fellowship Sundays Committee
	Festival Committee
	Fundraiser Dinners
	Women of Lourdes
	Knights of Columbus
	Love Never Ends
	Nursing Home & Homebound Visitations
	Parish Pastoral Council
	Parish Picnic Parish Trips & Pilgrimages
	Prison Ministry
	Pro-Life Group
	Youth Group Leadership Team
	Collection Counters
	Funeral Luncheons
	Maintenance Support
	Faith In Action
	Publicity/Photography

	I prefer to serve or donate my talents during the following times:
	Morning
	Afternoons
	Evenings
	Weekdays
	Weekends
	At-home projects
	One-time projects
	Short-term projects
	Long-term projects

	How do you prefer to receive communication?
	Email
	Phone Call
	Text Message
	US Postal Service

Please specify any ways that you are currently involved in our church:

Do you have any additional talents that you would like to share with the parish community?

Happenings at OLOL











Senior Citizen Christmas Party

December 10th @ Noon

Turkey Dinner
with all the trimmings

Entertainment Provided

RSVP to Parish Office @ 570-368-8598
or Curt Fink @ 570-394-7656

Women of Lourdes Christmas Party

Bring 2–3 dozen homemade cookies.

We'll create cookie trays for our local first responders.

Enjoy a variety of cookies to take home, too!

Also bring a pair of women's or men's Christmas socks for *those who are homebound.*

December 2, 2026
6–7:30
Refreshments Provided.

RSVP by Friday, Nov. 27th
Call Parish Office at **(570) 368-8598**
or email **Parishoffice@ourladyoflourdesrcc.org**

Advent Wreath

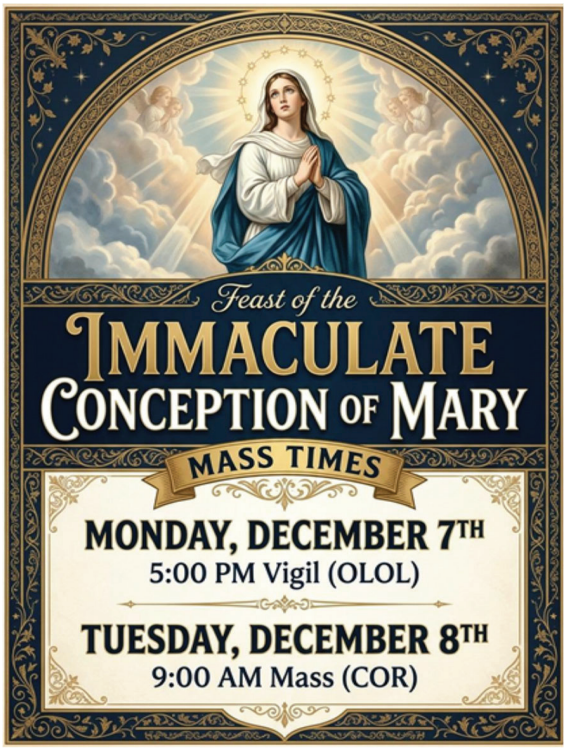
Sunday, November 22
9:00 a.m.
Parish Hall



Cost is $30 per family if you choose the live greens Advent Wreath
No charge if you choose the alternative project

This activity is intergenerational (All Ages Welcome)

Sign-up sheets are at the entrances to the church or call/email the parish office by **November 16** 570-368-8598 or religioused@ourladyoflourdesrcc.org or text: 570-244-8010



Do You Want to Know More About the Annulment Process?
The forms used to petition for marriage annulments have recently been updated and placed online. The petition for a declaration of marriage nullity due to lack of canonical form has also been updated to a single page and placed online. These easy-to-use and simplified forms may be completed on your personal computer and printed before being brought to a priest or deacon to be notarized. Currently, no fees are attached to these petitions. Visit the Office of the Tribunal on the Diocese of Scranton website to see the new paperwork and the information needed to petition for an annulment after a divorce: https://www.dioceseofscranton.org/directory/offices/diocesan-tribunal/ Your parish priest or deacon can assist you in beginning the annulment process. You may also call the Tribunal with your canon law questions, 570-207-2246.

Faith in Action
For the month of November we will be collecting winter hats and gloves. We continue to collect *16 oz. jars of peanut butter* to help support the Montoursville Area School District Backpack Program.

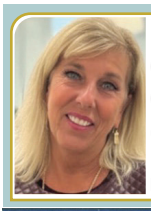
Looking Ahead:

St. Nick Party will be held on Saturday, December 5 from 1-3 p.m.

Christmas Schedule

Thursday, December 24
4:00 p.m. ~ OLOL
5:30 p.m. ~ COR

Friday, December 25
8:30 a.m. ~ COR
10:30 a.m. ~ OLOL


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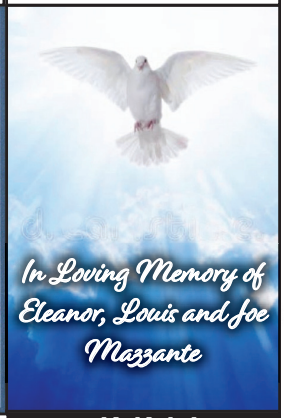
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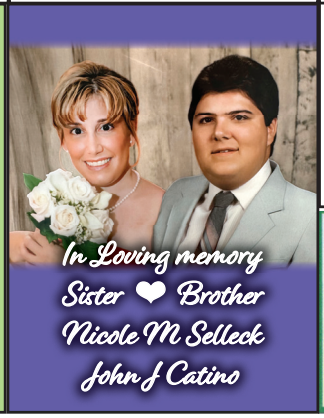
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