

Holy Cross Catholic Church

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973-694-4585

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

The Church is Holy, because all belong.”

Timothy M. Matovina



December 10, 2017

Schedule of Masses

Saturdays: 5:00pm

Sundays: 10:00am

*Daily Mass is celebrated at 7:30am
at Our Lady of the Valley Church*

630 Valley Road - Wayne

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00-4:30pm

Sacraments of Baptism, Marriage

& Personal Appointments

Please call the Parish Office

Our Parish is Served By

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Carol Kulevich and Linda Paese, Parish Trustees

Weekend Collection

Weekend of December 3, 2017

Weekend Collection:	\$1,385.00
Candles/Poor Box:	\$25.00
Parish Pay:	\$214.40
Total Collection:	\$1,624.40
Mass Attendance:	150

Mass of Remembrance

The loss of a loved one at any time of our lives always leaves us with an empty feeling that we call grief. There is never an easy time to lose someone we love. During this time of the year when the rest of the world is festive, joyful, and filled with the Christmas spirit, those who mourn are often left alone, lonely, and sometimes depressed.

We invite you and your family to join with others who are mourning a loved one at our Mass of Remembrance at Our Lady of the Valley Church on **Sunday, December 17, at 2:00pm.**

At Mass we will include a roll call of the names of our loved ones buried from Our Lady of the Valley and Holy Cross this past year as well as the names of those requested.

If you would like to have your loved one's name included in the roll call, please fill out the following form and drop it in the collection basket, or email Sister Dorothy directly at: Srdorothy@olvwayne.org, or call 973-694-4585x7245. If leaving a voicemail, please speak slowly and clearly the spelling of your loved ones names. Names must be submitted by December 12.

**"Come to me all you who are weary and burdened,
and I will give you rest." Matthew 11:28**

Name(s) of deceased:

Please PRINT clearly

Weekly Mass Intentions

December 9 —5:00pm Peter & Frances Garafano Sr.

Debbie Petkovich

December 10 —10:00am Peter Frederick Lamendola

December 16 —5:00pm Joseph Ackaway
George Duderich
Thomas J. Mennella

December 17 —10:00am For the People
Presider this weekend is Father Wells

Our Lady of the Valley

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

Parish's Sacramental and Prayer Life

*"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:

*Wilfredo Balbuena, Joseph Brucato Jr.,
Father Michael Burke, Louis Caprio,
Ralph Cicetti, Kathy Corrao, Robert Darpino,
Jason Dellavalle, Flo Felano, Josephine Ganz,
Marie Liffers, Margaret Link, Mary Maksuta,
Gloria Minnocci, Jenny Moskal, Andrew Potter,
Michael Renaldo, Kristen Sedlacik,
Alfred Smetana, Patricia Smith, Paul Tafuri,
Michael Waldinger, George Wilson*

Expectant Parents

The blessing of expectant parents will take place after all Masses **this weekend, December 9 - 10.** Please meet the priest or deacon at the baptismal font following Mass for this special blessing.



Important Dates...

Gift Card Orders will be available for pick-up following Masses this weekend, December 9-10. If you have any questions, please contact Michele Cornell at cornell.tex@gmail.com or (973) 694-4270.

Giving Tree gifts are due this weekend, December 9-10. All gifts benefit the children of St. Agnes' Church. Please ensure the child's name tag is on the outside of the package.

Holy Cross's Winter Warm-Up drive continues through February. Please drop off any new or gently used blankets & coats, NEW gloves, NEW hats, NEW scarves, NEW socks as you enter the church.

Second Sunday of Advent - December 10, 2017

Welcome to the WeShare family!

WeShare aspires to provide the highest level of security to safeguard the online information of you and your parishioners.

With the migration of ParishPay financial data to WeShare we are asking your parishioners to validate their account to ensure the security of that information.

Please note their current account settings and scheduled donations will continue without validation. However, they will need to validate to:

- Make any adjustment to their current account, including adding donations, changing their scheduled donations or changing credit card numbers (new payment source, expires or reissues).
- Refresh their passwords.
- Provide valid email addresses to support password resets as required.
- Receive email confirmation of successful transactions or any declined transactions.
- Conform to recognized security best practices.

Validating their account online is a simple process but it does require the parishioner to know specific information about their account.

We will also provide support to your parishioners at 800- 950-9952 select *Option 1* or email WeShare@4lpi.com. However we cannot assist them with validation if they can't provide the requisite information.

If your parishioner does not have access to information needed to validate their account you may validate for them. Security protocols require that each parishioner be validated individually. You can do so by:

- Working with donors while they're in the User Validation Tool to help enter the appropriate information.
- You can also validate your parishioners within their account and send them a password reset (with a valid email address)
 - Go to Manage Users within your WeShare site.
 - Click on member's name to open account.
 - Click on Change Email Address if needed to add email.
 - Click on Reset Password button to send temporary password.

Women's Organization

The OLV Women's Association will gather on Wednesday, December 13, at Sophra's for their Annual Christmas Get-together.

The luncheon begins at 12:30pm. All are welcome to join us.

For further information, call Sister Dorothy at 973-694-4585 x 7245.

Calling Young Musicians and Singers

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We invite you to join our music ministry at the 4:00pm Christmas Eve Family Liturgy.

For further information see Mr. Peragallo after Mass or email him at john@peragallo.com.



Adults who would like to sing with the choir for our Christmas Eve Liturgy at 11:00pm are most welcome to join us.

OLV Music Ministry Announces

The 2017 Christmas Concert
Saturday December 16th at 7:30 pm

*Come to Our Lady of the Valley Church
And Experience a New York City tradition...*

The Many Sounds of Christmas

The Salvatonos of NYC
Vocal Ensemble

New York Virtuosi
String orchestra

Daniel Brondel
Artistic Director, St. Patrick's Cathedral NYC

Holiday reception to follow
Tickets \$15 per person

Pastries and Pictures with Santa



The Knights of Columbus
proudly presents

Pastries and Pictures with Santa

Father Rugel Hall **TODAY - December 10**
10:00am to 2:00pm

Bring the children for pictures with Santa and light refreshments

Help decorate the Knights parish tree
Bring your camera or we can do it for you!

We look forward to seeing you there!

Christmas Flower Memorial Donations

It is a meaningful custom to make a donation in memory of a loved one towards the flowers and plants that decorate our worship space during the Christmas season.

As you know, a list is published containing the names of the donors and the names of those remembered. Please, when you fill out the envelope **PLEASE PRINT THE NAMES LEDGIBLY**. Sometimes it is very difficult to decipher the names when they are written in script. Thank you.

Faith Formation News

Grades 1-8:

Sunday, December 17
8:30-9:45 and 10:30-11:45

Monday, December 18
7:00-8:15pm

Confirmation I:
TODAY-Sunday, December 10
9:30am—11:30am

Confirmation II:
TODAY-Sunday, December 10
1:15pm—2:45pm

