

Holy Cross Catholic Church

17 Van Duyne Avenue † Wayne † New Jersey † 07470 †

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)



March 25, 2018

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

Rev. Peter VB. Wells, Pastor
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Carol Kulevich and Linda Paese, Parish Trustees

Weekend Collection

Weekend of March 18, 2018

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| Weekend Collection: | \$1,427.07 |
| Parish Pay: | \$268.00 |
| Total Collection: | \$1,695.07 |
| Mass Attendance: | 136 |

Faith Formation News

Grades 1-8:
THIS SUNDAY - March 25
April 15, 22
8:30-9:45 and
10:30-11:45

Confirmation I
Sunday - April 8
9:30am—11:30am



Grades 1-8:
Monday, March 26
April 16, 23
7:00-8:15pm

Confirmation II
Sunday - April 8
1:15pm—2:45pm

Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl

Encounter our Neighbors

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, those who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Visit csrcricebowl.org for more.

Weekly Mass Intentions

March 24 - 5:00pm
March 25 - 10:00am
Presider is Father Wells

Richard Armando Sr.
Virginia Zambrano

April 1 - 10:00am
Presider is Father Wells

In Memory of all our
Deceased Relatives and
Friends

Our Lady of the Valley

8:00pm Father Wells
8:00am Xaverians
10:00am Father Peter (Church) / Xaverians (Hall)
12:00 Noon Father Wells (Church) / Father Peter (Hall)

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:

*Joseph Brucato Jr., Chris Camp, Louis Caprio,
Ralph Cicetti, Maggie Corley, Kathy Corrao,
Robert Darpino, Flo Felano, Josephine Ganz,
Marie Liffers, Arminda Lume, Mary Maksuta,
Rosa Malfa, Helen Minetti, Gloria Minnocci,
Jenny Moskal, Donna Ottomanelli, Monica Phalon,
Andrew Potter, Michael Renaldo, Norma Rivera,
Kristen Sedlacik, Alfred Smetana, Patricia Smith,
Paul Tafuri, Michael Waldinger, 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:

*Tina Nazzaro
(Aunt of Deacon Vince)*



Living Stations of the Cross

Come and join us for the **LIVING STATIONS** presented by our high school youth on Good Friday, March 30, at 12:00Noon and 7:00pm.

All are welcome to join in this special commemoration of the fourteen key events on the day of Jesus' crucifixion, the majority concerning his final walk through the streets of Jerusalem, carrying his cross.

**"Because, by Your holy cross,
You have redeemed the world."**

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord - March 25, 2018

Volunteers Needed!

Easter flowers will be delivered on March 29. Please join us to decorate our church for our Easter celebration on:

Saturday, March 31, at 9:00am

Many hands make light work!

Bereavement Support Group

*You can't get around grief, you can only go through it.
It has something to say to us, something to give us."*

Facilitator: Paula Pedersen, RN

When: Monday Evenings

March 26; April 2, 9, 16, 23

Time: 6:00pm - 7:30pm

Where: Our Lady of the Valley Parish Center
(Youth Room is located at the front door)
630 Valley Road, Wayne, NJ

Contact: Sister Dorothy 973-694-4585 x7245

Srdorothy@olvwayne.org

To register or for further information



Adult Confirmation Classes

If you are 19 years or older and would like information regarding reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact Sr. Dorothy via phone at 973-694-4585, x7245 or via email at srdorothy@olvwayne.org.

Preparation classes will be held on Wednesday: April 11, April 18, April 25, May 2, May 9, and May 16 from 7:15pm-8:30pm. The Sacrament will be conferred on Sunday, May 20.

Festival News

Come celebrate our 30th Anniversary of the Our Lady of the Valley Parish Festival from May 15-20, 2018.

Super 50-50 tickets have been mailed and are being returned. Our current total is over \$5,000...and climbing! We are hoping to top our amount from last year and need **your** help to make it happen! Please return your tickets either through the mail, drop them off in the basket at the weekend liturgy, or bring them in person to the Parish Center. If you need more tickets, please call the parish secretary.

We are looking to expand our list of sponsors for our festival, especially for our 30th Anniversary year. If you work for a company that might be interested in sponsoring our festival, please call the parish secretary. We have three levels available, Platinum, Gold and Silver. Help this festival to be the best ever!

Festival Hours

Tuesday, May 15, through Friday, May 18
6:00pm - 10:00pm

Saturday, May 19
2:00pm - 10:00pm

Sunday, May 20
1:00pm—8:00pm

Holy Week Schedule

PALM SUNDAY of the LORD'S PASSION

Saturday, March 24 5:00pm
Sunday, March 25 8:00am, 10:00am
and 12:00noon

THE PASCHAL TRIDUUM

HOLY THURSDAY

March 29 7:30pm
Mass of the Lord's Supper, The Mandatum,
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

GOOD FRIDAY

March 30 3:00pm
(Sacred Music begins 2:30pm)
Liturgy of the Lord's Passion and Death,
Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion

Living Stations of the Cross
12:00noon and 7:00pm

HOLY SATURDAY

March 31 8:00pm
Mass of the Great Easter Vigil
Celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation
Blessing of Easter Food in Church at 11:00am

EASTER SUNDAY

April 1 Masses of the Resurrection
8:00am, 10:00am and 12:00noon
There will be additional Masses in
Father Rugel Hall at
10:00am and 12:00noon



Holy Cross Church

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EASTER SUNDAY

April 1 10:00am