

Our Lady of the Valley Church

630 Valley Road - Wayne - New Jersey - 07470 - www.olvwayne.org

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)*



June 4, 2017

Schedule of Masses

Weekdays

Monday - Saturday 7:30am

Weekends

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am
and 12:00 Noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 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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TRUSTEES OF THE PARISH

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Weekend Collection

Weekend Collection: May 28, 2017

Attendance:	799
Weekend Collection:	\$6,474.76
Candles/Poor:	\$339.00
Parish Pay:	\$2,995.25
Ascension Thursday:	\$1,236.00
Total:	\$11,045.01



Thank you for your continued generosity!

Presider Schedule

Weekend of June 10—11:

Our Lady of the Valley

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

Holy Cross

5:00pm	Father Peter
10:00am	Father Peter

Weekly Mass Intentions

Sunday, June 4	8:00am	Michael Basenese Sr. Joseph De Prospro
	10:00am	Sere Choi Bill Marrinan Vincent Petrocelli Marek Jakub Pluta John Tufano
	12:00pm	Ida & Nicholas Prumatico James Silvestro Doris Woodmancey Edward Zogheb
Monday, June 5	7:30am	John Fierro
Tuesday, June 6	7:30am	Ron Carlucci Jr. (Special Intention)
<i>Miraculous Medal Novena to follow Mass on Tuesday</i>		
Wednesday, June 7	7:30am	Peter Salvesson
Thursday, June 8	7:30am	Marlon DeLaCruz
Friday, June 9	7:30am	For the People
Saturday, June 10	7:30am	For the People
	5:00pm	Joseph & Rosalia Barone Bill Marrinan Helen Purn Rose Wisingr
Sunday, June 11	8:00am	Joseph Caputo Lois Ann Morris
	10:00am	Carl Croce Jr. Joanne Jansen Michael Loffredo Sr. James A. Murray Marek Jakub Pluta
	12:00pm	Bill Marrinan Charles Edward Will Doris Woodmancey

Expectant Parents

The blessing of expectant parents will take place after all Masses on June 10—11.

Please meet the priest or deacon at the baptismal font following Mass for this special blessing which occurs monthly.



Pentecost Sunday — June 4, 2017

Weekly Remembrance

The Sanctuary Lamp, which burns near the tabernacle, in church and is the reminder of our Lord's presence in the Most Holy Eucharist, will burn in loving memory of:

John & Daniel Fierro

Also, the altar bread and wine, which will become the Holy Body and Precious Blood of our Lord, was given in memory of John & Daniel Fierro from their Loving mother and wife.

Diocesan Notice

If any person may have been abused by any priest, they should immediately contact their local County Prosecutor's Office and the Diocese's Victims Assistance Coordinator: Peggy Zanello at 973-879-1489. You may also be in touch with either of the Diocesan Response Offices: Rev. Msgr. James T. Mahoney, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, 973-777-8818 Ext. 205 or Sister Joan Daniel Healy, S.C.C., Chancellor/Delegate for Religious, 973-777-8818 Ext. 248.

The entire text of the Policy of the Diocese of Paterson in Response to Complaints of Sexual Abuse is available on the diocesan Website: www.patersondiocese.org.

Knights of Columbus Golf Event

OUR THIRD YEAR!
Come play or sponsor a hole!



Friday, June 23, 2017
Preakness Valley Golf Club, Wayne, NJ
Scramble Format, 12:00 noon Modified Shotgun Start

JUNE 1 REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR HOLE SPONSORS
\$125 for golf, \$100 hole sponsors

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Our Lady of the Valley Council 6354, Wayne NJ

Buy tickets online at:
www.kofc6354.org



Or contact Jim DeLuca @ 201-981-9918

Parish's Sacramental and Prayer Life

*After his resurrection he told his disciples: "Go out and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit."
(Rite of Baptism, Blessing of Water)*

We congratulate and welcome those who were baptized last weekend:

Ariana Renee Abedini

*Jesus said: "from the beginning of creation, God made them male and female. For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother And be joined to his wife. And the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate."
(Mark 10:6-9)*

We congratulate those who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage last weekend in our Church:

Matthew Rigoglioso & Kelly Zambito

*"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., Carol Brugaletta,
Father Michael Burke, Louis Caprio,
Kathy Corrao, Robert Darpino,
Carole DeSimone, Flo Felano,
Josephine Ganz, Lawrence Jerome Hanlon,
Marie Liffers, Margaret Link,
Mary Maksuta, Gloria Minnocci,
Ronald Panipucci, Michael Renaldo,
Kristen Sedlacik, Paul Tafuri,
Michael Waldinger*



Faith Formation

CONFIRMATION II CANDIDATES

A reminder to all Confirmation II Candidates - there is a mandatory rehearsal this Thursday, June 8, at 7:00pm in the church. This rehearsal is for ALL candidates and their sponsors, and our 2nd year catechists. Please be on time so that we may start promptly. The rehearsal should last between 1 - 1 1/2 hours.

PARENTS OF INCOMING FIRST GRADE STUDENTS

If your child will be entering first grade in September 2017, we invite you to contact Judi at the Faith Formation Office so that you may register for our upcoming classes beginning in September. All registrations are done in person so please call our office at 973.694.4585 extension 7208 to make an appointment.

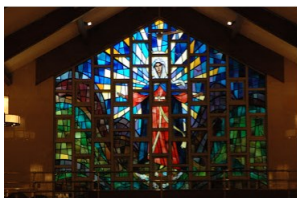
New Members

We are always happy to welcome new members to Our Lady of the Valley Church. If you would like to register to be part of our community, please connect with us at our website, www.olvwayne.org, and enter your details under "Parish Census."

If you would like more information about our community, please feel free to contact the Parish Center at 973-694-4585.

For those of you who prefer to complete a form in person, please drop by the Parish Center any time between 9:00am—5:00pm, weekdays.

We look forward to welcoming you as part of our Parish Faith Community.



Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Breathe into me, Holy Spirit,
that my thoughts may all be holy.

Move in me, Holy Spirit, that my work,
too, may be holy.

Attract my heart, Holy Spirit,
that I may love only what is holy.

Strengthen me, Holy Spirit,
that I may defend all that is holy.

Protect me, Holy Spirit,
that I may always be holy.

(St. Augustine)

Pilgrimage with Bishop Serratelli

Bishop Serratelli will be the Spiritual Director of a trip this summer to *Fatima and Southern Spain*.

The Pilgrimage will celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Apparitions in Fatima and then continue on to Spain.

The Pilgrimage will be from July 16 to 24.

For more information or to make reservations, please contact Great Experiences at [201-825-3725](tel:2018253725) or email them at greatexinc@verizon.net

Here to Help

There has been a significant increase in overdoses on opioids – a class of drugs that includes heroin, synthetic drugs such as fentanyl, and prescription pain killers such as OxyContin and Vicodin.

Heroin deaths are up 23% to 12,989 nationwide. Prescription opioid deaths rose by 4% to 17,536. According to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 91 people in the United States die every day from drug overdoses.

Do you know anyone, in particular teens, who need help? Our governor wants you, or someone you know to get help.

DON'T WAIT - ACT NOW!

1.888.reachnj OR reachnj.gov

Congratulations to our First Communicants

Blessings on the children from our parishes welcomed to the Table of the Lord

Julianna Adler

Gabriella Arevalo

Joseph Aviles

Alexander Baena

Eric Bagniuk

Lillian Barbera

Anthony Bieluch

Casper Cagara

William Cappola

Hayden Corradino

Gabriella Franco

Kenneth Fullman

Max Giovanniello

Daniella Giovanniello

Anthony Kazoun

Troy Loffredo

Marco Manzo

John Marshall

Alexander McSorley

Gabriella Morillo

Anthony Paese

Gavin Peoples

Alexander Piacentini

Victor Pirruccio

Justin Predmore

Bianca Riccobono

Isabella Ruggiero

Jackson Scura

Madeline Smith

Robert Sperry

Vincent Taormina, III

Gabriella Taveras

Stephen Vastano

Penelope Voglino

Alison Wajda

Evan Wojtecki

Nico Zarokostas



Spiritual Reflection

The Great Sharing

Pentecost is not just another Sunday. It is a feast equal to Christmas and Easter themselves. It is the official sending of the Holy Spirit into women and men.

We have been hearing Jesus talk about this moment for weeks now in the Gospels. We have been hearing that he would not leave us by ourselves, he will send the Spirit, the Paraclete to us.

Here is a summary:

- The Father is so much within Jesus that if you know Jesus you know the Father.
- Jesus offers to be within us just as the Father is in him.
- This will happen through the sending of the Holy Spirit, who is the “insides” of Jesus and of the Father. The Spirit is the love they have for each other, the closeness, the great sharing.

Sunday we celebrate this having happened! The first sign is that the apostles begin speaking in tongues! People from all different lands and languages gather and each understands the disciples’ words without any translation (First Reading)!

This is no small thing. The reading tells us the languages of the people who were in the crowd:

Parthians, Medes, and Elamites,
inhabitants of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia,
Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia,
Egypt and the districts of Libya near Cyrene,
as well as travelers from Rome,
both Jews and converts to Judaism, Cretans and Arabs.

Some of us are born with an ability to learn many languages, but not too many of us, and not like this.

But the real point is greater than that. God’s Holy Spirit means to bring us together in a deeper way. To allay differences, to let us hear the other person and not just to think about our own self. Each person has a “language” that expresses who they are (not a literal language this time, but an idiomatic way of speaking and acting that comes from the inside of who that person is). If you are able to listen, you can “listen into” these characteristics and receive loving knowledge of that person, even if they have no idea they are letting you in.

But that is so difficult, you say. Some people you run into are just plain annoying. “So-and-so just talks on and on and I think I will go crazy if there is a minute more.” You know how that is. So how in the world can we “hear” another human being?

With the aid of the Holy Spirit.

One work of the Spirit is to listen for the “insides” of the other person. If you take Jesus seriously in the Gospel, you will start thinking of the Holy Spirit as Love, given to the deepest part of you. Not Love instead of your own freedom, but Love as a help, a push (not a shove) toward caring for everything that is best in other people, even troublesome ones, and of course in God.

It takes time to learn all this, of course, to clear the various blockages inside us, the ones that keep the Spirit at bay. Remember, we are being invited into the greatest closeness possible, the great sharing that is God himself. Of course it will take time. But God is willing to make us “Temples of the Holy Spirit,” and to stay with us, strengthening us, guiding us, helping us to make Love a part of us.

John Foley, SJ