**Our Mission Statement**

“Recognizing that we are the Body of Christ, the Catholic Community of Our Lady of the Mountain is called to live the Gospel. We desire to express our commitment to this call through praise-filled celebration, which culminates in our being sent into the community to actively reach out to others. Thus, we seek to grow in Christian love.”

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**Parish Office Hours**

Monday ~ Friday, 9:00AM – 3:00PM
Labor Day ~ Memorial Day

**Served By**

Rev. Msgr. Raymond Lopatesky, Weekend Assistant
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**Religious Education Program**

Director: KellyAnn Tell 908-876-4003 email dreolm@comcast.net

Grades K-6 September ~ April - Sundays
Grades 7-10 September ~ April - alternate Mondays

FOR EMERGENCIES ONLY during class times, on Sundays or Mondays, please call 908-876-5024

**Mass Schedule**

**Saturday** 5:00PM and 7:00PM
**Sunday** 7:45AM, 9:15AM, 10:45AM, 12:15PM, 5:00PM and 7:00PM
Teen Mass, 1st Sunday of the Month, October ~ March.

**Weekdays**

9:30AM Monday ~ Friday

**Holy Days** Vigil 7:30PM
Holy Day 9:30AM and 7:30PM

**Parish Registration**: Registration forms are available in the office or can be found on the church website

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (Penance)**
Saturday 4:15PM or by appointment.

**Baptism** The sacrament of Baptism is celebrated every Sunday at 1:30PM (with a few exceptions). Please call the Parish Office to schedule a time. A Baptism Preparation class is required for first time parents.

**Marriage** One of the parties must be a bona fide member of the parish for at least one year prior to making arrangements. Arrangements should be made at least one year in advance.

**Hospital Visitation** Please notify the Parish Office when a member of the family is in the hospital or homebound.
Faith Direct

Do you have plans for Memorial Day? Are you booking your summer vacations? Consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct to make sure that your gift can reach Our Lady of the Mountain even when you cannot. Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: NJ568.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

God Bless You,
Fr. Joe

Mass Ministers

SUNDAY, June 11
7:45AM Fr. Joe – Dn. Bob
Lector: Chris Latran
Ministers: P. Head, R. Wagner, R. Zielensky, J. Clary, J. Hoff, C. & P. Latran
Servers: SERVERS NEEDED

9:15AM Fr. Ray
Lector: Bill Nutt
Servers: SERVERS NEEDED

10:45AM Fr. Slawek
Lector: Susan Baechtel
Servers: SERVERS NEEDED

12:15PM Fr. Slawek – Dn. Tom
Lector: Renny Hosgskin
Servers: SERVERS NEEDED

MASSES AT ST. MARKS

SATURDAY, June 10
5:30PM Fr. Slawek

SUNDAY, June 11
8:00AM Fr. Slawek
9:00AM Fr. Joe – Dn. Nick
11:00AM Fr. Joe – Dn. Jim
COME HOLY SPIRIT…
The promised Holy Spirit comes upon the Apostles and disciples today and they go forth from the upper room to begin the mission of the church to evangelize the world. Their message is the same message that we are called to proclaim today as followers of Jesus. Go tell the world that Jesus Christ is Lord of all. Jesus Christ suffered, died, rose from the dead so that we might have our sins forgiven and enjoy the promise of eternal life in the Kingdom of God.

On this Pentecost Day each of us should thank God for the times that the Holy Spirit has been with us during our lives even when we did not always recognize the presence of God among us. The spirit is the invisible life force in our hearts that helps us keep going day after day in the routines of life. The Spirit guides us on good and holy paths, if we allow the Spirit to do so. The Spirit of God can help us grow in wisdom and understanding of God’s love and know that we are never abandoned but that God loves us always. This is part of the message we are called to proclaim to those who feel lost and unwanted and forgotten. Perhaps at times we might have felt this same way ourselves but it was the power of God’s Spirit that come to us perhaps in the person of another, who shared love and care with us.

I always feel we underestimate what the Holy Spirit of God can do in our lives and in the lives of others and in the world if we would just trust more in God’s words to his disciples that he has conquered the world. As Christians, as Jesus’ followers we possess this promised Holy Spirit. Pray to day to be renewed by the Holy Spirit of God. Recognize his power in your life. Let the Holy Spirit dwell within your heart and always be open to the prompting of the Spirit as we seek to be the true followers of Jesus. Come Holy Spirit once more among us and let us recognize your love, strengthen and guidance all the days our lives. Amen. --- Fr. Joe

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK…
Every Day is a fresh page, a clean start. – Justin Fatica from “You’re Amazing”

CORPUS CHRISTI … DIOCESAN WIDE FOOD DRIVE. June 17 – 18
Bishop Serratelli began a diocesan wide food drive several years ago on the Feast of Corpus Christi to supply the diocesan food pantries in the diocese for the summer. Again we will participate in the Corpus Christi Food Drive on the weekend of June 17-18 we have not heard what item we have been assigned but will let you know as soon as possible.

FATHER JOE’S LAST WEEKEND AT OLM JUNE 17 & 18
Fr. Joe will be celebrating all the masses on this weekend and after mass there will be coffee etc. in the parish center if you wish to stop by for a few minutes to say farewell. Thanks to the Grogan family for providing this hospitality.

VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT FOR YOUNG MEN 15-25
“Quo Vadis – Where are you going?” Where is the Spirit acting in your life? Where is the Lord encouraging you to go? Quo Vadis Days is a time of recreation, fellowship, and prayer to help you explore the Lord’s call in your life. Activities will include prayer, Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Liturgy of the Hours, Rosary, games, sports, talks, great food, and discussions. It is a time to share our faith and meet other young men seeking God’s will. Quo Vadis Days will be held June 27- 29, 2017 at the Sacred Heart Retreat Center in Newton, New Jersey. There is no cost. For more information and/or registration, contact the coordinators Fr. Edgar Rivera and Fr. Luis Hernandez in the Vocations Office at (973) 777-8818, ext. #711, by email: fredgar@patersondiocese.org

OLM BOOK CLUB…
At our next meeting, scheduled for Wednesday, June 21st at 7:00 pm. we will have the pleasure of author, Alan Wright joining us in discussing his book, Jesus, the Evangelist. This will be our final meeting of the season before reconvening in September. If you plan on joining us please email coordinators, Josephine Mazzeo or Jason Solomon, so as to plan accordingly. Josephine may be reached at: jcmaria.192@gmail.com and Jason at: Solomoja@me.com

As with all our meetings they are open to everyone so please plan on joining us and bring a friend!

WHY WE ARE CATHOLIC…..
We are Catholic because we believe: While water signifies birth and the fruitfulness of life given in the Holy Spirit, fire symbolizes the transforming energy of the Holy Spirit’s actions. The prayer of the prophet Elijah, who “arose like fire” and whose “word burned like a torch,” brought down fire from heaven on the sacrifice on Mount Carmel. This event was a “figure” of the fire of the Holy Spirit, who transforms what he touches. John the Baptist, who goes “before [the Lord] in the figure and power of Elijah,” proclaims Christ as the one who “will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.” Jesus will say of the Spirit: “I came to cast fire upon the earth; and would that it were already kindled!” In the form of tongues “as of fire,” the Holy Spirit rests on the disciples on the morning of Pentecost and fills them with himself. The spiritual tradition has retained this symbolism of fire as one of the most expressive images of the Holy Spirit’s actions. “Do not quench the Spirit.” The Catechism of the Catholic Church 696
High School Youth Ministry
Meetings on Wednesday, June 7, 14, 21, & 28
All 10th Grade Confirmation students are invited to join us! 7:30 – 9:00 PM
Teen Center

July 31 – August 4
9:30 - noon
Open to all ages 3 years old thru 5th grade
Register NOW!!
Forms are in the Gathering Room
Or Contact the Religious Ed office

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
“Maker Fun Factory
Created by GOD – Built for a Purpose”
Volunteers needed (high school and older)

Religious Education
Kindergarten – 10th Grade

2017-2018 Registration Forms for K-10
Registration for the 2017-2018 has begun. Registration forms for the upcoming school year are available on the OLM website. Please go to www.ourladyofthemountain.org click on “Religious Education” and download the 2017-2018 form. Registration forms must be accompanied by applicable tuition and supporting documentation (if necessary) and will not be processed if not received. A late fee will be incurred after July 31st to cover increased shipping costs for books. Registration will not be processed without this fee.

OLM Scholarship Applications
Renewal Applications are also available in the office and must be returned no later than June 15th, 2017.
For more information, please call the Parish Office.

Rosary Altar Society Dinner Invites You
The end of year Rosary Altar Society Dinner is Monday, June 5th at Mine Brook Golf Club, cost is $30. You don’t have to be a Rosarian to attend. Join us for a fun evening. You may sign up in the book store or please call Helene at 908-850-5462.

Please Pray for the Sick
Please remember to pray for the sick of our parish community who have requested our prayers:
We are currently praying for the sick from the pulpit for 1 month then adding their names to this list in the bulletin.

Grocery Gift Cards
Grocery card sales were $7,560.00 with a profit of $378. Thank you for supporting our scholarship program. Gift cards are available in the office during regular business hours.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
We will be having Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Monday, June 12th, from 7:00-8:00PM in the church. Everyone is welcome, so please join us for an hour of prayer and meditation.

St. Mark VBS
“Passport to Peru” – Discovering God’s Good Gifts is coming to St. Mark’s July 10th – 14th 9:30-noon. Deadline to register is June 30th. Forms are available in the office.

Dominican College
Information Session interested in Undergraduate & graduate degrees, including undergraduate online programs is scheduled for Wednesday, June 7, 2017 from 5:30 to 7:30 PM in Prusmack Center for more info email brian.fernandes@dc.edu or call (845)359-7800

Washington Township Recreation
Computer Programming with OZOBOT – ages 6-12 June 26th – June 29th from 12:15-3:15pm at Schooley’s Mountain Firehouse. Non-refundable fee of $105 is due by June 22nd.
Super Science STEM Challenges Camp – ages 7-12 scheduled for June 26th – June 29th from 8:45-11:45am at Schooley’s Mountain Firehouse. A non-refundable fee of $105 is due by June 22nd.
Summer Yoga ages 13-adult.
Baseball Camp for grades 2 – 8 (flexible) June 26th – 29th Free Technology/computer class for seniors – Each participant will be paired up with a Long Valley Middle School student and tutored on their own device or school computer. Monday May 15th from 10:30-11:30am. Maximum of 15 people sign up early!
See website for Washington Township activities. www.wtmorris.org or call 876-5941

Blue Army Shrine
Tuesday, June 13th is the 100th Anniversary – Join in celebrating Our Lady of Fatima’s 2nd Apparition to the three shepherd children in 1917. Day begins at 1-3:30am 674 Mountain View Rd. East, Asbury, NJ 08802 For more info reference@bluearmy.com

MARIAN PILGRIMAGE - Celebrate FATIMA’s 100 YEARS
*SPAIN * FRANCE * PORTUGAL 12 Days AUG 4-15, 2017.
BARCELONA MONSERRAT LOURDES SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA ZARAGOZA MADRID LISBON
SANTAREM FATIMA. Daily Mass, Fr Roy Quesea, Tour Chaplain. Land Tour $2640. W/ RT Airfare $3340 + Taxes from Newark. 4 Star Hotels, Breakfasts/Dinner, Deluxe Motorcoach, Transfers. Please Call JULIET BANAAG HOBSON 732-439-2835

Your Grandmother’s Cupboard
Your Grandmother’s Cupboard is providing for those individuals and families living in poverty the “other necessities”. They have a box in the gathering room and are in need of deodorant, shampoo, soap, toothpaste and disposable razors. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

The Following is Needed
Single mom & 11 yr. old daughter in Hackettstown – 2 bedroom or 1 bedroom & a small room in apt. that could be converted to a bedroom. Call Judy 908-399-7305.

Life Choices
Life Choices Pregnancy center is in need of clothing newborn to 14, strollers, cribs & car seats (MUST BE WITHIN CODE), bassinets, baby swings call Judy 908-399-7305 to schedule pickup.