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## Our Lady of Lourdes Church

Milltown, New Jersey

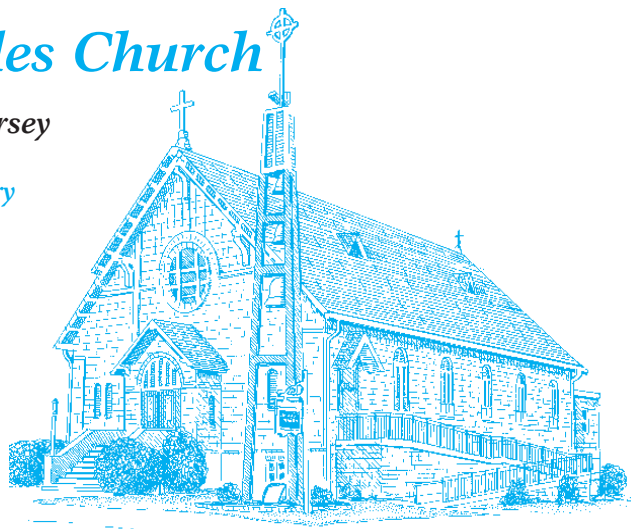
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### Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 Noon

### Weekdays

Monday: 7:00 PM Mass with  
Miraculous Medal Novena

Tuesday through Saturday: 7:00 AM

### Confession

Saturday: 11:30 AM - 12 Noon

Saturday: After 5:00 PM Mass

### FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

March 10, 2024 • John 3:14-21

God so loved the world, he sent us his only Son so that all who believed would have eternal life in him. The light came into the world, but those who were wicked avoided it, for fear that their evil deeds would be exposed. But those who believed were unafraid of the light, where it would be clear that their deeds were done in God.

**But everyone who lives  
by the truth will come  
to the light.**

JOHN 3:21



## FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT ✠ MARCH 10, 2024

**Baptism:** Baptism is celebrated on Sundays.

Please call the parish office to schedule.

**Pastoral Care of the Sick:** Please call the parish office when you or a loved one is sick at home or in the hospital for visitation with the Eucharist and for the Anointing of the Sick.

**Marriage:** Couples should contact the parish office at least one year before the potential wedding date. **New**

**Parishioners:** Should register as soon as possible.

Please contact the parish office

**Religious Education (CCD):** Please log-on to [www.ololchurchnj.org](http://www.ololchurchnj.org) for calendar and parish events.

### Mass Offerings

#### SUNDAY, Mar. 10

7:30 am Nik kuruvilla req The Manoj Family  
9:00 am Cammie Sullivan req The Welsh Family  
10:30 am Madeline Lazarczyk req Glenn, Maggie, &  
Nicholas Florczak

12 Noon Judi Lenkey req Janet & Ed Parrilla

#### MONDAY, Mar. 11

7:00pm Marie Della Pelle req Tom & Bernadette Olson

#### TUESDAY, Mar. 12

7:00am

#### WEDNESDAY, Mar. 13

7:00am Bob Kraemer req Wife

#### THURSDAY, Mar. 14

7:00am

#### FRIDAY, Mar. 15

7:00am

#### SATURDAY, Mar. 16

7:00am Alex & Jeanette Kosiaski req Kosiaski Family  
5:00pm Intention of Parishioners

#### SUNDAY, Mar. 17

7:30am Michael Schiavone req Knights of Columbus  
9:00am Dennis O'Malley req The Welsh Family  
10:30am Deceased Coakley & O'Grady Families  
req Pat Laudino  
12 Noon Dolores Goska req Paul & Barbara Gallo



### FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

#### First Reading: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23

The people of Judah practiced many abominations, even polluting God's temple in Jerusalem. They mocked the messengers he sent among them, until he grew so angry he delivered them to the King of the Chaldeans. Those who weren't killed were exiled and became servants for seventy years. Cyrus, King of Persia, was ordered to build a temple to God in Jerusalem, and he freed the servants as God had inspired him to do.

#### Second Reading: Ephesians 2:4-10

Paul declares that God brought us to life in Jesus, though we had been dead from our sins. He reminds us that it was not a reward for our good service so no one should take credit. Instead, we must remember that it was not our doing, but a sign of God's mercy and love for us.

#### Gospel: John 3:14-21

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#### Sunday

2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21

#### Monday

Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54

#### Tuesday

Ez 47:1-9, 12; Jn 5:1-16

#### Wednesday

Is 49:8-15; Jn 5:17-30

#### Thursday

Ex 32:7-14; Jn 5:31-47

#### Friday

Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

#### Saturday

Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53

**SCHEDULE FOR 3rd SUNDAY OF THE MONTH****SAT. Mar. 16**

5pm

**EUCCHARISTIC MIN**

Donahue

**LECTOR**

Sack

**SUN. Mar. 17**

7:30am

S. Abano

Brack

9:00am

Anton

Ahland

10:30am

Olson

Aponte

12 noon

VonB

Young

**Bulletin for March 9-10, Fourth Sunday of Lent****2024 Bishop's  
Annual Appeal****STAY WITH US, LORD: Renew our Hearts and Send US on Mission**

Central to our understand of Christian stewardship is the concept of accountability. To safeguard the gifts you have entrusted to our care, we recently set up a special foundation, a separate trust, where all the money from this Appeal goes so that it can be used only for those ministries advertised in the Appeal materials and website. You can be assured that your gift is well protected and well used; making a difference in meeting the spiritual, educational and social needs of the people we serve. A gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal is a worthy investment.

**Altar Rosary**

On March 15th at 7pm, members of the Altar Rosary Society will present "Mary's Way of the Cross". This is a very special commemoration of the station of the Cross. We invite you to join us.

**Food Drive!!!**

Our Lady of Lourdes Church will have the Lenten food drive collection at all the masses the weekend of March **16th and 17th**. Please see future bulletins for more details. Please do **NOT** leave donations on the Rectory porch.

**Celebrate Holy Week and Easter with EWTN**

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**Our Lady of Peace**

is having their 10th Annual Indoor Garage and Bake Sale on Saturday, April 6th, 2024, at the OLOP Parish Center, 1740 Route 130, North Brunswick, NJ. We are asking that you support this fundraiser for a local family in need by reserving a table (\$25) and participating in this event.

Contact Janet Pinto, [jimpinto52@yahoo.com](mailto:jimpinto52@yahoo.com) or call **732-236-1807** for details and a registration form as soon as possible as tables sell out quickly!

**Deadline March 15, 2024.**

**SOUND SYSTEM**

The public address system that was replaced in the church is now available for sale. A number of speakers and our mixing board as well as other sound equipment are available. If interested, call Fr Ed.

**Last week's Offertory collection - \$3,805.00****Online - \$1,954****2nd Sunday collection counters - Art Hamm, Steve Svonavec**

# Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Lenten Food Drive

## "Celebrate the Spirit of Giving"



**Saturday, March 16 and Sunday, March 17**

Please bring canned, boxed, or plastic jars of non-perishable food and place the food in the baskets at the entrances of the church. You can also contribute a monetary gift or grocery gift cards. All contributions can be placed in these baskets.

Please do not leave food on the back porch of the rectory.

### Suggested Items:

Peanut butter, Jelly,  
Cereal, Canned Fruits  
and Vegetables, Pasta  
Noodles, Rice/Sauce,

Condiments, Salad  
Dressing, Tuna, Soup,  
Boxed and Powdered  
Milk, Pancake/Waffle

mix, Syrup, Cake Mix,  
Frosting, Pudding,  
Coffee, Tea,  
Juice Boxes.

\*No glass items please.

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**We thank you! Your generosity will be greatly appreciated!**

Questions? Please call Bernadette Olson (732)991-6359





# **OLOL ALTAR ROSARY EASTER FLOWERS**

OLOL's Altar Rosary Society is accepting donations for the flowers for our church for Easter. Your Easter message will be printed in the Bulletin in the weeks following Easter. This is a lovely way to remember a loved one or to spread a special Easter message.

The cost is \$25 per message. Checks are payable to OLOL Altar Rosary. Please fill out the form below and return it to the Rectory at 233 North Main Street, Milltown or place in the collection basket by Monday, March 25, 2024.

Please call Bernadette Olson at (732) 991-6359 if you have any questions.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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Messages (Please print):

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