



**PRIEST MASS SCHEDULE FOR
SUNAY, OCTOBER 16, 2022**

5:00PM Fr. John
6:30AM Fr. Kirk
8:00AM Fr. Kirk
10:00AM Fr. Monica
12:00PM Fr. John

P R A Y E R
for the infirm of our parish ©JPPC

All sick parishioners, their relatives and friends:
Mickey Kilrain – sister-in-law of Kilrain Family
Robert Taylor – husband of Ellen Taylor
Tony Busch – husband of Mary Jane Busch
Edward Jacobs – husband of Marie Jacobs

All deceased parishioners, their relatives and friends:
Joan Babowitch – mother of Father John Babowitch
Josie Hossa – friend of Teson Family

For those in the armed forces: Eric Charles Taylor-Navy; Emma Marks-Navy; Sean Sylvester-Army; Kyle Higgins-Army; Justin T. Erbrick-Army; Sean Conway-Navy; Jen Hutz-Air Force; Sean Conroy-Navy; Joseph Erbrick, III-Marines; Joseph Costick-Coast Guard; Tyler Jernigan-Army; Christopher Smith-Navy; Alex McAnaney-Air Force; Brian McGinty-Marines; Dan O'Brien-Air Force; Ashley O'Brien-Air Force; Daniel Patty-Navy; Michael Sheppard-Air Force; Hoku Teson-Army; John McFillin-Navy; Trevor O'Malley-Army; Daniel Taylor-Air Force; Stephen Winther-Marines; Bobby Winther-Navy; Amanda Smith-Navy; Joseph Patty-Army; Christian Curtis-Marines; Thomas Campbell-Marines; Michael Bones, Jr-Navy

Divine Mercy Prayers are on the third Sunday of each Month after the 10 AM Mass. All are welcome.

Hospital Visits - If you are in the hospital and would like a visit from a priest, please call the rectory office at 215-637-7515. Due to HIPPA laws we are unable to get information from the hospital, therefore, we must hear directly from the patient or family.

Girl Scout Knights Service Unit #554 is sponsoring its **SOCKTOBERFEST**. New socks can be donated to help the homeless and Veterans. There will be a box in the back of Church through the end of October for collection. Thank you for your generosity.

CONGRATULATIONS to the following Calendar Lottery Winners: #874, 740, 738, 428, 164, 229 and Football Mania Winners: #4061 and 3616.

Monday October 10, 2022

6:30 Donna Petrasso req. by Emma Curran
8:00 Christian Heuser req. by Family

Tuesday October 11, 2022

6:30 Bridget Higgins req. by Mom, Dad, John
8:00 Frank Dzwoniarek req. by Tim & Maura Gerard

Wednesday October 12, 2022

6:30 Edmond Niemczura req. by Debbie Klenieski
8:00 Snyder Family req. by Bill & Marianne Kilrain

Thursday October 13, 2022

6:30 Blake Gary req. by Matthew Dzwoniarek
8:00 Catherine Puchalski req. by Pacchianelli Family

Friday October 14, 2022

6:30 Martin J. Burns Jr req. by M/M R. Gilbert
8:00 John Newcomb req. by Deborah Danalis

Saturday October 15, 2022

8:00 Senator Robert Dole req. by Susan Guest
5:00PM Principe Family req. by Juanita Lipp

Sunday October 16, 2022

6:30 George Clark req. by Family
8:00 Frank Dzwoniarek req. by Matthew Dzwoniarek
10:00 Antonio Cappuccino req. by Victoria Cappuccino
12:00 James J. Lamb req. by Family

LITURGY SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 16, 2022

<i>Mass</i>	<i>Communion</i>	<i>Lectors</i>
5:00PM	H. Conway S. Wilson	S. Donohue
6:30AM	L. Konopka	J. Hopkins
8:00AM	J. Sweeten M. Hatfield	J. Teson
10:00AM	N. Burnosky T. Cullen	P. Cummings D. Makowiecki
12:00PM	D. Bores M. Hall	B. Gibbons



OKTOBERFEST

Oktoberfest is October 15, 2022 from 12PM to 7PM in the OLC Parish Parking Lot and School Gym. This is a rain or shine event. We are looking for volunteers that can help with set up, clean up, and for the actual day. Please reach out to Sheila Picinich at s.picinich@olcalvaryschool.org We will be a Book Share/Swap table. If you would like to drop off any books, please take them to the rec tory from 9AM to 3PM Monday to Thursday. Please label you bag Book Swap.

Our Lady of Calvary Parish is hosting an **AR Workshop** in the school gym on November 19, 2022 from 6PM to 9PM. AR workshop is a DIY Class to make your own wood project for home décor! In the workshop, you will have the opportunity to customize your project with your choice of designer paints and stain colors. Please use the following link to register – <https://www.arworkshop.com/event/?loc=fishtown&ev=311204> All registrations must be done online by November 12, 2022. This event is for 21 years and older. Space is limited to 40 participants. Any questions, please email Sheila Picinich at s.picinich@olcalvaryschool.org

Our Lady of Calvary School is looking for **Lunch Moderators** for our children for one hour per day – Monday thru Friday (11:45 to 12:45PM). This is a paid position. If you are interested, please call Jeanne Costello at 215-632-1342.

Adult Volunteers/Presenters Needed – Are you in a unique profession or do you have a special skill? **Girl Scout Troop 9552** is looking for adults from our community to present at our meetings this year. We have girls in 2nd to 5th grade interested in EVERYTHING! Maybe first-aid, yoga, knitting, crochet, gardening or cooking is your specialty, and you can share your talents with the girls! If your job allows visitors, give them a tour for a fun and free field trip! Our troop loves hands-on activities. Girl Scouting build girls of courage, confidence and character, who make the world a better place. Wouldn't you love to make an impact on our future leaders? Please contact Troop Leader Korinne Jacob at 267-886-7625.

The Parent Auxiliary of BSA Troop 460 Is having a BEEF and BEER FUNDRAISER on December 2, 2022 to support the Scouts in going to Summer Camp next year. All proceeds benefit BSA Troop 460. The Beef and Beer is from 7:30PM-11:30PM at St. Dominic's Marian Hall, 8532 Frankford Ave, Philadelphia. Tickets are \$45.00 in advance and \$50.00 at the door unless sold out. Tables can be reserved with the purchase of 10 tickets. There will be a door prize, raffle baskets, and 50/50. DJ courtesy of Biondo Creative. For more info or tickets call Christine Fahy 215-479-2773 or Melissa Hoch 267-918-8707.

Bereavement Ministry

To bring healing to grief, Our Lady of Calvary parish established a Bereavement Ministry. This Ministry is a peer group of OLC Parishioners who have suffered the loss of a loved one and now give of their time and talent in helping others cope with their grief. The sessions will take place in the OLC lower church meeting room from 7:00PM to approximately 8:30PM...enter by way of the ramp on the rectory side of church.

<i>Tuesday, October 11</i>	<i>Understanding the Stages Of Grief</i>
<i>Tuesday, October 18</i>	<i>Changed Forever</i>
<i>Tuesday, October 25</i>	<i>Surviving Stress and Loneliness</i>
<i>Tuesday, November 8</i>	<i>Feelings of Denial, Bargaining & Guilt</i>
<i>Tuesday, November 15</i>	<i>The Value of Memories & Personal Bereavement Reflections</i>

No prior signup is necessary. Changes in dates of topics is possible.

The Legion of Mary is excited to announce the PILGRIM VIRGIN PROGRAM! A beautiful statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be available to visit all homes of parishioners of Our Lady of Calvary Church for one week. The statue of Our Lady will be brought to a requesting family's home, where opening prayers and a rosary will be recited. The host family is requested to pray the rosary together each day. At the end of the week, the statue will be picked up and concluding prayers will be recited. Our Lady's statue has been known to bring about many graces and blessings and much peace into the homes she has visited. Please call Jeannie at 215-612-1671.

Public Square Rosary Rally – Come join the Legion of Mary for a Public Square Rosary and answer Our Blessed Mothers' call for the recitation of this most powerful and beautiful prayer! October is the month dedicated to the Holy Rosary. This rally is On Saturday, October 15, 2022 from 12 Noon – 1PM at Comly Road (across from the Pepsi Cola Company). Invites as many of your family and friends. Questions call Zoltan at 215-205-6478. Rosaries will be available at the event, compliments of the Legion of Mary.

BLESSED AMONG US

Sister Megan Rice – Peacemaker (1930-2021)
On July 28, 2012, Sr. Megan Rice (82 at the time) and two fellow activists managed to cut through several fences at the Y-12 National Security Complex in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, making their way to a concrete bunker that housed enough refined uranium to construct 10,000 nuclear bombs. Before being discovered and arrested, the protesters, calling themselves the “Transform Now Plowshares,” spray painted antiwar slogans and poured blood to symbolize the deadly contents of this facility.

Rice, who grew up in New York City, was inspired by her parents’ connections to Dorothy Day and the Catholic Worker. At 18 she joined the sisters of the Society of the Holy Child Jesus and following her studies taught for 40 years in Africa. In the 1980s, however, as she heard more about the dangers of nuclear war, she was drawn to a life of peacemaking and nonviolent protest. Before her act of “civil obedience” at Oak Ridge, she had been arrested and jailed scores of times. But the consequences for Oak Ridge were more serious. Aside from destruction of property, the government charged the activists under the Sabotage Act for intending to “endanger national defense”. At her trial, Rice requested no leniency: “To remain in prison for the rest of my life would be the greatest honor for me.”

Eventually, on appeal, the Sabotage charge was dropped, and the three were released after serving two years. “I don’t feel like I’m free,” Sr. Megan said. “None of us is out of prison as long as one nuclear bomb exists.” She died on October 10, 2021.

“My guilt is that I waited 70 years to be able to speak what I knew in my conscience.”
-Sr. Megan Rice

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SPIRITUAL REFLECTIONS

In God’s Eyes

“Your faith has saved you.”

It’s probably the last thing the Samaritan expected to hear after his astonishing encounter with Jesus. No doubt, he was stunned – who wouldn’t be? After all, how did this happen? He wasn’t a Jew; on top of that, he had a disease that most people found repellent. He was an object of scorn. He lived in the margins, often in the shadows.

But Jesus saw someone else.

He saw a man to bring out of the shadows and into the light. And so Jesus gave him what he hungered for. Healing. Wholeness. Dignity. He gave a scarred and disfigured man a new body, a new start, a new life.

Among other things, this episode reminds us of the extravagant generosity of Jesus’ love. Jesus isn’t selective. He doesn’t pick or choose who is worthy of being made whole.

To him, no one is out of reach or out of bounds. What matters is trust. Belief. Sincerity. The desire to be whole.

In other words, faith.

So many of us live with our own kind of leprosy – scare or wounds that are sometimes invisible but that we believe make us unworthy of being loved by God. But this Scripture tells us otherwise: in the Lord’s eyes, we are all people of possibility, dignity, and hope. Every one of us.

Know that – and have faith!
That is what helps us to be healed.
And, yes, to be saved.

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