



# Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church

## Rectory

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## Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time † September 16, 2018

### Parish Clergy

Rev. David M. Fitz-Patrick, Pastor - ext. 102  
 Rev. Leo Lefebure, In Residence - ext. 107  
 Rev. Rodolfo Salinas, In Residence, Chaplain at Sibley Hospital  
 Rev. Leo Camurati, O.P., Weekend Assistant  
 Bro. Joseph Hagan, O.P., Weekend Assistant, RCIA  
 Deacon Matthew Houle  
 Bro. Ambrose Arralde, O.P., Weekend Assistant, RCIA

### Parish and School Staff

Janice Harris, Parish Secretary – ext. 100  
 Jennifer Oury Rel. Ed. Coordinator – ext. 110  
 Sheila Martinez, School Principal – ext. 203  
 Katie Sague, School Vice Principal  
 Susan Morais, Administrative Assistant – ext. 204  
 Stephanie Quianzon, Admissions & Marketing  
 Meghan Meyer, High School Ministry Coordinator  
 Sadiq Masih, Plant Manager  
 Dr. Dennis Layendecker, Director of Music  
 Jennifer Chudy, Webmaster

### Committee Chairs

Steven Gallagher, Finance Council  
 Lee Medley, Parish Council  
 Stephen Lennon, School Advisory Board  
 Vincent Browning, Facilities Committee  
 Rae Ann Bevington, Social Justice  
 Shelly O'Brien, Parish Community Committee  
 Annie Durbin, Education Endowment

**New Parishioners:** Welcome to OLV! Please register for parish membership by filling out a registration form. Forms are available in the church, rectory or on our website.

**Bulletin Announcements:** Please submit all announcements to [olvparishsec@gmail.com](mailto:olvparishsec@gmail.com). The deadline is Tuesday at 4 pm.

### Mass Schedule

**Sunday:** 8:00 am; 10:30 am; 12:30 pm (Croatian) please call Fr. Maurus for dates 202-550-1068  
**Saturday Vigil Mass:** 5:15 pm (Fulfills Sunday obligation)  
**Monday-Friday:** 7 am; 11:30 am; (Federal Holidays, 10:30am only)  
**Saturday:** 8:30 am  
**Holy Days of Obligation:** 7 am; 11:30 am; & 7 pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 4 pm – 5 pm or anytime by appointment.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Baptism preparation is required of all parents prior to the celebration of Baptism. Please contact the rectory.

**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Please contact one of the priests or deacons six months in advance. All couples must complete a marriage preparation program.

**Sick Calls:** If you or someone you know is hospitalized or homebound and would like Communion and/or the Sacrament of the Sick, please call the rectory.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Chapel is always open for prayer. Contact Janice Harris at [olvparishsec@gmail.com](mailto:olvparishsec@gmail.com) for more information.

**Adoration Society:** please contact Janice Harris at [olvparishsec@gmail.com](mailto:olvparishsec@gmail.com).

**Recitation of the Rosary:** Saturday after 8:30 am Mass and Monday through Friday at 11:00 am.

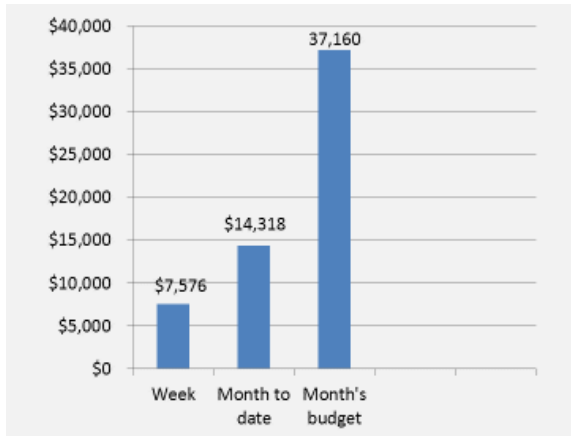
**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):** Adults wishing to become Catholic, please contact Fr. Dave.

**Religious Education for Children (CCD):** Sacramental preparation and religious education for children not attending Catholic schools. Contact Jennifer Oury at (202) 337-4835 ex. 110.

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## SEPTEMBER



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**CONGRATUATIONS** to Katie Sague, OLV School's Vice-Principal, who celebrates her 25th anniversary in the OLV School. A reception in her honor will be held after the 10:30 Mass this Sunday.

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**THANK YOU** to all the volunteers involved in our Parish Religious Education program this year –teaching and assisting with regular Sunday morning class for children, RCIA, and Sacramental Preparation classes. By sharing your faith you are preparing the next generation of Catholics to grow in knowing and loving God and God's people. Our catechists will receive a special blessing during the 10:30 Mass.

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**WELCOME TO GEORGE FORTE**, son of Chris and Fegan, who was baptized into our faith community this weekend. May he and his parents and godparents be richly blessed.



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**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)** – begins this weekend. This class will meet most Sundays (not on 3-day weekends or over holiday weeks) from 9:15 – 10:15 in the Rectory Living Room. It is for adults who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, possibly wanting to receive the sacraments of initiation at the Easter Vigil on April 20, 2019. It is also for Catholic adults who have never received the sacrament of Confirmation, and would like to receive it at the Easter Vigil. If you or someone you know might be interested, please refer them to Jennifer Oury or Father Dave.

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**A REMINDER** --the 7:00 weekday Mass will begin on Monday, October 1st.

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**PLEASE** remember that on the first weekend of October, our parish is being asked by Catholic Charities to collect new and “gently-used” scarves, socks and winter hats to be distributed to the many needy and homeless in our area. All donations will be most appreciated.



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**SEEKING YOUNG ADULTS**, ages 20 to 45, interested in deepening their spiritual lives through prayer, scriptural study, and fellowship. We meet weekly on Wednesday evenings from 7:30pm to about 9pm in the meeting room just past the main doors when approaching from the parking lot. Please contact Maggie Kleber at [soccermags3@gmail.com](mailto:soccermags3@gmail.com) for additional information.

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**POOR BOX-** Donations for the month of September will benefit **Servants of the Lord Missionaries**

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## THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

*Universal* – The Treasure of Families

That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.

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## NEEDED

### READERS OF THE WORD AT MASS

We welcome more volunteers to lector at all weekend Masses. You can choose to do the same week every month or whenever your schedule allows. Sign up is electronic and readings are available online to read in advance. In the next two weeks we will have a brief orientation session after the 10:30 Mass. Please call Janice in the office or email Frances Byers at [franbbyerd@aol.com](mailto:franbbyerd@aol.com) to volunteer or if you have any questions.

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### FOR THOSE SERVING IN TROUBLED SPOTS OF THE WORLD

Please pray for those who are serving in our Military.

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### PRAY FOR THE SICK

John Formant, Margherita Guttmann, Patricia Martinez, David Patterson, Margaret Peiffer, Nancy Sappington, Joanie Schriever, Russell and Carmen Shaw, Guiomar Aguirre Vivas, Jim White and Joanne Wilson

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**JESUS**  
*is always with us*  
Matthew 28.20

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## MASS INTENTIONS

### *Saturday, Sept. 15*

8:30am Victor Silva  
5:15pm Gladys Aguirre

### *Sunday, Sept. 16*

8:00am For the Parish  
10:30am In thanksgiving for Katie Sage

### *Monday, Sept. 17*

11:30am Rudy Rousseau

### *Tuesday, Sept. 18*

11:30am Joni Lawler

### *Wednesday, Sept. 19*

11:30am Inez DeGiuseppe

### *Thursday, Sept. 20*

11:30am James Sullivan

### *Friday, Sept. 21*

11:30am Dr. Francisco Aguirre

### *Saturday, Sept. 22*

8:30am Andy Blenkle  
5:15pm For the parish

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## NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS SEPT. 23, 2018

*First Reading:* Wis 2:12, 17-20

*Responsorial:* Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6 AND 8

*Second Reading:* Jas 3:16—4:3

*Gospel:* Mk 9:30-37

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*Faith Formation*

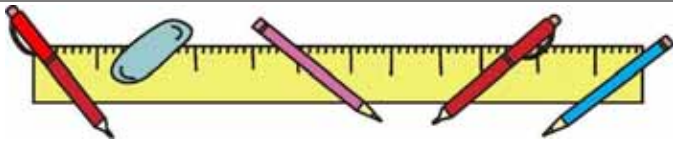
### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

For information contact Jennifer Oury at [olvre1@gmail.com](mailto:olvre1@gmail.com) or 202-337-4835 ext. 110

**Registration is open for RE** for this year. Forms are located in the back of the church and also on the OLV website. The first day of classes is September 16th at 9am. Please note that the deadline to register for this year's Confirmation class is also September 16th. Contact Jennifer Oury at [olvre1@gmail.com](mailto:olvre1@gmail.com) for more information. *Catechists are needed! Please contact Jennifer Oury if you are called to teach the faith to our parish children.*

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## SCHOOL NEWS

### SHOP AT AMAZON & RAISE MONEY FOR OUR LADY OF VICTORY CHURCH

OLV is participating in AmazonSmile, a program that donates 0.5% of all eligible Amazon purchases to our school and parish at no cost to you.

When you shop at smile.amazon.com it's still the same Amazon site but with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion of the purchase price to the church.

#### **Start today:**

Go to smile.amazon.com. Sign-in to your personal Amazon account. Select as your charitable organization Our Lady of Victory Church Washington, DC. Start shopping.

You will see eligible products marked "Eligible for AmazonSmile donation" on their product detail pages. Ask your friends and family members to do the same.

*Important: make sure you shop from the smile.amazon.com address and not just amazon.com in order for your purchases to be eligible.*

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### 2018 CYO CROSS COUNTRY REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

OLV runners it's time to sign-up for another fun CYO Cross Country season! This year we'll focus on running up and down hills and other technical terrain while building speed and endurance along the way. Runners need a pair of running shoes, a water bottle, and a willingness to put in a little hard work in order to have a whole lot of fun. All levels of runners are welcome.

To register please go to <https://reg.sportspilot.com/106582/leagues>. The cost is \$80 per runner and open to all runners in grades 1-8. Financial assistance is available please contact Donna Gibson at [gym@olvschooldc.org](mailto:gym@olvschooldc.org).

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### PALISADE'S GEORGETOWNLION'S CLUB CRAB FEAST AND BAKE SALE

Please join us on *Friday, September 28, 2018* at 6:00pm-9:00pm for our great Crab Feast to be held at St. Ann's in gym, Tenley Circle.



**\$30** gets you all you can eat in advance. **\$35** at the door. For non-crab lovers a picnic style dinner will be available for **\$10**. Kids under 8 eat **free**.

For more information or tickets email [Sgtjohns919@gmail.com](mailto:Sgtjohns919@gmail.com)

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### CATHOLIC BUSINESS NETWORK

The Board of Directors of the Catholic Business Network of Washington, DC cordially invites you to attend the Fifth Annual Gala supporting Catholic education and honoring distinguished members of our community.

Join us as we honor Our Catholic Business Persons of the Year, Bill and Mary Noel Page of Page Honda and Our Religious of the Year, Sister Mary Bader of St Ann's Center for Children, Youth and Families.

**Thursday, October 4, 2018: 6 PM**

The Four Seasons: 2800 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, D.C. 20007

Tickets and sponsorships may be purchased at <https://www.cbndc.org/events/gala>

For more information contact Justin Silvers, [jsilvers@cbndc.org](mailto:jsilvers@cbndc.org) or 202-957-5188.

We hope you can join us!

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### LET'S TALK ABOUT FAITH AND LIFE

Through Sunday, September 23, a series of talks on various topics concerning the dignity of human life will be held each Sunday evening (except Labor Day weekend) from 6:30-8:30pm at St. Dominic Church in Washington, DC (630 E Street, SW). Co-sponsored by the parish and the archdiocesan Department of Life Issues, topics include abortion, just war, foster care and adoption, persons with disabilities, the sexual revolution, euthanasia, poverty, sex trafficking, capital punishment, racism, and immigration. The talks will take place in the Parish Meeting Room, and please bring a dish to share for a potluck dinner. For more information, please email [prolife@adw.org](mailto:prolife@adw.org).

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