

**May 14, 2023**

**Sixth Sunday of Easter**

**Rev. Joseph T. Szolack**  
*Pastor*

**Rev. John W. March**  
*Parochial Vicar*

**Rev. Antony Savari Muthu**  
*Parochial Vicar*

**Rev. René Canales**  
*Hispanic Ministry*

**Andy Encarnado**   **Robert Foley**   **Toby Haley**

*Deacon*

*Deacon*


*Deacon*

**Michael Harkins**

*Retired Deacon*

**Jack Werner**

*Retired Deacon*



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### Stewardship Plans

*"For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be God's will, than for doing evil." 1 PETER 3:17*

The old line says "if you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans." Many of us are diligent in our planning and making sure things are progressing smoothly. Then disaster strikes, we don't get the result we anticipated or an unforeseen problem arises. Many times, we may respond negatively and ask, "Why me? I did everything right!" Here's the thing – adversity humbles us and reminds us of our dependence on God and not on our own self-reliance. Rest assured, God has a better plan in store for his Stewards.

### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30pm Vigil  
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00pm and 6:00pm

### WEEK DAY MASS

Monday-Friday: 8:00am and 9:00am  
Monday: 6:30pm Rosary  
7:00pm Miraculous Medal Novena  
Saturday: 8:45am St. Jude Novena  
9:00am Mass

### MISA EN ESPAÑOL (ST. JUDE CHURCH)

Miércoles: 7:00pm  
Sábado: 6:00pm  
Domingo: 9:30am

### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Eve of Holy Day: 7:00pm  
Holy Day: 8:00am, 9:00am, 12:10pm, 7:00pm

### CONFESSIONS

Monday: 7:30pm  
Saturday: 9:30am - 10:00am and 3:30pm -  
4:15pm or by appointment

### *Saint Agnes Church*

701 Little Gloucester Road  
Blackwood, NJ 08012  
(856) 228-4331

### *Saint Jude Church*

402 S. Black Horse Pike  
Blackwood, NJ 08012  
(856) 228-1571

### *Our Lady of Hope Regional School*

420 S. Black Horse Pike  
Blackwood, NJ 08012  
(856) 227-4442

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday May 13th

4:30 pm † The names on the Mother's Day Envelopes on the Altar

### Sunday May 14th

7:30 am † The names on the Mother's Day Envelopes on the Altar

9:00 am † The names on the Mother's Day Envelopes on the Altar

10:30 am † The names on the Mother's Day Envelopes on the Altar

12:00 pm † The names on the Mother's Day Envelopes on the Altar

6:00 pm † The names on the Mother's Day Envelopes on the Altar

### Monday May 15th

8:00 am † Vincent and Catherine Michalak by Their Grandson, Ed

9:00 am Special Intentions by The Busa Family

### Tuesday May 16th

8:00 am † George Wylie by Sandra Wylie

9:00 am † Cora Mendek by Roger and Ginny Goodman and Family

### Wednesday May 17th

8:00 am † Rose and Louis Consalvo by Their Daughter, Carmela Greco

9:00 am † Thomas Blanche by Larry and Peg Iaccio

### Thursday May 18th

8:00 am † Harry Habina by Theresa McGlinchey and Michael Monteith

9:00 am † Susan Whelan by Her Mom and Dad

### Friday May 19th

8:00 am People of the Parish

9:00 am † Vincent Zigman by The Sciscio Family

### Saturday May 20th

9:00 am † David Jewett by Joseph Trujillo

† Deceased Members of the Barcellona Family by Christine Kimler

† Roger Reed by Cathy Bennett and Family

† Frank Maggio by MaryAnn and Gary Mower

† Geraldine Sanoski by Family Festival Committee

† Joanne Werner by Gloria and Colleen

† Tommy DeCasere by Sarah Costantino

† Sue Tisa by Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kochanski

† Joan Walz by The Hudson Family

† John Vincent Sergi by The Family

4:30 pm † Vince Donatucci by The Family

### Sunday May 21st

7:30 am † Alejandro Ramos Sr. by The Ramos Family

9:00 am † Living and Deceased Members of the Altar and Rosary Society

10:30 am † Sister Dorothy by The Kavanaugh Family

12:00 pm † Alfred Ciccotelli, Sr. by His Grateful Employees

6:00 pm † Lucille Kasprack by Gary Kasprack



Frank D'Amico, John Esposito, David Anthony Galda, P Guida, Jonny Hoffman, James Joshua Margaret M. , Steve Marchesani, The Menniti Family, Edward Michalak, John Nemeth, Roxanne Nemeth, Sherry Pernick, Anthony Porcellini, Matty Raino, Pamela Reed, Roger Reed, The Renz Family, Jacob Rivera, Jaxon Rivera, Carmela Rubio, Randy S & Family, Theresa Sadowiczak, Donna Salerno, Richard Schmidt, Kathy Siedlecki, Lauren Thomas, Stephanie Tomasco,.

### ADDED THIS WEEK:

Names remain on the sick list for **6 weeks**.  
Please notify the office if names should be removed earlier or remain on longer.

The Church Sanctuary Candle this week burns  
in Loving Memory of:

**Eleanor Riti**

at the request of:

**Her Daughter**



The Chapel Sanctuary Candle this week burns  
in Loving Memory of:

**Cora and Patricia Mendek**

at the request of:

**Their Loving Family**



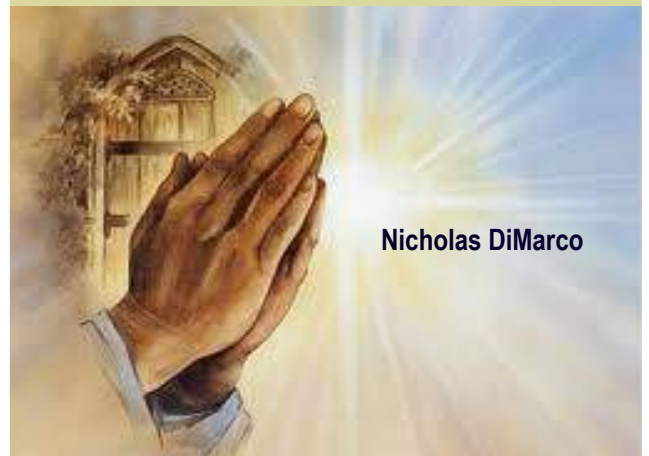
**TOTAL # OF DONORS: 422**  
**TOTAL PLEDGES: \$172,499**

**82.1% of Goal**  
**PARISH GOAL: \$ 210,200**  
Update as of: May 05, 2023

**Please remember the South Jersey Catholic Ministries  
Appeal (Formally known as House of Charity).**

**Pledge cards available in the Gathering Space  
or at the Parish Office.**

### **PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:**



**Nicholas DiMarco**



## *A Message from our Pastor, Rev. Joseph T. Szolack*



Dear Friends in Christ,

On May 6<sup>th</sup>, King Charles III was crowned as King of Great Britain and the Commonwealth Realm. The St Edward's crown was placed on the monarch's head. The crown, made for King Charles II in 1661, was previously worn by Queen Elizabeth II at her 1953 coronation. The symbolism and much pomp were certainly impressive and very British. This monarchy is a Protestant one and regretfully has anti Catholic aspects. There are Catholic monarchs such as those from the royal families of Spain, Belgium, Luxembourg, Monaco, Liechtenstein, Andorra, and Lesotho. Despite these venerable monarchies, in the month of May, we traditionally crown with flowers the Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of the May. The Fifth Glorious Mystery is the Coronation or Crowning of the Holy Virgin Mary. Pope Saint Paul VI said in 1965, "It is precisely because the month of May is a powerful incentive to more fervent and trusting prayer, and because, during it, our petitions find their way more easily to the compassionate heart of our Blessed Lady, that it has been a custom dear to our predecessors to choose this month, dedicated to Mary, for inviting the Christian people to offer up public prayers, whenever the needs of the Church demanded it, or whenever danger with flowers hovered menacingly over the world." The Lord Jesus is the King of kings, Lord of lords and His Most Holy Mother is the Queen Mother. The great Pope Saint John Paul II said of Our Queen, "The queen symbol was attributed to Mary because she was a perfect follower of Christ, who is the absolute 'crown' of creation. She is the Mother of the Son of God, who is the messianic King. Mary is the Mother of Christ, the Word Incarnate...' He will be great and will be called Son of the Most High; The Lord will give Him the throne of His father David; and He will reign over the house of Jacob forever; and of His kingdom there will be no end.' Elizabeth greeted the Blessed Virgin, pregnant with Jesus, as 'the mother of my Lord.' Mary is the perfect follower of Christ. The maid of Nazareth consented to God's plan; she journeyed on the pilgrimage of faith; she listened to God's Word and kept it in her heart; she remained steadfastly in close union with her Son, all the way to the foot of the Cross; she persevered in prayer with the Church. Thus, in an eminent way, she won the 'crown of righteousness,' 'the crown of life,' 'the crown of glory' that is promised to those who follow Christ. And upon completion of her earthly sojourn, she was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory and was exalted by the Lord as Queen of all, in order that she might be more completely conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and the victor over death." May 3<sup>rd</sup> is the Feast of the Most Holy Virgin Mary, Queen of Poland; it was an honor to crown Our Lady in our grotto on May 6<sup>th</sup>. Our Mother and Queen has so many titles and we invoke her powerful intercession upon us: Our Lady of Hope; Our Lady of Knock (Ireland); Pambansáng Dambana ng Mahal na Birhen ng Lourdes (Philippines); Our Lady of Czestochowa (Poland); Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Nigeria); Our Lady of Guadalupe (Mexico); The Immaculate Conception (USA); Nuestra Señora de Chiquinquirá (Colombia); and Our Lady of Loreto (Italy); amongst so many loving shrines to Our Lady. There are earthly queens and kings, but only one Lady deserves to wear the crown placed on her fair head in Heaven and she is Miriam of Nazareth.

A garden bower in flower  
Grew waiting for God's hand:  
Where no man ever trod,  
This was the Gate of God.  
The first bower was red  
Her lips which "welcome" said.  
The second bower was blue  
Her eyes that let God through.  
The third bower was white  
Her soul in God's sight.  
Three bowers of love  
Now Christ from Heaven above.

LAWRENCE HOUSMAN

God bless you,  
Father Szolack



**Pray for our Military men and women:** Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Bring them home safely. May their sacrifices bring about a lasting and just peace in all lands. We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Please include these requests from our Parishioners in your prayers:

F Co. Unit and Lt. Cpl. Jacques Revoir; PFC Joseph DiJulio; Spec. Michael Sermarina, Iraq; Josh Treusch; PFC Zachary Krytzer; Sarah Turse, Afghanistan; Major Kristina Levins Himmelirch- USAF; Lt. Evan Cleaver, Afghanistan; Kevin Higgins; CSSN Nicholas Anthony Ferro - US Navy Submarine USSF Dallas Groton CT.; John Loberto - Military Police Afghanistan; Ssgt. Damian Bates, USMC; Private John Andrew McWilliams Afghanistan; Michael Mortka SSG, US Army; Sean Cyphert - USMC; Michael N Ekimoglou, USMC; Lt. Eric W. Courtois, US Air Force; DC1 Russell Estes, USN; Lt. Cpl. Andrew McWilliam Afghanistan; Justin Alberico, US Air Force; SSgt Joseph Hodson, Lt. Tom Gaffney; SPC Madgey, Bernard, PFC DiGennaro, Zacharo, Cpl Dzierzynski, Derrick, US Army, Private Matthew Zaleski - USMC, E8 Sgt Major Kevin Kirkpatrick - US National Guard; Capt. Sean Hunt, United States Marine Corp, Camp Pendleton, CA; , Tara Feltwell - United States Navy, SR Kevin Wolf - U.S. Navy; Sgt. Steven Charyszyn—USMC; Ens. Robert W. McKenna, United States Coast Guard; Capt. Robert E. McKenna, United States Coast Guard; 1st LT Matthew DiGiacomo - US Air Force; Spec. Michael Whelan, US Army, Megan Capobianco 2nd Lt US Army; RCT George Stuart - USMC; Arron Brown, SSGT - Army Reserve; LT J.G Joseph L Andricola, USN; SPC Michael D'Intino - US Army. , Sgt. James Buckingham - US Army; John Flynn - USN; Christopher Foschini - E4 Army; Cpl. Christopher Duddy - USMC; AOAR Melanie Charyszyn, 1st Lt Joseph F. Donnelly - USMC; A1C Matthew Urban of the US Air Force; PFC Justin Wellik, Cpl. John T. McCormick- USMC; Cpl. Jake S. McCormick- USMC; PFC Jarrett J. McCormick-USMC; PFC Patrick Mahon-USMC.; Capt Julie Ford, US Air Force ; Alexis Brown - US Army; Vincent Lauro Pilla, US Navy



**ITEMS NEEDED: SYRUP, GRAPE JELLY, CEREAL and PASTA**

Your response to our needed items each week is truly heartwarming and sincerely appreciated by the many families we help every week. We try to keep our shelves stocked with many basic items that help these families to keep up with other vital expenses in their lives that they struggle to pay. Most of us are so blessed to have ample food for our families and a decent place to live. It's easy to forget that many in our immediate area have fallen on hard times due to illness or loss of employment. The mission of the Society of St. Vincent DePaul is to give consolation and assistance to these individuals without judgement. We couldn't do it without YOU – our fellow parishioners. THANK YOU!!!!

**Facebook:**

<https://www.facebook.com/StVincentdePaulOurLadyofHopeParish>

**Website:**

<https://svdpoloh.weebly.com/>



Parish Giving

**THANK YOU**  
to the  
**277 families**  
who participate in the Parish  
Giving program for contributions!



**The Collection Total**

(April 29/30)

**Collection: \$ 13,616**  
**E-Giving: \$ 4,899**  
**TOTAL: \$ 18,515**

**Need a Bulletin Announcement ?**

Please e-mail: [bulletin@ourladyofhopenj.org](mailto:bulletin@ourladyofhopenj.org).

**To Advertise in the Bulletin:**

Call: 1.800.333.3166

**Weekly Readings:**

**May 15<sup>th</sup> - May 21<sup>st</sup>**

**Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup>**

Acts of the Apostles 16:11-15  
John 15:26-16:4

**Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>**

Acts of the Apostles 16:22-34  
John 16:5-11

**Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>**

Acts of the Apostles 17:22-18:1  
John 16:12-15

**Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup>**

Acts of the Apostles 18:1-8  
John 16:16-20

**Friday, May 19<sup>th</sup>**

Acts of the Apostles 18:9-18  
John 16:20-23

**Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup>**

Acts of the Apostles 18:23-28  
John 16:23-28

**Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>**

*The Ascension of the Lord*  
Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11  
Ephesians 1:17-23  
Matthew 28:16-20

## NEWS AND EVENTS



Knights of Columbus, 9193, Presents:  
the 15th annual "BOB STEFANO MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT"

June 09, 2023

12:30PM Registration with Lunch, 2:00PM Shotgun Start,  
Buffett Dinner following Golf.



Sponsorships are available for Lunch, Dinner, Happy Hour, Tees, and Gifts.

If you wish to golf, or be a sponsor or patron, please visit our webpage: [www.kofc9193.org/golf](http://www.kofc9193.org/golf)

Or Call: Shawn McGovern @ 609-458-1889, Rich Calabrese @ 856-236-1234, John Colaianni @ 609-922-6661



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ParishGiving logo at the bottom of the page.



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN  
BECOMING AN ALTAR SERVER?

Interested children 3rd Grade or higher  
who have made their First Communion,  
are invited to attend an information session currently  
being planned for June 16th beginning at 6pm.

For more information, please contact Andrea at:  
[asam42@outlook.com](mailto:asam42@outlook.com)



### MOTHER'S DAY BLESSING

Blessed is the Mother,  
Who lets the Lord be her guiding hand,  
Whose faith brings her family courage,  
Whose wisdom comes from God,  
And whose children still  
stand and honor her.

*Happy Mother's day!*



We were incredibly thankful for José  
speaking to us about the Catholic pillar of  
Hope at our last meeting! He gave us  
fantastic examples of how he has hope  
every day of his life in ministry work, his home life &  
those around him!  
Be sure to come check out our group at the Parish Carni-  
val as we will have small giveaways for young adults!



Scan the QR code and check  
out our various social media pages  
to join us at our next event!  
Meetings held at Our Lady of Hope Parish!



STEPHEN  
MINISTRY

"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2

Stephen Ministry is a one on one, Christ centered, Ministry. You will have a  
confidential relationship with one of our Stephen Ministers, who will walk with  
you through the rough life event you're experiencing.

Do you or someone you know need a Stephen Minister? Contact:  
Patti Infanti 609-471-2153 • Suzanne Carlucci 856-782-7395 • Howard Morell 609-221-0970.

## NEWS AND EVENTS

Effective Sunday, July 02, 2023,  
Our Lady of Hope Parish's Mass schedule will be:



**Saturday: 4:30pm**

**Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 6:00pm**

**Please note:** Our Daily Mass times and Holy Day Mass

**DO YOU KNOW  
SOMEONE  
WHO NEEDS A RIDE  
TO CHURCH?**



If you know of someone who usually has no way to get to weekend Mass, please let them know Our Lady of Hope Parish has parishioners who have volunteered to take them to Mass with them on a regular basis. Anyone needing a ride should call the parish office at 856-228-4331.



**MAY IS  
MENTAL  
HEALTH  
MONTH**  
TAKE SOME TIME TO  
LOOK AFTER YOUR MENTAL  
HEALTH. NATIONAL.ORG/MAY

A strong sense of community within our Church and neighborhood protects mental health through shared support, resources, and joy. Our emotional health paired with our physical health make us "healthy." Stress is normal for our bodies; however, we are generally able to recover from short periods of stress. But stress that continues over a long period of time places more strain to our health. Mental stress can impact the immune system in many different ways and increase physical illness.

Spending time in nature is linked to many positive mental health outcomes, including improved focus, lower stress, better mood, reduced risk of developing mental health conditions, and a sense of connection to yourself, community, and purpose. Being around nature doesn't have to mean hiking in a forest. It can be walking in a park, bringing a plant inside, or sitting in your backyard.

*"Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your mind in Christ Jesus." – Philippians 4: 6-7.*

The Most Reverend Dennis J. Sullivan, D.D. announces that he intends to ordain Mr. Ricardo Lozano Cruz to the Sacred Order of Deacon on Saturday, the 20th day of May, 2023 at Saint Damien Parish in Ocean City, New Jersey.

The faithful of the Diocese of Camden are asked to pray for Ricardo. At the same time the faithful are obliged to reveal impediments to sacred orders, if they know of any, by contacting their pastor before the ordination in accord with the norms of cc. 1043 and 1051.2 of the Code of Canon Law.

Mary Immaculate, patroness of the Diocese of Camden, intercede for Ricardo and for an increase in vocations to the priesthood here in South Jersey.

Our Lady of Hope Parish's  
**STELLAR**  
SHINE JESUS' LIGHT  
Vacation Bible Camp

Experience an out of this world camp!  
Spend your days in outer space,  
playing, singing, & dancing. Each day  
campers will also make a craft, have a  
snack, and hear a new bible story.

**July 17-21 | 9:00-12:30**

**REGISTER ON THE  
PARISH WEBSITE TODAY!**



### **FLAMES OF FIRE CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP**

**Join us every Thursday at 6:30 (Rosary) with Praise and Worship, Prayer, Song, Teaching and Fellowship at Our Lady of Hope Parish Chapel.**  
**ALL ARE WELCOME!**



### **ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY**

Members of the Altar & Rosary Society are reminded that May's intention Mass and new member installation will be Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at the 9AM Mass. Our spring luncheon will follow at 1145AM at Villari's restaurant.

## NEWS AND EVENTS

Our Lady of Hope Parish Softball Team 2023 season has begun! Home games are played at Gloucester Community Park, 300 Hickstown Rd in Sicklerville beginning at 6:15pm.  
**COME OUT AND SUPPORT YOUR PARISH TEAM!**



2023 OUR LADY OF HOPE			
Date	Time	Location	Opponent
Wed 5/10/23	6:15pm	Home	Infant Jesus
Wed 5/17/23	6:15pm	Home	Our Lady of Peace
Tues 5/23/23	6:15pm	Away	St. Charles
Thur 5/25/23	6:15pm	Away	Holy Angels
Wed 5/31/23	6:15pm	Home	Holy Angels
Wed 6/7/23	6:15pm	Home	Holy Family
Mon 6/12/23	<b>ALL-STAR</b>	<b>GAME</b>	St. Charles
Tues 6/13/23	6:15pm	Away	Infant Jesus
Mon 6/19/23	6:15pm	Away	Christ the Redeemer
Wed 6/21/23	6:15pm	Home	St. Charles
Wed 6/28/23	6:15pm	Home	St. Rose



# Catholic Schools Job Fair

## Hiring Teachers and Staff

Over 29  
Elementary  
and High  
Schools  
Represented!

**May 10th**  
**2pm - 6pm**  
Church of Incarnation  
Mantua, NJ

**May 17th**  
**2pm - 6pm**  
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church  
Absecon, NJ

*Positions include: Elementary school teachers, high school teachers, administrators, office staff and more!*

Register Today!

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presents the annual

## NJ CATHOLIC YOUTH RALLY



**SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2023**  
**9 AM - CLOSING**

Join Catholic youth and their families from across the state for a day of fun and prayer. There will be a special opening ceremony, buffet style lunch, and the celebration of Sunday Mass!!!


\$65

PER PERSON  
Parking | Admission | Meal Voucher |

\$30

PER PERSON  
Meal Voucher for Season Pass Holders

**TO PURCHASE TICKETS OR FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL / EMAIL**  
**JOSE.RODRIGUEZ@CAMDENDIOCESE.ORG**  
**856-583-2908**



## PARISH CARNIVAL

MAY 18-20, 2023

YOUR DONATIONS ARE REQUESTED  
TO HELP MAKE OUR CARNIVAL A BIG SUCCESS!

*If you wish to donate needed items for our Carnival, suggestions are:*

- Cases of Coke & Diet Coke; Pepsi & Diet Pepsi, Sierra Mist; Juice Boxes and Iced Tea*
- Cases of 16 oz. Water Bottles*
- All-Beef Hotdogs*
- Powdered Sugar*

*Please place your contributions in the Gathering Space located in the back of the church.*

Thank you! ~ The Carnival Committee



**Principal:** Mrs. Elizabeth Martino  
 420 S. Black Horse Pike, Blackwood, NJ 08012  
**PHONE:** (856) 227-4442  
**E-MAIL:** [jmontgomery@olohschool.org](mailto:jmontgomery@olohschool.org)

**Currently Enrolling PreK3-7th grade.**

PreK options:

PreK3 - Tues/Thurs AM or PM session

PreK4 - M-W-F Full day or AM only

**NEW THIS YEAR:**

PreK4 five day program, M-F AM only or Full day.

Contact Jacki Montgomery for more details.  
 856-227-4442 x107

**Tuesday Tours**

Join us on Tuesdays from 4pm - 6pm for school tours and admission information. Please RSVP to [JMontgomery@olohschool.org](mailto:JMontgomery@olohschool.org)

Calling all Alumni - Where are you now? We are looking for OLOH Alumni to feature in our "Where Are They Now" series and/or to participate in a career day. If you are interested, please contact [JMontgomery@olohschool.org](mailto:JMontgomery@olohschool.org). Please include: name, graduation year and current employment field.

To learn more:  
 visit: [www.ourladyofhopecatholicsschool.org](http://www.ourladyofhopecatholicsschool.org)  
 Call: 856-227-4442

**YOUTH MINISTRY**  
*Our Lady of Hope*

**"YOUNG HOPE" & "RISING HOPE"**  
*Serving Teens in Grades 5 through 12*

05/14

No Youth Group  
**HAPPY MOTHERS' DAY!!**

Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church.

Bless these women, that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers.

Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.

Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound love and respect.

Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen

**This week: Thur, Fri, and Sat (5/18, 5/19, and 5/20)**  
**Our Lady of Hope Parish Carnival**

If still interested in volunteering, please see a Carnival representative in the Gathering Space at Church this weekend. Please consider offering your time to help make this a successful event for our Parish!



**NEW JERSEY CATHOLIC YOUTH RALLY**

Sunday, May 21, 2023

Ticket Price: \$65 (increase)

Season Ticket Holder Price: \$30

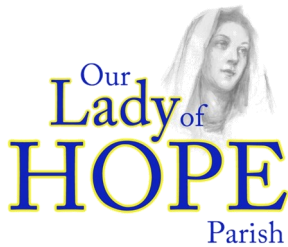
**Note: This year's ticket price DOES NOT include a bounce-back ticket or transportation!!**

Does include admission into the park, Opening Ceremony, 3-hour all-you-can-eat buffet, Mass, and a parking pass per car

Open to all Jr High, High School, Parish/School Athletic Programs, Youth Groups, Scouts, other Ministry Programs, and families!

**FRIENDS AND FAMILIES WELCOME!**

**Sunday, May 28 - No Youth Group**  
**Happy Memorial Day**



# Office Of Faith Formation/RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Phone: (856) 227-0555

Fax: (856) 227-0743

Absence Call: (856) 228-4920

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Mary Jo Dwyer, DRE Trudy Cranston, Confirmation Coordinator Cathy Bennett, Secretary



Come and see the most important archaeological discoveries related to Biblical events from Genesis to the Gospels. Our guide, Jean-Pierre Isbouts, DLitt, National Geographic Historian looks for parallels between the biblical stories and historical sources found in the most powerful civilizations of the time.

Explore key stories from Genesis and Exodus to the books of Joshua, Judges, Samuel and Kings with visits to sites in Israel, Egypt, Greece and Jordan. Then focus on the Babylonian Exile and the Postexilic era, with the last lessons addressing groundbreaking discoveries related to the New Testament. Every Biblical story is treated as a valued conveyor of meaning, with moral and religious significance.

**When:** Mondays at 7:00 to 8:00pm

**Where:** Parish Center

**Dates:** May 15, June 5, June 12, June 19, July 24, 31, August 14 & 28.

**No cost to attend. Come enjoy one or all of the lessons. For questions call Mary Jo at (856) 227-0555.**

## Youth Faith Formation News

### Son Seekers 2023

Son Seekers registration is now open! The June session is closed The only week available for the 7th Level, (Confirmation Level), is August 21-25, 2023. Please go online and register for classes. If you are interested in being a Catechist, please contact Cathy in the Office of Faith Formation. Please read all the instructions carefully. If you have any questions, please contact us at 856-227-0555.

**Saint's Corner: St. Helen:** Saint Helen was not only the finder of the cross but she was a good and holy woman. Helen and her husband had a son before he divorced her and married another woman for political reasons. This son became Emperor Constantine, He named his mother Augusta, and coins were struck with her image. Constantine was the first Christian emperor. It was he who declared Christianity a legal religion, ending the persecutions in the Roman Empire. Helen became a Christian when she was about sixty-three years old. She used her money for the poor and to build churches. Although she was "empress of the world", she was also "mother of the poor". On Golgotha, where Jesus was crucified, has stood a temple to the goddess Venus. After this temple was removed, Constantine ordered a church to be built on Golgotha. He sent St. Helen, who was then eighty years old, to Palestine to supervise the work. According to the story, Helen also wanted to find the cross on which Jesus died. Three crosses were found, one of them with the inscription that has been on Jesus' cross: King of the Jews. St. Helen saw that the cross was venerated at the church on Calvary. She also had basilicas built at the Mount of Olives and Bethlehem.

### Upcoming Events:

- 05-15 Bible Study
- 05-18 Carnival
- 05-19 Carnival
- 05-20 Carnival
- 05-21 Family Faith after 10:30am Mass - final class

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# Sexto Domingo de Pascua

Domingo 14 de mayo, 2023

**Horario de Misas**  
Miércoles: (Solo misas  
Especiales a las 7 PM)  
Sábado: 6 PM  
Domingo: 9:30 AM

**Horario de Oficina**  
Lunes a miércoles 9:30AM a 5PM  
Jueves y viernes 9:30AM a 4 PM  
CERRADO DE 12 A 1 PM almuerzo



### OFICINA CERRADA

Lunes 29 de mayo en observación al Día Memorial.

La oficina comienza a cerrar los viernes comenzando el viernes 16 de junio hasta el 1 de septiembre.



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**META:** Haber programado 5,000 Intenciones de Misas para diciembre, 31, 2025. Hasta la fecha se han programado 4,200+

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3. **¿Como?:** Usted puede pasar por la oficina de la Iglesia para programar su intención de Misa por la Vida. La donación es de \$15.



### CLASE PRE-BAUTISMAL

Próxima clase será el sábado 27 de mayo comenzando con la Misa de las 6 pm.

### BAUTIZOS

Los bautizos se realizan los terceros sábados del mes a las 10:30am ya sea con el padre René Canales o el diácono Omar Aguilar.

Para bautizar, por favor llame al número que se encuentra arriba de esta página para obtener más información.

**\*\*NO puede entrar a la clase pre bautismal sin antes haber llenado aplicación de bautizo.**

### MISA MEMORIAL DE DIFUNTOS

Si usted desea programar una Misa Memorial (Ejemplo: para el año de un familiar...) favor de llamar a la oficina de la Iglesia al menos 4-6 semanas antes de la fecha deseada, para confirmar si dicha fecha está disponible.

### Durante la semana

#### Domingo mayo 14, 2023

8:00am: Rosario—Iglesia  
9:30am: Misa

#### Lunes mayo 15, 2023

#### Martes mayo 16, 2023

#### Miércoles mayo 17, 2023

#### Jueves mayo 18, 2023 **CARNAVAL OLOH**

7:00pm: IMEC—Capilla

#### Viernes mayo 19, 2023 **CARNAVAL OLOH**

6:00pm: Grupo de Jóvenes

#### Sábado mayo 20, 2023 **CARNAVAL OLOH**

4:00pm: Legión de María—Capilla

6:00pm: Misa

7:00pm: Grupo de Oración Jesus el Buen Pastor—Iglesia

#### Domingo mayo 21, 2023

8:00am: Rosario—Iglesia

9:30am: Misa

### Reflexión Espiritual

#### En preparación del domingo, mayo 21, 2023

**Primera lectura:** HECHOS de los APOSTOLES 1: 1-11.

**Segunda lectura:** EFESIOS 1: 17-23.

**Evangelio:** MATEO 28: 16-20.

### MATRIMONIO

Los arreglos para el Matrimonio deben hacerse un año de anticipación debido a la necesidad de preparación. Por favor llame la oficina de la Iglesia para más detalles y hacer cita con la sra. Carmen Williams.

### EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

Comenzaremos a registrar para el año 2023-2024 la última semana de junio.

Necesita traer certificado de nacimiento y bautizo si su niña/o asiste por primera vez. Se requiere un depósito del 50% de la matrícula el **mismo** día de la registración **más lo que debe del año anterior**. La matrícula es la siguiente; \$125 por un niño/a y \$225 por dos niños o más en la familia.

**Se necesitan catequistas para las clases de septiembre a mayo 2023-24.**

#### Requisitos:

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