

# Our Lady of the Hills Parish

A PARISH OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF SPRINGFIELD

**MAY 14, 2023**

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Weekday Mass

**Monday - Thursday**  
8:30 AM

### Weekend Mass

**Saturday**

4:00 PM

**Sunday**

8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

### Confessions

**Saturday**

3:00 - 3:30 PM

**Wednesday**

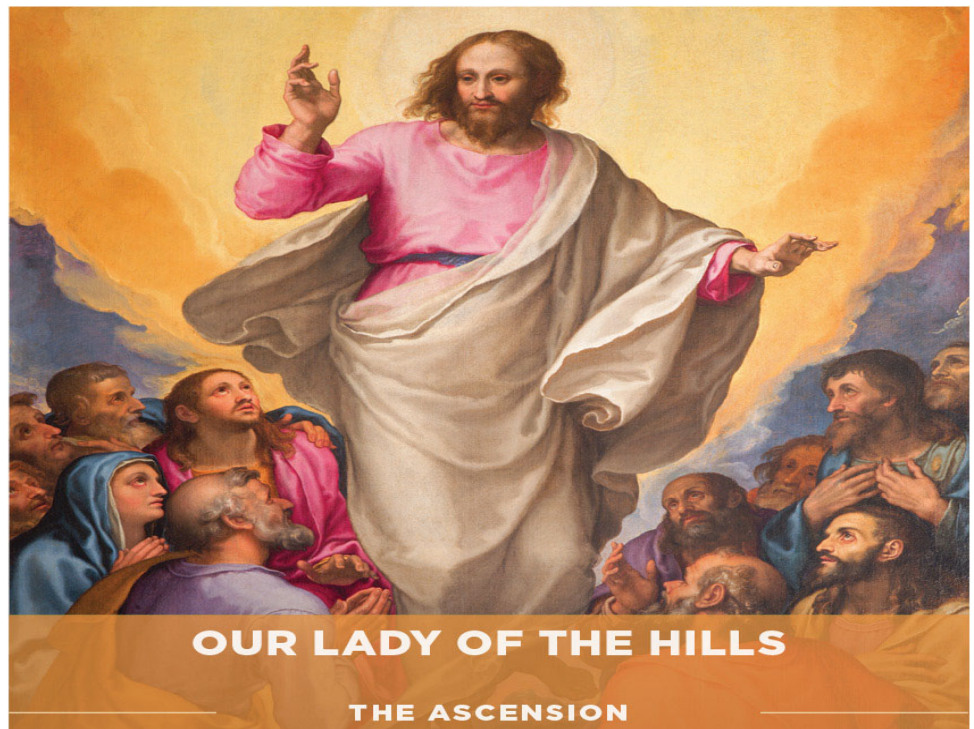
9:00 - 9:30 AM

### Holy Day Masses

8:30 AM & 6:30 PM



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**OUR LADY OF THE HILLS**

**THE ASCENSION**

## THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

“All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.” - Mt 28:18b-19

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## OUR LOCATIONS

### Our Lady of the Hills Parish

173 Main St, Haydenville MA 01039  
P: (413) 268-7212 | F: (413) 268-7202  
olothparish@gmail.com  
www.olothhaydenville.org

### Rectory Office

Monday - Wednesday | 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

### Cemetery

St. Mary of the Assumption Cemetery located in Leeds, MA  
Please call the Rectory Office at 413-268-7212.

## FEATURED UPDATE

**Save the date June 25, 2023, after 10:30am Mass**

**Our annual summer picnic is back again.**

**Please see sign up in back of church.**

**More info to follow**



# STAFF AND WEEKLY INFORMATION

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## PARISH STAFF

### Administrator

Rev. John Gawienowski | 413-268-7212

### Deacon

Dn. Mark Kolasinski

### Parish Secretary

Johanna Collins | 413-268-7212 | Monday-Wednesday

### Position Title

Heidi Pruzynski | 413-268-7212 | Thursday

### Maintenance

Garry Michaud | 413-320-9691

### Organist & Music Ministry Director

Steve Calderone msecalderson@comcast.net

### Faith Formation Director

Donna Polwrek | 413-268-4045  
olothfaithformation@gmail.com

### Parish Safe Training Coordinator

Colleen Padeck | 413-210-3226

### Prayer Line

Joanne Parsons | 413-584-8199

### Child Protection

Norman Charest (interim) | 413-452-0624

Safe Environment & Victim Assistance

<http://diospringfield.org/Ministries/child-youth-protection>

## Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal	.....	\$3,500.00
May 7,	.....	\$4,620.00

### Coffee Cafe - summer break

Our Sunday cafe after masses will continue through May 21st then take a summer break.

Thank you to all those who have helped keep this cafe open. Through the years many hands have opened & closed the cafe, set up tables and bought or baked delicious goodies to share.

Thanks also to all who have supported us by stopping in and sharing fellowship with old and new friends

If anyone is interested in setting up coffee during June, July or August, they may contact me for information.

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or [rljasionkowski@comcast.net](mailto:rljasionkowski@comcast.net)



## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

May 18th Ascension Thursday & Confirmation

6:30 PM Lector - Alma Rondina

Euch. Minister - Carol Demerski

Greeters - Joan Gruszkowski

May 20th

4 PM Lector - Maggie Reagan

Euch. Minister - Laurie Pennell

Greeter - Carol Demerski and Dolores Auclair

May 21st

8 AM Lector - Brian Barry

Euch. Minister - Russell LaRoche

Greeter - Lois Bazluke & Madelyn Breen

10:30 AM Lector - Mary Murphy

Euch. Minister - Nancy Wook

Greeters - Tim Tessier & Tony Giardina

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday May 13 04:00 p.m. † Francis Rowley

Sunday, May 14 08:00 a.m. † Edna Boyle

Sunday, May 14 10:30 a.m. †

Monday, May 15 08:30 a.m. †

Tuesday, May 16 08:30 a.m. † Living and Deceased Members

Wednesday, May 17 08:30 a.m. † All Souls in purgatory

Thursday, May 18 08:30 a.m. † Holy day of obligation & confirmation

Saturday, May 20 04:00 p.m. † Francis "PeeWee" Demerski 16th Anniversary from the family

Sunday, May 21 08:00 a.m. † Madelyn & Wilfred Allaire from Bernie, Nancy & Patsy

Sunday, May 21 10:30 a.m. †

**Adoration will be held on Monday May 15, 2023 1:00 - 3:00 PM. Benediction about 2:50 PM**



## Weekly Prayer

### Sunday's Readings

#### First Reading:

Then they laid hands on them  
and they received the Holy Spirit. (Acts 8:17)

#### Psalm:

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy. (Ps 66)  
Or Alleluia.

#### Second Reading:

For Christ also suffered for sins once,  
the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous,  
that he might lead you to God.  
Put to death in the flesh,  
he was brought to life in the Spirit. (1 Pt 3:18)

#### Gospel:

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments.  
And I will ask the Father,  
and he will give you another Advocate to be with  
you always,  
the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot accept,  
because it neither sees nor knows him." (Jn 14:15-17)

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### Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

If we love Christ, we will keep his  
commandments, and the world will not accept us.  
But we are not left orphans — God sends us an  
Advocate. Come, Holy Spirit, and renew the face  
of the earth!

### Observances for the week of May 14, 2023

- Sunday:** 6th Sunday of Easter; Mother's Day  
**Monday:** St. Isidore  
**Thursday:** The Ascension of the Lord; St. John I,  
Pope and Martyr  
**Saturday:** St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest; Armed  
Forces Day  
**Next Sunday:** The Ascension of the Lord; 7th Sunday of  
Easter; World Communications Day



### Saint of the week

Servant of God Mari-Rose Juliette Toussaint, was originally born into slavery in Haiti and later freed in New York City as a young adult. Along with her husband, Venerable Pierre Toussaint, she is remembered for her incredible charity work inside and outside of the Church.

### Prayer

Lord God, source of love and compassion, we praise and honor You for the virtuous and charitable life of our sister in Christ, Servant of God Mari-Rose Juliette Toussaint.

Inspired by the example of our Lord Jesus, Juliette worshipped You with love and served Your people with generosity. She attended Mass daily and responded to the practical and spiritual needs of friends and strangers, of the rich and the poor, the sick and the homeless of 19th century, New York.

If it is Your will, let the name of Mari-Rose Juliette Toussaint be officially raised to the rank of saint, so that the world may know this Haitian New Yorker who refused to hate and be bitter, but instead lived to the full commandments of heaven and the divine law of love — love for God and for neighbor.

By following her example and asking for her prayer, may we, too, be counted among the blessed in heaven.

We ask for this through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.