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Visitation of the
Blessed Virgin Mary

Our Lady of the Hills Parish

Established on February 4,



2007

173 Main Street

Haydenville, Massachusetts 01039-9768

November 6, 2022 Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time



My steps have been steadfast in your paths,
my feet have not faltered.
I call upon you, for you will answer me, O God.
— Psalm 17:5-6a

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Liturgy Schedule

Masses

Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM
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 A.M. and 6:30 P.M.

Rectory Office

Hours: Monday – Wednesday
9:00AM – 1:00PM
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Cemetery

St. Mary of the Assumption Cemetery
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Please call the Rectory Office at 413-268-7212.

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<https://www.facebook.com/olothhaydenville>
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Mass Intentions for the Week of November 5, - November 13

Saturday	November 05	4:00PM +Simone Lamontagne from family
Sunday	November 06	8:00AM +Lucille Carey from Larry & Margo McEwan
Sunday	November 06	10:30AM
Monday	November 07	8:30AM + Living and Deceased Parishioners
Tuesday	November 08	8:30AM +Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday	November 09	8:30AM + Louis Louis Lamontagne from his sisters
Thursday	November 10	8:30AM +Fr. Merle Lavoie
Saturday	November 12	4:00 PM +Martin Hebert 2nd Anniversary from his wife and family
Sunday	November 13	8:00AM +Lou "Junie" Jenkins 19th Anniversary from Carol Demerski & Family
Sunday	November 13	10:30AM

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The King of the world will raise us up to live again forever (2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14).

Psalms — Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full (Psalm 17).

Second Reading — May the Lord encourage and strengthen your hearts (2 Thessalonians 2:16 — 3:5).

Gospel — Those who are deemed worthy of the coming age can no longer die (Luke 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]).

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week;

Daylight Saving Time ends

Tuesday: Election Day

Wednesday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Thursday: St. Leo the Great

Friday: St. Martin of Tours; Veterans Day; Remembrance Day (Canada)

Saturday: St. Josaphat

November All Souls

If you want anyone prayed for during the month of November please print the name on the cards in the back of the church and place in the basket.

**Adoration will be held on Monday November 7, 2022
1:00 - 3:00 PM
Benediction about 2:50 PM**



"If you do not hope, you will not find what is beyond you hopes."

- St Clement of Alexandria

Prayer for our Parish

Lord Jesus Christ, I thank you for our Parish, **Our Lady of the Hills.** My parish is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. It will be holy, if I am holy. Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them. It will do great work, if I work. It will be prayerful, if I pray. It will make generous gifts to many causes, if I am a generous giver. It will bring others into worship, if I invite and bring them in. It will be a place of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and faith, of compassion, charity and mercy, if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same things. Therefore, with the help of God, I now dedicate myself to the task of being all the things that I want my parish to be. Amen

NEW BEGINNING

**That day which you fear as being the end of all things is the birthday of your eternity.
—Seneca**

A PRAYER TO THE SPIRIT

**Holy Spirit,
who sent Christ Jesus
to carry the Good news to the poor,
we pray to you:
Help us to continue your work
by serving the poor, our brothers and sisters**

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Weekly Goal \$3,500

October 30 \$2,795

Thank you for your support.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Almighty and merciful God,
graciously keep from us all adversity,
so that, unhindered in mind and body alike,
we may pursue in freedom of heart
the things that are yours.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

Rummage Sale

Our Annual Rummage was the a big success and we are very grateful! We made \$2987.11 . What a week it was so many helping hands made it possible. I would like to especially thank the Social Committee members for all there hard work. Special thanks to Carol, Mark, Lois, Mary and Susan for being there everyday from 9-5 to do wheat ever was needed. Thank everyone who helped to unpack, sort and fold. Thanks to everyone who stayed Friday evening for our 5-7 shopping (which was a big hit) Kathy, Chris, Carol, Mark, Susan and Linda. It was crazy but fun. We will be back next year big and better!!! Thank you Dick and Mary Bart who took the clothing down to the Springfield Mission. Thanks to Bob and Tom for taking articles to the Salvation Army all a big help. Ty Ellen

A CHILD'S GIFT

Give a little love to a child, and you get a great deal back.
—John Ruskin

ETERNAL LIFE

What happens after we die? Most religions and philosophies provide some notion of this, but we are confounded by the mystery of it all. Today's readings give us a glimpse through the faith of martyrs and in the words of Jesus. In the Old Testament reading, the Maccabee brothers assert with total confidence that the God who gave them life would also raise them to eternal life. This was not universally accepted in ancient Israel. The Sadducees, who denied any resurrection of the dead, try to trap Jesus with a hypothetical riddle. Jesus, known for turning such things around, dismisses their unbelief, noting that even Moses knew that all are alive in God. Saint Paul tells the Thessalonians that we live in everlasting encouragement and hope, and Psalm 17 echoes this with words of faith that we will see God's face, waking in God's loving presence.

VETERANS APPRECIATION DINNER

Immaculate Heart of Mary
Annual Salute to Our Veterans Dinner
256 State Street Granby MA
Nov 12, 2022 5pm
Pork Dinner Tickets \$15.00
Roast Pork, Mashed potatoes, Green Beans, salad and dessert.
Tickets available after weekend Masses or in the Parish Office —413- 467-9821

PRAYER AFTER MASS

It is our custom here at Our Lady of the Hills to kneel after Mass and say a Hail Mary in honor of a priest. May we keep that custom alive and bring it with us into the present and future.

Reflection question:

How does adversity hinder me from pursuing the things of God?

Upcoming decorating times: Mark your Calendars

Sat. 11/12 @ 10:00 am for Thanksgiving
Fri. 11/25 @ 10:00 am Advent decorating and Thanksgiving to come down with the exception of pumpkins/gourds. Giving trees to be set up also.
Sun. 12/18 after 10:30 Mass - Manger set up
Thurs. 12/22 after 8:30 Mass - final Christmas decorating.

Dear God,

we thank you for the wonderful memories we have of our departed loved ones. We are grateful when these memories bring us happiness and comfort. Help us to continue to keep the memories of our loved ones alive by living out the gifts and virtues we treasured so much in their lives. May our remembrance of them in this way help their spirit to live on in us, and may the virtues contribute to building your kingdom here on earth. Amen.

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