



Our Lady of the Hills Parish

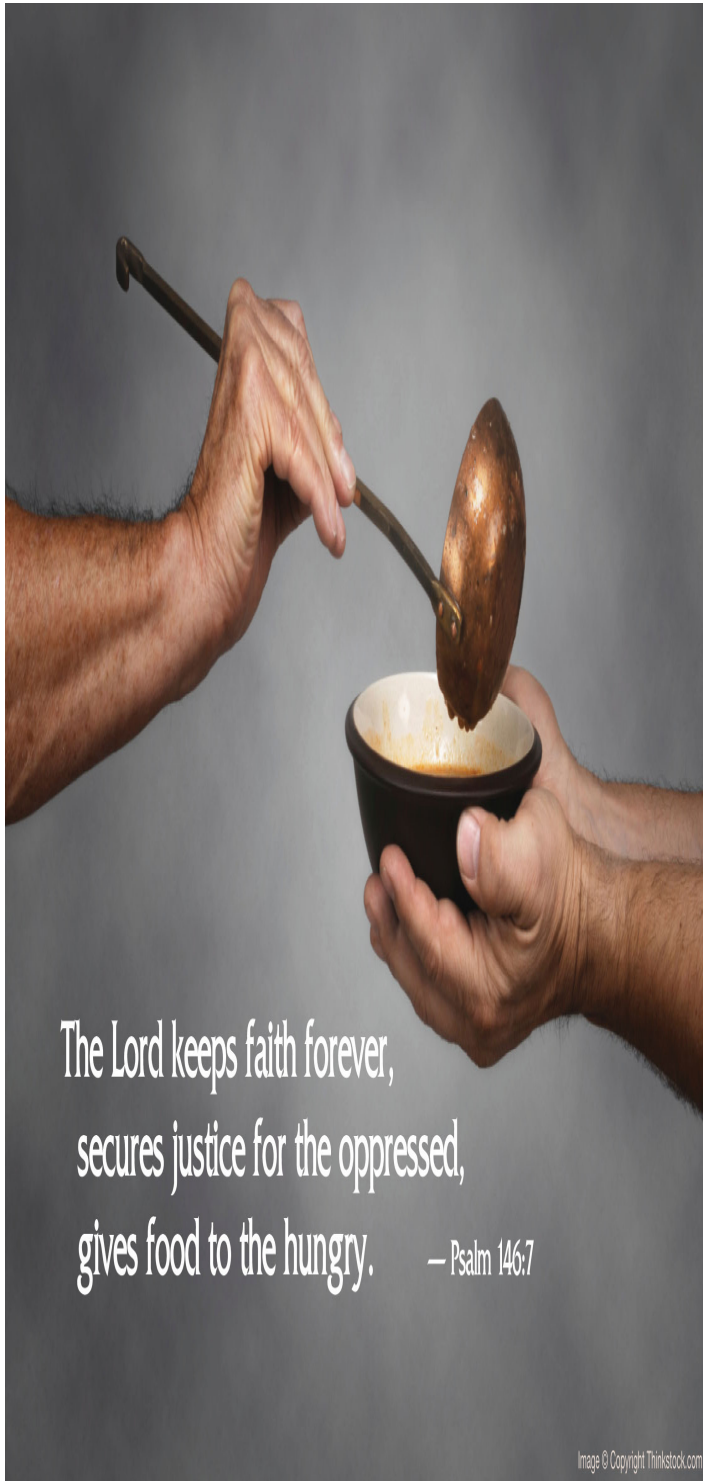
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173 Main Street
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November 7, 2021 Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Lord keeps faith forever,
secures justice for the oppressed,
gives food to the hungry. — Psalm 146:7

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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
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>
Parish website: olothhaydenville.org

Mass Intentions for the Week of November 6 - November 14

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| Saturday | November | 06 | 4:00PM |
| Sunday | November | 07 | 8:00AM |
| Sunday | November | 07 | 10:30AM + All Souls Mass |
| Monday | November | 08 | 8:30AM + Living and Deceased Parishioners |
| Tuesday | November | 09 | 8:30AM |
| Wednesday | November | 10 | 8:30AM + All Souls Mass |
| Thursday | November | 11 | 8:30AM |
| Saturday | November | 13 | 4:00PM + David Demerski from his wife Carol Demerski |
| Sunday | November | 14 | 8:00AM + Martin Hebert 1st Anniversary from Eleonor Hebert |
| Sunday | November | 14 | 10:30AM |

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The widow of Zarephath had only a handful of flour and a little oil, but made a little cake for Elijah (1 Kings 17:10-16).

Psalm — Praise the Lord, my soul! (Psalm 146).

Second Reading — Christ will appear a second time to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him (Hebrews 9:24-28).

Gospel — Beware of those who like to go around in long robes and accept greetings in the marketplaces and places of honor at banquets (Mark 12:38-44 [41-44]).

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time; Daylight Saving Time ends;

National Vocation Awareness Week

Tuesday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Wednesday: St. Leo the Great

Thursday: St. Martin of Tours; Veterans Day

Friday: St. Josaphat

Saturday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

Weekly Calendar November 7– 14

Sunday - 9:00 am Building and Grounds

Sunday - 9:05 am Faith Formation

Sunday - Survival Center Sunday

Wednesday - 11:00am Social Committee

Thursday - Veterans Day Office Closed

Sunday - 9:05 Faith Formation

**Our Annual Rummage was the biggest we have ever had! Thanks to all of the people so many days and hours sorting, folding, sizing, stacking and pricing. I think we all made new friends. Our final total was \$3,239.93. Thanks to everyone who helped and donated items and their time. I could not have ever done it without all of you.
Many Thanks Ellen Rockett**

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Nov 13 - 14

Thirty - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

4PM - Lector – Deb Connell

Euch. Minister – Carol Demerski

Altar Server - Chris Connell

Greeters - Carol Monaghan & Carol Demerski

8AM - Lector - David Rondina

Euch. Minister - Madelyn Breen

Altar Server - Isabella & Clara Rondina

Greeters –Carol Heon & Bobby Knox

10:30AM - Lector - Lou Bouley

Euch. Minister - Colleen Padeck

Altar Server - Caitlin Padeck

Greeters - Anthony Giardina & Joanna Moran

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

Next weekend at all Masses the members of the Parish Finance Council will give the Annual Financial Report (which typically has been done each year in September). This will update you on income and expenses for our parish for Fiscal Year 2021 (from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021). Please note:

**THIS IS NOT THE REPORT ON THE MAJOR
FUND RAISING EFFORT
“DOING GREAT THINGS FOR JESUS”
THAT IS NOW GOING ON.**

The fund raising report can be found on the “double thermometer” at the front entrance to the church.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

October 31 \$3538.00

Thank you for your support.

THE POOR

As Christians, we hear a lot about the witness and service that we are called to render to the poor among us. However, the poor also have a witness and a service to render to us. Like the actions of the widow in today's Gospel, the openness and generosity of many of those who are poor, even in the midst of their own poverty, bear witness to the fact that, ultimately, we can depend only on God. Giving one's all witnesses that God will give all to anyone who trusts in divine goodness.

The poor or disadvantaged also serve. They serve judgment on our individual and corporate ways of acting. If people are sleeping in our streets, that is a judgment on our priorities regarding others. At the same time, the poor can act as mediators of salvation. When they care for others they can redeem our indifference and insensibility, lead us to care as well, and save us from ourselves.

DO ANYTHING

I will go anywhere and do anything in order to communicate the love of Jesus to those who do not know him or have forgotten him.

—St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

IT TAKES MORE

Going to church doesn't make you a Christian any more than going to a garage makes you an automobile.

—Billy Sunday

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Pro-Life Vigil

Please join Catholics for the Unborn for a pro-life vigil on Thursday, November 11th at 10 AM in the Holy Spirit Chapel, St Michael's Cathedral in Springfield. The vigil begins with Exposition, Recitation of the Rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet then Adoration. At 12 noon there will be Benediction followed by Daily Mass. Please support our efforts to protect innocent unborn life through prayer. Come for part or the whole vigil. For more information call Marilyn at 567-6085.

"... but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood." The richness of parenting, fostering and adoption.

BEAUTIFUL CHURCH FLOWERS

WE WISH TO EXTEND OUR SPECIAL THANKS AND APPRECIATION TO ELIZABETH (BECKY) LASHWAY, OWNER OF "**FORGETMENOT**" FLORIST SHOP FOR THE BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS WHICH SHE HAS BEEN DONATING AND WHICH HAVE BEEN BEAUTIFYING OUR ALTAR THESE PAST SEVERAL MONTHS. WORDS CANNOT EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE FOR THIS BEAUTIFUL GIFT TO OUR PARISH.

"BECKY'S SHOP IS LOCATED AT 14 MAIN STREET IN NORTHAMPTON.

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

Upcycling Christmas Trees

In support of the Our Lady of the Hills, I have made some seasonal decorative trees. They are made from upcycled materials and no two are exactly alike. All proceeds from their sale will be given to the Our Lady of the Hills. Samples of the two designs are located at the back of the church plus an example of a family decorating activity. The stands can be unscrewed for hanging. The single tree is \$20 and the triple tree is \$30. If you are interested, please call Phil at 413-268-3149.

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.

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