

St. Bernadette's National Relics Tour

OVERBROOK, PHILADELPHIA

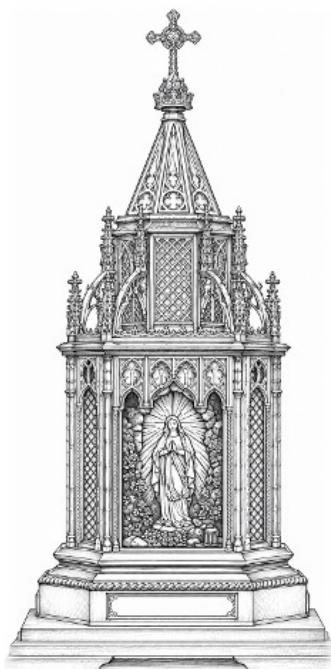
PILGRIMAGE DAY

OCTOBER 3, 2026

Journey
of Grace

2026 - 27 USA

**OUR LADY
OF LOURDES**



VISITORS GUIDE

**OUR PARISH AND THE RESIDENTS
OF OVERBROOK FARMS**

WELCOME YOU!

RELICS VISIT DAY (10/3)

QUICK INFO & REFERENCE GUIDE

Thank you for your visit to our Parish! Here's some quick information to guide your visit – do not hesitate to speak to one of our volunteers on site today (in colored shirts wearing badges) if you have additional questions or need assistance!

KEY NOTES / FAQs (**when in doubt – ASK A VOLUNTEER FOR HELP**)

Do I need a reservation to visit the relics?

No. You do not need a reservation simply to come and venerate the relics. Priority Entrance Reservations are being used only for the Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience™, the 4:00 PM Vigil Mass, and Solemn Vespers because the church may reach capacity. The primary time reserved exclusively for Public Veneration is approximately 1:00 PM through 3:30 PM. **After 3:30 PM, we will occasionally PAUSE public veneration to allow ticketed entrance for certain services and, where possible, resume admitting groups for public veneration during portions of some services. Before you join the queue to enter the church, speak to a volunteer to confirm the appropriate manner of entrance and veneration depending on the time of day you arrive.**

Does a Priority Entrance Reservation guarantee me a seat?

A Priority Entrance Reservation provides priority entrance if you arrive by the designated time. **PLEASE ARRIVE IN THE QUEUE MORE THAN 15 MINUTES BEFORE THE SCHEDULED TIME OF ENTRY FOR YOUR EVENT.** After the 15-minute cutoff, admission is subject to available capacity and standby procedures. A reservation does not guarantee a particular seat.

PARKING & ILLNESS/HANDICAP ACCOMMODATIONS

- Is there Handicapped Parking?

YES – If you or your driver are in need of priority **handicapped parking please pull up to the FRONT / MAIN DOORS of the church (Woodbine Avenue where the street is blocked)** and notify the parking volunteers you need to park in front of the church AND/OR notify the parking team if you simply need to drop off an individual who requires handicapped entrance / support coming in to the church

- If I am ill or handicapped – how do I enter the church most easily?

Notify a parking volunteer upon arrival or another volunteer on site as soon as possible after you arrive - those who are in ill or in need will be given priority entrance into the church wherever possible / allowable per the schedule of events

- If I am NOT ill or do NOT require handicapped parking – where can I park?

We Have first-come-first-served parking available (self park) at the **Ad Prima Charter School (1920 63rd Street – 19151)** AND at the **Overbrook School for the Blind (6333 Malvern Avenue – 19151)** **SEE THE PARKING MAP ATTACHED OR ASK A VOLUNTEER FOR DIRECTIONS** – if these parking lots appear full on-street parking is available throughout the adjacent neighborhood and will require a brief walk to the church.

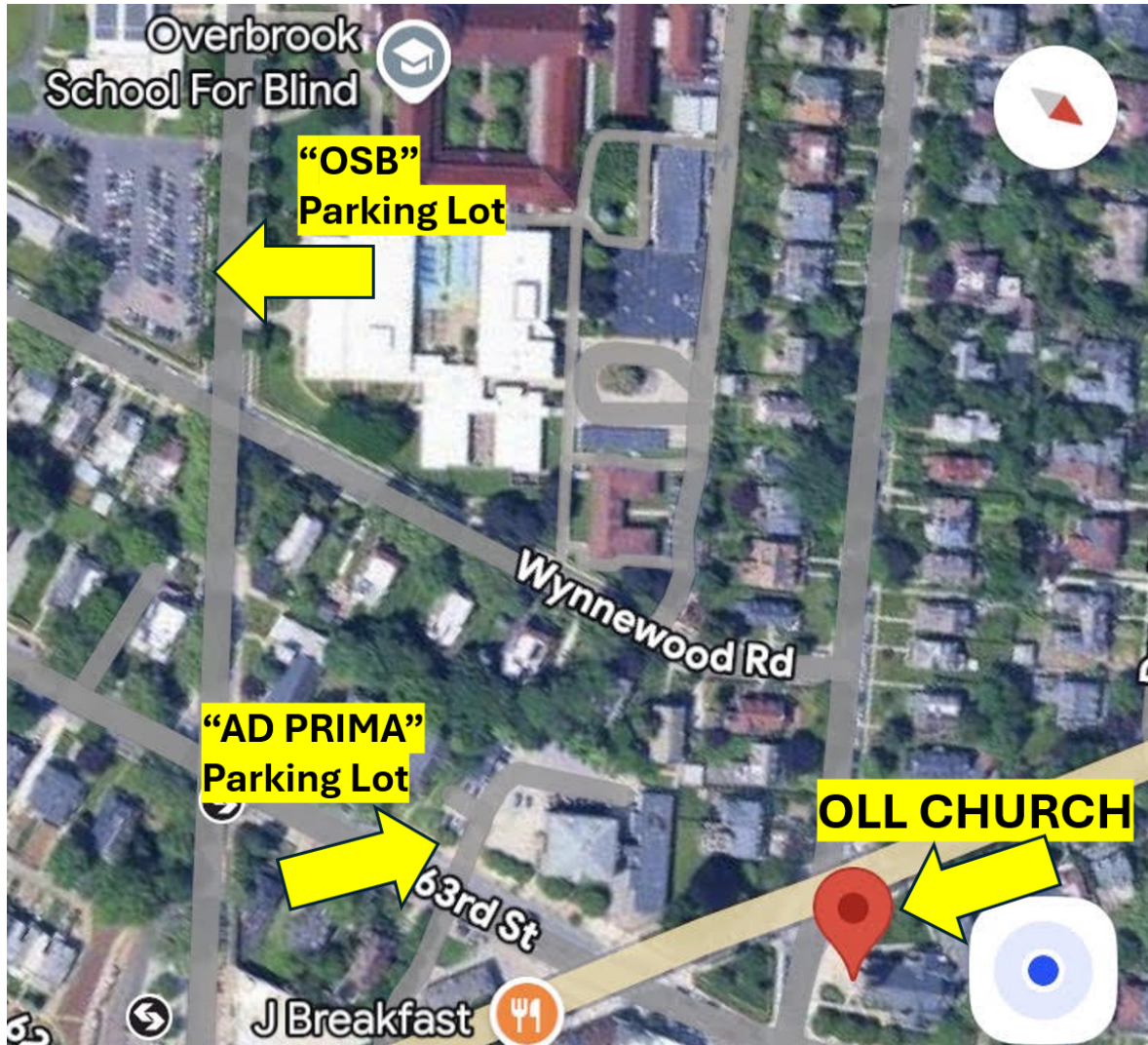
Rest & Refreshments + Local Businesses

- If I am finished venerating the relic OR I am waiting to venerate / waiting for a scheduled event to take place – where can I go?
 1. **Additional brief prayerful visitation can take place in our basement Grotto Chapel** (to the RIGHT side of the church when looking at the main doors – ask a volunteer for guidance if needed)
 2. **Light Refreshments, additional bathrooms & comfortable seating for those wishing to wait or stay a while are located just a 2-minute walk from the church at Ivy Hall (6331 Lancaster Ave. – 19151)** – Ivy Hall will be open from 9AM to 5PM for visitors seeking brief leisure & a place to ‘hang out’. Some informational tables of interest will be present for those wishing to learn more about local Catholic organizations.
 3. **Local Businesses can be found next to the church across 63rd Street – “Sister Roberts Coffee Shop” (2015 63rd Street – 19151) is providing a discount to relic visitors if you show them this informational packet (see advertisement / coupon below)**

THANK YOU TO OUR PARTICIPATING / SUPPORTING ORGANIZATIONS!



PARKING MAP
(ASK A VOLUNTEER IF YOU
NEED GUIDANCE / DIRECTION)



THANK YOU FOR YOUR VIST – To DONATE to Our Lady of Lourdes Parish
SCAN BELOW & Select *GIVE NOW*:

