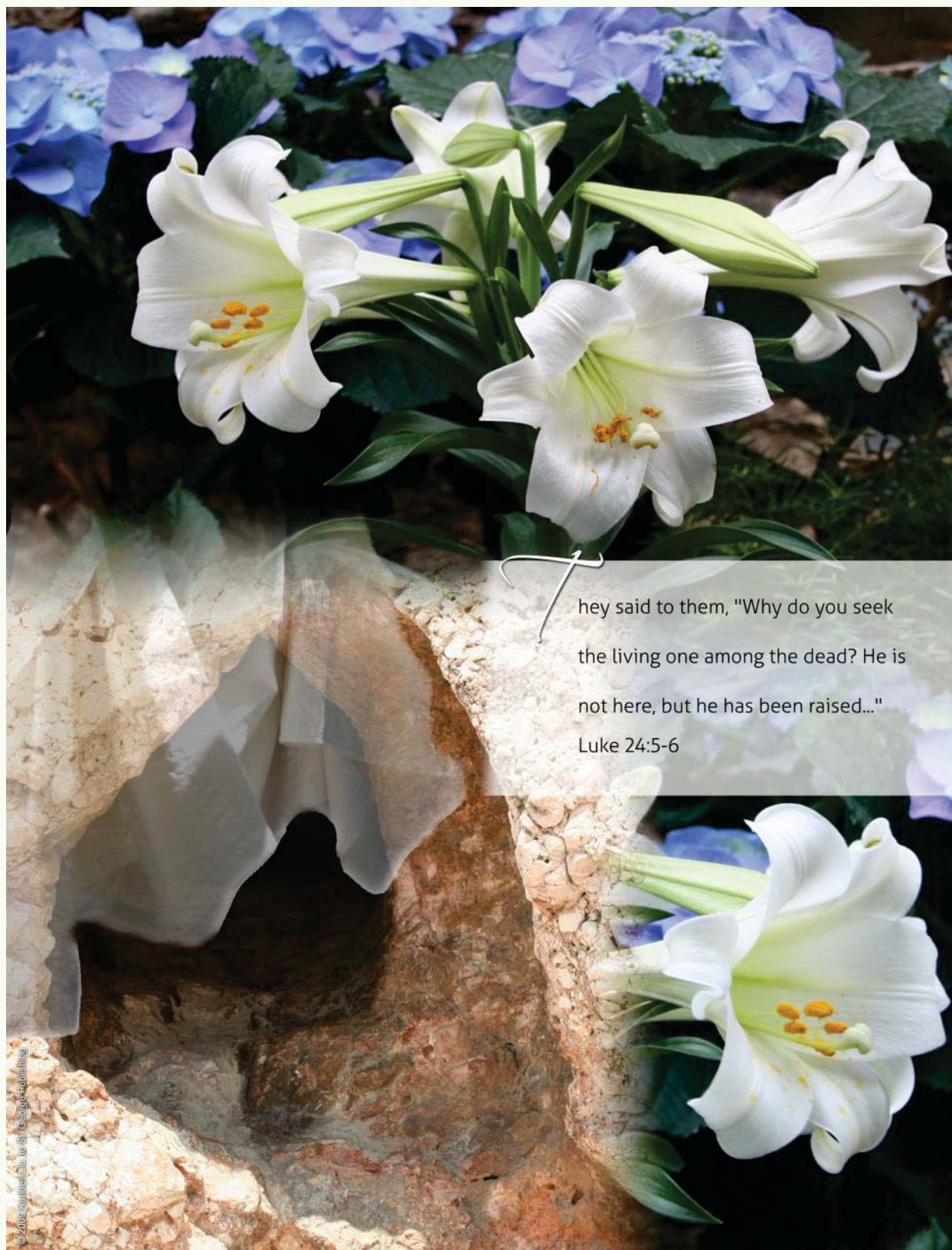


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Easter Sunday - Resurrection of the Lord

April 9, 2023

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They said to them, "Why do you seek the living one among the dead? He is not here, but he has been raised..."
Luke 24:5-6

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MASSES

Daily: Monday, Tuesday, Friday 8:30AM

First Friday Mass—8:30am until further notice

Weekend: Saturday 4:00pm and

Sunday 9:00am and 11:00am

Holy Day: As Announced

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Celebrated on Saturdays or Sundays. To schedule a Baptism, call 781-894-3481 x7

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements six months-one year in advance by appointment. Please contact the parish office.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA): Anyone interested in journeying in faith to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation or Eucharist, please contact the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION:
Confessions - Saturday's from 2:45-3:15pm

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:
Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY: Extraordinary Ministers bring Holy Communion to those unable to attend Sunday Mass. Contact the parish office to make arrangements.

For more information on the Catholic Faith visit
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CATHOLIC RADIO 1060AM

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Syro Malandara Catholic Mass for the Boston Mission of the Syro Malandara Catholic Dioceses of USA and Canada held third Sunday of each month here at Our Lady's.

HOMILIES ONLINE

The homilies are posted on our parish website at www.olca.org. Go to the home page and on the right side you will see Homilies, just click on that and choose the homily you would like to hear again.

MASS INTENTIONS**Easter Sunday Blessed Easter To All**

On behalf of Fr. DiPerri, Fr. Campo, Deacon Jim and the Parish and School Staff, we wish you and your families a Happy and Blessed Easter.

Monday April 10 at 8:30am
Eleanor Morrissey Memorial

Tuesday April 11 at 8:30am
Jane Bellan Memorial

Friday April 14 at 8:30am
Special Health Intentions of Book Kiel

Mass Intentions for Saturday and Sunday, Apr. 15/16
Emil and Alice Breton Memorial
Ann Giorgianni Memorial
Frederick and Eleanor LeBlanc Memorial

COLLECTION INFORMATION

April 1/2: \$5,957
March Online Donations: \$12,056

PARISH WEBSITE UPDATED

We hope you find our website, olca.org informative and convenient in all matters of our vibrant parish life. The colors used throughout the site represent the beauty of our stained glass windows above the altar. If you have any questions, contact Sharon in the parish office.

**OUR LADY'S KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**
FUNDRAISER

On **Thursday, April 20, 2023** our parish based Knights of Columbus Council #14710 will be holding their semi-annual fundraiser at the Chateau Restaurant in Waltham, 195 School Street, to benefit the "Coats for Kids" program. On that day, they will receive 20% of all monies spent in the restaurant as well as pick-up orders. Please make sure you **mention Knights of Columbus for all hours the restaurant is open**. Home delivery is not accepted. They also accept private donations—send to Our Lady's Parish Office, 920-R Trapelo Rd, Waltham 02452. Last year, they were able to purchase and deliver 132 coats. The state council also donated 48 coats. We purchase young children to young adult coats. As in past years, all proceeds will be used to purchase boys and girls winter coats for families in need. Coats will be distributed to agencies, schools, St Vincent DePaul, as well as individuals in need. Due to the Knights' national organization, purchasing power, **we are able to purchase new high quality coats for approximately \$20.00 per coat**. Having any adults use Facebook or other social media has been an effective way of promoting to a larger audience.

Your participation in this event is truly appreciated!
Our Lady's Knights of Columbus #14710



Please support our Spring Parish Fundraiser - Meat Raffle Calendar. **Two names** will be drawn each day during the month of **May**. First name drawn wins meat package and second name drawn wins a \$50 Market Basket Gift Card. Once drawn the names will be put back into the drawing so you have *many* chances to win. Thank you to those who have already purchased calendars.

MAY 2023 MEAT RAFFLE CALENDAR FUNDRAISER

Please spread the word and help us reach our goal.

\$20 PER CALENDAR

This replaces our Ham-a-Rama fundraiser for the Spring.

Make checks payable to Our Lady's.

If you wish to purchase a calendar, contact Sharon in the parish office.

For more info visit our website under fundraisers.

Please fill out and return:

Name

Phone

Thank you for your support of Our Lady's.
God Bless

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1—Meat Pkg #1	2—Meat Pkg #2	3—Meat Pkg #3	4—Meat Pkg #4	5—Meat Pkg #1	6—Meat Pkg #2
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14—#2 Meat Pkg	15—#3 Meat Pkg	16—Meat Pkg #4	17—#1 Meat Pkg	18—#2 Meat Pkg	19—#3 Meat Pkg	20—#4 Meat
21—#1 Meat Pkg	22—#2 Meat Pkg	23—Meat Pkg #3	24—#4 Meat Pkg	25—#1 Meat Pkg	26—#2 Meat Pkg	27—#3 Meat
28—#4 Meat Pkg	29—#1 Meat Pkg	30—Meat Pkg #2	31—#3 Meat Pkg			

Lenten School Mass Tuesday, March 28 - anticipating Holy Week



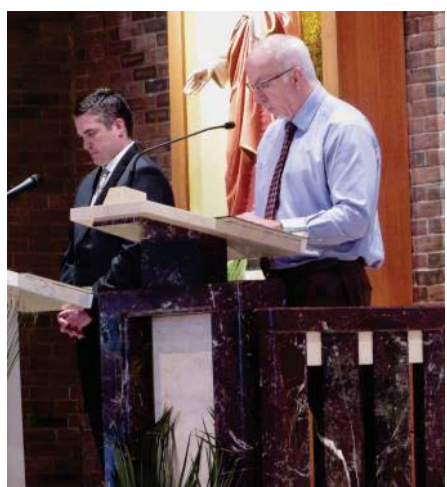
Photos from Palm Sunday, April 1/2 Masses



SAVE THE DATE

OUR LADY'S ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IS HOSTING A **POT LUCK DINNER SATURDAY MAY 6 AT 5:00PM (AFTER THE 4:00PM MASS)**

More details will follow in upcoming bulletins. Mark your calendar and join us!



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HELP SUPPORT SUMMER SERVICE TRIP**CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT - April 22nd @ 5pm**

Come out to support Our Lady's Youth Group as they sponsor this event to raise funds for their Service Trip to Knoxville, TN this June!

Entry Fees for a team of 2: \$40 Individuals: \$25

Donation and Sponsorship opportunities available.

REGISTER ONLINE: OLCA.ORG

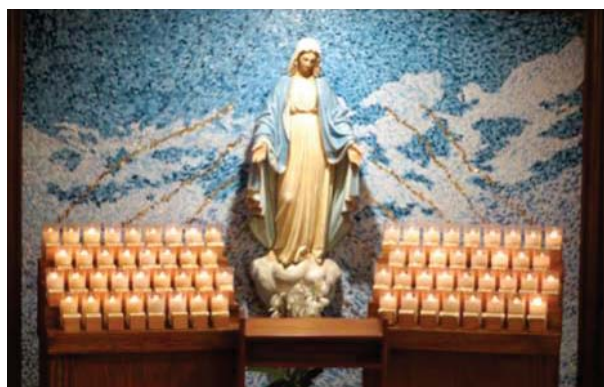
Invite your friends and family! Adult players and youth over 12 encouraged to register.

Spectators welcome for Raffles, Food and Fellowship!

If you cannot make the event and would like to still make a donation, you can use your phone to scan the code below or go to "Donate" on our website, scroll and look for Service Trip fund.

**MEMORIAL CANDLESTAND**

There are candles available to reserve. Remember those you have lost or remember special intentions through a memorial donation. The candles are \$250 per year. If you would like to reserve a candle or would like more information, contact Sharon in the Parish Office at 781-894-3481 ext. 2 or email parish@olca.org

**50TH CLASS REUNION WHS CLASS OF '73**

Waltham High School Class of '73 Reunion Committee is planning their 50th Class Reunion. The committee hopes to reach as many classmates as possible to share information about the upcoming reunion. If you are a member of the Class of '73 or know someone who is, please contact Barbara Hayes via email at: classof73whs@gmail.com or find Facebook page.

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
APRIL 16**

Join us on Divine Mercy Sunday for

Confession, Rosary and Adoration.

1:00-3:00pm - Confessions, Rosary and Adoration

3:00-4:00pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet (sung)

Benediction at the conclusion of Divine Mercy Chaplet

BRISTOL LODGE - FEEDING THOSE IN NEED

Anyone wishing to participate in this ministry please contact Sharon in the parish office. Our Lady's volunteers prepare a meal for the first Tuesday, every other month, which began in February. While we cannot physically go in and serve the meal, it is still rewarding knowing we are helping feed those in need. If you would like to sign up, but cannot make a meeting, please email parish@olca.org and let us know how you would like to participate.

Knowing you followed the Gospel by feeding those in need is a gratifying feeling.

MEN OF ST. JOSEPH GATHERING OF CATHOLIC MEN

Come join us April 29 in the Chapel of St. Joseph at 7:00am. Enter the building through the main school entrance near Holy Family Statue. We will have time for prayer, Scripture reflection and fellowship. Any questions, email frcampoolca@gmail.com. It is a great opportunity once a month to encourage and support each other with God's help.

**CATHOLIC APPEAL 2023**

You can watch the video on our website - olca.org. The Appeal is a primary means by which we carry Christ's light into darkness and deepen the impact of our Church's ministries, many of which directly benefit our parish. Thank you to those who have already given on behalf of our parish. This year, Our Lady's goal is assessed at \$55,295. Please help us reach that goal as what we do not raise, we as a parish will need to pay the balance. Thank you for your support.

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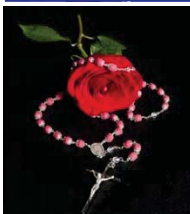
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