Our Lady Comforter of the Afflicted

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity - June 15, 2025

Congratulations to the Eight Grade Class of Our Lady's Academy on their graduation Mass celebrated by Fr.DiPerri and concelebrated by Fr. Olejnik on June 3, 2025. Also at the altar Deacon Sweeney whose granddaughter Taylor was one of the graduates. Thank You to the Parents, Mrs. Minor, Principal of Our Lady's Academy, Teachers and Staff who helped these students achieve this goal. Best wished to all in their future studies.







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MASSES AND SACRAMENTS

8:30am Weekday Masses: Monday, Tuesday, (*Wednesdays if previously announced on the Prior Tuesday*), Friday

Weekend: Saturday 4:00pm Sunday 9:00am and 11:00am

Holy Days: As Announced

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

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements six monthsone year in advance by appointment. Please contact the Parish Office.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS-(OCIA) 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 & by appointment

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

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

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St. Mary Queen of Peace Syro Malankara

Catholic Eparchy in USA and Canada -

Mass for the Boston Mission celebrated on the 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

Saturday June 14, 2025				
4:00 pm - Father's Day Weekend For	all fathers			
Sunday June 15, 2025 li	ving and			
9:00 am - Father's Day Mass	leceased,			
11:00 am - Father's Day Mass				
Monday June 16 at 8:30 am				
Elvira Branco and Family	Memorial			
Members of the Memorial Guild				
Tuesday June 17 at 8:30 am				
Mary Livermore	Memorial			
Friday June 20 at 8:30 am				
Nicole Nixon	Memorial			
Saturday June 21, 2025				
4:00 pm Doris and John Cianci	Memorial			
<u>Sunday June 22, 2025</u>				
9:00 am - Deceased members Boudrot Family	Memorial			
11:00 am - Deceased members Caporiccio				
& Quintiliani Families	Memorial			

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY



COLLECTION INFORMATION FOR June 7- June 8, 2025 \$ 7,488

The **Stained Glass Window** will be illuminated in loving memory of Vincent & **Alexander DiSilva** and for **Bob and Jeff Stocki** at the request of their family.

The statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be illuminated for the birthday memorial of Jeannine O'Connor at the request of her daughter's friend, Erin.

The Garden statue of the Blessed Mother will be illuminated for Ann F. Fairbrother at the request of her family.

The **Bread and Wine** will be offered in memory of **Bill Rooney** at the request of his family



Scam Reminder: As you may recall our Parish Office was subject to a scam on April 3, 2025. Please stay aware of any fraudulent texts, emails, or letters claiming to be from any of the Parish priests, staff, or general requests from the Parish which urge you to contact an unknown phone number (texts or emails). These deceitful requests will most likely ask you to contact them or ask for gift cards or money orders to be sent electronically to these false people, presenting themselves as someone form Our Lady's Parish. Please **Do Not** respond to any such requests to be sent electronically in any form or fashion. Any gift cards or donations made to the Parish for given Parish events are always asked to be delivered to the Parish Office or placed in a donation box at the church. On-line donations to the Parish continue to be a safe way to contribute as our system was not compromised.

ADORATION - If you are interested in praying for an hour during the day at Adoration, please send an email to: olcaadore@gmail.com and provide contact information including your name, address, email, and cell phone. A schedule is sent out weekly to those on the Adoration list where you may schedule a one-hour session convenient for you. At least one person is needed per hour. This is out of respect and the need for us to protect the Real Presence of Jesus as He is exposed at the altar.

Come and spend time with our Lord.

Confessions-Saturdays 2:45-3:15pm & upon request.

Saturday Rosary Join us to pray the 1st. Sat. of the month at 3 p.m. in the Church - led by parishioners.

Pictured at the altar, with Fr. DiPerri and Fr. Olenik, at Our Lady's Academy First Friday Mass - June 6, 2025 - some of the students who received their First Holy Communion on May 3, 2025 along with classmates.



At the end of the First Friday Mass Fr. Francis Pham, who was at Our Lady's for three years prior to becoming Pastor at Blessed Andrew Phu Yen Parish in Medford, brought his mother to visit Our Lady's. This was her first visit to the United States from Vietnam, their home country

Congratulations to Giovanni Forte Magazzu on his Baptism on June 7, 2025



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On June 7, 2025 Fr. DiPerri hosted a breakfast at the Rectory for the altar servers & members of the children's choir followed by a trip to Canobie Lake. Along with Fr. DiPerri the group was accompanied by Paul Loscocco, Greg Castano and parents. Everyone had a great time.



Congratulations to Ariana Bushey (Harvard U.), Kayla MacKenzie (Southern New Hampshire U.), Connor Coye (Rochester Institute of Technology), and Cody Coye (Tufts U.) upon receiving the 2025 Parish Service and College Awards - granted by the Parish-based Knights of Columbus. We wish them much success in their future studies.



Catechism Corner <u>Most Holy Trinity</u>

The mystery of the Most Holy Trinity is the central mystery of the Christian faith and of Christian life. God alone can make it known to us by revealing himself as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The Incarnation of God's Son reveals that God is the eternal Father and that the Son is consubstantial with the Father, which means that, in the Father and with the Father, the Son is one and the same God. The mission of the Holy Sirit, sent by the Father in the name of the Son and by the Son "from the Father" reveals that, with them, the Spirit is one and the same God. "With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified." By the grace of Baptism "in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit," we are called to share in the life of the Blessed Trinity, here on earth and after death in eternal light. "Now this is the Catholic faith: We worship one God in the Trinity and the Trinity in unity, without either confusing the persons or dividing the substance, for the person of the Father is one, the Son's another, the Holy Spirit another: but the Godhead of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit is one, their glory equal, their majesty eternal."

To find more information see: Catechism of the Catholic Church (Official Teaching) To view online visit: www.usccb.org/catechism

Adult Confirmation - Summer Program

Our Lady's Parish will soon begin another Adult Confirmation Program. Classes will be conducted in person in addition to doing Independent Study.

The Program includes a foundational overview of the Catholic Faith:

* Creed *Sacraments *Ten Commandments *Prayer

Fr. Olejnik or Deacon Rice.

The Goal:

To prepare candidates to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in the near future.

The Schedule:

Classes will be one hour on Sundays shortly after the 11:00 am Mass at Our Lady's Academy Conference Room, beginning with an introductory session on June 22, 2025– then meeting on: June 29, July 13, July 20, and July 27. Books will be provided. If you are interested please call the Parish Office at 781-894-3481, X 8, or speak with Fr. DiPerri,

Cousins and friends who came to celebrate Giovanni Forte Magazzu's Baptism.





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