

**OUR LADY OF CONSOLATION CHURCH**  
**MARCH 31, 2024**  
**EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**



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**MASS SCHEDULE**  
**WEEKDAY MASSES**

8:30 am—Monday through Friday (OLC)  
Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet  
following Mass on Friday

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**  
**SATURDAY**

5:00 pm Vigil Mass (OLC)  
3:30 pm-4:30 pm Confessions (OLC)  
8:30 am-First Saturday Mass (OLC)

**SUNDAY**

8:00 am-Our Lady of Consolation Church  
9:30 am-St. Malachi Chapel  
11:15 am-Schneider Parish Center

Holy Days-8:30 am (OLC)  
Vigil Mass-7:00 pm (OLC)

St. Malachi Chapel  
76 St. Malachi Road  
Cochranville, Pa. 19330

Schneider Parish Center  
2995 Cemetery Road  
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**Mission Statement for Our Lady of  
Consolation Church**

We, the Joyful Family of God, united in our Catholic Faith, seek to model our patroness, Our Lady of Consolation, by bringing love and comfort to all, teaching God's Children in His ways by word and sacrament, and keeping the vibrant love of Jesus present in our world.

**CLERGY**

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### **New Parishioners**

We welcome and encourage you to register as soon as possible after moving into the parish. Please contact the rectory to register.  
610-857-3510

### **Religious Education**

Please contact Janice Dagney-610-857-0511  
Early Learning Center-610-857-1163

### **Order of Christian Initiation (OCIA)**

The process through which adults and children - join or complete their initiation into the Catholic Church. For additional information please contact the rectory.

### **Marriages**

Couples planning to be married are required to notify the rectory no less than six months prior to the marriage.

### **Baptism Meetings**

Required for first time parents on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month. Register by calling Janice Dagney -610-857-0511

### **Baptisms**

To schedule a baptism and for available dates and times, please call the rectory.

### **Letter of Eligibility**

Active members in good standing with the church who wish to act as a Godparent of the Sacrament of Baptism or as a Sponsor for the Sacrament of Confirmation can obtain a letter of eligibility by contacting the rectory.

### **Anointing of the sick**

If you foresee a surgery or procedure, contact the rectory to make arrangements to receive the Sacraments of the Anointing of the sick and Holy Communion before your hospital visit.

### **Communion to the homebound**

For those unable to attend Mass due to illness or disability, arrangements can be made to receive Holy Communion weekly by an Extra Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion. Please contact the rectory.

### **Emergencies**

In the event of an emergency, which requires the attention of a priest, please contact the rectory at any time. Follow the instructions on how to contact a priest.

Please notify the rectory, so that the priests are aware of the situation and can assist as appropriate.

### **Confessions**

By appointment or Saturdays 3:30-4:30pm

### **YOUR PASTORAL COUNCIL**

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Please feel free to contact any member to offer suggestions or feedback and to propose issues for consideration by the Council.



### **WEEKLY OFFERTORY**

Due to an early bulletin submission, the March 24 offertory will be posted in the next bulletin.

#### February Offertory

In Person/Mail:	\$22,579.00
E-Giving:	\$15,942.00
Total:	\$38,521.00



Easter Weekend, all Mass intentions will be memorialized in the Easter Spiritual Bouquet

**Holy Saturday, March 30**  
7:30 pm Vigil (OLC)

**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord, March 31**

8:00 am OLC 9:30 am St. Malachi 11:15 am SPC

**Monday, April 1**

8:30 am In memory of Rita Tiedemann req. by Nancy Fischer

**Tuesday, April 2**

8:30 am In memory of Gerard Kester req. by Grzenda & Miller families

**Wednesday, April 3**

8:30 am In memory of Ken Festerman req. by Gretta

**Thursday, April 4**

8:30 am In memory of Joey DiMarcella req. by family

**Friday, April 5**

8:30 am In memory of Rita Tiedemann req. by Jean Moudier

**SATURDAY, APRIL 6**

5:00 pm In memory of Patricia Groff req. by Rohrer family

**SUNDAY, APRIL 7**

8:00 am In memory of Joey Reis req. by Bob & Phyllis

9:30 am In memory of John & Gail O'Neill req. by Bart & Barb Tuttle

11:15 am In memory of Harry DiLabbio req. by PREP family

*If you would like a Mass card or to schedule a Mass, please contact the rectory at 610-857-3510.*

***Please pray for the sick and those in need of hope and healing.***

*Please call the rectory to add/remove and re-add names to our sick list .*

*Every three months we remove names to help ensure that our list is always up to date.*

John Ahern, Jim Angelucci, Frank Balthazor, Mary Ann Barber, Frank & Ann Besash, Becca Budzik, Jim Cain, Mary & Freddie Caridi, Joseph Carpenter, Leo Chung, Florence Clarkson, Ray Crowley, Eileen D., Bill D'Agostino, Jill Daly, Linda Davidson, Vincent DiAntonio, John DiBerardinis, Dyan & Savannah Ezrah, Larry Fazio, Carol Anne Ferreira, Donna Gill, Jeremy Habecker, Ann Hally, Mary Ann Hershey, Geri Holl, Shelly Hopkins, Kate Kendig, Donna Konarski, Leanna Lawson, Judi MacIntyre, Joanne & John McCartney & family, Katie Morrison, Matthew Murray, John Murphy, Mariah Nash, Joann Nolan, Dennis Norton, Arctura May Nowak, Bob Nunemaker, Lisa Opdenaker, Gloria Peters, Lonnie Purcell, Kathy Reece, Greg Rivera, Donna Ross, Norm Rhuland, Cindy & Michaela Scharff, Andy Sciarretta, Inez Sokso, Sigrid Snow, Arlo Stone, Macie Hanna Stone, Ann Marie Straley, Gabe Tatela, Robert Tiedemann, Gerry Treadway, Bernadette Vincent, Jenna Wong, George Young, all residents in nursing homes and hospitals. Pray for the protection of all healthcare workers, first responders and for peace to prevail wherever there is war & violence throughout our world.

*Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of all our faithful departed parishioners and families*



***Please call the rectory to submit a name and branch of service to be added to our military prayer list.***

Let us keep in our prayers all the brave young men and women who serve our country both here and abroad.

**Army: Anthony O'Neill, Shannon Amole, Suzanne Patzek**

**Air National Guard: Luke Weyhmuller**

**Marines: John Peabody, Kolton Wunder**

**Navy: Nick Tygielski**

**Air Force: Malachy Keane**

## THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

### Sunday, March 31

8:00 am Mass (OLC)

9:30 am Mass (S. Malachi)

11:15 am Mass (SPC) Easter egg hunt immediately after Mass

### Monday, April 1

**The rectory will be closed**

8:30 am Mass (OLC)

6:00 pm AA Meeting (SPC)

7:00 pm Rosary & Divine Mercy (OLC)

### Tuesday, April 2

8:30 am Mass (OLC)

7:30 pm Charismatic Prayer Group (OLC)

### Wednesday, April 3

8:30 am Mass (OLC)

6:30 pm Choir (OLC)

### Thursday, April 4

8:30 am Mass (OLC)

7:00 pm AA Meeting (OLC-hall)

### Friday, April 5

8:30 am First Friday Mass (OLC)

### Saturday, April 6

7:30 am Joseph's Men's "Average Joe" Prayer Group (OLC-hall)

8:30 am First Saturday Mass (OLC)

3:30-4:30 pm Confessions (OLC)

5:00 pm Vigil Mass (OLC)

### Consider Our Lady of Consolation

Our parish has benefited from being included in the wills of parishioners. Your generous gifts strengthen our parish so we can better serve people's needs. Please consider us when writing your wills or planning your estate, it would be sincerely appreciated. For more information, please contact the rectory. Thank you!

## PCCO-Parkesburg Churches Community Outreach

The Parkesburg area family of churches, in conjunction with various county and state agencies, seeks to serve the basic human needs of our community which include, but are not limited to, food, clothing, furniture, utilities, and to do so in the name of Christ our Savior. Funding for PCCO is provided by donations from member churches, organizations, businesses and individuals.

Volunteers and financial contributions are always welcomed and appreciated to help meet the ever growing needs of our community.

For more information, to volunteer, make a donation, or for assistance, please call 610-568-5835.

**The PCCO is in need of mouth wash, paper towels and cleaning products. Please place your non food donations in the container at the entrance of OLC.**

## Octorara Area Food Cupboard

The food cupboard is in need of canned items: veggies, soup, pasta and fruit. Donations can be placed in the containers at the entrance of each worship site. Thank you for your kindness and generosity.

## Update your information

Are you new to the area and need to register?

Are you recently married or would like to have your child baptized?

Have you moved, changed your address, phone number or email address or made any other changes in your household?

Are you signed up for electronic giving and still receiving envelopes?

Have you stopped receiving envelopes?

Please call the rectory at 610-857-3510 to have your records updated. Thank you!





## PARISH AND COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS



### EASTER EGG HUNT

Children (10 & under) and families are invited to an Easter Egg Hunt **TODAY** at the SPC immediately following the 11:15 am Easter Mass.

Please bring your own basket to collect eggs.

## Knights of Columbus News



### KNIGHT AT THE RACES

Mark your calendars for the annual "Knight at the Races" at the SPC on Saturday, April 20.

Please support this major fundraiser which benefits our parish and local charities.

Buy and name your horses in advance for only \$10 each and come to see them win on our huge projection screen.

There will be door prizes, chances to win a basket of cheer, great food, beverages and only \$10 per person admission.

Flyers with all the details and horse entry forms are located in the entrance of each worship site.

Please pick up yours today and promptly return to assure it makes it into our race program.

For more information, please call Tom Henderson at 610-304-6546

### SAVE THE DATE

Friday, May 31, OLC is going to see Sight and Sound Theatre's production of Daniel.

A sign-up link has been created to reserve your tickets.

Tickets are limited, so be sure to mark your calendars. For more information, please contact Adrianna McCaw at 484-888-9024 or [adrianamccaw616@gmail.com](mailto:adrianamccaw616@gmail.com)

## Spring happenings at Pope John Paul II Regional Catholic Elementary School:

### Designer Bag Bingo - Friday, April 12, 2024

Fun, Fellowship, and *B-I-N-G-O*... What more could you want? For more about the Designer Bag Bingo event, please contact the event committee at [pjp2hs@popejohnpaul2sch.org](mailto:pjp2hs@popejohnpaul2sch.org).

### Dash 4 Cash - Monday, April 24, 2024

Besides being a fun & entertaining day for the students as they get a chance to run around outside, Dash for Cash is a fundraiser for PJPII.

Read more about the Dash for Cash and sponsorship opportunity information at [popejohnpaul2sch.org/dash-4-cash](http://popejohnpaul2sch.org/dash-4-cash)

### Annual Golf Outing - Tuesday, May 22, 2024

Join us at Honeybrook Golf Club - Golfer, Sponsorship, and Marketing opportunity information available here: [popejohnpaul2sch.org/golf-outing](http://popejohnpaul2sch.org/golf-outing)

### Lenten Journey

Supplement your own Lenten Journey via "Lent Reflections" posted daily on the front page of the PJPII school [website](http://popejohnpaul2sch.org). [popejohnpaul2sch.org](http://popejohnpaul2sch.org)

## Malvern Retreat House

Fr. Chris Alar, MIC to host retreat at Malvern Retreat House. We are pleased to announce a co-ed retreat honoring Our Blessed Mother hosted by retreat Director Fr. Chris Alar, MIC, on May 10- May 12, 2024.

Fr. Alar, is a celebrated author, host of the EWTN show "Living Divine Mercy," and author / producer of the You Tube series "Explaining the Faith." Catholic Evangelist, Mary Bea Damico, will speak about Blessed Carlo Acutis.

Music will include Anna Nuzzo, acclaimed international Catholic Singer.

Space is limited for this co-ed retreat. Sign up at [www.malvernretreat.com/events/fr-chris-alar-marian-retreat-2024/](http://www.malvernretreat.com/events/fr-chris-alar-marian-retreat-2024/)

# PASTOR'S Corner

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*Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,*

**The Lord is Risen, Alleluia! He has Risen** indeed, Alleluia!

On behalf of Deacon Gene Favinger and our Rectory Staff, I extend to you and your families sincere and joyful Easter blessings!

We also welcome with great joy the newest members of the Church and of our OLC Parish Family:

Katie Kish  
Wendy Nafe  
Travis Oswald  
Andrew Rodrigues

On this Day that the Lord has made, let us truly rejoice and be glad, for the tomb is empty and Jesus Christ, Our Lord is truly Risen.

We who are baptized into his death have been raised with Him and are called to proclaim the Good News that everyone who believes in Him will receive forgiveness of sins through His Name.

Christ, our Paschal Lamb has been sacrificed. Let us feast with joy in the Lord and find in the Banquet of the Eucharist in His Word and Sacrament the strength to bear faithful witness to His Resurrection!

*In Christ's Peace,*

*Fr. O'Neill*



### **First Friday & Saturday Mass**

Join us April 5 & 6 at Our Lady of Consolation Church for the First Friday and Saturday Mass and Devotions.

Mass begins at 8:30 am.

### **OLC-ELC**



"Christ is Risen. He is not here; He has risen!"-  
Luke 24:6

We would like to wish you and your families a Happy Easter.

Classes will resume on Tuesday, April 2.

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