

Our Lady of Victories Church

(serving Harrington Park, River Vale and the Pascack/Northern Valley)

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First Friday: 7:30pm, Mass of Sacred Heart & Devotions

First Saturday: 8:00am, Mass of Immaculate Heart of Mary

First Saturday: 12:00pm Mass for Souls in Purgatory

Novenas prayed after 8:00 a.m. Mass:

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal: Monday

St. Jude and St. Anthony: Wednesday

Infant of Prague: 25th of the month

Rosary: Recited M - Sat after 8:00am & 12Noon Mass.

Tuesday-Novena Prayer and Adoration: 2:15-3:30pm

Thursday-Holy Hour with Adoration & Benediction: 7:00pm

Friday-Exposition & Adoration: 12:30PM-3:00pm

Nocturnal Adoration: First Friday evening 8pm to Saturday 8am

THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE/CONFESSION:

Monday - Friday 7:30am -7:50am. First Friday at 7:00pm

Saturday at 11:00a.m.-Noon; 3:00pm -3:25pm

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

To register for Baptismal preparation and Baptism, call the rectory.

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Call the Religious Ed Office for requirements/class schedule.

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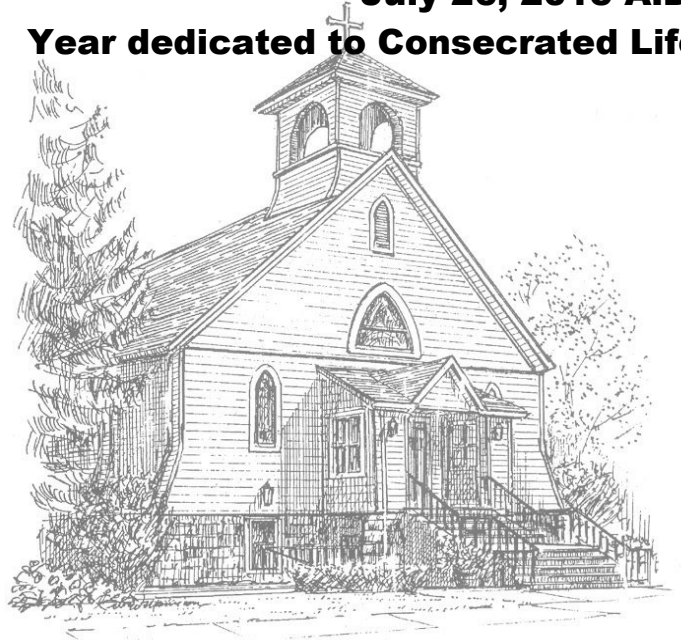
Sick calls at any time in emergency.

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS AND VOCATIONS:

Anyone contemplating a vocation to the Priesthood or Religious Life should contact the Vocations Office at 973.497.4365.

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Year dedicated to Consecrated Life



WELCOME

To the Parish Family of
OUR LADY OF VICTORIES
(THE LITTLE CHURCH WITH THE BIG HEART)

COME WORSHIP WITH US

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00pm & 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am, 10:45am,
12:00pm, 6:00pm & 7:00pm

Latin Mass: Every Sunday at 8:15am

Weekdays: M-Sat 8:00am & 12:00noon

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

All are welcome to become members of OLV Parish because we're the little Church with the BIG HEART. Please register in the Rectory. Every Catholic family or individuals living within the parish boundaries are encouraged to register.

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PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Please **PRAY** in the name of **JESUS**, the Healer, that the **SICK** of **OLV PARISH** may be restored to health and all those who **ASSIST** and **CARE** for the sick will be given the **STRENGTH** to continue **GOD'S GOOD WILL**: Isabella Ruggiero, Maria Aleman, Sam Burruano, Elizabeth Clark, Josephine Davidson, Kathleen Dolan, Rebecca Fastiggi, Veronica Finan, Thomas Haring, Conner, Arnold Kemner, Ken Mosier, Kathleen Musante, Suzanne Rothschild, Wendy Ruggiero, Cookie Rush, Mildred Speck, Therese Vaglio, Darien Wesler, Al Wiese, Roy Wurtz, Elaine Zito.

Spiritual Excerpt

"That person is truly blessed who understands what it is to love Jesus and to serve Him with deep humility. Jesus wishes to be loved above all things; everything else must come second. The love of any thing other than Jesus is deceptive and fickle; the love of Jesus is faithful and enduring."

Thomas A Kempis *THE IMITATION OF CHRIST*
Book 2 Chapter 7

CONFESSION/RECONCILIATION

This sacrament is offered EVERY Saturday from 11:00AM to Noon and 4-4:30PM. Every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday morning at 7:30AM as well as every First Friday at 7:00PM. A Priest is also available to hear Confessions daily by appointment.

WE ARE AT WAR

Dear Parents, not only are we at war in the Middle East; we are in a spiritual battle for the souls of our children each and every day. On Tuesday afternoons from 3:00PM-4:30PM we have a group who are praying the **Mary - Mother of All Nations Novena** to help win this war – come join us in this crucial battle. **ALL ARE WELCOME.**

OLV CLOTHING BINS

Summertime and the living is easy but not free from our responsibility as followers of Christ to help those in need. The hot, leisurely days of summer provide an excellent opportunity to get caught up on some of those tasks which we postponed during the demanding days of winter. Would you be willing to go through your closets to get rid of all those unwanted heavy winter clothes and shoes which served you so well during this blistering winter season? Please donate any unwanted clothing to the Catholic Charities bins located on the Church ground. Thank you for helping Catholic Charities continue its mission.

OLV Prayer Power House

Become one of our prayer team members. There are no meetings, so this apostolate is wonderful for all, including those parishioners who are homebound. For information, please phone Maria at the rectory.

WHAT THE CATECHISM SAYS

"In order that the full and living Gospel might always be preserved in the Church, the Apostles left Bishops as their successors. They gave them "their own position of teaching authority." Indeed, "the apostolic preaching, which is expressed in a special way in the inspired books, was to be preserved in a continuous line of succession until the end of time."

The Catechism of the Catholic Church #77

JUST A REMINDER

The Fridays of the year, outside of Lent, are designated as days of penance, but each individual may substitute for the traditional abstinence from meat some other practice of voluntary self-denial as penance.

Jesus asked one thing from us!!!

On His last night of earth (Holy Thursday) Jesus asked His disciples one thing – to stay awake with Him for one hour. Every Thursday evening we at OLV try to fulfill this request by having a Holy Hour from 7-8PM. Join us in carrying out Jesus' request.

APOLOGETICS

Defend your Catholic Faith but first learn more about it. Visit www.biblechristiansociety.com to learn more about Roman Catholicism.

PARENTS

Every Friday we have adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from noon to 3pm – now that it is summer stop in and bring your child/children and let them spend some quiet time with the Lord. It is never too late to start making "visits" to the Blessed Sacrament.

SAINTS OF TODAY AND YESTERDAY

SAINT JOHN DAT

Priest and Martyr (c. 1764-1798)

John Dat, of Dong Chuoi, Vietnam, was ordained to the priesthood in 1798. Soon afterward, he was arrested as the Tay Son brothers ruling part of Vietnam began a persecution against Catholics. When Father Dat was ordered to desecrate some pictures of the saints by sitting on them, he refused, and instead knelt beside the religious images to kiss them. During his imprisonment, he heard the confessions of his fellow Catholics and gave them doctrinal instructions. Father Dat admitted that he was nervous and fearful, but he declared, "There is no greater happiness than to die for Jesus Christ. May God give us all strength for the contest." After being condemned to death, he spent the night before his execution in prayer, sleeping for just a half-hour. Father Dat went to his beheading with such great courage that the wife of one pagan magistrate asked, "How does it happen that this priest has so little fear of death?" The magistrate who had sentenced him to death said in astonishment, "I do not know how these Christians are instructed, but all of them speak sensibly and learnedly."

SCRIPTURE QUESTION

Where in Scripture is the Divine origin and establishment that Priests have the God-given power to forgive sins? The following Scripture passages establish that Priests can forgive sins and establishes the basis for the Sacrament of Penance - Confession - Reconciliation:

"...where the disciples were gathered together...Jesus came and stood before them: Peace be with you...As the Father has sent me, I also send you...Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you shall forgive, they are forgiven them; and whose sins you shall retain, they are retained." **John 20:19-23**

"Amen I say to you, whatsoever you shall bind upon earth shall be bound also in Heaven; and whatsoever you shall loose upon earth shall be loosed also in Heaven." **Matt. 18:18**

IT'S IN THE BIBLE

The phrase "*The salt of the earth*", to describe a person of great value, comes to us from Matthew 5:13.

The best thing to save for your future is your soul.

Upcoming OLV Parish Events

Jul 28 -Tue – Marian Novena Prayer 2:15-3:15PM
Jul 29 —Wed—OLV Needlers
Jul 30—Thu—Holy Hour 7:00PM
Jul 31—Fri— Adoration of Blessed Sacrament—12-3PM
Aug 1 - Sat - Confessions 11:00AM-Noon, 3:00PM-3:30PM
Oct 4—PARISH PICNIC 1:30PM-5:30PM

Make a Visit

Remember the practice of stopping and making a visit to Jesus in the Tabernacle? Well, you can still do it, as OLV’s Church is open from 7:00AM-4:30PM (M-F).

LITTLE JOHNNY

A new teacher was trying to make use of her psychology courses. She started her class by saying, "Everyone who thinks they're stupid, stand up!" After a few seconds, Little Johnny stood up. The teacher said, "Do you think you're stupid, Little Johnny?" "No, ma'am, but I hate to see you standing there all by yourself!"

PRAY for THOSE in the MILITARY

- Lieutenant Julia H. Cheringal, US Navy;
- Lieutenant Ben Clemente, US Army;
- Midshipman Jon Clemente, US Navy;
- Sergeant Nicholas Colletti, US Army;
- 1st Lieutenant Ryan Colomeo, U.S. Marine Corps;
- Captain Michael Franson, US Army;
- Sergeant First Class Charles Greene, US Army;
- Lieutenant Tara Harris, US Air Force;
- Lieutenant Joseph Jaeger, US Navy;
- Lieutenant Andrew Jaeger, US Navy;
- Captain Shawn Linn, US Army;
- Colonel John McLaughlin, US Army;
- Corporal Richard McKenna, USMC.

PRAYER FOR OUR MILITARY

O Prince of peace, we humbly ask your protection for all our men and women in military service. Give them unflinching courage to defend with honor, dignity and devotion, the rights of all who are imperiled by injustice and evil. Be their rock, their shield, and their stronghold and let them draw their strength from you. For you are God, for ever and ever.

SICK OR "HOMEBOUND"

If you are sick or "homebound" (or know someone who is), and would like to have Communion, please contact the Rectory at 201-768-1706.

GOING ON VACATION

Visit www.masstimes.org for the locations of Catholic Churches and a Mass schedule, throughout the USA.

LEARN TO KNIT/CROCHET

The OLV Catholic Daughters meets every Wednesday evening in the rectory and will teach you to knit or crochet. Contact Renee Tringali at 201-768-0648 for more info.

OLV K of C Council #14483

All men over the age of 18 are cordially invited to join the OLV Knights of Columbus Council. The Knights are the largest Catholic Fraternal Organization in the world. For info call Rich at 201-767-6689.

Don't condone what God condemns.

ATTENTION

FRESHMEN & SOPHOMORES
IN HIGH SCHOOL

If you are in high school and have not made your Confirmation and would like to —you must be registered ASAP. The Opening retreat will be on Saturday, September 26, and to make your confirmation you must attend this afternoon retreat. See or call Deacon Al.

I FORGIVE YOU

One day a while back, a man, his heart heavy with grief, was walking in the woods. As he thought about his life this day, he knew many things were not right. He thought about those who had lied about him back when he had a job. His thoughts turned to those who had stolen his things and cheated him. He remembered family that had passed on. His mind turned to the illness he had that no one could cure. His very soul was filled with anger, resentment and frustration. Standing there this day, searching for answers he could not find, knowing all else had failed him, he knelt at the base of an old oak tree to seek the one he knew would always be there. And with tears in his eyes, he prayed:

"Lord- You have done wonderful things for me in this life. You have told me to do many things for you, and I happily obeyed. Today, you have told me to forgive. I am sad, Lord, because I cannot. I don't know how. It is not fair Lord. I didn't deserve these wrongs that were done against me and I shouldn't have to forgive. As perfect as your way is Lord, this one thing I cannot do, for I don't know how to forgive. My anger is so deep Lord, I fear I may not hear you, but I pray that you teach me to do this one thing I cannot do - Teach me to forgive."

As he knelt there in the quiet shade of that old oak tree, he felt something fall onto his shoulder. He opened his eyes. Out of the corner of one eye, he saw something red on his shirt. He could not turn to see what it was because where the oak tree had been was a large square piece of wood in the ground. He raised his head and saw two feet held to the wood with a large spike through them. He raised his head more, and tears came to his eyes as he saw Jesus hanging on a cross. He saw spikes in His hands, a gash in His side, a torn and battered body, deep thorns sunk into His head. Finally he saw the suffering and pain on His precious face. As their eyes met, the man's tears turned to sobbing, and Jesus began to speak.

"Have you ever told a lie?" He asked? The man answered - "yes, Lord." "Have you ever been given too much change and kept it?" The man answered - "yes, Lord." And the man sobbed more and more. "Have you ever taken something from work that wasn't yours?" Jesus asked? And the man answered - "yes, Lord." "Have you ever sworn, using my Father's name in vain?" The man, crying now, answered - "yes, Lord." As Jesus asked many more times, "Have you ever?" The man's crying became uncontrollable, for he could only answer - "yes, Lord."

Then Jesus turned His head from one side to the other, and the man felt something fall on his other shoulder. He looked and saw that it was the blood of Jesus. When he looked back up, his eyes met those of Jesus, and there was a look of love the man had never seen or known before. Jesus said, "I didn't deserve this either, but I forgive you."

It may be hard to see how you're going to get through something, but when you look back in life, you realize how true this statement is. If God brings you to it - He will bring you through it.

Don't pray? You'll pay.

PARISH PICNIC

The OLV parish picnic will be held on Sunday October 4, the Feast of St Francis.

ADULT CHILDREN OF ALCOHOLICS

1. Adult children of alcoholics guess at what normal behavior is.
2. Adult children of alcoholics have difficulty following a project through from beginning to end.
3. Adult children of alcoholics lie when it would be just as easy to tell the truth.
4. Adult children of alcoholics judge themselves without mercy.
5. Adult children of alcoholics have difficulty having fun.
6. Adult children of alcoholics take themselves very seriously.
7. Adult children of alcoholics have difficulty with intimate relationships.
8. Adult children of alcoholics overreact to changes over which they have no control.
9. Adult children of alcoholics constantly seek approval and affirmation.
10. Adult children of alcoholics usually feel that they are different from other people.
11. Adult children of alcoholics are super responsible or super irresponsible.
12. Adult children of alcoholics are extremely loyal, even in the face of evidence that loyalty is undeserved.
13. Adult children of alcoholics are impulsive. They tend to lock themselves into a course of action without giving serious consideration to alternative behaviors or possible consequences. This impulsivity leads to confusion, self-loathing, and loss of control over their environment. In addition, they spend an excessive amount of time cleaning up the mess.

QUIET IN CHURCH

A Sunday school teacher asked her children as they were on the way to Mass, "And why is it necessary to be quiet in church?" One bright little girl replied, "Because people are sleeping."

Fortitude

1. St. Teresa says that the devil is afraid of resolute souls. Fortitude is not only a virtue, but the backbone of all virtue.
2. Fortitude is sometimes harder in small matters than in big ones, and in spiritual matters than in physical ones. There are many people who dare every kind of danger, but very few who dare to think the truth about the most important matters - even in the secrecy of their own minds.
3. The two pillars of chivalry: purity and fortitude – they could transform the earth.
4. Even in the natural order, without fortitude nothing is achieved.
5. Fortitude is the bridge between us and our ideals.
6. Where could we find a greater teacher of fortitude than the Crucifix!

ARE YOU NEW TO THE AREA?

If you are, why not join our ever-growing Parish family. Stop by the Rectory any weekday and meet Maria and register to become a member of the OLV Family. Census forms are also located in the Church vestibule.

"To prayer may be traced the beginning, the progress, and the perfection of all virtues."

St. Charles Borromeo

Mass Intentions

- Monday, July 27 – Ss. Nathalia, Aurelius & George-Martyrs**
 8:00 John McIntyre R/b Sisters of Charity OLV
 12:00 Joseph DeFedele R/b Mary Corrigan
- Tues., July 28–St. Samson of Wales Monk & Bishop of Dol,Wales**
 8:00 Mercedes Camara R/b the Brown Family
 12:00 Rev. Edward V. Duffy R/b the Barrett Family
- Wednesday, July 29 – St. Martha - Virgin**
 8:00 Thomas Hams R/b Bob and Renee Tringali
 12:00 Mary Miller R/b Helen Smith
- Thursday, July 30 – St. Peter Chrysologus – bishop, doctor**
 8:00 Kevin Lagatol R/b the Lagatol Family
 12:00 Intentions of Donna Pabello R/b Charles and Marita Morgan
- Friday, July 31– St. Ignatius of Loyola, priest**
 8:00 Rev. Hedwin Bobrek OSM R/b the Zaccaro Family
 12:00 Elsie M. Ballas R/b the Zwerle Family
- First Saturday, August 1–St. Alphonsus Liguori, bishop-doctor**
 8:00 Mizzi Pfister R/b the Poggi Family
 12:00 Souls in Purgatory
 4:00 Mary Farrelley R/b Ed Farrelley
 5:00 Mauro Mengaziol R/b Mario and Lorraine Gobbetti
- Sunday, August 2–St. Eusebius, bishop**
 7:30 John Pantalon R/b Michael and Barbara Fizulich
 8:15 Donald Ulisse, Sr. R/b Don and Liz Ulisse
 9:30 Intentions of Fr. Bryan Adamcik R/b Joan Crowley
 10:45 Barbara Collins R/b Greg and Susan Evanella
 12:00 Intentions of Charles Morgan R/b Marita Morgan
 6:00 Dorothy Blaser R/b Maureen McMahon
 7:00 Msgr. Caesar Orrico

Sanctuary Memorials

- The Blessed Virgin Mary Votive Lamp burns this week for the Intentions of Msgr. Michael Andreano, r/b OLV K of C.
- The St. Joseph Votive Lamp burns this week for a special intention.
- The Church Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for the unemployed.
- The Infant of Prague Votive Lamp burns this week for the repose of the soul of Ann Moriarty.
- The St. John Paul II Votive Lamp burns this week for the repose of the soul of Fr. Robert Pachana.

God knew our Greatest Need

If our greatest need had been information, God would have sent us an educator. If our greatest need had been technology, God would have sent us a scientist. If our greatest need had been money, God would have sent us an economist. If our greatest need had been pleasure, God would have sent us an entertainer. But our greatest need was forgiveness, so God sent us a Savior.

Summer Reading

Visit our bookrack and check out the vast selection of books, booklets, and pamphlets. The summer is a great time to read and become closer to God. Learn more about your faith, the Saints, Mary, Jesus, or pick up one of the inspirational books in stock. Check out some of our new and interesting titles. Don't have time to read? Listen to a CD in the car since we also have a wide variety of Catholic CDs.

KIDZ KORNER ANSWERS

1. The Ascension
2. Jesus goes back to Heaven
3. Pentecost
4. The Birthday of the Church
5. Pope Francis

**Supreme Court Decision on Marriage
“A Tragic Error”
President of Catholic Bishops’ Conference**

June 26, 2015

WASHINGTON—The U.S. Supreme Court decision, June 26, interpreting the U.S. Constitution to require all states to license and recognize same-sex “marriage” “is a tragic error that harms the common good and most vulnerable among us,” said Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz of Louisville, Kentucky, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). The full statement follows:

Regardless of what a narrow majority of the Supreme Court may declare at this moment in history, the nature of the human person and marriage remains unchanged and unchangeable. Just as *Roe v. Wade* did not settle the question of abortion over forty years ago, *Obergefell v. Hodges* does not settle the question of marriage today. Neither decision is rooted in the truth, and as a result, both will eventually fail. Today the Court is wrong again. It is profoundly immoral and unjust for the government to declare that two people of the same sex can constitute a marriage.

The unique meaning of marriage as the union of one man and one woman is inscribed in our bodies as male and female. The protection of this meaning is a critical dimension of the “integral ecology” that Pope Francis has called us to promote. Mandating marriage redefinition across the country is a tragic error that harms the common good and most vulnerable among us, especially children. The law has a duty to support every child’s basic right to be raised, where possible, by his or her married mother and father in a stable home.

Jesus Christ, with great love, taught unambiguously that from the beginning marriage is the lifelong union of one man and one woman. As Catholic bishops, we follow our Lord and will continue to teach and to act according to this truth. I encourage Catholics to move forward with faith, hope, and love: faith in the unchanging truth about marriage, rooted in the immutable nature of the human person and confirmed by divine revelation; hope that these truths will once again prevail in our society, not only by their logic, but by their great beauty and manifest service to the common good; and love for all our neighbors, even those who hate us or would punish us for our faith and moral convictions.

Lastly, I call upon all people of good will to join us in proclaiming the goodness, truth, and beauty of marriage as rightly understood for millennia, and I ask all in positions of power and authority to respect the God-given freedom to seek, live by, and bear witness to the truth.

WHAT THE POPE SAID

“It is especially incumbent upon those who, by virtue of their social or political position, must make decisions regarding fundamental rules, such as respect for human life, its defense from conception to natural death. The family built upon marriage between a man and a woman. The freedom to educate one’s children and the promotion of the common good in all its forms. These values are not negotiable.”

Pope Benedict XVI,

Sacramentum Caritatis (“On the Eucharist”)

SAVE USED EYEGLASSES

OLV K of C collects used and old eyeglasses for the less fortunate. Any old or “retired” glasses may be left in the basket in the back of Church.

Think God can do better? Give Him a chance.

Priest Who Died Protecting Seal of Confession

The Holy See is moving ahead with the cause of beatification of Father Felipe Ciscar Puig, a Spanish priest who was martyred during the persecution of 1936 for protecting the seal of confession. In statements to the AVAN news agency, the vice postulator of the cause, Father Benjamin Agullo, said Father Puig “is considered a martyr of the sacramental seal as he was shot for refusing to reveal the confession of a Franciscan priest who was also executed.”

Francisco Father Andres Ivars asked to go to confession when he was in prison in August of 1936, suspecting that his execution was near. “At that moment Ciscar was brought to the same prison. After the confession, they tried to get him to reveal the contents and in response to his denial to do so, the militants threatened to kill him,” Father Agullo said.

Since he remained unmoved, his captors organized a mock trial and condemned him to death. Both Father Agullo and Father Ivars were driven by car to another location and were executed on September 8, 1936, the vice postulator of the cause explained. Father Puig studied at the Seminary of Valencia and was ordained a priest in 1888. After serving as pastor in various parishes, he served as chaplain for the Augustinian Sisters of Denia.

Fathers Ciscar and Ivars are part the cause of canonization of the Servants of God Ricardo Pelufo Esteve and 43 companions, including 36 Franciscans.

DID YOU KNOW?

Catholic Sisters ran public schools! In the 1800’s, many of our nation’s public schools (funded by city, county, or state) were run by Catholic Sisters. This was true in the West and parts of NY, MA, and the Southern States. They ran the schools, with an average wage of \$12 per month per Sister (a low wage even at that time). The Sisters taught the state required subjects: writing, spelling, arithmetic, English (and in the West, Spanish), geography, and US History. They often, also, had private schools which met at night, where they taught catechism, art, languages, music, drawing, philosophy, and higher arithmetic, etc. With both spiritual and material advantages, this system remained in effect until there was too much anti-Catholic influence in each locality. The Sisters of Charity ran the western public schools of Santa Fe, and those of Old Town and New Town Albuquerque. (The public school in Old Town was called “Our Lady of the Angels!”) Beginning in 1870, they also ran Public School # 1 in Trinidad, Colorado Territory, along the Santa Fe Trail. These Sisters were the first to receive Number One teaching certificates when the territory held its first teachers’ public examination. The School Board of Trinidad called a meeting in 1892 to notify the Sisters, regarding their Religious Habits, that “under no circumstances does the school board wish to lose your services, but we ask you to change your mode of dress.” One of the Sisters, looking steadily at the Chairman, replied: “The Constitution of the United States gives me the same privilege to wear this mode of dress as it gives you to wear your trousers. Goodbye ...”

KIDZ KORNER

1. What feast do we celebrate 40 days after Easter?
2. What event in Jesus’ life does this feast celebrate?
3. What feast do we celebrate 9 days after this?
4. What event in the Church does this feast celebrate?
5. Who is the visible leader of Jesus’ Church.

Answers on page four.

COVER SHEET

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