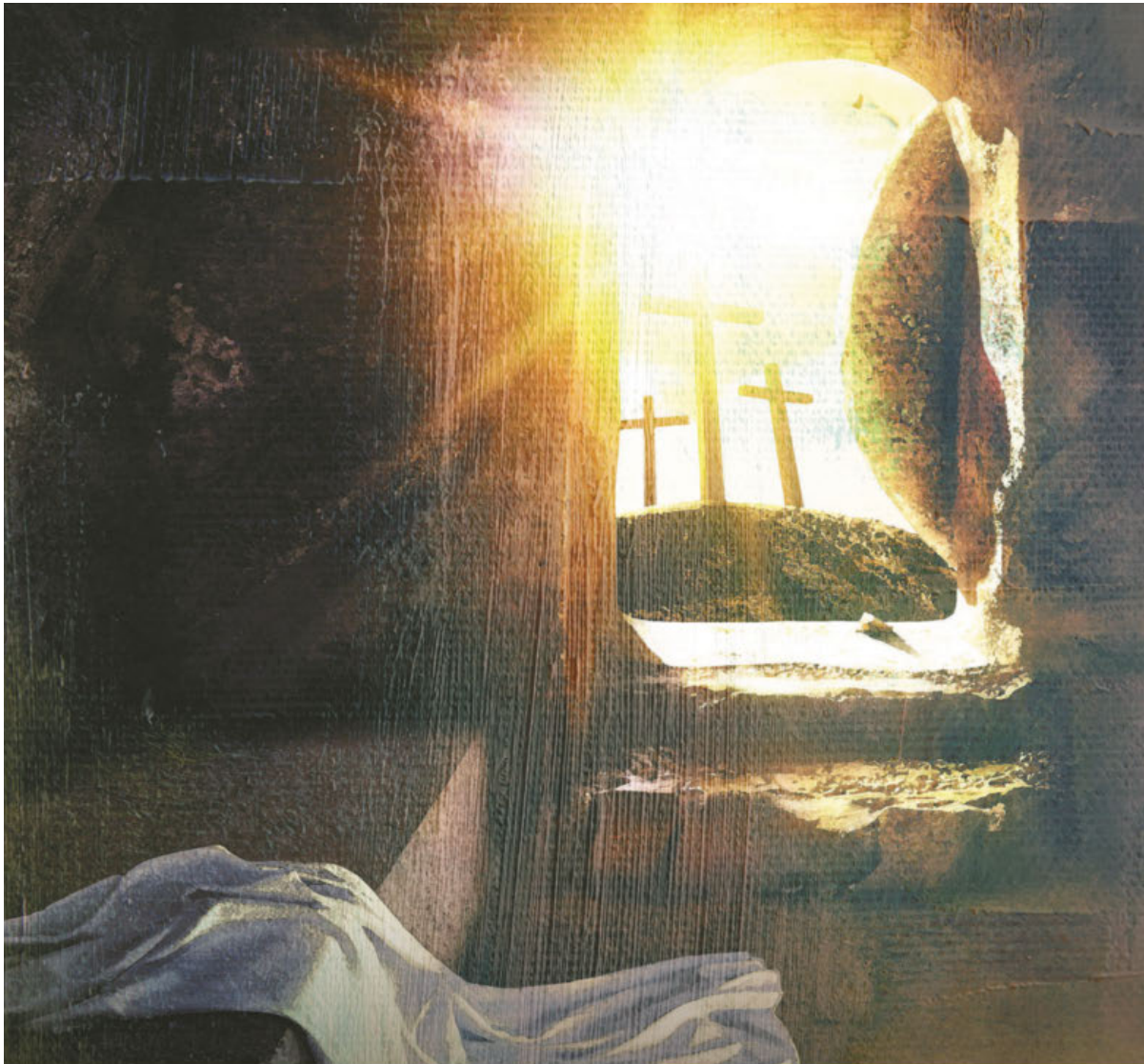




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EASTER SUNDAY



He bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in. When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. - Jn 20:5-7

MARCH 31st, 2024 | EASTER SUNDAY

MISSION STATEMENT:

We exist to be
a light to the world,
and we live out Christ's
call on our lives
by worship and witness.

In prayer and sacrament
God enkindles our hearts
that we might bring
the fire of his love
to everyone we encounter.

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MASS TIMES

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil: 5:15pm &
7:00pm (Spanish)

Sunday Morning: 7:30am, 9:00am,
& 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:00am - Monday-Saturday

All Masses Livestreamed

CONFESSIONS

IN THE CHURCH

Saturday 8:30am-9:30am &
4:00pm-5:00pm

OR BY APPOINTMENT

Call the parish office or email
pastor@olmcboonton.org

ADORATION:

Friday 8:30am-Saturday
8:00am



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PASTOR'S NOTE

Dear Saints,

This is it: the day we've been preparing for all Lent. Of all the significant moments throughout the liturgical year, Easter Sunday is the one that makes all the difference. It all comes down to one, simple question: is it real?

If Christ did *not* rise from the dead, then everything that came before is a lie. The miracles were mere spectacle; the sermons were just clever stump speeches; the call to follow him was (at best) an irresponsible power-grab. We'd do well to ignore the whole thing as the rantings of a snake-oil salesman and his unstable sycophants.

But if Christ *did* rise from the dead, nothing can ever be the same again. If God literally became a man, and that man actually died on a cross for love of us, and that cross truly became the source of the world's salvation - that changes everything.

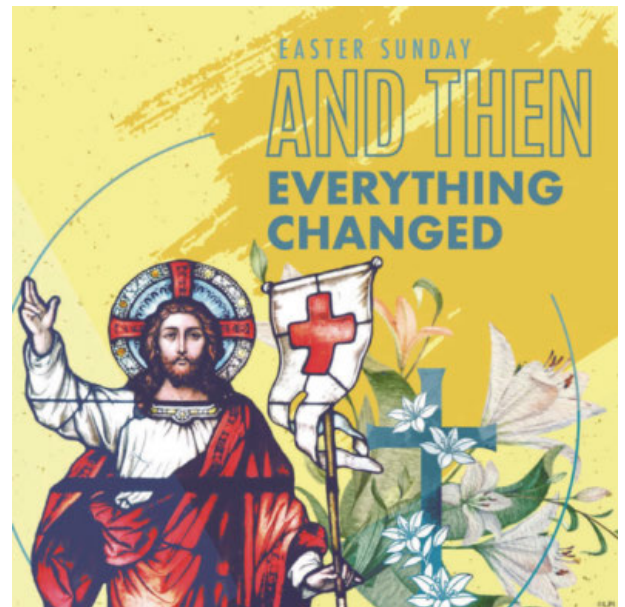
The apostles who were there insisted that the resurrection really happened. So ardent was their conviction, they were willing to die for it - and often did. Just as significantly, they were willing to live for it. Are we?

Believing in Easter is an earthshaking prospect. It means turning our lives over to God and letting him upend every expectation, from the big dreams to the details. That's why Lent was such a valuable exercise, because it prepared us to detach and let him take over. And now that we're ready to start living for his plans and purposes, this is when things really get exciting: supernatural gifts start flourishing; relationships start bearing the sweetest fruit; and the puzzle pieces start fitting together, as life on earth is infiltrated and ordered by the power of heaven.

In short, things get real.

Christ's Peace,

Father Daniel
δοῦλος Χριστοῦ Ἰησοῦ



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Welcome New Members!

Join us

Are you ready to light up the world with God's love? Please stop by the Parish Office during the week or register online at www.olmc.church.

4 PRAY

March 31st, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2024

8:00am —NO MASS—
8:00pm People of the Parish

EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2024

7:30am Thomas Crocetti
9:00am Nuala Moloney
11:00am Rose Marie Ossi

MONDAY, APRIL 1, 2024

8:00am John LaSalandra

TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 2024

8:00am John LaSalandra

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 2024

8:00am Helen Cianella

THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 2024

8:00am Peter Franchi

APRIL 5, 2024

8:00am Gerald Unger
Liv. Int. Cordelia Mary Last

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 2024

8:00am Liv. Int. Cynthia Fernan
5:15pm Liv. Int. Jan & Donald Kapinos

SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2024

7:30am Roy Peter Cuadra
9:00am People of the Parish
11:00am Al Scerbo

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYERS...

...FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE SICK:

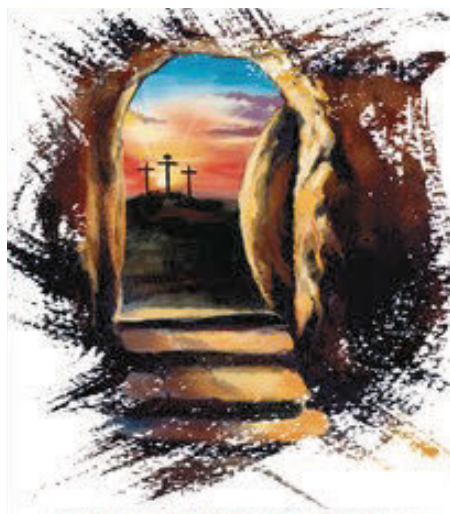
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...FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE MILITARY:

Molly Webber USMA, Annalise Webber USAFA, Captain Mark Vogel USMC, Captain Robert Beagen, SPC. Raymond McCormick, LT Anthony John Kline, LTC Matthew Pride

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 31:

The Mass and Vigil Light, Bread and Wine and Altar Flowers are offered for the People of the Parish.



READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

Sun
3/31

Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps
118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 (24)/
Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/
Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7

Mon
4/1

Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-
2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Mt
28:8-15

Tues
4/2

Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-
19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18

Wed
4/3

Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-
4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35

Thurs
4/4

Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and
5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48

Fri
4/5

Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, and
4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-
14

Sat
4/6

Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and
14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/Mk
16:9-15

Sun
4/7

Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-
15, 22-24 (1)/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn
20:19-31



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PARISH INCOME - MARCH 24, 2024

Collection	Cash/Checks	Automated Giving	Total
Regular	\$5,416	\$7,968	\$13,384
School Support	\$10	\$438	\$448
Second Collection	\$240	\$26	\$266
Total	\$5,666	\$8,432	\$14,098

PLEASE NOTE: The income grid represents donations received over the past 7 days, but includes envelopes representing a range of weeks minor collections are not reflected in the numbers.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Ladies Auxiliary Boonton

The Ladies Auxiliary of Boonton Fire Department is offering a scholarship of \$500 for a deserving student. Students must be a resident of Boonton. Applications are available in the guidance offices of Boonton High School, Morris Catholic and Lumen Gentium Academy on April 1st and must be received by May 10th.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MON 4/1	TUES 4/2	WED 4/3	THURS 4/4	FRI 4/5	SAT 4/6	SUN 4/7
Mass: 8:00am followed by the Rosary Parish Office Closed	Mass: 8:00am followed by the Rosary Women's Group 7:00pm-8:30pm	Mass: 8:00am followed by the Rosary Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 9:00am AA Meeting 8:00pm-9:30pm	Mass: 8:00am followed by the Rosary	Mass: 8:00am followed by the Rosary Eucharistic Adoration: Exposition, 8:30am Adoration continues until Benediction, just prior to 8:00am Mass on Sat.	Men's Group 6:00am-8:00am Mass: 8:00am followed by the Rosary Confessions: 8:30am-9:30am and 4:00pm-5:00pm Vigil Mass: 5:15pm and 7:00pm (Spanish)	Masses: 7:30am, 9:00am, & 11:00am

MORE ON WWW.OLMC.CHURCH/EVENTS

March 31st, 2024

Peter Paul Rubens, *Resurrection of Christ*, 1617-1619, Musée des beaux-arts, Marseille.

“Let us not forget that Jesus not only suffered,
but also rose in glory;
so, too, we go to the glory of the Resurrection
by way of suffering and the Cross.”

-Saint Maximilian Kolbe



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FINANCIAL SEMINAR

Stewardship Strategies: Minimizing Taxes, Maximizing Legacy

Good financial stewardship is a powerful way to make a lasting impact on your own future, your family's well being, and the causes you care about. Most people need significant guidance to make the choices that will best protect and prosper them, their loved ones, and their legacy.

To that end, we are delighted to offer two seminars hosted by OLMC parishioner, Sal Salvo. Sal is the co-founder of Summit Financial LLC and founder of the Institute for Family Wealth Counseling in Parsippany, and he will lead the discussions through such important topics as income tax reduction and estate tax elimination.

Please join us in Gordon Hall on

Wednesday, April 17th at 9:00 am or

Thursday, April 18th at 6:00 pm.

RSVP to iaroch@olmcboonton.org by Sunday, April 14th. We hope to see you there!



AMERICAN HERITAGE GIRLS' EASTER PROJECT

We would like to express a huge thank you to each of our industrious **American Heritage Girls** who volunteered to clean the church, last Saturday. Despite the heavy rain, the girls arrived eager, ready to work, and enthusiastically sprayed and wiped down each pew and kneeler! Also, we extend our appreciation to the **AHG** leaders and parents who contributed time to planning and overseeing this project.

Happy and blessed Easter season to each of you!



Masses: 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am

Adoration: after 11:00am Mass-3:30pm

Confession: 2:00-3:00pm

Chaplet of Divine Mercy: 3:00pm

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Sunday April 7, please join the OLMC community in celebrating the end of the Easter octave and Divine Mercy with a literal FEAST! Lunch will be served following the 11am mass. We will conclude our time together with the recitation of the Chaplet in the church at 3:00pm. As this day is a special opportunity to receive a plenary indulgence, Adoration and Confession will also be available. All are welcome!



BIBLE STUDY

The Chosen, Season 1

Join us for an 8-week journey through the first season of the hit series, *The Chosen*, and the Scripture passages that inspired it.

Tuesdays, 1:00—2:15pm, beg. April 16th

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