



OUR LADY OF VICTORY

Weekly School Newsletter

Our Lady of Victory is a Catholic Parish School Dedicated to Living our Victory Values through Faith, Academics, and Service.

Virtuous living + Intellectual growth + Christ-like behavior + Teamwork + Opportunities for service + Respect for all + Yes to Forgiveness

Civic Concern Collection

Civic Concern of Northville reached out to us this week to see if we could quickly collect the following items for their pantry:

- **Canned fruit (any kind)**
- **Canned soup (any kind)**
- **Toilet paper**

All items can be placed in the bin outside the office until **Wednesday, September 19**. Please note that this is an optional collection. Only help if you can.



Picture Day is **Thursday, September 20**. This is a dress up day for all students. Eighth grade boys traditionally wear a suit coat and tie and the girls wear a nice dress (no bear shoulders). Jeans may not be worn on this day. Nice shorts are allowed. Pictures will be taken by lunch and recess. Picture retake day is

OLV's HSPT Prep

Students in the eighth grade are encouraged to attend the High School Placement test prep sessions being offered here at OLV. The sessions are on Saturday, **September 22, September 29 and October 13, from 8:00-11:15 a.m.** The students will rotate through four 45-minute sessions for the the first two Saturdays. On the third Saturday, students will take a mock placement test. The cost is **\$100** for all three sessions (even if you cannot attend all of them). Please return the **completed form (found online) along with your check by September 14.**

Next Week Events:

Saturday, September 15

Dads' Club Golf Outing, St. John's Golf Club, Plymouth
October Hot Lunch Orders Due

Sunday, September 16

DONUT SUNDAY after all Masses
8th Grade Car Wash, 10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m., School Lot

Monday, September 17

Tuesday, September 18
ZOUP 8th grade Fundraiser, 4-8 p.m.

Wednesday, September 19

School Mass, 8:30 a.m.-Grade 6 (MacLean)
Civic Concern Items Due

Thursday, September 20

Picture Day

Friday, September 21

Saturday, September 22, 8 a.m.
HSPT Prep Session I



Join your friends and family at
ZOUP!

Proceeds benefit the 8th Grade
Washington D.C. Trip

Zoup! Restaurant

20065 Haggerty Road, Northville

South of 8 Mile Road (same complex as Starbucks)

Tuesday, September 18

5:00-8:00 p.m.

No flyers are needed.

20% of all restaurant sales during this time period will go to our fundraiser. So come out and support our students!



OLV LIBRARY NEWS

Welcome to the *OLV Library Birthday Club*: **Gabriella Lemanski, Robert Lescoe, Olivia Montemayor, Kathryn Lauster and Grady McKay.** Hope you all had a great birthday! If you are thinking of having your child join the Birthday Club, please fill out a form from the website or pick one up in the School office. We will soon be posting pictures of our members outside the Library Center.

October is just around the corner and that means the Scholastic Book Fair will soon be here. The Book Fair will be at the school from October 22-25. If you would like to volunteer some time during this event, please contact, Mrs. Ayotte at vayotte@olvnorthville.net or leave a message at the office.

Mrs. Judy Horger, Library Center Teacher
Mrs. Valerie Ayotte, Children's Librarian



OLV COMMUNITY SERVICE DAYS FALL YARD CLEAN UP

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11 and FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12

OLV students will be helping seniors in the neighborhood with their yard cleanup during school hours this fall. If you know of a local senior who could use a hand, please contact Janis Seabolt at (248) 231-6079 or jseabolt@purposefullyengaged.com by **October 1**. We will get them on the list for any of the following tasks:

- Raking
- Pruning shrubs/perennials
- Pulling annuals
- Planting bulbs/mums
- Decorating
- Other small projects



Walking distance of OLV school, please. Let's help these kids serve in our community!



8th Grade Car Wash

Sunday, September 16
10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
School Parking Lot

Please help the 8th grade students get to Washington D.C. by getting your car washed before or after Mass! Donations gratefully accepted. Thank you for your support!

Thank you from the PTO

Thank you to all of the parents who joined us at our first meeting on Thursday. We look forward to hearing your great ideas each month! Next meeting is Thursday, October 11.

OLV Grade 7-8 Dance

The OLV Dads' Club will be hosting their first dance of the year on **Friday, September 14, from 7-10 p.m.**, in the School Gym. All students attending must register online and bring their preprinted ticket and signed parent confirmation.



Drop Off SAFETY

Please note parents, that when walking your students to under the school porch, that you remember to **step all the way inside the pillars.** This is especially important when you bring your toddlers and start to socialize. Cars are moving fast and we don't want a sibling to get hurt.

Also, remember that you may only **turn right** out of the school parking lot to go down Orchard Drive.

Used Sports Equipment Drive

September 24-October 5

Clean out your closets and help the 14,000 children of Detroit who participate in Detroit Police Athletic League (PAL) get equipped to play. Your gently used cleats and other sports equipment will make a big difference. Items needed:

- Cleats (any sport)
- Baseball/softball gloves, Catcher's equipment
- Basketball and volleyball shoes
- New or gently used balls: soccer, basketball, baseball/softball, volleyball
- Shin guards, knee pads

Detroit PAL builds character in young people through athletic, academic, and leadership development programs. For more information, visit www.Detroitpal.org or contact parishioner and Detroit PAL board member, Scott Seabolt at sseabolt@seaboltpc.com.

IOWA Testing Week Starts October 1: REMINDERS

- ❑ *Make sure your child gets appropriate **sleep** the week before and the week of testing.*
- ❑ *Have your child **eat** a healthy breakfast.*
- ❑ *Make sure your child arrives at school **on time**.*
- ❑ *Gently encourage your child to do his/her best.*



- ❖ *Please do not schedule any unnecessary appointments during the week of testing.*
- ❖ *If your child is absent from school, he/she will miss valuable classroom instruction to make up the IOWA tests.*
- ❖ *It is very difficult to schedule and administer make up tests.*

OUR LADY OF VICTORY DAD'S CLUB PRESENTS



Oktoberfest



**NORTH CENTER BREWING COMPANY
410 CENTER STREET, DOWNTOWN NORTHVILLE**

October 6th

4pm to 8pm

TENT WILL BE OPEN UNTIL MIDNIGHT

**\$40 PER PERSON IN ADVANCE, \$50 AT THE DOOR
INCLUDES OPEN CRAFT BEER BAR AND WINE, LIVE MUSIC,
SOUVENIR MUG, GERMAN FESTIVAL FOOD**

OPTIONAL CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT



**MUST BE 21 OR OLDER TO ATTEND
TO REGISTER GO TO WWW.OLVATHLETICS.COM**



**QUESTIONS? EMAIL RICH REYNOLDS RICHARD.REYNOLDS@SYMETRA.COM
OR MIKE CECCOLI, MIKECECOLI@YAHOO.COM**

OLV SPORTS WEEKEND SCHEDULE

(www.olvathletics.com)



NW Catholic Saints

Football vs. West Catholic #1

Sunday, September 16, at Catholic Central

1:00 p.m.: Varsity

3:00 p.m.: JV

5:00 p.m.: Freshmen

OLV Volleyball

Friday, September 14

6:00 p.m.: JV2 vs. St. Patrick (A)

Saturday, September 15

8:30 a.m.: JV3 vs. St. Patrick/Brighton (H)

10 a.m.: JV2 vs. St. Francis Assisi (H)

10 a.m.: JV1 vs. St. Mikes (A)

11 a.m.: Varsity2 vs. St. Francis Assisi (H)

1 p.m.: Varsity1 vs. St. Mikes (A)

Sunday, September 16, at OLV

12 p.m.: JV3 vs. St. Patrick/Brighton

1 p.m.: JV2 vs. St. John Neumann

2 p.m.: JV1 vs. St. Edith

3 p.m.: Varsity2 vs. St. Mikes

4 p.m.: Varsity1 vs. St. Edith

OLV Cross Country

Thursday, September 20, 6 p.m.
vs. UD Jesuit Academy, Cass Benton

Come Cheer them to VICTORY!!

October Dates to Remember:

- Iowa Test Week Begins, October 1
- OLV Moms' in Prayer, October 5, 8:30 a.m.
- OctoberFest, October 6, 4-8 p.m.
- Student Council vs. Teachers Basketball Game, October 11, 7 p.m.
- Community Days, October 11-12
- Halloween Dance (grade 7-8), October 12, 7 p.m.
- **NO SCHOOL-Fall Holiday, October 15**
- Grade 6 Band Informance, October 16, 6:45 p.m.
- Book Fair, October 22-25
- VIP Mass, October 24, 8:30 a.m.
- Picture Retake Day, October 25
- Halloween Parade (k-5), October 31



OLV SPORTS UPDATE

OLV Basketball Registration is now OPEN for all Students in Grades 4-8!

The 2018-19 season runs from October 29 through March 9. Practices are 2-3 times/week plus games on Saturday and Sunday.

Please visit www.OLVAthletics.com and click on PLAYER/COACH REGISTRATION on the horizontal tabs. Follow the provided instructions and include payment to the OLV Dads' Club at the end via secure PayPal account (sorry, checks are not accepted).

Due to the high demand and amount of pre-season preparation needed, **registration will close on SEPTEMBER 30**. Late registrations will be placed on a waitlist. Do not DELAY! To register, visit www.OLVAthletics.com, and click on the **PLAYER/COACH REGISTRATION** tab. Online payment (only) is due at the time of registration. Sports Physicals (dated after April 15, 2018) must be submitted prior to the first practice.

Coaching applications will be accepted for Basketball through September 30 by visiting www.olvathletics.com.



Whether you can volunteer your time as a Head or Assistant Coach, please know that our program could not be successful without you. Thank you for your support!

- Dan Gutowsky, Athletic Director

MENTORS WANTED: OLV ROBOTICS TEAM

Our Lady of Victory Catholic School will have 2 **FIRST** Robotics Teams this season!!

If you are interested in learning more about it or becoming a Mentor, please contact

Karen Martin at (248) 797-3888

or KarenMartin48167@comcast.net.

- First Tech Challenge (FTC): (grades 6-8)
- First Lego League (FLL): (grades 4 and 5)

www.firstinmichigan.org

