“MY SHEEP HEAR MY VOICE; I KNOW THEM, AND THEY FOLLOW ME.”
Masses
Daily
Monday – Saturday 8:30 AM
Weekends
Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON
Holy Days
As announced

Sacraments
The Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 4:00 – 4:30 PM, or by appointment; please call the Church Office
The Sacrament of Baptism
The second Sunday of each month, except during Lent. Please arrange for Baptism at least two months in advance.
The Sacrament of Marriage
Please make an appointment with a priest or deacon at least one year in advance.
The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
Please call the Church Office to request a visit from fr. Dan.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mission Statement
“We are the Roman Catholic Community of Our Lady of Mount Carmel based in Tenafly, New Jersey.
Our mission is the promotion of the holiness of life through the celebration of the Sacraments, the sharing of the Gospel and the promotion of Catholic values.
We offer pastoral care through ministries that provide education, healing, spiritual growth and social outreach in the Carmelite tradition.”

“No matter who you are, no matter what you’ve done, no matter where you’re from, no matter where you’re going, no matter how good or bad things seem, you are always welcome.”
A Message From The Pastor…

Dear Brothers and Sisters of Our Lady of Mount Carmel,

Blessings upon all who are mothers in our community. Blessings and good wishes to all our mothers elsewhere on this earth. Let us also not forget our mothers who have gone home to the Lord. We remember them all and love them still.

I want to remind you again about the service and dinner we will be having next Sunday afternoon, May 19 at 4:00 PM. Our guests will be members of the Jewish faith community of Temple Sinai. We are hoping for a hundred attendees and we are also hoping for a hundred of our own members to join in this important moment in the life of our parish.

We live in a world where people of all religious traditions have found their freedom to worship endangered and all too frequently violently attacked. We must say no to such hateful sin. And, those of us of good faith and good will cannot let such fears stop us from being true to what we believe about the common humanity of all God’s children.

Therefore, I urge you to RSVP and join us next Sunday. We will gather in our church at 4:00. After a brief prayer we will hear a presentation by Dr. Philip Cunningham. Then, we will go downstairs to our auditorium for dinner with our guests.

I am very grateful to those who are helping to make this proud event take place—Ed Imperatore, Gerry Kotch, Peggy Fine, Marge DeSavino and John Sullivan have been our steering committee since last fall. We are all indebted for their time and energy to this task. Our dinner menu is being carefully planned, as always, by Rose Ann Miglietta.

This is a moment of grace and of historical significance. Thank you being part of it and for being the church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

Happy Mother’s Day!

Sincerely yours in Christ and Our Lady of Mount Carmel,
fr. Dan
doneill@carmelnet.org

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Temple Sinai of Bergen County
and
Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

A Jewish–Catholic Journey
Five Decades on the Jewish–Catholic Journey of Friendship: Moving toward Mutuality

“Creating an evolving dialogue of religious understanding.”

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Sunday, May 19, 2019
4 PM
Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

RSVP to the Church Office
201-568-0545
rectory@olmc.us

Please see today’s bulletin insert for details.
LITURGICAL

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, MAY 13th
8:30 Mother’s Day Novena

TUESDAY, MAY 14th
8:30 Mother’s Day Novena

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15th
8:30 Mother’s Day Novena

THURSDAY, MAY 16th
8:30 Mother’s Day Novena

FRIDAY, MAY 17th
8:30 Mother’s Day Novena

SATURDAY, MAY 18th
8:30 Mother’s Day Novena
5:00 Michael Ribaudo
(Requested by Patti Ribaudo)

SUNDAY, MAY 19th
8:00 Adeline Dente
(Requested by The Dente Family)
10:00 Parishioners of Our Lady of Mount Carmel
12:00 Mother’s Day Novena

MINISTERS FOR MAY 18th & 19th

5 PM
Altar Servers – Haedyn Brigati, Jaden Mendoza,
Evan Mendoza
Lector – Joan Schaper
Eucharistic Ministers – James Brooks, Carol Cooke,
John Sullivan, Della Booker

8 AM
Altar Servers – Dahlia Cousineau, Alex Herrera,
Mikhayla Herrera
Lector – Susan Semler
Eucharistic Ministers – Pat White, Patricia Levins,
Rich White, Beverly Rath

10 AM
Altar Servers – Matthew Ty, Haydn Ty, Gianna Sidoti
Lector – Fran Mladjenovic
Eucharistic Ministers – Karyn Glover, Maggie Angresano,
Marc Votto, Teresa Mancuso

12 NOON
Altar Servers – Sofia Maravillas, Jacob Maravillas,
Joshua Maravillas
Lector – Rome Ibera
Eucharistic Ministers – Julie Fill, Russ Luppino,
Matt Rosa, Janet Doll

THE BREAD AND WINE
This week the Bread and Wine are in memory of
Ann Turigiano requested by Her Grandchildren.

THE SANCTUARY LAMP
This week the Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of
Angela Escobar requested by The Stiefel Family.

REST IN PEACE
Please remember in your prayers
all the military men and women who have died this week.

Please visit the Church Office Monday through Friday, from 9 AM to 5 PM to request Mass Intentions, Bread and Wine or Sanctuary Lamp.

St. Simon Stock
Carmelite Feast Day: May 16
Our Lady gave St. Simon a scapular for the Carmelites with the following promise: Receive, My beloved son, this habit of thy order. This shall be to thee and to all Carmelites a privilege, that whosoever dies clothed in this shall never suffer eternal fire….It shall be a sign of salvation, a protection in danger, and a pledge of peace.
Happy Mother’s Day!

“A society without mothers would [be] a society that has lost its heart, lost the ‘feel of home.’ Because mothers, even at the worst of times, are capable of testifying to tenderness, unconditional self-sacrifice, and the strength of hope. Where there is a mother, there is unity, there is belonging.”

– Pope Francis

Birthday wishes and blessings to Angie Bracconeri.

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Saturday, October 19, 2019
7 PM to Midnight – OLMC Auditorium

Come and enjoy Peruvian inspired foods, music and entertainment. 50/50 raffle and amazing baskets! Check future bulletins for updates!!

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**SUPPORT GROUP** for people dealing with unreasonable loved ones **meets in the Titus Room every Tuesday from 8-9 PM.** All are welcome. Please contact Sarah Ellis at 202-247-7189 or sarahellis79@gmail.com.

**KNIT & CROCHET GROUP** meets on Thursdays at 7 PM in the OLMC Conference Room. We’re currently knitting and crocheting hats to be donated to a chemotherapy center and also baby caps and blankets to be donated to Siena House. For info, please contact Elena Ugarte at 201-567-6491.

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**CATHOLIC HEART WORK CAMP FUNDRAISER**

Thank you to everyone for your support of Catholic Heart Work Camp. As you know, the Catholic Heart Work Camp team is collecting funds to support the teens from our parish who will be attending Catholic Heart Work Camp in June. Catholic Heart Work Camp is an opportunity for our teens to be involved in social projects in a Catholic environment where they will get to meet teens from other parts of the U.S.

**Donations are still being accepted.** Sponsor forms are available at the back of the church. Every person who signs up and who gives $10 or more will be invited to a social after our return so that you can see pictures taken during the week, and to have a chance to talk to the teens who took part in the week. Donations should be made through the regular Mass collection (in a clearly marked envelope) or dropped off at the Church Office. Please make checks payable to Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church and note in the memo line “CHWC.”

Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

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**WALK-IN DINNER PROGRAM**

**June 5, 2019**

Interested in donating a homemade meatloaf, mashed potatoes, vegetable or dessert? Or serving the meal at the kitchen? Email Elliot at eguerra@academyolmc.org.

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**JOIN US FOR ONE OF OUR FAITH SHARING GROUPS… AND MORE!**

**MEN’S CORNERSTONE GROUP** meets every other Wednesday at St. Mary’s Church, Closter. **Our next meeting is Wednesday, May 15th at 7:30 PM.** Please call Deacon Michael Giuliano at 201-983-1591 or Bill Angresano at 201-370-2698 if you have any questions.

**SPIRITUAL DIRECTION** encourages us to explore a closer relationship with God and is carried out in the context of a one-to-one trusting and confidential relationship with the spiritual director. If you think that Spiritual Direction might be a way for you to discern God’s actions in your life, contact Deacon Lex at 201-568-6819 or deaconlex@gmail.com.

**WOMEN’S SHARING GROUP** meets monthly. We are currently reading “When A Woman Meets Jesus” by Dorothy Valcárcel. **The Women’s Sharing Group will meet on Wednesday, May 22nd at 7 PM in the School Conference Room.** Please call Sr. Regina at 201-871-4662 for more information.
WEEKLY RUNDOWN

MOTHER’S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET

Our Mother’s Day Novena begins on Sunday, May 12th and continue through Monday, May 20th. If you would like to enroll your mother, living or deceased, envelopes and cards are available by the doors of the Church. Please return the large envelope either to the Church Office or place it in the Sunday collection basket. Names of those enrolled will be placed on the altar during this Novena.

“IN THE NEWS” – Come and join Fr. Ashley Harrington for the May Session of “In The News” on Tuesday, May 14th at 7:30 PM at the Carmelite Spiritual Center at St. Cecilia Church, Englewood. Let’s gather to review and discuss Catholicism as it was presented in the media last month. Our goal is to openly examine how our faith is communicated to the public.

MILITARY APPRECIATION CEREMONY

Friday, May 17, 2019
12:30 PM
Bergen County Administration Building
One Bergen County Plaza, Piazza
Hackensack, NJ
RSVP required. Please call 201-336-6325 or email veterans@co.bergen.nj.us.

A Gathering for Moms and Dads of Individuals with Disabilities

Sunday, June 2nd
2:30 to 4:30 PM
After 1:30 PM Inclusive Family Mass at St. John the Evangelist Church
Conlon Hall, 19 North William Street, Bergenfield

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Sharyn Agnew
Bernadette Alvarado
Brian Bingman
Maria Capo
Pat Carrier
Elpine Castro
Cho Hyung Joon Stephan
Sr. Pat Coyle, MFIC
Remedios De Guzman
Victoria Arana Dew
Rachel Durso
Peter Gagne
Adam Kokosinski
Rumi Kubo
James Kwok
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Make a purchase at Metropolitan Plant & Flower Exchange valued at $50 or more and Metropolitan will donate $10 to Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Tenafly.

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Visit Metropolitan Plant & Flower Exchange or place an order by calling 1-800-METRO-13

* Metropolitan Farm
119 Hickory Lane, Closter, NJ 07624
201-767-0244
Children who received their First Communion this year are invited to participate in the May Crowning of the Blessed Mother on Sunday, May 19th at the 10 AM Mass.

Wear your First Communion outfits!

Congratulations to the following children who received their First Communion on May 4th and May 11th:

Matteo Alu  Kian Miyamoto
Dallas Alvator  Elizabeth Mulder
Simone Berger  Logan Munoz
Liam Brigati  Rosie Munoz
Nicholas Canaveral  Victoria Munoz
Christian Coleman  Santino Nardone
Camila Copete  Tabatha Oliveira
Ava Cutri  Joseph Reiser
Sophia De La Cruz  Alan Rico
Mason Di Rese  Emma Rodriguez
Bianca DiSaverio  Joseph Salvia
Claire Fitzgerald  Richard Scolaro
Riley Fletcher  Lanzie Shellman
Elodie Fraga  Olivia Smajlaj
Catherine Galvao  Rachel Tarabokija
Adrian Gutierrez  Valeria Tejada-Arago
Arianna Gutierrez  Isabella Toome
Jackson Hitchcock  Stephen Toome
Logan Hojo  Matthew Tripodi
Raina Huang  Nathaniel Vega
Infinita Jung  Ricardo-Miguel Vital
Liam Kania  Cristian Wilhelmson
Oliver Lacour  Diego Wilhelmson
Ava Lan  Jose Pablo Zarate-Diez

Thank you to the catechists who helped prepare these children to receive the Eucharist for the first time:

Grace Antonucci • Karin Erdtmann • Stephanie Farfan-Ross
ACADEMY/ATHLETICS

Catholic High Schools – Activities & Events

Academy of the Holy Angels
The Academy of the Holy Angels Class of 2019 graduation activities are as follows:
Awards Ceremony – Wednesday, May 29, 2019 at 6 PM
Baccalaureate Liturgy & Graduation Ceremony – Friday, May 31, 2019 at 2 PM at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart, Newark

Bergen Catholic High School
Bergen Catholic High School will host an open house for prospective students on Tuesday, May 28th from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. Registration can be found on the Bergen Catholic website. If you have any questions, please contact Matt Rosa, Director of Admissions, at mrosa@bergencatholic.org.

Don Bosco Preparatory High School
Don Bosco Prep’s Chapel Concerts presents Claude Bolling’s Suite for Flute and Jazz Piano on Saturday, May 18th at 7:30 PM in Mary Help of Christians Chapel, St. John’s Hall. Please go to www.brownpapertickets.com or call 201-327-6457 for tickets.

Saint Joseph Regional High School
Saint Joseph Regional High School is proud to present Lend Me a Tenor. This madcap, must-see comedy won two Tony Awards and four Drama Desk Awards. Performances are Thursday, May 16th, Friday, May 17th, Saturday, May 18th at 7 PM, and Sunday, May 19th at 3 PM in the Inserra Theater at Saint Joseph Regional High School, 40 Chestnut Ridge Road, Montvale. Tickets are on sale now at SJR.BookTix.com. All seats are reserved and are priced at $17. A senior citizen preview performance ($10—includes preshow nosh and talk beginning at 2:15 PM) will be held Wednesday, May 15th at 3 PM.

Ben & Jerry’s and OLMC are teaming up! Check out these events and support the Academy of Our Lady of Mount Carmel!!

Ben & Jerry’s in Englewood (42 East Palisade Avenue) will be hosting Community Night for OLMC. Begin the Memorial Day weekend early at Ben & Jerry’s. The Academy of OLMC will receive 20% from all purchases!

Community Night at Ben & Jerry’s
Wednesday, May 22nd
5 PM – 8 PM

All purchases made during these hours benefit the Academy of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. No coupon needed.

THE ODYSSEY THEATRE
New, Next, Now:
The 2018 – 2019 Season
The Spring Show
Jules Vernes’
Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea
May 23rd – 6 PM
GIVING & GRATITUDE

Recurring giving that helps plan our parish’s needs and programs.

- Flexible
- Convenient
- Reliable
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Enroll securely online at www.faithdirect.net (parish code – NJ122) or click on the QR scan below.

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