

the catholic community of
OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL



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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ





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 to arrange an appointment.

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.

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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.”*

TODAY'S GOSPEL MESSAGE

Sunday, June 6th
Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

“While they were eating, [Jesus] took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to [his disciples], and said, ‘Take it; this is my body.’ Then he took a cup, gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, ‘This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many.’”

“At the Last Supper, Jesus gave thanks to his Father before breaking the bread and sharing the cup. Indeed, the word *eukharistia* means ‘thanksgiving.’ During periods of time when we cannot receive the Eucharist, we become aware of a gift that we often take for granted. It is a gift, given freely and continually by God to all who believe. We give thanks by accepting this gift and resolving to use this life-giving meal to sustain us in our discipleship.”

SOURCE: *Pastoral Patterns*, Summer 2021

**DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday 2 Cor 1:1-7; Matt 5:1-12
Tuesday 2 Cor 1:18-22; Matt 5:13-16
Wednesday 2 Cor 3:4-11; Matt 5:17-19
Thursday 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6; Matt 5:20-26
Friday Hosea 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Eph 3:8-12, 14-19;
 John 19:31-37

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Solemnity) – The heart of Jesus is adored as a symbol of his threefold love: human, spiritual, and divine. By the Middle Ages, the Sacred Heart of Jesus was an object of personal devotion, and in the late seventeenth century the devotion became a liturgical celebration. In modern times, the image of the Sacred Heart in the home is a sign that the love of Jesus rules over the family.

Saturday 2 Cor 5:14-21; Luke 2:41-51

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Memorial) – Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary is closely linked with that of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Popular devotion began in the seventeenth century, and, in 1805, permission was given for a local feast of the Pure Heart of Mary. In 1944, the feast was extended to all the western Church. Mary’s Immaculate Heart signifies her sanctity and love as the Mother of God.

SOURCE: *Living With Christ*, June 2021



**STATEMENT OF THE
NEW JERSEY BISHOPS
Reinstating the General Obligation
to Attend Mass**

The Catholic Bishops of New Jersey, are lifting the dispensation of the Sunday and Holy Days Mass obligation beginning on Saturday, June 5, 2021, and Sunday, June 6, 2021, Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. We welcome the Christian faithful to return to the regular participation in the Sunday Eucharist, the source and summit of our Catholic faith (cf. Code of Canon Law canon 1247 and Catechism of the Catholic Church, n. 2180).

This obligation does not apply to those who are ill; those who have reason to believe that they were recently exposed to the coronavirus or another serious or contagious illness; those who are confined to their home, a hospital, or nursing facility; or those with serious underlying health conditions. One should consult the local pastor if questions arise about the obligation to attend Mass (canon 87).



**ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK
Updated Directives During the
Covid-19 Pandemic**

Effective May 28, masks [are] no longer required for fully vaccinated persons. If not fully vaccinated, persons are strongly encouraged to follow CDC guidance and wear a face mask in public settings. Masks are still required on public transit and in health care settings, prisons, child-care facilities and schools, among other places. People will no longer be required to socially distance indoors or outdoors, (May 28), although unvaccinated persons should continue to maintain a safe distance from others.

Effective June 4, all indoor gathering limits [are] removed.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, JUNE 7th

8:30 Agnes & Frank Smith
Requested by Their Family

TUESDAY, JUNE 8th

8:30 Gertrude Mills
Requested by Marianne Reilly

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9th

8:30 Elizabeth Ann C. Enriquez
Requested by Dr. & Mrs. Santiago Enriquez

THURSDAY, JUNE 10th

8:30 Art & Eileen Hall
Requested by Their Family

FRIDAY, JUNE 11th

8:30 Sacred Heart of Jesus
Requested by Dr. & Mrs. Santiago Enriquez

SATURDAY, JUNE 12th

8:30 Michael Tondel
Requested by His Parents

5:00 Elizabeth Meewes
Requested by Her Sister, Marie

SUNDAY, JUNE 13th

8:00 Parishioners of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

10:00 John Preolo
Requested by Mike & Arlene Prelee

12:00 Orlando & Enia Ghelfi
Requested by Mary Vagnone



Let us pray for the needs of the following individuals:

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| Leonard Abbruzzesi | Elon Lages Lima |
| Bernadette Alvarado | Antonia Lopez |
| Rosanne Ambulo | Joanne Mitchell |
| Arturo Benemerito | Aaron Monteagudo |
| Brian Bingman | Rita Oettinger |
| Tom Cooke | Julieta Pineda |
| Sr. Pat Coyle | Janice Pineda |
| Remedios De Guzman | Rita Oettinger |
| Rachel Durso | Jacinto Rivera |
| Patricia Eboli | Don Sablan |
| Wanda Ferraiuola | Josie Sablan |
| Peter Gagne | Kim Sablan |
| Judy Gegel | John Salvatore |
| Edwin Grube | Jason Scalora |
| Amy Hartwell | Carrie Schurmann |
| James Ierardi | Betty Supple |
| Kavork Karkian | Dominic Tavormina |
| Jeffrey Kellish | Jeanny Torres |
| Adam Kokosinski | Liza Ty Beasca |
| Rumi Kubo | Giselle Velez |

Please contact the Church Office at 201-568-0545 to have a loved one's name added or removed from the prayer list.



The altar flowers this week are given by The Larre Family in memory of Wendy Larre.

THE BREAD AND WINE

This week the Bread and Wine are for Health and Happiness of Bjorda Kacorri.



THE SANCTUARY LAMP

This week the Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of Anthony Puccio requested by the Antonucci Family.



REST IN PEACE

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

MASS INTENTION BOOK

The 2022 Mass Book will open on Tuesday, June 8th at 9:15 A.M. To accommodate everyone, there is a limit of 4 Mass intention requests (2 weekends and 2 daily) and 2 requests for either Bread and Wine or Sanctuary Lamp.

If you are unable to visit the Church Office, please mail your request to the Church Office (please specify the date you are requesting) and provide contact information in case your date of choice is not available. No phone requests will be taken at this time. Thank you for understanding.

You are invited to join in celebrating the
Installation of

Fr. Richard Supple, O. Carm.

as Pastor of
Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Tenafly.

The presider for this celebration will be
Bishop Michael Saporito.

Sunday, June 27, 2021 at 12 p.m.
Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church
10 County Road, Tenafly, NJ 07670

A light reception will be held outdoors,
weather permitting, or in the auditorium,
immediately following Mass.



“Just Practicing”

by Deacon Lex Ferraiola

Continued from last Sunday’s bulletin . . .

Life is a gift. And it is beautiful, but the world outside and inside our head can at times be painful and frightening. And we live each day with the existential knowledge that our time on earth is limited. But God is always by our side. God will never abandon us. And when our time on earth is through, God will be there to take away our fear, to embrace us and welcome us home.

We believe this with faith and someday we will experience it with certainty. But in the meantime, we, like Linda, practice to reassure ourselves that God is there; we practice by calling out to God in prayer.

And God answers in the darkness,
‘I am here, my child, I am with you.’

That answer comes to us in the depths of our hearts, in the love and compassion we receive from others, in the grace of the sacraments; and it come to us in those unexplained meaningful coincidences, those synchronicities, that God uses to tell us he’s there. God always answers; we just have to be listening.

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Please see next Sunday’s bulletin for the
continuation of “Just Practicing.”

The will of God will never take you,
Where the grace of God cannot keep you,
Where the arms of God cannot support you,
Where the riches of God cannot supply your needs,
Where the power of God cannot endow you.

The will of God will never take you,
Where the spirit of God cannot work through you,
Where the wisdom of God cannot teach you,
Where the army of God cannot protect you,
Where the hands of God cannot mold you.

The will of God will never take you,
Where the love of God cannot enfold you,
Where the mercies of God cannot sustain you,
Where the peace of God cannot calm your fears,
Where the authority of God cannot overrule for you.

The will of God will never take you,
Where the comfort of God cannot dry your tears,
Where the Word of God cannot feed you,
Where the miracles of God cannot be done for you,
Where the omnipresence of God cannot find you.

Author Unknown

SOURCE: www.worldprayers.org

**“The conscience is the interior place
for listening to the truth,
to goodness,
for listening to God.”**

—Pope Francis

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 Kirsten- 201-805-5999/
kirstenmjaeger@gmail.com

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The following individuals were recently baptized at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church.

BAPTISM

Maisie Louise Betts
Giulia Grace Di Ciero
Thomas Sylvan Farensbach
Dennis Okyere

May the Lord bless you and keep you in His care.



Catholic Heart Work Camp Fundraiser

Sunday, June 13th

We will be having a Mile Sale after all Masses to support the teens from our parish who will be attending Catholic Heart Work Camp (CHWC) at the end of June in Dover, Delaware. CHWC is an opportunity for our teens to be involved in social projects in a Catholic environment and to meet teens from other parishes around the U.S. Because of COVID, this is our only fundraiser to support our teens, so your generous support would be appreciated. Thank you, as always, for your generous support of our previous mile sales. If you would like more information, please talk to Fr. Anthony or to Elliot Guerra.

MINISTRY SIGN-UP FORM

Please return this form to Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church Office or to the Religious Education Office, 10 County Road, Tenafly. Training is provided prior to serving.

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Liturgical Ministry Choice:

Eucharistic Minister

Lector

Usher

Altar Server (adults for funeral Masses)

Mass Preference for Liturgical Ministry:

5 PM

8 AM

10 AM

12 NOON







WALK-IN DINNER PROGRAM

Wednesday, June 23, 2021

Thank you to all who support our outreach efforts to Family Promise to serve the most vulnerable brothers and sisters in our area.

If you are interested in donating a homemade meatloaf, mashed potatoes, vegetable or dessert or serving the meal at the kitchen in Hackensack, please email Elliot Guerra at eguerra@academyolmc.org.



**Pope Francis’
Prayer Intention for June:
The Beauty of Marriage**

“Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community; may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness, and patience.”



**FATHER’S DAY
SPIRITUAL BOUQUET**

Our Father’s Day Novena will begin on Sunday, June 20st and continue through Monday, June 28th. If you would like to enroll your father, living or deceased, please fill out the form below and return it to the Church Office at 10 County Road, Tenafly. Checks should be made payable to Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church.

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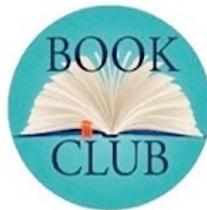
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Special Intentions for:



**MOUNT CARMEL
BOOK CLUB**

—Facilitated by Elliot Guerra—
Founded by Pastor Emeritus Fr. Dan O’Neill, O.Carm.

Next month’s meeting is:

Tuesday, July 6th

9:15 AM & 7:30 PM

Titus Room/Conference Room/Zoom



Interested in joining?

Contact Elliot Guerra
or Mary Ann at the Church Office.



July’s book pick to be announced soon!

MEN’S CORNERSTONE

Men’s Cornerstone continues to meet virtually every other Wednesday. **The next meeting is June 9th.** Please call Deacon Michael Giuliano at 201-983-1591 or Bill Angresano at 201-370-2698 if interested.

*Join Fr. Anthony Armstrong
For a 15-Day Pilgrimage
to the Holy Land, Jordan, Egypt & Dubai*

October 26 – November 9, 2021

\$3,999 Per Person

Round Trip Air from Los Angeles, CA

Depending upon the number of individuals traveling from New Jersey, there is a possibility of flying round trip from Newark International Airport instead of from Los Angeles. For information and details, please contact Fr. Anthony at fr.anthony@olmc.us.



Let us introduce you to the Academy staff and the programs we have to offer. Visit our Web site at www.academyolmc.org.

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END-OF-THE-YEAR SCHEDULE

TUESDAY
JUNE 8
10 a.m.

Pre-K
Graduation



WEDNESDAY
JUNE 9
10 a.m.

Kindergarten
Graduation



FRIDAY
JUNE 11
6:30 p.m.

8th Grade Graduation



WEDNESDAY
JUNE 16
(Time TBD)

5th Grade
Moving Up



Upcoming Catholic High School Events . . .

Bergen Catholic High School

Lead On Program – The Bergen Catholic Lead On Program is a three-week summer enrichment program designed for students entering 7th and 8th grades. It provides a stimulating classroom experience in which students will explore and enjoy a variety of topics. The Lead On Program provides a chance for social growth, maturity enhancement, and for making new friends in a small classroom environment. **The program is held from 9 AM to 12 NOON from Monday, July 12th to Thursday, July 29th. Registration is now taking place.** If you have any questions, please contact Matt Rosa, Director of Admissions at mrosa@bergencatholic.org.



Immaculate Conception High School

Blue Wolf Exploration Summer Camp – A variety of kinesthetic activities are available to rising 4th–8th grade girls and boys. Camp hours are 9 AM to 2 PM from Monday, June 28th to Friday, July 2nd. Fee: \$400 per student. Please contact Nicole Mineo, Coordinator of Enrollment Management, for details at nmineo@ichslodi.org or 973-773-2665.



St. Joseph Regional High School

Knight Vision Summer Experience – This is an opportunity for rising 8th grade students to learn while having fun. Camp is held from 8:30 AM to 2:30 PM from Monday, June 21st to Friday, June 25th. Cost: \$450 per student. Please contact Scott Donnelly at donnellys@sjrnj.org or Hillary Barnett at barneth@sjrnj.org for more information.



Religious Education

What Parents Should Expect From A Religious Education Program

According to an information estimate by the National Catholic Education Association, somewhere between eighty and ninety percent of Catholic children now receive religious education in parish religious education programs. What should a parent expect from a religious education program?

Here are six:

- A professional educational director
- Well-prepared catechists
- Well-balanced curriculum
- A parish liturgy that teaches and inspires
- Help in preparing children for sacraments
- An introduction to Scripture

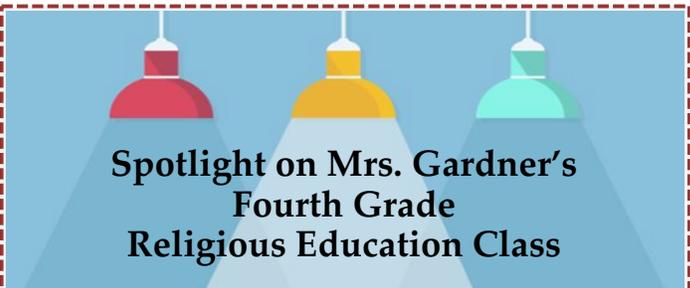


Please see future bulletins and visit our website in the coming weeks for information about re-registration and new family registration for 2021-22.



Feel free to call the Religious Education Office to learn more about our program of religious instruction. We can be reached at 201-871-4662.

“Being a catechist is not a title; it is an attitude of abiding with Him, and it lasts a lifetime! It means abiding in the Lord’s presence and letting ourselves be led by him.”
—Pope Francis



Spotlight on Mrs. Gardner’s Fourth Grade Religious Education Class

Mrs. Gardner’s fourth grade religious education class decided to follow Jesus’ teachings . . . and accept their responsibility as the apostles of today.

As preparation for Lent the class decided that, instead of giving up something, they would do something positive for our community. Students came up with ideas and voted on their project – a food drive for the Office of Concern. To make sure that their food drive would help those most in need after the holidays, when we sometimes forget to do what the Lord has asked of us, they decided the food drive would take place after Lent. For weeks they prepared collectively, decided on the theme, and created flyers and cards for the recipients.

At last, the time for the food drive arrived. On two Sundays in May they sat outside our church and greeted worshippers that arrived for the 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. Masses, and also when they exited. They were shy at first, but our parishioners’ warmth and kindness overwhelmed them. Their final comments . . . “People were so nice.”

Joined by a few students from Mrs. Gardner’s third grade class, the culmination of our celebration of the month of May included making lilies in honor of Joseph the Worker Day and a crown for our Blessed Mother that the students placed on the outdoor statue of the Blessed Mother. The lesson: Our family starts with Joseph and Mary and extends to both our families and our Church family.



What is RCIA? Is RCIA for You?

The Catholic Church welcomes into the **RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)** process of preparation persons who have never been baptized, those already baptized in another Christian tradition, or baptized Catholics who have not received First Eucharist or Confirmation. The celebration of Christian initiation takes place at the Easter Vigil liturgy. If you or someone you know has been thinking about becoming a member, but would first like information about the process, please call Sr. Regina at 201-871-4662.

2021 ANNUAL APPEAL ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK

Now more than ever, especially during this health crisis, our ministries and programs need your support. Will you prayerfully consider making a gift to the **2021 Annual Appeal**?

Please visit www.olmc.us for information on making your gift to the 2021 Annual Appeal.



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OFFICE OF CONCERN

Thank you so much for your **AMAZING** efforts of packing **THOUSANDS** of bags of food at the Office of Concern for our brothers and sisters in need.

With the arrival of late spring, the small team of college student volunteers has arrived on weekday mornings to assist in grocery bag making, so we are no longer going to be offering the Thursday evening packing sessions until the fall.

If you would like to serve at the Office of Concern at a different time (**Monday–Wednesday, 9 AM–12 PM**), or are interested in other forms of service, please contact Elliot Guerra at eguerra@academyolmc.org.

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