

the catholic community of
OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL



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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

... who art and forgive
... we forgive
... prayer
... heaven

THE LORD'S PRAYER

“LORD, TEACH US TO PRAY.”

Luke 11:11



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, July 24th
 Luke 11:1-13

“Jesus was praying in a certain place, and when he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, ‘Lord, teach us to pray just as John taught his disciples.’ He said to them, ‘When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread and forgive us our sins for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us, and do not subject us to the final test’ . . . ‘And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.’”

“Jesus teaches his disciples how to pray, also encouraging them to make a prayer of petition, pleading for food each day and for mercy for their sins. Let us in turn be generous with our belongings and with our forgiveness.”

SOURCE: *Pastoral Patterns*, Summer 2022

**DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 20:20-28

Saint James, Apostle (Feast) – “James, son of Zebedee, was a fisherman with his brother John. He was close to the Lord, being present at the raising of Jairus’s daughter, at the transfiguration, and in the Garden of Gethsemane. He is known as James the Greater, to distinguish him from the other apostle of the same name. He is a patron saint of Spain and of pilgrims.”

Tuesday Jeremiah 14:17-22; Matthew 13:36-43

Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Memorial) – “The gospels tell us nothing about Mary’s parents, not even their names. What we know from Christian tradition is found in non-scriptural writings such as the Protogospel of James. Devotion to St. Anne existed in sixth-century Constantinople and in eighth-century Rome. By the sixteenth century this feast day was universal. Joachim has been honored in the East from the earliest days, but in the West only since the sixteenth century.”

Wednesday Jeremiah 15:10, 16-21; Matthew 13:44-46

Thursday Jeremiah 18:1-6; Matthew 13:47-53

Friday Jeremiah 26:1-9; John 11:19-27

Saints Martha, Mary, and Lazarus (Memorial) – “Martha, her sister, Mary, and their brother, Lazarus were very close friends of Jesus. Martha is a model of hospitality as well as of fidelity in her discipleship. Mary shows us how important it is to listen closely to Jesus. And Jesus called Lazarus forth from the tomb after Lazarus had been dead for four days. May we follow their example in welcoming and listening to Jesus, and affirm with Martha that Jesus is the resurrection and the life.”

Saturday Jeremiah 26:11-16, 24; Matthew 14:1-12

Welcome

to Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

To register with Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, please contact the Church Office at 201-568-0545 or find our form online at www.olmc.us. Click on ‘Welcome’ and scroll down to ‘Parish Registration.’ Also, please see page 2 of this bulletin for our schedule of Masses and Sacrament information.

Change of address? Please contact the Church Office with your new mailing address so we can update our records. And, of course, we wish you happiness and blessings in your new home!

Moving out of the parish? If you will be moving out of the parish, please let us know. The Church Office and the Religious Education Office are here to assist you with any sacramental or religious instruction information you need to provide to your new parish.

Suggestions? Comments? The Parish Advisory Board reminds you that we want to hear from you! Please feel free to email your thoughts to us at olmcadvisoryboard@gmail.com.

>>Please check out the pages of this bulletin and our website for ways that you can become involved in the parish life of Our Lady of Mount Carmel!

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, JULY 25th

8:30 David Loman
Requested by Dolores Miller

TUESDAY, JULY 26th

8:30 Ann Turigiano
Requested by Her Family

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27th

8:30 John Viar
Requested by The Hellman Family

THURSDAY, JULY 28th

8:30 Antonio Tarabocchia
Requested by Mr. & Mrs. Ferruccio Morin

FRIDAY, JULY 29th

8:30 Matteo Bussanich
Requested by Mr. & Mrs. Ferruccio Morin

SATURDAY, JULY 30th

8:30 Antonia Ribauda
Requested by Laurie & Leo De Candia

5:00 Albert Hajjar
Requested by Ann Marie Loughlin

SUNDAY, JULY 31st

8:00 Parishioners of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

10:00 Salvatore Basile
Requested by The Miglietta Family

12:00 Josephine Daniel



Let us pray for the needs of the following individuals:

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| Carmelo Abbruzzesi | Antonio Lopez |
| Leonard Abbruzzesi | Harold Lopez |
| Lorna Asuncion | Lolita Lopez |
| Bill Barry | Catherine Marchiona |
| Arturo Benemerito | June Miller |
| Brian Bingman | Aaron Monteagudo |
| Tom Cooke | Joseph Pae |
| Sr. Pat Coyle | Henriette Paternayan |
| Sereno Danese | Alexander Pavur |
| Denise de Almeida | Anastasia Pavur |
| Rachel Durso | Susan Rossi |
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| Judy Gegel | Betty Supple |
| Edwin Grube | Dominic Tavormina |
| Amy Hartwell | Jeanny Torres |
| Michael Kashmer | Gabriella Tranchina |
| Jeffery Kellish | Liza Ty Beasca |
| Adam Kokosinski | Rosario Ugarte |
| Rumi Kubo | Susan Van Vorst |
| Patricia Lefevere | |



The altar flowers this week are given by The Durso Family in memory of Ralph and Laura Durso.

THE BREAD AND WINE

This week the Bread and Wine are in memory of Ann Turigiano requested by Her Family.



THE SANCTUARY LAMP

This week the Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of Dennis Thomas Kearney requested by Jing and Theresa Santamaria.



REST IN PEACE

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

2023 Mass Intention Book

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.

It was a feast day celebration two years in the making! OLMC’s annual celebration of her patroness, Our Lady of Mount Carmel, had been silenced the past few years due to the pandemic. The celebration came roaring back on Saturday, July 16 with dozens of families, parishioners and Academy community members working and celebrating together.

Led by event chair Rose Ann Miglietta and an amazing team of volunteers, we began our feast day celebration by gathering for worship at the 5 PM Mass. We sang special hymns to Our Lady and shared the Eucharist. Afterward, we enjoyed a barbecue prepared by some of our own OLMC parishioners. We enjoyed treats from two food trucks—savory empanadas from Empanada Mania and refreshing ice cream treats from Lickety Split. We even got a surprise performance of some of our favorite pop stars from OLMC pastor Fr. Richard!

We’re already looking forward to next year when we will celebrate 150 years as a faith community!



Deacon Lex Ferraiuola

“Bloom Where You Are Planted”

Jesus said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men [and women].” Immediately they left their nets and followed him. (Matthew 4:19-20)

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When we hear this Gospel story it’s exciting and inspiring, but there is something behind the story that’s even more relevant and important for us: Even though those fishermen dropped what they were doing, followed Jesus and eventually became great saints, they still went back to work the next day. Those who had families still went home to eat supper with their wives and play with their kids. We know this from later Gospel stories that put them back in their boats hauling fish or caring for sick in-laws. We even have a story where they brought Jesus along with them in the boat.

The point of the Gospel story is this: once these *ordinary* fishermen said ‘yes’ to Jesus, their *ordinary* lives were changed forever.

When I was a child and heard this Gospel, I wanted to be like those fishermen and follow Jesus. But I thought that meant dropping everything in my life, leaving every relationship behind. But as an adult I came to understand that we are called to follow Jesus within the circles and relationships of our own lives. We are all called to be builders of the Kingdom of God no matter what else we might happen to be doing.

We don’t have to leave our world behind to follow that unconditional love. We can follow and embrace Jesus by unconditionally loving others. By so doing, we can make Jesus present in the circumstances and circles of our lives. It’s like bringing Jesus along in the boat as we do our work.

There’s an old saying, “Bloom where you are planted.” God has planted each of us somewhere in the garden of time and space. We are rich, poor, single, or married. Some of us are construction workers, executives, doctors, homemakers, nuns, priests, and any of a thousand other profiles. But each of us has heard Jesus’ call to follow him or we wouldn’t be moved by this Gospel story.

So here we are 2,000 years later in our own personal ‘fishing boats’ — and Jesus is still out there standing on the shore, calling us to follow. Whatever the circumstances of our lives, whatever our individual roles and responsibilities and commitments may be; he calls us to be loving and forgiving, gentle and kind; to be a healing force for our world; to be fishers of men and women for the Kingdom of God — and that Kingdom begins right here on earth within the existing circles of our life.

VIOLIN AND PIANO RECITAL

**Tuesday, September 6
OLMC Church**

Our 2022-2023 Recital Series begins on September 6, 2022 with violinist Sheryl Staples, Principal Associate Concertmaster of the NY Philharmonic and pianist Yalin Chi. The concert is free. All are welcome and no RSVP is required.





Our next service date is:
Tuesday
September 20, 2022

Did you know that the OLMC community joins together to feed Bergen County’s most vulnerable citizens through the Family Promise Walk-in Dinner Program? Here are ways you can help!

- PRAY FOR US!** Lift up our cause in prayer.
- DONATE!** Drop off **cooked food**: individually foiled baked potatoes, frozen mixed veggies, or meatloaf, or assorted **pre-packaged desserts**.
- PREP THE FOOD!** Join us from **1:00–2:30 PM** in the OLMC kitchen to make salads, warm up food, and arrange portions.

If interested in joining, please contact Elliot Guerra at guerra@academyolmc.org.

At OLMC there are opportunities to become involved in the life of the parish. Check out the pages of our weekly bulletin, visit OLMC’s website, or talk with other parishioners for ideas and ways to volunteer your time and talent!



Please consider joining OLMC’s **Liturgical Ministry** as a Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Usher or Adult Altar Server. Training is provided and scheduling is done based on your availability. Please fill out the form below, if interested. OLMC’s **Social Justice Ministry** works with Family Promise to assist those in need. Please see announcement on this page.

Understanding The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father

We name our relationship with God.

Who art in heaven

It does not mean that God is distant, but rather God transcends everything.

Hallowed be thy name

We honor and praise God’s name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven

We ask Jesus to fulfill his promise to return on the “last day.” We learn to be open to the will of God and build up his kingdom on earth through prayer.

Give us this day our daily bread

We recognize that the Father gives us Jesus in the Eucharist. Jesus asks us to trust him to provide for us every day, just as he did the Israelites in the desert.

And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us

To be forgiven we must forgive. Jesus reminds us that we cannot fully give our heart to God if it holds animosity towards others.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil

We ask God not to let us take the path that leads to sin.

Based on today’s Gospel from Luke 11:1-13
www.hallow.com

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

thank you



ALTAR SERVER MINISTRY

Boys and girls in grades 4 through 8 are invited to join Our Lady of Mount Carmel’s Altar Server ministry! Training is provided prior to serving and scheduling is done based on your availability and Mass preference. Altar servers who have not served in a while or who have been retired from the ministry are invited to return. Please return this form to the Religious Education Office, 10 County Road, Tenafly.

Name _____

Phone _____

Parent Email _____

Mass Preference:

- ___ 5 PM
- ___ 8 AM
- ___ 10 AM
- ___ 12 NOON



New Members Invited To Join!

Facilitated by Elliot Guerra

This summer we’re reading Jonathan Franzen’s *Crossroads* for our September 13th meeting! New members are welcome to join!

Interested in joining?

Contact Elliot Guerra at guerra@academyolmc.org or Mary Ann at the Church Office at 201-568-0545.

“I will give thanks to you, O LORD,
with all my heart,
for you have heard
the words of my mouth;
When I called you answered me;
you built up strength within me.”

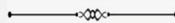
Psalm 138:1, 3

Welcome to the National Eucharistic Revival!

The Bishops of the United States are calling for a three-year grassroots revival of devotion and belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. They believe that God wants to see a movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and sent out in mission “for the life of the world.”

These three years will culminate in the first National Eucharistic Congress in the United States in almost fifty years. Almost a hundred thousand Catholics will join together in Indianapolis for a once-in-a-lifetime pilgrimage toward the “source and summit” of our Catholic faith.

Visit the Revival’s dedicated website www.eucharisticrevival.org for more information. Visit often as new information and resources will be continually uploaded.



“I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world” (John 6:51).

SAINT TITUS BRANDSMA

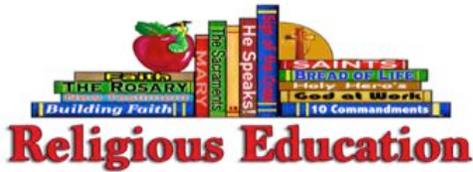
Carmelite and Martyr
Carmelite Feast Day: July 27

“Titus Brandsma was a Dutch Carmelite friar, Catholic priest and professor of philosophy. He delved into Carmelite history and brought his deep prayer practice to his studies at the Gregorian University in Rome and later, teaching assignments. In 1923, he helped Dutch bishops found a Catholic University in Nijmegen, Holland, where he later became rector.

Titus was also a journalist and leader in the Catholic press. In 1940, German troops invaded Holland. By 1941, they had made it illegal for any priest or religious to direct a school or university; they were also placing severe limits on publishers. Titus remained an outspoken advocate for the Catholic press and religious freedom, and as a result was arrested in January 1942. He died in July that same year in Dachau.

Titus was canonized as a martyr on May 15, 2022.”

SOURCE: www.carmelites.net



JOIN OUR TEAM OF CATECHISTS !



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Please call the Religious Education Office at 201-871-4662.

Volunteers are needed to teach:

Grade 7
Sundays
8:45–9:55 AM

Grade 7
Tuesdays
3:30–4:45 PM

Training is provided!

Who can serve as a catechist? If you have received the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation, you are fully initiated in the Catholic Church and can serve as a catechist in the Religious Education Program.

Team teaching is an option! We offer team teaching opportunities that allow you to either alternate with another catechist or teach alongside another catechist! The choice is yours!

Catechetical programs for young children “provide a natural human foundation for the supernatural life of faith where children can develop a sense of trust, freedom, selflessness, and joyful participation.”

National Directory for Catechesis, p. 204



Getting to Know Jesus

“Jesus is God’s invitation to live an incredibly abundant and fulfilling life. An invitation fills us with joy. There is a wonderful joy in discovering something (or someone) for the first time. There is also an immense joy that comes from *rediscovering* something (or someone). Knowing *about* Jesus is not the same as *knowing* Jesus. It’s time to stop everything, pause a little, and consider God’s invitation. The best time to rediscover Jesus is right now.”

SOURCE:
Kelly, Matthew. *Rediscover Jesus: An Invitation*. Blue Sparrow Books, 2019.

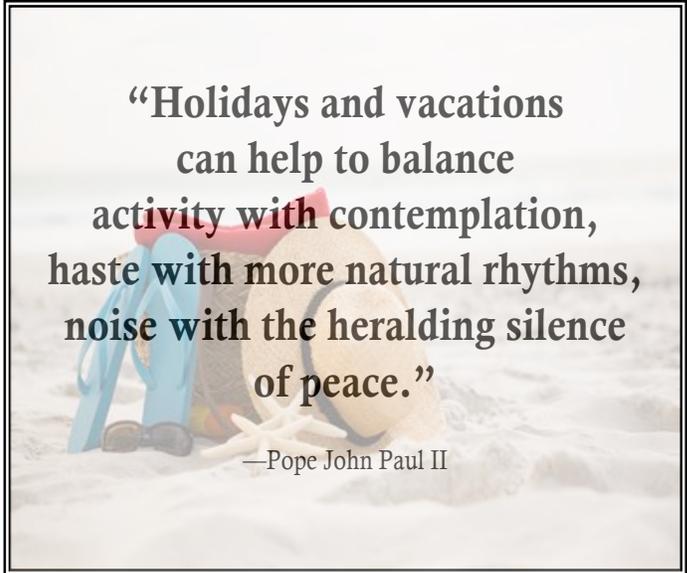
The Religious Education Program is a program of continuous religious instruction for children in kindergarten through eighth grade.

Catechetical Sunday will be celebrated on Sunday, September 18, 2022. The Committee on Evangelization and Catechesis is pleased to announce that the catechetical theme for 2022 is:

“This is my body given for you.”

Let us pray for our catechists that they may use the gifts of faith, hope, and love to share the “good news” with the children and families they have been called to serve.

If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please contact the Religious Education Office at 201-871-4662.



—Pope John Paul II



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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Experience the OLMC Difference!

The Academy of Our Lady of Mount Carmel is an educational community with roots in the Roman Catholic faith that teaches gospel values. Within our Carmelite tradition we are dedicated to helping students see God in themselves, in each other and in the world around them. We strive to educate the whole person—intellectually, spiritually, physically, socially and emotionally—while building a strong foundation of ethical and moral ideals.

We invite you to explore our website and reach out to us for more information.



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Mrs. Walsh
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Interested in registering for the Academy of Our Lady of Mount Carmel?

Please contact our Admissions Director, Mrs. Eileen Walsh at 201-567-6491 to register for Grades PreK3 through 8.

We are now offering two options for PreK3!

Option 1

Half Day Session

Monday through Friday
8:10 AM – 11:15 AM

Option 2

Full Day Session

Monday through Friday
8:10 AM – 2:30 PM

Academy Office Summer Hours

Monday – Tuesday – Wednesday – Thursday
(Open 9 A.M.—1 P.M.)

The Academy Office is CLOSED on Fridays.

Wishing all our Academy families a safe and enjoyable summer!



Lord God, Creator of all things,
guide our steps and strengthen our hearts
during these months
of summer and vacation days.
Grant us refreshment of mind and body.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

SOURCE: www.catholicdoors.com

Summer Plans

What are your plans this summer? OLMC wants to hear from you! Students, families, parishioners and staff are invited to send in a photo or video of a great view, family photo or fun landmark with a sentence or two describing the fun for our summer series *Summer Plans*. Send it to Mr. Guerra at guerra@academyolmc.org.



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Annual Appeal ^{the 2022}

The 2022 Annual Appeal will fund essential programs and ministries at the heart of our Catholic mission in our four counties. 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 *2022 Annual Appeal*? Please visit www.rcan.org/sharing for information on making your gift to the Annual Appeal.

The Office of Concern Food Pantry at St. Cecilia Church, Englewood

The collection for the Office of Concern is **the second weekend of each month**. Donations of non-perishable items should be placed in OLMC's elevator lobby for pick up by the Office of Concern. Thank you to all who donate to the Office of Concern to help those in our community.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed at the Office of Concern Food Pantry at St. Cecilia Church, Englewood on **Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays between the hours of 8 AM and 12 PM**. Any amount of time you can give is appreciated. Please contact Christine at the Office of Concern at 201-568-1465.



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